

**BEAUFORT COUNTY
HISTORIC SITES SURVEY - 1997**

INTENSIVE LEVEL BUILDING INVENTORY FORM

Statewide Survey Site Form
State Historic Preservation Office
South Carolina Department of Archives and History
Columbia, SC

Site Number: U- 13 - 43
Access County Site #
USGS Quad: 182 Frogmore
Doc. Level: Intensive Level-Building

Historic name(s): St. Helena's Church Chapel of Ease Map Ref.: _____ Tax Number: R300 023 000 0096 0000
Common name(s): _____ City Block Ref.: _____ Island: St. Helena Is.
Address/location: 17 Lands End Road City/Vicinity of (vic.) St. Helena Island
Date: 1750 ca. Alteration date: _____
Ownership: 1. private 2. city 3. county 4. state 5. federal 6. unknown
Category: 1. building 2. site 3. structure 4. object
Historic use(s): church Current uses: abandoned

National Register Status: _____ Date: _____ Listing Name: _____ NRIS # _____
listed individually in National Register 10/6/88 Edgar Fripp Mausoleum

SHPO Determination: District: Contributing Non-contributing Potential: _____

Consultant Recommendation: _____

Previous Survey: _____ Reference: _____ Notes: _____
 H.A.B.S. Other.. _____
 Feiss-Wright (1969) _____
 Historic Resources of the Lowcountry (1979) _____
 Milner Historic District Inventory (1979) _____
 A Guide to Historic Beaufort (1995 ed.) _____

Photograph:



Photographs:

- prints
- slides
- negatives

Date: 7/3/97
Recorder: B. Harvey, Brockington & Assoc.

Roll # Neg. View of:
H-15 3 northwest, Chapel

Style: _____ Commercial Form: _____

Core Shape: rectangular Stories: 1 story Construction: masonry

Roof: Shape: roof missing, probably front gable Material: roof missing

Chimney: Type: _____ Material: _____

Exterior Walls: tabby

Windows: single Type: _____ Pane Config.: _____

Doors: single Foundation: not visible

Porch Height: _____ Porch Width: _____ Porch Roof Shape: _____

Porch Details: _____ Decorative Elements: _____

Outbuildings: 4. OTHER--mausoleum Interior Features: _____

Number of Related Resources: 1

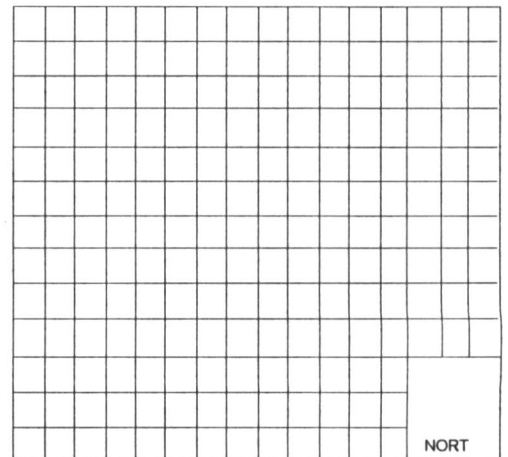
Surroundings: _____ Acreage: _____ Quadrangle: Frogmore

Alterations: Alteration date: _____ Integrity: good Condition: ruin
 Destroyed by fire 1886

Description: Four walls remaining, tabby construction with brick arches. Three bays facade, central door with flanking windows. Sides--four bays, offcenter doorway at 2nd bay. Lines of porch visible on front. Truncated pediment remains, with bull's eye window. Sandstone mausoleum to side with Egyptian detailing.

Historical Data: Served as chapel of ease for St. Helena's Church. Mausoleum for Fripp family.

Sketch:



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Informant/
Bibliography: