

# HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY HISTORIC SITE FORM

PARK CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION



## **IDENTIFICATION**

Property Name (if any): Thomas Savage House

Address: 316 Ontario Avenue

Date of Construction: c. 1895 City, County: Park City, Summit County, Utah

Architect/Builder, if known: unknown

Tax Number: PC-488-A

Current Owner: Cathleen and Craig A. Savage (jt.)

Legal Description (include acreage): A PORTION OF LOTS 4 & 5 BLK 59 AMENDED PLAT OF PARK CITY SURVEY; MORE PARTICULARLY DESC AS FOLLOWS: BEG AT A PT S 23\*38'00" E 13.59 FT ALONG THE E'LY R/W LINE OF ONTARIO AVE FROM THE NW COR OF LOT 5, BLK 59 PARK CITY SURVEY; & RUN TH N 66\*22'00" E 44.38 FT; TH N 71\*15'01" E 30.73 FT TO THE E'LY LINE OF LOTS 5 & 4; TH ALONG SD E'LY LINE S 23\*38'00" E 33.80 FT TO THE SE'LY COR OF LOT 4; TH S 66\*22'00" W 75 FT TO THE SW'LY COR OF LOT 4 & TH E'LY R/W LINE OF ONTARIO AVE; TH ALONG SD E'LY LINE N 23\*38'00" W 36.41 FT TO THE PT OF BEG CONT 2691 SQ FT OR 0.062 AC; ALSO LOT 3 BLK 59 PARK CITY SURVEY CONT 1875 SQ FT (LESS 1637 SQ FT 574-132 PC-487-A)(LESS 0.01 AC 1461-1324 PC-492-1-A) BAL 0.06 AC 574-134 619-32 (REF:NWD-216547-134 619-32) 2092-1672

## STATUS / USE

Original Use: single dwelling	Current Use: single dwelling	
Property Type:	National Register of Historic Places:	Evaluation:
Building	Eligible	Landmark Site
Structure	□ Ineligible	Significant Site
Site	☐ Listed, Date:	☐ Non Historic

## **DOCUMENTATION**

Photographs:	Research Sources:		
Tax Photos	Sanborn Maps	City/ County Histori	es Newspapers
Prints:	tax Card	Personal Interviews	Other:
Historic	Census Records	Park City Museum	
DESCRIPTION			
Architectural Style: Cross-wing	g type / Vernacular sty	le	
No. Stories: 1			
Number of Associated Structu	res: Accessory	building(s).#	Structure(s). #
Condition: Good	Fair	Poor	☐ Uninhabitable/Ruin
Location: Original location	ation	te: ,original locatio	n: )
Materials: (Describe the visible	e materials)		
Exterior Walls: The exterior wa	alls are clad in wooden	drop/novelty siding	
Foundation: The foundation is	not visible in the availa	ble photographs and the	erefore its material or
existence cannot be verified			
Roof: The cross-gable roof is s	sheathed in composition	n shingles	
Windows/Doors: The visible wi	indows are one-over-o	ne double-hung in vertic	al openings with external
storm windows and/or screens	s. The entry door is wo	od and paneled	
Additions: Major	Minor	None	
Alterations: Major	Minor	None	
Describe Additions/ Alterations	s (Dates):		
Essential Historic Form: Re	tains	☐ Doe:	s Not Retain

## NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

(Briefly describe the property and its setting. Include a verbal description of the location; a general description of the property including the overall shape, number of stories, architectural style, materials, shape of roof; identify and describe any associated structures; identify any known exterior additions and/or alterations.)

316 Ontario is a cross-wing type house, which has retained many of its original historical elements. The cross-wing, also known as a T/L cottage, is one of the main three house types built during the historic Park City mining era. The cross gable roof is sheathed with composition shingles. There is a small shed extension off the north side of the house, which can be seen in the c. 1940 tax photo and remains largely unchanged. The walls are clad with drop-novelty wood siding. There is a pair of one-over-one double hung sash windows in the front gable end and a single window of the same type next to the door under the porch. Storm windows are present on all these windows. The windows in the gable end have a wood pediment header and although is closely matches the original, it appears to be newer. The porch is covered by a shed extension of the roof and is supported by simple wood square posts with no railing. The door is a wood frame and panel door. The site slopes up from the street and a wood stair leads to the porch from the sidewalk. No foundation is visible in the available photographs, thus its materiality remains unverified. The overall form and materiality of the building remains intact and the building retains its historic value.

## **SIGNIFICANCE**

Historic Era:

Settlement & Mining Boom Era (1868-1893)

Mature Mining Era (1894-1930)

☐ Mining Decline & Emergence of Recreation Industry (1931-1962)

Narrative Statement of Significance:

(Briefly describe those characteristics by which this property may be considered historically significant.)

This house appears on the 1900 Sanborn Insurance map, which was the first of those maps to cover this area, making it difficult to determine exactly when it was built. The property was initially owned by the Park City Townsite Corporation, and may have been used to house workers at that time. The title history shows that it was sold to James Mehan in 1916, who sold it shortly after to Thomas Savage.

Thomas Savage appears on the 1920 census, living in this house with his wife Maria and their daughter Margaret. They were born in Ireland, and immigrated to the U.S. in 1910 and 1915 respectively. Thomas worked as a miner, and was caught in a cave-in in 1923, while working for the Daly West mine. He died from injuries sustained in that accident in 1924. His wife Maria sold the house to Thomas's brother Herbert in that same year.

Herbert Savage is noted as owning and occupying this house on both the 1930 and 1940 census. His family consisted of his wife Margaret, and their four children. He was also born in Ireland, and came to the U.S. in 1913. He worked as a miner, and was killed in a snow slide in 1949. The property stayed in his family until 2014, when it was sold to the current owners, Alcalde Properties LLC.

## **REFERENCES**

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## **PHOTOS**

(Provide several clear historical and current photos of the property as well as locational maps indicating the location of the property in relation to streets or other widely recognized features.)

316 Ontario Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah Intensive Level Survey—Biographical and Historical Research Materials



Tax photo c. 1940





316 Ontario Avenue. Northwest oblique. November 2013.

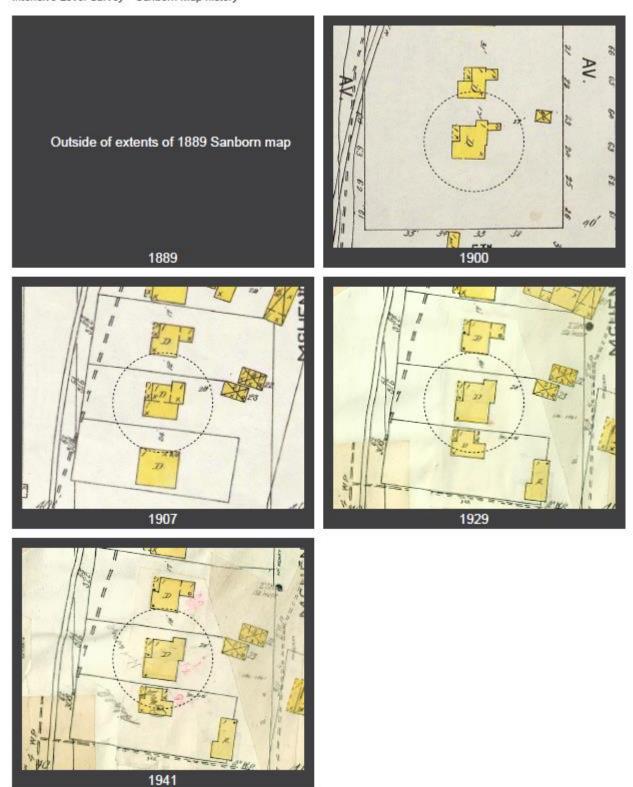


316 Ontario Avenue. West elevation. November 2013.

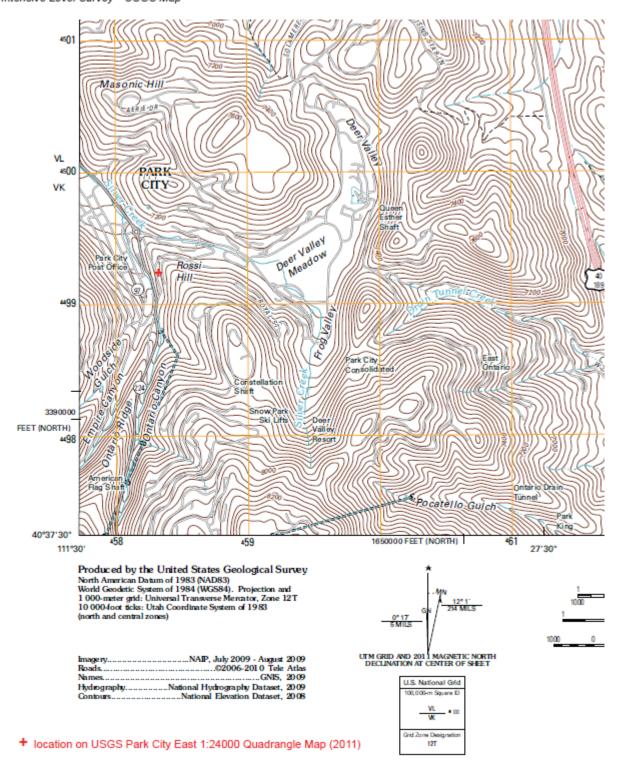


316 Ontario Avenue. Southwest oblique. November 2013.

316 Ontario Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah Intensive Level Survey—Sanborn Map history



## 316 Ontario Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah Intensive Level Survey—USGS Map



# TITLE SEARCH FORM

[Obtain information from title abstract books at County Recorder's Office]

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Address: 316 Ontario Avenue Park City, UT

Current Owner:

(see historic site form for address) Cathleen and Craig A. Savage Address:

Legal Description (include acreage): PC BK59 pt. L3, L4, pt. L5 (see historic site form for complete legal description)

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COMMENTS				Lot 3			Lot 3 and portion of Lots 4 &					
DOLLAR AMOUNT												
TYPE OF DOLLAR TRANSACTION AMOUNT	W.D.	W.D.	W.D.	W.D.	W.D.	Red. Cert.	Q.C.D	W.D.				
GRANTEE (BUYER)	David McLaughlin	James Mehan	Tom Savage	Maria Savage	Herbert Savage	Herbert Savage	Cathleen Savage	Alcalde Properties LLC				
GRANTOR (SELLER)	Edward P. Ferry	W.I. Snyder	James Mehan	Tom Savage	Maria Savage	Summit County	John, William, and Cathleen Savage	Craig Savage				
TRANSACTION DATES	12/22/1882	5/13/1916	7/29/1916	1/23/1922	1/29/1924	10/7/1939	8/6/1991	9/24/2014				

Researcher: Daniel Carmen, CRSA Architecture

Date: 10/30/2014

316 Ontario Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah

Intensive Level Survey-Biographical and Historical Research Materials

## THOMAS SAVAGE DIES

Yesterday morning at the Miners Hospital, Thomas Savage, the unfortunate young man who on the 31st of last May was caved on while at work in the Daly West and suffered a broken back, succumbed to his awful injuries, after nine months of suffer-

Deceased had been in Park City for thirteen years, always popular with his fellow workmen, and a genial, all round good fellow with hosts of friends. His awful accident caused wide spread regret and sorrow, and his passing away, while a severe shock to his loved ones, came us a relief, because of much suffering, with no hope of recovery. To the bereaved young widow and brother sympathy goes out in their sad affiletion.

Thômas Savage was a native of Ireland, and was thirty-five years old on the 18th of last August. He came to America fourteen years ago, working in Colorado a year before coming to Park City. He is survived by his widow and one child, also a brother, Herbert Savage, who resides in this city.

Funeral services will be held at the Catholic church next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Park Record 2/15/1924

## Miner Killed In Snow Slide-Two Escape

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## Heard Slide's Rumbling

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when he heard is rümbling noise a short
distance up the camyon.
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Mr. Addy and Mr. Petrood, he called to
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them. Other neignbots living farther
down the camyon, attracted by the roar,
rushed to join the rescue effort.
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unharmed.

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Mr. Penned was caught with the full force of the cliffs and was thrown against the side of the canyon, where recourse reached him after a few minutes digiting.

He said Monday night that "it picked me up and whitleff me around and set me down user a telephone pole."

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Lass than five minutes before the slide numbird down about 50 men employed at the Judge and Alliance tunnel had passed the slide area. They returned to the scote when they heard the slide and participated in the rescue operations.

## Property Damage Light

Only property damage as result of the silds was to Mr. Lopes chicken coop, which was partially wrecked.

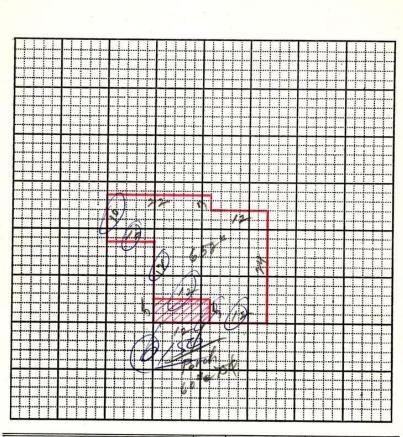
## Services Friday

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Funeral services for Herbert William
Savage will be conducted temporrow,
Friday, at 10 am. In 8t. Mary's of the
Assumption Cutholic church by Rev.
William P. Kennedly.
Mr. Savage was been July Di, 1891, at
Thillymore, Newseatle, Ireland, and had
been a resident of this city for the past
40 years. He was a miner.
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Park Record 2/10/1949

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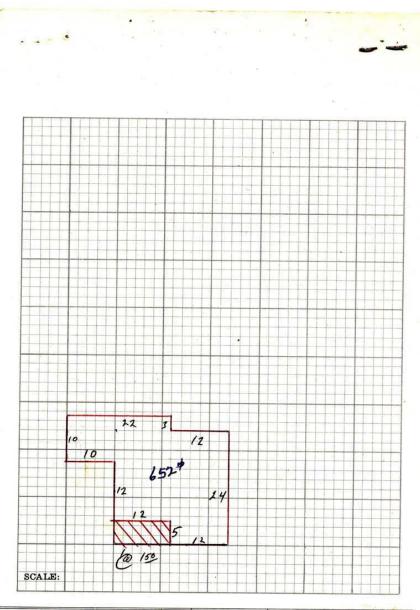


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