

OPH-003
AHS ID. NO.

ALASKA HERITAGE RESOURCES SURVEY
RECORD CARD

10-521
REV. 1976-1977

SPACE BELOW FOR APP USE ONLY

2. NAME OF SITE (Common)

Cripple Landing - (Cripple Creek)

3. PERTINENT DATES

1977/1978
1975
DIVISION OF PARKS

4. LOCATION

INOKO RIVER, N. of HUNDA CREEK
Exact Location marked on map
USGS QUAD - OPHIR (C-1)

FEB 25 1980

5. DESCRIPTION (DIMENSIONS, TOPOGRAPHICAL & OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL FEATURES, PRESENT CONDITION AND DANGER OF DESTRUCTION.)

There are a total of 6 buildings still standing
1 original ^{TRADING POST} country store - floors needs repair
1 original Road House - Roof & floors windows needs Rep.
1 " " work House Needs Gen. Rep.
1 " " Gurtler Log House Need Gen. Rep. Roof ETC.
2 " " miners & trappers cabins need Gen. Rep

6. SIGNIFICANCE

original Gateway to upper Fnuoko River Gold fields
such as - Colorado - Bear Creek - Ophir, Polgar -
Day Navigation - George Black Navigation which is now
Vutana Barge Lines or Kenner were prime freighters - stern
wheelers

7. RELEVANT PRINTED, MANUSCRIPT, PHOTOGRAPHIC REFERENCES

Edward Oswald Gurtler, my Grandfather & Father
 Alfred Gurtler carried mail to Ophir from mouth of Fnuoko
River 1930's used Cripple Landing as Post point

8. OWNER OF PROPERTY/ADDRESS

Edward Oliver Gurtler, Box 1050 Wasilla, Alaska 99687

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B) SITE NAME

CRIPPLE LANDING

C) LAT. (DEG) (MIN) (SEC)

63° 37' 20"

LONG. (DEG) (MIN) (SEC)

156° 20' 30"

D) THEME

5C

E) RESOURCE NATURE

H-4

F) OWNERSHIP

PRP

G) SIZE

2

H) PRESERVATION STATUS

NRE

I) CULTURAL AFFILIATION

J) BIBLIOGRAPHIC REFERENCE

SEE 6-7

K) DATES

1912

L) RELIABILITY

1

M) AHS DATE

4/10/78

N) NR/NRE DATE

1/1

O) SITE CONDITION

A

P) SITE ENVIRONMENT

09

Q) SITE REPOSITORY

updated 2-11-80