

Figure 2-2. R.T. Higgins' 1888 map of Little Rock and detail showing study area. Source: R. T. Higgins. *Map of the City of Little Rock, Arkansas, 1888*. Arkansas History Commission.

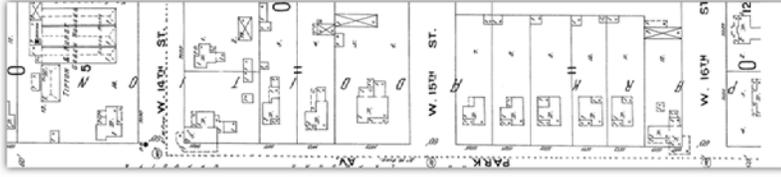
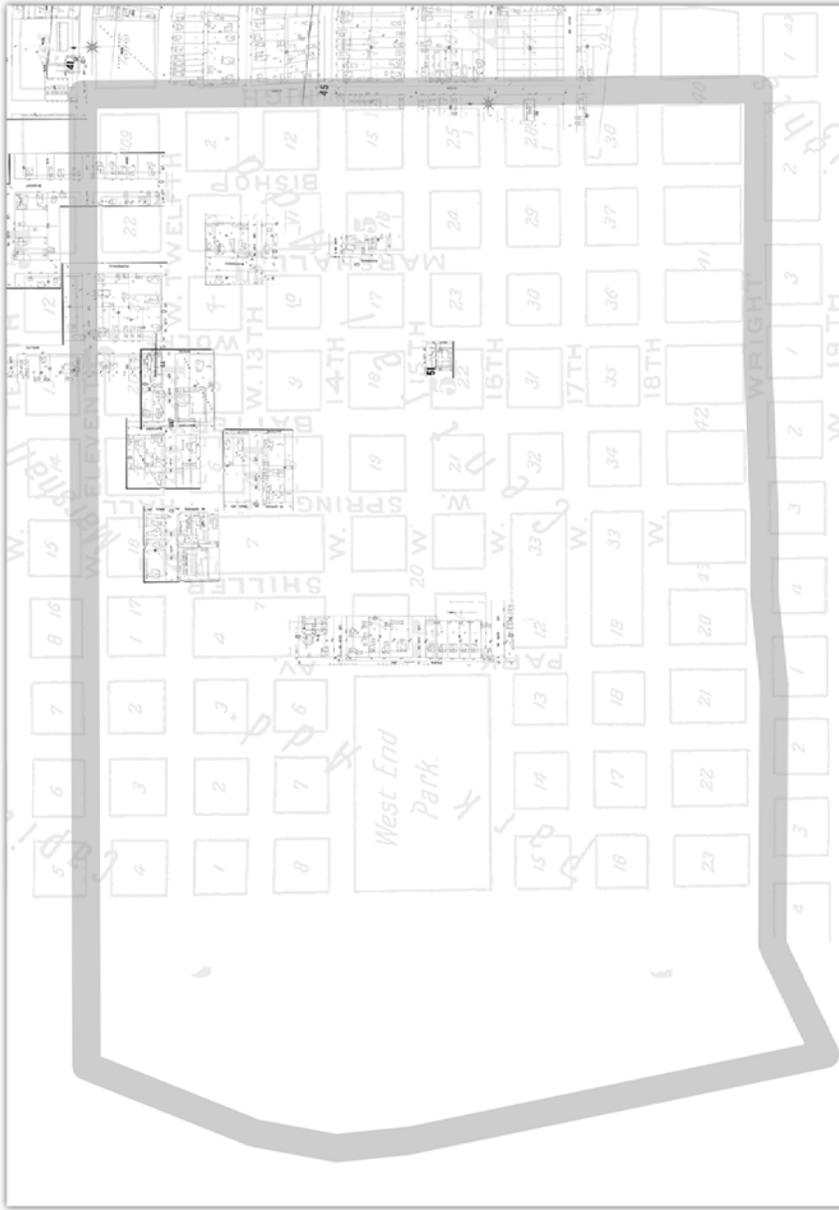
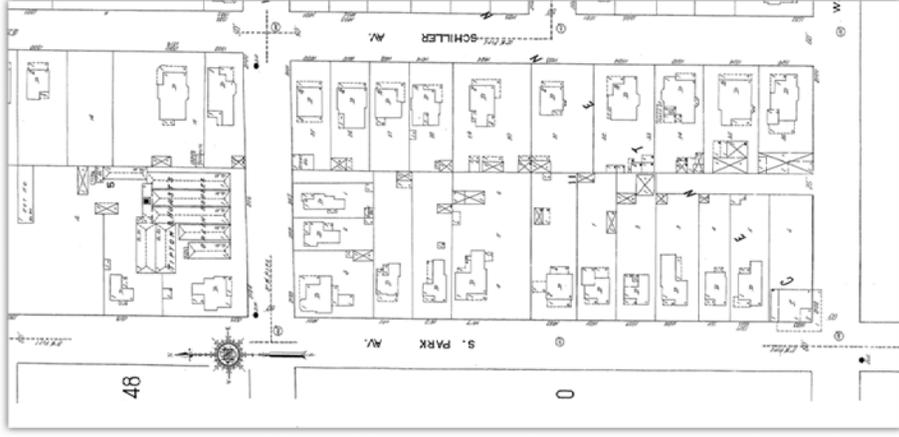
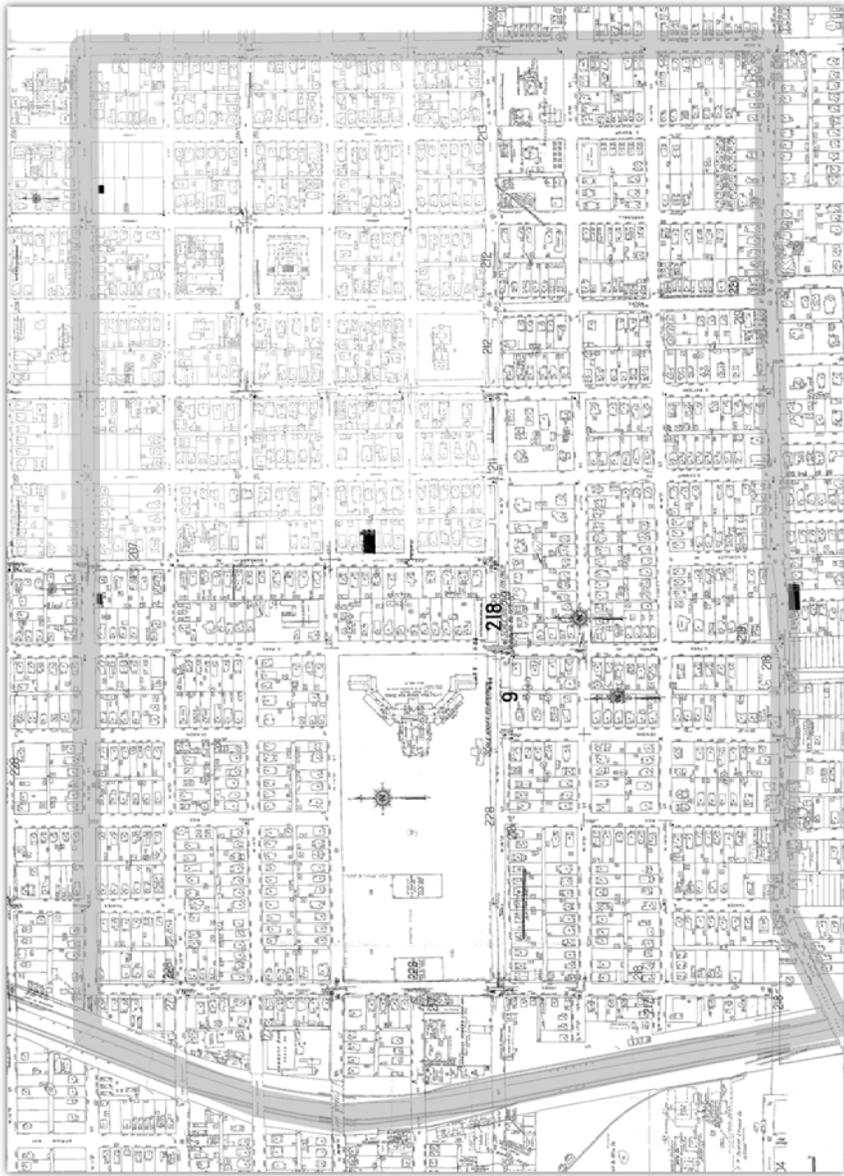
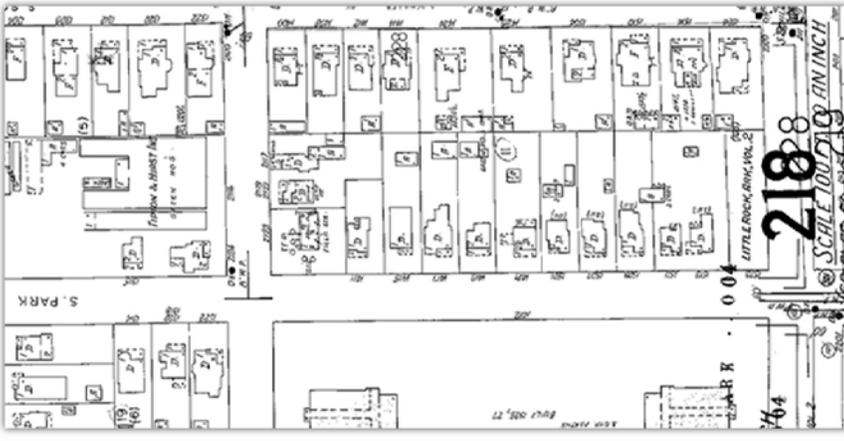


Figure 2-3. 1897 Sanborn Map, Little Rock, Arkansas. Full coverage of study area incomplete. Available sheets are indicated overlain on key. Close up of Historic Scene, Sheet 55.



**Figure 2-4.** 1913 Sanborn Map. Little Rock, Arkansas, portions of sheets 47, 48, 49, 61, 62, and 63. Coverage of study area (left) and detail of the Historic Scene (right).  
Source: "Digital Sanborn Maps 1867-1970," *Proquest Information and Learning*, <http://sanborn.umi.com> (accessed January 8, 2008).



**Figure 2-5.** 1939-1950 Sanborn Map, Little Rock, Arkansas, portions of sheets 217, 218, 219, 227, and 228, Vol. 2.  
Source: "Sanborn Sanborn Maps 1867-1970," *Proquest Information and Learning*, <http://sanborn.umi.com> (accessed January 8, 2008).



**Figure 2-6.** Paul Lawrence Dunbar High School, constructed in 1929.  
*Source: Central Arkansas Library <http://www.cals.lib.ar.us/butlercenter/abho/photos/Dunbar%20High%20School.jpg> (accessed 21 April 2009).*



**Figure 2-7.** This aerial photograph shows the neighborhood around Central High School in 1957, at the time of the school integration crisis in Little Rock. *Source: "Command Report, Operation Arkansas, Part I, 24 September to 23 October, 1957 - Part II, 24 October to 30 November 1957." Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site Archives.*





**Figure 2-9.** Cover of program from the 1927 dedication ceremony for the high school. *Source:* “Little Rock Central High School, In-Depth - History of Little Rock Central High School.” National Park Service web site, <http://www.nps.gov/archive/chsc/lrchshistoryindepth.html> (accessed May 5, 2008).



**Figure 2-10.** Elizabeth Eckford approaching National Guard troops at the corner of S. Park and W. Sixteenth Streets. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 1, File 1, Coll B-12.I.2, September 4, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-11.** Surrounded by reporters and an angry crowd, Elizabeth Eckford walked down S. Park Street to the bus stop at W. Sixteenth Street, September 4, 1957. *Source: Will Counts, A Life is More Than Just a Moment The Desegregation of Little Rock's Central High. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 1999 (50th Anniversary Edition 2007).*



**Figure 2-12.** Elizabeth Eckford at bus stop after being refused entry into Central High School. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 5, Coll B-12.I.251, September 4, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-13.** Students being transported off school grounds on the afternoon of September 23, 1957. The Campus Inn is shown in the background. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection Coll B-12.I.18, September 25, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



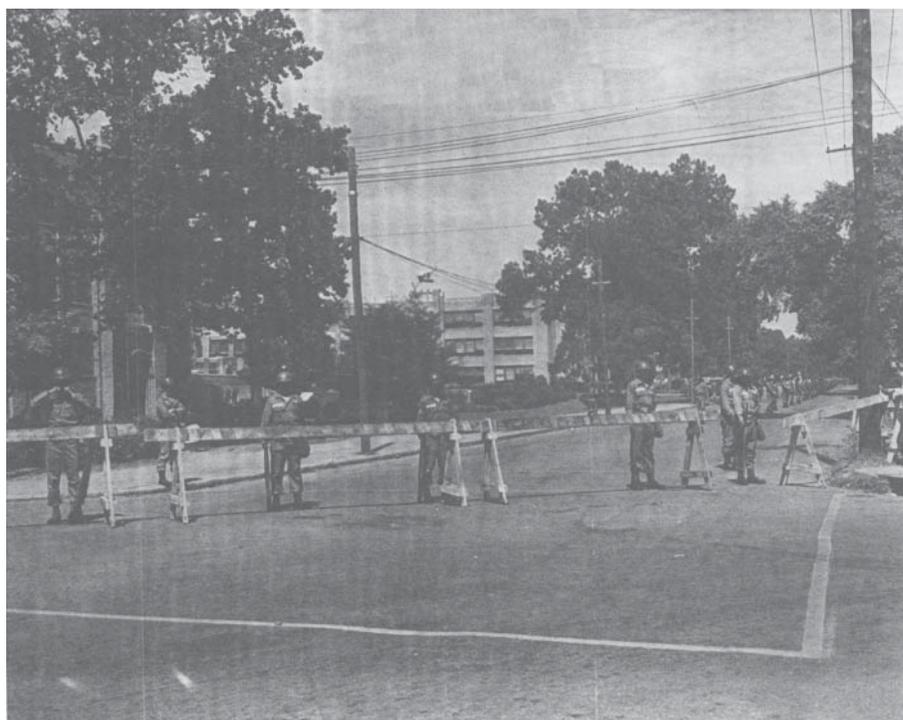
**Figure 2-14.** Newsmen, soldiers, and students in front of Central High School. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 2, File 10, Coll B-12.I.203, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-15.** Newsman Alex Wilson being attacked by mob outside Central High School, September 23, 1957. *Source: Will Counts, A Life Is More Than a Moment: The Desegregation of Little Rock's Central High (Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press, 2007): 55.*



**Figure 2-16.** Surrounded by the 101st Airborne, nine students walked up the steps to begin the desegregation of Central High School on September 25, 1957. *Source: Will Counts, A Life is More Than Just a Moment The Desegregation of Little Rock's Central High. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 1999. (50th Anniversary Edition 2007).*



**Figure 2-17.** Barricaded perimeter around Central High School on September 25, 1957. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 1, File 3, Coll B-12.I.28, September 25, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-18.** National Guard troops and crowds gathered along Park Street opposite Central High School. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 1, File 7, Coll B-12.I.65, ca. September 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-19.** Soldier guards one of the side entrances of the high school. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection Coll B-12.I.19, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-20.** Soldiers patrolling Central High School grounds. The lot where the two houses in the background were located is now the small garden to the north of Bullock Temple. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 3, Coll B-12.I.232, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-21.** View from inside Central High School to soldiers resting in the front lawn. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12.I.234, September 10, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-22.** U.S. Army 101st Airborne encampment on Quigley field. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 5, Coll B-12.I.250, September 10, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-23.** U.S. Army 101st Airborne encampment on Quigley field. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12.I.236, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-24.** Soldiers taking a break in front of Central High School. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 4, COLL.B.12.I.207, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-25.** 101st Airborne soldier at entrance to Central High School as students enter. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 4, Coll B-12.I.245, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-26.** African American students entering Central High School escorted by 101st Airborne. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 1, File 4, Coll B-12.I.36, October 3, 1957, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-27.** White students gather at the side door of Central High School as the black students enter with a military escort. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 4, Coll B-12.I.17, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-28.** Students and soldiers in front of Central High School. Ponder's Drug Store is visible in the background. *Source: Central High Museum, Inc., Collection B-12, Series I, Box 3, File 4, Coll B-12.I.242, nd, UALR Archives & Special Collections, Ottenheimer Library, University of Arkansas at Little Rock.*



**Figure 2-29.** This sign was placed in front of Central High School in 1958, the day after Gov. Faubus announced that he had ordered the city’s high schools closed to stop the federal court-ordered desegregation plan. *Source: Will Counts, A Life is More Than Just a Moment The Desegregation of Little Rock’s Central High. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 1999. (50th Anniversary Edition 2007).*



**Figure 2-30.** Elementary age children walk to school through the crowd of crisis observers. *Source: Will Counts, A Life is More Than Just a Moment The Desegregation of Little Rock’s Central High. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 1999 (50th Anniversary Edition 2007), p. 19.*