

Register of Old Buildings
Macon County Historical Coordinating Council

Address: 1548 West Macon
Legal description:
Highlawns Addition
N8' & adj. & Lots 18 & 19 blk 3

Date of original construction: 1923
1920 (est. Assessor's office)

Name of original owner: C. L. Liebau

History:

1. Data from available city directories:

1921-1922-	No listing of this address.
1923-1932-	C. L. Liebau, V. P., Decatur Malleable Iron Co.
1933-1961-	Edmund C. Roos, M.D.
1963-	Vacant.
1964-1973-	Paul A. Raber, M.D.
1974-	Eugene A. Deardorff, dire. of rates and rate adm. Illinois Power Co.

2. Data from the Decatur Township assessor's office:

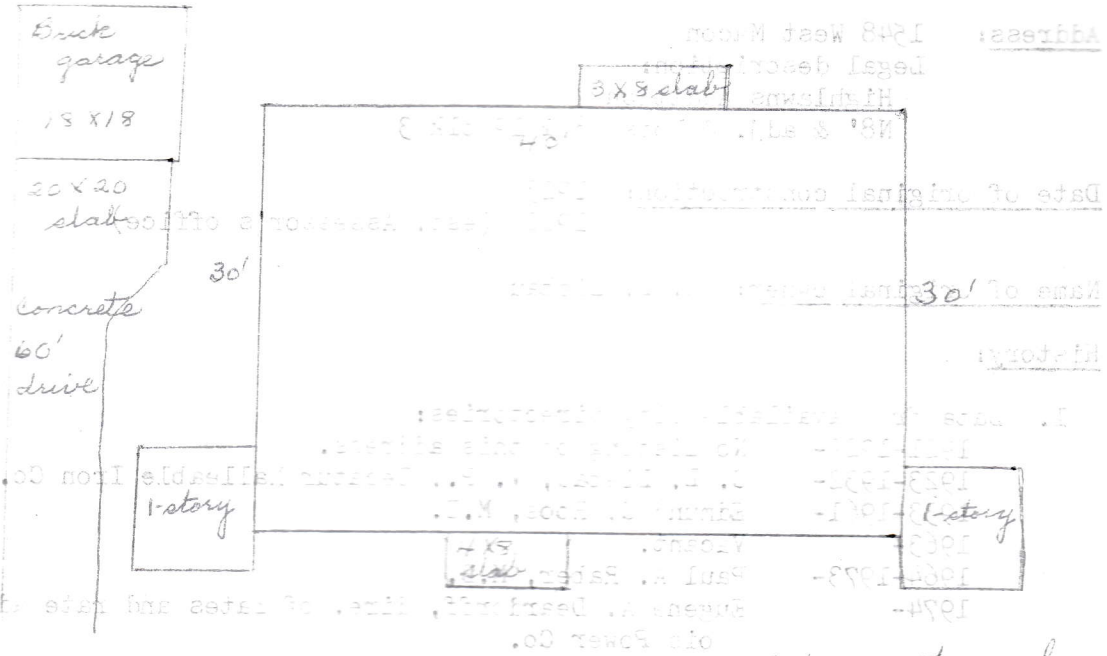
Building class B+10 - family dwelling
2-story, 7-room, wood frame construction
Concrete foundation, brick veneer, full basement
Gable roof, medium pitch, asbestos roof
2 porches, 4x8 and 3x8
3 rooms - hardwood floors; 4 rooms, pine floors
2 bathrooms, 1 single fixture toilet room

(See sketch on next page)

Current owner: Eugene A. Deardorff.

History Cent'd.:

2. Sketch:



Not drawn to scale

3. Brad Cantrell's description of this house's architecture follows:

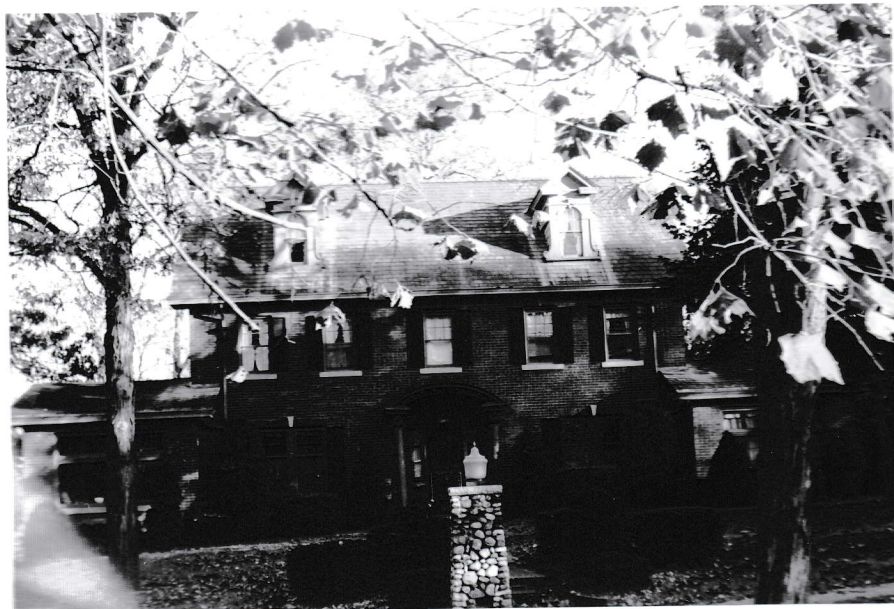
1458 W. Macon, built in 1923, has many features of the Federal Style which is sometimes referred to as Colonial. It was a revival of a style quite popular in the mid-1800's in Illinois. This two-story structure employs all of the major elements of the style such as: broken pediments over the entrance, and dormers, symmetrical facade with few projections, arrangement of windows, slight roof overhang, brick construction, gabled roof and ornamental window shutters.

Present owner: Green, E. (partially illegible)

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