

Register of Old Buildings  
Macon County Historical Coordinating Council

Address: 745 West Main

Legal description:

Prather & Adamson's Add. of Outlots Resurvey of Lots 2, 3, 4 Block  
3 E 40' W90' N 1/2 of Lot 11

Date of original construction: 1922

1923 (est., assessor's office)

Name of original owner: Edgar E. Barber, jeweler.

History:

1. Data from available city directories.

1921- Not listed.

1922-1947 Edgar E. Barber, jeweler.

1948-1951 Walter E. Kirby.

1952-1953 E. L. DeMarr.

1954-1957 Leonard J. Hannapel, M. D. - Decatur Clinic.

1958-1959 Thos. W. Young, civil eng., Homer Chastain assoc.

1960-1961 J. Paul Reichle.

1962- Malcolm Lachman, optom.

1963-1964 Vacant.

1965- H. David Greider, emp., Staley's.

1966-1967 Ralph B. Whitacre.

1968- Mrs. Ruch C. Miller.

2. Data from Decatur Township assessor's office:

Blg. class C - family dwelling

Gable roof, medium pitch, asphalt roofing

1-1/2 stories, 6 rooms, 1 bathroom, 1 2-fixture toilet

2 natural fireplaces

Brick foundation, stucco exterior - second floor

Brick exterior - first floor Steam heat

3 rooms - hardwood floors; 3 rooms, softwood (pine)

1 open porch - front - 7x26

Brick, 1-car garage, concrete floor, 8'x80' cement drive

(See sketch on opposite page)

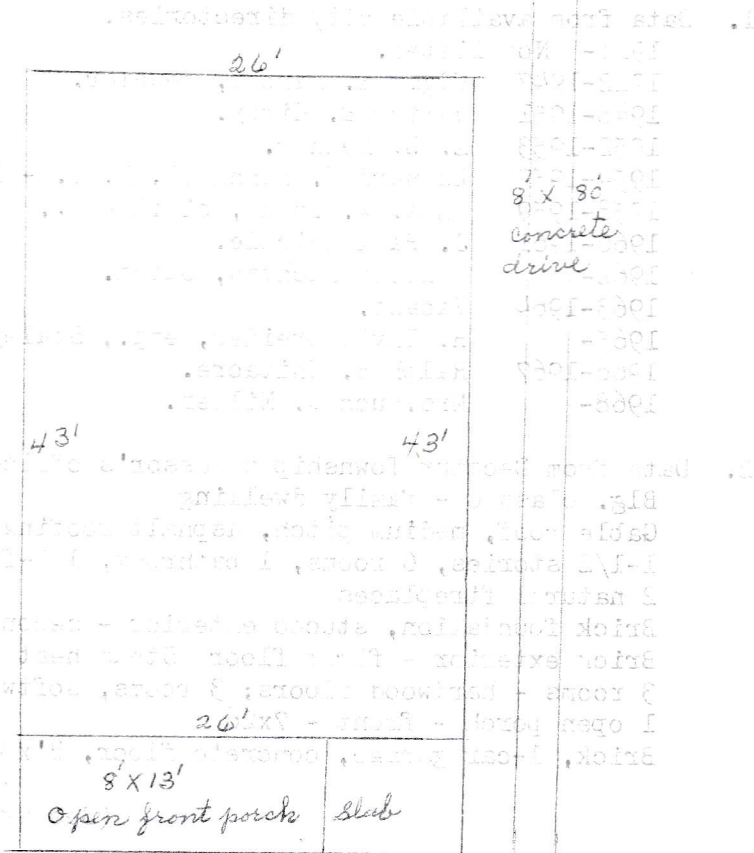
Present owner: Mrs. Ruth C. Miller.

History Cont'd.:

3. Bradley Cantrell's description of the architecture:

The Edgar E. Barber home built in 1922 incorporates several contemporary styles of its period. One style which influenced the structure is the Prairie Style. This is apparent in the wide gables and eaves supported by braces, large blank spaces with a bold break between the first and second stories and lack of ornamentation. The half timbering effect on the second story is a Elizabethan influence, but used extensively in the Prairie Style.

Garage  
10 x 18



745 West Main Street



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