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Building Style/Type: Queen Anne/Central Block with Projecting Bays

Wall Material(s): Brick No. Stories: 1 1/2

Number of associated outbuildings 2-3 and/or structures 0.

Briefly describe the principal buildings, noting additions and alterations and their dates, and associated outbuildings and structures.

This brick Queen Anne cottage is built based on the Victorian central block with projecting bay plan type. The structure is covered by a pyramidal roof intersected by three gables. The main gable, facing 100 East, is sheathed with wood fishscale shingles and pierced by a palladean window. The side gable, facing south, is nearly identical to the main gable with the exception of the window which has the round top omitted. The rear gable is detailed in the Greek Revival style with the use of cornice returns. The top of the exterior brick walls are detailed with the use of a carved wood frieze which is placed just above a brick belt course, both of which wrap the perimeter of the house. Door and window openings are highlighted by the use of protruding brick hoods which encase decorative art glass in transom windows of the main facade.

The house has undergone a series of alterations over its lifetime including the bungalow style porch (ca. 1920) which replaced an original porch, a rear brick addition (ca. 1900), a subsequent concrete block rear addition (ca. 1940) and a wood frame addition which replaced an original porch at the southwest corner of the structure.

Associated outbuilding consist of a series of abandoned storage facilities and animal shelters which likely date from about 1920.

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Architect/Builder: Unknown

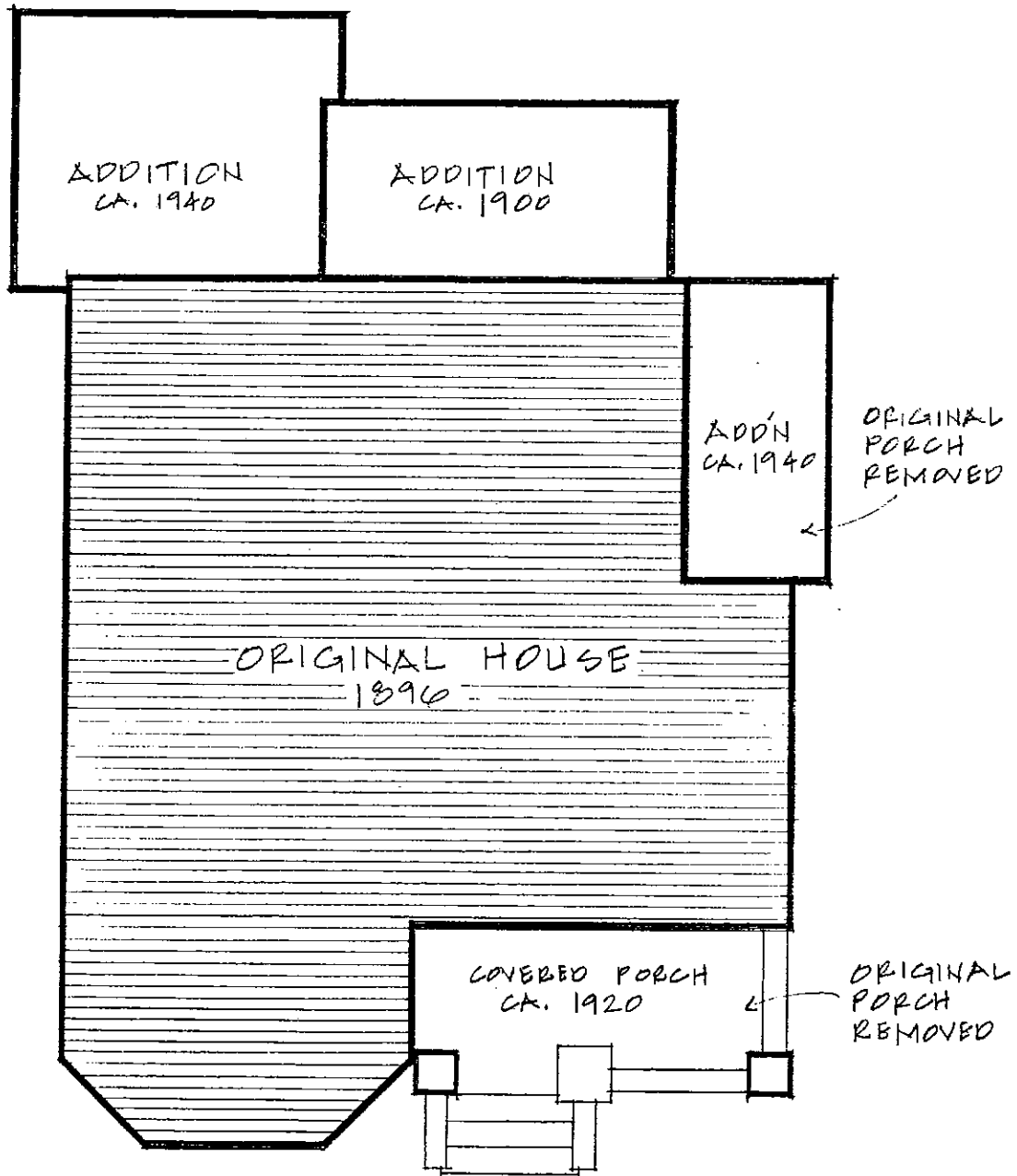
Date of Construction: ca. 1896

Write a chronological history of the property, focusing primarily on the original or principal owners & significant events.

Based on information gleaned from Sanborn Maps and land records, the present structure is the second house to occupy this property. The original house, likely demolished to allow for construction of the new cottage, was owned by William H. Oglesby and sold to Darius H. Allen on Oct. 4, 1895. Genealogical records indicate that Allen was a miller and farmer by occupation.

Likely built in 1896, the Allen House was eventually sold to Isaac Binns in 1919. The property then remained in the Binns family until 1968 when it was sold to Roy Slater. The property is currently owned by Russell J. Davis.

DARIUS H. ALLEN
HOUSE
58 H. 100 E.



100 EAST STREET

SCHEMATIC PLAN
1/8" = 1'-0"

NORTH

100 EAST STREET