Jefferson Avenue 104 - 260



Jefferson Ave 102 / 104

1881 Directory		
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1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
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1935 Directory		White's Beauty Shoppe
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Langston, Henry J physician
1950 Directory		Langston, Henry J Physician
		C A A (Exam Office)
1960 Directory		Langston, Henry J physician
		Federal Aviation Agency
		US Veterans Administration medical exam
1970 Directory		Danville Travel Service
1977 Directory		Vacant
1984 Directory		Neubauer, Kurt H
1990 Directory	а	Langston, Henry J rental agent
	b	Brummett, Jerry W
2015 Assessor		

104 Jefferson is side entrance to 803 Main St. owned by Henry J Langston Jr.

Bee 15 Jul 1935: Display Ad: ... Mr. J. R. White takes pleasure in announcing that Miss Ethel Martin. Mata-Hari Specialist ... will be in attendance ... White's Beauty Shoppe, 102 Jefferson Avenue ...

Register 12 Aug 1962: ... Danville Travel Service, 104 Jefferson Avenue ...

Register 27 Aug 1972: the Danville travel Service will open Sept. 5 under new management and at a new location. ...

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife	Hall, Cleveland J, age 53, clergyman, episcopal church " Emma B, age 52
	Son Dau-in-law	Raymond, age 28, private secretary, cotton millSadie R, age 27
	Daughter	" Happy J, age 26, teacher, kindergarten
	Nephew	Young, Edward B, age 25, secretary, tobacco co.
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Wicker, N E Jr. Rev.
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Church of the Epiphany Parish House
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Church of the Epiphany Parish House
1950 Directory		Church of the Epiphany Parish House
1960 Directory		Church of the Epiphany (Parish House)
1970 Directory		Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (Parish House)
1977 Directory		Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (Parish House)
1984 Directory		Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (Parish House)
1990 Directory		Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (Parish House)
2015 Assessor		

115 Jefferson is now the side / school entrance to 781 Main, Epiphany Church

Bee 4 Sep 1925: The Rev. N. E. Wicker and Mrs. Wicker have returned to the city ...

Bee 21 Sep 1929: Work has begun on the new parish house at Epiphany church ... joining of the present church from the rear to the rectory on Jefferson avenue which will be converted into a Sunday school plant. ...

Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church

Built 1947

PID 26408



1881 Directory		
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1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		Greek Orthodox Church
1960 Directory		St. Peter's Greek Orthodox Church
1970 Directory		Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church
1977 Directory		Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church
1984 Directory		Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church
1990 Directory		Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church
2015 Assessor	Owner	Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church Trustees
2016 Tour		Saint Peter's Greek Orthodox Church

Bee 27 Mar 1944: Announcement of plans to erect a Greek Orthodox church here was made during the local observance of Greek Independence Day yesterday ...

Bee 17 Sep 1946: Brief Ceremonies will attend the laying of the cornerstone of the Greek Orthodox Church building ... on Jefferson Avenue where construction of the church is going forward. ...

Bee 14 Oct 1947: Inability to obtain needed material and equipment, including stained windows, has delayed completion of the new Greek Church on Jefferson Avenue ...

Tour Book 2016:

By 1910, with Danville's population approaching 25,000, the city's population "stew" had become a bit richer than its original Southern stock. Danville's late-18th-century founders were farmers of British as Scots- Irish descent. They were joined in the tobacco string-town along the Dan by many African Americans, slave and free, plus a few German settlers – all steeped in Protestant tradition. Just before the civil war, German Jewish families began trickling in, followed by Irish Catholics, Jews from Eastern Europe, and by 1907, the community's first Greek immigrants.

For the most part, Greek men were the principal "scouts" from the old country who arrived here first and got settled before the women joined them, especially in a host of family-operated eateries and restaurants that dotted downtown, the city's old tobacco district and the mill village Schoolfield. The Busy Bee and Schoolfield Lunch, that survive for much of the 20th century and a bit into the 21st, we're just two of many that became local legends in a city where Greek citizens once monopolized the restaurant business.

Danville's Greek community – that hailed from all over Greece, reflecting the desperate backgrounds, dialects, and customs of their ancient land – coalesced around national origin, a strong ethnic and cultural identity and especially their Greek Orthodox faith. The first official organization, "Socrates," was a rallying point for an early Greek school, with instruction in religion, the language and history of Greece and its culture, that met after public school twice a week in the basement of the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany. Emerging as well from this common bond (Socrates), during the depths of the Second World War, was the resolve to build a permanent church for Greek Orthodox worshippers.

In 1943, trustees for the congregation then being organized acquired a church site directly across from their school in the Episcopal Church. Partitioned from property situated adjacent to the old Bruce James house at 803 Main St, the lot was conveyed by his widow, Annie Schoolfield James. Members chose architect Robert W. Thompson for the compact, handsome design built under the watch of contractor P. L. Anderson. Mellow sandstone faces the walls and gable ends and slate covers the roof of the edifice, cornered by a low entrance tower capped by a crenelated parapet. In 1947, the congregation held its first services in the new Gothic-inspired church, complete with richly ornamented icons, stained glass, and furnishings, all paid for, like the building itself, by devoted members. The church was called St. Peter's, after the Apostle – also namesake and patron saint for the charter member Peter G. Maurakis who received the key to the new church. Currently the church is proud to have its first ever female president, Stella Sakellaris Newill.

Today, 70 years on, the serene presence of the church, nestled quietly among many earlier building styles and forms along Jefferson Avenue, remains an architectural grace note and testament to the rich spiritual legacy of generations of Danvillians of Greek descent.

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1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor	Owner	Epiphany Church Trustees

No building

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Herman, L A, clerk, bds
		" Louis, dry goods
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter	Clarke, Eliza S, age 61, wid
	Daughter	" Ruth N, age 34, saleswoman, millinery store
	Daughter Brother	 Nannie M, age 19, typewriter, insurance office Noell, James L, age 59, policeman, city market
1920 Census	Daughter	Clark, Ruth N, age 38, saleswoman, department store
1920 Census	Daughter	" Nannie M, age 25, bookkeeper, real estate
	Son	" Price, age 34, salesman, retail shoe store
	Renter	Yates, Cornelia, age 74
1927 Directory	henter	Clarke, R N Mrs.
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		King, William W
1940 Census	Renter	Hayes, Jesse, age 38, filter operator, filtering plant
	Wife	" Dorothy E, age 27, saleslady, department store
	Renter	Clark, Russell A, age 26, weaver, cotton mill
	Wife	" Beulah P, age 21, owner, beauty shop
1945 Directory		Burch, Lelia
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 10 Jul 1934: Miss Margaret King, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King, Jefferson avenue, has returned to her home in Reidsville.

Bee 13 Apr 1935: For Sale: Model A Ford Coach, New paint and good mechanical condition. 121 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 4 Nov 1935: Mrs. Harold Harper, of 121 Jefferson avenue, was called to Hinton, West Va., last week on account of the illness of her sister, who continues desperately ill.

Bee 30 Jan 1936: Nancy Carolyn Harper, aged 5 years, of 121 Jefferson Avenue, was chosen by the judges yesterday as winner of the Danville Dairy Products company baby contest ...

Bee 7 Mar 1942: Mrs. Clarbelle Eades of Hinton, West Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Harper of Jefferson Ave.

Bee 16 Aug 1943: Mrs. W. N. Blanks, who has been the guest of Mrs. Harold Harper on Jefferson Avenue, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Rice, Mrs. M J, wid " T C, freight clerk, R&DRR Talley, Mrs. C M, wid Warrick, W M, clerk, R&DRR
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Lodger Boarder	Thomas, William H, age 42, druggist, retail "Lucy T, age 42 "Dorthy, age 10 "Catherline W, age 7 Crompton, D C, age 32, salesman, commercial Warrenton, Carolina, age 22, trained nurse, hospital
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Renter	McKinney, William age 46, tobacco warehouse " Della May, age 35 " Virginia W, age 11 " Annie May, age 10 " Dayle, age 6 Bayner, Willie, age 48
1927 Directory	A	
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		
1940 Census		3 apartments
1945 Directory		
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2015 Assessor		Not found
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Bee 13 Sep 1926: Would Like Sewing: Hand-Made children's clothing a specialty. Mrs. James, 122 Jefferson avenue. Phone 859-J.

Bee 11 Feb 1942: News was received here today of the graduation of Pvt. Willfrey F. Grant from the Chanute Filed (III.) Army Air Corps Technical school recently. Pvt. Grant is the son of H. S. Grant of 122 Jefferson avenue.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Valentine, Lloyd M, clerk
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Servant Renter Daughter Daughter Daughter Renter	Chisholm, George W, age 54, proprietor, vehicle store " Mary K, age 37 Lipscomb, Maud, age 12, chambermaid, private family (B) Lipscomb, Ella, age 40, cook, private family (B) " Irene, age 15, chambermaid, private family (B) " Melissy, age 13, chambermaid, private family (B) " Mary, age 7 (B) Watkins, Bettie, age 65, wid. Seamstress, at home
1920 Census	Renter Wife Roomer Roomer	Chisholm, George, age 61, manager "Mary, age 48 Walker, J T, age 25, mechanic, auto co. Ferguson, Walter, age 22, tobacco buyer, warehouse
1927 Directory		Chisholm, G W
1930 Census	Head Wife Boarder Boarder Boarder	Chisholm, George, age 73, salesman "Mary R, age 58, saleslady, department store Bryant, D, age 50, agent "Theo D, age 49 Lewis, Polly, age 24, bookkeeper
1935 Directory		
1940 Census	Renter Renter Renter Wife	Chisolm, Katie, age 68, wid, saleslady, monuments Nuckols, Mary, age 41, sewer, cotton mill Chaney, James, age 21, timekeeper, cotton mill "Ruby Jean, age 19, spinner, cotton mill
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 17 Jun 1930: Mrs. G. W. Chisholm, of 123 Jefferson avenue, is an operative patient at Memorial hospital.

Bee 18 Jun 1936: Mrs. G. W. Chisholm, of 123 Jefferson avenue, who has been a patient at Danville Community Hospital for the past month, has returned to her home and is improving.

Bee 26 Oct 1939: When in need of Tomb Stones, Memorials, write Mrs. Katie Chisholm, 123 Jefferson Ave., Danville, Va.

Bee 8 Nov 1954: Mrs. Katie Chisholm died yesterday morning at 6:15 at her home, 123 Jefferson Ave. ...

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Summerfield, A
1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Son Daughter	Brown, William N, age 49, grocer " Everly M, age 32 " Ethel A, age 19 " William M, age 6 " Paul V, age 4 " Rosa L, age 1
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Daughter Boarder Servant	Esters, O P, age 39, salesman, commercial " Mary S, age 36 " Lillian M, age 13 " John S, age 10 " Josephine L, age 2 " Burjim E, age 22, finisher, cotton mill Henderson, Jinnie, age 23, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Renter Son Roomer	Richard, James W, age 43, merchant, dry goods " Eunice, age 43 " Landen, age 18 Jardin, J P, age 30, saleswoman, dry goods " John, age 10 Bustard, Clark, age 24, bookkeeper, bank
1927 Directory		James Apartments Yarborough, E P B Richards, Emma Mrs. C Chatelain, M L Miss
1930 Census	Renter (B) Lodger Lodger	Richards, Emma, age 51, wid, saleslady, dry goods store Hall, Lillian, age 22, cahier, hotel Marshall, Angela, age 21, saleslady, hotel magazine
1935 Directory		
1940 Census		3 apartments
1945 Directory		
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1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found (part of 122)

Bee 3 Feb 1928: 1st prize Mrs. Emma Richards, 124 B Jefferson Ave., gets \$5.00 in cleaning and pressing.

Bee 24 Aug 1929: Miss Mathilde Chatelain, who has been attending a house party given by Cabell Shelton at his country home near Chatham, has returned to her home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 7 Dec 1955: Display Ad: Congratulations and Best Wishes to the Cat & Fiddle Shopping Center [Riverside Drive]. All plumbing and heating fixtures sold, installed, serviced by Jeff Douglas Plumbing & Heating Co., 124-B Jefferson Ave. Phone 444-W

PID 23123



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Wood, James (Wood & Son)
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Lodger Lodger	Jones, James W, age24, tobacco buyer, tobacco co. "Lorena H, age 48 "Norma G, age 21 Miller, Judd H, age 75 Cardwell, George C, age 43, solicitor, tobacco mfr.
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Daughter Son Son Renter Wife Son Renter Wife	Talbott, William, age 44, sheet metal worker, hardware firm "Mary, age 38 D'Etta, age 21, bookkeeper, machine office Empress, age 17 Juliette, age 15 Willie, age 12 Garnette, age 10 Bernice, age 7 Skydmore, age 2/12 Henson, Joseph, age 29, machinist, cotton mill May, age 26 Joseph Jr., age 11/12 Floyd, Richard, age 24, harness maker, own shop Lucille, age 23
1927 Directory		Kushner, David Rev.
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Son Son Renter Wife Daughter Sister	 Kushner, David, age 52, clergyman "Sarah, age 48 "Herman, age 28, salesman, clothing store "Ben P, age 24, lawyer "Sam J, age 21, lawyer "Robbert, age 19 Goad, George, age 24 "Elizabeth, age 19 "Audrey, age 3 "Nora, age 28, cotton mill
1935 Directory		
, 1940 Census	Owner	Kushner, David, age 62, proprietor, retail clothing

	Wife Son Renter Wife Daughter Son Son Step-dau	 Sarah R, age 57 Herman B, age 37, agent, life insurance Izames, Clyde H, age 45, salesman, retail electric Edith, age 34, saleslady, department store Louise, age 18, usher, movie theater Norris, age 17, attendant, battery service William, age 15 Osborne, Onda, age 17, saleslady, general store
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory	1 2 3 4 2nd Fl	Kushner Apartments Hamm, Karl W Easley, Robert A Jr. Craig, Betsy Anderson, Walter Kushner, Robert L, dentist
1977 Directory	1 2 3 4 2nd Fl	Kushner Apartments Stevens, Joseph Covington, Theresa A Price, Clarence Edmunds, Patricia Mrs. Kushner, Robert L, dentist
1984 Directory		Graham's Exterminating Service
1990 Directory		Graham's Exterminating Service Louise's Beauty Salon
2002 Assessor	Transfer	Graham, Rickey R to Whitfield, Mary Lou, \$48,000
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Whitfield to MCR Consulting LLC, \$44,500
2006 Assessor	Transfer	MCR Consulting to Tomlinson, Rod H, \$0
2009 Assessor	Transfer	Tomlinson to Troika Properties, \$275,000
2015 Assessor	Owner	Troika Properties LLC

Bee 2 Jun 1927: ... Benjamin Kushner, son of Rev. and Mrs. D.M. Kushner, of 125 Jefferson avenue ... successfully passed the State bar examination ...

Bee 1 Mar 1929: Samuel Lyon and Miss Blanche Weinstein, both of Greensboro, N.C., were married yesterday ... by David Kushner, a minister of the Jewish church, at his home ...

Bee 7 Sep 1937: Information has just been communicated to Rev. and Mrs. David Kushner of 125 Jefferson Avenue that their son, Dr. Robert L. Kushner ... has been appointed to the faculty of Atlanta Southern Dental College as associate professor of oral surgery. ...

Bee 12 Sep 1938: Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Sater announce the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude Gladys, to Benjamin Prince Kushner, son of Rabbi and Mrs. David Kushner. ... Mr. and Mrs. Kushner will be at home at 125 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 30 Jul 1942: Notification has been sent Robert Kushner, former Danville resident who is now located at a South Pacific base, of his promotion from the rank of captain to that of major. ...

Bee 5 Jun 1950: Display Ad: Announcement of the opening of Trufit Shoe Center, Kushner Building, 125 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 15 Jun 1950: Display Ad: Cr. Robert L. Kushner announces the removal of his offices for the practice of dentistry to 125 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 18 May 1953: ... Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gilbert, 125 Jefferson Avenue ... Leafs manager

Bee 3 Dec 1955: First Presbyterian Circle No. 14, Miss Barbara Torrence, chairman, with Miss Billy Jo Ervin, 125 Jefferson Avenue.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Isaacs, A, dry goods
1900 Census	Renter	Franklin, George H, age 35, merchant (grocer)
	Wife	" Mary B, age 26
	Servant	James, Rosa, age 18, servant (B)
	Boarder	Carthoran, Handy, age 11
1910 Census	Renter	Ivy, George E, age 45, brakeman, railroad
	Wife	" Georgia E, age 41
	Daughter	" Mary E, age 14
	Servant	Lipscom, Alth, age 45, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter	Enwright, O B, age 42, commercial salesman
	Wife	" Leona J, age 29
	Son	" Oscar Jr., age 17
	Son	" Edward C, age 10
	Roomer	Chatlain, Milieda, age 45, music teacher at home
	Roomer	Johnson, Gertrude, age 27, private home
	Lodger	Misille, Aubury, age 32, manager, shoe store
	Lodger	"Katherine, age 37, manager
1927 Directory		James Apartments
	_	Fullington, M J Mrs.
	В	Cash, F J
	C	Hildreth, C T
1930 Census	Renter (A)	Fullington, Martha J, age 80, wid
	Daughter	" Ella, age 54, saleslady, department store
	Renter (B)	Fitch, Henry C, age 28, manager, department store
	Wife	" Frances, age 23
	Renter (C) Wife	Major, J Carlton, age 30, salesman
		" Helen, age 23 Shannard William R. ago 72 wid accistant clark, sity court
1025 Directory	Lodger	Sheppard, William B, age 72, wid, assistant clerk, city court
1935 Directory 1940 Census		3 apartments
1940 Census 1945 Directory		5 apartments
1945 Directory		
1960 Directory		
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1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found (part of 122)
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Bee 16 Aug 1922: For Sale – All household furniture. Phone 50-J. 126 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 1 Sep 1928: Mrs. C. T. Manly, of High Point, N.C., and Mrs. L. J. Murray, of Yanceyville, N.C., are visiting Mrs. M. J. Fullington, on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 8 Dec 1933: Mrs. M. J. Fullington is sick at her home, 126 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 17 Feb 1934: Mrs. Martha Jane Fullington, aged 86, widow of Thomas J. Fullington, died this morning ... at her home, 126 Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 13 Sep 1934: Miss Ella Fullington has returned to her home, 126 Jefferson avenue, after spending some time in Baltimore and Washington.

Bee 3 Jul 1935: Mrs. J. W. Fletcher, of Kosciusko, Miss., is visiting Miss Ella Fullington, 126 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 23 Dec 1937: Miss Ella Fullington who has been with Mrs. Fullington on Paxton street since leaving the hospital has returned to her home, 126 Jefferson avenue.

J. B. Harrington House

PID 25541



1880 Census	Head Wife	Harrington, J.B., age 49, confectioner "Belle, age 39
	Daughter	" Cary Belle, age 15
	Daughter	" Hattie, age 10
	Son	" George, age 13
	Servant	Donalson, Love, age 20, servant (B)
	Servant	Pleasants, Lillie, age 23, servant (Mu)
1881 Directory		Harrington, John B., boarding house
1888 Directory		
1892 Directory		Harrington, J., clerk
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter	Robinson, Silas D, age 60, merchant, retail dry goods
	Wife	" Florence, age 52
	Daughter	" Ida H, age 25
	Son	" David M, age 19
	Renter	Robinson, Rufus C, age 49, merchant, retail dry goods
	Wife	" Lucy D, age 39
1920 Census	Renter	Robinson, Rufus, age 60, manager, life insurance
	Wife	" Lucy, age 48
	Renter	Bowers, Howard, age 34, draughtsman, architect
	Wife	" Margaret, age 35
	Owner	Hutchinson, William, age 46, auctioneer, tobacco warehouse
	Wife	" Virginia, age 27
	Daughter	" Virginia, age 10/12
1927 Directory		Hutcherson, W J
1930 Census	Renter	Motley, Morris, age 54, tobacconist
	Wife	" Minnie L, age 54, housekeeper
	Son	"Nathan C, age 32, tobacconist
	Son	" Charley, age 17, tobacconist
	Daughter	" Gladys, age 27, teacher, public school
	Daughter	" Irma, age 25, bookkeeper, bank
	Daughter	" Ollive S, age 19, bookkeeper
	Daughter	" Margaret E, age 14
	Boarder	Beck, Ruth, age 30, milliner, department store
	Boarder	" Stanley, age 29, salesman
1935 Directory		

LodgerLeifer, Woodrow, age 27, announcer, radio stationRenter (B)Merricks, John H, age 49, proprietor, retail foodWife" Nancy, age 35LodgerHandley, Vivien D, age 28, typist, retail automobileRenter(rear)Womack, Florine, age 23, housekeeper, private home	
1945 Directory	
1950 Directory	
1960 Directory	
1970 DirectoryGuthrie, James LaWeakley, Kenneth C, podiatristbBrigman, John CcVacant	
1977 DirectoryVacantaWeakley, Kenneth C, podiatristbPropst, Chleone B Mrs.	
1984 DirectoryKaras, GeorgeaWeakley, Kenneth C, podiatristbPropst, Chleone B	
1990 DirectoryKaras, GeorgebDavenport, Angela K	
198 Assessor Transfer To Whitfield, Mary Lou, \$55,000	
2003 Assessor Transfer Whitfield, Mary Lou to Cobbs, David, \$26,600	
2004 Assessor Transfer Cobbs, David to Tomlinson, Rod, \$41,000	
2004 Tour Owner Maria Mejias and Rod Tomlinsons	
2009 Assessor Transfer Tomlinson to Troika Properties, \$275,000	
2015 Assessor Owner Troika Properties LLC	

Bee 27 Dec 1923: For Rent – 4-room unfurnished apartment, first floor. Possession January 1st to family without children, 131 Jefferson Ave. Phone 723-W

Bee 4 Oct 1927: Notice is hereby given that ... the undersigned duly qualified Administratrix of the estate of W. J. Hutcherson, deceased, will sell by way of public auction, for cash, on the premises at No. 131 Jefferson avenue, Danville, Virginia, all of the household ... Virginia Frasure Hutcherson

Bee 21 Jul 1930: N. C. Motley is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Motley, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 9 Mar 1933: ... Several reports of stolen hens came in during the day. ... three Plymouth Rocks were missed by Mrs. Maurice Motley on Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 13 Sep 1934: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Growney, of Upper Black Eddy, Penn., have recently returned, after attending the exposition at Chicago, and are now visiting Mrs. Growney's mother, Mrs. M. W. Motley, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 19 Aug 1935: Mrs. Cooper Shelton, of 131 Jefferson avenue, is an operative patient at the Danville Community hospital.

Bee 17 May 1941: Second Baptist Circle No. 7, Mrs. Mabel Thaxton, leader, meets with Mrs. J. H. Merricks, 131-B Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 2 Sep 1942: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Alley of 131-A Jefferson Avenue, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in High Point, N.C.

Bee 24 Feb 1943: Staff Sergeant Chas. M. Ritchie has returned to Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. R. E. Alley on Jefferson Ave.

Bee 18 Oct 1947: Second Baptist Circle 4, Mrs. Minnie Sawyer, leader, with Mrs. J. H. Merricks, 131-B Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 25 Jan 1957: Mrs. J. L. Guthrie, of 126-A Jefferson Avenue, is an operative patient in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 5 Aug 1961: Mrs. J. L. Guthrie, who has been an operative patient in Memorial Hospital, has returned to her home, 131 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 11 Jun 1962: Major Ann Howell and her mother, Mrs. Eva I. Howell, of St. Petersburg, Fla., were guests this past week of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Guthrie on Jefferson Avenue. ...

Bee 19 Nov 1962: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hunt have returned to their home in Spokane, Washington, after a visit to Mr. Hunt's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Guthrie on Jefferson Avenue. They made the return trip by jet plane.

Register 8 Jul 1966: Funeral rites for Jessie Lloyd Thornton, 46 ... Mr. Thornton, of 131 Jefferson Ave., Apt. C, was dead on arrival at Memorial Hospital ...

Tour Book 2004:

The recent, visible renaissance on Jefferson Avenue continues unabated, driven by the influx of folks who have adopted Danville as their home and their restoration avocation. Prime examples are Rod Tomlinson and Maria Mejias who moved last year from Long Island, New York to purchase and refurbish Danville's historic H. Lee Boatwright House at 904 Main Street.

In addition to attention the couple is lavishing on their columned Main Street mansion, they have made the reclamation of this property at 131 Jefferson Avenue, as well as its neighbor at 125 Jefferson, a priority. When complete, this work-in-progress—two stories of solid brick over a raised basement—will include a trio of handsome apartments, one of which already is occupied by Mr. Tomlinson's son, Rodney, himself an integral part of the ongoing rehab.

The house of simple Italianate design was built for Mrs. James B. Harrington, apparently in 1879, on a 150-foot lot at Jefferson's corner with Patton, adjoining land where that same year the present Episcopal Church was being constructed. Going up at that time diagonally across the

street, was another masonry building, the Presbyterian Church (later First Christian) at 200 Jefferson, also featured on the 2004 Tour.

Isabella Harrington died in 1894, and her husband, and other members of the family continued to reside here through most of the 1890s. Legal records early in the period reflect their real estate holdings not only on Jefferson Avenue, but also in Mr. Harrington's bakery and confectioner's shop in the heart of downtown. The sale of that business and the parcel where the house at 125 Jefferson was built in the mid-1880s may have been forced by financial reverses.

About the turn of the 20th century, the Harringtons house was conveyed to the family of A.W. Douthat, a principal in the Douthat Riddle Coal Company, whose fuel supplied many local households early in the 20th century. The Douthats, who had come to Danville from Charles City County in the early 1890s, lived in the Jefferson Avenue house for about a decade before moving to Holbrook Avenue. Among their children were several daughters who distinguished themselves as educators, remembered well by an older generation of Danvillians.

Local folks today, however, most closely associate the house— which sheltered apartment dwellers for many decades—with Dr. Kenneth Weakley. A well-regarded podiatrist, Dr. Weakley purchased the structure for his office just after the World War II, establishing here a practice which he maintained for nearly 40 years.

Old First Presbyterian Church

PID 26406



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Jefferson Avenue Christian Church
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		First Christian Church
1977 Directory		First Christian Church
1984 Directory		First Christian Church
1990 Directory		First Christian Church
2004 Assessor	Transfer	First Christian Church to Ayala, Joseph F & Homeretta M, \$50,000
2004 Tour		First Presbyterian / First Christian Church
	Owner	Homeretta and Joseph Ayala
2005 Tour		First Presbyterian / First Christian Church
	Owner	Homeretta and Joseph Ayala
2007 Tour		First Presbyterian / First Christian Church
	Owner	Homeretta and Joseph Ayala
2008 Assessor	Transfer	Ayala, Joseph F & Homeretta M to Branzei, Mary K, \$130,000

Bee 1 Mar 1922: A memorial service will be held ... for Dr. A. L. Shelton, medical missionary ... who was recently killed in Thibet ...

Bee 21 Oct 1922: Rabbi Abraham I. Dobin, of the congregation Aetz-Chayin, will deliver a special address in the main auditorium of the Jefferson Avenue Church ...

Tour Book 2004:

Last summer, Homeretta Ayala, a church musician in Baltimore, Maryland, learned that the congregation of Danville's First Christian Church, a fixture on Jefferson Avenue for more than 90 years, was disbanding and was offering for sale their striking High Victorian Gothic style church. The image that first caught the eye of this organist for Baltimore's venerable Mt. Vernon Place Church was not the picture of First Christian's 125-year-old brick-and-stucco edifice, but of its century-old pipe organ. After inspecting the facility, "Homer," as she likes to be called, and her husband Joseph—who also is a church musician—were hooked ... on the organ. So, this past September they bought the organ and, of course, the building that came with it.

In the past three months, Homer and Joe Ayala worked quickly to adapt the church as an innovative concert hail, Sacred Spaces, in addition to creating a handsome apartment, which they already have rented in the rear. The building now has a new roof and an updated infrastructure of wiring, heat, and air conditioning. Ironically too, the origins of the building as a Presbyterian church some 125 years ago now have come full circle, as the Ayalas presently are leasing the building for Sunday worship to the newly- formed Christ Presbyterian Church.

As Sacred Spaces, the church edifice already has experienced a "revival" of sorts, which the Ayalas plan to continue as the 1899-1900 Moller organ—the oldest in its original site in Danville (and among the oldest Mollers anywhere)— is restored. It promises to resound with other instruments and professional musicians in a series of periodic evening concerts, which were inaugurated the Friday after Thanksgiving just past.



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Martin, Mrs. John, wid
1900 Census	Renter	Liard, William R, age 44, preacher
	Wife	" Ella P, age 38
	Son	" Daniel A, age 17
	Son	" James M, age 14
	Son	" Paul P, age 12
	Son	" William R, age 9
	Daughter	" Elizabeth M, age 7
1910 Census	Renter	Laird, W R Rev., age 54, minister
	Wife	" Mary E, age 48
	Son	" William R Jr., age 20
	Daughter	" Elizabeth F, age 17
1920 Census	Owner	Armistead, Annie, age 53, wid, boarding house
	Boarder	Lacy, John, age 50, tobacco salesman
	Boarder	" Frannie, age 35
	Boarder	Robernson, Kerr, age 40, stenographer, automobile
	Boarder	Canada, L A, age 26, drug clerk
	Boarder	Updike, Glenn, age 25, drug clerk
	Boarder	Tucker, J C, age 23,
1927 Directory		Armistead, A H Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner	Armistead, Anne C, age 65, wid, boarding house, own home
	Servant	Sharp, Daisy, age 45, servant, boarding house (B)
		6 boarders
1935 Directory		
1940 Census	Renter	Thomas, R Haywood, age 41, barber, barber shop
	Wife	" Estelle, age 41, boarding house
	Son	" Haywood Jr., age 18
	Daughter	" Martha M, age 12
	Servant	Staufield, Maude, age 38, cook, boarding house (B)
	Servant	Erby, Willie, age 38, maid, boarding house (B)
		10 lodgers
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor	Owner	Congregation of the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany
No building		

Bee 29 Aug 1923: Dillon Barnett, Memphis, Tennessee, arrived this afternoon and will make his home at 204 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 12 May 1925: Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Armistead of Winston-Salem, N.C., are visiting their mother, Mrs. E. W. Armistead, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 1 Aug 1925: Mrs. Jerome Day and her sister, Miss Mary Miller, motored to Danville today to spend the week-end with Mr. Day who is here with the Reynolds Tobacco company. They will be guests of Mrs. E. W. Armstead, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 17 Aug 1927: Wanted: Experienced Maid. Apply mornings to Mrs. E. W. Armstead, 204 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 3 Feb 1934: Mrs. Jesse Carter continues quite sick at her home, 204 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 5 Jun 1934: Mrs. E. W. Armistead arrived several days ago to spend a month at 204 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 25 Jul 1935: The meeting of the Woman's Union Prayer Circle will be held ... at the home of Mrs. Jesse Carter, Jefferson Ave.

Bee 15 Apr 1936: W. H. Armistead of Kinston, N.C., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. E. W. Armistead, Jefferson avenue, for a few days.

Bee 5 Nov 1936: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carter who have been residing on Jefferson avenue have moved to 130 West Main street.

Bee 9 Dec 1936: Mrs. Edward W. Armistead of Jefferson avenue is visiting her daughter in Petersburg.

Bee 21 Apr 1943: Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Doss of 204 Jefferson Ave., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Doss at Burlington, N.C.

Bee 30 Jun 1943: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Doss of Burlington, N.C., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd D. Ross at 402 [sic] Jefferson Avenue on Sunday night.

Bee 4 Apr 1946: Harrison Armistead of Kinston, N.C., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. E. W. Armistead, on Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 13 Nov 1946: William Mahone, IV, of Petersburg, is the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Armistead, of 204 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 24 Nov 1952: Jesse Curtis Marshall, of 204 Jefferson Ave., was arrested on assault charges ...

Jefferson Court Apartments

PID 25199



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1880 Census	Head	Green, Adela, age 50
	Son	" Willie, age 20
	Son	" Jim, age 17
	Head	Lee, Peter, age 38, laborer (B)
		" Kate, age 21, servant (B)
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Green, Mrs. A, wid
		Smith, Isaac, tobacco worker (B)
		" Wesley, tobacco worker (B)
		Stewart, Addison, tobacco worker (B)
1900 Census	Owner	Green, Adala, age 72, wid
	Son	" James, age 37, stencil cutter and draftsman
1910 Census	Head	Green, James H, age 48, florist, at home
	Mother	" Adela C, age 82, wid
1920 Census	Renter	Dixon, Nelson, age 32, chauffer, star laundry
	Wife	" Beatrice, age 25
	Daughter	" Vivian, age 3
	Renter	Williams, Robert F, age 32, tobacco buyer
	Wife	" Nellie, age 32, saleswoman, department store
	Son	" Samuel G, age 14
	Daughter	" Annie May, age 11
	Niece	" Hazel, age 19, saleswoman, department store
	Niece	" May, age 17, saleswoman, department store
1927 Directory		Robertson, J W
1930 Census		Directory: Lynch, W L
1931 Directory		Jefferson Court Apts, 205-07 Jefferson av, 10 residents
1935 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments, 205-07 Jefferson av, 12 residents
1940 Census		16 apartments
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments (27 units including annex)
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments (25 units)
1977 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments (27 units)
1984 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments (27 units)
1990 Directory		Jefferson Court Apartments (25 units)

2008 Assessor	Transfer	Thomas, James H E to United Investment Group LLC, \$)
2015 Assessor	Transfer	United Investment to First State Bank, \$150,000
2015 Assessor	Transfer	First State Bank to Agomuo Ventures LLC, \$72,000
2019 Assessor	Transfer	Agomuo Ventures to Preservation Virginia, \$45,069
2020 Assessor	Transfer	Preservation Virginia to DNDC, \$49,999
2020 Assessor	Transfer	DNDC to JC Apts LLC, \$70,000

Bee 16 Sep 1931: Mr. and Mrs. Martin will be at home, Jefferson Court apartments, after September 15.

Bee 23 Dec 1932: Four room apartment, first floor, Jefferson Court. T.T. Adams. Phone 519-W.

Bee 25 Apr 1933: The remains of Mrs. Beatrice C. Doyle ... was found dead in her apartment at Jefferson Court yesterday evening ... in the gas-filled kitchen.

Bee 3 May 1934: Miss Margaret Megowan, of the Jefferson Court apartments, is leaving today for Winston-Salem ...

Bee 28 May 1934: Farley and Luther have opened new showrooms ... Among the many plumbing and heating installments they have made in the past ... Jefferson Court apartments, Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 21 Sep 1944: Private First-Class James T. Smith, 205 Jefferson Avenue, has been cited by his regiment of the 3rd "Marne" Infantry Division and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge ... in Italy. ...

Bee 25 Mar 1953: Miss Cassie Lewis, of 205 Jefferson Avenue, is a patient for treatment in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 25 Jan 1954: Chief of Police J. C. Garrett today announced two appointments ... Leonard Arnold Howerton, of 205 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 27 Mar 1961: ... Julius Henry Dean Jr., of 205 Jefferson Ave., appealed fines of \$10 for being drunk in public and \$50 for disorderly conduct ...

Bee 24 Apr 1961: Jesse C. Fuquay, of 205 Jefferson Ave., was treated at memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon for a bullet wound in the groin. His wife, who was arrested and bonded for a hearing ...

Bee 22 May 1961: ... Joe M. Dickerson, Apt. 3-C, Jefferson Ave., reported to police the someone broke into his apartment and stole a set of silverware valued at \$89.

Register 12 May 1966: ... Dixie Lee Reese of 205 Jefferson Ave., Apt. 5B, reported a camera and clock missing from her apartment ...

Register 2 Mar 1969: Wesley R. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of 205 Jefferson Ave., has been promoted to technical sergeant in the Air Force. ...

Register 14 Feb 1970: Wesley (Red) Richardson, 55, of 205 Jefferson Ave. died ... in Memorial Hospital. ...

Bee 9 Oct 1971: Mrs. Mamie Slaughter Boyde died today ... at the age of 90 ... the family will be at the residence of Miss Myrtle Slaughter, 205 Jefferson Ave.

Register 21 Jan 1973: Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Crawley Osborne Wells, 64, of 205 Jefferson Ave., died Saturday night in Memorial Hospital ... The family is at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Phillips, 240 Jefferson Ave.

Register 10 Apr 1973: A man tentatively identified as Lynwood Shaw was burned to death in a fire last night at the Jefferson Court Apartments at the corner of Jefferson Ave. and Patton St. ... The 27-unit U-shaped apartment building is owned by C.R. Thomas, Jr., who last night declined to estimate fire damage pending an inspection of the premises during daylight hours.

Bee 30 Aug 1973: Mrs. Mattie Robertson, 65, of 205 Jefferson Ave., died last night ...

Register & Bee 31 Jul 2014: Apartment owners speak about ordeal. Jim and Cristina Thomas are exhausted and frustrated. Jefferson Court Apartments has been in Jim's family since the 1960s, and he bought out his parents in the 1980s. It was a beginning for him, and his new bride, in their plan to become rental property owners. Those were good years, Jim said, and their properties grew and prospered. Most of the properties were single-family homes or large homes that had been turned into apartments, but Jefferson Court was the biggest, with 25 units. Built in 1920 [?], it was a beautiful complex, Jim said — and he intended to keep it, and all the couple's properties, that way.

Register & Bee 31 Jul 2014: Building deemed unfit for humans; occupants forced to move. Thirteen people had to scramble to find new housing when Danville's inspections division found the Jefferson Court Apartments at 205 Jefferson Ave. "unfit for human occupancy" — and gave the owners 10 days to fix major problems or clear the building of tenants. Photographs taken during a June 26 inspection show holes in ceilings and walls, rotting wood around windows and porches, non-working plumbing and electrical fixtures, loose and missing floor tiles and cockroaches.

Register & Bee 14 Nov 2016: Councilmen will discuss whether to pass an ordinance declaring an apartment complex at 205 Jefferson Ave. a blighted property, and whether to adopt a spot blight abatement plan for it. The action is recommended following an anticipated petition for the city to act as a receiver of the property. City Council would make a decision on the matter during its regular meeting at a later date.

Register & Bee 24 Mar 2018: Danville officials are considering whether to buy a blighted apartment building on Jefferson Avenue and repair it so it can eventually be made habitable again. Built in the 1920s, the 26-unit, stucco-covered building at 205 Jefferson Ave. was declared unfit for human occupancy in 2014. It had gas, ceiling and roof leaks, mold, roaches, deteriorated floors and plumbing that didn't work. City officials want to avoid tearing down the 16,773-square-foot structure, which has historic importance in the neighborhood. "The property was identified as key for rehabilitation because of its proximity to the River District and the Old West End," City Manager Ken Larking said.

Register & Bee 4 Sep 2018: Danville City Council approved a \$125,000 Virginia Housing Development Authority grant to help pay for rehabilitation of a blighted apartment building on Jefferson Avenue. The city also will spend \$75,000 in local blight eradication money to stabilize the property, located at 205 Jefferson Ave. But the Tuesday night vote came with opposition from council members.

PID 21232



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Brown, Miss Lucy M " T L (Brown & Perkinson) Moseley, Mrs. William M
1900 Census	Renter Wife Son Daughter	Garnin, William C, age 34, bookkeeper "Lula C, age 33 "Clifton C, age 6 "Mary K, age 4 4 boarders
1910 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Daughter Grandson Lodger Boarder Boarder Servant	 Bass, Mitchell F, age 66, land surveyor " Mary A, age 64 " Thomas E, age 42, salesman, commercial " Rosa R, age 29, home missionary " Annie, age 26 " Thomas E Jr., age 18 Seaman, Mary, age 38, trained nurse, hospital Garland, David, age 33, collector, city taxes " Lillie S, age 24 Lester, Hellen, age 65, wid, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Roomer	Turner, A Michael, age 55, floor manager, own home " Esther, age 42 " Louise M, age 18 9 roomers
1927 Directory		Turner, A M
1930 Census	Owner Wife Lodgers	Aurelius M Turner, age 62, warehouse man, tobacco "Bertha M, age 50 3 lodgers
1935 Directory		
1940 Census	Owner Wife Servant Lodger Lodger Renter Nephew	Turner, A M, age 72, speculator, tobacco buyer "Bert M, age 57 Smith, Annie May, age 26, maid, private home (B) Staufield, E Elmo, age 26, asst manager, retail store Munn, Alto R, age 23, learner, F W Woolworth Schoolfield, Mabel C, age 47 Vaden, Garland, age 37, teller, bank

	Lodger		McClanahan, Paul H, age 20, stock clerk, 5 & 10
	Renter		Brockman, Annie, age 84, wid
	Daughter		Williams, Mary B, age 44, div
1945 Directory			
1950 Directory			
1960 Directory			
1970 Directory			Harris, Norman W
1977 Directory			Harris, Norman W
		2	Mitchell, Martha Mrs.
1984 Directory			Harris, Norman W
1990 Directory			Malloy, Evelyn R
2001 Assessor	Transfer		Hairston, Valerie K to Washington Mutual Finance, \$42,299
2002 Assessor	Transfer		Washington Mutual Finance to Nesbitt, Dorothy K, \$26,000
2006 Assessor	Transfer		Nesbitt, Dorothy A to Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E, \$30,000
2015 Assessor	Owner		Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E

Demolished March 2016

Bee 26 Dec 1922: Mrs. Howard Farley is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Turner, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 7 Mar 1923: Mrs. L. C. Patterson, of Durham, N.C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Turner, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 27 Jun 1945: Funeral services for Mrs. Berta Murray Turner were conducted from the family residence, 208 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 3 Sep 1945: Display Ad: ... Suitable for Four Apartments, 208 Jefferson Avenue ... At Auction ...

Bee 20 Nov 1961: Mrs. Mayme Hudgins Harris died in Memorial Hospital ... and the family will be at 208 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 11 May 1963: Dr. Harry Wright Jr., of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Katherine Wright, 208 Jefferson Avenue.

Register 24 Jul 1966: Norman L. Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Harris of 208 Jefferson Ave., has been promoted to airman second class in the U.S. Air Force ...

PID 23632



1880 Census	Head	P. L. Rendleman, age 37
	Wife	" Georgia, age 30
	Son	" Wilburne, age 8/12
	Servant	Hardy, Sallie, age 30, ervant (B)
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Hart, Mrs. Elizabeth, wid
		Rendleman, Mrs. George, wid
		Yancey, R T, clerk
1900 Census	Owner	Renfleman, Georgia, age 50, wid
	Son	"Wilbur S, age 20, confectionary salesman
	Daughter	" Mary F, age 15
1910 Census	Owner	Rendleman, Georgie, age 61, wid
	Son	" Wilbur S, age 30, bank teller
	Sister	Hart, Elizabeth F, age 75, wid
	Renter	Hampton, Wade K, age 32, insurance agent
	Wife	" Addie L, age 27
	Daughter	" Rebecca K, age 6
	Daughter	" Annie W, age 3
1920 Census	Renter	Dunford, W D, age 35, photographer
	Wife	" Helen, age 33
	Daughter	" Marie, age 2
	Daughter	" Helen, age 2
	Servant	Lessman, Eddie, age 22, cook (Mu)
1927 Directory		Satterfield, Rose Miss
1930 Census	Renter	Satterfield, M D Rose, age 35, dressmaker
	Son	Levi, Lewis, age 16
	Son	" David, age 14
		6 roomers
1935 Directory		Meadows, Savannah A Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner	Meadows, Savannah B, age 76, wid
	Daughter	" Zellie B, age 42, bookkeeper, department store
	Granddau	" Mary E, age 21. Waitress, department store
	Renter	Shelton, Cooper H, age 46, dye foreman, hosiery mill
	Wife	" Linwood B, age 41
	Son	" William M, age 23, catcher, professional baseball
	Daughter	" Sybill, age 15

1945 Directory		Meadows, Savannah B Mrs. "Zellie B
1950 Directory		Meadows, Zellie B
1960 Directory		Stroud, Jessie E Mrs.
		Cash, Lloyd L
1970 Directory		Cash, Hettie B Mrs.
1977 Directory		Stroud, Jessie E Mrs.
		Gossett, Alma M Mrs.
1984 Directory		Vacant
1990 Directory		Stamps, Elizabeth Mrs.
1989 Assessor	Transfer	To Jones, Frankie T, \$14,000
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Jones, Frankie T to DRHA, \$39,600

Demolished 2020

Bee 18 Jul 1922: For Sale – One No. 10 Remington typewriter, in good condition. Price \$40.00. Call at 209 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 9 Jan 1923: For Rent – Second Floor, 209 Jefferson Ave., apply in person

Bee 26 Jan 1923: For Rent – 5-room apartment. Bath, gas and light. 209 Jefferson avenue. Phone 1830.

Bee 3 Mar 1923: For Rent – Ten room house, two baths, 209 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 4 Nov 1924: For Rent – Ten room house, 209 Jefferson Ave. Two baths, heat, garage. Phone 759-W

Bee 16 Sep 1925: Births – Mr. and Mr. J.B. Shields, 209 Jefferson street (son), Aug. 11th

Bee 19 May 1926: For Rent – Ten room house, 209 Jefferson avenue, two baths, garage, hot and cold water and heat. Phone 759-W. Apply 428 Wilson street

Bee 1 Oct 1926: Furnished Room – Every convenience, 209 Jefferson Ave., Phone 548.

Bee 22 Jan 1927: For Rent Furnished Rooms with every convenience. Phones 435-J and 548. 209 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 10 Jul 1930: For Rent. House, 209 Jefferson Ave., and 260 Gray St. Phone 759-W

Bee 24 Jul 1930: Z.D. Donohue, 209 Jefferson street, called the police last night and reported that a marauder was in the house ... no one could be found ...

Bee 24 Dec 1934: Miss Mary Meadows and her brother, R. H. Meadows, Jr., are spending the holidays with their aunt and their grandmother, Miss Zellie Meadows and Mrs. S. B. meadows, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 30 Jun 1936: Miss Agness Chapman returned to her home in Greensboro, N.C., after spending the week-end with Miss Mary Meadows on Jefferson Ave.

Bee 20 Jul 1936: Pursuant to the terms of a decree ... to the highest bidder ... Tuesday, July 21 at 4:00 P.M. ... House and lot known as No. 209 Jefferson Street, fronting 35½ feet on Jefferson Street with a depth of about 220 feet

Bee 16 Feb 1940: Mrs. S. P. Meadows is ill at her home, 209 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 6 Jul 1942: News of two Danville boys having received commissions as second lieutenants in the Army Air Forces ... One is William Mays Shelton, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper H. Shelton, 209 Jefferson street

Bee 25 Mar 1943: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shelton, of 209 Jefferson avenue, have received word that their son, First Lieutenant William H. Shelton ... has arrived safely in North Africa. ...

Bee 31 Jul 1944: Major William H. Shelton ... who has been piloting a P-47 in China ... is credited with having shot down one enemy aircraft.

Bee 19 Sep 1953: Fishing boat and trailer. First \$100 takes it. Phone 7366-J. Can be seen at 209 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 15 Mar 1958: Mrs. Barbara Elizabeth Weaver Baldwin, 79, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Violet Gault, 209 Jefferson Ave. this morning ...

Bee 9 Jun 1960: Lloyd L. Cash St., 70, died in Memorial Hospital this morning. ... The remains will rest at Townes Funeral Home and the family will be at 209 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 30 Nov 1960: 5 room second floor apartment. Heat, hot water furnished. Adults. 209 Jefferson Ave.

Register 8 Dec 1968: Display Ad: Auction, 8½ Room House (two apartments) 209 Jefferson Avenue. Estate of Zellie B. Meadows ...

Bee 10 Oct 1973: Final services for Mrs. Hettie Brown Bright Cash, 77-year-old widow of Lloyd L. Cash ... the family will be at the residence, 209 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 24 Oct 1973: 209 Jefferson Ave. Large 4 rm. Apartment with gas heat. \$75 a month. Phone 792-8246

Monticello Terrace Apartments

PID 24689



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Burgess, Richard, harness maker
		Chattin, Mrs. M.S., wid
		" Miss Mattie
		Clark, John, conductor
		Fultz, Thomas, tobacconist
		Wear, Henry, clerk
1900 Census	Renter	Bishop, Charles, age 48, machinist
	Wife	" Eugenia, age 47
	Son	" Fred, age 21, weaver (cotton mill)
	Daughter	" Cora, age 14
1910 Census	Renter	Blair, Charles I, age 28, merchant, groceries
	Wife	" Lessie R, age 25
	Daughter	" Louise, age 4
	Sister-in-law	Clarke, Blanch L, age 14
	Renter	Brenner, St. J, age 42, wid, knitter. Mill
	Son	" Jack, age 10
1920 Census	Renter	Husand, Larry, age 31, factory foreman
	Wife	" Margaret H, age 25
	Son	" Cary, age 1
1927 Directory		Clarke Apartments
	A	Dunford, P W
	В	Benton, R A
1930 Census	Renter	Alexander, William O, age 55, sales manager, sewing machines
	Wife	" Louisa D, age 52
	Daughter	" Mary, age 22, stenographer
	Daughter	" Frances, age 16
	Son	" Thomas, age 14
1935 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	A	Lewis, Albert S Jr.
	В	Ray, Allen B
1940 Census	Renter(A)	Carter, E Hugh, age 36, proofreader, newspaper
	Wife	" Nina, age 34
	Daughter	" Nancy Ann, age 11
	Lodger	Douglas, Mary, age 22, waitress, Danville Hotel

	Renter (B)	Meeks, Bessie, age 58, wid
	Daughter Granddau	Thompson, Elizabeth, age 35, wid, stenographer, insurance company "Marion, age 8
	Lodger	Moore, Mildred, age 28, waitress, cafe
1945 Directory	Louger	Moticello Terrace Apartments
1949 Directory	В	Rackard, Claude J
1950 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
,	а	Carter, E Hugh
	b	Copley, James F
1960 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	A	Ragle, Norman A
	В	McKinney, Bertha T Mrs.
1970 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	a	Bush, David T
	b	McKinney, Bertha T Mrs.
1977 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	a	Cain, Laura B Mrs.
	b	McKinney, Bertha T Mrs.
1984 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	a	Cain, Laura B Mrs.
	b	Stone, Katie J
1990 Directory		Monticello Terrace Apartments
	а	Wilson, Hazel
	b	Robinson, Thelma
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Shields Jr., George H to L & G Rentals LLC, \$0
2014 Assessor	Transfer	L & G Rentals LLC to DRHA, \$55,000
2020 Assessor	Transfer	DRHA to Monticello Apts LLC, \$51,500

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Bee 23 Feb 1928: Mrs. L. L. Wilson will do practical nursing. Call at 212 Jefferson avenue or phone 853.

Bee 13 Jan 1954: Mrs. E. Hugh Carter, of 212-A Jefferson Avenue, is an operative patient in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 20 Mar 1957: ... an automobile driven by Robert MacKenzie Chester, 217 Jefferson Ave., pulled from an alley and struck a truck operated by James Fletcher Holley, of 607 Patton St. The truck was knocked into the parked car of Norman Ragle, 212-A Jefferson.

Bee 6 Apr 1970: The funeral of Mrs. Martha Zada Bumgarner Bush of 22-B Jefferson Ave. was conducted yesterday ...

Bee 16 Aug1971: David Taylor Bush Sr. of 212A Jefferson Ave. died today ... Mr. Bush, 85 ...the family is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Meadows, 214A Jefferson Ave.
1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son Sister	McKinney, Milliard I, age 51, cashier " Susan C, age 48 " Annie W, age 26, saleswoman " Carrie P, age 20 " Milliard I, age 19, manager " Benjamin, age 17, salesman " Lizzie, age 45
1910 Census	Renter Daughter Daughter Renter Wife Daughter	Hardbarger, Mary E, age 51, wid, hemmer, knitting mill "Bertha E, age 20, looper, knitting mill "Eliza P, age 18, knitter, mill Heffener, Robert E, paint maker, factory "Maud, age 36 "Allison, age 6
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Son	Carshward, G L, age 29, railroad messenger " Crowne, age 26 " Lacy L, age 3 Gregory, John M, age 52, proprietor, pool room " Minnie D, age 48 " Doris J, age 21, bookkeeper, pianos " Angie D, age 17 " Sallie M, age 14 " John L Jr., age 12
1927 Directory	A B	Clarke Apartments Vacant Goudelock, C H
1930 Census	Renter Daughter Daughter Son Daughter Granddau Renter Wife Daughter Son	Harris, Mamie, age 43, wid " Clara, age 23, div, salesgirl, department chain store " Ruth, age 19, hairdresser, beauty shop " Herman, age 17, mechanic, concrete mill " John, age 15 " Kathryn, age 12 Hays, Loraine, age 6 Graham, Agustus, age 34, civil engineer, southern railway " Annie, age 31 " Sarah, age 7 " Warner, age 6
1935 Directory	A B	Monticello Terrace Apartments Moorefield, Harry M Anderson, William W Jr.
1940 Census	Renter (A) Wife Lodger	Walton, John B, age 33, policeman, city "Lola E, age 33, operator, telephone Tench, Bertha, age 30, bookkeeper, clothing company

	Lodger Renter (B) Daughter Son	McKee, Albert, age 28, salesman, drug store Dixon, Effie, age 51, wid "Gladys, age 24, stenographer, insurance company "Ernest, age 22, salesman, retail store
1945 Directory	A B	Monticello Terrace Apartments Blanks, William N Meadows, Jesse
1950 Directory	a b	Monticello Terrace Apartments Meadows, Jesse W Hudgins, Claude N
1960 Directory	AB	Monticello Terrace Apartments Giles, Violet A Mrs. Bush, David T
1970 Directory	a b	Henderson, Charles H Wyllie, Alf S Jr.
1977 Directory	a b	Meadows, Jessie W Wyllie, Alf S Jr.
1984 Directory	а	Turner, Ricky
1990 Directory	a b	Price Vacant
2015 Assessor		With 212

Bee 23 Jul 1930: Miss Ruth Harris, who recently underwent an operation at Memorial hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be able to be removed to her home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 16 Apr 1941: Police today were looking for a well-described white man who annoyed Mrs. J. B. Walton while she was returning to her home on Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 5 Jun 1961: Miss Billie Sue Bush, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Bush of Jefferson Avenue, is leaving by plane ... for Brazil, where she will spend six months doing research work as a laboratory technician. ...

Bee 14 Jun 1962: Mrs. Mary D. Preddy of 214 Jefferson Avenue is a patient for treatment in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 3 Apr 1963: Mrs. Violet Giles of Jefferson Avenue is a patient for treatment at Memorial Hospital.

Register 28 Sep 1969: Charles Howard Henderson was pronounced dead on arrival at Memorial Hospital ... The family will be at the residence, 214 Jefferson Avenue.

Register 29 Mar 1970: Radioman Second Class Michael H. Pruitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Wyllie Jr., of 214-B Jefferson Ave., has been assigned to the South Pole Station in Antarctica ...

Register 19 Jul 1970: Army Specialist Four Dale L. Pruitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wyllie of 214-B Jefferson Ave., has received his second Air Medal ... Vietnam ...

Register 4 Feb 1973: Main Street Methodist Circle 6, Mrs. Howe Miller, leader, with Mrs. Jesse Meadows, 214-A Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 26 Jun 1974: M. Sgt. David W. Meadows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse W. Meadows of 214A Jefferson Ave., has graduated from the first phase of the new U.S. Air Force physician's assistant training program ...

Register 22 Nov 1976: Alfred S. Wyllie Jr., 214-B Jefferson Ave., died Sunday in a Durham, N.C. nursing home. ... He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Wood Wyllie ...

PID 23622



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		McGee, F A
1930 Census	Head Wife Daughter Servant	Cashway?, Charles, age 42, manager, department store "Lydia, age 39 "Margerie, age 16 Carter, Ann R, age 13, servant, private family (B)
1935 Directory		Meadows, Edwin E
1940 Census	Owner Sister Lodger	Doughty, Isabelle, age 61, wid White, Mamie C, age 56, wid Armtimudia, John, age 40, cook, restaurant
1945 Directory		White, Mamie C Mrs.
1950 Directory		White, Mamie C Mrs.
1960 Directory		Meador, Frances P Mrs.
1970 Directory		Meador, Frances P Mrs.
1977 Directory		Meador, Frances P Mrs.
1984 Directory		Vacant
1990 Directory		Hunt, Alease G Mrs.
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Hall III, John E to Alpine Properties LLC, \$717,500
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Alpine Properties to Grand Summit LLC, \$0
2007 Assessor	Transfer	Grand Summit to Katel LLC, \$324,400
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Katel LLC to City of Danville, \$1
2017 Assessor	Transfer	City of Danville to DRHA, \$0

Bee 27 Nov 1930: Miss Mary Haga, who is attending the State Teachers' college at Harrisonburg, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haga, 215 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 18 Aug 1931: Mrs. O. L. Haga, of Delwyn, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Haga on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 26 Jul 1936: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Finch of Lynchburg are visiting Mrs. J. M. White, 215 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 3 Nov 1954: Display Ad: Household effects of the late Mrs. Mamie C. White, 215 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 25 Apr 1962: Nos it's American Citizen Markos Harry Evangelidimos ... naturalized in Roanoke yesterday ... lives at 215 Jefferson Ave. ...

	Clarke Apartments
^	Brown, J L
	Everidge, R M
enter Vife odger odger odger enter Vife Daughter on	Brown, John L, age 41, baggage agent, southern railway " Addie M, age 43 Eachews, Frank C, age 39, factory man, tobacco company Adams, E Ward Jr., age 17, salesman, club aluminum Stevens, Hebert, age 33, salesman, club aluminum Simpson, Walter W, age 33, inspector, southern railway " Zona, age 31 " Gaynelle, age 8 " Walter Jr., age 4
aughter	" Ortica, age 2
A B	Monticello Terrace Apartments Lewis, John W Stanfield, Joseph A
enter (A) on enter (B) Vife on Daughter	Kries, J Elizabeth, age 36, wid "John, age 13 Tucker, Z W, age 45, salesman, bakery company "Callie, age 43 "Dick, age 18 "Helen, age 15
A B	Monticello Terrace Apartments Friend, John A Tucker, Zeb B
a b	Monticello Terrace Apartments Smith, John S Allen, Charles B
A B	Monticello Terrace Apartments Clark, Ernest W Powers, Elton O
а	Hardy, Kate M
b	Gunn, Bessie L nurse
а	Hardy, Gladys I
b	Gunn, Bessie L Mrs. nurse
	Vacant
	Vacant
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Bee 15 Aug 1935: Miss Aileen Williams of Richmond is visiting her cousin, Miss Chloe Stanfield, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 5 Jun 1937: Calvary M. E. Church Circle No. 7 – Mrs. Preston Purdum, leader, will meet with Mrs. C. J. Hudgins, 216-B Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 6 Jan 1943: Dick Frederick Ticker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Ticker, 216 Jefferson Avenue, received his wings and his commission as a second lieutenant ... at William Field, Arizona. ...

Bee 24 Jun 1961: E. W. Clark of Jefferson Avenue is a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Register 3 Mar 1967: Jack Hardy ... died in Memorial Hospital ... the family will be at the home of his sister, Miss Kate Hardy, 216-A Jefferson Avenue.

Register 30 Apr 1972: Miss Mary Kate Hardy, 77, of 216-A Jefferson Ave. died yesterday in Memorial Hospital. ...

Bendall House

PID 20115



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Son Son Son	Pollok, Nicholas L, age 59, merchant, retail grocery "Rose, age 51 "Annie W, age 25 "Lula M, age 19 "Linwood, age 17 "Mabel B, age 15 "Frank G, age 13 "Nicholas L Jr., age 11 "Edgar, age 8 West, Anna, age 23, cook (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Daughter Roomer Roomer Boarder	 Pollock, Nicholas, age 67, grocer, wholesale and retail Rosa, age 63 Franklin, age 22, salesman, wholesale grocery Nicholas, age 20, salesman, grocery store Edgar, age 18 Linwood, age 23 Upperdyke, Lelia, age 65 Goodman, Jack, age 32, bookkeeper, warehouse Pollock, Beulah, age 22, teacher, public school
1927 Directory		Pollok, N L
1930 Census	Renter Wife Owner Son Son	Turner, Thurman?, age 54, tobacconist "Fleetwood, age 43, seamstress, dress maker Pollock, Rosa R, age 73 "Frank, age 30, ?, fertilizer "Edgar, age 23
1935 Directory		Pollok, Frank
1940 Census	Renter Wife Owner Wife Son Son	Young, Paul H, age 28, salesman, wholesale produce " Elizabeth, age 27, saleslady, department store Pollock, Nicolas L, age 41, salesman, wholesale fertilizer " Elizabeth W, age 36, receptionist, photo studio " Nicholas Lewis III, age 13 " Benton Holt, age 12

	Daughter	" Elizabeth Conway, age 11
	Brother	" Frank G, age 43, salesman, wholesale hardware
	Brother	" Edgar, age 39, laborer, tobacco warehouse
	Lodger	Walker, Margaret, age 53, practical nurse, private home
1945 Directory		Coley, Clarence A
1950 Directory		Coley, Clarence A plumber
	b	Ellis, William P
1960 Directory		Ellis, William P
		Chester, Roderick M
		Crews, E Brooks
		Shelor, Anne E Mrs.
1970 Directory		Boswell, Ellen P Mrs.
		Noel, Henrietta Mrs.
		Clark, Sue T Mrs.
		Ellis, Mary B Mrs.
1977 Directory		Franklin, Grace M Mrs.
		Edwards, Eunice M Mrs.
		Black, Sue Mrs.
		Ellis, Mary P Mrs.
		Kroll, Ivydell
1984 Directory		Poindexter, Audria
		Smith, Estelle
1986 Tour	Owner	Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Moss
1990 Directory		Bendall House Apartments
	1	Durham, Nancy M
	2	Young, Rhonda
	3-4	Vacant
1998 Assessor	Transfer	To Whitfield, Mary Lou & Pennyfeather, Donald P, \$47,000
2000 Assessor	Transfer	Whitfield to Moss, Marvin L & Judith S, \$23,000
2001 Assessor	Transfer	Moss to Cobbs, David Cabell & Judith S, \$20,000
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Conns to Lavigne, Justin K & Kopec, Patrice E, \$35,000
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Lavigne, Justin K & Kopec, Patrice E to DRHA, \$35,000

Times Dispatch 2 May 1909: Dr. L. W. Pollok, of Temple, Tex., is visiting his father, N. L. Pollok, Jefferson Street.

Times Dispatch 15 Jan 1911: Miss Annie Pollok entertained at bridge ... complimentary to Mrs. Wilbur Rendlemen, one of Danville's recent brides. ...

Bee 18 Apr 1922: Mrs. Minnie Updyke died at the home of Mrs. N. L. Pollok, 217 Jefferson avenue ... following a stroke ...

Bee 18 Oct 1923: The Woman's Union Prayer meeting will be held ... at the residence of Mrs. N. L. Pollok, Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 11 Jun 1924: Mrs. William Steger, of Richmond, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Pollock, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 16 Nov 1925: Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Sellars of Burkeville were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Pollok, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 21 Dec 926: Cook Wanted. 217 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 29 Dec 1926: N. L. Pollok continues quite sick at his home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 29 Dec 1926: Mrs. Elmer Thomas of Richmond is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Pollok, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 16 Feb 1927: The Frances E. Willard Memorial Day will be observed by the Danville Women's Christian Temperance Union at the home of Mrs. N. L. Pollok, 217 Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 19 Nov 1928: N. L. Pollock ... passed way at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at his home on Jefferson avenue where he has been ill for some time. ...

Bee 14 Aug 1929: Special Commissioner's Sale ... at public auction on Tuesday, August 20, 1929 ...

Bee 7 Sep 1929: For Rent: Three rooms and bath, newly repaired. Private entrance. Garage if needed.

Bee 28 Dec 1929: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sellers, of Burkeville, are visiting Mrs. Sellers' mother, Mrs. N. L. Pollok, on Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 15 May 1937: Births: E. C. Harris, 217 Jefferson avenue, Nancy Elaine, April 15.

Bee 5 Jun 1940: Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Barker of Ringgold, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Howard E. Dodson ... Mr. and Mrs. Dodson are making their home at 217 Jefferson ...

Bee 2 Sep 1946: For Sale: 4 apartment house, 217 Jefferson Ave. Hardwood floor, hot water heat with stoker, excellent condition. Phone 810 for appointment.

Bee 31 Jul 1952: Mrs. W. P. Ellis has returned to her home, 217 Jefferson Avenue, after being a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 20 Mar 1957: ... an automobile driven by Robert MacKenzie Chester, 217 Jefferson Ave., pulled from an alley and struck a truck operated by James Fletcher Holley, of 607 Patton St. The truck was knocked into the parked car of Norman Ragle, 212-A Jefferson.

Bee 20 Jul 1957: Mrs. Ellen Boswell, of Chatham, and Mrs. W. P. Ellis, of Jefferson Avenue, have returned from a two week's vacation at ocean View and Virginia Beach.

Bee 29 Jun 1960: Funeral services for Roderick M. Chester, 217 Jefferson St., who died at his home last night, will be conducted from Townes Memorial Chapel ...

Register 15 Jun 1965: Miss Sally Noel, a student at the Medical College of Virginia School of Nursing, Richmond, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. James Noel on Jefferson Ave.

Register 28 Apr 1966: Mrs. Margaret Barkley and daughter, Pamela, have returned to their hone in Meadows of Dan after a visit to Mrs. Ann Shelor on Jefferson Ave.

Register 30 Jul 1966: Miss Sally Noel, daughter of Mrs. James Noel of 217 Jefferson Ave., has been named to the Dean's List for the last quarter at Medical College of Virginia School of Nursing, Richmond.

Register 18 Aug 1966: Mrs. Pauline Ellis and Mrs. Ellen Boswell of 217 Jefferson Avenue have returned after spending the past week at Ocean View and Virginia Beach.

Register 11 Apr 1973: City Council upheld the Commission of Architectural Review in the first appeal case brought to council. The appeal came over a house at 217 Jefferson Ave. ...

Tour Book 1986:

In less than a year, the four large apartments in this rambling Italianate dwelling have been completely renovated by new owners Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Moss. The mellow old floors of its spacious rooms now gleam, and cream, tan, and brown paint outside make the house a standout on the street whose houses are among the finest in the city architecturally. This house, just refurbished, now stands as a notable example of the renaissance Jefferson Avenue is enjoying after years of neglect.

From 1833 when Danville was incorporated as a town, until 1854 when the town limits were extended to Holbrook Street, Jefferson Avenue formed the southern edge of the community. Before the War Between the States its large lots were held by the Episcopal Church at the corner of Main Street, the Presbyterian Church (now First Christian) at 200 Jefferson, and the families of Green, Ross and Patton. After the War Between the States, these large parcels were subdivided and in 1887 R.A. Bendall purchased a 6 1/2-foot lot between the Green and Patton estates. Two years later he, or others in the Bendall family, improved the lot with the present richly-ornamented Italianate-style clapboard dwelling. Judging from the 1894-95 city directory the first of the family known to have lived here was Oliver P. Bendall and his wife. Four years later his brother Richard A. Bendall, who owned the property, is listed with his wife as residing here. Another brother Isaac S. Bendall lived with his family at 927 Green Street. All were prosperous tobacconists. In 1904 Oliver and Rosa Bendall moved two houses down the block to the old Ross-Patton home place, a late-Federal-style double house at 225-27 Jefferson. Richard Bendall sold the property in 1906 to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas L. Pollok, whose family members continued to live here some thirty-five years. Mr. Pollok, a grocer, died in the late 1920s, and after the death of his wife Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Coley purchased the house for their residence in 1942. Since 1949 when J.D. Ley and Clarence Johnson bought the house it has been rented as apartments.

Since being acquired by Mr. and Mrs. Moss early this year, these apartments have been brought from their tired and marginal condition to become light and airy space that is functional but with period charm. Massive Eastlake-style double front doors, which have been refinished, open into a central hall typical of Victorian-era homes, and flanked by rooms freshly painted and papered in a warm palette of ivory, beige and tan. The outline of tall windows reflects in the newly- refinished floors that grace these rooms, and the original dining areas contain built-in antique china cabinets. Each apartment now has a functional attractive kitchen that leads onto a spacious rear porch, and the baths like the rest of the house have been renovated without destroying their character; they retain their original hexagonal tile, and porcelain fixtures. In addition to careful work on the walls and floors to make the house aesthetically pleasing, the owners have also taken care to renew the heating, wiring and other essential systems that make this a functional historic dwelling.

Clarke House

PID 24690



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Clarke, Frederick, druggist
		Norman, R W, tobacconist
1892 Directory		Clarke, Fred, Clarke & Sclater Druggists, res Jefferson bet. Patton & Loyal
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Fath-in-law Moth-in-law	Clark, Fredrick, age 43, druggist "Elen W, age 41 "John A, age 15 "Walter T, age 13 White, Robert C, age 76 "Eller, age 72
1910 Census	Owner Wife Son Son	Clark, Fred A, age 59, druggist "Mary E, age 59 "John A, age 27, teacher "Walter F, age 23
1920 Census	Owner Roomer Roomer Roomer	Clark, Ellen, age 61, wid Monk, Lula, age 37, trained nurse Garland, Sallie, age 30, high school teacher Nell Ingram, age 35, high school teacher
1927 Directory		Clarke, E W Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Mother Renter Wife	Clark, John, age 43, college professor "Ellen, age 80, wid Clark, Lou, age 45, laborer, coton mill "Mary, age 40
1935 Directory		Holcombe, Mildred Mrs.
1940 Census		4 apartments
1945 Directory		Holcombe, Mildred Mrs.
1950 Directory		Warren, Elizabeth
1960 Directory		Walters, Lelia W Mrs. Mitchell, Clara M Mrs.
1970 Directory		Martin, Vivian O Mrs.
1977 Directory		Adams, Raymond C
1984 Directory		Moore, Richard
1990 Directory		Vacant

2015 Assessor	Owner	Dixon, David Kent
2020 Assessor	Transfer	Dixon, David Kent to DRHA, \$13,000
2020 Assessor	Transfer	DRHA to Ramsey Historic Properties LLC, \$10,000

Bee 23 Mar 1922: Dr. John Clark and Rev. A. H. Clark, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Fred Clark, have returned to their respective homes at Hampton Sidney and Strasburg, Va.

Bee 29 Sep 1922: Mrs. Fred Clarke and son John Clarke, left this week for New York ...

Bee 4 Dec 1922: Arthur Clarke, of Washington, D.C., who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Fred Clarke, 218 Jefferson Ave., has returned to his home.

Bee 20 Jun 1923: Mrs. Fred Clarke and son John Clarke, of this city, left Danville Monday night for an extensive tour which will occupy some six weeks or more. They go to New Orleans, thence by the Sunset route to El Paso and thence to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado and onward through matchless scenic splendor to the Pacific. Returning they will visit Yellowstone Park and many of the far western and middle western cities and points of interest.

Bee 9 Nov 1923: Rev. and Mrs. Arthur F. Clark, of Strasburg, Va., who have been the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Fred Clarke, 218 Jefferson avenue, left yesterday for their home.

Bee 22 Mar 1924: Fred Clarke fell as he was getting on the street car and has been confined to his bed for two weeks.

Bee 7 Nov. 1924: Mrs. Fred Clarke continues quite sick at General Hospital.

Bee 20 Nov 1926: Mrs. Fred Clarke was hostess last night at her home on Jefferson street to the First Presbyterian church choir. A delightful evening was spent.

Bee 1 Aug 1930: William Thomas Clarke ... was found dead in his bed at this home, 218 Jefferson Avenue ... by his wife who went to call him to breakfast ...

Bee 24 Sep 1930: Mrs. Fred [Ellen White] Clarke ... passed way this morning at her home on Jefferson avenue. ... Her husband, a former well known druggist, preceded her to the grave a number of years ago. ...

Bee 6 Dec 1930: For Sale: All household and kitchen furniture of Mrs. Fred Clarke, including books and a few antiques. All sold at a sacrifice. Can be seen at any time. 218 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 25 Jan 1934: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lewis announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Virginia, to Willie Edward Chaney ... Mr. and Mrs. Chaney are at home, 218 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 6 Aug 1943: A warrant charging John Holcombe, of 218 Jefferson Avenue, a soldier here on leave, with disorderly conduct was dismissed in police court ...

Bee 2 May 1946: William H. Warren of 218 Jefferson Avenue, is a patient at Memorial Hospital.

Laban Silverman House

PID 24031



1881 Directory		
1881 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1920 Cerisus 1927 Directory		Silverman, Laban
1927 Directory	Renter	Silverman, Laban, age 38, merchant, clothier
1950 Cellsus	Wife	" Berthon, age 37
	Daughter	" Sylvia , age 13
	Son	" Leonard B, age 10
	Daughter	" Leona M, age 4
	Son	" Lawrence, age 6/12
1935 Directory	5011	Silverman, Laban
1935 Directory	Owner	Silverman, Laban, age 48, part owner, retail clothing
1940 Census	Wife	" Bertha, age 48, saleslady, retail clothing
	Daughter	" Sylvia H, age 23, secretary, real estate
	Son	" Leonard, age 19
	Daughter	" Leona M, age 4
1945 Directory	Daughter	Pattisall, J Robert
1950 Directory		Pattisall, Walter H
1960 Directory		Pattisall, Walter H
1970 Directory		Pattisall, Walter H
1977 Directory		Pattisall, Walter H
1981 Directory		Pattisall, Walter H
1981 Directory		Pattisall, Lorena J Mrs.
1984 Directory		Pattisall, Lorena J Mrs.
2014 Assessor	Transfer	Pattisall, Lorena Jennings to Bass, Sara
	Transfer	
2014 Assessor		Bass, Sara to DRHA, \$0
2018 Assessor	Transfer	DRHA to Jones, Adam, \$95,000

Bee 4 Dec 1922: On Wednesday night a brilliant reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laban Silverman on Jefferson avenue in honor of Miss Rae Diamond, of Kington, N.C., the young woman being a guest at the Silverman home. ...

Bee 22 Feb 1923: An interesting double wedding in which Harry Silverman, a well-known young Danville citizen and merchant, is one of the bridegrooms ... his bride being Miss Rae Diamond ... The other bride was Miss Dora Diamond, who in the same ceremony which united her sister and Mr. Silverman, became the wife of Jack Lipman, of Durham.

Bee 7 Feb 1928: Wanted – Colored Girl for Housework and look after baby. Apply Mrs. Laban Silverman, 221 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 13 Jan 1941: The wedding ceremony of Miss Sylvia Hortense Silverman ... was performed at the home of the bride's parents, 221 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 14 Jan 1941: Leonard "Buddy" Silverman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laban Silverman of 221 Jefferson Avenue, left this morning for Richmond where he is to be inducted into the U.S. Army Air Corps ...

Bee 17 Nov 1944: Cpl. Leonard S. Hall ... has been awarded the Silver Star Medal for heroic service ... with the 2nd Armored Division in France. His wife, Mrs. Mildred Lee Hall, resides at 221 Jefferson Avenue.

Robert Ross House

PID 25247



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Head Wife	Earp, William, age 33, salesman, hardware store "Gertrude, age 33
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Tudor, W P
1930 Census	Renter Wife Roomer Roomer Roomer	Tudor, Walter, age 48, agent, life insurance "Anna E, age 38, cashier, life insurance Kesker, George, age 28, clerk, cotton mill Kendell, Henry, age 25 Gilliam, W, age 45
1935 Directory		Tudor, Walter P
1940 Census	Renter Son Daughter Son Daughter Granddau Grandson Grandson Grandson Renter Wife	 Talbott, Mary B, age 59, wid " William, age 33, sheet metal, roofing " Garnett, age 30 " Skidmore, age 20, circulations, newspaper Keck, Juliette, age 35, new worker " Bettie Belle, age 13 " Harold Jr., age 12 " Benlaly, age 10 " Jules, age 8 Gregory, Clyde, age 28, salesman, wholesale meats " Pauline, age 24, trained nurse, doctor's office
1945 Directory		Talbott, Mary B Mrs.
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		Thornton Terrace furnished rooms Thornton, Jesse L
1970 Directory	rear	Thornton Terrace furnished rooms Lell, Ola R Mrs.
1977 Directory		Bryant, Howard Custer, Allan Mullins, Lloyd A Shorter, Paul Thomasson, John E

	rear	Lell, Ola R Mrs.
1977 Victrn Dv		
1981 Directory		Bryant, Howard
		Custer, Allan
		Coffee, Eddie
		Dameron, Vincent
1984 Directory		Bryant, Howard
		Custer, Allan
1990 Directory		
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Chambers, Pamela W to Erday, Linda & Johnson, Donald, \$23,800
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Erday, Linda to Johnson, Donald Randall, \$0
2017 Assessor	Transfer	Johnson, Donald Randall to DRHA, \$16,800
2018 Assessor	Transfer	DRHA to Cornely, Sabina L, \$30,000

Bee 30 Jan 1923: Wanted – Middle aged woman for general housework and nurse. Apply 225 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 27 Dec 1939: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. York have announced the marriage of their daughter, Pauline Lenora, to Clyde Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregory of Axton. ... Mr. and Mrs. Gregory will be at home at 225 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 24 Jun 1940: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shields, of Lawrence, Long Island, are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. W. E. Talbott, 225 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 27 Jun 1942: Skidmore H. Talbott, son of Mrs. W. E. Talbott, of 225 Jefferson Avenue, left today for Langley Field where he will report for training as a glider pilot ...

Bee 12 May 1943: Mrs. W. E. Talbott, Jefferson Avenue, has as her guests her daughter, Mrs. George Elfing, of Hartford, Conn., and her son, Pfc. Skidmore Talbott of Stockton, California.

Bee 4 Feb 1946: Cpl. Skidmore Talbott, son of Mrs. W. E. Talbott of 225 Jefferson Avenue, has arrived at Fort Bragg, N.C., after serving in Calcutta, India ...

Bee 26 Mar 1946: Mrs. George Elfving of Hartford, Conn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Talbott, who is ill at her home on Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 15 July 1947: Jules Keck, 225 Jefferson Ave., was treated for a lacerated left arm at Memorial Hospital last night ...

Bee 14 Oct 1947: Mrs. W. E. Talbott, of Jefferson Avenue, is a patient at Memorial Hospital.

Bee 16 Mar 1955: Divers in this accident ... Vernon Reid Goolsby of 225 Jefferson avenue.

Register 26 Aug 1971: Allen George Custer, 22, of 225 Jefferson St. has been bound over on a charge of breaking and entering ...

Bee 7 Sep 1972: ... Wayne Bousman of 225 Jefferson Ave. reported the theft of a shotgun from his parked car during last night.

Bee 7 Sep 1972: In a complaint filed with police shortly after six o'clock this morning, Wayne Bousman of 225 Jefferson Ave. reported the theft of a shotgun from his parked car during last night.

Bee 13 Mar 1974: The funeral of 47-year-old Richard Lee Toler of 225 Jefferson Ave., Danville, Va., will be held tomorrow ... Mr. Toler died yesterday at Semora, N.C. ...

PID 24691



1991 Directory			
1881 Directory			
1888 Directory			
1890 Directory			
1900 Census	Renter		Thomas, Harry W, age 31, druggist
	Wife		" Lucy T, age 32
	Daughter		" Daugherthy T, age 7/12
	Boarder		Talbott, Greenville P, age 35. Clerk (Southern Railway)
	Servant		Early, Ellen, age 51, wid. servant (B)
1910 Census	Renter		Wray, Katie A, age 46, wid
	Sister		Abbott, Josie, age 40
	Brother		" John R, age 58, wid
1920 Census	Renter		Loyd, Robert A, age 30, lumber inspector
	Wife		" Adelaid, age 29
	Daughter		" Nancy Rose, age 4-2/12
	Daughter		" Beverley, age 2-11/12
	Son		" Robert A, age 1-2/12
	Roomer		Travis, Anne L, age 21, telephone operator
	Roomer		Grantham, Gordon, age 30, traveling salesman
	Roomer		" Grayson, age 19
	Servant		Jennings, Sallie, age 18, house maid (B)
	Renter	в	Larmire, Walles, age 43, bookkeeper
	Wife	-	" Elizabeth, age 33
	Daughter		" Anna, age 6
	Roomer		Arron, Rosa L, age 40, trained nurse
	Roomer		Smith, Joan, age 22, high school teacher
	Roomer		Clark, Maisy, age 20, stenographer
1927 Directory	Roomer		Yates, J R
1527 Directory		А	Jordan, Sarah G Mrs., clerk, Efird's Dept. Store
		В	Hodges, Maggie, Miss, saleslady, L. Herman
1930 Census	Renter	D	Yeatts, John R, age 62, salesman, department store
T220 CELISUS	Wife		" Mary, age 58
	Son		" Stoner L, age 24, invalid
	Son		
			" Harvie A, age 19
	Renter		Poindexter, Russell D, age 37, clerk, tobacco warehouse
	Wife		" Kathryn W, age 23
	Daughter		"Kathryn R, age 4/12

1935 Directory		Yates, John R Carlton, Ida G Mrs. Watts, Edward E
1940 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Renter Daughter Lodger Lodger Lodger	Yates, John R, age 72, salesman, department store " Cornelia, age 57 " Ernest, age 37, collector for lawyer " Stover, age 34, insurance salesman " Harvey, age 30, salesman, department store Duncan, J Harvey, age 60 " Sallie, age 62 " Alice G, age 38, telephone operator " Annie L, age 36, telephone operator Carlton, Ida, age 38, div " Dorothy, age 13 Paris, Fred, age 36, div, glazier, glass company White, Lonnie, age 41, barber " Thelma, age 38, looping, knitting mill
1945 Directory	ļ I	Yates, J R Drew, Eugene W
1950 Directory	ł	Yates, John R Jr. Slade, Mae E Brehmer, Hettie L Mrs.
1960 Directory	i	,
1970 Directory	ł	Marchand, Eunice D Mrs.
1977 Directory	ł	Marchand, Eunice D Mrs.
1981 Directory	i	Marchand, Eunice D Mrs.
1984 Directory		Carter, Virginia
1990 Directory		Vacant
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Shields Jr., George H to L & G Rentals LLC, \$0
2014 Assessor	Transfer	L & G Rentals LLC to DRHA, \$30,000
2020 Assessor	Transfer	DRHA to Ramsey, Duff N, \$15,000

Times Dispatch 25 Jul 1909: Mrs. H. W. Thomas, Jefferson Street, entertained on Tuesday morning at cards in honor of Miss Violet Husted, of Tarrytown-in-the-Hudson ...

Bee 29 Jan 1927: The home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Yates, Jr., was ... the scene of a beautiful marriage ... when their daughter, Miss Lucille Yates, became the bride of Ernest Linwood Bennett ...

Bee 10 Mar 1927: The Woman's Union prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Yates, 226-B Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 9 Jan 1928: Mr. and Mrs. John R. Yates, Jefferson avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Nancy, to Dr. Miles Parker Omohundro, Thursday January sixth, 1928, at the University of Virginia.

Bee 26 Sep 1928: Mrs. M. P. Omohundro. Of Washington, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yates, 226 Jefferson avenue, left today to attend the Shelton-Blackwell marriage at the University of Virginia.

Bee 22 Apr 1929: O. W. Yates, of Roanoke, and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bennett and daughter, of Ringgold, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yates on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 18 Jan 1930: Birth to H H Goodwin, 226 Jefferson street, Ernest Herman

Bee 10 Feb 1934: Board and room for two girls or man and wife, in private family. Apply Mrs. Carlton, 226 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 9 Dec 1938: Herman Black, a youth who lives at 604 Wilson street, was severely injured when the bicycle he was riding was in a collision with a car driven by R. T. Hargrove, 226 Jefferson avenue, at the intersection of Jefferson and Patton.

Bee 15 Sep 1941: ... The second alarm brought out the Bridge street apparatus to 226 Jefferson avenue, home of J. R. Yeatts. The motor of an electric refrigerator had caught fire ...

Bee 3 Jul 1944: Along with other members of his unit, Cpl. Harvey Yates of 226 Jefferson Avenue has earned the commendation of his commanding general ...

Bee 10 Jun 1950: Harvey A. Yates, son of John R. Yates, of 226 Jefferson avenue, recently graduated from Capitol Radio and Television Institute in Washington, D.C. ...

Bee 7 May 1952: 2 Bedroom apt. 226 Jefferson Ave. Call 103

Bee 7 Mar 1957: John Richard Yates succumbed this morning ... a member of the Main St. Methodist Church, the Modern Woodmen of America, and he resided at 226 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 14 Sep 1960: Elderly companion wants room, etc., small wage. 226 Jefferson

Bee 1 Jul 1963: Funeral rites for Mrs. Hettie Brehmer, off 266-B Jefferson Ave., were held Saturday ...

Bee 14 Mar 1964: Mrs. Eunice Marchand of Jefferson Avenue is an operative patient in University of Virginia Hospital, Charlottesville.

Bee 16 Mar 1970: Damages were estimated at \$275 when an automobile driven by Stover Linwood Yates of 226 Jefferson St. ran into the rear of another ...

Register 23 May 1976: Graig Alan McGraw, 20, of 226 Jefferson St., was charged with possession of marijuana ...

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Johnson, Tood, domestic (B) " Wallace, driver (B)
1900 Census		Elliott, Miss E L " Miss Mattie " Mrs. M E
1910 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Renter Son Renter	 Fitzgerald, Nathan A, age 55, brick manufacturer " Nora L, age 33 " Bledsoe A, age 22, bookkeeper, cotton mill " Herbert B, age 19, bookkeeper, brick yard Murray, Lizzie, age 35, wrapper picker, tobacco factory (B) " Wilson, age 19, laborer, odd jobs (B) Campbell, Alberta, age 33, wrapper picker, tobacco factory (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Daughter	Greenway, John B, age 43, photographer, own shop "Maude, age 39 "Nell, age 17 "Ralph, age 16 "Ruth, age 12
1927 Directory		Sonnenberg, Louisa Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Sister Niece Niece	Sonenberg, Selma, age 45, merchant, ready to wear Mandel, Fannie R, age 43, merchant, ready to wear "Juliette, age 23 "Ida, age 21
1935 Directory		Sonnenburg, Selma Mandle, Juliette, nurse
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Sonnenburg, Selma Mandle, Fannie S Mrs. Sanders, Joseph E
1950 Directory		Hamilton, Hubert A
1960 Directory		Thornton Terrace furnished rooms
1970 Directory		Thornton, Pearl R Mrs.
1977 Directory		Thornton, Pearl R Mrs.
1981 Directory		Thornton, Pearl R Mrs.
1984 Directory		Thornton, Pearl R Mrs.
1990 Directory		Thornton Terrace boarding home Thornton, Pearl R Mrs.
2015 Assessor		With 225

Bee 11 Sep 1922: The home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sonnenburg on Jefferson avenue was the scene of a dance ... in honor of Misses Ida and Lillian Harris of High Point, Miss Rose Harris of Thomasville, N.C., and Miss Rebeca Arenson, Harrisburg, Pa. The above named young ladies have been visiting here ...

Bee 7 Feb 1925: Wanted At Once: Good housegirl. Apply 227 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 27 Jun 1929: The death occurred this morning ... of Mrs. Max Sonnenberg at her home, 227 Jefferson avenue following a long illness. She was 76 years old ... Until illness prevented, she was an active member of Aetz Chayim synagogue. Her husband, Max Sonnenberg, preceded her to the grave five years ago, but she is survived by the following children: Miss Elma Sonnenberg, Mrs. Fannye S. Mandle, Mrs. Morris Turk, Mrs. Laban Silverman, and Sam Sonnenberg. ...

Bee 15 Nov 1935: The regular meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club was held ... at the home of Mrs. Fannye S. Mandle on Jefferson avenue. ...

Bee 3 Oct 1939: The Senior Hadassah chapter of Danville will meet ... with Miss Juliet Mandle at her home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 11 Dec 1939: The Helping Hand Society will meet ... at the home of Miss Selma Sonnenburg, 227 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 12 Dec 1947: ... The automobile of Julian R, Adams parked in front of his home, 227 Jefferson Avenue, was struck and damaged early last night by a passing car, the driver of which failed to stop ...

Bee 17 Jan 1966: Martha Pauline Mathis, of 773 Main St., was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of malicious damage to property of Pearl Thornton at 227 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 11 Feb 1970: Luther Thomas Turner, 55, of 227 Jefferson Avenue, was taken into custody yesterday ... allegedly for failing to show up in court and skipping his bond.

Bee 23 Jul 1971: Howard Winston Bryant Jr., 28, of 227 Jefferson Ave., was arrested On a charge of defrauding Virginia National Bank of \$123.

W. S. Patton House

PID 23023



1880 Census	Head	Patton, Wm. S., age 60, banker
	Son	" Wm. F, age 29, banker
	Son	" Allen, age 23, clerk in bank
	Servant	" Harriett, age 45, servant (B)
	Servant	" Sallie, age 24, servant (B)
	Servant	" Geo, age 15, servant (B)
	Tenant	McGerhie, Lewis, servant (B)
	Tenant	Patton, Mary, age 9, servant (B)
	Tenant	" Fannie, age 6 (B)
	Tenant	" Florence, age 1
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Patton, Mrs. Allen, wid
		Redd, Delphia, domestic (B)
		Scales, Emma, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner	Patton, Henry C, age 32
	Daughter	" Katie R, age 16
	Son	" Henry C, age 15
	Daughter	" Blanch L, age 13
	Servant	Hairston, Lou, age 29, servant (B)
	Servant	" Mary B, age 11, servant (B)
1910 Census	Owner	Patton, J A, age 48, wid
	Son	" Henry C, age 25, cashier, bank
	Daughter	" Blanch L, age 23
	Servant	Smith, Hattie, age 18, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Owner	Dickson, Howard, age 48, superintendent, lumber
	Wife	" Lena, age 48
	Son	" Ben, age 16
1927 Directory		Crews, J B
1930 Census	Owner	Crews, John B, age 55, merchant, wholesale groceries
	Wife	" Lilly B, age 37
	Son	" Brooks B, age 8
	Daughter	" Lilly L, age 6
	Daughter	" Ellen L, age 4
	Owner	Dickerson, James H, age 59, superintendent, lumber company
	Wife	" Delphia, age 39, teacher, public school
1935 Directory		Dickerson, J Howard

		Crews, John B
1940 Census	Owner	Keck, Russell A, age 40, bookkeeper, imperial company
	Wife	" L Mabel, age 41
	Daughter	" Jean Carroll, age 14
	Son	" Russell A Jr., age 9
	Daughter	" Patricia Ann, age 8
	Son	" James William, age 7
	Cousin	Vaden, Theodosia, age 42
	Owner	Crew, Lillie B, age 47, wid
	Son	" Edward B, age 18
	Daughter	" Louise, age 16
	Daughter	" Ella Lee, age 14
1945 Directory		Keck, Russell A
	В	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1950 Directory		Keck, Russell A
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1960 Directory	а	Keck, Russell A
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1970 Directory	а	Keck, Mabel D Mrs.
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1977 Directory	а	Keck, Mabel D Mrs.
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1981 Directory	а	Keck, Mabel D Mrs.
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1984 Directory	а	Vacant
	b	Crews, Lillie B Mrs.
1990 Directory	а	Vacant
	b	Vacant
2001 Tour		J. Allen Patton House
	Owner	Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Maddox, Sr.
2015 Assessor	Owner	Wellbank, William J

Richmond Dispatch 8 Mar 1855: Arrivals ... Exchange Hotel ... Wm. S. Patton ...

Alexandria Gazette 20 Nov 1866: the award of prizes for the best samples of tobacco offered by Wm. S. Patton, a banker of Danville, took place here last Thursday ...

Richmond Dispatch 18 Oct 1870: Lost of stolen, a draft, dated New Orleans, August 9, 1870, Drawn by Thos. F. Patton on William S. Patton, Danville, Va., with current rate of exchange on New York at 90 days after date, for \$350. The above draft having been lost or stolen in transit by the mail, all persons are hereby warned against buying or trading for the same, as payment has been stopped.

Norfolk Virginian 24 Jan 1877: ... Messrs. Wm. S. Paton, Sons & Co. ... pay the checks of two of the largest warehouses, amounting to nearly one half of the whole tobacco trade ...

Wilmington Morning Star 26 Jan 1877: Mrs. Catharine A. Patton, of Danville, wife of Wm. S. Patton, the banker, dies last Friday.

Richmond Dispatch 25 Dec 1883: Mr. William S. Patton, banker, of Danville, Va., is in Richmond visiting his son, Major J. D. Patton, and his old fellow citizens, Messrs. A. Y. Stokes and James B. Pace.

Charlotte Observer 3 Oct 1884: Danville, Va., Oct. 2, William S. Patton, senior partner in the banking house W. S. Patton Sons & Co., dies this morning.

Roanoke Times

Times-Dispatch 2 Jun 1904: Miss Kathryn Ross Patton, of Danville, Va., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James D. Patton, on West Franklin Street, has left for her home in Danville.

Times-Dispatch 5 Feb 1911: Mrs. Allen Patton entertained about forty of her friends at bridge ... at her home on Jefferson Avenue. ...

Times-Dispatch 5 Mar 1911: Miss Margaret Sedgwick, of Richmond, who is the attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Patton, on Jefferson Avenue, was ... the guest of honor ... when Mrs. Allen Patton asked several friends for a game of Euchre. ...

Bee 8 Jan 1924: Mr. and Mrs. John B. Crews, Jefferson avenue, announce the birth of a daughter, Lillian Louise, January 5, 1924.

Bee 23 Dec 1924: Mrs. O. J. Marchand was hostess at ... the home of her father, J. H. Dickenson, on Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 20 Apr 1925: Mrs. O. J. Marchand left Friday to join her husband in Pittsburgh, Pa., after visiting her father, J. H. Dickenson, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 25 Aug 1927: J. H. Dickerson is confined to his home on Jefferson avenue on account of an abscessed foot.

Bee 9 May 1929: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dickenson and aunt, Mrs. William Marvin, of Connecticut, are visiting Howard Dickenson, on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 18 Oct 1935: A meeting of the Averett Art Club was held ... at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Dickerson, Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 15 Apr 1939: First Presbyterian Circle No. 4 – Mrs. Russell Keck, leader, with Mrs. Keck ...

Bee 15 Jan 1940: Funeral service for William Frank keck were conducted from the home of his son pm Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 21 Jun 1940: Mrs. O. J. Marchand of Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. O. M. Wallingford, of Rochester, New Hampshire, are the house guests of Mrs. Russell Keck, Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 3 Apr 1941: Miss Mary Crews ... is slowly recuperating at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. B. Crews, Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 7 Jun 1947: For Sale: '35 Plymouth Deluxe Coupe, new motor and tires, A-1 condition. 237 Jefferson Ave. Phone 3367-M.

Bee 12 Apr 1957: Mrs. J. B. Crews has returned to her home on Jefferson Avenue after attending the funeral of her brother, John M. Brooks, in Hendersonville, N.C.

Bee 4 Dec 1961: Russell Aubrey Keck, 62, died in Memorial Hospital ... making his home at 230 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 3 Nov 1962: Mrs. Pat Gay entertained at a birthday party for her mother, Mrs. Russell Keck, at the Keck home. 230 Jefferson Avenue. ...

Register 4 Oct 1970: First Baptist Circle No. 13 ... with Miss Lee Crews, 230 Jefferson Avenue.

Tour Book 2001:

Complex geometry and the patterns created by contrasting-colored brick, make this one of the most visually lively houses on the street, and an important contributor to the row of four similar brick houses, all dating from the last half of the 1 880s. The house at 230 Jefferson Avenue was built in 1886 for J. Allen Patton, a partner in the venerable local banking firm of W.S. Patton Sons & Company. At the time of his death only a few years later, he was a partner in Patton & Talbott, selling fire, life and accident insurance, and real estate. His widow continued to live here for about the next fifteen years.

Prior to its acquisition by the present owners in 1990, the house changed hands infrequently over the 70 years after the Patton heirs conveyed the property to Morris Halperin in 1919. Families such as the Dickersons, Crews, and Kecks, for example, resided here for many years or even decades. Mr. & Mrs. Coleman Maddox, Sr., who live here today beside their son, Mr. C.B. Maddox, Jr., and other energetic urban pioneers like Mr. William Wellbank who also lives next door, have made the reclamation of Jefferson Avenue a continuing project, house by house, for well over a decade.



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son	Crews, James D, age 47, real estate agent "Sallie H, age 45, night school teacher "Louise A, age 20 "Grasty J, age 17
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census	Renter Daughter Sister Mother Roomer Roomer	Spencer, Lottie B, age 39 "Lillian, age 10 Arvin, Iva B, age 37, teacher, public school Bruce, L Verl, age 70 Bonie, Vertie, age 20 Barnes, Clara, age 17
1935 Directory		Woodall, Roy L
1940 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son Daughter Renter Wife Renter Wife	 Woodall, Roy L, age 49, solicitor, steam laundry " Ruth, age 45 " Hallie, age 21, timekeeper, steam laundry " Marion, age 16 " John, age 12 " Harold, age 11 " Janet, age 6 Carter, Leonard, age 25, rough dryer, steam laundry " Naomi, age 25, sorter, steam laundry " Naomi, age 33, receiving clerk, department store " Eva, age 34, bundle wrapper, department store
1945 Directory		Woodall, R Lawson
1950 Directory		Woodall, R Lawson
1960 Directory		Woodall, Roy L
1970 Directory		Vacant
1977 Directory		Adkins, Alf
1981 Directory		Voges, Joseph W
1984 Directory		Voges, Joseph W

		Bumpass, Louis Phelps, Landon Crumb, George N
1990 Directory	1	Boges, Billy
	2	Dobson, Jonathan
	3-4	Vacant
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Powell, William K to Wellbank, William J, \$16,500
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Wellbank, William J to Madwell LLC, \$0
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Madwell to Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E, \$26,900
2015 Assessor	Owner	Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E

Demolished

Times Dispatch 13 Mar 1910: Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lyles, of Spartansburg, S.C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crews, Jefferson Street.

Bee 29 May 1923: Miss Kate Woolfolk, of Richmond, Va., who has been spending the winter at Southern Pines, N.C., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Crews, 233 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 9 Nov 1923: Mrs. N. H. Hairston, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cres, Jefferson avenue, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilson, Cascade, Va.

Bee 11 Apr 1940: Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Owen, of Brosville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Eva Elizabeth, to Noel Franklin Jones ... Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make their home at 233 Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 18 Jul 1953: Mrs. Robert M. Erwin and daughter, Ruth Lois, of Santa Clara, Calif., are arriving by plane tomorrow for a two weeks visit with Mrs. Erwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Woodall, 233 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 6 Dec 1969: Jack Pruitt of 233 Jefferson Ave., Danville, was given five years in prison ... with all but one year suspended

Albert Gerst House

PID 23606



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Gerst, Albert (Stultz, Lisberger & Co.) Barber, Fannie, domestic (B) Galloway, Annie, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter	Frank, Gabriel, age 41, jeweler "Ella R, age 26 "Estelle, age 3
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son Son Servant Servant	Frank, Gabriel, age 48, jeweler, own business " Ellen, age 35 " Estel H, age 13 " Louis P, age 10 " Gerald M, age 4 Cole, Belle, age 18, cook, private family (B) Dash, Adel, age 16, nurse, family (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Servant Servant	 Frank, Gabriel, age 60, general merchant " Ella, age 22 " Louis, age 19 " Gerald, age 14 McCain, Mattie, age 22, house servant (B) " Mary, age 17, house servant (B)
1927 Directory		Frank, Gabriel
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Whitler, Richard L
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Lodger Lodger Lodger	 Whitler, R L, age 52, conductor, southern railway " Nonie, age 41, operator, telephone " Richard, age 13 " Jimmy, age 8 " Billie, age 6 Mehan, Mildred, age 22, bookkeeper, jewelry company Cross, Polly, age 24, office lady, cleaning company Hill, Claiborne, age 21, glass cutter, glass company
1945 Directory		Crane, Lottie Mrs.
1950 Directory		Jones, Ernest F
1960 Directory		Vacant
1970 Directory		Phelps, Charles A

1977 Directory		Phillips, Marie O Mrs.
1981 Directory		Moore, Haram
1984 Directory		Cole, Gladys Mrs.
1986 Tour	Owner	Mr. Robert Bragg and Mr. Greg Williams
1990 Directory		Williams, Greg
1997 Assessor	Transfer	To Maddox, Coleman B Sr. & Martha C, \$37,000
2000 Assessor	Transfer	Maddox Sr. to Maddox, Coleman B Jr. & Wellbank, William J, \$0
2000 Tour	Owner	Mr. C. B. Maddox and Mr. William J. Wellbank
2020 Assessor	Transfer	Maddox & Wellbank to Adams, Mindy Jenean & Brandon, \$112,500

Times Dispatch 27 Mar 1910: Mrs. Josephine Herman, of New York, id the guest of Mrs. G. Frank, on Jefferson Street.

Bee 25 Oct 1924: Mrs. Rose Jakobus, of New York, is spending several weeks with her sister, Ms. G. Frank, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 16 Nov 1925: For Sale: Entire dining room suite. Apply 234 Jefferson Ave. or Phone 785-W.

Bee 27 Apr 1928: For Rent: On account of death of owner, jewelry store which has been successfully run for 45 years ... Mrs. G. Frank, 234 Jefferson Ave ...

Bee 27 May 1935: Wanted: Girl to assist magician on stage. No experience necessary, \$14.00 per week to start. 234 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 19 Oct 1946: Display Ad: Executor's Auction Sale, Dwelling No. 234 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 9 Jan 1950: Display Ad: Valuable Brick Home, 234 Jefferson Ave., at Auction ...

Bee 26 May 1954: Display Ad: Auction Sale ... Good investment property – Brick apartment house ... Convenient location – at 234 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 19 May 1956: On his 35th birthday tomorrow, William R. McCollum ... will be ordained ...Mr. McCullum is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCollum, 234 Jefferson Ave. ...

Register 6 Dec 1967: Mrs. W. J. Geary of Winter Park, Fla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phelps on Jefferson Ave.

Register 17 Jab 1969: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phelps of 234 Jefferson Ave. have returned from Winter Park, Fla., where they attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Mary Sharon Geary.

Bee 26 Feb 1971: ... a half gallon of milk was found stolen from the porch of C. A. Phelps of 234 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 29 Jun 1972: Mrs. C. A. Felts of 234 Jefferson Ave. is a patient in memorial Hospital for treatment of a broken hip.

Bee 5 Dec 1972: C. A. Phelps of 234 Jefferson Ave. is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital.

Tour Book 1986:

One in a series of four brick "townhouses," this stylish urban dwelling exhibits many details typical of eclectic 1880s Queen Anne domestic architecture — encaustic tile, stained glass, and intricate ceiling medallions, as well as complex massing and terra- cotta ornament on the facade. Of four similar brick houses, the one at 234 Jefferson was probably the first constructed of the group. Its fifty-foot lot, number 21, was among the first developed from the acreage once owned by W. S. Patton. The handsome two- story brick house, built in 1885 for Albert and Sabina Gerst, was first assessed at \$4,800. Affiliated with the leaf tobacco manufacturing firm of Stultz, Lisberger and Co., on Lynn and Franklin streets, Mr. Gerst was a son of Joseph and Amelia Gerst. The Gersts, who came to Danville in the 1850s, were among the first persons of German Jewish descent to settle here.

In 1899 Mr. and Mrs. Gerst sold their house to Gabriel and Ella Frank. For the next thirty years, Mr. and Mrs. Frank lived here with their sons and daughter on Jefferson Avenue, which during the early years of this century was a fashionable address for many Jewish families owing to the proximity of two houses of worship — Aetz Chayim Synagogue, which was recently demolished on Wilson Street, and Temple Beth Sholem on Sutherlin Avenue- After the death of Mr. Frank, who was for many years a jeweler and optician on Main Street, his house was sold in 1930 to settle his estate. New owners Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitler lived here for the next sixteen years. Even after its sale to several absentee owners, the property remained a single- family dwelling until the 1970s.

Earlier this year the present owners purchased the house from George Shields, Jr. In several months' time Mr. Bragg and Mr. Williams have made great strides toward returning the structure to its Victorian elegance — removing temporary partitions installed when the house was converted to a number of apartments, repairing and painting the principal rooms downstairs, and completing most of the restoration on the handsome conservatory to the left of the parlor. Mr. Bragg, who is working toward a bachelor's degree in architecture — with a concentration in historic preservation — at Virginia Tech; and Mr. Williams, who has considerable expertise in dealing with old buildings; are both well-prepared for the task of completing the restoration this singular house deserves. In nearly every room interesting architectural details in wood, mouldings and plaster abound — all drawn from the Victorian Renaissance, Eastlake, and Neo-Greco styles, among other sources. Especially dramatic is the massive corner fireplace and mantel with beveled mirror, all original, in the parlor, and an English chandelier, added by the owners, but gracing the entrance hall as if it had been there when the house was brand new a hundred years ago.

Tour Book 2000:

One in a row of similar "townhouses" dating from the 1880s, the richly ornamental dwelling at 234 Jefferson Avenue exhibits details typical of Queen Anne style—complex massing enriched by architectural terra-cotta and enlivened by stained- and leaded-glass windows. Whether one looks down at the encaustic tiled porch, or up to intricate ceiling medallions inside, the structure is an eclectic mix of color and pattern.

It was constructed in 1885 for Albert and Sabina Gerst, among the first persons of German Jewish descent to settle in Danville. Early in the 20th century, Jefferson Avenue remained an

address of choice for many Jewish families owing to the proximity of Aetz Chayim Synagogue on Wilson Street, and Temple Beth Sholem on Sutherlin Avenue.

The house at 234 Jefferson Avenue continued as a single-family dwelling until the 1970s. In 1986, energetic urban pioneers Mr. Robert Bragg and Mr. Greg Williams began restoration to reclaim the property as a house after several years' use as multiple apartments. Their work has continued in the hands of the present owners, C. B. Maddox and William J. Wellbank, who have succeeded in reclaiming original features, set off with furnishings appropriate to the structure's late-19th-century origins.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Chalmers, Miss Emmie
		Hobson, William C, tobacconist
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Renter Wife Boarder Renter	 Hodges, James R, age 63, proprietor, blacksmith shop " Cora E, age 48 Rice, Andrew C, age 25, professional ball player " Margaret P, age 22 Dance, Daniel F, age 21, manager, insurance co. Price, Josephine, age 25, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Renter Wife Daughter Son	Robinette, William age 38, salesman, department store " Alma, age 26 " William, age 7 Moore, Lyman, age 28, buyer, own self " Olive, age 27 " Mattiebell, age 5 " Oliver, age 1
1927 Directory		Vacant
1930 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Roomer Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Son	Manley, Walter H, age 37, agent "Ethel M, age 28 "Walter H Jr., age 8 "Jack H, age 4 Crabtree, Richard, age 22 Woodall, Roy L, age 39, driver "Ruth, age 35 Naomi R, age 15 Halley F, age 11 Virginia, age 8 Marion E, age 6 John W, age 2 "Harroll R, age 1
1930 Directory		Woodwall, R L Manley, W H
1935 Directory		Slackenwalt, Harry V
1940 Census	Renter Wife Son Renter Daughter	Cash, Lloyd R, age 50, loom fixer, cotton mill "Hattie, age 44, spinner, cotton mill "Lloyd Jr., age 21, dresser, cotton mill Fowler, Mary, age 64 "Maxine, age 28, spooler, cotton mill
1945 Directory		Cash, Lloyd L
1950 Directory		Cash, Lloyd L Weatherford, Emmett L
1960 Directory		Vacant
1970 Directory		Webster, John R

1977 Directory		Vacant
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor	Owner	Jones, Benjamin F & Ann R
No building		

Bee 14 Feb 1966: Mrs. Hallie Turner, of 237 Jefferson Ave. reported a television set stolen from her home ...

Bee 1 Nov 1973: Det. L. T. Jones today charged Fannie Wright Luck, 35, of 237 Jefferson Ave., with issuing a worthless check ...

John Greene Lea House

PID 23473



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Son Son Servant	Lea, John G, age 66, salesman, tobacco " Mildred, age 46 " Banbella, age 22, tobacconist " Harry G, age 18, salesman, tobacco " Wallace B, age 17, second hand, tobacco factory " Stanley R, age 5 Price, Bessie, age 21, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Lodger Lodger	Lea, John G, age 75, tobacconist, speculator " Mary, age 54 " Stanley R, age 15 Simmons, Angie, age 43, teacher, public school " Louise, age 41, teacher, public school
1927 Directory		Lea, J G
1930 Census	Renter Dau-in-law Grandson Grandson Son-in-law Daughter Grandson Granddau Lodger	 Anglin, Flora A, age 67, wid Celia T, age 44, bookkeeper Robert, age 17, time keeper, knitting mill Harry, age 16, salesman, department store Whitter, Richard F, age 43, flagman, southern railway Orrie, age 34 Richard F, age 3 Hatchett, Lucille D, age 19, supervisor, telephone company Powell, Sue, age 25, graduate nurse
1930 Directory		Anglin, F A, Mrs.
1935 Directory		Hasselvander, Peter P Rev.
1940 Census		3 apartments
1945 Directory		Harper, William J
1950 Directory		Parker, Amber W Mrs. " Barbara W nurse
1960 Directory		Parker, Amber W Mrs.
1970 Directory		Five Forks Beauty Shop McDonald, Elmer V
1977 Directory		Five Forks Beauty Shop
		McDonald, Elmer V
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1981 Directory		Five Forks Beauty Shop
		McDonald, Elmer V
1984 Directory		Five Forks Beauty Shop
		McDonald, Elmer V
1990 Directory		Vacant
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Maddox, C B Jr. & Wellbank, W J to DRHA, \$20,000

Bee 4 Jul 1924: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lea and children, of Rocky Mount, North Carolina, left yesterday after spending two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lea, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 25 Jan 1927: Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Porter announce the marriage of their daughter, Mildred Irving, to Stanley Robinson Lea ... Mr. and Mrs. Lea will be at home at 238 Jefferson Ave., this city.

Bee 31 Dec 1927: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lea and sons, Frank and Mebane, of Wilson, N.C., are th guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. lea, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 15 Feb 1928: W. Bruce Lea, of Rocky Mont, N.C., is spending a few days in the city with his parents, Capt. And Mrs. John G. Lea, on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 18 Dec 1931: Mr. and Mrs. Gray Russell and two daughters, Eoto and Jennette, of Africa, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. P. P. Hasselvander, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 8 Oct 1935: Declining to accept a new call from his congregation, Rev. P. P. Hasselvander ... has accepted a call tendered him by the First Christian church of Radford ...

Bee 23 Jan 1954: The Private Duty Section of Six, Graduate Nurses Association, will hold its regular meeting ... at the home of Miss Bobby Parker, 238 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 24 Oct 1960: The private duty section of District Six, Virginia State Nurses Association, will meet ... with Miss Bobbye Parker, 238 Jefferson Avenue. ...

Bee 5 Nov 1962: Display Ad: ... Five Forks Beauty Shop, 238 Jefferson Ave, on the street floor ...

Bee 4 Jun 1971: A bold robbery by force ... The victim, John Pershington Terrell of 238 Jefferson Ave., told police that two young white men set upon him, beat him and took his billfold containing \$40. ...

PID 22003



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son Son Servant Servant	 Wilderman, Alburt, age 50, clothier " Mamie C, age 40 " May G, age 20 " Lillian H, age 19 " Joseph M, age 14 " Ignat, age 5 " Henry Robert, age 1 Gunn, Cadelia, age 28, wid, servant (B) Stephen, Mary, age 20, servant (B)
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Son Servant	Enright, John D, age 45, merchant, tailor " Martha J, age 42 " Mary A, age 18 " Allice J, age 17 " John D. Jr., age 15 Hunt, Agnes, age 80, wid, cook, private family 13 boarders
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Son Renter Wife Renter Wife Moth-in-law Lodger	Brown, H L, age 36, salesman, real estate "Cula, age 30 "Douglas, age 9 "Taylor, age 6 "Curtis, age 3 Gorde, L C, age 35, civil engineer "Ina M, age 24 Norton, W L, age 25, bookkeeper, railroad "Viola, age 21 Least, Lillian, age 45, wid, dressmaker, store Moore, Marg, age 29
1927 Directory	AB	Jefferson Apartments Dunn, R H Vacant
1930 Census		
1930 Directory		vacant
1935 Directory		Spotswood Apartments

	1	Slaughter, George W
	2	Goad, William L
	3	Hopper, P Duke
	4	Bell, M Kate Mrs.
1940 Census		4 apartments
1945 Directory		Spotswood Apartments
	1	Paris, Fred F
	2	Bell, Dora K Mrs.
	3	Farris, Elbert L
	4	Wicker, Lola
1950 Directory		Spotswood Apartments
	1	Buckner, William R
	2	Tyree, Russell N
1960 Directory		Spotswood Apartments
		Walters, Pearl H Mrs. boarding
		Marshall, Berlie
		George, Kenneth
1970 Directory		Walters, Pearl H Mrs. boarding house
		Phillips, Robert A
1977 Directory		Walters, Pearl H Mrs. boarding house
1981 Directory		MacFarley, David
		Fairfax, Aretta H, Mrs.
		Compton, Barry
		Quality Control Exterminating Co. Inc.
1984 Directory		Apartments
	1	Wiles, Roy
	2	Fairfax, Aretta H Mrs.
	3	Rone, Annetta
	4	Turner, David
	5	Winbush, Daniel
	6	Stevenson, Sharon
1990 Directory		Apartments
	1	Shirley, J
	3	Rone, Ireatha D Mrs.
	4	Wimfus, Patsy
	5	Noble, Larry E
	6	Hunt, Thomas J
2003 Assessor	Transfer	Martin MC Properties LLC to Wellbank, William J, \$16,500
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Wellbank, William J to Madwell LLC, \$0
2014 Assessor	Transfer	Madwell LLC to DRHA, \$85,600

Bee 24 Mar 1922: For Rent – Six-room flat, 240 Jefferson avenue. Phone 1389-W.

Bee 1 Jun 1942: ... The new prospective aviation cadet, who has already been inducted into the Air Corps at Maxwell Field, Ala., is Walter Ennis Barrick, Jr., of 240 Jefferson Avenue. ...

Bee 13 Jun 1946: Display Ad: ... Auction Sale, Apartment House, No. 240 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 15 Aug 1946: Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Farris, of Jefferson Avenue, announce the birth of a daughter, Rosemary Mariah, on August 9, at memorial Hospital.

Bee 4 Dec 1946: 1938 Buick Sedan, new '46 motor, radio, A-1 condition, \$1100.00. Apply 240 Jefferson Ave., after 5 p.m.

Bee 11 Jun 1955: ... Sonny Chumley and Abe Chumley, both of 240 Jefferson Ave., were fined \$20 each on charge of defrauding Mrs. M. L. Lynch of \$28 board bills ...

Register 20 Oct 1965: Archie Howard Kirkland, of 240 Jefferson Ave., drew a \$10 fine on a charge of passing a bad check for \$6 at the Kroger store in Ballou Park Shopping Center.

Bee 28 Jan 1971: Bobby Ray Dunford, 31, of Yukon, W. Va., and 240 Jefferson Ave., was fined \$300 and costs on a reckless driving charge and an additional \$100 on a charge of driving without a license. ...

Bee 25 Apr 1973: ... R. A. Phillips of 240 Jefferson Ave. returned from a lodge meeting last night and later discovered that some old coins ... and sunglasses ... were missing from his auto. ...

PID 20443



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Audus, J D, tobacconist " Miss Mamie Ballou, B W, bookkeeper " C E, leaf tobacco " Whit, clerk Smiley, Will, clerk Wheatley, Charles E, teacher
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Son Daughter Daughter Servant Servant	 Phifer, Robert S, age 57, music teacher " Isabelle M, age 50 " Robert S Jr., age 27, orchestra musician " Mimi, age 21 " Dieudonne L, age 16 Hunt, Sallie, age 76, wid, cook (Mu) " Delia, age 57, chambermaid (Mu)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Son	Heitzler, Ernest, age 48, salesman, department store " Emma, age 39 " Ernest Jr., age 9 " Carter, age 8 " Charles, age 4
1927 Directory		Odell, J F
1930 Census	Renter Wife	Odell, Jessie, age 42, merchant "Myrtle C, age 39
1930 Directory		Odell, J F
1935 Directory		McCubbins, Julius M
1940 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Daughter Lodger	King, Terrell J, age 33, loom fixer, cotton mill "Sallie, age 34, cloth inspector, cotton mill "Mildred L, age 10 "Terrell J Jr., age 9 "Norma, age 8 Greene, Henry, age 63, shipping clerk, railroad
1945 Directory		Guthrie, James L
1950 Directory		Lynch, Walter L
1960 Directory		Fetters, Annie E Mrs.

1970 Directory			Benazzi, Antonio I
1977 Directory			Benazzi, Antonio I
1981 Directory			Benazzi, Effie B, Mrs.
1984 Directory			Vacant
1990 Directory		1	McColluing, Gene C
2004 Assessor	Transfer		Newnam, Robert G to Madwell LLC, \$0
2006 Assessor	Transfer		Madwell to Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E, \$75,000
2016 Assessor	Transfer		Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E to Federal Nat'l Mortgage, \$21,500
2017 Assessor	Transfer		Federal National Mortgage Association to DRHA, \$31,500
2020 Assessor	Transfer		DRHA to Lindsey, Erick J & Marie A, \$30,000

Times Dispatch 6 Mar 1910: Mrs. McGehee Phifer, of Columbia, S.C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Phifer, Jefferson Street.

Times Dispatch 23 Oct 1910: Mrs. R. S. Phifer, Mrs. Giles, and R. S. Phifer, Jr., are at Semora, N.C., for several days.

Bee 1 Jan 1924: For Rent: Nicely furnished front room and kitchenette adjoining hot and cold water, electric lights, bath on same floor. Apply 241 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 13 Jul 1929: Richard Price of Leaksville, who is attending summer school at Carolina, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. F. O'Dell on Jefferson avenue for the week-end. ...

Bee 2 Jul 1934: Walter H. Lewis ... and Miss Josephine Taylor, 241 Jefferson avenue ... were married ...

Bee 18 May 1943: Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Parsons of Charleston, W. Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Guthrie, Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 5 Jun 1950: Executor's Auction Sale ... No. 241 Jefferson Avenue ... 7 room house in business zone near Five Forks ... Under will of Mrs. Mary F. George.

Bee 1 Sep 1977: Graveside rites for Antonio I (Tony) Benazzi Sr., 89, of 241 Jefferson Ave ...

Spec House for Dr. Sumter George

PID 20926



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Head Wife	Moss, Robert K, age 56, RFD carrier, US Mail "Lizzie B, age 47 "Willie K, age 20, bookkeeper, telegraph office "Laura F, age 18 Powell, James F, age 31, salesman, dry goods store "Amelia C, age 29, public school teacher
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Renter Wife Niece	Moss, Robert, age 65, mail carrier, RFD "Lizzie, age 56 "Laura, age 25 Ferrell, William, age 42, grocer, own store "Margaret, age 36 "Margaret, age 14
1927 Directory		Moss, R K
1930 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Renter Wife Son Dau-in-law Roomer Roomer	Moss, Rob R, age 76 "Lizzie B, age 66 "Linda, age 38, seamstress Newell, Watson P, age 70, knitting mill "Ida J, age 37 "William A, age 23, knitting mill "Charlott P, age 23 Wells, Thomas, age 20, salesman, clothing store Davidson, Loyd, age 17, weaver, silk mill
1930 Directory		Moss, R K Newell, W P
1935 Directory		Spencer, Lottie B Mrs.
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Gosney, Lester R
1950 Directory		Cassada, Jesse C
1960 Directory		Cassada, J Carson
1970 Directory		Cassada, J Carson
1977 Directory		Cassada, J Carson
1981 Directory		Cassada, J Carson

1984 Directory		Cassada, J Carson
1990 Directory		Vacant
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Newnam, Barbara S to Madwell LLC, \$90,800
2005 Tour	Owner	Mr. C. B. Maddox and Mr. William J. Wellbank
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Madwell to Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E, \$100,000
2017 Assessor	Transfer	Ellis, Joseph E & Cassandra E to RMAC Trust, \$53,240
2017 Assessor	Transfer	RMC Trust to Glymph, Deborah, \$31,000
2017 Assessor	Transfer	Glymph, Deborah to Glymph, Courtney & Johnson, Kadeem, \$0

Bee 11 May 1925: Mrs. R. K. Moss, who has been sick at her home on Jefferson avenue for several days, was reported as being better yesterday.

Bee 31 Jul 1933: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodnett of Sutherlin, Virginia, announce the marriage of their daughter, Emma Graves, to Clarence Jackson Hundley, of Danville ... will reside at 245 Jefferson avenue.

Bee 8 Jan 1934: Announcing the opening of the Colonial Shop on January 10th ... 245 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 31 Jan 1934: Display Ad: The Colonial Shop. Grace E. Arnett, Owner, Mrs. Iva B. Arvin, Manager ...

Bee 30 Aug 1934: Announcing the removal of the Colonial Antique Shop from 245 Jefferson Ave. to 117 Market St. ...

Bee 21 Aug 1942: Miss Lillian Spencer, daughter of Mrs. Lottie Spencer of Jefferson avenue, will received her B.S. and A.B. degrees at Radford State Teachers College tomorrow. ...

Bee 15 Jun 1943: Mrs. Lottie B. Spencer and daughter, Miss Lillian Spencer, who have been living at 245 Jefferson Avenue, have gone to Greensboro, N.C., to make their home with Mrs. Spencer's sister, Mrs. Iva B. Arvin, 210 McIver St. Mrs. Arvin is now teaching in the War Ordnance School.

Bee 7 Apr 1951: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jacks, of 245 Jefferson Avenue, announce the birth of a son, Davey Leon. On March 27 at Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Jacks is the former Miss Doris Holley.

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1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Renter	Macks, David, age 40, salesman
	Wife	" Ray W, age 36
	Son	" Henry E, age 11
	Niece	" Mildred I, age 3
	Servant	Hendric, Mollie, age 22, servant (B)
1910 Census	Renter	Macks, David, age 58, merchant, dry goods
	Wife	" Ray W, age 48
	Son	" Henry W, age 21, salesman, clothing
	Servant	Day, Annie, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Owner	Gregory, Henry, age 45, engineer, railroad
	Wife	" Minnie, age 44
	Daughter	" Fannie, age 11
	Daughter	" Adrienne, age 2
	Son	" Henry, age 2
	Foster son	Squire, Walter, age 23
	Renter	Bunch, Blanch, age 39, milliner, store
	Lodger	" Lelia, age 33, bookkeeper, florist
	Lodger	" Rachel, age 22
	Renter	Walkins, Wilber, age 33, secretary, retail merchant
	Wife	" Bessie J, age 24, secretary, retail merchant
	Sister	Johnson, Lula, age 25, stenographer, law firm
	Servant	Lea, Alice, age 35, house cleaner (B)
1927 Directory		Gregory, H D
1930 Census	Owner	Gregory, Henry D, age 69, engineer, southern railway
	Wife	" Minnie D, age 56
	Daughter	" Frances L, age 21, teacher, pubic school
	Daughter	" Adrienne, age 19
	Boarder	Squire, J Wells, age 34, broker, own
	Renter	Brown, Junius, age 24, watch maker, jewelry store
	Wife	" Marie G, age 20
	Renter	Jeffers, Bernard M, age 38, salesman, department store
	Wife	" Louise C, age 32, saleslady, department store
	Lodger	Lindsey, Thomas C, age 22, manager, chain store
1930 Directory		Gregory, H D
1935 Directory		Gregory, Minnie D Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner	Gregory, Minnie D, age 66, wid
	Daughter	" Adrienne, age 29, teacher, city school
	Lodger	Swithers, Edward, age 24, manager, café
	Lodger	" Marjorie, age 22
	Renter	Tinsdale, John N, age 27, salesman, beer distributing
	Wife	" Elizabeth I, age 21
	Son	" John Robert, age 1

	Renter Wife	Thaxton, Leslie Lee, age 50, watchman, construction "Ruth H, age 42, cashier, retail store
1945 Directory		Dyer, Benjamin F
1950 Directory		Pattisall, James R
1960 Directory		Gregory Apartments – 8 units
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2012 Assessor	Transfer	Jones Real Estate Inc. to DRHA, \$60,000
No building		

Bee 8 Oct 1923: For Rent – Two steam heated furnished rooms. Modern conveniences, phone 536. 246 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 7 May 1925: The Woman's Union Prayer Circle will meet ... at the home of Mrs. Henry D. Gregory, Jefferson ave. The meeting will be led by Mrs. Nannie Estes.

Bee 25 Nov 1926: Miss Frances Gregory, who is a student at Randolph-Macon Woman's College, is spending the holidays with her parents on Jefferson avenue. ...

Bee 2 Dec 1926: The Woman's Union Prayer meeting will be held ... at the residence of Mrs. H. D. Gregory, 246 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 5 Oct 1927: The meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary ... will be held at the residence of Mrs. H. D. Gregory, 246 Jefferson avenue ...

Bee 13 Jun 1928: Misses Adrienne and Frances Gregory have returned from Peabody college, Nashville, Tenn., and the finals at C. M. A. and Vanderbilt University to spend the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gregory, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 5 Aug 1929: ... Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barbee of Lynchburg will make their home in this city at 246 Jefferson avenue. Mr. Barbee is identified with the J. C. Penney store. ...

Bee 24 May 1930: Miss Mary Winn, of Martinsville, Va., is the guest of Miss Frances Gregory at her home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 19 Aug 1930: John W Squire, 246 Jefferson avenue, Danville, has been commissioned a captain in the Coast Artillery Reserves, the war department made known today.

Bee 5 Sep 1942: Mrs. Minnie Drewry Gregory, aged 70, died this morning at her home, 246 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 23 Oct 1942: Miss Alta Kennedy and Mrs. Jim Butler of Kannapolis, N.C., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Horton, 246 Jefferson Avenue. The later recently moved to Danville to make their new home from Kannapolis.

Bee 19 Feb 1943: Howard Nello Vaughan ... has been promoted to sergeant at the Army Air Base, Casper, Wyoming. He is the son of W. C. Vaughan, 246 Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 31 Jul 1950: George Melvin Emerson ... struck by the car behind him driven by Grover Cleveland Colville, of 246 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 19 Aug 1953: Fire fighters extinguished a refrigerator fire in the apartment of Virginia Hartness, 246 Jefferson Ave., yesterday ... There was smoke damage in the building owned by J. R. Pattisall.

Bee 8 Feb 1957: The case of Calvin Randolph Doss, 18, of 246 Jefferson Ave., arrested in Alta Vista yesterday for larceny of an automobile here ...

Bee 3 Jul 1957: Jimmy Monroe Richardson, 25, of 246 Jefferson Ave., is facing the jury on a charge of burglary in the nighttime ...

Spec House for Dr. Franklin George / E. N. Anthony House

PID 20201



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Servant Renter Wife Daughter	Cowper, Thomas B, age 46, auditor, D&W R R " Mary W, age 45 " Olivia B, age 12 Hunter, Eliza, age 18, cook (B) Richmond, Caleb H, age 67, auctioneer, tobacco warehouse " Ellen L, age 67 " Mary D, age 26, music teacher
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Daughter Mother Nurse Renter Sister	 Hall, James G, age 32, overseer, cotton mill " Anna, age 28 " Francis, age 7 " Gerald, age 4 " Josephine, age 1 " Emma, age 65 Grant, Bessie, age 14, nurse, private family Wray, Kate, age 63, dressmaker, at home Abbott, Josephine, age 52
1927 Directory		Anthony, E N
1930 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Daughter Son Daughter	Anthony, Ernest, age 46, gas, city "Irene, age 41 "Clara, age 23, teacher, public school "James, age 18 "Anne, age 14 "Ernest N Jr., age 10 "Jane, age 8
1930 Directory		Anthony, E N
1935 Directory		Anthony, Ernest N
1940 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Son Grandson	Anthony, Ernest N, age 57, foreman, city utilities "Rena, age 51 "Clara, age 32, teacher, elementary school "Louise, age 24, teacher, high school "Ernest N Jr., age 21, salesman bottling works "Darrow N, age 10/12

	Dau-in-law	" Zola, age 19
1945 Directory		Anthony, Ernest N
1950 Directory		Anthony, Ernest N Jr.
1960 Directory		Anthony, Ernest N
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		Anthony, Rena C Mrs.
1981 Directory		Anthony, Clara V
1984 Directory		Vacant
1990 Directory	а	Torain, Dorothea
		Vacant
2000 Assessor	Transfer	Davis, Joe Bryant to Faith Memorial Baptist Church, \$0
2001 Assessor	Transfer	Faith Memorial Baptist to Maddox, C B Jr. & Wellbank, W J, \$8,000
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Maddox, C B Jr. & Wellbank, W J to Madwell LLC, \$0
2005 Tour	Owner	Mr. C. B. Maddox and Mr. William J. Wellbank
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Madwell LLC to Parvin, C Landon & Alice D, \$51,500
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Parvin to Maxwell Investments LLC, \$0
2017 Assessor	Transfer	Maxwell Investments LLC to Beyer, Elliott, \$70,000
2017 Tour		Alice Parvin

Bee 30 Jul 1924: Mrs. Neal Kirkman, of Palatka, Florida, is the guest of Mrs. Kate Wray, Jefferson avenue

Bee 20 Dec 1924: Miss Clara Anthony has returned from State Teachers' College Farmville and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Anthony, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 31 Jul 1925: Mrs. J. T. Anthony, of Charlotte, is visiting her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Anthony, Jefferson avenue. Col. Anthony will join Mrs. Anthony here in a few days.

Bee 31 Jan 1933: Miss Clara Anthony, who has been quite sick with influenza, at her home on Jefferson avenue, is improving.

Bee 28 Apr 1951: Burpee's Tomato Plants for sale, 12 different varieties, 25¢ a dozen. E. N. Anthony, 249 Jefferson Avenue. Phone 1401-J.

Bee 27 Apr 1957: Burpee's Big Boy hybrid tomato plants. 60¢ a dozen. E. N. Anthony, 249 Jefferson Avenue.

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Tour Book 2017:

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At this house during the tour, a mini exhibit on Danville's streetcar history, organized by the Danville Historical Society, will chronicle the public transit's legacy in the community. Beginning with the first horse drawn cars in 1886, the exhibit follows the system's expansion in the 1890s and early 1900s with electric car routes throughout much of the old city, north, south, and west, during the heyday of the Danville Traction & Power Company, until motorized rubber-tired buses supplanted cars with steel-wheels-on-tracks in April 1938.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Renter	Green, Sam, age 37, merchant
	Wife	" Helen, age 23
	Servant	Wilson, Susie, age 21, servant (B)
1910 Census	Renter	Bennette, Mary F, age 60, wid
	Son	" Thomas J, age 40, merchant, grocery
	Daughter	"Bertha E, age 38, saleslady, department store
	Boarder	White, Allice W, age 41, milliner, department store
	Boarder	" Charles K, age 40, salesman, dry goods
	Boarder	Bennette, Mamie A, age 39
	Boarder	White, Cary W, age 11
	Boarder	" Burton K, age 5
1920 Census	Renter	Bennett, John T, age 50, retail merchant
	Wife	" Mamie, age 49, dressmaker, home
	Sister	" Besta, age 48, saleslady, dry goods
	Renter	Hodges, Annie, age 46
	Daughter	" Mary, age 18
	Bro-in-law	" Archer S, age 44, clerk, hotel
1927 Directory		
1930 Census	Renter	Dupre, Charles H, age 49, carpentry contractor
	Wife	" Minnie, age 41
	Renter	Klaff, Eva, age 39, wid, saleslady
	Son	" Daniel D, age 17
1020 Directory	Son	" Albert, age 12
1930 Directory		Dupre, C H
		Klaff, Eva, Mrs. Orange Pekoe Tea Room
		Community Bakery
		Quality Service Stores
1935 Directory		Milstead, Walter W
1999 Directory		Anglin, Celia T Mrs.
	1/2	Prescott's Cleaning & Dyeing Co.
1940 Census	Renter	Cochrane, Joseph, age 30, baker, bakery
	Wife	" Rena, age 26
	Son	" Michal, age 4
	Daughter	" Shelia, age 1
	Renter	Powers, Loyd, age 28, sign painter, paint shop
	Wife	" Hallie, age 28
	Daughter	" Roberta, age 7
	Daughter	" Mary Frances, age 5
	Son	" Loyd Jr., age 6/12
1945 Directory		Evans, George W
	1/2	Da-Borne Cleaners

1950 Directory	<i>У</i> ₂	Evans, George W Carter, Robert C Callahan Cleaners
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Now part of 254

Bee 22 Feb 1929: Display Ad: ... Announcing the opening of the Community Bakery, Inc. ... 252 Jefferson Avenue ... The tempting baked goods in our show window are only a promise of the big variety inside. ...

Bee 29 Mar 1929: Display Ad: Orange Pekoe Tea Room, 252½ Jefferson Ave. Open to the Public. Home Cooking Served. Hours 7 A.M. – 11 P.M.

Bee 10 Mar 1942: Funeral services for Mrs. Hallie Atkins Powers ... 31, wife of Lloyd Thomas Powers, of 252 Jefferson avenue died unexpectedly ...

Bee 13 Jul 1943: ... Lloyd Thomas Powers .. injured in an automobile wreck ... remained serious today at Duke University ... suffering from ten broken ribs and possible internal injuries. He lives at 252 Jefferson Avenue and is the father of three children. ...

Bee 9 Jun 1947: Display Ad: DaBorne Cleaners. Branch Office 252½ Jefferson Ave. ...

Spec House for Drs. Sumter & Franklin George

PID 20868



4004 5:		
1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Renter	Harvey, Ben, age 56. Manager, tobacco factory
	Wife	" Lottie, age 47
	Daughter	" Marguerite, age 18
	Daughter	" Lottie, age 17
	Renter	Shelor, Henry, age 64, bookkeeper, wagon works
	Wife	"Viola, age 38
1927 Directory		Harvey, B V
1930 Census	Renter	Harvey, Ben V, age 67, tobacconist, factory
	Wife	" Lottie, age 55
	Renter	Moorefield, Sallie, age 49, seamstress, home
	Daughter	" Estell, age 26, bookkeeper
	Servant	Carter, Mary, age 45, servant, private party (B)
	Servant	Scott, Fannie, age 40, cook, private party
	Servant	" Roosevelt, age 17, laborer, factory
1930 Directory		Harvey, B V
1935 Directory		Harvey, Benjamin V
1940 Census	Renter	Critz, Edwin, age 23, machinist, cotton mill
	Wife	" Conelia, age 27
	Daughter	" Sally Grace, age 1
	Son	"Edwin Jr., age 1
	Bro-in-law	Wilson, Noel Eugene, age 25, mechanic, automobile garage
	Sister-in-law	" Mattie D, age 21, saleslady, department store
	Bro-in-law	" James I, age 29, typist-clerk, soil conservation
1945 Directory		Ferguson, Mamie Mrs.
1950 Directory		Ferguson, Mamie H Mrs.
1960 Directory		Vacant
1970 Directory		Vacant
1977 Directory		Bridges, Daniel
		Coullop, Robert J
1981 Directory		Davis, Floyd
		Heeler, Vincent A
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		Dodson, Buster B Smith, H A
1984 Directory		Davis, Floyd
		Dodson, Buster B
1990 Directory		Two Fifty Three Apartments
	1	Davis, Floyd
	2	Dodson, Buster B
	3-4	Vacant
2002 Assessor	Transfer	Thomas, James H to Luck Foundation, \$16,088
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Luck Foundation to Madwell LLC, \$3,000
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Madwell LLC to Blair, Brian S, \$9,000
2007 Tour	Owner	Brian Blair

Bee 15 Aug 1924: Mrs. Iva Bruce of Meherrin and Mrs. W. W. Hamilton and daughter Cula are the guests of Mrs. B. V. Harvie, Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 22 Aug 1925: Mrs. A. B. Harris, of Houston, Tex., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Harvey, Jefferson avenue.

Bee 22 Aug 1927: Mrs. Lottie B. Spencer, of Meherin, Va., is visiting Mrs. V. V. Harvie on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 15 Sep 1934: First Presbyterian Circle No. 6, Mrs. O. W. Hankins, leader, with Mrs. B. V. Harvey, 253 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 5 Jun 1950: Executor's Auction Sale ... No. 253 Jefferson Avenue ... 8 room house in business zone near Five Forks ... Under will of Mrs. Mary F. George.

Bee 11 Mar 1972: William Vaught Phillips, 49, of 253 Jefferson Ave., charged with one count of selling an alcoholic beverage Feb. 4 at the Tuxedo Café on Main St.

Bee 21 Dec 1973: ... arrested Johnnie Ray Shreve, 23, of 253 Jefferson Ave. at this home, charging him with possession of 112.31 grams of marijuana. ...

Bee 16 Dec 1974: ... William V. Phillips, 52, of 253 Jefferson Ave., selling beer to a minor.

Tour Book 2007:

Following a complete transformation by the present owner, this once-forlorn, burned-andboarded relic now shines as a proud contributor to a handsome row of several Queen Anne wood houses. It was one of five narrow houses in a row, all completed by the mid-1890s for Dr. Franklin George. The surviving late-19th century dwellings "march," as it were, down Jefferson Avenue, all created from the partition of a wide lot once attached to the early brick double house just up the street. That antebellum dwelling at 225-7 Jefferson, still numbered among the city's oldest, was built for Robert Ross whose niece Catherine, and her husband William S. Patton, acquired it in the late 1840s. Some 40 years later, the Patton estate conveyed to Dr. Franklin George the lot where he contracted for his new income-producing properties, including 253 Jefferson Avenue. In 1898 his brother Dr. Sumter George inherited the house, which his descendants retained as a rental for half a century.

The earliest known occupants of the dwelling included tile family of A. E. Summerfield, who operated at the time one of the city's leading shoe and boot stores. By the First World War, and well into the 1920s, it was home to a Danville tobacconist, Ben V. Harvey, and his family.

In just over a year the present owner, no stranger to old house reclamation on Green Street, rescued the Jefferson Avenue house from many years of decay and dereliction.



1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Servant	Wood, William P, age 36, merchant "Lizzie, age 24, dress maker "Teebia, age 3 Yates, Parthenia, age 53, wid, servant
1910 Census	Renter Wife Boarder Servant	Hagan, John N, age 49, druggist, own business "Jannie, age 38 Vernon, Mary S, age 36, trained nurse, private family Barkesdale, Mary, cook, private family (B)
1920 Census	Renter Wife Servant	Hagen, John, age 59, proprietor, druggist "Janice, age 45, librarian Hopkins, Hattie, cook, private home (B)
1927 Directory		Callahan, M L
1930 Census		
1930 Directory		vacant
1935 Directory		Community Baker Inc. Francisco, Luther T
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Aunt Betty Bakers Inc. wholesale (254-258)
1950 Directory		Aunt Betty Bakers Inc. wholesale (254-258) Holsum Bakery wholesale (254-258)
1960 Directory		Holsum Baking Co. Inc. wholesale
1970 Directory		Holsum Baking Co. Inc. wholesale
1977 Directory		Discounte Exterminating Co. Danville Wrought Iron & Steel Co. Belk-Leggett Storage Karate Kin School Of Tae Kwon Do Quality Control Exterminating Co. Inc. Meaders' Lawn & Grounds Maintenance
1981 Directory		Belk Leggett Dtorage
1984 Directory		Belk Leggett (storage) Brooks & Price Flowers & Gifts Meade & Brown TV

		Central Plumbing & Heating Inc. Jones, Bill, Realty
1990 Directory		Brooks & Price Florist Service Mart television sales-service Betty's Upholstery
2012 Assessor	Transfer	Jones Real Estate to DRHA, \$60,000

Bee 24 Jan 1935: Mrs. L. T. Francisco is reported very ill at her home on Jefferson avenue.

Bee 28 Sep 1936: Formal Opening of "Old Home" Bakery Today



Pictured above is the "Old Home" Bakery, formerly the Community Bakery, Inc., which was recently purchased by H. H. Crowder of this city. This home-owned, home-operated plant, located at 254 Jefferson Avenue, at Five Forks, has been completely redecorated and is in readiness for its formal opening Monday, September 28.

One of the firm's featured products will be an entirely new loaf known as "Home" Bread, rich buttermilk and honey being two of the principal ingredients. Other --- Photo by Hitchcock.

types of bread will include Boston Brawn, Whole Wheat, Crushed Wheat, Cheese, French, Sandwich, Old-Fashioned Salt Rising, Raisin, and Twin Loaf.

In addition the plant will specialize in making rolls, a wide variety of cakes, pies, and fancy pastries. Special orders for all kinds of bakery products are solicited and will receive most careful attention.

Your grocer is in position to furnish you with these bokery delicacies. Just specify "Home" products when you place your order.

Bee 17 Mar 1954: Large high quality steel drums, tops, equipped with handles and locking rims, \$2,00. Holsum Baking Co., Jefferson Ave.

Bee 7 Sep 1955: ... Council instructed the City manager to have the Holsum Bakery provide a written statement of its expansion plans on Jefferson Avenue and Street. The request was made in connection

with a public hearing set for Monday night to consider the baking firm's request for rezoning ... so as to permit off street parking, loading, and unloading.

Bee 22 Oct 1956: We are now taking applications for route salesmen. If interested and between the ages of 25 and 40, apply in person to Holsum Bakery, 254 Jefferson Ave.

Register 11 May 1962: An appeal has been filed by the Holsum Baking Company ... to permit the encroachment of a proposed new building fronting on Jefferson Avenue ... 15 feet into the required front yard. ...

Bee 13 Dec 1972: Holsum Baking Co., Inc., today became a division of Kerns Bakeries of Virginia, with trucks from both concerns loading out of Holsum's lot at Five Forks ... Planr machinery and equipment have been shut down, and more than a dozen production employees have been offered similar jobs by Kerns at its Lynchburg plants ...

Bee 29 Sep 1973: Display Ad: Commercial Properties formerly occupied by Holsum Bakery ... 4 store fronts ... at Auction ...



Bee 5 May 1975: Display Ad: Quality Control Exterminating Co., Inc., 254 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 25 May 1975: Display Ad: ... Kim Scholl of Tae Kwan Do (Korean Karate) ... 254 Jefferson Ave. ...

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census	Owner Wife Boarder Boarder Servant	Covington, James M, age 49, salesman "Emma J, age 40 Brown, Jennie, age 46, wid, school teacher "Walter E, age 15 Lucus, Frances, age 43, servant (B)
1910 Census	Renter Wife Renter Wife	James, Frank S, age 36, salesman, clothing "Bessie W, age 27 Carter, Willard, age 36, bookkeeper, foundry "Kate S, age 28
1920 Census	Renter Son Daughter Daughter Renter Wife Daughter Son Step-dau	 Walker, Emma L, age 75, wid ["] Redford, age 46, night watchman, tobacco ["] Mattie, age 44 ["] Nannie, age 44, ticket agent, railroad Richardson, Wilt, ag 39, house carpenter ["] Mattie, age 42 ["] Virginia, age 16 ["] Harry, age 10 Lewis, Jackie, age 18, telegraph operator
1927 Directory		Walker, M T Miss
1930 Census		
1930 Directory		Martin, G V, grocer
1935 Directory		
1940 Census	Renter (½) Wife	Thomas, John T, age 34, manager, beauty shop "Edna, age 31, operator, beauty shop
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		

Bee 26 Oct 1929: Display Ad: ... Lois Beauty Shop. 256½ Jefferson Ave. Phone 1914.

1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1930 Directory		Madison Apartment – 10 units
1935 Directory		Madison Apartment – 10 units
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Madison Apartment – 10 units
1950 Directory		Madison Apartment – 18 units
1960 Directory		Madison Apartment – 18 units
1970 Directory		Fairfax Apartments - 18 units
1977 Directory		Fairfax Apartments - 18 units
1984 Directory		18 apartments
1990 Directory		18 apartments
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Small, Rebecca Harvin to Tucker, Cora D, \$0
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Tucker, Cora D to Community ORA Center, \$0
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Community ORA Center to DRHA, \$1
Demolished 2011		

Demolished 2011

Times Dispatch 23 May 1909: Mrs. Frank James, Jefferson Street, left several days ago for an extended visit to New York, Philadelphia, and other Northern points.

Times Dispatch 12 Feb 1911: Mrs. Frank James entertained a few friends informally at a delightful little tea at her home on Jefferson Avenue ...

Bee 1 Dec 1926: ... The Permits reveal that the Jefferson Avenue Improvement Company, headed by John I. Watson, is intent on converting the old hospital into an apartment at a cost of \$15,000. ...

Bee 1 Apr 1927: ... Two of the largest items are the new stores being built on the site of the old General hospital, facing Loyal street, at a cost of \$15,000 ...

Bee 8 May 1928: For Rent: Modern 4 and 5-room apartments. Madison Apartments, Jefferson Ave ...

Bee 23 May 1941: ... Baskets filled with groceries were awarded the following: Mrs. Edna Brightwell, 257 Jefferson Avenue; ...

Bee 26 Sep 1942: Jack Brightwell, whose home is on Jefferson Avenue, Danville, is ill in Buxton Hospital, Newport News.

Bee 19 Jun 1950: Ruby Davis, 257 Jefferson Avenue, Apartment 9, reported to police that her apartment was ransacked but nothing of value was missing.

Bee 14 Dec 1950: ... Mr. and Mrs. Hill are now making their home in the Madison Apartments ...

Bee 9 Oct 1952: S/A Gay F. Foster, who has completed her basic training at Bainbridge, Md., is spending 10 days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, 257 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 19 Jan 1954: Mrs. and Mrs. Berkley Odell Sloan, of 257 Jefferson Avenue, announce the birth of a son, Millard Odell, January 8, in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 25 Jul 1969: ... Appeals were noted by 18-year-old Linda Gayle Hawkins of 257 Jefferson Ave., after she was fined \$10 and costs on each of two bad check charges ...

Bee 12 Aug 1969: Dorothy Foster Jones, 35, is charged with breaking into the residence of Janie Adkins on Saturday. Both are listed as occupants of apartments at 257 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 11 Sep 1974: A third morals charge was lodged yesterday ... against Earl Joseph Volpe, 22-year-old plumber of 257 Jefferson Ave. ...

Bee 19 Sep 1975: Memorial Hospital will hold open house Sunday ... Today's hospital, with its multiple buildings ... is a far cry from its original form – a former residence on S. Ridge St. opened in 1884 by the Ladies benevolent Society as The Home for the Sick. That first hospital – before a move in later years to Jefferson Ave. at Loyal St. ...

Register 2 Apr 1977: Edwin Eugene Coffin, 31, of 257 Jefferson Avenue, Apt. 2, was arrested ... on charges of felonious hit and run and reckless driving ...

WSET 22 Feb 2011: An old hospital building in Danville continues to crumble as crews work to bring it down this week. The building, on Jefferson Avenue, served as the city's first public hospital, before being converted to housing.



1881 Directory		
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1900 Census		
1910 Census		
	Dontor	Laurance LE age 46 superintendent insurance
1920 Census	Renter	Lawrence, J E, age 46, superintendent, insurance
	Wife	" Minnie, age 42 MaBride, Haberry and 20 author, wants factory
	Renter	McBride, Hobson, age 36, cutter, pants factory
	Wife	" Julia, age 22
	Renter	Walker, ?, age 36, house carpenter
	Wife	" Nellie, age 23
	Son	" Grant, age 3/12
1927 Directory		Lawrence, J E
1930 Census	Renter	Lawrence, John E, age 85
	Wife	" Minnie, age 45, tea room owner
	Nephew	Law, Charles M, age 44, manager, insurance company
1930 Directory		Lawrence, J E
		Lola Beauty Shop
1935 Directory		Central Service Store
	1/2	Pattisoll, J Robert
		Lois Beauty Shop
		Thomas, John
1940 Census	Renter (½)	Pattisoll, James Robert, age 44, proprietor, services
	Wife	" Blanch, age 42
	Daughter	" Mildred, age 16
	Son	" James H, age 23
	Grandson	"James H Jr., age 5
	Father	" Henry, age 66, wid
1945 Directory	1/2	Drew, Martin W
,		Grimes, William L
1950 Directory	1/2	Kendrix, Lloyd K
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
, 1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Now part of 254
2010 / 03000		

Bee 20 May 1922: For Sale – Sitting room set, extension table, brass bed and drugget. Party leaving town, will sell very reasonable. 258 Jefferson Ave. W. H. Kirst.

Bee 18 Aug 1922: Mrs. J. E. Lawrence, Jefferson avenue, has returned home after a five week's stay at Patrick Springs.

Bee 23 Nov 1937: Second Baptist Circle No. 1 – Mrs. Clyde Sawyer, leader, with Mrs. J. R. Pattisall, Jefferson Avenue.

Hagan Drugs

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1881 Directory		
1888 Directory		
1890 Directory		Hagan, John L, prop. Central Pharmacy
1900 Census	Renter Lodger Renter Renter Wife Son Daughter Son Son	 Hagan, John L, age 39, wid, druggist Purvis, Alexander, age 35, clerk, Southern Railway Rowes, William, age 34, tailor Vernon, William L, age 43, engineer " Mary E, age 32 " Robert W, age 13 " Bettie W, age 12 " Arthur I, age 8 " Henry Y, age 7
1910 Census	Renter Son	Bishop, Charles A, age 55, wid, machinist, cotton mill "Freddie, age 28, weaver, cotton mill
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Central Pharmacy
1930 Census		
1930 Directory		Central Pharmacy
1935 Directory		Kroger Grocery & Baking Co.
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. Inc.
1950 Directory		Five Forks Food Center Five Forks Amoco Station
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Now part of 254

Dispatch 20 May 1891: A TERRIBLE CATASTROPHE: A pall has been cast over this entire community by a shocking accident which occurred here this morning, by which a most estimable lady lost her life. Mr. John L. Hagan, a popular young druggist, and his wife left home about 7 o'clock this morning to take a drive in a dog cart. They drove down south Main street, and crossed the bridge which passes over the railroad just beyond the corporate limits at this point. Mr. Hagan's hat flew off, and, in attempting to catch it, he frightened the horse. The animal made a spring and Mr. Hagan fell out of the cart. Mrs. Hagan then screamed, and the horse dashed off in a run. A number of colored men ran out and tried to stop the horse, but failed, and in less time than it takes to tell it the cart was upset, and the lady was thrown to the ground.

UNCONSCIOUS CONDITION: She fell on her head and was cut and bruised in the most cruel manner. She was picked up in an unconscious condition and tender hands conveyed her to her residence on Jefferson street. On examination it was found that the skull had been crushed, and all hope of her recovery was of course abandoned. She grew gradually weaker until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, when she died. Deceased was Miss Mary C. Gray of Overton, R.I., and came here as a bride last December. She and her husband both occupied a high position in this city, and the terrible accident by which she lost her life is a great shock to the entire community.

Times 20 May 1891: MRS. HAGAN DASHED TO DEATH: May 19 Special – The most distressing and painful accident ever known in Danville occurred here at an early hour this morning. Mr. John L. Hagan, a young druggist, started out at 7 o'clock to take an early morning pleasure drive with his wife. They were driving in a dog-cart, and when on the Yanceyville road, just beyond the dry bridge, Hagan's hat blew off. In catching for his hat he frightened the horse, which jumped, and in the lurch Hagan was thrown from the cart, sustaining painful bruises. Mrs. Hagan screamed, which further frightened the animal, and a runaway followed.

Several colored people ran out from their homes on the roadway and threw up their hand in an attempt to stop the horse. The animal shied, ran upon the walkway, and upsetting the cart, threw Mrs. Hagan out. She fell on her head, crushing her skull and receiving other bruises. The lady was taken up in an insensible condition and conveyed to her home on Jefferson street, where she lingered until 2:30 P.M., when she died.

Mrs. Hagan was Mrs. Mary C. Gary, of Overton, R.I., and was married to John L. Hagan, of this city, in December last. She was a Christian woman, true to all the duties of church member, daughter, and wife, and her tragic and untimely death has caused general sadness among her long list of personal friends.

Times 21 Jul 1901: The twentieth annual meeting of the Pharmaceutical Association of the State of Virginia ... new officers are ... First Vice President, John L. Hagan ...

Bee 8 May 1922: Register and Bee on sale daily at Hagan's Drug Store. The newsbox in front will be discontinued Monday ...

Bee 8 Jun 1923: Wanted – Carpenter to hang screen doors. Al material on hand at store. Report at once. J. L. Hagan's Drug Store, Five Forks.

Bee 29 Sep 1923: Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hagan of Jefferson avenue have leased one of the block of houses recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Grasty Crews at the corner of Pine and Chestnut Streets. Mr. and Mrs. Hagan expect to be settled in their new quarters by October 15th.

Bee 10 Oct 1923: Hobart Coleman, 5-year-old ... Postal telegraph messenger boy, narrowly escaped injury ... The lad was taken to Hagan's drug store where he was examined and found to have only superficial scratches ...

Bee 19 Nov 1924: Hagan's Drug Store Passes Into Hands of Hagan Eastland. Announcement has been made of the passing into new management of one of Danville's oldest pharmacies, and the retirement of J. L. Hagan, its owner, a figure for many years associated with the Danville drug business. Hagan's drug sore, at Five Forks, has been taken over by Mr. Hagan's nephew, Hagan Eastland, of Augusta,

Kansas, who is now actively in charge of the establishment. The old name has given way to Central Pharmacy, by which it will be known henceforth. Mr. Hagan left Danville about a week ago for his old home at Christiansburg, and he is leaving that town today for a two months' tour of Kansas and Texas. Mr. Hagan's health has not been good of recent years and, it was explained today, this was the chief factor in his relinquishing ownership of the well-known corner drug store.

Dr. Hagan dame to Danville from Christiansburg when he was a young man and became associated with the late P. R. Jones who operated a drug store on Main street. This was at least forty years ago. it was about the year 1890 when he acquired the drug sore at Five Forks over which he had presided since earning a reputation for business integrity and that degree of reliability which is indispensable for a successful druggist. Few men were more painstaking in the conversion of what to the layman is a cryptic formula – the doctor's prescription – to the finished product.

Bee 12 Sep 1925: Introducing Mr. Hagan Eastland of The Central Pharmacy. Satisfying customer is Mr. Eastland's pet hobby and if you've been around Five Forks recently you have already learned that the Central Pharmacy id the attractive business center of this thriving business section. Although a newcomer to Danville he has had eighteen years' experience in the drug business and knows a few things that are very essential to a successful management of a retail drug store. Last year he took over the old established Hagan's Drug Store and with new life in an old reliable establishment, could only mean better things for its customers old and new and the people in the neighborhood of Five Forks are justly pleased with the new management and the new service. Mr. Eastland is a member of the American Legion, a Knight Templar, and also prizes his Shrine Fez. We could tell you a lot more but it would be to your interest to occasionally pay a visit to Five Forks and get acquainted with the personnel and service of the Central Pharmacy.

Bee 10 Dec 1928: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Central Pharmacy ... will make application as a retail druggist, giving it the privilege to sell at retail, ardent spirits on prescription of pure fruit ethyl or grain alcohol for scientific, mechanical, or pharmaceutical purposes, or wine for sacramental purposes ...

Bee 14 May 1936: Display Ad: Kroger's, 260 Jefferson Avenue.

Bee 5 Feb 1941: Display Ad: Kroger Super Food Store ... 260 Jefferson Ave.

Bee 25 Jul 1955: Auction Sale: Grocery stock and fixtures at sacrifice ... Harts Food Center, 260 Jefferson Ave.