

Main Street 903 - 1124



Main St 903**Witcher Jones House**

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PID 21847



1890 Directory		Pinnix, W G, tobacco manufacturing Johnson, Katie, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Son-in-law Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Servant	Wemiple, Laudan, age 53, tobacconist - Elizabeth I, age 44 - John D, age 27, tobacconist Hagedan, Mary E, age 24 - Fred W, age 27, tobacconist - Blanch, age 23 - Alice D, age 20 - Lillie A, age 15 - Laudan R, age 13 Overby, Hattie, age 27 (B)
1910 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Daughter Son Daughter Son-in-law Grandson Grandson Servant Servant	Wimple, O, age 60, tobacco manufacturer - Bettie F, age 56 - John D, age 36, manager, tobacco factory Hagedorn, Mary E, age 34, wid Wimple, Blanch I, age 32 - Orlando R, age 24, bookkeeper, warehouse Gerrant, Allise D, age 30 - Emmet D, age 32, commercial salesman - O Wimple, age 4 - Emmet D, Jr., age 8/12 Swefston, Jank, age 80, wid, butler (B) Corbett, Abe, age 36, porter (B)
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Hagedorn, M W Mrs. Talbot, Frank Jr.
1930 Census	Owner Sister Renter Wife Daughter Renter Wife Daughter	Hagedorn, Mary W, age 54, wid, Wimple, Blanche W, age 52 Shelton, John W, age 38, train master, Southern Railway - Hannah C, age 34 - Rachel D, age 10 Horton, Robert O, age 32, Southern Railway - Dorothy, age 23 - Renee, age 1

1935 Directory		Hagedore, Mary W Mrs
1940 Census	Owner Renter Wife Son Daughter Daughter Son Son Lodger	Hagedon, Mary W, age 64 Anderson John B, age 44, advertising salesman - Carrol N, age 44, supervisor, district - John B, age 21 - Nancy Lee, age 19 - Carrol L, age 17 - Willis Z, age 15 - Richard B, age 14 Clanton, Mildred, age 19
1945 Directory		Guerrant, G Howard Geurrant, Eleanor H, interior decorator
1950 Directory		Guerrant, George H Geurrant, Eleanor H, interior decorator
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		Buckner, Curtis E Patterson, William W, architect
1970 Directory		Goodridge, T Stanley Crews, Charlotte C
1971 Survey		Rated Excellent
1977 Directory		Goodridge, T Stanley Crews, Charlotte C Oliver, Marian Mrs.
1977 Victrn Dv		
1984 Directory		Wood, Clyde S Crews, Charlotte C
1990 Directory	a b c	Woods, Clyde S Bernard, William S Morris, Peggy F Mrs.
2022 Assessor	Transfer	First Presbyterian Church of Danville Trustees to Kenty, John E and Mary K, \$275,000

Bee 31 Oct 1922: Wanted – At once a good cook. Apply Mrs. O. Wemple, 903 Main St.

Bee 20 Aug 1924: For Sale – Two Lots on Chestnut street adjoining my Main street property ... Mrs. F. W. Hagedorn, 903 Main St.

Bee 26 Jun 1925: Little Jimmie Goggin, who has been quite ill at his home, 903 Main street, was reported this morning as being somewhat better.

Bee 30 Apr 1927: News was received here this morning of the death at Statesville, N. C., of D. Emmett Guerrant, a well-remembered former resident ... The funeral will be held in Danville ... the home of Mrs. F. W. Hagedorn, 903 Main street ...

Bee 11 Nov 1929: For Rent: February 1st, 1930: Second floor modern apartment, three bedrooms, living room, dining room, butler's pantry, kitchen – large closets ... 903 Main street.

Bee 19 Oct 1939: Miss Nancy Lee Anderson, student at Converse College, Spartansburg, S.C., and Jack Anderson of University of N.C, are spending the week-end with their parents at 903 Main street.

Bee 15 Jul 1944: Miss Eleanor Guerrant has returned to her home at 903 Main Street after being an operative patient at Memorial Hospital.

Bee 7 Oct 1944: Cpl. Willis Y. Anderson, son of Mrs. John B. Anderson, of 903 Main Street, was graduated last week from the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School, Laredo Army Air Field ...

Bee 28 Jul 1947: Cook for family of four. No children, short hours and good pay. 903 Main, Mrs. Buckner.

Bee 4 Feb 1952: Display Ad: Dr. Henry A. Wiseman, 3rd, announces the opening of offices at 903 Main Street for the practice of general surgery.

Bee 5 Feb 1958: Offices and Desk Room: Newly decorated 5 rooms, ground floor, has been used as a doctor's office for the past 6 years, 903 Main St.

Bee 5 Mar 1967: Mrs. DeLoney Hull of Decatur, Ga., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Crew, 903 Main St.

Bee 5 Sep 1969: A Main St. apartment was damaged by fire this morning when a light bulb left in contact with clothing in a closet ignited. ... the flames were confined to the closet and a bedroom in the apartment of Mrs. J. R. Oliver, 903 Main St.

Main St 904**Bell-Pace-Boatwright House**

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PID 20049



1888 Directory	rear	Leftwich, Mrs. C, wid Pace, James R - John R, leaf dealer - Miss Lizzie - William G (P B Gravely & Co) Jackson, Alfred, butler (B) Lyle, Kate, nurse (B) Powell, C, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Pace, James R - John R (P B Gravely & Co) - W G, leaf tobacco Jackson, Alfred, butler (B) Lyle, Kate, nurse (B) Powell, Caroline, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Daughter Daughter Daughter Servant Servant	Boatwright, H Lee, age 36 - Mary, age 29 - E Vincent, age 9 - J Green, age 7 - Alice, age 7 - Florence, age 5 - Marion, age 3 Thomas, Millie, age 17 (B) Johnston, Tood, age 47 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Son Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Servant	Boatwright, Herbert L, age 47 - Mary V, age 40 - Edgar V, age 19 - John G, age 17 - Alice, age 16 - Florence, age 14 - Marion, age 12 - Herbet L Jr., age 5 Johnson, Tood, age 56 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son	Boatwright, Herbert L, age 56, tobacconist - Mary V, age 50 - John G, son, age 27, buyer, tobacco factory

	Daughter Daughter Dau-in-law Daughter Son Son	- Alice P, age 35 - Florence, age 23 - Mary G, age 24 - Marion, age 22 - Hebert Lee Jr., age 15 James, J Bruce, age 14
1927 Directory		Boatwright, H L
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son	Boatwright, H Lee, age 67, value \$25,000 - Mary E, age 61 - H Lee Jr., age 25
1935 Directory		Boatwright, Mary E Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Niece	Boatwright, Mary V, age 71, value \$18,000 Vaughan, Mary H, age 22
1945 Directory		Boatwright, Mary E Mrs.
1950 Directory		Boatwright, Mary E Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Daughter Son-in-law	Boatwright, Mary, age 80, wid Sanford, Florence, age 53 - Robert, age 55
1960 Directory		Williamson, Alice B, Mrs. Compton, Bessie T Mrs., nurse
1970 Directory		Aiken, Archibald M Hon. Blair, William J
1971 Survey		Rated Outstanding
1977 Directory		Aiken, Mary M
1982 Tour		Dr. and Mrs. Malcolm J. Mallery
1984 Directory		Mallory, Malcolm J Kelly, William
1990 Directory		Banks, Robert H
1993 Tour	Owner	Danny & Carolyn Bright
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Stowe, Suzanne Detrick to Tomlinson & Mejias, \$346,186
2009 Assessor	Transfer	Mejias, Maria to Holbrook, Jonathan J & Ginger H, \$270,000
2011 Tour	Owner	Jonathan & Ginger Holbrook

Times Dispatch 2 Apr 1911: Mrs. Lee Boatwright is visiting friends in South Carolina.

Bee 13 Feb 1924: Herbert Lee Boatwright, Jr., of Princeton, arrived this morning to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Florence Boatwright, to Robert Hawley Sanford, of Chicago, which will take place Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ...

Bee 14 May 1927: An outstanding social event of the season was the wedding of Miss Alice Pendleton Boatwright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lee Boatwright, and Walter Harold Williamson, of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williamson, of Carthage, North Carolina, which was solemnized at the home of the bride ...

Bee 5 Apr 1927: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lee Boatwright have issued invitations to the marriage and marriage reception of their daughter, Marion, and Oliver Witcher Dudley, which will take place April 16 ... 904 Main street ...

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Ruker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 10 Dec 1930: The governor of Virginia and Mrs. Pollard have issued invitations to the wedding reception of their daughter, Suzanne, and Herbert Lee Boatwright, Jr., on Saturday evening, January 3 ... in the executive mansion.

Bee 7 Jan 1946: The first January meeting of the Music Study Club will be held ... in the home of Mrs. H. L. Boatwright, 904 Main Street ...

Bee 31 Aug 1950: A large o'possum that had made its home in a tree in the yard of Mrs. H. L. Boatwright's residence, 904 Main Street, has lost his home and his life. The o'possum was discovered by a tree surgeon and the animal was captured. Later it was given to Mrs. James Penn's chauffeur, who is said to have had it prepared for o'possum steaks. Its weight was reported to have been around 15 pounds.

Bee 12 Apr 1956: We are privileged to offer for sale the fine residence property of the late Mrs. H. L. Boatwright, situated 904 Main Street. This home is in mint condition, has eleven spacious rooms and powder room first floor; five full tiled baths second floor; large front porch first and second floors, servants house, double garage, fully adequate automatic oil heat ...

Bee 23 May 1962: A talent-stage show, paintings exhibit, and hobbies and models displays will be presented ... at the rear of the home of Mrs. Alice B. Williamson of 904 Main St. ... the presentation will be made at the Dows Art Gallery and the rear yard of Mrs. Williamson's home, both of which are entered from Chestnut Place. ...

Bee 3 Oct 1971: ... Another residence judges "outstanding" by Wright is the Aiken home at 904 Main St.

Bee 28 Nov 1971: Archibald M. Aiken, judge of the Corporation Court of Danville since 1950, died last night in Memorial Hospital. He was 82. ... The family will be at the residence, 904 Main St.

Bee 14 Oct 1973: ... The Aiken home is famous for its example of the Beaux Arts Classicism, Located at 904 Main St., the apartment of William J. Blair will be shown to visitors ... Historical Society Slates Tour Of Victorian Area Oct. 21

Bee 10 Jul 1974: William J. Blair Sr., 87, died in Memorial Hospital last night ... resided at 904 Main St.

Tour Book 1982:

Today one of Danville's most imposing classically inspired mansions, 904 Main Street was constructed originally as an Italianate-style house on the eve of the Civil War. Built for local merchant E.J. Bell in 1860, the house then featured windows with round and arched hoods characteristic of the mid-century Italianate style, vestiges of which are most evident in the two-story bay window facing Chestnut Place and the tall brackets at the rear eaves of the house. The

photograph above from the 1880s or '90s shows members of the John R. Pace family in front of the house as it looked during its first 50 years.

Bell and his family lived here until his bankruptcy in 1868. In 1869 his house and lot were purchased at auction by William J. Peake, a New York City resident who sold the property the following year to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Pace. Pace, a tobacconist, his wife Sallie, and their six children lived here over twenty years. Four years after the death of Mr. Pace in 1893, his administrator sold the house at auction to H. Lee Boatwright, a rising young tobacco executive, who with his growing family moved here from their first house at 136 Chestnut Street. In 1911, the Boatwrights had W.R. Deitrick, a local contractor, remodel and modernize the house extensively, making it more suitable for entertaining foreign tobacconists and political figures who were their frequent house guests. The embellishments which so completely altered the appearance of the 50-year-old house reflected the new trend toward Beaux Arts classicism -- Palladian windows and doors with beveled glass, and a massive two-story Ionic portico intersected by a one-story Ionic colonnade.

In 1967, five years before her death, a daughter, Alice Boatwright Williamson, the last family member to reside here, conveyed the house to Judge and Mrs. A.M. Aiken. Archibald Murphey Aiken, Jr., was Judge of the Corporation Court of Danville from 1950 until his death in 1971. His wife, the former Mary Mickley, continued to live in the house until 1979, when she sold it to Dr. and Mrs. Malcolm J. Mallery.

The Mallerys, who occupy the spacious second floor apartment created by Mrs. Williamson in the 1950s, are still in the process of completing a phased rehabilitation of the structure, with eventual plans to unite a portion of the downstairs with their second-floor rooms. Much of their work up to now has involved repairs to the roof, soffiting, modillions, and to the imposing columns to ensure their longevity. Dr. and Mrs. Mallery have also

found time for restoration inside, notably the stripping of as many as thirteen layers of paint from some of the deeply-molded woodwork and doors, giving them instead a warm natural finish.

The entire house, which includes three apartments and the carriage house, 22 rooms in all, is open for the tour.

Photo from the 1880s or 1890s:



Tour Book 1993:

Built as an Italianate-style home in 1860, this mansion is most recognized today for the elegant face-lift added 50 years later by H. Lee Boatwright, a rising young tobacco executive at Dibrell Brothers, Inc. These alterations reflect the popular turn-of-the-century trend toward Beaux Arts classicism. Just before the War Between the States, local merchant E.J. Bell had the original home built with semi-circular and arched windows still notable today on its Chestnut Place facade.

The Bell family lived here until Mr. Bell's bankruptcy in 1868. At an auction sale, the home was purchased by William J. Peake, a resident of New York, who soon sold the property to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Pace, who lived here for twenty years with their six children. After Pace's death, Mr. Boatwright purchased the home in 1893 and moved from his previous residence at 136 Chestnut Street to this mansion, which he made eminently more suitable for entertaining foreign tobacconists and political figures of the day. Mr. Boatwright engaged W.R. Deitrick, local contractor, to remodel the exterior extensively by adding Palladian windows and doors with beveled glass and a two-story Ionic portico intersected by a one-story Ionic colonnade.

In 1967, Alice Boatwright Williamson, a daughter, conveyed the home to Judge and Mrs. Archibald Murphey Aiken. Aiken was judge of the Corporation Court from 1950 until his death in 1971. His widow lived in the home until 1979 when she conveyed the property to Dr. Malcolm Mallery. Dr. Mallery occupied the second floor apartment created by Boatwright's daughter in the 1950s as he began an extensive rehabilitation to stabilize the home. In 1986, with love at first sight, Robert and Anne Banks purchased the home and began to unravel the years of 'remuddling' to recreate a private home in the mansion of 6,500 square feet and six full baths.

The Brights, local decorators, purchased the property in 1991, and have continued to adapt most of the home for their family's use while maintaining two desirable apartments and the carriage house for tenant use. The floor plan now flows with the removal of partitions and the relocation of a spectacular new kitchen on the ground level in the area used originally as a servant kitchen and smokehouse. The wall colors are a rich palette of traditional, but fresh shades, creating a gracious environment for the elegant furnishings, including antiques and elements available to the trade. The classical interior columns and detailed dentil moldings are inspiring reminders of the lifestyles of early Danville's rich and famous occupants of Millionaires' Row. In the formal dining room the Palladian window with beveled glass lends a light, airy feeling reminiscent of a garden setting.

Tour Book 2011:

Recognized today for its monumental two-story columned portico, it's hard to believe that this elegant, century-old face-lift covers a simple Italianate I-house -- built on the eve of the Civil War. Some 50 years later, a rising young tobacco executive recreated the dwelling to reflect his aspirations at the tobacco brokerage firm Dibrell Brothers. Just around the corner, on Chestnut Place, in contrast to this classical facade of beaux arts inspiration, are semi-circular and arched windows, and heavy brackets typical of the original 1860 house built for local merchant E.J. Bell.

The family lived here until Mr. Bell's bankruptcy in 1868. Then, at auction, the dwelling was purchased by a resident of New York, William J. Peake. He soon sold the property to tobacconist John R. Pace, and his wife, who lived here for two decades with their six children. After Pace's death, Mr. Boatwright purchased the home in 1893 and moved from his previous residence at 136 Chestnut Street to this mansion, which he made eminently more suitable for entertaining foreign tobacconists and political figures of the day. Mr. Boatwright engaged W.R. Deitrick, a local contractor, to remodel the exterior extensively by adding Palladian windows, and doors with beveled glass, plus a two-story Ionic portico intersected by a one-story Ionic colonnade.

In 1967, Alice B. Williamson, conveyed her home to Judge and Mrs. Archibald Murphy Aiken. Aiken was Judge of the Corporation Court from 1950 until his death in 1971. His widow lived here until 1979 when she conveyed the property to Dr. Malcolm Mallery. Dr. Mallery occupied the second-floor apartment created by Boatwright's daughter in the 1950s as he began an extensive rehabilitation. Thereafter, from 1986 to 2009, the process of removing apartments and returning the house, by degrees, to its origins as a single-family dwelling continued under a succession of owners -- Bob and Anne Banks, Danny and Carolyn Bright, Ed and Suzanne Stowe, and Rod Tomlinson and Maria Mejias.

Two years ago, Jonathan and Ginger Holbrook, who moved to Danville from North Carolina, purchased the rambling house and began their own campaign to bring out the luster of rooms with rich details, like classical interior columns set off by dentil crown moldings, and Palladian-style windows with sparkling beveled glass. With a half-dozen children on the "maintenance crew," the Holbrooks are busy stewards inside and out at this grand old mansion.

Main St 911

1888 Directory	Rear	Hickey, C H (Holland & Hickey, also Danville Cigarette Co) - John Keene, Emma, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Hickey, Miss Anna - C H (Holland & Hickey) - J S, clerk Fitzgerald, Ella, cook (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Brother Nephew Servant	Hickey, Charles H, age 61, tobacconist - Mary J, age 57 - John I, tobacconist Weirstead, Linday, age 21, clerk Fitzgerald, Ella, age 33 (B)
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son-in-law Granddau Brother	Hickey, Charles H, age 71 - Mamie J, age 65 Walker, Sue H, age 34 - Buyan M, age 37, manager, insurance co. - Winifred A, age 9 Hickey, John S, age 76, leaf tobacco dealer
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Son Son Servant	James, Spencer, age 48, wid, owner hardware - Elizabeth, age 11 - Spencer Jr., age 8 - George, age 5 Hickey, Annie, age 45, housekeeper
1921 Directory		James, Spencer, v-pres-mngr Piedmont Hardware
1927 Directory		James, Spencer
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Fath-in-law Servant Servant	Young, Edward B, age 46, tobacconist, own co - Ima A, age 43 - Edward B, age 10 Allen, Montgomery O, age 75, wid Hudson, Hattie, age 65, housekeeper Younger, Edna, age 27 (B)
1935 Directory		Young, Edward B
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Servant Servant Lodger	Young, Edward B, age 56, leaf dealer - Ima A, age 53 - Edward B Jr., age 20 Hudson, Hattie, age 76, housekeeper Younger, Edna, age 36 Smart, Ben, age 30, theater manager
1945 Directory		Young, Ima A Mrs.
1950 Directory		Young, Ina A Mrs.
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		Calvin House (Sunday School Rooms)
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		

1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 2 May 1909: J. J. Hickey, of Richmond, was in the city this week on a visit to his parent, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hickey, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 6 Mar 1910: Mrs. Jamieson Hickey has returned to Richmond after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hickey. Later she leaves with a party of Richmond and Danville people for an extended European tour, including Obermmargau.

Bee 4 Dec 1922: ... Miss Ellen Wilson, youngest daughter of the Hon. and Mrs. Samuel Hairston Wilson, became the bride of Spencer James of this city. ... They will spend their honeymoon in several northern cities, returning later to Danville where they will be at home at 911 Main street.

Bee 16 May 1928: Spencer James, widely-known Danville man, vice president and general manager of Piedmont Hardware Co. died from a heart attack at noon today at his home, 911 Main street ...

Bee 9 Oct 1928: Display Ad: Residence of the late Spencer James, 911 Main Street, Danville, Va., At Auction On Premises. ... Brick residence, living room, library, two baths, 5 bedrooms, kitchen and butler's pantry, oil burner furnace, modern dwelling, five one-car garages ... lying between First Presbyterian Church and Wemple property, now Mrs. Hagedorn. ...

Bee 29 Aug 1929: The Woman's Union Prayer Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Allen, 911 Main street ...

Bee 4 Nov 1931: Funeral services will be held tomorrow ... for Montgomery Adkins Allen, well-known Danville resident who passed away unexpectedly at his home 911 Main street last night ... The exercises will be conducted from the late residence ... Surviving him is a daughter, Mrs. E. B. Young and a grandson, E. B. Young Jr., of this city.

Bee 2 Oct 1941: A stubborn blaze in half a carload of coal yesterday in the basement of the home of E. B. Young, 911 Main street, caused negligible damage ...

Bee 29 Sep 1943: Edward Bickford Young, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Young of 911 Main Street was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States Army ...

Bee 5 Apr 1946: First Lieutenant Edward B. Young, Jr., who has been serving with the infantry in Italy for the past two years, has arrived in the city and is spending a 30 day leave with his wife, Mrs. Stuart Williamson Young, and his mother, Mrs. E. B. Young, of 911 Main Street. ...

Bee 6 Nov 1950: The West End Garden Club will meet ... with Mrs. Edward B. Young, 911 Main street. ...

Main St 912**W. A. Cherry House**

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PID 21116



1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Servant Servant	Goldsmith, Henry, age 30 - Carrie, age 26 - Allele, age 5 Robinson, Mandy, age 20 (B) - J William, age 23 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Son Daughter Servant Servant	Penn, J Pemberton, age 33 - Nellie C, age 32 - Marie A, age 9 - J Pemberton Jr., age 6 - Kitty F, age 1-6/12 Alston, Robert, age 36 (B) Franklin, Delia, age 47 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Son Son Servant	James, Spencer, age 48, wid, hardware proprietor - Elizabeth, age 11 - Spencer Jr., age 8 - George, age 5 Hickey, Annie, age 45, housekeeper
1927 Directory		Hall, Raymond
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Daughter Roomer	Hall, Raymond, age 50, value \$15,000 - Sadie H, age 49 - Raymond, age 17 - Sadie H, age 15 - Frances B, age 12 De Ramos, James T, age 24
1935 Directory		Hall, Raymond J
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Lodger Lodger	Hall, Raymond, age 60, value \$12,000 - Sadie H, age 59 - Raymond Jr., age 24 Jaudon, Walter, age 35 Pennelton, Fabian B, age 35
1945 Directory		Hall, Raymond M
1950 Directory		Hall, Raymond
1950 Census	Head Wife Son	Hall, Raymond, age 70 - Sadie R, age 69 - Raymond Jr, age 38

	Lodger	Edmunds, Samuel, age 39, div, deputy collector, tax collector's office
	Lodger	Davenport, Gary, age 24, time study engineer, cotton mill
	Lodger	Pleasant, Ethel, age 39, secretary, physician office
	Lodger	- Ida, age 34, sales lady, department store
	Lodger	Hulbrecht, Leather, age 42, tabulating machine, cotton mill
	Lodger	Boys, William, age 52, admin assistant, cotton mill
1960 Directory		Hall, Sadie H Mrs.
1970 Directory		Conway, French H
1977 Directory		Conway, French H
1980 Tour		Mr. and Mrs. French Conway
1984 Directory		Conway, French H
1990 Directory		Conway, French H
1994 Tour	Owner	Mr. & Mrs. French Conway
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Conway, French H & Louise H to Krome, \$239,900
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Krome, Jonathan and Sarah to Campbell, Kathleen A, \$260,000
2022 Assessor	Transfer	Campbell to Shelley Horton GC & REI LLC

Times Dispatch 2 Jan 1910: Mrs. Pemberton Penn entertained quite a number of the younger society set at her home on Main Street Wednesday night.

Times Dispatch 21 Aug 1910: Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton Penn and children have returned from the Yellow Sulphur.

Times Dispatch 12 Feb 1911: Miss Madge Vass entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club this week at the elegant home of Mrs. Pemberton Penn, on Main Street. ...

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Ruker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 27 May 1941: ... Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall ... marriage of their daughter Francesca Cleveland to Mr. Parmalee Corwin Hill ... Reception immediately after ceremony, 912 Main Street.

Bee 14 May 1951: Harley Roland, of 912 Main Street, today became assistant clerk of police justice court following appointment by Justice Calvin Perry ...

Bee 19 Dec 1956: Mrs. Parmalee C. Hill, of Wayland, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall, of 912 Main Street.

Bee 16 Oct 1972: Historic City Tours Slated for Sunday ... The garden of the William Haynesworth home at 954 Main St. ... At 944 Main St., the High Victorian Italianate mansion built in 1884 for John Schoolfield ... At 912 Main St., the former Cherry-Hall home built in 1898 and now owned by Mr. and Mrs. French H. Conway ...

Register 17 Jul 1977: 912 Main St. was the setting Saturday, July 9, for the marriage of Donna LeFevers Salmon, daughter of Mrs. French H. Conway, and Douglas Lloyd Starnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Paul Starnes, all of Danville. ...

Tour Book 1980:

The Queen Anne style house of Mr. and Mrs. French Conway occupies a choice location, dominated by an ancient oak tree that remains from a grove of nearly two acres originally, a grove that in the 1820s contained the early home of James Lanier, Danville's first mayor. Later, in 1857, A.G. Buford built in this grove his mansion, as well as a small brick school or office under the oak where the house at 912 Main Street now stands. Mr. Buford divided and sold his property in 1882, the larger, upper portion going to a banker, J.R. Jopling, and the smaller, lower parcel with the small brick office and the oak to the J.R. Pace family, who owned the house at 904 Main Street next door. When the Pace home and adjoining lot were auctioned in 1897, Maggie Cherry was the high bidder for the 40-foot lot that is site of this house. She and her husband, W.A. Cherry, had their Queen Anne clapboard dwelling with second floor bays, shingled gables, and a delicate Ionic front porch constructed in 1898.

In 1905 the Cherrys sold the house to J. Pemberton Penn, a tobacconist with Pemberton and Penn, a leaf commission business founded by his father, James G. Penn. Central heating was among the many improvements to the house added by the Penns. Often the house is referred to as the old Hall place, owing to the long ownership of the property by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall. The Halls lived here 45 years before the house was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Conway in 1962.

In adapting the house for their needs, the Conways have retained all the original features of the facade, including the beautiful leaded windows that give the entrance special interest. In remodeling their home, including extensive additions to the rear, the Conways incorporated architectural details salvaged from the old Rison house, which stood at 1002 Main Street, the site of the present Wednesday Club.

Tour Book 1994:

An ancient oak, remnant of an original grove of nearly two acres, shades the Queen Anne house built in 1898 for W.A. and Maggie Cherry on land once owned by Captain James Lanier, Danville's first mayor. The two-and-a-half story clapboard dwelling still features the original second floor bay, shingled gables, and the delicate Ionic front porch that has welcomed guests through its leaded glass entryway for nearly a century.

In 1905, J. Pemberton Penn, son of the builder of 862 Main Street, purchased the home and added a central heating system. In 1917, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall took title to the property, where they remained for 45 years before selling to the Conways in 1962. Mrs. Conway, a local ASID decorator, has been sensitive to the original features in adapting the home with extensive additions to the rear. Architectural details salvaged from the old Rison home, which stood at 1002 Main Street prior to the present Wednesday Club, have been incorporated into their renovations.

Main St 918**Jopling House**

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PID 21009



1890 Directory		Jopling, James R, hardware
1900 Census	Owner Wife Servant Servant	Jopling, James R, age 54 - M Pauline, age 50 Gunn, Wilson, age 25 (B) - Matoaco, age 24 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife	Joplin, James R, age 63 - Mary P, age 60
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Vacant
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Roomer Roomer	Clements, Charles B, age 46, value \$25,000 - Lydia M, age 45 - Hugh T, age 20 - Charles B, age 13 Covey, Nora B, age 45 Davis, Ludie, age 40
1935 Directory		Clements, Charles B
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger	Clements, Charles B, age 55, value \$20,000 - Lydia M, age 55 - Charles B Jr., age 23 Briggs, Philip B, age 26 Bryant, Jelbie, age 32 Webb, Lucille M, age 38 Forner, Natalie, age 28
1945 Directory		Clements, Charles B
1950 Directory		Clements, Charles B
1950 Census	Head – apt 1 Wife Sister Lodger Lodger Lodger Head – apt 2 Wife	White, Isaac L, age 53, proprietor, retail rating? Company - Pearl F, age 52 Anicksdale, Jessie, age 51, wid Tucker, Lota, age 26, secretary, VPI Ext Tucker, Mae, age 24, cloth inspector, cotton mill Williford, Eula M, age 30, cloth inspector, cotton mill Clements, Charles, age 66, proprietor, furniture store - Lydia M, age 65
1960 Directory		Clements, Charles B
1970 Directory		Clements, Charles B

1977 Directory		Clements, Hugh T
1977 Victrn Dv		
1982 Tour		Mr. Hugh T. Clements
1984 Directory		Clements, Hugh T
1990 Directory		Clements, Hugh T
1998 Assessor	Transfer	To Burton, \$129,900
2004 Assessor	Transfer	Burton, Scott A & Pam E to Wilson, Stephen R and Susan G, \$255,000
2006 Tour	Owner	Susan & Steve Wilson J R Jopling House

Times Dispatch 20 Feb 1910: Mrs. Sam Hairston, of "Oak Hill," is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Jopling.

Times Dispatch 16 Jul 1911: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jopling are at Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania.

Bee 7 Mar 1933: Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Chandler, who have been in Lexington, Ky, during the tobacco season, have returned to their apartment at 918 Main street.

Bee 14 Oct 1933: For Rent: Large, well-furnished front room. Also table board. Apply 918 Main St.

Bee 3 Sep 1934: The Danville W. C. T. U. will meet ... at the home of Mrs. C. B. Clements, 918 Main street ...

Bee 29 Aug 1935: Miss Margaret Holland who has been spending the summer in Washington, D.C. and Ridgecrest, N.C. has returned to her home, 918 Main street.

Bee 15 Jun 1936: Ms. Minnie Drewry Gregory announces the marriage of her daughter, Frances Lea, to Henry Vestor Adams ... Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be at home after June 21 at 918 Main street.

Bee 5 Oct 1940: The October meeting of the Danville Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held ... at the home of the president, Mrs. C. B. Clements, 918 Main Street. ...

Bee 25 Sep 1942: Miss Annie Ayers is now making her home at 918 Main St.

Bee 16 Jun 1944: Household Furniture. Private sale 5 rooms. Quick bargains. 918 Main St.

Bee 22 Jan 1945: The Harry Wooding Garden Club will meet with Mrs. George Aaron, 918 Main Street.

Bee 6 Dec 1946: Mrs. George P. Geoghegan, a life-long resident of Danville, is being welcomed home again by many friends after an absence of two months. She is making her home with Mrs. C. B. Clements, 918 Main Street ...

Bee 13 Jun 1953: A meeting of officers and committee chairmen of the Anne Elizabeth John Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held ... at the home of the president, Mrs. C. B. Clements, 918 Main Street. ...

Bee 21 Aug 1962: Mrs. Mildred Seymour, who has been on a trip around the world, returned Saturday to her apartment at 918 Main Street.

Bee 11 Jun 1965: Mrs. Lydia McCormick Clements, 80, wife of Charles B. Clements, died yesterday ... in Memorial Hospital ... Mrs. Clements, a daughter of the late Sallie Spencer McCormick and Solomon A.

McCormick, was born July 21, 1884, in Halifax County. ... She is survived by her husband; two sons, High T. Clements and C. Branch Clements, Jr., both of Danville ...

Bee 10 Dec 1967: The Lydia Clements Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold its Christmas party for members and guests Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Anita Carlton, 918 Main St. ...

Register 28 May 1972: the marriage of Margaret Brewer Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Holland of Holland, to Hugh Thomas Clements Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Clements of Danville took place May 19 ... They are making their home at 918 Main St.

Bee 23 Feb 1977: Hugh Thomas Clements Jr., 29, of 918 Main St., was found dead at his home about 11:45 p.m. yesterday. Police reported his death resulted from a pistol wound to the head and listed it as an apparent suicide.

Bee 15 Apr 1977: Funeral services for Mrs. Edyth Peel Richardson Clements will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. ... Mrs. Clements, 65, of 918 Main St., died yesterday in Memorial Hospital ... She is survived by her husband, Hugh T. Clements, of the home ...

Tour Book 1982:

Built in 1890, this elaborate dwelling is the successor to two earlier houses on this site. One was an early home, c 1829, of Capt. James Lanier, the town's first mayor. After this structure burned, Col. Algernon Sidney Buford had his new house and stables built here in the late 1850s. Also on the two-acre grove he had constructed a school or office said to have stood beneath the oak which dominates the adjacent front yard at 912 Main Street. In 1882 Buford, an early detractor of the Richmond and Danville Railroad who later served twenty years as its president, subdivided his Main Street property. L.R. Jopling bought the Buford home, had it razed, and the present structure built. Its irregular plan, various projections and story heights are unified by repetitions of window openings and architectural motifs. Central to the design is the three-story square domed tower of French Renaissance inspiration. The intricate stone and staggered brick motif of the segmented arched openings harmonizes with the delicately patterned cast iron entrance porch.

James Rufus Jopling, who had this excellent example of a Second Empire style house built, was a native of Bedford County. A Confederate veteran, he moved to Lynchburg after the War and married Mollie Phelps. In 1874 he came to Danville as a partner in the expanding Lynchburg hardware firm of Jones & Watts. In Danville he also entered banking and was the president of the Planters National Bank, now First and Merchants National, from 1898 until his death in 1913.

In 1928 the Jopling heirs sold the house to Allen E. Anderson, who conveyed it the following year to Charles Branch Clements and his wife Lydia McCormick Clements, both Halifax County natives. Clements had come to Danville in 1905 and began work with the furniture company that eventually bore his name -- Clements & Parker. After his death in 1972, the house passed to his son, Hugh T. Clements, who with two of his children, continues to reside here. Inside, high-ceilinged rooms with ornamental plaster are complemented by elaborate slate mantles decorated to resemble marble and other opulent materials.

Main St 921

1888 Directory		Henderson, James A (J A Henderson & Co)
1890 Directory		Henderson, Miss Addie D - James A Jr., bank runner - J A (Holland & Burton Tobacco Co, also Henderson, Jones & Co) Johnson, Wallace, laborer (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Nephew Servant	Henderson, James A, age 58, tobacconist - Rebecca L, age 53 - Frank H, age 22, tobacconist - William T, age 19, stenographer Jeffries, Esther, age 35 (B)
1910 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Boarder Boarder Servant Servant	Hamlin, Thomas S, age 50, commonwealth attorney - Lucy M, age 45 - Eliza N, age 21 Granant, Peter, age 38, hardware salesman - Grace, age 30 Trainum, Carry, age 25, cook (B) - Henry, age 5
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Removed for Presbyterian Sunday School before 1920.

Times Dispatch 19 Dec 1909: Mrs. Thomas Hamlin was the hostess ... when she entertained at her home on Main Street ... in compliment to Mrs. Peter Dutoi Guerrant and Miss Deborah Sedgewick, of Richmond, Ind.

Main St 926**W. F. Patton House**

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PID 22428



1892 Directory		Casey, Sam, driver - Mary, domestic Coles, Ella, domestic Lester, Caroline, domestic
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Servant	Dudley, Oliver W, age 43 - L Ellie, age 26 - Oliver W Jr., age 3 Cobb, Alice, age 25 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Son Moth-in-law Servant Servt's son	Dudley, Oliver W, age 52 - Lucy E, age 35 - Oliver W Jr., age 13 - Howard E, age 9 Estes, Nannie, age 59, wid Oliver, Annie, age 31, wid (B) - Oattie, age 15 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Servant	Dudley, Oliver W, age 63, tobacco broker - Lucy E, age 45 - Oliver Witcher Jr., age 23, tobacco broker - Howard E, age 19 Estes, Mannie H, age 68, wid Ferrell, Josaphine, age 39 (B)
1927 Directory		Dudley, O W Col.
1930 Census	Owner Wife Moth-in-law	Dudley, Oliver W, age 73, value unknown - Lucy F, age 55 Estes, Nannie, age 79, wid
1935 Directory		Read, Rollin T, textile mfr - Gertrude E, student Lester, Claudinia (c) maid - Lillie (c) maid
1940 Census		
1945 Directory	a	Dudley, Lucie E Mrs. Updike, Glenn B
1950 Directory	a	Dudley, Lucie E Mrs. Updike, Glenn B
1950 Census	Head	Dudley, Lucy E, age 75, wid

	Head – apt 1 Wife Head – apt 3	Updike, Glenn B, age 57, manager, drug store - Annie H, age 57 Mellow, Jackie M, wid, asst manager, theater
1960 Directory	bsmt	Stamoulis, Gus Dove, Lalie J Mrs.
1970 Directory		Harper, Robert I & Associate, interior decorator Harper, Robert I
1971 Survey		Rated Excellent
1977 Directory	a b	Brockwell, Mary A, music teacher Perkins, Gary C
1977 Victrn Dv		
1979 Tour		Dr. and Mrs. R. Wilford Cocke, first floor office; Mr. J. Michael Grant, second floor apartment; Mr. James W. Carmichael, second floor apartment
1984 Directory	a b c	Cocke, R Wilford, orthodontist Carmichael, James W Grant, J Michael Hasting, Susan E
1984 Tour		Dr. R. Wilford Cocke; second floor apartments of Mr. J. Michael Grant, Mr. James W. Carmichael; third floor apartment of Miss Susan Hastings
1990 Directory	a b c d	Cocke, R Wilford, orthodontist Harden, Laura Wray, Steven D Poe, Christopher Warren, Andy
2003 Assessor	Transfer	Cocke, Audrey Graffam to Liepe, Paul & Marjory, \$270,000
2007 Tour	Owner	Paul and Marjory Liepe
2014 Tour	Owner	Paul and Marjory Liepe
2021 Assessor	Transfer	To Liepe, Paul C (Major passed)

Date	From	To	Ref
12/2/2003	Audrey Graffam Cocke	Paul & Marjory Liepe	

Alexandria Gazette 22 Nov 1894: Col. O. W. Dudley, of Governor O’Ferrall’s staff, was married in Danville yesterday to Miss Lucy Howard Estes. Among those present were Gov. O’Ferrall and his staff.

Alexandria Gazette 16 Jun 1897: Governor O’Ferrell and party ... left Richmond yesterday evening in a private car for Nashville. Besides the Governor ... Col. O. W. Dudley, of Danville, aide-de-camp ...

Times-Dispatch 6 Jul 1904: Colonel O. W. Dudley, of Danville, Va., is summering at the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs

Times Dispatch 10 Sep 1905: (The Mecklenburg, Chase City) Wednesday morning a ... part of fox hunters started from here ... Some prominent tobacco men have been here this week, among them ... Colnel O. W. Dudley, of Danville, Va. ...

Times Dispatch 2 Feb 1906: From a society point of view the inaugural ceremonies of yesterday at the Capitol were a great success. With Mrs. Swanson's [wife of governor] party were Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson, Mr. William Swanson, Mr. Estes, Mrs. Oliver Dudley, Mr. Rorer James of the Danville Register, and Mr. John Wiley, all of Danville ...

Times Dispatch 6 May 1907: Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Rawlings, Mrs. O. W. Dudley, and Miss Elizabeth Peatross, of Danville, Va., who have been traveling through Europe, Asia, and Africa for the past three months, are now in England, and expect to sail for America on May 8th. ...

Times Dispatch 13 Dec 1907: I. J. and J. W. Wilson, young white men and brothers ... were hed for the grand jury ... in the Mayor's Court ... I. J. Wilson, the elder of the brothers, presented a check here last week on a local clothing store for \$24.25, to which was forged the name of Colonel O. W. Dudley, a tobacconist, and director of the Commercial Bank. ...

Times Dispatch 14 Mar 1909: Colonel and Mrs. O. W. Dudley have returned from Washington. Colonel Dudley participated in the inaugural exercises.

Times Dispatch 25 Jul 1909: Colonel O. W. Dudley is spending several weeks at the Greenbrier, White Sulfer Springs.

Times Dispatch 22 Aug 1909: Colonel and Mrs. O. W. Dudley have returned to the city, after a delightful auto tour from the city to Atlantic City, N.J., via the Shenandoah Valley route.

Times Dispatch 21 Nov 1909: Colonel and Mrs. Oliver Witcher Dudley have issued invitations to the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage ... at their residence on Main Street.

Times Dispatch 28 Nov 1909: Mrs. James Parkinson and Mrs. Williamson Talley, of Richmond, were the guests of Mrs. Oliver Dudley this week.

Times Dispatch 28 Nov 1909: Among the most brilliant affairs of the past week was the crystal wedding of Colonel and Mrs. Oliver W. Dudley at their handsome home on Main Street, Monday night.

Times Dispatch 2 Jan 1910: Miss Lucilia McClain of Sweetbriar College, and Miss Marion Cunningham, of Knoxville, Tenn., her attractive house guest, were the guests of honor at a beautifully appointed dinner given by Mrs. Oliver Dudley at her handsome home on Main Street ...

Times Dispatch 7 Apr 1910: A damage suit instituted by the Lewis Shoe Company against Colonel O. W. Dudley, owner of the Dudley Block, is being tried here ... Several months ago the stock of goods ... was damaged by being flooded ... as the result of the leakage of a water pipe ...

Times Dispatch 26 Jun 1910: Colonel and Mrs. O. W. Dudley and children are at Atlantic City.

Times Dispatch 7 Aug 1910: Colonel and Mrs. O. W. Dudley are at Rawley Springs for several weeks.

Times Dispatch 29 Jan 1911: Estes Dudley entertained about forty of his young friends at the home of his parents ...

Times Dispatch 11 Jun 1911: Mrs. W.I. Jordan, who has been visiting Mrs. O. W. Dudley, has returned home.

Times Dispatch 10 Sep 1911: Colonel and Mrs. Oliver Dudley with their two boys, Estes and Witcher, have returned from a 3,000 mile automobile trip in their seven passenger automobile.

Times Dispatch 15 Jun 1918: Henry B. Watkins ... has accepted the position of food administrator of Danville. ... He succeeds Colonel O. W. Dudley, who sent in his resignation some time ago. ...

Bee 29 Feb 1924: One of the most brilliant weddings in the recent history of Danville and which was attended by perhaps the largest and one of the most brilliant congregations ever assembled in Epiphany church was that at 9 o'clock last night which united two of the best known families of Danville – that of Miss Catherine James and Howard Estes Dudley. ... the parents of the bride first met at the wedding of the parents of the bridegroom and that the two families have been closely and warmly associated ...

Bee 14 Mar 1927: Notice to the Public: I have the agency for "The Life of Woodrow Wilson" by Josephus Daniels, and will appreciate your order for a copy. Mrs. Nannie Estes, 926 Main street.

Bee 9 Dec 1926: Miss Margaret Jordan, whose wedding to Frank Talbott, Jr., will take place Saturday evening, was honor guest Tuesday when Mrs. Oliver W. Dudley entertained with a luncheon at her home on Main street ...

Bee 16 Apr 1927: Oliver Wicher Dudley, Jr., whose marriage to Miss Marion Boatwright will take place this evening, is entertaining a number of guests at the home of his parents, Colonel and Mrs. O. W. Dudley, Main street. ... Among the visitors to the Dudley home are: Mr. and Mrs. Estes Dudley and daughter Anne Rorer Dudley, of Richmond ... Senator Richard Barksdale ...

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Ruker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 11 Jun 1928: Danville Gardens To Be Open for Two Days ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main St. ...

Bee 31 May 1929: Danville Gardens To Be Opened On Tuesday ... O. W. Dudley, 926 Main ...

Bee 26 Aug 1930: Final rites for Col. O. W. Dudley, who died Sunday. Were conducted from the home this morning ... The funeral was one of the most largely attended witnessed in Danville for a long time. ... Col. Dudley, besides his widow, is survived by two sons, O. W. Dudley, Jr., and Howard Estes Dudley, both of Richmond, also three sisters, Mrs. J. C. Dickenson of Danville, Mrs. Nannie Vee Berger of Norfolk, and Mrs. Hattie Dickenson of Roanoke. ...

Bee 23 Sep 1930: The ill of O. W. Dudley, well-known Danville resident and tobacconist who died here recently, has been admitted to probate ... While the will shows that Mr. Dudley left ... practically no estate with the exception of an insurance policy of about \$3,300, it was learned that he had previously deeded his property and belongings to his sons and relatives.

Bee 25 May 1931: Mrs. O. W. Dudley and Mrs. Nannie Estes have returned to their home, 926 Main street.

Bee 21 Sep 1936: Wanted: A reliable colored woman to cook and do general housework. 926 Main St.

Bee 30 Sep 1940: Two 5-room and one 4-room apartments. 926 Main St. Steam heat, garage, and storeroom. C. D. Ragland, 2636.

Bee 5 Sep 1941: Experienced cook with references and health certificate. Apply 926 Main St.

Bee 1 Oct 1941: Miss Emily Pollard of Chapel Hill will speak at the September meeting of the Garden Club of Danville ... at the home of Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main St. ...

Bee 6 Apr 1942: Word was received here today of an injury received by Estes Dudley at his home in Richmond yesterday afternoon. Mr. Dudley, a native of Danville and a son of Mrs. O. W. Dudley, of 926 Main Street, suffered a fractured vertebra of the back when he was thrown from a horse. ...

Bee 12 Dec 1945: Colonel and Mrs. William W. Brothers of Pocatello, Idaho, were the recent overnight guests of Mrs. Oliver W. Dudley at her home, 926 Main Street

Bee 2 Feb 1953: The West End Garden Club will hold its regular meeting tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock with Mrs. Glenn B. Updike, 926 Main Street.

Bee 23 Jun 1955: 1st Floor, 926 Main St., Nice for doctor or other business, plenty parking space, lot runs through to Grove St. Room to live there if desired. Two lovely tile baths each with shower, next door to Dr. Hoskings. Also 5 room & bath apartment, 3rd floor, newly decorated. Apply Mr. Charles Ragland, Security Bank & Trust Co.

Bee 30 Jan 1960: 4 room apt., 926 Main St., \$60 month. Shields Bros. Inc.

Bee 20 Aug 1960: 5 rooms heater, 926 Main St, \$60 a month. Shields Brothers, Inc.

Bee 20 Aug 1960: 3 rooms furnished, 926 Main St. \$13.75 a week. Shields Brothers, Inc. [This may have been the carriage house.]

Bee 27 Mar 1961: 4 rooms, 926 Main St., Furnished, \$13.75 a week. Shields Bros. Inc.

Bee 11 Jan 1962: 5 Rms, 926 Main, \$60 mo. Shields Brothers, Inc.

Bee 18 Mar 1963: Heated Furnished Bedroom, private bath and shower. 926 Main. Dial SW 2-8294

Bee 30 Aug 1977: Houses For Sale: 5 apt's – 60s – 926 Main St. Southwood Realty Co.

Tour Book 1979:

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Upstairs, two apartments occupied by J. Michael Grant and James W. Carmichael are models of livability, compatible with architectural features distinctive to the period. A third floor apartment, occupied by Miss Susan Hastings, derives much of its diminutive charm from the interesting spaces created by the roof itself.

Tour Book 2007:

A compact facade unifies the varied textures, materials and colors of this unmistakably urban dwelling. No expense was spared when William F. Patton, a banker, had this stone and brick Queen Anne mansion built in 1890. Tradition holds that upon completion the shrouded facade was "unveiled." Patton, a third generation Danvillian when he built this house, descended from Dr. James D. Patton, one of the town's early-19th-century immigrants, and namesake for a principal downtown business street. Following the tragic death of his wife from typhoid in 1894, W. F. Patton and their sons went to live with his mother-in-law. The following year, the mansion and all its contents were sold to a prominent tobacco leaf dealer, O. Witcher Dudley. The Dudleys lived here over the first half of the 20th century, retaining the house until Mrs. Dudley's death in 1954.

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Building upon the tradition of stewardship evidenced when this landmark dwelling was saved by the ad-hoc neighborhood "Committee of 900" more than 40 years ago, the current owners have made the preservation of their home, inside and out, a priority.

Tour Book 2014:

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Main St 926-½ (Carriage House)

1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Not listed
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Mellow, Julia M Mrs.
1950 Directory		Mellow, Julia M Mrs.
1960 Directory		Guerrant, Fred Vernon, Richard D
1970 Directory		Vacant
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 5 Dec 1945: The Beta Chapter of Pi Omicron National Sorority will meet ... at the home of Miss Sarah C. Powell, 926½ Main Street ...

Bee 10 Sep 1953: Desirable two bedroom heated apartment, 926½ Main St. 2nd floor, \$75.00 per month. Available about Oct. 1st. (Sub-lease) See G. B. Updike, Patterson Drug Co.

Bee 20 Aug 1960: 3 rooms furnished, 926½ Main St. \$13.75 a week. Shields Brothers, Inc.

Main St 936**John Hamilton Cosby House**

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PID 22706



1900 Census	Owner Son Daughter Son Son Mother Servant Servant Servant Servant	Cosby, Mary, age 32 - J Henry, age 12 - E Sallie, age 9 - Mortimer, age 8 - W McPride, age 6 Wilson, Mrs. John, age 69 Smith, George, age 33 (B) Jackson, Elvira, age 29 (B) - Ned, Age 9 (B) House, Fannie, age 45 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife	Dula, Sydney R, age 42 - Ella, age 39
1920 Census	Owner Wife Servant	Dula, Sidney R, age 56, manager tobacco co - Gabriella M, age 53 Lee, Maude, age 21 (B)
1927 Directory		Dula, S R
1930 Census	Owner	Dula, Sydney R, age 66, wid, value \$15,000
1935 Directory		Fulghum, Thomas A
1940 Census	Owner Sister Sister Sister Sister	Teresa, Sister Sup, age 21+ Joseph, Sister Mary, age 21+ Agnes, Sister, age 21+ Cecelia, Sister, age 21+ Camilla, Sister, age 21+
1945 Directory		Society of Christ Our King
1950 Directory		Hosking, Arthur R, chiropractor Rising, James W, chiropractor Cronk, Lacy D, chiropractor
1950 Census	Head Wife	Hosking, Arthur R, age 48, chiropractor - Grace H, age 51
1960 Directory		Hosking, Arthur R Chiropractic Health Center
1970 Directory		Chiropractic Health Center Hosking, Arthur R
1977 Directory		Chiropractic Health Center

		Hosking, Arthur R
1984 Directory		Ogden Orthopedic Clinic Ltd. Ogden, William S, physician
1990 Directory		Family Dentistry
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Evans, James D to Whitehouse, Amy, \$150,000

Times-Dispatch 24 Jan 1904: Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula and Mrs. James Hickey Williamson, of Danville, Va., are the guests of Mrs. James Jamieson Hickey, No. 121 South Third Street.

Times Dispatch 25 Jul 1909: One of the most delightful and novel events of the summer was the lawn party and reception given Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula, in honor of their niece, Miss Lucella McClain, of Norfolk, and Miss Marion Cunningham, of Knoxville, Tenn. The spacious lawn in the rear of the Dula residence on Main Street was lighted up with numerous Japanese lanterns, presented a most delightful scene. An orchestra stationed on the lawn discoursed pleasing music, and punch was served in the summer house. ...

Times Dispatch 24 Oct 1909: Mrs. Rutherford Dula, Mrs. James G. Penn, and Mrs. John Edward Perkinson attended the Horner-Dula wedding at Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson last Saturday. They will return to Danville shortly.

Times Dispatch 28 Nov 1909: Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Dula entertained at the Country Club at a breakfast given in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Dula, Mrs. Essie Cabell, and Mr. Eastman, all of New York.

Times Dispatch 2 Jan 1910: Frederick English of St. Louis, but now studying at the Harvard law school, is the guest of his uncle, S. Rutherford Dula, on Main Street.

Times Dispatch 9 Jan 1910: Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula, Mrs. Pinckney Williamson, and Mrs. John Joseph Long were among the out of town guests at a house party given this week in South Boston by Mrs. W. I. Jordan.

Times Dispatch 27 Mar 1910: Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula has returned from Baltimore, New York, and Norfolk.

Times Dispatch 8 May 1910: Mrs. Allyn Bradford Hart, of Mount Vernon, Ind., was the charming guest of honor at... Mrs. Rutherford Dula ... on Main Street. ...

Times Dispatch 19 Jun 1910: Mrs. S. Ruthford Dula, Mrs. J. J. Long, Mrs. J. Pinkney Williamson, and Mrs. W. T. Harris, motored to Winston-Salem last week in Mrs. Dula's car.

Times Dispatch 24 Jul 1910: Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Dula are at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Times Dispatch 7 Aug 1910: Mr. and Mrs. S Rutherford Dula and niece, Miss McClain, are at the Greenbrier White.

Times Dispatch 29 Jan 1911: ... bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Rutherford Dula at her elegant home on Main Street, as an especial compliment to her house guest, Mrs. William I. Jordan, of South Boston. ...

Times Dispatch 5 Mar 1911: Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula has returned after a pleasant stay with Mrs. J. J. Hickey in Richmond and her sister. Mrs. J. J. Long in Norfolk.

Times Dispatch 11 Jun 1911: Mrs. Rutherford Dula, Mrs. J. J. Long, and Miss Lucilla McClain sailed to-day from Boston to spend the summer travelling in Europe.

Bee 12 Apr 1924: First Presbyterian church circle 3. Mrs. S. R. Dula, leader, with Mrs. Dula, 936 Main Street.

Bee 27 Jan 1925: Princess Serge Gagarine, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Harriet James for a few days, left for Richmond this morning accompanied by Miss James, Mrs. Randolph Meade and Mrs. S. R. Dula. The party made the trip in Mrs. Dula's car and they will remain in Richmond with friends until Thursday, when Princess Gagarine will return to New York and Mrs. Dula, Mrs. Meade, and Miss James will return to Danville.

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Ruker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 6 Jan 1930: Mrs. Clarence Hutchin, of New York, is visiting her uncle, F. R. Dula, 936 Main street.

Bee 13 Jan 1930: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Long, of Norfolk, are visiting S. R. Dula, 936 Main street.

Bee 10 Jul 1930: Sidney Rutherford Dula ... passed away this morning ... at Memorial Hospital from a stroke of paralysis ... The funeral will be held tomorrow ... from the residence, 936 Main street ... Mr. Dula was 67 years old ... He was a native of Lenoir, N.C. ... For a number of years, he lived in Henderson, Ky., where he was married in 1889 to Miss Gabriella Madison Hart, who preceded him to the grave nearly two years ago. ...

Bee 13 Oct 1930: Display Ad: Administrator's Sale of valuable personal property belonging to the S. R. Dula Estate, 936 Main Street ... at Auction ...

Bee 10 Dec 1932: First Presbyterian Church circle 2 – Mrs. W. D. Overbey with Miss Charlotte Jones, 936 Main street.

Bee 10 Dec 1932: First Presbyterian Church circle 1; Mrs. W. T. Hughes, leader, with Mrs. T. A. Fulghum, 936 Main street.

Bee 9 Sep 1937: Mrs. John T. Daves has reported to police an extensive robbery at her home, 936 Main street. During her absence, 11 hams, several middlings stored in the attic were stolen, also a \$320 wrist watch, a diamond ring and a pearl necklace.

Bee 22 Mar 1946: For Sale: One boy's desk, one lady's writing desk, one typewriter and table, china. Society Christ Our King, 936 Main St.

Bee 18 May 1946: For Sale: Antique crystal chandelier, 936 Main St.

Bee 22 May 1946: Display Ad: Private Sale. Household linens, draperies, blankets, silverware, curtains, antiques ... 936 Main Street, Society of Christ Our King.

Bee 23 May 1936: Display Ad: The Catholic Sisters of Mary Francis School at 936 Main Street Announce Auction Sale ... fine furniture ... brass candlesticks ...

Bee 25 May 1946: The Society of Christ Our King ... is preparing to move into the country on the old road to Milton where an official of the Empire Housing Corporation gave to the society some land several years ago. It is understood that the society in its new quarters will reinstitute its programme of education among people of that rural section. The school it once operated on Main Street was closed some time ago. ... The house on Main Street which is to be vacated is understood to have been sold to a chiropractor. ...

Bee 1 Aug 1946: Display Ad: Dr. A. R. Hosking, D.C., wishes to announce that the Chiropractic Health Offices will now be located at 936 Main Street ...

Bee 4 Nov 1946: John G. Cox, formerly executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce who gave up that post to serve with the armed forces, has been named public relations counsel for the Virginia Chiropractors' Association ... is opening his office at 936 Main Street ...

Bee 10 Jul 1947: When Mayor Everett Carter pinned the "Miss Danville" ribbon on pretty Eleanor "Jo" Hosking ... Miss Hosking, the daughter of Dr. A. R. Hosking, D.C. and Mrs. Hosking, of 936 Main street ...

Bee 18 Oct 1947: For Sale: 1931 Lincoln 4-door touring car, A-1 condition. Can be seen at 936 Main St.

Bee 27 Oct 1947: Display Ad: ... John R. Cox, Travel Agent, 936 Main St.

Bee 8 Jan 1954: Honoring Miss Frances Terry, whose marriage to Dr. John H. Hosking will take place here ... Mrs. A. R. Hosking will hostess at a kitchen shower Tuesday night at her home, 936 Main Street.

Bee 27 Sep 1969: Richard Vernon III of Annandale is visiting ... Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hosking, 936 Main St.

Bee 14 Jan 1973: ... In his present office at 936 Main St., Dr. Hosking reflects on the changes which have taken place in the state and in Danville since he first put out his shingle here over 32 years ago. ...

Register 18 Aug 1974: Display Ad: Home of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Hosking, 936 Main Street. One of Danville's finest Main Street homes. 22 room solid brick. 1st Floor: 7 rooms and ½ bath, 2nd Floor: 6 rooms and 3 baths, 3rd Floor: 5 rooms and 1 bath, Basement Floor: 4 rooms, ½ bath and workshop. One of the most beautiful landscaped lots in this area ... Owner retiring ...

Main St 937**First Presbyterian Church**

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PID 26419



1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1950 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1960 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1970 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1977 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1983 Tour		First Presbyterian Church
1984 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
1990 Directory		First Presbyterian Church
2003 Tour		First Presbyterian Church
2014 Tour		First Presbyterian Church
2015 Assessor	Owner	First Presbyterian Church of Danville Trustees

Times Dispatch 15 Oct 1911: Mrs. Henry A. Wiseman has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Williwee, to Lee B. Weathers, of Shelby, N.C., the ceremony to take place ... in the First Prebyterian Church. This will be the first wedding to be celebrated in the new church.

Tour Book 1983:

Local Presbyterians were the first denomination to organize a church in Danville. Theirs was also the last congregation to move their house of worship to Main Street.

Although Presbyterian religious services were held in Danville as early as 1804 or 1805, no permanent church resulted from this ministry. Some twenty years later the Missionary Society of the Synod of North Carolina sent to Danville the Rev. Mr. William S. Plummer (of New Jersey) as a first step in establishing a local church. Shortly thereafter two visiting ministers held a series of meetings, culminating on New Year's Eve, 1826, with what may have been the first communion service in Danville. On May 19 of the following year, the Presbytery of Orange

(North Carolina) met in Danville to ordain the Rev. Mr. Plummer, who served as the first pastor of the congregation that then numbered thirty-four.

Early worshippers met at the Danville Academy building on the corner of Jefferson Avenue and Loyal Street. In 1828 a church was built on a Jefferson Avenue lot facing the spot where Patton Street later intersected. This frame building was replaced a quarter of a century later by a more substantial building, and then with a third building on this site in 1879 -- a large Victorian Gothic Revival structure of stucco over brick, which served the congregation until 1910, when it was sold to the First Christian Church, whose members continue to worship there.

Two years earlier the Men's Brotherhood of the church had recommended the purchase of a lot where a new church and manse could be built. A lot on Main Street at Sutherlin Avenue was chosen. The building committee selected Mr. R.H. Hunt of Chattanooga, Tennessee, as the architect, and Harwood and Moss of Newport News, Virginia, as the contracting firm. The completed church was dedicated September 8, 1912.

The building is an important example of a dignified Neo-Classical Revival structure built in the form of a Roman temple. Its front displays a monumental hexastyle Ionic portico. The classical flavor of the building is emphasized by the use of light-colored pressed brick walls. An accomplished local tile and plaster contractor, Charles Orchard, completed some of the building's interior details.

Since the completion of the original church, the congregation has added a Sunday School building, a memorial chapel, and an administrative and educational wing. During this last phase of growth in 1961, the church sanctuary was remodeled and a Schlicker baroque-type organ was added.

Tour Book 2003:

The last of Danville's historic "first" churches built along Millionaires Row between Reconstruction and World War I, this edifice takes the dramatic form of a Roman temple. It was built in 1911 by area Presbyterians who were the first congregation of any denomination to organize locally -- in December of 1826.

Their three earlier houses of worship were constructed on Jefferson Avenue just opposite its intersection with Patton -- the first in 1828. The last of these buildings, dating from 1879, continues to be used by the congregation of the First Christian Church, which purchased it from First Presbyterian in 1910.

For their present edifice, the congregation chose the noted architect Reuben H. Hunt of Chattanooga, Tennessee. A six-columned Ionic portico dominates his Neoclassical design, emphasized by light-colored pressed brick. Charles Orchard, the city's master plaster craftsman of the day, executed the handsome ceiling moldings.

In 1960, the interior of the original 1912 church was modified when the chancel was divided and the present pews installed, along with the Schlicker baroque-type organ.

Just behind the sanctuary is a memorial chapel of traditional design in the spirit of the 18th century, added a half-century ago by the Danville architect William W. Patterson.

Tour Book 2014:

The last of Danville's historic "first" churches built along Millionaires Row between Reconstruction and World War I, this

commanding edifice takes the monumental form of a Roman temple. It was built in 1911 by area Presbyterians who were the first congregation of any denomination to organize locally - on New Year's Eve, 1826.

The following May, the Presbytery of Orange (North Carolina) met in Danville to ordain the Rev. Mr. William S. Plummer, who became the first pastor to the congregation of thirty-four.

Their three earlier houses of worship were constructed on Jefferson Avenue just opposite its intersection with Patton - the first in 1828. The last of these buildings, dating from 1879, was long used by the congregation of the First Christian Church, which purchased it in 1910 prior to First Presbyterian's move to Main Street.

For their present edifice, the congregation chose the noted architect Reuben H. Hunt of Chattanooga, Tennessee. A six-columned Ionic portico dominates his Neoclassical design, emphasized by light-colored pressed brick laid up under the direction of the Newport News, Virginia contracting firm Harwood and Moss. Charles Orchard, the city's master plaster craftsman of the day, executed the handsome ceiling moldings.

Dedicated September 8, 1912, the church remains today a sophisticated example of Neoclassical Revival design, recalling the six-column Roman temple form favored by Thomas Jefferson for Virginia's State Capital.

In 1960, the interior of the original 1912 church was modified when the chancel was divided and the present pews installed, along with a Schlicker baroque-type organ. Added also during this period, just behind the sanctuary, is a memorial chapel of traditional design - an homage to the spirit of the 18th century by the Danville architect William W. Patterson.

Main St 944**J. H. Schoolfield House**

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PID 21103



1881 Directory		Schoolfield, Eugene H - John H (Geo S Hughes & Co) - Miss Kate O Hayden, John, butler Dillard, Lucy, cook Wooding, Nat, driver
1888 Directory		Schoolfield, Eugene H - John H (Geo S Hughes & Co) - Miss Kate O
1890 Directory		Schoolfield, J H, pres Danville Storage, also Geo S Hughes & Co, and Schoolfield & Watson - John, leaf dealer Dillard, Lucy, cook (B) Hayden, John, butler (B) Wooding, Nat, driver (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Son Servant Servant	Schoolfield, John H, age 61 - S Belle, age 56 - H Orrin, age 23 - S Daisy, age 20 - John H Jr, age 19 Juter, Ann, age 49 (B) - Howard, age 11
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Son-in-law Daughter Servant Servant Servant	Schoolfield, John H, age 75 - Susan F, age 65 - John H Jr., age 29 Keen, Archibald D, age 34 - Daisy, age 31 Jackson, Elvira, age 42 (B) Graves, Mary, age 24 (B) Hodnett, Emma, age 58 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son-in-law Daughter Granddau	Schoolfield, John H, age 82 - Susan B, age 75 Keen, Archibald, age 46, tobacco co - Daisy S, age 41 - Daisy S, age 10

	Servant Servant Servant Servt child	Jeffries, Amy, age 22 (B) Janier, Matthews (B) Freeman, Mary S, age 50 (B) - Ruby, age 8 (B)
1927 Directory		Schoolfield, Susan Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter	Keen, Archibald, age 54, tobacco dealer - Daisy, age 51 - Daisy, age 20
1935 Directory		Keen, Archie D
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Lodger	McMann, Walter C, age 35, value \$15,000 - Helen S, age 32 - Walter S, age 4 - Helen M, age 2 Carle, Molly E, age 35
1945 Directory		McMann, Walter S L
1950 Directory		McMann, Walter, physician
1950 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Son Head -- apt	McMann, Walter, age 45, physician, obstetrics - Helen L, age 43 - Walter S, age 14 - Helen M, age 12 - Michael L, age 5 McMann, Walter C, age 67, div
1960 Directory	rear	McMann, Walter, physician Westbrook Museum of Natural History
1970 Directory	rear	McMann, Walter, physician Compson, R Michael Carr's Dental Laboratory
1971 Survey		Rated Outstanding
1977 Directory		Ogden, William S
1977 Victrn Dv		
1983 Tour		Dr. and Mrs. William S. Ogden, Jr.
1984 Directory		Ogden, William S
1990 Directory		Evans, James R
2001 Assessor	Transfer	Evans, James R to Norton, Carl T, \$190,000

Times-Dispatch 19 Mar 1904: Mr. and Mrs. John Harrell Schoolfield have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Daisy, to Mr. Archibald Dickenson Keen ...

Times-Dispatch 14 Mar 1909: Mrs. A. D. Keen has returned from a visit of several days in Washington and Baltimore.

Times-Dispatch 6 Feb 1910: Mrs. Archibald Keen entertained ... at her home on Main Street ... in compliment to her cousin, Miss Bland Schoolfield, and her house guests, Miss Hanes, of Winston-Salem, N.C., and Miss Madge Vass, of Danville. ...

Times-Dispatch 21 Aug 1910: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schoolfield and children, of Mullins, S.C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Schoolfield.

Times Dispatch 23 Oct 1910: The lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schoolfield ... was thrown open to their many friends, the occasion being the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary ...

Times Dispatch 29 Jan 1911: The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schoolfield was the scene ... in honor of the ninety-second birthday of Mrs. Schoolfield's mother, Mrs. Carter France ...

Times Dispatch 5 Mar 1911: Mrs. John Schoolfield has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Schoolfield in South Carolina.

Times Dispatch 9 Jul 1911: Mrs. John Schoolfield and Mrs. H. O. Schoolfield are at Wrightsville Beach, North Carolina, having a very pleasant stay.

Bee 24 Dec 1926: Mr. and Mrs. Estes Dudley and daughter Anne Rorer, of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. John Schoolfield Sr., 944 Main street.

Bee 5 Oct 1933: The Garden Club of Danville will meet with Mrs. Archibald D. Keen, 944 Main Street ...

Bee 23 Dec 1933: The five-dollar prize offered by the Wayside Garden Club for the most attractively and appropriately decorated Christmas doorway was won by Mrs. Archibald D. Keen, 944 Main street.

Bee 26 Apr 1938: A community still dazed by the tragic manner of his death prepared today to attend the funeral of Archibald D. Keen, 62 ... The rites will be held ... from his late home, 944 Main street ... He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Daisy Schoolfield Keen and his daughter Miss Daisy Keen, also a brother C. Ballard Keen, He was a distant relation of Viscountess Astor.

Bee 20 Nov 1939: Display Ad: Auction ... In the rear yard of the residence of Mrs. A. D. Keen, No. 944 Main Street. ... The home has been sold and the former owner wishes to dispose of ...

Bee 20 Jan 1940: Dr. Walter McMann who some time ago purchased the Keen home at 944 Main street, has moved his offices from the Masonic Temple into the dwelling which he is also occupying as his residence. ...

Bee 4 Sep 1942: Furnished room, with or without private bath. 944 Main.

Bee 22 Dec 1945: Display Ad: Dr. Walter McMann announces the re-opening of his offices for the practice of obstetrics and gynecology. 944 Main Street.

Bee 18 May 1946: Miss Betty Broome, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Broome, of 944 Main Street, was honored recently at Madison College, Harrisonburg, when she was elected vice-president of Sigma Phi Lambda, national honor sorority.

Bee 6 Feb 1950: The Wayside Garden Club will meet ... at Stratford College ... The meeting will conclude with a visit to the Danville Nature Society at 944 Main street.

Bee 6 Feb 1950: Those interested in becoming members of the Danville Society of Natural History Museum may obtain information at the headquarters, 944 Main Street ...

Bee 5 May 1952: Funeral services for Walter Calvin McCann, of 944 Main St., were conducted from the First Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon ...

Bee 14 Dec 1955: Philip Jeffreys, pianist and teacher, has announced the opening of a private studio at 944 Main St. for instruction in piano and various theoretical subjects of music ...

Bee 21 Sep 1955: The Sub-Deb Club will meet tonight at 7 o'clock in the home of the president, Miss Helen McMann, 944 Main Street. ...

Bee 23 Jul 1960: Notice is hereby given of a public hearing ... on the question of granting a special permit ... to Carr's Dental Laboratory ... in the basement of 944 Main Street ...

Bee 12 Sep 1961: For Sale: 12 rooms, 3 baths, large yard and parking area. 944 Main St. ...

Bee 3 Mar 1968: The residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Compson, of 944 Main St., is one of more than 200 residences in the state listed as "a fine example of architecture important in the 400 years of architectural history of Virginia" ...

Bee 4 Jun 1970: ... After July 1st, 1970, you will find your chart with Dr. Walter McMann, 944 Main St.

Bee 16 Oct 1972: Historic City Tours Slated for Sunday ... The garden of the William Haynesworth home at 954 Main St. ... At 944 Main St., the High Victorian Italianate mansion built in 1884 for John Schoolfield ... At 912 Main Sr., the former Cherry-Hall home built in 1898 and now owned by Mr. and Mrs. French H. Conway ...

Bee 25 Aug 1974: Display Ad: For Sale ... the Compson House, 944 Main Street, Built 1883. This solid brick constructed house is on a deep through-the-block lot, fenced and beautifully landscaped ...

Bee 18 Jan 1976: An application has been filed with the Danville Planning Commission for a special use permit ... to operate a group home for mentally handicapped persons at 944 Main St. ...

Bee 28 Apr 1976: Dr. Walter McMann ... moved from 944 Main St., his office location of 35 years, to 129 S. Main St. ...

Bee 10 Apr 1977: Mrs. William S. Ogden of 944 Main St. will be hostess for the Lady Astor Garden Club Friday ...

Tour Book 1983:

Among the finest High Victorian Italianate mansions in the state, this house was built in 1884 for John Harrell Schoolfield, one of three brothers who left the Horsepasture community in Henry County and came to Danville at various times in the 1870s and '80s. With T.B. Fitzgerald, B.F. Jefferson, and Dr. H.W. Cole, these brothers -- John, James, and Addison -- founded the Riverside Cotton Mills, now Dan River, Inc.

John Schoolfield had a fellow mill founder, Thomas B. Fitzgerald, who was also a leading contractor and brick manufacturer, build his house, noted for its projecting bays and the broad linear outline of its bracketed cornice. The cast iron of the front and side porches with their turned columns, delicate cresting and railing silhouetted against the light-painted brick walls is exceptional. Tall, narrow windows throughout the house are accented by carved stone hood molds, and the interlocking brickwork in the edges of the octagonal-ended projections is an interesting motif.

The Schoolfield brothers married three sisters, daughters of Capt. and Mrs. Harrison Carter France of Patrick County. John married Susan France, and her mother Katherine Penn France spent her last years in this house, where she died in 1914 at the age of 96.

During the Schoolfield years, the home was the center for much entertaining. Most notably, the brilliant and delightful reception given in honor of John H. Schoolfield, Jr., and his bride, the former Frank Hanes, daughter of the Winston-Salem knitting mill owner, Pleasant Henderson Hanes. One descendant of this marriage, Mrs. Matt P. Jordan, still resides in Danville today.

John Schoolfield died at the age of 82 during an influenza epidemic of 1920. His widow continued to live here until her death, after which the house descended to their daughter, Mrs. Daisy Keen. Mrs. Keen sold the house to Dr. Walter McMann in 1939, and from then until 1976, the Montreal, Canada-native maintained his medical offices here, where he and his family also resided until 1960. During this period Danville's famed naturalist, Johnnie Westbrook, maintained his nature museum in the basement. In 1960 the house was sold to Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Compson. During their sixteen years here the Compsons did much to refurbish the house and grounds to their earlier elegance.

Since 1976 the house has been the residence of Dr. and Mrs. William S. Ogden, Jr. They and their active children make full use of the house which William B. O'Neal describes in his 1967 book, *Architecture in Virginia*, as having been built with "enough rooms in it for every member of the [John H. Schoolfield] family to have a separate sitting room."

Main St 953 – see 975

Main St 954**Dr. Lewis Edwin Harvie House**

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PID 23928



1881 Directory		Harvie, L E, physician
1888 Directory		Harvie, L E, physician & surgeon
1890 Directory		Harvie, Miss Fannie - Miss Greenhow - Dr. L E, Physician
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Son Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Son Servant	Harvie, Louis, age 57 - Mary, age 55 - John B, age 27 - Mary, age 24 - Louis Jr., age 22 - Sadie R, age 20 - J Mary, age 18 - E Belle, age 16 - Rutherford, age 14 - E James, age 7 Stovall, B Belle, age 23 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son	Harvie, Lewis E, age 66 - Martha R, age 64 - Martha R, age 33 - Janie M, age 28 - Rutherford R, age 22 - Edwin J, age 18
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Daughter	Harvie, Martha R, age 75, wid - Martha O, age 44, teacher public school - Ellen B, age 35, stenographer
1927 Directory		Harvie, S R
1930 Census	Owner Daughter Son Son-in-law Daughter Grandson Daughter Son Dau-in-law	Harvey, Martha R, age 85, wid, value \$8,000 - Ellen, age 40 - Rutherford, age 33 Brandon, Howard, age 40 - Jane R, age 33 - Louis E, age 7 Johnson, Martha O, age 40 Harvey, Edwin J, age 30 - Marry R, age 28
1935 Directory		Harvie, Martha R Mrs.

1940 Census	Renter Head Head Head Head Son	Tober, Martha H, age 64, rent \$40 Brandon, Jane M, age 58 Harvey, Ellen B, age 56 Harvey, Samuel A, age 54 Brandon, Howard M, age 59 - Lewis E, age 18
1945 Directory		Norris, George R
1950 Directory		Norris, George R
1950 Census	Head Daughter	Norris, George R, age 64, wid - Grace, age 24
1960 Directory		Norris, George R
1970 Directory		Norris, George R
1977 Directory		Haynsworth, William H
1984 Directory		Haynsworth, William H
1990 Directory		Haynsworth, William H
2010 Tour	Owner	William R Haynsworth
2012 Assessor	Transfer	Haynsworth, William H to Litzenberg, Grace Norris, \$210,000
2022 Assessor	Transfer	Litzenberg, Grace Norris to Garrett, Charlotte Litzenberg, \$252,000

Times Dispatch 27 Oct 1907: A called meeting of the Anna Eliza Johns Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy was held Thursday at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Harvie, Main Street. ...

Times Dispatch 23 May 1909: Mrs. Walter G. Mills, of Lynchburg, is the guest of Mrs. Lewis E. Harvie, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 7 Nov 1909: Mrs. Lewis E. Harvie is the guest of Mrs. Lewis Wheat, on West Grace Street, Richmond.

Times Dispatch 7 Nov 1909: Dr. L. E. Harvie has returned from a trip to Gastonia, N.C., and Columbia, S.C.

Times Dispatch 6 Feb 1910: Miss Martha Harvie entertained the Sans Souci Card Club at her home on Main Street ... in compliment to her house guest, Miss Elizabeth Wheat, of Richmond. ...

Times Dispatch 24 Apr 1910: Miss Sarah Rutherford, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Lewis E. Harvie, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 24 Jul 1910: Miss Ellen Harvie, of Gastonia, N.C., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Harvie.

Times Dispatch 2 Oct 1910: Misses Martha and Janie Harvie, who spent the summer abroad, have returned home, arriving in New York Wednesday on the Austro-American liner Oceania, from Naples.

Times Dispatch 23 Oct 1910: Mrs. Agnes Macgill was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Harvie this week. She will spend the winter with Mrs. Walter Watson, West Main Street.

Times Dispatch 15 Jan 1911: Miss Gowdylocks Johnstin, of Meridian, Miss., who is the guest of Mrs. James G. Penn, and Miss Lucy Virginia Cosby, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who is visiting Miss Kathryn Rison, were the guests of honor at an informal bridge party ... given by Rutherford Harvie ...

Times Dispatch 26 Feb 1911: Mrs. Lewis Harvie is thye guest of Mrs. Lewis Wheat, in Richmond.

Times Dispatch 16 Apr 1911: Miss Ellen Harvie, who has been living in Gastonia, N.C., for the past several years, returns to Danville Monday to make her home.

Times Dispatch 18 Jun 1911: Miss Martha Marvie leaves Monday for Charlottesville o attend the normal.

Bee 29 Nov 1923: The marriage of Miss Martha Old Harvie, daughter of Mrs. L. E. Harvie and the late Dr. Lewis E. Harvie, and William Ayres Johnston, of Greensboro, N.C., took place ... at the Harvie home, 954 Main street ...

Bee 10 Mar 1925: For Rent: A Good Garden. Apply Mrs. Lewis Harvie, 954 Main street ...

Bee 16 Mar 1925: Gardener to cultivate garden on shares. Apply Mrs. L. E. Harvie, 954 Main St. ...

Bee 22 May 1929: The Shakespeare Club will meet ... with Mrs. Howard Brandon, 954 Main street. ...

Bee 1 Dec 1936: the long and useful life of Mrs. Martha Rutherford Harvie, widow of Dr. Lewis E. Harvie, was closed at two o'clock this morning when she died at the family residence, 954 Main street, in her ninety-second year ...

Bee 9 Jun 1937: The June meeting of the Danville Business and Professional Women's Club will be held in the garden of Miss Ellen B. Harvie, 954 Main street ...

Bee 20 Oct 1941: For Sale: Upright Steiff Piano, A-1 condition. Mrs. M. H. Brandon, 954 Main St.

Bee 11 Jun 1942: The Dorothea Spotswood Henry Society, Children of the American Revolution, will hold its last meeting of the year in the home of Miss Grace Norris, 954 Main St. ...

Bee 6 Dec 1947: First Presbyterian Church Circle No. 2. Mrs. Wm. E. J. McMann, chairman, with Miss Grace Norris, 954 Main Street.

Bee 17 Mar 1962: John Ross, 81, of 954 Main St., died at Memorial Hospital this morning ...

Bee 24 Apr 1966: One of the most familiar landmarks on Main Street ... built exactly one century ago, will open its 100-year-old doors to the public Thursday for Danville's Historic Garden Week Tour. ... The century-old dwelling at 954 Main Street, the home of George R. Norris, was built the year after the Civil War ended by Dr. Lewis Harvie to serve as both residence and office. ...

Bee 11 Nov 1971: A reception following the opening performance of the Danville Concert Association will be hosted by the past president, Bill Haynesworth, at his home 954 Main St., tonight.

Bee 16 Oct 1972: Historic City Tours Slated for Sunday ... The garden of the William Haynesworth home at 954 Main St. ... At 944 Main St., the High Victorian Italianate mansion built in 1884 for John Schoolfield ... At 912 Main Sr., the former Cherry-Hall home built in 1898 and now owned by Mr. and Mrs. French H. Conway ...

Tour Book 2010:

For over 65 years, members of the Harvie family lived in this Victorian-era dwelling built in 1873 for Dr. Lewis Edwin Harvie. This VMI First classman, called to drill recruits for the Confederacy,

was captured at Gettysburg and held prisoner for two years. In 1871, after obtaining his medical degree from the Medical College of Virginia, Dr. Harvie left his native Powhatan County to establish his medical practice in Danville -- at the urging of a cousin who had relocated here as well.

Dr. Harvie's two-story dwelling accommodated not only family living quarters, but also his medical offices on the left side of the basement. Here he maintained his practice for 45 years. After his death in 1918, his widow, the former Martha Rutherford, continued to reside here until her death in 1936. Mrs. Harvie's will authorized John B. Harvie, one of the couple's ten children, to sell the property; in 1938 it was purchased by Sue Nora Moseley, the next-door neighbor at 968 Main Street. Thereafter, at least some members of the Harvie family remained here until 1941, when Mrs. Moseley sold the house -- minus a portion of the original 100-foot lot -- to George R. Norris. Norris, a native of South Carolina, retained one of the city's premier architects, J. Bryant Heard, to give the mid-Victorian, I-house a serene Neo-classical Revival "make-over," adding rear and sidewings for a total of 17 rooms. Richmond landscape architect Kenneth Higgins, a protege of landscape master Charles Gillette, designed the azalea-boxwood rear garden. The house remained in the family for nearly three decades, until Mr. Norris' death. In 1970 the couple's only child Grace Litzenberg conveyed the property to the present owner, Bill Haynesworth.

The Haynesworths are well known in the community for their family business OfficePlus, formerly Haynesworth's. Currently, Bill Haynesworth's residence is being offered for sale, in expectation of continuing the 135-plus-year stewardship tradition evidenced by a succession of caring owners. Descendant of those owners reside in the community today -- notably, Edwin J. Harvie, Jr., like his grandfather and namesake, a respected Danville M.D.; and Grace Norris Litzenberg, daughter of George and Elizabeth Rucker Norris who refurbished the house on the eve of the Second World War. Another result of that careful renovation was the charming garden gazebo adapted from the side porch columns formerly on the Moseley-Wiseman house next door.

Main St 968

PID 25810



1888 Directory		Toot, Miss Maria
1890 Directory		Ayers, Miss Annie - David, stock exchange - Warren, clerk
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Son Servant	Ayres, David, age 58 - S Kate, age 63 - W David, age 30 - Annie W, age 22 - Page K, age 26 Cooper, Lulu, age 29 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Son Daughter Son Servant Servant	James, Rorer A, age 50 - Annie W, age 41 - Wilson, age 16 - Rorer A Jr., age 13 - Annie W, age 7 - Bruce, age 4 Stamps, Ester, age 39 (B) - Hattie, age 15 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son	James, Rorer A, age 60, editor newspaper - Annie W, age 50 - Annie, age 17 - Wilson, age 26
1927 Directory		James, A W Mrs.
1930 Census	Head Son Dau-in-law Grandson Son-in-law Daughter Granddau	James, Annie W, age 61, value \$15,000 - John B, age 25 - Helen H, age 23 - John B Jr., age 10/12 Covington, James E, age 38 - Annie J, age 28 - Ann W, age 8/12
1935 Directory		James, Annie W Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Son	Wiseman, Plumer, age 58, value \$18,000 - Nora M, age 52 - Edward M, age 27 - William P, age 25 - Robert W, age 19

	Moth-in-law Sister-in-law Servant Servant	Mosely, Nora M, age 81, wid Coleman, Fanny M, age 50, wid Williamson, Brady, age 49 (B) Ivory, Loreene, age 42 (B)
1945 Directory		Moseley, Nora M Mrs.
1950 Directory		Moseley, Nora M Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Mother Sister Sister Bro-in-law Cousin Servant	Wiseman, Nora, age 62, wid Mosely, Nora E, age 91, wid Ley, Mary M, age 63, wid Dearhart, Fannie M, age 60 - Charles C, age 60 Mosely, Mary E, age 61, nurse, oil company Williams, Broady, age 59, div (B) butler
1960 Directory		Wiseman, Nora M Mrs. Sager, Fred N, dentist
1970 Directory		Wiseman, Nora M Mrs
1977 Directory		Wiseman, Nora M Mrs
1984 Directory		Jones, Warren S
1990 Directory		Jones, W Stephen
2007 Assessor	Transfer	Jones, Warren Stephen to Jannach, Stephan & Cardona, Claudia, \$485,000

Times Dispatch 27 Jun 1909: R. A. James and son, Wilson, have returned from Lexington, where they attended the finals of the Virginia Military Institute.

Times Dispatch 15 Aug 1909: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. James and family have retruned from the Rockbridge Alum Springs.

Times Dispatch 28 Nov 1909: Mrs. Rorer James was the attractive hostess Thursday, when she entertained the Sans Souci Club at her home on Main Street. There were about ten tables.

Times Dispatch 19 Jun 1910: Miss Marie Conner is the guest of Mrs. Rorer James.

Times Dispatch 10 Jul 1910: Mrs. Rorer James and children left Thursday for Rockbridge Alum to spend the summer.

Times Dispatch 19 Feb 1911: The women of the Church of the Epiphany held a delightful Valentine tea ... at the residence of Mrs. Rorer James, on Main Street. ...

Times Dispatch 19 Mar 1911: Mrs. Robert Hairston, of Reidsville, is the guest of Mrs. Rorer James, on Main Street.

Times Dispatch 9 Apr 1911: Mrs. A. V. Sims, of "Berry Hill." Who has been the guest of Mrs. Rorer James, Main Street, has returned home.

Bee 9 May 1922: For Sale – Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1922 model, with side-car and extras. Will sell at a bargain for cash to quick purchaser. Brice James, 968 Main St. or phone 413.

Bee 19 Jan 1928: The Girls' Friendly society of the Church of the Epiphany will have a silver tea this afternoon at the home of Miss Annie James, 968 Main street, from four until six o'clock.

Bee 20 May 1937: Rorer A. James, Jr., publisher of The Bee and The Register for the past sixteen years ... died unexpectedly ... at his home ... The remains will be removed to the home of his mother, Mrs. Anne Wilson James, 968 Main street ...

Bee 28 Mar 1938: Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Wilson James ... will be held from her late home, 968 Main street ... Mrs. James' death was not anticipated. In her sixty-ninth year ... a daughter of Col. Robert A. Wilson and Mrs. Ruth Hairston Wilson, being born at Dan's Hill and the descendant of pioneer families ... Her mother was a direct descendant of Peter Hairston, royalist in the days of King James I ...

Bee 3 Aug 1938: Commissioners' Sale of valuable residence No. 968 Main Street ...

Bee 4 May 1940: Moseley Memorial Church circle No. 3, Mrs. H. F. Walker, leader ... with Mrs. E. G. Moseley, 968 Main street.

Bee 14 Sep 1940: First Presbyterian Church circle No. 1, Mrs. Plumer Wiseman, leader, with Mrs. Wiseman, 968 Main Street.

Bee 14 Jul 1941: The West End fire fighters were called out ... to the home of Plumer Wiseman, 968 Main Street ... Considerable smoke damage was said to have been done to the Wiseman home when a mattress caught fire from a lighted cigarette. ...

Main St 975 (formerly 953 and 969)

PID 26418

1888 Directory		Sutherlin, Maj. W T (address 953)
1890 Directory		Sutherlin, Mrs. John M, wid (address 953) - Maj W T (W R Fitzgerald & Co) Banks, Isaac, coachman (B) Brown, Albert, gardener (B) Davis, Melinda, cook (B) Noell, Bernice, domestic (B)
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Sister-in-law Servant Servant Boarder Servant Servant Servant	Sutherlin, W T, age 83, wid - J M, age 70, wid Hartsill, Dorah, age 27, nurse Ponton, Corah, age 45, housekeeper Penman, R H, age 35, coal merchant Medley, Moses, age 75, gardener (B) - Fannie, age 70, laundress (B) Hodnett, Louise, age 18, cook (B)
1920 Census		
1927 Directory	rear	Danville Library Association (address 969) Confederate Memorial Building West End Fire Sta No 3
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Danville Public Library Confederate Memorial Building
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Confederate Memorial Building Danville Public Library Johns Anna Eliz A Chapter no 20 U D C
1950 Directory		Confederate Memorial Building Danville Public Library
1950 Census		
1960 Directory	rear	Danville Public Library City Fire Department, Station 3
1970 Directory	rear	Danville Public Library City Fire Department, Station 3
1971 Survey		Rated Outstanding
1977 Directory		City Fire Department, Station 3 Danville Museum of Fine Arts & History
1984 Directory		Danville Museum of Fine Arts & History
1987 Tour		City of Danville; Danville Museum of Fine Arts and History
1990 Directory		Danville Museum of Fine Arts & History
2015 Assessor		City of Danville Danville Museum of Fine Arts & History

Times Dispatch 19 Jun 1910: Mrs. John Neal, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. William Sutherlin.

Bee 14 Nov 1974: Funds For Historic Homes Before WPPDC Tuesday

Clearinghouse action is scheduled on three matters pertaining to Danville and Pittsylvania County at the meeting of the West Piedmont Planning District Commission Tuesday. ... One Danville item involves interior restoration of the house at 879 Green St. and of the Sutherlin Mansion. This notification of intent comes from the Virginia Historic Landmarks Commission for its annual work program which includes the two projects in the Danville Historic District. The commission is asking \$7,000 in federal funds to be matched by \$7,000 in private funds for restoration of the Green Street house, and \$125,000 in federal funds to be matched by \$125,000 from the city of Danville for restoration of the Sutherlin Mansion. ... [approved 20 Nov 1974]

Tour Book 1987:

Nearly 130 years after it was completed at the western edge of town, the Sutherlin Mansion continues to impress and intrigue today as it did passersby and visitors in antebellum Danville.

At age 36, when with his family he moved into his new and fashionable Italian-Villa-style dwelling in 1858, William T. Sutherlin had already served as an alderman and mayor, and had gained the respect of his colleagues as a leading banker, tobacconist and entrepreneur. Small wonder then that his move from Wilson Street to Main foreshadowed a general shift of Danville's leading families to Main and nearby streets, especially after the War Between the States.

During the War, William Sutherlin was appointed quartermaster for the area and achieved the rank of major. After the War he served as president of the Virginia State Board of Agriculture, and advanced the cause of higher education and Danville's interests as a Delegate in the General Assembly.

His house too received acclaim near the close of the War when Maj. and Mrs. Sutherlin received Confederate President Jefferson Davis as their guest following the fall of Richmond. He and his cabinet remained in Danville from April 3 until April 10 [1865] when they learned of Lee's surrender at Appomattox. At this house President Davis signed his last proclamation to the Confederate citizens. On account of its historical associations the structure is known as the "Last Capitol of the Confederacy.- Registered today as a Virginia Historic Landmark, the structure possesses all the hallmarks of the Italian Villa style: a shallow hipped roof, bracketed cornice, smooth stuccoed walls, hood moldings, and a square cupola.

It remains the architectural focal point for Danville's gracious Main Street due largely to a group of early historic preservationists who, in 1913, organized the Danville Confederate Memorial Association to raise funds to purchase the property to prevent its being subdivided and sold to speculators to settle the estate of Mrs. Sutherlin who had died in 1911. For its part in helping save the building the Anne Eliza Johns Chapter, UDC [United Daughters of the Confederacy], retains second-floor quarters in the building "in perpetuity."

In 1928 work commenced to convert the dwelling to Danville's Public Library, which remained in the building for some 45 years. In 1973 the library relocated to its present downtown location and the Danville Chapter of the Virginia Museum petitioned City Council for use of the historic

shrine as a museum of history and art for the community. Now designated as the Danville Museum of Fine Arts and History, the mansion and its original rooms have been lovingly restored to their mid-19th-century appearance, and the former library annexes now provide space for galleries and an auditorium.

Each year during the Christmas season the Danville Museum decorates in the manner of a mid-Victorian Christmas, much like what the Sutherlins might have known.

Main St 990**Conrad-Dibrell House****Doctor's Building**

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<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/pritchett-conrad-dibrell/>



PID 21382

1900 Census	Head Wife Daughter Fath-in-law Moth-in-law Son-in-law Daughter Granddau 9 boarders Lodger Servant Servant Rear Rear Daughter	Hancock, William, age 49 - Ellnor, age 44 - Daisy, age 22 Burnell, J W, age 76 - Ellen, Age 72 witcherant, G Howard, age 29 - Bessie, age 24 - E Helene, age 7/12 Palmer, John, age 40 Tunstull, Lizzie, age 60 (B) Lawson, Anna, age 24 (B) Oaks, Lucy, age 75 (B) Clark, Laura F, age 43 (B) - Alberta, age 19
1910 Census	Head Wife Son	Dibrell, Richard L, age 44 - Mary B, age 39 - Louis N, age 24
1920 Census	Owner Wife	Dibrell, R L, age 65, tobacconist - Mary B, age 51
1927 Directory		Dibrell, M B Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Servant	Dibrell, Mary B, age 64, wid, value \$25,000 Scott, Annie V, age 44, wid (B)
1935 Directory		Dibrell, Mary B Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Servant	Dibrell, Mary B, age 73, wid Scott, Annie B, age 42 (B)
1945 Directory		Dibrell, Mary B Mrs.
1950 Directory		Dibrell, Mary B Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Servant	Dibrell, Mary E, age 81, wid Scott, Annie J, age 64, wid (B) cook
1960 Directory		Doctors Building (built 1957)
1970 Directory		Doctors Building
1977 Directory		Doctors Building
1984 Directory		Doctors Building

1990 Directory		Doctors Building
2018 Assessor	Transfer	Danville Doctors Building to Mid-Atlantic Prospects LLC, \$500,000
2019 Assessor	Transfer	Mid-Atlantic Prospects LLC to Old West End 990 LLC. \$0

Times Dispatch 6 Mar 1910: Miss Boyd, of Reidsville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Dibrell, has returned home.

Times Dispatch 20 Mar 1910: Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis Dibrell are visiting friends in New Orleans.

Times Dispatch 26 Feb 1911: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dibrell are traveling in Canada.

Times Dispatch 7 May 1911: the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis Dibrell, on Main Street, was the scene ... when they gave a course dinner in honor of Miss Mattie Bouldin whose marriage to Philip Nelson ...

Times Dispatch 21 May 1911: Mrs. S. H. Hubbard, of Reidsville, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Dibrell, Main Street, has returned to her home.

Times Dispatch 11 Jun 1911: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dibrell were at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City, the first of the week.

Bee 21 Apr 1952: Miss Elizabeth Walker, of Raleigh, N.C., is the guest of Mrs. R. L. Dibrell, 990 Main Street.

Bee 11 Apr 1955: Mrs. Mary Boyd Dibrell, wife of the late Richard Louis Dibrell, died this morning at 9:00 o'clock at her home, 990 Main Street ...

Bee 28 May 1955: Display Ad: For Slae ... Property of the late Mrs. Mary Dibrell ... 990 Main Street. Three-story home consisting of 13 spacious rooms, 2 baths, garage, and separate servants' quarters containing 4 rooms and bath. ...

Bee 29 Mar 1956: The old James I Pritchett home, at the corner of Main and Holbrook Street is being surveyed by the city with a view to its acquisition and demolition, making possible the elimination of a traffic hazard which brings its breathless moments almost every day. This view is taken from the point where Holbrook Avenue enters Main Street and gives some idea how – if the Pritchett home was out of the way – the avenue could merge with Holbrook Street on a slight bias, doing away with the traffic hazard. One traffic light would control traffic instead of two as at present. The property as well as that adjoining – the old R. L. Dibrell home, also uninhabited at this time – has been eyed also as a possible site for a new library.

Bee 19 Jul 1956: An architect is being sought by nine city doctors to draw up plans for a new Doctors Building that is to be erected on the site that is now occupied by the century-old Mary B. Dibrell residence at the corner of Main and Chambers Streets.... The Dibrell residence is one of the handsomest and oldest of the Main Street mansions for which Danville has been noted. ... In 1888 – Charles H Conrad built the Dibrell home at the then high cost of \$40,000. In those days Danville's corporate line ended at Chestnut Street ... After Mr. Conrad's death in a train accident while he was returning to Danville from Richmond ... the home was sold to the late R. L. Dibrell who spent most of his life in it. ...

Main St 992**Pritchett Mansion**

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1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Servant	Pritchett, James I, age 42, feed merchant - Ellenor H, age 40 - Richard H, age 18 - James I Jr., age 16 Wright, Eliza, age 45, wid (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Servant	Pritchett, James I, age 54 - Mary, age 52 Burnett, Joe, age 38 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife	Pritchett, James I, age 62, bank president - Elinor H, age 59
1927 Directory		Pritchett, J I Sr.
1930 Census	Owner Wife Servant	Pritchett, James I, age 73, value \$20,000 - Eleanor H, age 70 Chancey, George, age 55 (B)
1935 Directory		Pritchett, Eleanor H Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Lodger	Pritchett, Eleanor H, age 82, wid, value \$18,000 Jordan, Alice W, age 83, wid
1945 Directory		Pritchett, Eleanor H Mrs.
1950 Directory		Dibrell, Louis N Jr.
1950 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Servant-apt	Dibrell, Louis N Jr., age 33 - Susan D, age 27 - Louis N III, age 5 - Alice G, age 2 Langley, Sally M, age 25 (B) housekeeper
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 23 May 1909: Mrs. James I. Pritchett, Main Street, entertained the Sans Souci Club at the regular meeting Thursday afternoon.

Times Dispatch 24 Apr 1910: Mr. and Mrs. James Ira Pritchett are at Atlantic City.

Times Dispatch 9 Oct 1910: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pritchett and child, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Pritchett.

Times Dispatch 19 Mar 1911: Miss Eleanor Hall, of Richfield, N.J., is the guest of J. I. Pritchett.

Bee 11 Apr 1923: Wanted – A goof cook. Wages \$10 per week. Apply 992 Main St.

Bee 11 Oct 1924: The Ladies Aid Society of Epiphany church will hold a silver-offering-tea at the home of Mrs. James I. Pritchett Sr., 922 Main street ...

Bee 5 Mar 1931: Mrs. Richard H. Pritchett and daughter, Miss Lillian Pritchett, are visiting Mrs. James I. Pritchett, 992 Main street.

Bee 20 Jun 1933: Mrs. R. H. Pritchett of Lynchburg and daughter Mrs. Hugh McColl Webster of Sacramento, Calif., are visiting Mrs. James I. Pritchett, 992 Main street.

Bee 9 May 1938: Mrs. Owen F. Ekey of lake Worth, Florida, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James I. Pritchett, 992 Main street.

Bee 29 Dec 1947: Funeral services for Mrs. Eleanor Hickman Pritchett, aged 89, wife of the late James I. Pritchett, who died at her home, 992 Main Street ... The rites will take place at her late home ...

Bee 7 Dec 1950: The December business meeting of the Gabriella Garden Club will be held with Mrs. Louis N. Dibrell, Jr., at her home, 992 Main Street. ...

Bee 1 Mar 1956: Display Ad: For Sale or Rent, 992 Main St. ... L. N. Dibrell Sr. ...

Bee 29 Mar 1956: The old James I Pritchett home, at the corner of Main and Holbrook Street is being surveyed by the city with a view to its acquisition and demolition, making possible the elimination of a traffic hazard which brings its breathless moments almost every day. This view is taken from the point where Holbrook Avenue enters Main Street and gives some idea how – if the Pritchett home was out of the way – the avenue could merge with Holbrook Street on a slight bias, doing away with the traffic hazard. One traffic light would control traffic instead of two as at present. The property as well as that adjoining – the old R. L. Dibrell home, also uninhabited at this time – has been eyed also as a possible site for a new library.



Main St 1001

1881 Directory		Woodson, B E, grocery & meats
1890 Directory		Fox, C J, clerk Woodson, B E, grocery & meats
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		West End Pharmacy Co. (1001-1003)
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Kroger Grocery & Baking Co.
1950 Directory		Kroger, groceries
1960 Directory		Clarke Electric Company Inc.
1970 Directory		Vacant
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 15 Jun 1922: West End Pharmacy has the distinction of winning the second prize of \$50 for the best window display in a national contest held by Hearst's International service. ...

Bee 5 Jul 1923: Fourth of July Celebrated by Danville Folk ... the West End pharmacy being particularly striking, large flags being draped in the double window around a copy of the Declaration ...

Bee 16 Mar 1926: ... I will apply for license to sell pure fruit, grain, or Ethyl alcohol for scientific purposes, and other ardent spirits on physicians' prescription and to use Ethyl alcohol in conformity with the law, at 1001 Main St., Danville, Va. West End Pharmacy by W. M. Brydon

Bee 10 May 1926: J. H. Hawkins was fully exonerated yesterday in the police court of using sherry wine in doft drinks at the West End pharmacy. There was an entire absence of evidence. ...

Bee 13 Aug 1926: ... For the best looking girl present, Will Brydon, of West End Pharmacy, offered a prize. The entries were many, but the prize was awarded to Miss Nellie Myers.

Bee 4 Mar 1929: The West End Pharmacy have moved into their new quarters in the new apartment house building at the corner of Main Street and Holbrook Avenue. The opening was celebrated on a big scale. Ladies were served with free drinks, sodas, and ice cream. A band furnished music at night.

Bee 26 Mar 1929: For Rent: Three new apartments over West End Drug store. Each apartment consists of two bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, and tile bath. Electric refrigerator and gas stove installed. Apply E. W. Arnett, Holbrook Ave.

Bee 19 Aug 1930: Having duly qualified as Administrator of William M. Brydon ...

Bee 14 Dec 1931: Trustees Sale: I will sell at public auction ... at the store house of West End Pharmacy Co. the entire stock of merchandise, drugs, etc., accounts, prescription scales, adding machine, typewriter, iron safe, refrigerator ...

Bee 8 Jan 1934: Stafford Harris, colored, delivery boy for the Wet End pharmacy, may lose his right foot today as result of a collision ...

Bee 4 Dec 1940: Auction Sale ... on the premises of the College Sweet Shop, at 1001 Main Street ... various fixtures and equipment formerly used in the operation ... back bar with mirrors and light fixtures, counters, tables, chairs, sandwich unit, 10 booths complete, dishwashing sink ... soda fountain ...

Bee 14 Mar 1941: Display Ad: ... Free parking for 500 cars at our new self-service store – 1001 Main St. ... Kroger

Bee 11 May 1943: Wanted: Woman to train as check in super market! Good opportunity! Apply manager, Kroger Super Market, 1001 Main Street.

Bee 17 Jan 1952: Antique Lamps. We electrify oil lamps. Repairs on all slectrical appliances. Clarke Electric Co., inc. Cor. Main & Holbrook Sts. Phone 5260

Bee 20 Jun 1953: Clark Electric Co., Inc. No job too large – none too small. 1001 Main St. Phone 5260.

Bee 23 Sep 1967: ... It was announced that a bazaar and food sale will be held Nov. 11 at Clarke Electric Co., 1001 Main St., as the [Pilot] club's major fund raising project of the year ...

Bee 11 Dec 1968: Humble Oil Company finally won City Council approval last night of a zoning change ... The Humble request for rezoning of 1001-1009 Main St. from R-3 residential to C-1 commercial ... has an option on the building at 1001, which now houses Clarke Electric. ...

22 Jun 1969: Electric Wiring, Service. Clarke Electric Co., Inc. Corner Main and Holbrook Sts.



Main St 1002**Wednesday Club**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/augusta-yates-wednesday-club/>

PID 25553 & 25554



1888 Directory		Walker, Dr. B M, physician Hodge, Belle, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Walker, Dr. B M, physician Hodge, Belle, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter	Walker, Benjamin, age 59 - Lizzie, age 55 - Hattie, age 32
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Servant Servt husbd	Westbrook, Walter J, age 43 - Maude F, age 39 - Mary E, age 18 - Maude C, age 14 - Annie L, age 12 Basman, Lucy, age 41 - Henry, age 45
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Servant	Westbrook, Walter J, age 53, manufacturer elevators - Maude F, age 49 - Sinclair, age 22 - Anne L, age 20 Bosman, Lucy, age 41 (B)
1927 Directory		Chase, H M
1930 Census	Renter	Chase, Harold, age 58, rent \$65
1935 Directory		Chase, Harold M
1940 Census	Renter	Chase, Harold M, age 68, rent \$40
1945 Directory		Chase, Harold M Wednesday Club
1950 Directory		Chase, Harold M Wednesday Club
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		Wednesday Club Evans, Eugene M Jr
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
1993 Tour		Wednesday Club

2010 Tour		Wednesday Afternoon Club
2015 Assessor	Owner	Wednesday Afternoon Club

Bee 8 Jan 1923: ... The meeting will be held in the new rooms of the Wednesday Afternoon Club, 1002 Main street. ...

Bee 3 Dec 1956: The Junior Wednesday Club will hold a Christmas bazaar in the Wednesday Club rooms at 1002 Main Street. ...

Bee 10 Jun 1962: 5 Room unfurnished apartment. 1002 Main Street. Adults only. Dial SW 2-6974.

Bee 25 Feb 1968: the marriage of Miss Patsy Ancarrow Baker of Danville ... to Buddie Nathaniel Bray ... took place Saturday ... After a southern wedding trip, the couple will make their home at 1002 Main St.

Bee 4 Apr 1970: Seventy-seven years ago, 11 young ladies met to form the Wednesday Afternoon Club, a literary society geared to stimulate the minds of its members ... dedicated a brick colonial-style building. The first truly "new" home in the club's history. ...

Tour Book 1993:

One hundred years later the vision of Miss Augusta Yates and eleven friends continues to thrive at the Wednesday Club at the corner of Main at Holbrook Streets. Originally, the members met in private homes to share programs, which have expanded over the years to include lecturers, artists, and notable persons for its current membership of over 600 local women. The mission of this group sets out to enrich the lives of its members, raise the standards of local culture, and provide service to the community.

Civic endeavors have significantly broadened the horizons of its membership and as early as 1902, its social consciousness led to an investigation of the sanitary conditions of Danville's public school system. During both World Wars, the members volunteered to provide services such as open houses for soldiers passing through Danville and acted as hostesses for USO activities. As the group grew in number, the Wednesday Club purchased its first home in 1922 at 1002 Main Street, now the site of the present Georgian-Revival brick building, which was erected in 1970.

In 1927, the Club established a Crippled Children's Clinic to provide relief free or at nominal cost to sufferers in need of orthopedic services. The Club instigated the awareness that Danville needed a public library with an early committee effort. These efforts did not succeed immediately but provided the impetus later developed by the Danville Library Association and involved many members who were instrumental in the eventual creation of the city's first public library.

The Club is exemplified by the words of Mrs. Walter Paxton, a charter member and former president: "With a purpose larger than accomplishments, we are working not only for today but for tomorrow ... not merely for ourselves, but for those who are to follow after us. We are organized not to do little things but to do big things and the possibilities of our service are only limited by our strength and our means ... a union of force, with the one definite and earnest aim

of extending that knowledge which tends toward greater happiness, better citizenship, life more abundant and finer living."

Tour Book 2010:

No doubt, Miss Augusta Yates and her colleagues -- who in 1893 met in the home of her sister Mary Ella Aiken at 215 West Main Street to organize what would become The Wednesday Club - - would be amazed at their legacy. Over 115 years later, their inaugural vision of civic outreach and self improvement, based at the corner of Main at Holbrook Street for nesarly 90 years, continues to thrive. What began as members sharing programs in private homes has expanded over the decades as guest lecturers, artists, and other notable persons, some of international acclaim, inspire a current membership of 484 local women.

As early as 1902, the group's social consciousness led to an investigation of the sanitary conditions of Danville's public schools. During both World Wars, club volunteers maintained open houses for soldiers passing through Danville, with members serving as hostesses for USO activities. As membership grew, The Wednesday Club purchased in 1922 its first clubhouse, a former Westbrook home at 1002 Main Street, now the site of the present Williamsburg-Revival brick building erected in 1970.

In 1927, the Club established a Crippled Children's Clinic, later the Samuel Newman Clinic, for orthopedic services. Reflecting national momentum for the "public libraries movement" -- a cause shared by many Southern women's groups prior to the First World War -- The Wednesday Club helped sustain The Danville Library Association's goal to create the city's first free public library, which opened in the former Sutherlin Mansion on January 1, 1928.

The Wednesday Club continues to be guided by the words of an early president and charter member, Mrs. Walter Paxton: "With a purpose larger than accomplishments, we are working not only for today but for tomorrow ... not merely for ourselves, but for those who are to follow after us. We are organized not to do little things but to do big things ... limited (only) by our strength and our means ... a union of force [for] that knowledge which tends toward greater happiness, better citizenship, life more abundant and finer living."

Main St 1003

1888 Directory		Johnson, James, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Holcomb, P T, meats
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		West End Drug Store
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 4 May 1935: Mount Vernon Circle No. 3 – Mrs. Robert Bendall, leader, with Mrs. John B. Anderson, Jr., 1003 Main street.

Bee 8 Sep 1969: Laura Earls, of 1003 Main St., reported a neck injury after the car ... in which she was a passenger, was struck from behind ...

Main St 1005

1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Gentry's Grocery
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Great A & P Tea Co
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 21 May 1926: Display Ad: R. B. Gentry. Staple and Fancy Groceries. Fresh Meats, Vegetables, Fine Breads and Pastries. Phones 1983, 1984, 1985. Corner Main & Holbrook.

Main St 1006

1900 Census		
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Servant	Rison, John F, age 58 - Lillie, age 50 - Jeff, age 24 - Catherine, age 22 Averett, Julia, age 54 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Servant	Rison, John F, age 67, pres street railway - Lillie D, age 62 - Catherine, age 28 Averett, Julia, age 72, wid (B)
1927 Directory		Conway, L B
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son	Conway, Lysander B, age 58, secy & treas, cotton mill - Mildred H, age 57 - Charlotte E, age 23 - Ann F, age 20 - Lysander B, age 15 - French H, age 8
1935 Directory		James, Rorer A Jr.
1940 Census	Owner Daughter Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger	Crompton, Erie A, age 38, value \$9,500 - Erie A, age 21 Chapel, Catherine, age 24 Bayette, Francis, age 24 Lewis, Seldon, age 28 Quinley, Harry, age 27 Morton, James P, age 27 Williams, Paul, age 38 Peers, Walter, age 35 Pointer, Carl, age 21 Jewel, Nina, age 32 Obenchain, Elizabeth, age 33
1945 Directory		Puryear, T Miles
1950 Directory		Puryear, T Miles
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		Puryear, Mary A Mrs.
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 23 May 1909: Mrs. John F. Rison, Main Street, entertained the Sans Souci Club Wednesday afternoon, the entertainment being in honor of Mrs. Drummond, of Louisville, Ky., and Miss Richardson, of Tacoma, Wash.

Times Dispatch 18 Jul 1909: Miss Katherine Rison is spending some time at Patrick Springs.

Times Dispatch 21 Nov 1909: Mrs. John Rison and Miss Kathryn Rison have issued invitations for a reception for Tuesday afternoon, November 23.

Times Dispatch 28 Nov 1909: Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. John Rison, on Main Street.

Times Dispatch 9 Jan 1910: Miss Marion Cunningham, of Knoxville, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. John F. Rison, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 3 Apr 1910: Willie Penn Rison, of New York, spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rison.

Times Dispatch 3 Apr 1910: Mrs. John Rison, Miss Rison, Mrs. Barnes Penn, and Mrs. N. Y. Noell, are in NewYork.

Times Dispatch 22 May 1910: Miss Wilmoth Cosby, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who has been the guest of Miss Kathryn Rison, is now the guest of friends in Richmond.

Times Dispatch 22 May 1910: Miss Aline St. Johns, of Mobile, Ala., is the attractive house guest of Miss Kathryn Rison, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 28 Aug 1910: Mr. and Mrs. John Rison are spending several weeks at the Greenbrier White.

Times Dispatch 2 Apr 1911: Miss Kathryn Rison has returned after a delightful visit to Miss Lurline Graham, Shreveport.

Bee 7 Jan 1922: John F. Rison is Dead! ... at his residence, 1006 Main street ...

Bee 29 Oct 1932: Help Wanted: Servant desired for couple living in apartment. Apply 1006 Main St. ...

Bee 1 May 1935: For Rent: Residence No. 1006 Main street. Possession in June ...

Bee 27 Jan 1938: Prompt work by firemen last night at six o'clock probably saved the home of Mrs. George Bass at 1006 Main street, the roof of which was found to be on fire. Little damage was actually done.

Bee 7 Nov 1938: Mrs. Mamie H. Arnett, widow of Eugene Samuel Arnett ... died at Memorial hospital ... She is survived by the following children: Eugene Willard Arnett, Miss Grace Evelyn Arnett, Mrs. T. Miles Puryear, and Mrs. Edward R. Crumpton. ... services ... at the home of Mrs. Crumpton, 1006 Main street.

Bee 2 Jul 1941: ... a marauder was seen around house number 1006 Main Street. Officers rushed to the scene but failed to locate anyone. However, they found a hat and pair of shoes in the back lot ...

Bee 3 Dec 1942: The fire department handled seven calls between 6:05 o'clock yesterday evening until half past seven o'clock this morning, the most serious of these being the destruction of the roof of the home of Mrs. E. R. Crumpton at 1006 Main street. A gable and the roof was well alight when the firemen got there and considerable damage was done to the interior by water, as firemen could take no chances with a roof fire on a gusty frosty morning ...

Bee 13 Feb 1943: Harry Eugene Quinley, former hardware salesman who lived at 1006 Main Street before his induction ... received his commission as a second lieutenant in the Quartermaster Corps ...

Bee 28 Jan 1945: Mrs. Erie Arnett Crumpton of 1006 Main Street succumbed ... at University Hospital, Charlottesville ... a native of Danville, was a daughter of the late James Samuel Arnett and Mamie Dixon Arnett ... On April 24, 1918, she married Edward Rucker Crumpton ... Funeral services will be conducted from the late residence ...

Bee 26 Nov 1946: T. Miles Puryear returned this morning to his home, 1006 Main Street, from Memorial Hospital where he has been a patient for several weeks.

Bee 27 Nov 1950: Miss Mary Miles Puryear, of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, was called to Duke Hospital, Durham, N.C., to be with her father, Miles Puryear, who has been ill there. Mr. and Mrs. Puryear and daughter have returned to their home, 1006 Main Street, where the former remains quite ill.

Bee 18 Dec 1950: Funeral services for Thomas Miles Puryear were conducted from the residence, 1006 Main Street, yesterday afternoon ...

Bee 29 Sep 1952: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lamar Jones of 1006 Main Street attended the Carolina-Texas game in Chapel Hill, N.C., on Saturday.

Bee 19 Sep 1953: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lamar Jones and son, Miles, who have been visiting Mr. Jones' parents at Moorehead City and Atlantic Beach, N.C., are returning to their home, 1006 Main Street, Monday.

Bee 14 Apr 1955: Mrs. P. L. McNeil, of Centerville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Monroe at 1006 Main Street.

Bee 19 Oct 1960: The City Council of Beta Sigma Phi will hold its regular monthly meeting ... in the home of Mrs. Jorge De los Rios, 1006 Main Street. ...

Bee 25 Jun 1961: For Sale: 1006 Main Street, apartment and home property, fully rented ...

Bee 22 Jun 1962: Dr. and Mrs. Jorge De Los Rios of 1006 Main Street announce the birth of a son, Oscar Renato, on July 21 in Memorial Hospital.

Main St 1007

1881 Directory		J T Watson, Jr, druggist
1892 Directory		Cole & Grymes, druggists
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 4 Apr 1964: Last services for Ernest Lloyd Barber, 71 ... Mr. Barber died last night at 7:30 at his home here, 1007 Main St.

Main St 1009

PID 22773



1881 Directory		Venable, H D
1888 Directory		Venable, Henry D, groceries
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		West End Service Station
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Standard Oil Co of NJ
1940 Census		Not found
1945 Directory		Bennett's Esso Station
1950 Directory		Bennett's Esso Station
1960 Directory		Main & Holbrook Esso Servicenter
1970 Directory		Main & Holbrook Esso Servicenter
1977 Directory		Main & Holbrook Exxon Station
1984 Directory		Main & Holbrook Exxon Station
1990 Directory		Main & Holbrook Exxon Station
2015 Assessor	Owner	Abercrombie Oil Company (Exxon Service Station)
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Abercrombie Oil Company to Two Crows LLC, \$200,000

Bee 1 Apr 1927: Building Permit: Automotive Service Corporation, 1009 Main street – wash house, \$3,000.

Bee 19 Jun 1946: Display Ad: Body and fender work, painting, auto repairing. Nixon's Brake and Body Shop. 1009 Main St. Rear Bennett's Esso Station.


Bee 28 Jan 1957: Display Ad: Shop these merchants who give Top Value stamps for Top Valu gifts ... Main and Holbrook Esso Service Station, 1009 Main St. ...

Bee 2 Jun 1960: 1949 Mercury, black, 4 door, clean, excellent condition. New tires, onw owner. Can be seen at Morgam Wells West End Esso, 1009 Main St.

Bee 11 Dec 1968: Humble Oil Company finally won City Council approval last night of a zoning change, but not until its Danville attorney announced the firm would build a colonial-design service station at the corner of Main St. and Holbrook Ave. The Humble request for rezoning of 1001-1009 Main St. from R-3 residential to C-1 commercial ... owns a service station now at 1009 Main and has an option on the building at 1001, which now houses Clarke Electric. ...

Bee 18 Mar 1969: A \$55,000 permit has been issued to Humble oil and Refining Co. for construction of a new service station at the corner of Main and Holbrook St. Humble will build a 29 by 63 brick building to replace the present service station, to be rized in the future. The new service station's architerture has been designed to overcome objections previously raised by area residents.

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Friday and Saturday --- July 30 and 31
MAIN & HOLBROOK
ESSO STATION
1009 Main St. Dial 792-7444



R. K. (KENNON) WELLS, Dealer
Shown above from left to right: R. K. Wells, Curtis Wyatt and Earl Cox

Main St 1012**T. S. Williamson House**

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PID 25705



1900 Census	Head Wife Daughter Son Son Servant Servant	Williamson, Thomas S, age 34 - Annie, age 34 - Edith, age 7 - Charley, age 4 - Thomas S Jr., age 2 Garland, Mary, age 20 (B) Stanfield, Betty, age 23 (B)
1910 Census	Head Daughter Son Son Sister Niece Servant	Williamson, Thomas S, age 42 - Edith M, age 17 - Charles E, age 13 - Thomas S Jr., age 11 Dance, Bertha W, age 45 - Virginia, age 19 Caster, Clarrissy, Age 29 (B)
1920 Census	Head Wife Daughter Son Son Son Servant	Williamson, Thomas S, age 54, owner tobacco factory - Mary D, age 36 - Edith M, age 27 - Charles E, age 23 - Thomas S, age 21, teacher military school - William W, age 1 Wadell, Mary, ages 56 (B)
1927 Directory		Williamson, T S
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Son Son Servant Servant	Williamson, Thomas S, age 65, value \$20,000 - Dot R, age 46 - William E, age 12 - Robert L, age 9 - Elbert M, age 7 - Caleb R, age 1-5/12 Conley, Helene, age 20 (B) Hardey, Louise, age 19 (B)
1935 Directory		Williamson, Thomas S
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Son	Williamson, Thomas J, age 74, value \$8500 - Dot R, age 56 - William W, age 22 - Robert L, age 19

	Son Son	- Elbert M, age 17 - Calab R, age 11
1945 Directory		Williamson, Thomas S
1950 Directory		Williamson, Sallie D Mrs.
1950 Census	Head	Williamson, Dot R, age 66, wid
1960 Directory		Williamson, Dot R Mrs.
1970 Directory		Williamson, Dot R Mrs.
1977 Directory		Williamson, Dot R Mrs.
1984 Directory		Williamson, Robert L
1985 Tour	Owner	Williamson heirs
1990 Directory		Mumford, Lois R
1993 Tour	Owner	Jimmy & Pam Barbour
1996 Assessor	Transfer	To Maddux, Frankin W & Dugan W, \$223,000
1997 Tour	Owner	Gamewood Data Systems
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Maddux, Franklin W to Toossi, Saeed, \$290,000
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Toossi, Saeed to Federal Home Loan Mortgage, \$207,096
2012 Assessor	Transfer	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation to Baughman, Philip K, \$95,000
2014 Tour	Owner	Fran and Phillip Baughman

Times Dispatch 19 Dec 1909: Mrs. Mamie Spencer, of New York, is the guest of her cousin, T. S. Williamson, 1012 main Street.

Bee 7 Jun 1922: Wanted – Experienced cook. Apply 1012 Main Street.

Bee 6 May 1933: First Presbyterian Church circle 10 – Mrs. W. B. Lewis, leader ... with Mrs. T. S. Williamson, 1012 Main street.

Bee 5 May 1943: Robert L. Williamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Williamson, of 1012 Main Street, has recently been elected to the position of treasurer of the Society of Missionary Inquiry of the Student Body of Union Presbyterian Seminary of Richmond ...

Bee 6 Mar 1950: The West End Garden Club will hold a program meeting ... Chairman and hostess will be Mrs. T. S. Williamson, of 1012 Main Street. ...

Bee 31 May 1962: Mrs. T. S. Williamson, of 1012 Main St., reported to police yesterday that someone had stolen her pocketbook containing \$15 and papers from her automobile in the garage ...

Bee 26 Feb 1953: Coast guardsmen aboard the icebreaker ... Danville men aboard the “Westwind include Ensign Caleb Richard Williamson, 1012 Main Street, and electricians mate second class Jules M. Keck, 879 Green Street.

Bee 18 Nov 1972: ... It was shortly before 6 p.m. at the S. Main – Kemper Road stop light ... Police reported it was a rear-end collision, with the hit-run vehicle striking the back of the auto of Betty B. Parker ... and knocking into the rear of the truck of Allen Elmo Simmons. Arrested this morning on a hit-run charge ... was dot Richmond Williamson, 88, of 1012 Main St., whose car sustained an estimate \$350 damage to the left front. ...

Bee 14 Mar 1976: After months of uncertainty, the National Tobacco-Textile Museum had found a full-time director-curator – a retired Presbyterian minister ... Robert L. Williamson, 1012 Main St. ...

Tour Boook 1993:

Built in 1897 for \$3,300, the home of T.S. Williamson sheltered this family until the heirs sold the home to Lois Mumford in 1986 soon after it was featured as the Society's first Decorator Showcase. One of four children of Elbert Madison Williamson and Virginia Spencer Williamson, Thomas Spencer Williamson moved to Danville from Petersburg at the age of eleven. As had his father, the younger Williamson entered the lucrative tobacco trade as an independent leaf dealer. Having served as the president of the Danville Tobacco Association and as an active promoter of the local market for more than 50 years, T.S. Williamson was often described as the 'dean' of the local tobacco industry.

T.S. Williamson & Company, which was begun by his father in 1878, operated for 74 years. Williamson first married Annie Hickey, the daughter of a tobacconist, in 1891 -- just years before purchasing this 57-foot lot on Main Street to build a 2-1/2 story Queen Anne mansion, which stands today unaltered. Rated as 'Notable' by Russell Wright's architectural inventory, the interesting facade is broken by a three-part projecting bay on the left and a conical roof tower on the right. Its unique face is enhanced by the Tuscan colonnade across the front which develops into a circular pavilion on the corner opposite the turret. The original servants' quarters are still located at the rear of the lot along Dibrell Alley.

In 1917, ten years after the death of his first wife, T.S. Williamson married Mary Dodson Richmond. He lived here with his new wife and three children from his first marriage until his death in 1945. The Williamson homeplace with its badly leaking roof was saved from impending doom by Lois Mumford. A new roof, updated wiring, new wall coverings, and TLC gave the majestic home a new lease on life.

In December 1992, the Barbours purchased the home with grand plans to complete the salvation started by Ms. Mumford. The kitchen area was totally gutted and replaced with designer cabinets, elegant wallpaper, and new floor coverings to create a delightful and airy space to welcome the morning. All of the oak flooring in the home was beautifully refinished and sealed to protect its refurbished look. The master suite was moved to its new location at the top of the rear staircase and the sleeping porch with antiquated bath became a new master bath and dressing room.

As the Barbours reach year one of a five-year restoration plan, they also have added a scalloped Victorian fence at the rear, started extensive landscaping, and installed central air. The impetus of their move from the West End to Millionaires' Row is to open as a bed & breakfast inn in 1994.

Tour Book 2014:

From the time of its construction in 1897 until the mid-1980s, the house at 1012 Main Street sheltered but one family - that of T.S. Williamson and his descendants. Thomas Spencer Williamson, one of four children of Elbert Madison Williamson and Virginia Spencer Williamson, moved to Danville from Petersburg at the age of eleven. Like his father, the younger Williamson

entered the lucrative tobacco trade as an independent leaf dealer. Years later, as the president of the Danville Tobacco Association and as an active promoter of the local market for more than 50 years, T.S. Williamson often was called the 'dean' of the local tobacco industry.

Begun by his father in 1878, T.S. Williamson & Company operated for 74 years. Williamson first married a tobacconist's daughter, Annie Hickey, in 1891. Six years after their marriage he purchased a 57-foot lot on Main Street where this two-and-a-half-story Queen Anne style mansion was built.

In 1917, ten years after the death of his first wife, Williamson married Mary Dodson Richmond. Here he lived with his second wife and three children from his first marriage until his death in 1945. The last family members to reside here were his widow, known affectionately to her friends as "Miss Dot," who died in 1983, and a son, (the Rev.) Elbert Williamson.

In 1986, soon after it was featured as the Danville Historical Society's first ever Decorator Showcase house, the old Williamson home place, was purchased by Lois Mumford. Looking past its by-then tired condition, she refurbished its spacious rooms as her home, giving it a new lease on life. Six years later Pamela and Jimmy Barbour purchased the dwelling and continued the restoration begun by Mrs. Mumford. The Barbours installed

a handsome new kitchen, new infrastructure such as air conditioning, as well as landscaping, especially in the rear yard, to accommodate their use of the house as a bed and breakfast inn. Newly redecorated, the Barbours' Gold Leaf Inn opened in 1994 and became a popular home-away-from-home for many travelers and sightseers.

When the Barbours moved to Atlanta, Drs. Franklin and Dugan Maddux purchased the house in 1996. They gave it a new purpose as Gamewood Data Systems, the couple's Internet server business which had outgrown its space in their Pittsylvania County home. In fact, during their tenure, the original servant's house in the rear yard was outfitted with banks of concealed electronic systems to handle the majority of Gamewoods Internet users!

The Madduxes stripped exterior paint from this accessory building and the main house alike, reflashing, sealing, priming and then repainting in the quiet palette still seen today - a nod to late Victorian taste as well as echoing hues in Gamewood's corporate logo.

Newest owners of the property, Fran and Phillip Baughman, who purchased the house just over two years ago, already are tackling their project "to-do list." Their lovely premises reflect the fact already that the Baughmans take seriously their stewardship of this important piece of Danville's architectural and social history.

Main St 1020**Barnes Penn House a.k.a****Wedding Cake House**

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PID 20900



1900 Census		
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Servant	Penn, Barnes R, age 37, tobacconist - Mary R, age 36 - Elizabeth P, age 10 Robertson, Nannie, age 33, chambermaid (B)
1920 Census	Owner Daughter	Penn, Barnes R, age 50, tobacconist - Elizabeth P, age 20
1927 Directory		Penn, B R
1930 Census	Head Wife Son-in-law Daughter	Penn, Barnes R, age 57, value \$15,000 - Mary C, age 56 Carter, Everette E, age 32 - Elizabeth P, age 30
1935 Directory		Penn, Barnes R
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Servant	Carter, Everett E, age 40, office manager, tobacco co. - Elizabeth P, age 40 - Everett E Jr., age 9 - Mary P, age 5 Crews, Inez, age 15, nurse (B)
1945 Directory		Carter, Everett E
1950 Directory		Carter, Everett E Honorable
1950 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter	Carter, Everett E, age 50, city mayor - Elizabeth P, age 50 - Everett E Jr, age 19 - Mary P, age 15
1960 Directory		Carter, Everett E
1970 Directory		Carter, Elizabeth P Mrs.
1971 Survey		Rated Excellent
1977 Directory		Carter, Elizabeth P Mrs.
1977 Victrn Dv		
1984 Directory		Carter, Elizabeth P Mrs.
1986 Tour	Owner	Howard Casey & Robert Gibson
1990 Directory		Gibson, Robert H Casey, Howard K
1993 Tour	Owner	Sharon Carney & Gloria Newberry
1997 Assessor	Transfer	To Polsky, Donald N & Colette H, \$202,500

2011 Assessor	Transfer	Polsky, Donald N to U S Bank National Association, \$273,000
2012 Assessor	Transfer	U S Bank National Association to Norton, Carl T, \$154,949

Times Dispatch 21 Feb 1909: Mrs. Barnes Penn has returned from Richmond, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Carroll Montague.

Times Dispatch 6 Jun 1909: Mrs. Carroll H. Montague and young son, Penn Montague, of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. Barnes Penn, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 6 Feb 1910: Mrs. Barnes Penn, Mrs. Greenville Penn, and Miss Elizabeth Penn are spending February at Palm Beach, Miami, and Nassau.

Times Dispatch 20 Feb 1910: Barnes R. Penn was in Greensboro this week.

Times Dispatch 19 Jun 1910: Mrs. Carroll Henderson Montague and little son, of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. Barnes Penn.

Times Dispatch 2 Oct 1910: Miss Catherine Rives, of Martinsville, who has been visiting Mrs. Barnes Penn, has returned home.

Times Dispatch 15 Jan 1911: Decidedly the most brilliant affair of the season was the reception given ... by Mrs. Barnes Rucker Penn, at her home on Main Street ... in compliment to Mrs. Ellis Malone Penn and Mrs. Holmes Irwin Penn, of Mississippi, the two brides ...

Times Dispatch 4 Jun 1911: Mrs. Rucker Penn entertained the San Souci ... at her home on Main Street. ...

Times Dispatch 11 Jun 1911: Mrs. Barnes Penn and Misses Elizabeth and Marie Penn are summering at Patrick Springs.

Bee 14 Dec 1931: T. Jeff Rison died ... this morning at Memorial hospital ... The remains were removed to the residence of Barnes Penn, 1020 Main street, from which place the funeral will be held ...

Bee 14 Aug 1935: Wanted: Reliable colored nurse, age 35 to 40 for year old child. Must sleep in home. Call in person ... 1020 Main street.

Bee 29 Mar 1937: Mrs. Mary Kathryn Penn, wife of Barnes Rucker Penn ... died at Memorial hospital this morning ... Her funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon from her late residence, 1020 Main street ... Mrs. Penn was a native of Danville, being born here August 14, 1873, a daughter of James G. Penn and Mrs. Sallie Elizabeth Pemberton Penn ... Surviving are her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Everett Carter ...

Bee 23 Aug 1939: Barnes R. Penn, for many years a leading figure in Danville's tobacco leaf industry died yesterday evening at Memorial hospital ... He was 67 years of age. Funeral services will be conducted ... from the late home, 1020 Main street ...

Bee 2 May 1960: Everett Emory Carter, Danville tobacconist and former mayor, died at 12:50 this afternoon at his home, 1020 Main St. ... He was born in Bluefield, W.Va., Sept. 11, 1899, and came to Danville in 1922. ...

Bee 1 Sep 1975: Mrs. Mary Penn Calhoun of Apopka, Fla., moved to Danville this weekend ... Mrs. Calhoun, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Penn Carter of 1020 Main St. ...

Tour Book 1986:

Resembling nothing so much as a giant wedding cake with wreaths, swags, and other classical decorations, this mansion stands today as an example of architecture in transition; its freewheeling Queen Anne form is bedecked with Classical Revival details. Typical 1890s Queen Anne features include the three-story corner tower and projecting bays. Its Classical embellishments, an architectural mode that became the rage after the turn of the century, include not only the bas-relief Adam-type decorations near the roofline and over the second-story windows, but also the graceful Ionic porch that curves around the base of the tower. Completed in 1902 by local contractor James Fitzgerald after a design by architects Frye and Chesterman of Lynchburg, Virginia, the two-and-a-half-story clapboard house remains to modern eyes a well-proportioned design of exceptional craftsmanship. It was a gift from James Gabriel Penn to his daughter Mary Katherine Penn and her husband of five years, Barnes R. Penn.

As a girl Mary Katherine Penn lived with her parents James G. and Sallie Penn two blocks down the hill in the elaborate Italianate mansion at 862 Main Street. Barnes Penn was one of eight sons of Greenville and Kate Rucker Penn who resided at 138 Holbrook Avenue. Both these families, and all the Danville Penns, came originally from Penn's Store in Patrick County. After their marriage in 1897, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Penn first lived at 1031 Main Street and in this narrow American Picturesque style house, currently under restoration, their daughter Elizabeth was born. Upon completion of their house at 1020 Main -- originally painted yellow with white trim -- Elizabeth moved here from across the street where she lived for the next eighty-three years, first with her parents and later with her husband Everett E. Carter, whom she married in 1925. Mr. Carter, a native of Bluefield, West Virginia, and long associated with the Penn family's venerable tobacco business, Pemberton and Penn, also became a city councilman and served several terms as Danville's mayor before his death in 1960.

Since purchasing the house earlier this year, new owners Howard Casey, Jr., and Robert Gibson consider themselves fortunate, as only the second owners of the house, to have acquired a property that was never altered substantially. Although some major repairs to the structure are in the offing, the owners will not have to undo any earlier "remuddling," only ensure the preservation of the house and its fine interior. Modillioned crown molding, and Adam Revival ornaments on the woodwork, staircase and some mantels are among the interior details that reflect the more delicate, post-Victorian mode after the turn of the century. This Classical Revival influence is reinforced in the motifs in the stained-glass windows above the stairway landing and in the crystalline light of the leaded glass in the public rooms. Complementing this setting are several pieces of the Penn-Carter furniture, acquired recently from the Carter children. These pieces again occupy rooms where they stood for decades.

Tour Book 1993:

Rated as 'Excellent' by Russell Wright in his 1971 architectural inventory of Danville, this important Queen Anne dwelling is decorated like a wedding cake with swags, wreaths, and

ornaments that draw the eye to its Main Street facade. Commenced in 1902, it was indeed a wedding gift from the tobacconist, James Gabriel Penn, to his daughter, Mary Katherine, and her husband, Barnes R. Penn, after their 1897 marriage. Land book records of the city show a value of "\$6500 added for house.- The mansion remained in the Penn family and was occupied by Mrs. Elizabeth Penn Carter, only child of the original owners, until her death in 1985.

Contracted by James Henry Fitzgerald, the home was designed by Frye and Chesterman, architects of Lynchburg, Virginia. The fine craftsmanship of the home features a corner tower, projecting bays, and a graceful Ionic front porch that curves around the tower. As an early exporter of the "Golden Leaf," James Gabriel Penn founded Pemberton & Penn, Inc. and became a well-known capitalist in various other business ventures. The Penn family members are remembered for their ambition and energy that contributed to the growth and trade of the city's wealth in the tobacco industry. Elizabeth, the last family member to enjoy the beauty of this home, was married on December 23, 1925, in the lovely front parlor to Everett Carter, who continued in the leaf business and later served several terms as Danville's mayor.

Purchased from only an exterior preview in 1986, Robert 'Hoot' Gibson and Howard 'Buddy' Casey were the perfect new owners. They valued the home's history and architecture as they began a total restoration with heart and soul renewing the life of 1020 Main as the Bright Leaf House Bed & Breakfast. As "on the job" craftsmen, they restored windows, walls, stained and leaded glass, servant bells, plumbing, wiring, and finally a complete revival of the Classical facade by chemically removing 35 coats of paint to reveal incredible detailing in the ornamentation along the frieze of the upper story and porch. They also expanded a brick patio into an informal English garden with roses, azaleas, hydrangea, and Southern perennials and added an underground sprinkler system.

Due to distress in the airline industry in which they were both employed, they were forced to sell their dream and seek employment outside the area. As of October 1993, this vision is being perpetuated by its new owners: Sharon Carney and Gloria Newbery, who fell in love with the museum-quality evident to tour goers this afternoon. They have relocated from Northern Virginia to pursue their vision of 1020 Main as The Wedding Cake House, a catering facility with bed & breakfast accommodations.

Main St 1021**J. J. O'Donnell House**

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PID 23409



1890 Directory		Norman, Banks, tobacconist O'Donnel, J J (Crew, O'Donnell & Co)
1900 Census	Moth-in-law Servant	Lovelace, Mary N, age 58 Lewis, Leonida, age 25 (B)
1910 Census	Owner Wife Servant	Noell, W. Y., age 48, manager - Hattie, age 39 Brooks, Mable, age 29, cook (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Servant	Noell, William Y., age 69, tobacco proprietor - Hattie L, age 55 - Eugene, age 31, tobacco proprietor - Mary, age 25 Hoffman, Mary, age 40, cook (B)
1927 Directory		Vacant
1930 Census	Owner Daughter Son Lodger Lodger Lodger Lodger Servant	Estes, Mary S, age 56, wid, boarding house owner - Josephine, age 21 - Oscar P, age 16 Hodges, Elizabeth, age 27, high school teacher Henderson, Etta, age 26, high school teacher May, Gordon, age 24, high school teacher Wilson, Lettie G, age 32, high school teacher Anderson, Myrtle, age 37 (B)
1935 Directory		Estes, Mary S Mrs. James, Spencer Jr, foreman P Lorillard Co
1940 Census	Owner Son Daughter Son Lodger Lodger	Estes, Mary S, age 67, value \$10,000 - John S, age 40 - Josephine S, age 32 - Oscar P, age 32 Emerson, Francis K, age 26 Bradner, William R, age 22
1945 Directory		Lynch, Maddie Mrs.
1950 Directory		Lynch, Maddie L Mrs., boarding
1950 Census	Head Son Son-in-law Daughter Grandson	Lynch, Madie L, age 65, proprietor, lodging house - Coleman W, age 26 Glass, Carol V, age 26, partner, general retail - Nancy L, age 29 - Ronald N, age 1

	Cousin Lodgers – 12 Head Sister Brother Sister Lodger	Owen, Kate, age 50, div Hinton, Ann L, age 41, draw in hand, cotton mill - Rose G, age 39, weaver cotton mill - Claude S, age 36, div, second hand, cotton mill Bradshaw, Elizabeth H, age 43, div, cloth inspector, cotton mill Lewis, Alma N, age 25, div, cloth inspector, cotton mill
1960 Directory		Turner, Robert E Jr.
1970 Directory		Glass, Carol V
1977 Directory		Hope Harbor
1984 Directory		Hope Harbor
1990 Directory		Hope Harbor
2011 Assessor	Transfer	Alcoholic Counseling to American National Bank, \$29,748 Hope Harbor
2011 Assessor	Transfer	American National Bank & Trust to Robinson, Micah C, \$22,000
2021 Assessor	Transfer	Robinson, Micah C to 2JD LLC, \$250,000

1021 and 1029 may be the same property with two apartments

Times Dispatch 15 Aug 1909: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Noell and child, of New York, are visiting Mr. Noell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Noell, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 28 May 1911: Mrs. E. S. Reid and daughter, of Chatham, were the guests of Mrs. W. Y. Noell, Main Street, this week.

Times Dispatch 4 Jun 1911: Mrs. Llewellyn Scott, of Alta Vista, is the guest of Mrs. W. Y. Noell, Main Street.

Bee 19 Apr 1924: Mrs. Mary P. Heckman, an aged lady residing with her daughter, Mrs. R. T. Cole, at 1021 Main street, had the misfortune to fall down two or three steps while descending the stairs at the Cole residence ...

Bee 14 Jan 1927: Display Ad: Auction of Residence No. 1021 Main Street ...

Bee 28 Sep 1928: Mrs. Charles E. Barnett, of Memphis, Tenn., will arrive Saturday to visit her son, Dillon Barnett, at 1021 Main street.

Bee 24 Mar 1930: Boarders Wanted. Also one double room for rent. Reasonable rates. Apply 1021 Main street.

Bee 17 Jun 1930: Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Wilson have returned from their wedding trip and are at 1021 Main street.

Bee 16 Aug 1941: John S. Estes, member of a well-known family, died at Memorial Hospital this morning ... born in Lovington, Sept. 19, 1899, a son of Mrs. Mary Sneed Estes and the late O. P. Estes ... Funeral services will be held ... from his late home, 1021 Main Street ...

Bee 20 Sep 1946: Mrs. Lorine Edmundson, of Norfolk, who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Lynch, of 1021 Main Street, entered Memorial Hospital yesterday as an operative patient ...

Bee 19 Aug 1953: Lawrence Ralph Duvall, 25-year-old painter who resides at 1021 Main St., won a dismissal in Trial Justice Court today on a charge of an indecent exposure before two small girls on S. Main St. last July 21. ...

Bee 28 Sep 1955: A bride-to-be will be left waiting almost literally at the altar as a result of her suitor being arrested early today as a fugitive from Kings Mountain, N.C. where he was said to be wanted for desertion and non-support of a wife and four children. The accused man, Alex Thomas Short, whose local address was listed as 1021 Main St. ...

Bee 15 Sep 1962: Edward lee Anderson, of 1021 Main St., was arrested yesterday afternoon following the larceny of a case of beer from the Hogan Distributing Company. When apprehended ... Anderson allegedly was consuming one of the stolen cans of beer.

Bee 20 May 1971: Ronald Neil Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Glass of 1021 Main St., has been awarded a B. A. degree in music from Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, N.C.

Bee 19 Nov 1971: the structure and purpose of Hope Harbor, a home for alcoholics, were outlined to the Danville Kiwanis Club yesterday ... located at 1021 Main St. ...

Main St 1026**Swain House**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/swain-house/>

PID 23598



1888 Directory	Rear	Ferguson, Miss Agnes V Hunter, Peter Swain, George (Swain Wyllie & Co) Miller, Rachel, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Ferguson, Miss Agnes V Hunter, Mrs. A A, wid Swain, George (Swain Wyllie & Co) Banks, Ellen, nurse (B) Love, Louise, cook (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Son Daughter Stepdau Stepdau Servant Servant Servant	Swain, George W, age 53 - Mary, age 30 - Lillian, age 22 - N Mary, age 20 - Georgie, age 18 - Wycliffe, age 11 - George C, age 7 - Mamie, age 4 Haskins, Mary, age 12 - Sallie P, age 11 Love, Susan, age 24 (B) - Louise, age 80 (B) - Overton, age 13
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Son Son Daughter Daughter Step Dau Step Dau Niece	Swain, George W, age 63 - Mary H, age 40 - Gracie L, age 27 - Wyclif, age 21 - George C, age 17 - Mary A, age 14 - Emily H, age 9 Haskins, May H, age 22 - Sallie P, age 21 Tinsley, Lavalette, age 18
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter	Hill, William B, age 47 - Bessie M, age 38 - Mildred B, age 13

	Son	- William B, age 2/12
1927 Directory		Hill, W B
1930 Census	Head Wife Daughter Son Roomer	Hill, Willie B, age 57, value \$20,000 - Bessie M, age 47 - Mildred B, age 23 - William B, age 10 Painter, Lawrence, age 33
1935 Directory		Hill, William B Riddle, Charles M Jr.
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Lodger Lodger	Hill, William B, age 68, value \$10,000 - Bessie M, age 58 - William B Jr., age 20 Husband, George A, age 39 Windall, Emily N, age 44
1945 Directory		Hill, William B Lomax, Jean, graduate nurse
1950 Directory		Hill, William B
1950 Census	Head Wife Daughter Grandson Grandson Lodger	Hill, William B, age 77, proprietor, grain broker - Bessie M, age 68 Riddle, Mildred H, wid - Charles M III, age 15 - William H, age 13 Lomax, Bonnie J, age 45, registered nurse
1960 Directory		Maurakis, Albert P
1970 Directory		Maurakis, Albert P
1977 Directory		Salmon, Donna Mrs.
1984 Directory		Apartments Maurakis, Timothy A
1990 Directory		Harmony House
2003 Assessor	Transfer	Clement & Wheatley PC to Home Court Advantage, \$125,000
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Home Court Advantage to McAlpin, Sheldon L, \$323,000
2011 Assessor	Transfer	McAlpin, Sheldon L to HSPC Bank USA, \$170,600
2012 Assessor	Transfer	HSBC Bank USA to Hardin, William Wesley IV, \$55,000

Bee 21 Jan 1929: The Gertrude Calls haesthetic dancing class which was discontinued on account of influenza will be resumed Tuesday ...

Bee 21 Oct 1931: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riddle, Jr., have returned from their wedding trip and are at 1026 Main street.

Bee 2 May 1942: Main Street Methodist circle 4. Miss Ruby Howard, leader ... with Mrs. W. B. Hill, 1026 Main St.

Bee 17 Nov 1952: The funeral of William B. Hill ... will be held at noon tomorrow from his home, 1026 Main Street ...

Bee 8 May 1961: A. P. Maurakis, of 1026 Main St. this morning complained to police that a tire and wheel had been stolen from his parked car last night. The vehicle was parked in his garage at the time.

Register 16 Mar 1969: The Colonial Garden Club will meet ... with Mrs. A. P. Maurakis, 1026 Main Street.

Bee 26 Jul 1972: ... The latest permit issued to Albert P. Maurakis, owner of the former single-family residence at 1026 Main St. The \$2,000 project will lower ceiling inside the structure, which now comprises four apartments, and will repair the garage at the rear of the premises.

Main St 1029

1888 Directory	Rear	Gilliam, William M, harness & wagons - William W, clerk Anson, H, butler (B) Pullen, M, domestic (B)
1890 Directory		Gilliam William M, harness & wagons - William W, clerk Price, Laura, domestic (B) - Willis, laborer (B)
1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Daughter Boarder Boarder Servant	Bendall, R. A., age 50, wid, tobacconist - Francis A, age 28 Tilley, C. W., age 40, wid, saleslady, dept. store Simpson, Sarah, age 30, trained nurse hospital Graves, Mattie, age 28, cook (B)
1920 Census	Owner Mother Cousin Cook	Irvin, Kate, age 35, wid Patton, Hennie, age 58 - Albert, age 35, insurance Adams, Minnie, age 25 (B)
1927 Directory		Irvin, K P Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Mother Cousin	Irvin, Kate P, age 45, wid Patton, Henny, age 67, wid Patton, Albert F, age 48, agent, insurance & real estate
1935 Directory		Irvin, Kate P Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Mother Nephew	Irving, Kate P, age 54, wid, value \$12,000 Patton, Henie C, age 78, wid - Albert, age 54
1945 Directory		Irvin, Kate P Mrs.
1950 Directory		Irvin, Kate P
1950 Census	Head Cousin	Irvin, Kate P, age 66, wid Patton, Albert F, age 66, proprietor, insurance co
1960 Directory		Irvin, Kate P Mrs.
1970 Directory		White, James M
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

1021 and 1029 may be the same property with two apartments

Bee 11 Oct 1924: The following Presbyterian circles will meet ... No. 4, Mrs. T. S. Williamson with Mrs. J. S. Irvin, 1029 Main street.

Bee 6 Jun 1936: First Presbyterian Church circle No. 1, Mrs. D. A. Overbey, leader, with Mrs. Kate Irvin and Mrs. Allen Patton, 1029 Main street.

Bee 2 May 1962: Mrs. Kate Patton Irvin, 77, of 1029 Main St. died in her sleep at her residence ... She was the widow of Dr. James S. Irvin, M.D., who died in 1915. ...

Bee 27 May 1962: For Sale: 1029 Main Street. A good house. New heating plant. Large lot running back to R. E. Lee School. Two apts. ...

Bee 13 Jan 1971: ... The rezoning at 1029 Main St. from residential to C-1 commercial was sought by Piedmont Medical Corp. for a drug store that would be of semi-colonial design, with parking and unloading confined to the rear of the premises. Opposition came from the Wednesday Club, Stratford College, and the Garden Club of Danville ...

Bee 10 Oct 1971: Hope Harbor, a Christian home for alcoholics in Danville, will be formally dedicated ... in the former Estes home at 1029 Main St. ...

Main St 1031**Dula-Penn House**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/the-dulas-of-danville-tobacco/>

PID 25389



1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Daughter Boarder	Arrington, Annie, age 48, wid Cheatham, Bessie, age 25, wid Asland, Bessie, age 17
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Lodger Sister-in-law	Arrington, Anna, age 60, wid Cheatham, Bessie, age 34 Johnston, Maury, age 21, railroad telegraph Arrington, Bettie, age 78
1927 Directory		Arrington, Annie Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Lodger	Arrington, Annie M, age 65, wid Harper, Preston, age 25, bank teller
1940 Census	Owner Wife Lodger Lodger Lodger	Scales, Edgar F Jr., age 67, value \$6,000 - Bessie A, age 56 Harper, William P, age 38 Dunn, John W, age 53 Bustard, Clarke A, age 47
1945 Directory		Turner, Robert E Jr.
1950 Directory		Turner, Robert E Jr.
1950 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Grandson Mother Lodger	Turner, Robert E, age 54, proprietor, produce broker - Lena S, age 52 - James M, age 15 Vaughn, Alice T, age 27, wid, secretary, church - Glenn C Turner, Jamie T, age 87, wid James, Edna F, age 46, wid
1960 Directory		Turner, Robert E Jr.
1970 Directory		Turner, Lena S Mrs.
1977 Directory		Vacant
1984 Directory		
1987 Tour	Owner	Mr. & Mrs. William J McCaw III
1990 Directory		McCaw, Bill
1990 Tour	Owner	Bill & Billie McCaw
2002 Assessor	Transfer	McCaw III, William J to American Home Inspection, \$144,000
2003 Assessor	Transfer	American Home Inspection to Moore, Jeffrey M & Cyndee Perdue, \$87,250

2004 Tour	Owner	Cyndee Perude-Moore & Jeff Moore
2009 Tour	Owner	Cyndee Perude-Moore & Jeff Moore
2017 Tour	Owner	Jeff Moore & Cyndee Perdue Moore

Times Dispatch 5 Dec 1909: The Tuesday Afternoon Card Club was entertained ... by Mrs. Abner Cheatham, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Anna Arrington, at her home on Main Street. ...

Times Dispatch 5 Dec 1909: Mrs. Earle Frederick Cabell, of New York City, is the guest of Mrs. Anna Arrington on Main Street.

Bee 10 Sep 1926: For Rent – Single or double garage, 1031 Main street. Phone 399-J.

Bee 12 May 1927: Firemen were called at 10:30 o'clock this morning to the home of Mrs. Anna M. Arrington, 1031 Main street, when a blaze on the shingle roof ... no interior damage was done.

Bee 30 Apr 1937: Mrs. Anna Dillard Arrington, member of an old and distinguished Virginia family, died ... this morning at Memorial Hospital at the age of 81. Her funeral will be conducted from the late residence ... Mrs. Arrington was a daughter of Col. Overton Redd Dillard and Mrs. Sallie Hughes Martin being born at Greenwood in Henry county, a plantation ... She was twice married, first to Christopher Arrington ... Later she was married to Richard A. Arrington ...

Bee 14 Feb 1942: First Presbyterian circle 6 – Mrs. A. J. Wright, leader, with Mrs. R. E. Turner, 1031 Main St.

Bee 16 Jan 1945: Promotion of Glenn C. Vaughn, of 1031 Main St., Danville, Va., from second to first lieutenant has been announced ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Vaughn, of Rt. 1, Danville, the 22-year-old airman is married to the former Miss Alice Turner, who lives at the Main St. address. ...

Bee 6 Apr 1950: The weekly meeting of the Woman's Prayer Circle will be held tomorrow ... at the home of Mrs. R. E. Turner, Jr., 1031 Main Street. ...

Bee 30 Nov 1953: The Danville W.C.T.U. will meet with Mrs. R. E. Turner, 1031 Main Street ...

Bee 24 Dec 1962: Robert Edgar Turner, Jr., age 66, of 1031 Main St., died in the Veterans Hospital in Durham, N.C. ... A native of Patrick County, he was born Oct. 17, 1896 ... Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lean Scott Turner ...

Tour Book 1987:

Like the story of the ugly duckling who became a beautiful swan, so too the house at 1031 Main Street has been transformed in just a year from a sad candidate for the wreckers' ball to a shining example of Victoriana, decked out in authentic period colors.

Built as one of a pair of identical speculative houses by C.C. Dula, a prominent tobacconist, in 1896, the property was first the residence of another tobacconist, Barnes R. Penn, his wife the former Mary Katherine Penn, and their daughter Elizabeth. In June 1903 the Barnes Penn family moved to their new Queen Anne Classical style home which stands at 1020 Main across the street. For a number of years the property at 1031 Main was home first to the R.A. Arrington family, then to Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Scales. From the 1940s and into the 1970s it was the residence

of the Robert E. Turner family. By the time local preservationists got wind of the imminent threat of demolition in the summer of 1986, the Dula-Penn-Turner home had been vacant for several years, and was in dire need of repair to its roof, porch and foundation, owing to many seasons of poor maintenance and neglect. Hope Harbor, next door, which had purchased the property at auction, was not in a position to rehabilitate the structure which, although architecturally unique, had become an eyesore.

Diligent efforts by an ad-hoc committee of the Danville Historical Society began the process that stayed the demolition of the house and led eventually to its sale and current restoration. In an attempt to combat the impression that the house was a lost cause, Society volunteers met numerous times in the fall of 1986 to clean up the property, stabilize the structure, and rehabilitate it enough to find a purchaser. Repairing a gaping hole in the roof, placing supports under the sagging front porch, and hauling away truckloads of debris were just a few of the myriad tasks that took hundreds of man (and woman) hours. Many of the materials and much of the labor to stabilize and repair the structure was donated by area businesses, including Commonwealth Silver, Danville Lumber Company, Danville Paint and Supply, Kwik Copy, Moss Home Improvement Company, Inc., Pugh Roofing Company, Saunders Building Supply, and Wickes Lumber Company. Young preservationists, members of the Boy Scout Troop 356, also helped clean the premises.

Only one classified ad placed by the Historical Society late last fall brought several responses including one from a visiting Danville-area native, Billie McCaw, and her husband Bill, who examined the tired, but proud, house. Realizing its potential, they purchased the property from the Society a year ago late this month. Restoration of the house by the McCaws, who operate a professional photography studio in Silver Spring, Maryland, began in earnest in March of this year, and the rapid, visible progress since that time has been truly phenomenal. The foundation and sills have been thoroughly repaired, including the replacement of several sections of twelve-inch sill beams. The once-sagging porch has been completely rebuilt, and all windows repaired so that both sashes of these double-hung windows are fully operable. All the clapboarding was stripped of remaining paint, then primed with linseed oil, primer, and painted with oil-based paint in an authentic three-color Victorian scheme of light chocolate siding, buff yellow trim and New England red sash and accents. An earth-toned shingled roof has been installed so as to harmonize with the colors of the house, and even the formerly truncated chimney has been rebuilt to its former soaring height.

Inside, the McCaws have completely updated the infrastructure of the period house with new wiring, plumbing, wall and attic insulation, and other necessities for modern living. None of the charm of the original rooms has been removed in the process. All the handsome 1896 moldings, mantels, pocket doors, the two staircases, and tall Victorian era ceilings have been retained. Mr. and Mrs. McCaw are now completing their selection of appropriate colors, wallpapers, and fabric, giving care to decoration that is true to the late Victorian era. When the house is sufficiently complete, the McCaws and their two young daughters will be leaving Maryland for their house in a block that is the gateway to Danville's Historic District.

Tour Book 1990:

Saved from the wrecking ball in 1986 by an ad hoc committee of the Society, this shining example of Victoriana has been decked out in authentic period colors by its current owners. Built as one of a pair of identical speculative houses by C. C. Dula, a prominent tobacconist, in 1896, it was the first home of Barnes R. Penn, his wife the former Mary Katherine Penn, and their daughter, Elizabeth, who resided here while building the Queen Anne home across the street at 1020 Main St. For many years the property was home to the R. A. Arrington family, then to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Scales. From the 1940's to the 1970's, it was the residence of the Robert E. Turner family. Vacant and in dire need of repair from neglect, it was purchased at auction by Hope Harbor, next door, which planned to demolish the property for a parking lot.

Society volunteers and the donations from many area businesses rehabilitated the structure enough to attract a response to a single advertisement from the McCaws, who were living and operating a professional photography studio in Silver Spring, Maryland. Billie McCaw is a native of Chatham. The once dilapidated porch has been rebuilt, the windows were completely repaired, and after stripping the clapboard, the home has been painted in a three-colored scheme of light chocolate siding, buff trim, and New England red accents.

After updating the infrastructure in a labor of love, the McCaw family has installed an authentic tin ceiling in the kitchen, period wallpaper, and hand-painted a ceiling medallion in the dining room. An earth-toned shingle roof has been installed to harmonize with the striking color scheme of the house. All the handsome 1896 moldings, mantels, pocket doors, front and back staircases, and tall Victorian ceilings have been retained.

Serving as their private residence, the home also operates as an attractive bed & breakfast inn, which advertises as a "timeless experience of the gaslight era." The parlor bedroom features a Renaissance Revival bed and a period keyboard musical instrument. The lodging guests enjoy the clawfoot tub, elegant Victorian furnishings, "gingerbread" deck overlooking the backyard, and a screened porch with a jacuzzi spa. The McCaws are now renovating to Victorian charm a commercial space for Fine Art Photography in the 1921 Masonic Temple. Their dedication to the restoration of the Dula-Penn home is a tribute to historic preservation in a block that is the southern gateway to Danville's Historic District.

Tour Book 2004:

Blessed with caring new owners who moved in last spring, this splendid house also stands as testimony to the couple who restored it over 15 years ago, and to its pioneering rescue from demolition by the Danville Historical Society.

Even today, the house retains its original Queen Anne form from 1896, when it was one of a pair of nearly identical side-hall houses built as "spec" by one of Danville's tobacconist near-millionaires, C.E. Dula. Early in the 20th century 1031 Main Street became the residence of newlyweds Barnes and Mary Katherine Penn during construction of their new dwelling across the street, 1020 Main Street, completed in June 1903 by Mrs. Penn's parents as a wedding gift for the couple.

For a number of years the property was home first to the R.A. Arrington family, then to Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Scales. With Miss Pearl Morrisette, Mrs. (Bessie) Scales was a recorder of folk history

in the Danville area for the Federal Writers Project, part of President Roosevelt's Depression-era effort to put America back to work. From the 1940s and into the 1970s the house was the residence of the Robert E. Turner family.

In the summer of 1986 when preservationists became aware of the imminent demolition of the house, an ad-hoc committee of the Danville Historical Society mobilized to stabilize what was then a neglected eyesore.

Just one classified ad attracted a couple from Silver Spring, Maryland, willing to tackle the massive restoration project. Bill and Billie McCaw spent the next two years practically rebuilding the structure -- replacing rotted sill beams, making the original double-hung windows fully operable and completely stripping and then repainting the exterior in warm earth tones appropriate to the period. They also paid particular attention to preserving and enhancing the late Victorian character of the interior.

The talent and professionalism of Cyndee Perdue-Moore and husband Jeff Moore is evident as these new owners bring renewed life to the structure. Their adaptation of the ground floor as a gathering place for family and friends is a delightful twist in this otherwise traditional, but comfortable, dwelling from the Victorian era.

Tour Book 2017:

Saved from the wrecking ball in 1986, this shining example of Victoriana is decked out in authentic period colors. One of a pair of identical "spec" houses built in 1896 for a prominent tobacconist, C. C. Dula, it became home to newlywed cousins, Barnes Penn and the former Mary Katherine Penn. From their temporary residence, they watched as their lavish new dwelling rose across the street at 1020 Main, completed in 1903 by Mrs. Penn's parents as a wedding gift for the couple.

More than 80 years on, when preservationists became aware of the imminent demolition of the house, an ad-hoc committee of the Danville Historical Society mobilized to stabilize what was by then a neglected eyesore. Responding to a single classified ad, a Maryland couple, Bill and Billie McCaw, practically rebuilt the place over the next two years -- with great attention to detail that preserved and enhanced its American Picturesque character inside and out.

Since 2003, when Jeff Moore and his wife Dr. Cyndee Perdue Moore purchased the Queen Anne house, they have continued its rehabilitation, rejuvenating its three-color exterior scheme among many other improvements. Jeff has transformed the unused basement into a delightful gathering space, "recreating" Danville's Main Street throughout, complete with a telephone booth and facades from the local firehouse and other historic downtown businesses. The Moores have filled all three floors with work by local artists, set against the rich backdrop of original period details.

Main St 1032

1800 Census	Head Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Son	Tyack, J.L. Age 40, shoe merchant - Sallie A., age 32 - Sallie A., age 9 - Sue C., age 8 - M.D., age 6 - Thos. D., age 5
1888 Directory	Rear	Tyack, Joseph L, rev officer Day, Emma (B) Jackson, David, laborer (B) - Tom, works railroad (B)
1890 Directory		Tyack, Joseph L, commission merchant - Miss Sallie Broadnax, Matilda, domestic (B) Terry, George (B) Thomas, Jenny, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Head Wife Son Moth-in-law Boarder Sister Mother Servant	Price, Charley, age 50, furniture merchant - Georgia, age 24 - Marcos, age 4 Spencer, Lou T, age 56 Heitsler, Earnest, age 30 Price, Kate, age 40 - Ann, age 70 Carrington, Pinky, age 25 (B)
1910 Census	Head Son Mother Head Wife Son Daughter Son Daughter Son Sister Servant Servant	Price, Georgia, age 38, wid - , Marcus, age 15 Spencer, Lou T, age 65, wid Holcombe, Decatur J, age 49 - Annie L, age 38 - William H, age 18 - Araminta, age 16 - Decatur J Jr., age 15 - Ann Stuart, age 11 - Benjamin R, age 8 - Hattie, age 40 Cobb, Dora, age 29 (B) Squires, Harriett, age 39 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son-in-law Daughter Grandson Granddau Granddau Granddau	Jones, Elisha H, age 70, tobacconist - Anna R, age 60 Withers, Price D, age 40, lawyer - Agnes J, age 31 - Price D, age 13 - Anne S, age 11 - Agnes J, age 8 - Mary S, age 2-10/12
1927 Directory		Withers, D P Hon.

1930 Census	Owner Daughter Daughter Mother Roomer	Wither, Agnes J, age 46, value \$15,000 - Ann S, age 21 - Agnes, age 18 Jones, Anna H, age 70 Gish, Mary A, age 57
1940 Census	Owner Son-in-law Daughter Grandson	Wither, Agnes J, age 56, wid, value \$15,000 Goodridge, Stanley A, age 33 - Ann W, age 31 - Stanley A Jr., age 6
1945 Directory		Withers, Agnes J Mrs.
1950 Directory		Withers, Agnes J Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Daughter Son-in-law Grandson	Withers, Agnes J, age 66. Wid Goodrudge, Ann W, age 41 - Thomas S, age 43, partner, general insurance - Thomas S Jr, age 16
1960 Directory		Withers, Agnes J Mrs.
1970 Directory		Danville Urologic Clinic
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not Found

Now part of Danville Urologic Clinic parcel #1040

Times Dispatch 30 May 1909: Miss Hattie Holcombe has returned from a visit to Mrs. Gray Morehead Parish, at Covington.

Bee 4 Apr 1922: Elisha Keen Jones, 73 years old ... died this morning ... at his home ... At the time of his death he was senior member of the firm of E. K. Jones & Co. ... associated therein for 25 years with devoted and beloved kinsman, A. D. Keen [see 944 Main]. ... In 1881, Mr. Jones married Miss Annie H. Robinson of this city who survives him with two daughters, Mrs. D. Price Wither, wife of Judge Wither of the corporation court, and Mrs. H. S. Richardson, of Greensboro, N.C.; and two sons, E. K. Jones Jr., and Kyle Jones of Danville. ... The funeral services will be conducted from his home, 1032 Main street ...

Bee 19 Oct 1923: Wanted –A Chauffeur. Apply Mrs. E. K. Jones, 1032 Main St.

Bee 14 Nov 1924: Funeral services of little Mary Stokes Withers, seven-year-old daughter of Judge and Mrs. Daniel Price Withers, who was fatally burned in the back yard of the parental home yesterday morning, will be conducted ... from the residence, 1032 Main street ...

Bee 10 Jul 1925: Wanted – 2 tenants for Cottage Hill Farm. Unusual opportunity. Apply Mrs. E. K. Jones, 1032 Main.

Bee 21 Jun 1927: The remains of Daniel Price Withers, judge of the Danville corporation court since 1922, and who succumbed in Johns Hopkins University hospital, at Baltimore, last night after a long illness were coming south today ... The funeral will be held from his late home, 1032 Main street ...

Bee 2 May 1942: Epiphany Episcopal circle 4. Mrs. Francis McGovern, leader, with Mrs. D. P. Withers, 1032 Main Street.

Bee 8 May 1954: Pvt. T. Stanley Goodridge, Jr., of Camp Gordon, Ga., will arrive by plane today to spend a furlough with his parents at 1032 Main Street.

Bee 12 Feb 1967: The Shakespeare Study Club wil meet ... at the home of Mrs. Edwin J. Harvie, 1032 Main St. ...

Bee 22 Feb 1967: Apartment for Rent: 1032 Main St. 1 bedroom, living room, dining room, with large sun porch, heat and water furnished ...

Bee 2 Jan 1968: Architects Calvert and Lewis are working on two medical office buildings ... another at 1032 Main St. for the Danville Urologic Clinic.

Bee 13 Feb 1968: ... Another doctors' building in that area is being sought by the Danville Urologic Clinic, which wants three lots at the corner rezoned from R-3 (residential) to L-C (limited commercial). The lots are at 1032 Main St., 118 Broad St., and a lot at the rear of 118 Broad St., fronting 55 feet on Dibrell's Alley.

Main St 1033**Holland-Conner House**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/holland-conner-house/>

PID 21568



1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Wife Boarder Servant	Holland, G C, age 32, real estate agent - Lillian R, age 26 Flinn, Marnance, age 27, real estate agent Johnston, Eliza, age 24, cook (B)
1920 Census	Head Wife	James, Rorer Jr., owner newspaper - Elizabeth, age 18
1927 Directory		James, R A Jr.
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter	James, Rorer A, age 33, publisher, own paper - Elizabeth S, age 29 - Elizabeth S, age 8 - Anne W, age 4
1940 Census	Owner Wife Renter Wife	Durham, James A, age 50, value \$6,000 - Ambrosia H, age 47 Seabolt, Louie S, age 22, rent \$23 - Sylvia D, age 20
1945 Directory		Conner, Georgia L Mrs.
1950 Directory		Conner, Georgia L Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Daughter Brother Lodger Lodger Head Wife Daughter Son Head Wife Son Head Wife	Conner, Georgia E, age 59, wid, hose inspector, knitting mill - Nedra A, age 36 Logan, James W, age 57, proprietor, retail grocery Nunn, Mollie E, age 77, wid Campbell, May H, age 71, wid Brim, James D, age 30, supervisor, knitting mill - Opal H, age 32 - Carolyn G, age 5 - James D, infant Lewis, William C, age 31, pressman, printing co - Virginia D, age 28 - William C Jr, age 4 Evans, Sherman R, age 45, house painter - Margaret K, age 42, payroll clerk, knitting mill
1960 Directory		Conner, Nedra A Evans, Margt B Mrs. Holdern, Frieda Mrs.

1970 Directory		Conner, Nedra A
1977 Directory		Conner, Nedra A
1984 Directory		Yarboro, Walter H
1990 Directory		Hope Harbor
2002 Assessor	Transfer	McCaw III, William J to American Home Inspection, \$144,000
2003 Assessor	Transfer	American Home Inspection to Wheeler, \$32,000
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Wheeler, James F & Kimberly A to Alcoholic Counseling, \$0
2006 Assessor	Transfer	Alcoholic Counseling to MCR Consulting, \$3,000
2010 Assessor	Transfer	MCR Consulting to Tomlinson, \$0
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Tomlinson, Rodney H to Guidry, Elvord & Eresterine P, \$40,000

Bee 18 Oct 1922: Wanted Small Boy to do general work around house. References required. Apply 1033 Main St.

Bee 2 Oct 1924: Wanted: Reliable Nurse. References required. 1033 Main St. or Phone 1416.

Bee 1 Feb 1936: Mount Vernon M. E. Church Circle 3. Mrs. J. B. Anderson, Jr., leader, with Mrs. Anderson, 1033 Main street.

Bee 13 May 1942: Funeral services for Miss Beulah Drumwright ... Miss Drumwright died yesterday ... at her home, 1033 Main street ...

Bee 22 May 1944: Another large class of Aerial Gunners ... was graduated ... from this area are: Pfc. Harold T. Conner, son of Mrs. Georgia Conner of 1033 Main St. ...

Bee 1 Jun 1945: Mrs. Maude Chaney of 1033 Main Street ... her son, Staff Sergeant Frank G. Chaney, is still missing in action in Europe.

Bee 3 Nov 1960: James William Logan of 1033 Main Street is a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Bee 25 Jul 1961: Dr. Harold T. Conner, Ringgold native and son of Mrs. Georgia Conner of 1033 Main St., has been named to the newly created post of assistant superintendent of the Guilford County (N.C.) schools, it was announced today.

Bee 29 Oct 1962: James William Logan, aged 68, died in Memorial Hospital yesterday ... lived at 1033 Main St. ... He is survived by one sister and one brother, Mrs. Georgia Logan Conner of 1033 Main St. and R. Bernard Logan of Ringgold ...

Bee 20 May 1969: Mrs. Georgia Logan Conner, age 78, died at Memorial Hospital Monday ... She was a native of Danville and was born march 9, 1911. She was a daughter of the late James Daniel Logan and Mrs. Laura Gosney Logan. ...

Bee 26 Aug 1971: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Edgar Reynolds of 1033 Main Street announce the birth of a son, Michael Dean ...

Main St 1035**E. B. Withers House**

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PID 21576



1888 Directory	Rear	Withers, Col. E B (Withers & Barksdale) - Eugene P Bailey, M, cook Hodson, B, domestic (B)
1890 Directory		Price, Miss Kate, teacher Hodges, Green, butler (B) Robinson, Cylla, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Son Son Son Daughter Servant Servant	Withers, Luanna P, age 52 - Eugene, age 33 - Daniel P, age 21 - Elijah B, age 17 - Anna G, age 16 Garrett, Lou, age 22, wid (B) - Ethel, age 7 (B)
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Boarder Boarder Servant	Starling, Al, age 35, harness manufacturer - Mary, age 27 - Lemonia, age 2 Withers, Benton, age 24, salesman, hardware store - Gertrude, age 22 Henry, Caroline, age 52, cook (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Bro-in-law Brother Cook	Starling, A D, age 42, owner hardware - Mary W, age 35 - Lenora W, age 12 Withers, Benton, age 37, clerk hardware Starling, Tom, age 37, owner hardware Henry, Caroline, age 65 (B)
1927 Directory		Starling, A D
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Bro-in-law Servant Servant	Starling, All D, age 51, manufacturer, hardware - Mary W, age 48 - Leona W, age 22 Withers, E Benton, age 47, salesman, hardware store Mimms, Sam, age 20 Luster, Lilly, age 35, div
1935 Directory		Staling, Alvis D
1940 Census	Owner	Starling, Alvis D, age 64, value \$10,000

	Wife Broth-in-law	- Mary W, age 59 Withers, Elijah B, age 57
1945 Directory		Starling, Mary Mrs.
1950 Directory		Starling, Mary Mrs.
1950 Census	Head	Starling, Mary W, age 67, wid
1960 Directory		Donelson, Martin Jr., physician
1970 Directory	bsmt	Vacant Donelson, Martin Jr., physician
1977 Directory		Donelson, Martin Jr., physician
1984 Directory		Donelson, Martin Jr., physician
1990 Directory	a c	Vacant Jones, Richard T Hankins, Edward C
2003 Assessor	Transfer	Family Clinic of Danville to Smith, \$175,000
2009 Assessor	Transfer	Smith, Gene P to Cook, Jack W, \$35,000
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Cook, Jack W to Virginia Bank & Trust, \$150,000
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Virginia Bank & Trust to Lovelace, Tommy, \$175,000

Notes: Now mixed use – 6 apartments, 4 offices

Times Dispatch 13 Mar 1910: Miss Gertrude Withers has been appointed maid of honor for the Fifth District at the twentieth annual convention of United Confederate Veterans ... the daughter of the late Colonel E. B. Withers, a gallant and Distinguished Confederate officer ...

Times Dispatch 20 Nov 1910: Benton Withers has returned from a visit to friends in Richmond.

Times Dispatch 16 Apr 1911: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ernest Fogle, of North Carolina, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Starling.

Times Dispatch 16 Jul 1911: Mrs. Al Starling is at Atlantic City.

Bee 12 Apr 1928: The marriage of Miss Mary S. Withers to Alvis D. Starling is announced to take place April 20th at the residence of Miss Withers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Wither, 1035 Main street.

Bee 2 Feb 1935: Mount Vernon circle No. 1, Mrs. James T. Hamlin, Jr., with Mrs. A. D. Starling, 1035 Main street.

Bee 30 Apr 1941: Funeral services were held this morning ... for E. Benton Withers ... who died yesterday from a heart ailment at the age of 59 years ...

Bee 2 Jan 1950: The West End Garden Club will hold its January business meeting ... at the home of Mrs. A. D. Starling, 1035 Main Street.

Bee 27 May 1953: Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Withers Starling were conducted this morning at 11 o'clock from the residence, 1035 Main Street ...

Bee 24 Oct 1953: Display Ad: Martin Donelson, Jr., M.C., announces the opening of his office for the practice of general surgery. 1035 Main Street ...

Bee 11 Jun 1955: First Presbyterian circle No. 7, Mrs. Walter Pierce, chairman, with Mrs. Martin Donelson, Jr., 1035 Main St.

Bee 23 Nov 1965: The B. F. B. Sub-Debs will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Vickie Lester at her home, 1035 Main St.

Bee 28 Aug 1966: A petition has been filed by Dr. Martin Donelson, Jr., seeking a permit to enlarge his present facilities and staff at 1035 Main Street.

Bee 1 Oct 1967: Miss Victoria Elise Lester, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Martin Donelson, Jr., of 1035 Main St., recently completed training as a hostess for Braniff International and has been assigned to the airline's flight crew base at Minneapolis, Minn.

Bee 2 Apr 1970: ... Willis J. Donelson ... initiated into the Alpha Kappa Psi professional business fraternity in the University of Richmond's School of Business. ... Donelson is the son of Dr. Martin Donelson Jr. of 1035 Main St. ...

Bee 19 Dec 1971: Mr. and Mrs. Willis Donelson of 1035 Main St. announce the birth of a son, Willis Jefferson Dance Donelson Jr. ...

Bee 16 Aug 1972: Rabbi Norman Auerback, 27-year-old Californian, will conduct his first service for the congregation of Temple Beth Shalom ... Auerback and his wife have already moved to Danville and are making their home at 1035 Main St. ...

Bee 6 May 1975: Miss Katherine Carter and Steve Calos, who will be married May 17, were honored this weekend at a dinner party by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Jones in their apartment, 1035 Main St. ...

Bee 21 Dec 1977: Temple Charles Moore, 29, of 1035 Main St., was named assistant director of the Pittsylvania County Service Authority last night. ...

Main St 1037

1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory	bsmt	Vacant Calisch, Louis H, physician
1977 Directory		Calisch, Louis H, physician
1984 Directory		Vacant
1990 Directory	a b c	Donelson, Martin Jr., physician Vacant Witcher, Kenneth Scott, Eunice
2015 Assessor	Not found	Part of 1035

Main St 1040

PID 21620



1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Not listed
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Not listed
1950 Directory		Not listed
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		Danville Urologic Clinic
1984 Directory		Danville Urologic Clinic
1990 Directory		Danville Urologic Clinic
2015 Assessor	Owner	DUC Real Estate LLC Danville Urologic Clinic

This address first assigned on completion of the Clinic in 1968.

Main St 1041

1888 Directory		Fowlkes, Alber S, bookkeeper - , William A, clerk (Farmers' Warehouse) Luck, Miss Addie Robertson, Allen C, tobacco leaf dealer
1890 Directory		Wilson, George N (Lyon & Wilson) Pinnix, Margaret, domestic (B) Simmons, Kizzie, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Renter Mother Sister Sister Niece Nephew	Campbell, Ben J, age 28 - Martha J, age 59, wid - Drucila D, age 20 Cheshire, Metie C, age 30 - Lulu, age 9 - Ben, age 6
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son Son Son Daughter	Lewis, W B, age 43, tobacconist - Maggie, age 40 - Claudie W, age 14 - William B Jr., age 12 - Warner M, age 8 - Charles W, age 5 - Elizabeth B, age 8/12
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Daughter Nurse Cook	McFall, Frank, age 39, druggist - Madge, age 34 - Tucker, age 11 - Frank Jr., age 2 - Madge, age 1 Jackson, Ruttie, age 65 (B) Williamson, Annie, age 35 (B)
1927 Directory		McFall, F B
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Daughter	McFall, Frank B, age 50, druggist - Madge V, age 45 - Frank B, age 13 - Madge V, age 11 - Jane B, age 8
1935 Directory		McFall, Frank B
1940 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Daughter Lodger	McFall, Frank B, age 59, value \$9,000 - Madge B, age 55 - Frank B Jr., age 23 - Madge B, age 21 - Jane B, age 18 Dix, Ruth H, age 28
1945 Directory		McFall, Frank B
1950 Directory		McFall, Frank B
1950 Census	Head Wife Lodger	McFall, Frank B, age 69, pharmacy clerk, retail drug - Madge V, age 65 Matthews, Louise P, age 29, math teacher, city schools

	Lodger Lodger	Holland. Margret C, age 29, business instructor, city schools Johns, Penultoma, age 27, librarian, city schools
1960 Directory		McFall, Frank B
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 11 Mar 1946: Sparks from a chimney which ignited leaves in a gutter resulted in firemen being called yesterday afternoon to the home of Frank B. McFall, 1045 Main Street. ...

Bee 19 Dec 1960: Frank Bell McFall Sr., the dean of Danville's corps of pharmacists, died at his home 1041 Main Street last night ... He was in his 80th year.

Register 12 Sep 1965: The Gabriella Garden Club will hold its opening business meeting ... in the home of Mrs. Frank B. McFall, 1041 Main Street. ...

Register 28 Oct 1966: Mrs. Madge Vass McFall died unexpectedly at her home, 1041 Main St., yesterday ... she was the wife of Frank B. McFall, who died Dec. 18, 1960. ...

Register 4 Dec 1966: Display Ad: Estate Sale ... 1041 Main Street ... Large spacious 2-story house, 5 bedrooms, 2½ baths and attic ...

Bee 13 Feb 1968: ... A special permit also is being sought ... to construct a doctors' office building at 1041 Main St. ...

Main St 1042

1900 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Servant Servant	Rosenstock, Isaac, age 44 - D Rosa, age 32 - Alber R, age 7 - E Rosa, age 4 Cunningham, Ed, age 30 (B) Leftwich, Dicie, age 49 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Son Daughter Servant Servant	Rosenstock, Isaac, age 48 - Dora, age 35 - Edwin , age 18 - Alice V, age 13 Harris, Mary, age 35 (B) Lea, Sweet, age 16 (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Servant	Rosenstock, Isaac, age 53, owner dry goods store - Dora R, age 48 - Edwin A, age 27, salesman dry goods store - Alice V, age 19 Slade, Mary P, age 17 (B)
1927 Directory		Rosenstock, Isaac
1930 Census	Owner Wife	Rosenstock, Isaac, age 68, value \$15,000 - Dora, age 52
1935 Directory		Jones, Della M Mrs. Whitlow, Ruth, nurse Pennelle, Eleanor, nurse Early, Kitty, nurse Dodson, Frances, nurse White Lucy Mrs., nurse Benton, Robbie Mrs., nurse
1940 Census	Owner Son-in-law Daughter Lodger Patient Patient	Jones, Ida A, age 62, value \$1,550 Praiter, Carter A, age 30 - Daisy J, age 27 Lenier, Howard S, age 71 Pierson, Lily W, age 90 Jackson, Thomas J, age 82
1945 Directory		Carter, James L
1950 Directory		Carter, James L
1950 Census	Head Wife Head – up Wife Head – dn Wife Son	Light, Julian N, age 41, salesman, wholesale grocery - Elnora, age 39, piano teacher, Averett college Carter, James L, age 40, supv of buyers, leaf tobacco - Mattie J, age 41 Hicks, Louis A, age 45, bookkeeper, auto sales - Christine H, age 36 - Jonathan A, infant
1960 Directory		Jordan, Evelyn Johnston, Ruth C Mrs. Reynolds, Virginia

1970 Directory		Johnston, Ruth C Mrs. Jordan, Evelyn J
1977 Directory		
1971 Survey		Rated Excellent
1984 Directory		Not listed
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

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Bee 30 Jan 1923: Wanted A Good Cook. Apply Mrs. I. Rosenstock, 1042 Main Street ...

Bee 5 Jan 1934: The Edmunds Hospital Alumni Association will meet ... with Miss Frances Ware, 1042 Main Street. ...

Bee 30 May 1938: Mrs. John Edward Jones, of Danville, announces the marriage of her daughter, Daisy Dell, to Robert Carter Pruitt ... Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt are making their home at 1042 Main street.

Bee 29 Jan 1940: Mrs. Charles G. Burton, 64, died at the home, 1042 Main Street Sunday afternoon ...

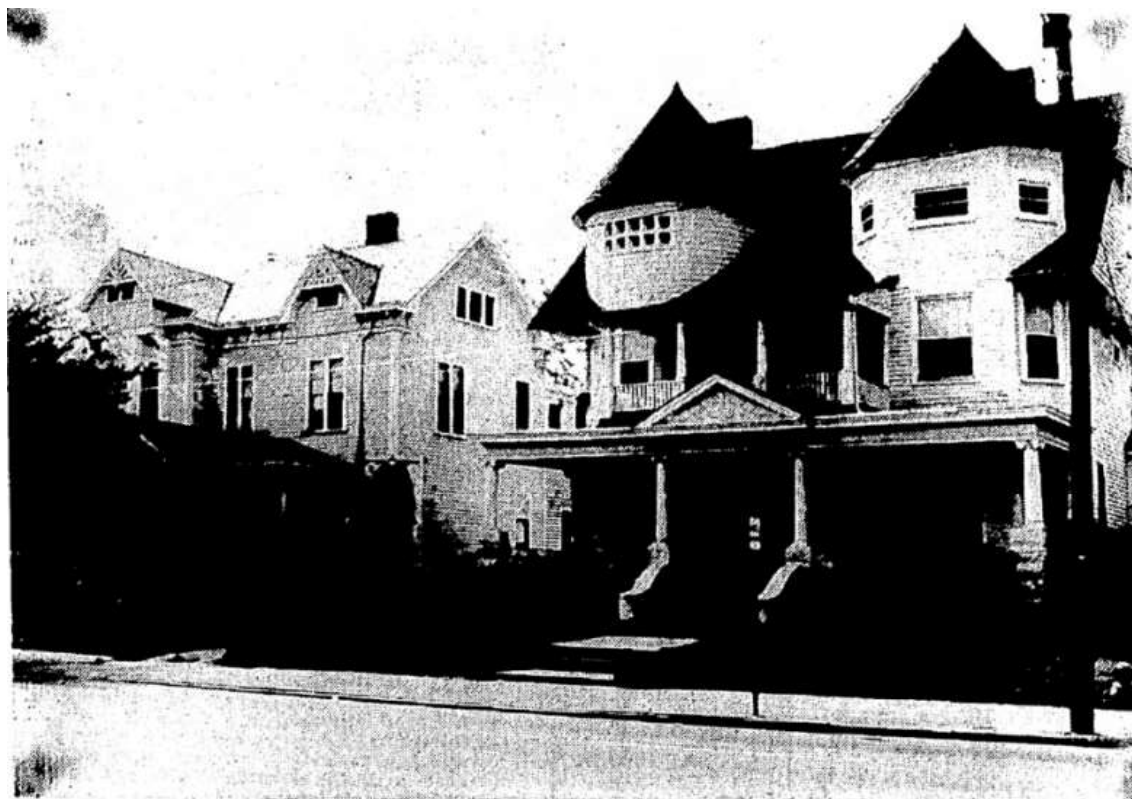
Bee 15 Feb 1946: Mrs. Della Jones, aged 72, died at her home, 1042 Main Street, last night ...

Bee 6 Dec 1946: Considerable damage resulted from a fire last night in a home located at 1042 Main street, which according to the report of Fire Chief John C. Long, was caused by spontaneous combustion. The large house was being modeled into apartments and was unoccupied at the time. ...

Register 7 Jun 1966: The funeral for Mrs. Janet Coleman Craddock, 92 ... Mrs. Coleman died unexpectedly ... at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edward W. Johnston, 1042 Main St. ...

Register 30 Nov 1968: Mrs. Lillian Bell Love, 1042 Main Street, was dead on arrival at Memorial Hospital last night. She was 67. ...

Bee 26 Jul 1972: Permits had been obtained Monday by Danville Urologic Clinic Professional Investment Corp. to raze two residences – 1042 and 1046 Main St. ...



19th Century Queen Anne Structures, 1042 and 1046 Main—Death Papers Signed

Main St 1043

1900 Census		
1910 Census	Owner Wife Boarder Boarder Servant Lodger	Sangston, E. P, age 65, retail jeweler - Martha C, age 36 Coalman, Ben C, age 25, electrician - Fannie, age 25 Witcher, Mable, age 25, cook (B) - Douglass, age 1 (B)
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Crowell, A B
1930 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Son Sister-in-law Moth-in-law	Crowell, A Bruce, age 48, general manager - Marie M, age 41 - Louise B, age 13 - A Bruce, age 8 Moore, Lorie H, age 36, bookkeeper, garage - Lucy D, age 67, wid
1935 Directory		Crowell, A Bruce
1940 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Son Mother Servant	Frizzell, Emmett G, age 31, rent \$45 - Mary M, age 27 - Mary L, age 8 - Patricia A, age 4 - Jack M, age 1 - Cora A, age 52, wid Ferrell, Lizie M, age 45 (B)
1945 Directory		Howard, Fannie C Mrs.
1950 Directory		Howard, Fannie C Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Sister Lodger	Howard, Fannie C, age 68, wid Covington, Sally R, age 66 Woodson, Elizabeth G, age 43, history teacher, city schools
1960 Directory		Howard, Fannie C Mrs.
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 4 Apr 1924: A colored gardener, clearing up land in the rear of the home of A. B. Crowell, 1043 Main street, ignited grass early yesterday afternoon. Two lots were burned over before the fire which resulted in a call to the department had been subdued.

Bee 18 May 1940: The principal award of the Cooking and Home Making School – a Magic Chef gas range donated by Clements, Chism and Parker – was presented to Mrs. C. A. Frizzell, 1043 Main Street.

Bee 8 Jan 1941: At the regular meeting of the Shakespeare Study Club this week ... will meet with Miss Sallie Covington, 1043 Main Street ...

Bee 18 Dec 1941: Deaconess Annie Tucker, who has been spending some time with relatives in Lexington, is arriving Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Turner Howard, 1043 Main St.

Bee 6 Dec 1952: Two-bedroom downstairs apartment. 1043 Main Street.

Bee 29 Mar 1956: Mrs. Beulah Lee Slaughter, of Culpepper, is visiting Mrs. Turner Howard, 1043 Main Street.

Main St 1045

PID 24140



1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Not listed
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Smith, Elvin F
1950 Directory		Smith, Elvin F
1950 Census	Head Wife	Smith, Elvin F, age 53, tobacco buyer - Emmie S, age 52
1960 Directory		Worsham, James P
1970 Directory		Neal, John J Jr., physician Koplen, Julian A, physician Cocke, R Wilford, dentist Osborne, Elbert P Jr., dentist Atkins, Samuel W Jr., physician
1977 Directory		Piedmont Medical Building Danville Medical Clinic Inc. Neal, John J Jr., physician Cocke, R Wilford, dentist Osborne, Elbert P Jr., dentist Atkins, Samuel W Jr., physician State Dept. of Vocational Rehabilitation
1984 Directory		Piedmont Medical Building
1990 Directory		Piedmont Medical Building
2010 Assessor	Transfer	Smith, Gene P to Holbrook, \$625,000
2015 Assessor	Owner	Holbrook, Richard S and Jane H Stratford Professional Center

Note: The original building here burned in late 1970 or early 1971.

Bee 8 Jan 1934: The regular quarterly meeting of the Edmunds Hospital Alumnae Association was held ... at the home of Miss Frances Ware, 1045 Main street.

Bee 9 Feb 1957: First Presbyterian circle No. 11 – Mrs. W. C. Heard, chairman, with Mrs. A. M. Rhett, 1045 Main Street. ...

Register 26 Aug 1962: ... the Joseph Gravely Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution ... Mrs. J. P. Worsham will be hostess at the pre-Christmas meeting at her home at 1045 Main Street ...

Register 1 Aug 1967: A field office of the Virginia Department of Vocational Rehabilitation has been opened here at 1045 Main St. ...

Register 14 Mar 1968: Display Ad: Dr. Samuel Atkins announces the removal of offices from Doctors Building to Piedmont Medical Center, 1045 Main St. ...

Register 31 Mar 1968: Dr. Wilford Cocke, a Gretna native, will open dental offices for the practice of orthodontia, Monday, in the Piedmont Medical Building, 1045 Main St. ...

Register 18 Jul 1971: Display Ad: B. R. Ashby, M.D. announces the opening of his office for the practice of psychiatry at 1045 Main Street ...

Register 16 Jul 1974: Dr. Danny W. Gnewikow, an audiologist, yesterday announced the opening of an office in the Piedmont Medical Building at 1045 Main St. ...

Main St 1046

1888 Directory	Rear	Fricker, James, jewelry, pianos, organs, and musical instruments - Miss Minnie V Jones, Tempy, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Whaley, Dr. Fred, physician Cole, Fannie, domestic (B) Hawkins, Henry, driver (B) Johnston, Dora, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Son Son Boarder Servant	Millner, Samuel, age 44 - E Jane, age 42 - Mary, age 14 - Annie R, age 13 - Samuel Jr, age 9 - Benjamin, age 5 Tinsley, C James, age 20 Yancy, Alice, age 23 (B)
1910 Census	Head Wife Son-in-law Daughter Granddau Granddau Servant	Bethell, William P, age 65 - Mary S, age 63 Canter, Austin W, age 38 - Maud, age 36 - Sarah W, age 6 - Susan B, age 4 McGee, Tishie, age 51 (B)
1920 Census	Renter Lodger Lodger Lodger Servant Servant	Hughes, Sallie H, age 47 Taylor, Richard W, age 25, secretary young mens business club - Sarah H, age 22 - Elizabeth A, age 7/12 Littlejohn, Susan, age 32 (B) Walker, Eula B, age 24 (B)
1927 Directory		Bethel, M S Mrs.
1930 Census	Owner Daughter Daughter	Withers, Daisy H, age 48, wid - Margaret, age 24 - Gertrude, age 12
1935 Directory		Withers, Daisy H Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner Sister Aunt	Southall, Eleanor T, age 47 - Albert M, age 45 Copper, Lilliam S, age 64
1945 Directory		Southall, Eleanor T
1950 Directory		Southall, Eleanor T
1950 Census	Head Sister Lodger	Southall, Eleanor, age 61, bookkeeper, rental and insurance - A Maude, age 60, secretary, church Riley, Richard P, age 25, surgical doctor, hopital
1960 Directory		Southall, Eleanor T Hagar, George M
1970 Directory		Southall, A Maude Hagar, George M

1971 Survey		Rated Excellent
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

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Bee 8 Dec 1923: Wanted – Good cook. Apply 1046 Main St.

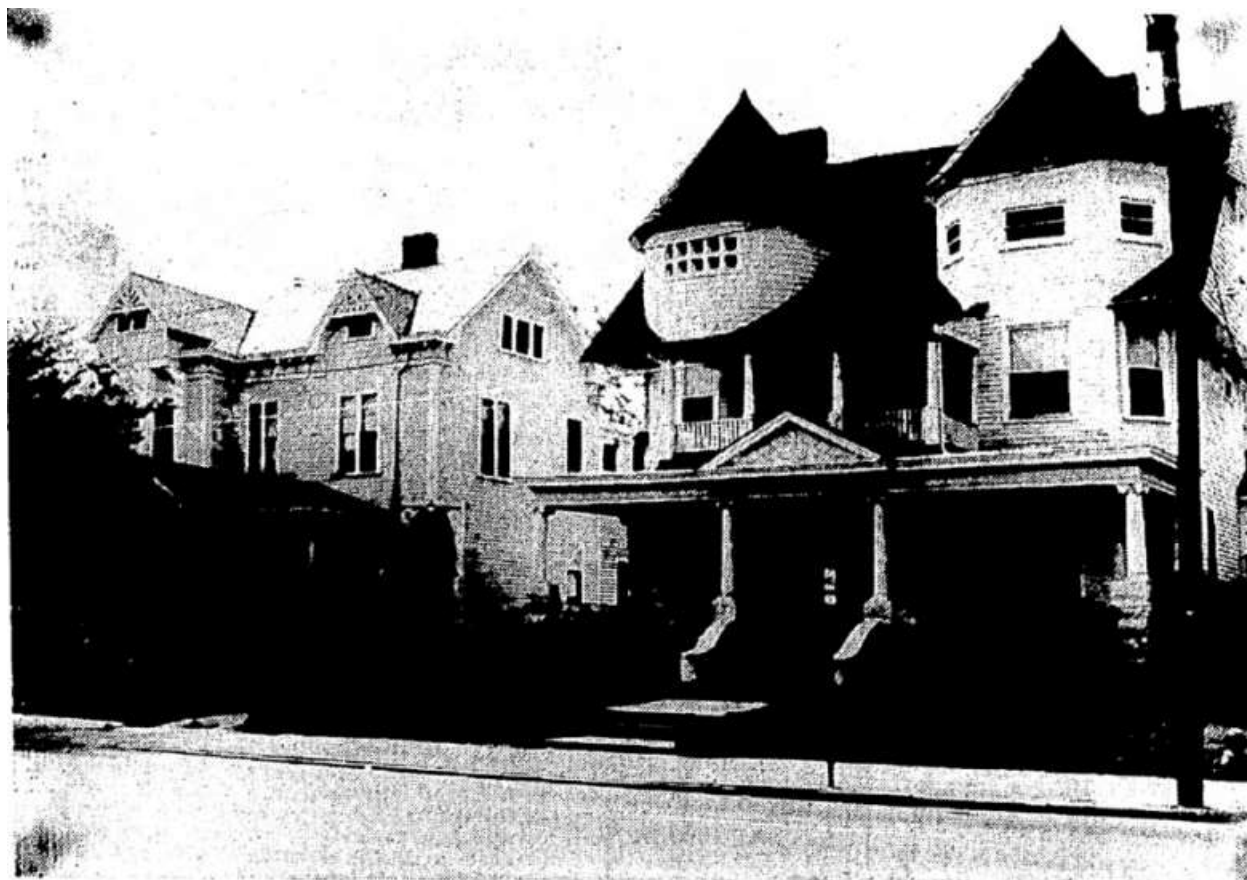
Bee 26 Jun 1929: Funeral services will be held tomorrow ... for Mrs. W. P. Bethel who died last night at her home, 1046 Main street ...

Bee 26 Apr 1930: The marriage of Miss Margaret Vernon Withers, daughter of Mrs. Eugene Withers and the late Mr. Withers, to Eppa Hunton Potts, son of Mrs. Eppa Hunton Potts and the late Mr. Potts ... will take place ... at the home of the bride ... After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Potts will be at home at 1046 Main street.

Bee 22 Feb 1939: Funeral services will be held ... for Mrs. Betty Ann Corbin Southall, widow of A. M. Southall ... The services will be conducted from the late residence, 1046 Main street ...

Bee 7 May 1945: Firemen were called this morning ... to the home of Misses Elinor and Maude Southall, 1046 Main Street, to extinguish a back porch blaze caused by hot ashes. ...

Bee 26 Jul 1972: Permits had been obtained Monday by Danville Urologic Clinic Professional Investment Corp. to raze two residences – 1042 and 1046 Main St. ...



19th Century Queen Anne Structures, 1042 and 1046 Main—Death Papers Signed

Main St 1050**Haskins-Meade House**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/1050-main-street/>

PID 21618



1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Companion	Beadles, E Preston, age 36 - A Belle, age 36 - Lillian, age 6 Foley, Mary, age 21
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Servant Servant	Beadles, Edward P, age 46 - Annie B, age 45 - Louise H, age 17 Palmer, Lucy, age 37 (Mu) - Odaris, age 8 (Mu)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Son Son	Meade, Randolph, age 49, buyer tobacco factory - Helen, age 39 - Fred, age 13 - Randolph, age 4
1927 Directory		Meade, Randolph
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Son	Meade, Randolph, age 57, value \$15,000 - Helen J, age 50 - Fred J, age 22 - Randolph, age 14
1935 Directory		Bass, George W
1940 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son Son-in-law Daughter	Patterson, Richard R, age 58, value \$15,000 - Mamie T, age 55 - Ednonia L, age 26 - William W, age 23 Bustard, Clarke, age 23 - Mamie P, age 21
1945 Directory		Patterson, Richard R
1950 Directory		Patterson, Richard R
1950 Census	Head Wife Daughter Moth-in-law Head Wife	Patterson, Richard R, age 70, magaer of buyers, leaf tobacco - Mamie T, age 68 - Edmonia L, age 36, secretary, leaf tobacco Thomas, Sally L, age 89, wid Cunningham, Stanley C, age 60, partner, printing - Elenora B, age 56
1960 Directory		Patterson, Richard R Ten-Fifty Shop notions
1970 Directory		Vacant

1977 Directory		Brumfield Studios Inc.
1984 Directory		Brumfield Studios Brumfield, R Wayne Landes, Ralph R
1990 Directory		Brumfield Studios Inc. Landes, Ralph R
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Danville Urologic Clinic to Addis, \$115,000
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Addis, Daniel to Etenesch, \$0 (Yene Fusion Café & Sushi Bar)
2020 Assessor	Owner	Etenesch & M LLC to JKCropp LLC, \$265,000

Times Dispatch 25 Jul 1903: The Virginia State Dental Association convened at the Homestead Hotel, Hot Springs ...The following officers for next year were elected: ... E. P. Beadles, Danville ... Executive Committee.

Times Dispatch 29 Jul 1906: Dr. E. P. Beadles, of Danville, has returned home after a visit to his father, the Rev. R. B. Beadles, of Twenty-second Street.

Time Dispatch 15 Jul 1908: ... Virginia State Dental Association ... Papers – “Do We Need a New Dental School?”- E. P. Beadles, Danville ...

Times Dispatch 29 Jan 1911: Mrs. W. T. Sanders, of Athens, is the guest of her brother, Dr. E. P. Beadles, Main Street.

Times Dipatch 2 Jun 1911: To The Editor: Sie, I saw in Sinday’s Times-Dispatch your statement in regard to fees charged by dental surgions ... E. P. Beadles, D.D.S., Danville

Times Dispatch 26 Apr 1914: Why We Have Such Wretched Teeth by Dr. E. P. Beadles ...

Bee 25 Apr 1923: Wanted: Cook and maid or butler. Apply 1050 Main St.

Bee 31 Jul 1923: Wanted – A good cook. Apply between 9:00 a.m. and 1p.m. to 1050 Main St.

Times Dispatch 18 May 1924: Danville Society in “Annual Frolic” ... The “annual Frolic” of the Wednesday After Club which each year terminates the season’s activities ... The twelve former presidents of the club were seated at a round table and were given the post of honor ... Seated with the president, Mrs. John Schoolfield, were Miss Auguta Bates, Mesdames W.T. Harris, E.P.Beadles, W.P. Boatwright, W.T. Paxton, Harrison Robertson, Rutherford Dula, A.B. Carrington, Sr., Archibald D. Keen, Rucker Penn.

Bee 27 Jan 1925: Mrs. R. R. King entertained at a tea yesterday afternoon at her home in Greensboro complimentary to Princess Gagarine. Mrs. John James, Princess Gagarine, Mrs. Randolph Meade and Miss Harriet James motored to Greensboro for the occasion, returning to Danville last night.

Bee 27 Jan 1925: Princess Serge Gagarine, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Harriet James for a few days, left for Richmond this morning accompanied by Miss James, Mrs. Randolph Meade and Mrs. S. R. Dula. The party made the trip in Mrs. Dula’s car and they will remain in Richmond with friends until Thursday, when Princess Gagarine will return to New York and Mrs. Dula, Mrs. Meade, and Miss James will return to Danville.

Bee 3 Feb 1931: \$25 Reward will be given for the return of a brown Gladstone suitcase, stolen from a car on Main street Simday night. Return to Fred meade, 1050 Main street.

Bee 20 Sep 1933: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stone, of Newport News, have arrived in Danville, where they will make their home at 1050 Main street.

Bee 26 Oct 1933: The Wayside Garden Club will meet Friday afternoon ... with Mrs. Leland Estes, 1050 Main street. ...

Bee 18 Jan 1934: Mrs. Ervene Stone has returned from Memorial hospital to her home at 1050 Main street.

Bee 24 Oct 1935: Wanted: Experienced Maid. Apply 2050 Main St.

Bee 9 Dec 1935: Wanted: Colored Girl to nurse baby. Apply 1050 Main St.

Times Dispatch 6 Jul 1936: Danville July 5 – Funeral services were held here this morning for Mrs. E. P. Beadles ...

Bee 4 Dec 1937: First Baptist Church circle No. 10. Mrs. Tom Gourley, leader, with Mrs. T. B. Thames, 1050 Main street.

Bee 29 Jul 1942: Mrs. Mary Patterson, 1050 Main Street, did not have Dan Valley Flour and lost \$5.00. Dan Valley Mills

Bee 27 Dec 1943: First Baptost Circle No. 3. Mrs. S. S. Hagar, leader, with Mrs. Thames, 1050 Main St.

Bee 8 Sep 1955: Colonial Stores Announcing the Grand Opening Prize Winners! ... Sheffield Carving Set – Mrs. R. R. Paterson, 1050 Main Street ...

Bee 8 Jun 1965: Miss Denise Ann Vanderwerff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Vanderwerff of 1050 Main St., received a Bachelor of Science degree from Barry College, Miami Shores, Fla. ...

Bee 10 Aug 1966: Graveside rites for Mrs. Mamie Patterson will be conducted this afternoon ... Mrs. Patterson died at her home, 1050 Main St. ... Her husband, Richard Raines Patterson, died April 22, 1961. ...

Register 3 Dec 1966: 2 Bedroom Apartment. Water furnished, 1050 Main St., \$125 per month.

Register 3 Jan 1967: Apartment for Rent: 1050 Main St., First Floor, 2 Br., extra large de and living room, heat furnished. Call Terry Ley ...

Bee 13 Aug 1970: Miss Mary Edmunds of Richmond is visiting her sisters, Misses Margaret and Katherine Edmunds, 1050 Main St.

Bee 17 Feb 1973: Display Ad: Open House. Brumfield Studios, 1050 Main Street ...

Livability 26 Sep 2012: Busines Owner Reinvent Historic Buildings in Danville, VA ... “In 2004, I came across an old home that was more than 100 years old and in great need of repair – so I repaired it,” says Nami Kim Addis, owner of Yene Fusion Café & Sushi Bar on Main Street. “I was attracted to the Victorian architecture of the homes in this part of Danville, and I wanted to open a restaurant where my customers could enjoy this beautiful atmosphere.”

Addis says Yene is an Ethiopian word meaning “mine and yours,” and much of her customer base consists of students from nearby Averett University.

“I wanted an interesting business for college students and professionals to hang out and relax in a home-like setting,” Addis says. “They can enjoy gourmet coffee and gourmet sandwiches, access wireless Internet and eat some excellent sushi – all in one of the most scenic areas of Danville.”



Main St 1051

1881 Directory		Penn, J L (Penn & Rison, also P C Penn & Co)
1888 Directory	Rear	Penn, John L (Penn & Rison) Bethel, Belle, cook (B) - Mary, domestic (B)
1890 Directory		Penn, J L (Penn & Rison, also P C Penn & Co) Bethel, Belle, domestic (B) - Mary, domestic (B) Mebane, William, butler (B)
1900 Census	Owner Wife Niece	Penn, John L, age 44 - Annie E, age 41 Bethell, Mary H, age 14
1910 Census	Owner Wife Servant Servant Servant	Penn, John Lee, age 53, tobacconist - Annie E, age 50 Town, John, age 22, butler - Robertia, age 15, cook Wilson, James A, age 33, coachman (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Nurse Head Wife	Penn, John, age 60 - Annie, age 55 Banks, Julia V, age 40 Hamelin, Thomas, age 76 - Lucy, age 62
1927 Directory		Mount Vernon Terrace (apartments)
1930 Census	Owner Renter Wife Son Son Daughter Renter Wife Daughter	Penn, John S, age 72, wid Guthrie, William V, age 43, tobacconist - Maude O, age 33 - William V, age 11 - David O, age 7 - Jean, age 1 Robinson, William M, age 38, tobacconist - Mary H, age 35 - Mary H, age 11
1935 Directory		Mount Vernon Terrace Haynesworth, Charles R Todd, Albert A Wimbish, Henry L
1940 Census	Owner Wife Renter Wife Son Mother Renter Sister	Yeatts, Willis C, age 68, value \$15,000 - Fanny E, age 66 Barnett, C Dillon, age 38, rent \$53 - Julet C, age 27 - Dollin C Jr., age 10/12 - Alma M, age 65, wid Holland, Margaret A, age 32, rent \$25 - Flora M, age 22
1945 Directory		Yeatts, Willis C
1950 Directory		Yeatts, Willis C

1950 Census	Head Wife Head Daughter Head Wife	Yeatts, Willis C, age 78, physician - Fannie E, age 75 Prillaman, Mary G, age 40, div, news writer, publishing co - Bettie S, age 13 Jordan, Matthew P, age 37, tobacco buyer supervisor - Frank S, age 33
1960 Directory		Yeatts, Fannie E Mrs. Jordan, Charles J Mellow, Julia M Mrs.
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 23 May 1909: Mrs. Hill Parsons, of Rockingham County, N.C., is visiting her sister, Miss Mary Hunter Bethell, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 18 Jul 1909: Miss Mary Bethell has returned from a delightful visit to New York and Long Island.

Times Dispatch 23 Apr 1911: Miss Mary Hunter Bethell is the guest of Mrs. John L. Penn, Main Street.

Bee 22 Sep 1922: For Sale at my residence, 1051 Main street, many useful household articles, which must be sold. John L. Penn. Phone 1611.

Bee 19 Jan 1923: For Rent – My duplex flat, Mount Vernon Terrace [apartments], No. 1051 Main, now nearing completion. Prospective tenants invited to inspect same. John L. Penn. Phone 1116.

Bee 3 Jul 1939: Display Ad: Auction Sale. Property of Estate of W. D. Bethel ... Apartment, 1051 Main Street, known as Mount Vernon Terrace – Three-apartment building, residence of late John L. Penn.

Bee 1 Feb 1940: The body of a man identified as Frank Gary, 1051 Main street, Danville, Va., was found beside his wrecked auto near Ashville [N.C.] ...

Bee 28 Feb 1942: Mosely Memorial circle 3. Mrs. James A. Johnson, leader ... with Mrs. W. C. Yeatts. 1051 Main Street.

Bee 5 Mar 1946: Dillon Barnett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Dillon Barnett, of 1051 Main Street, was host to a number of little friends yesterday ...

Bee 12 Jun 1950: Mr. and Mrs. Robbie L. Yeatts and three children who have been visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Yeatts at 1051 Main street, have returned to their home in Middletown, Conn.

Bee 12 May 1952: Charged with drunk driving, John James Dwyer, of 1051 Main St., was fined \$100 ...

Bee 29 Nov 1956: ... The drunk driving defendant who went free in the face of the analysis which showed no alcohol in his blood was Charles James Jordan of 1051 Main St.

Bee 22 Aug 1960: Charles James (Buster) Jordan, 56, died in Memorial Hospital this morning ... He was born in Danville on February 26, 1904, the son of the late Julian Clement Jordan and Mrs. Evelyn James Jordan. ... On April 5, 1923, he married Mary Dillard Harber ... the family will be at the residence, 1051 Main street.

Bee 20 Apr 1966: Building Inspector Stokes Daniel yesterday issued a permit to Dr. John J. Neal, Jr., and Dr. Juliam Koplen to build an office building at 1051 Main St.

Main St 1057

1888 Directory	Rear	Bethel, George W (Planter's National Bank) - William P (Miller & Co., also VP Planters' National Bank) McCain, Charles, bookkeeper Bassett, F, butler (B) Bushman, Al, coachman (B) Dotson, W, driver
1890 Directory		Bethell, G W (T C & J W Skinner) - Miss Jennie B - Willie, contractor - William P (pes Planters' National Bank, also Danville Mill Co) Walker, Eliza, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Renter Wife Daughter Daughter Boarder Rear Son Son Head Wife Son	Bethell, William P, age 55 - Mary I, age 53 - Maud T, age 29 - Sue M, age 19 Kerns, Grace M, age 27 Thompson, Emma, age 44, wid (B) - William, age 21 (B) - Judson, age 19 Grastey, Lewis, age 45 - Harret, age 30 David, age 11
1910 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Moth-in-law Sister-in-law Servant	Penn, Rucker, age 43, tobacconist - Cardelia, age 34 - Maggie W, age 7 Wills, Harry C, age 60, wid - Mary B, age 36 Carr, Nannie, age 31, wid, cook (B)
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Moth-in-law Sister-in-law	Penn, Rucker, age 52, leaf tobacco - Corderia, age 42 - Mayzie Willa, age 17 - Corderia R, age 7 Wills, Hariett C, age 75, wid - Mayzie, age 46
1927 Directory		Penn, R P
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Moth-in-law Sister-in-law	Penn, Rucker, age 63, tobacconist - Codilia, age 52 - Cordilia R, age 17 Wills, Harriett H, age 86, wid - Mazie W, age 58
1935 Directory		Penn, Rucker P
1940 Census	Owner Wife Sister-in-law Servant	Penn, Rucker, age 72, executive, tobacco co - Cordelia W, age 62 Wills, Mazie V, age 65 Amos, Robert, age 45, butler (B)

1945 Directory		Penn, Cordelia W Mrs.
1950 Directory		Gant, Mazie P Mrs.
1950 Census	Head Aunt Head Wife Head Wife	Gant, Mayzie W P, age 47, div Wills, Mayzie V, age 76 Edwards, Peter F, age 40, electrical engineer, railroad - Mary B, age 38 Smith, James L, age 34, bookkeeper, tobacco warehouse - Elizabeth M, age 28, bookkeeper, industrial plumbing co
1960 Directory		City Dept of Public Health
1970 Directory		City Dept of Public Health
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 21 Nov 1909: the Sans Souci was delightfully entertained at the residence of Mrs. Rucker Penn, on Main Street ...

Bee 3 Nov 1923: Mr. and Mrs. Green Penn, who are now making their home in Greensboro, N.C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rucker Penn, 1057 Main street, Danville, Va.

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Rucker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 16 Jun 1934: Mrs. Harriett Hogan Wills, one of Danville's oldest residents, died this morning at Memorial Hospital ... In her 90th year ... She was married to Clarence Whitman Wills ... she came to live with her daughter, Mrs. Rucker Penn ... The funeral will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rucker Penn, 1057 Main street ...

Bee 11 Sep 1942: Miss Cordelia Wills Gant, who underwent a tonsillectomy recently at Memorial Hospital, is convalescing at her home, 1057 Main Street.

Bee 5 Jan 1946: Episcopal circle No. 1, Mrs. Mayzie Wills Penn Gant, leader, will meet Mrs. Gant, 1057 Main Street ...

Bee 11 Sep 1950: Mrs. James S. Wilcox, of Charlotte, N.C., and Miss Jessamine Gant are spending this week with their mother, Mrs. Penn Gant, of 1057 Main Street.

Bee 11 Jun 1956: City Council ... a resolution to purchase from Mayzie Wills Penn Gant at 1057 Main St. for a consideration of \$40,000, which would make way for a proposed extension of Broad Street eastward ...

Bee 19 Feb 1957: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cooper and children, Steve, Alan, and Catherine, have moved here from Rome, Ga., and are occupying the residence at 1057 Main Street. Mr. Cooper recently joined Dan River Mills, Inc., as assistant comptroller.

Bee 14 Nov 1960: ... Attention was directed ... to the Tuberculosis Detection Center at 1057 Main St., which is open to the public Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for chest X-ray service.

Bee 26 Aug 1962: ... Public Health Department at 1057 Main St. ...

Register 17 Oct 1971: The old Danville Health Dept. Building at 1057 Main St. gather dust inside its many small rooms but the “new” ... building ... is the old Winslow Hospital structure on Betts St. ... [This was formerly the only hospital that cared for black patients.]

Bee 4 Nov 1971: City Council – Demolition of the city-owned residence at 1057 Main St., formerly occupied by the Health Department, and a slight widening of the adjacent portion of Rison St.

Main St 1100**Caswell Apartments**

PID 25031



1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Caswell Apartments
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Caswell Apartments
1940 Census		7 Units
1945 Directory		Caswell Apartments
1950 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
1960 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
1970 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
1977 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
1984 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
1990 Directory		Caswell Apartments (1-9)
2005 Assessor	Transfer	Lewis, Paul M to Stanton, David E & Cecila M, \$260,000
2019 Assessor	Transfer	Stanton, David E & Cecila M to NGM LLC, \$392,500
2022 Assessor	Trabsfer	NGM LLC to 2JK LLC, \$650,000

Bee 22 Mar 1971: Display Ad: Auction ... The Estate of Elizabeth G. Strange, The Caswell Apartments, 1100 Main Street. Located on the corner of Main and Broad Streets. This apartment consists of 13 units, 6 of which are two bedroom and 7 one bedroom units ...

Main St 1102

1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Servant Servant	Smith, T Joseph, age 45 - C Mary, age 36 - T Joseph Jr, age 5 - Robert, age 1 McGee, Sarah, age 70 Stewart, Martha, age 59
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Son	Gwynn, Rice, age 54, division manager tobacco co - Bertha S, age 46 - Mary e, age 20 - Rice Jr., age 18
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Notes: Possibly the Langhorne House before it was moved

Main St 1103

1888 Directory		Skinner, R P " T C (T C & J W Skinner) - W O
1890 Directory		Skinner, Miss Lulu - Robert P, tobacconist " T C (T C & J W Skinner) Tatum, Mrs. S A
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Renter Wife Son Son Son Servant	Evans, Charles G, age 44, professor, Randolph Macon Institute - Jessie M, age 48 - Charles G, age 12 - Upshur, age 7 - Karr S, age 6 Howell, Maggie, age 46 (B) 9 boarders, all teachers at R M I
1927 Directory		Evans, C J
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Son Servant	Evans, Charles G, age 54, insurance - Jessie M, age 51 - Charles G, insurance agent - Upshur I, age 18 - Ker Stewart, age 17 Murrill, Jacob, age 34 (B)
1935 Directory		Clark, Claud E
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Hammond, Araminta Mrs.
1950 Directory		Stratford College (annex)
1960 Directory		Stratford Hall
1970 Directory		Stratford Hall (Stratford College Dormitory)
1977 Directory		Vacant
1984 Directory		Vacant
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 1 May 1926: Wanted: A home for school girl for summer months in return for her services. Country preferred. Write Mrs. Charles Evans, 1103 Main street.

Bee 21 May 1927: Danville gardens in which roses are now blooming will be thrown open to the public on Monday ... Mrs. W. D. Overbey, 782 Main street ... Mrs. Ruker Penn, 1057 Main street; Mrs. Charles G Evans, 1103 Main street ... Mrs. O. W. Dudley, 926 Main street; Mrs. S. R. Dula, 936 Main street; Mrs. Raymond Hall, 912 Main street; Mrs. Lee Boatwright, 904 Main street ... Mrs. Walter Paxton, 815 Main

Bee 19 Sep 1936: First Presbyterian circle No. 1, Mrs. D. A. Overbey, leader, with Mrs. C. E. Clark, 1103 Main St.

Bee 8 Dec 1941: The Music Study Club will meet ... in the parlor of Stratford Hall, 1103 Main Street, the recently acquired residence building of Stratford College ...

Main St 1107

1900 Census		
1910 Census	Head Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Servant	Noell, Charles D, age 48 - Laura W, age 46 - Elizabeth, age 20 - Laura, age 15 - Hellen, age 12 - Deashols, age 9 Slade, Ella, age 35 (B)
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Vacant
1930 Census	Owner Wife Son Daughter Son	Clark, Claud E, age 47, supt. Cotton mill - Emily G, age 51 - Claude E, age 13 - Emily L, age 12 - Ernest A, age 11
1935 Directory		Thomas, Harry W Asbury, Roland D
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Hosking, Arthur R, chiropractor
1950 Directory		Stratford College (annex)
1960 Directory		Iris Hall
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Times Dispatch 22 Aug 1909: Miss Elizabeth Noell is visiting friends in South Boston for a few days.

Times Dispatch 21 Nov 1909: Mrs. Charles Noell and Misses Marion and Elizabeth Noell have returned from a trip to Atlanta in an automobile, where they attended the automobile races last week.

Times Dispatch 26 Mar 1911: Mrs. Edwin Buchanan Lyon, of Durham, N.C., is the guest of Mrs. Charles D. Noell, Main Street.

Times Dispatch 7 May 1911: Miss Elizabeth Noell has returned from a visit to Mrs. Joe Noell, in Winston.

Bee 7 Sep 1923: Mrs. E. B. Lyon, Mrs. Eric Johnson and Mrs. Austin H. Carr, all of Durham, are spending the week-end with their mother, Mrs. C. D. Noell, 1107 Main street.

Bee 13 Mar 1926: The funeral of Mrs. Laura Williamson Noell, wife of Charles D. Noell ... will be conducted ... from the family residence, 1107 Main street ...

Bee 7 Oct 1933: First Presbyterian circle 4. Miss Maitland Walker, leader, with Mrs. C. E. Clark, 1107 Main street.

Bee 28 Mar 1939: ... struck by an automobile driven by A. S. Carroll, 1107 Main street ...

Bee 20 Dec 1945: Mrs. A. B. Hosking of 1107 Main street reported a sled stolen ...



1107 MAIN ST.

Main St 1108

PID 21473



1890 Directory		Coleman, George E (Geo E Coleman & Co) Hunt, Miss Alice
1900 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Son Sister-in-law Servant	Coleman, George C, age 53 - Mary, age 48 - Maud, age 22 - Almeyda, age 18 - E David, age 17 Hunt, Martha, age 41 Lea, Francis, age 48 (B)
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Daughter	Coleman, George E, age 75 - Mary A, age 43 - Almeyda, age 37
1927 Directory		Price, T S
1930 Census	Owner Daughter	Coleman, George E, age 86, wid - M Alice, age 52 4 apartments
1935 Directory		Coleman, George E
1940 Census		4 Units
1945 Directory		Charlton Apartments (1-4)
1950 Directory		Charlton Apartments (1-4)
1950 Census	Head Wife Daughter Daughter Head – apt 1 Head – apt 3 Wife	Ferrell, Frank P Jr, age 42, assistant VP, leaf tobacco plant - Lois W, age 39 - Lois W, age 9 - India S, age 6 Moorefield, Estelle, age 47, registered nurse, private family Haley, Harry L, age 29, supt, department store - Elizabeth D, age 31, sales lady, department store
1960 Directory		College View Apartments (1-8)
1970 Directory		Under Construction
1977 Directory		Dentist Building Mayhew, Jessie W Jr., dentist Burnette, Bobby D, dentist Matney, Victor A, dentist McBride, Posey L Jr., dentist
1984 Directory		Dentist Building

		Mayhew, Jessie W Jr., dentist Burnette, Bobby D, dentist Matney, Victor A, dentist McBride, Posey L Jr., dentist
1990 Directory		Dentist Building Mayhew, Jessie W Jr., dentist Burnette, Bobby D, dentist Matney, Victor A, dentist Gnekos, Paul G, dentist McBride, posey L Jr., dentist
2001 Assessor	Transfer	Dental Building to Dental Building, \$364,500
2023 Assessor	Transfer	Dental Building of Danville LLC to 190 Watson Street LLC, \$355,000

Bee 6 Dec 1924: Wanted: An experienced cook for couple in small apartment. Apply 1108 Main street.

Bee 5 Feb 1925: ... both southside fire departments to the home of George E. Coleman, 1108 Main street where a shed roof on the rear was found to be on fire ...

Bee 25 Mar 1936: Auction Sales of the residence of the late George E. Coleman, 1108 Main Street, two extra lots in rear ...

Main St 1111**Stratford College**

PID 26233



1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		
1950 Directory		
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2014 Tour	Owner	Stratford House
2016 Assessor	Transfer	Stratford House Center Properties Inc. to MCAP Danville LLC, \$2,869,606

Tour Book 2014:

Echoes of the rich legacy of Stratford College, which closed 40 years ago, continue today on the former campus with Stratford House, a not-for-profit retirement community serving Danville, and well beyond, for nearly a quarter century.

Dominated by a three-and-a-half-story tower with a French Renaissance-style square dome, the front portion of "Old Main," with its monumental porch, commands attention as the signature of Stratford House, just as it did for the college beginning in 1883. It remains a vital survivor to an important architectural grouping at the head of Main Street.

Long a bastion of liberal arts education for women, Stratford traced its roots to antebellum Danville with the Danville Female College (1854). When, in 1883, it moved to the location across from Mt. Vernon Methodist Church then under construction, the Methodist-aligned school became the Danville College for Young Ladies. Trustees hired the noted Richmond architect Albert West to design the new academic building. T.B. Fitzgerald, contractor for many local landmarks, including nearby Mt. Vernon Church, oversaw construction of the T-shaped building. In 1910 the school, known at the time as Randolph-Macon Institute, replaced the early porch

with the present massive two-story portico with square Doric columns and balustrade, a design by Lynchburg architect Stanhope Johnson. Beginning in 1930 and until 1974, when this all-women's four-year institution closed due to declining enrollment and mounting debt, the school was known as Stratford College.

Thereafter, Danville's Memorial Hospital, long a neighbor of Stratford, acquired the property when it assumed the school's indebtedness. Using remnants of the old campus facing Main Street as its focus - the front of Old Main, plus Kennedy Hall - the hospital launched Stratford House in the late 1980s.

The facility opened as Danville's first-ever independent living community in 1990, with assisted living available the following year.

The tour includes a special Stratford College exhibit from the Danville Historical Society's Stratford Collection, plus other public rooms in the new buildings just behind historic Old Main. There, the tour highlights original parlors with lofty ceilings and handsome mantels, staircases, and other richly ornamental spaces glittering in holiday splendor.

Main St 1114

PID 23507



1888 Directory		Cosby, Charles M (J H Cosby & Bro) Olderman, J, cook (B)
1890 Directory		Cosby, Charles M (J H Cosby & Bro) Phillips, Ella, domestic (B)
1900 Census	Owner Son Daughter Son Daughter	Cosby, Willie R, age 62, wid - Charles M, age 16 - L Viola, age 13 - Henry T, age 12 - W R C, age 9
1908 Directory	Wife	Spencer, James, sec-treas Piedmont Hardware - Elizabeth
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Owner Daughter Daughter Servant	Harris, Malcolm K, age 28, lawyer - Kerr M, age 5 - Catherine M, age 1-3/12 Douglas, Martha (B)
1927 Directory		Harris, M K
1930 Census	Owner	Harris, Kerr M, age 64, wid, domestic relations judge
1935 Directory		Harris, Kerr M Mrs.
1940 Census	Owner	Harris, Kerr M, age 74, wid, juvenile court judge
1945 Directory		Harris, Kerr M Mrs.
1950 Directory	rear	Harris, Katherine McC Mrs. Keeling, Charles W Jr.
1950 Census	Head	Harris, Katherine M, age 56, wid
1960 Directory		McNeely, Robert E L, physician Scruggs, Minnie H Mrs. Gosney, Lester R
1970 Directory	rear	McNeely, Robert E L, physician Gosney, Lester R Collins, Margaret A Mrs.
1977 Directory	rear rear rear	McNeely, Robert E L, physician Gosney, Erma, A Mrs. Collins, Margaret A Mrs. Larus, Katherine Mrs.
1984 Directory		McNeely, Robert
1990 Directory		Vacant

		Danville Anesthesiologists clinic
1989 Assessor	Transfer	To Anesthesia Building, \$100,000
2011 Assessor	Transfer	Anesthesia Building to MJRW, \$50,000

Bee 4 Jan 1954: Display Ad: Change of Location. Moved from Masonic Temple to 1114 Main Street ...
Dr. R. E. L. McNeely ...

Bee 7 Jun 1954: The Grove Park Woman's Club will meet ... in the office of Dr. Robert McNeely, 1114
Main Street, with Mrs. McNeely as hostess ...

Bee 4 Dec 1971: L. R. (Dick) Gosney died in Memorial Hospital this morning ... Born in Danville, he was
the son of the late Wiliam Henry Gosney and Mary McDaniel Gosney. He was married to the former
Erma Adkins on Sept. 26, 1944, and they made their home at 1114 Main St. ...

Bee 23 Jun 1974: Miss Debra Elain Gosney, daughter of Mrs. Lester D. Gosney of 1114 Main St., and the
late Mr. Goney, and Robert Charnold Hicks ... were married ...

Main St 1118

1890 Directory		Schoolfiled, R A, treas Riverside Cotton Mills
1900 Census	Owner Wife Son Son Son Nephew Mother	Harris, William J, age 47 - M Kate, age 34 - T Malcom, age 13 - Marion, age 12 - William Nelson, age 8 - William Henry, age 8 - J Rebecca, age 71
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Owner Wife	Harris, Kerr M, age 54 - Catherine M, age 31
1927 Directory		Harris, W N
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Moth-in-law Servant Servant Servant	Harris, Malcolm K, age 42, lawyer - Katherine, age 38 - Kerr M, age 15 - Katherine M, age 11 - Lilly M, age 8 - Jude M, age 5 McClung, Lelia G, age 62 Jones, Rosa, age 24, cook (B) Taylor, Jennie, age 26, maid (B) Lee, Russell, age 20, age 20, nurse (B)
1935 Directory		Patterson, Richard R
1940 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Servant	Leigh, Henry C, age 54, corporation court judge - Nancy G, age 46, private school secretary - Henrienne, age 15 Lee, Pauline, age 37, maid (B)
1945 Directory		Haley, Everett E
1950 Directory		Haley, Everett E
1950 Census	Head – 1 fl Wife Son Daughter Head – bsmt Wife Head – 2 fl Wife Head – 2 fl Lodger Head – 3 fl Sister	Haley, Everett, age 47, projectionist, theater - Ada S, age 45 - George, age 20, helper, service station - Mildred M, age 23 Haley, Preston J, age 28, barber - Margie M, age 24 Ernest, Allen W, age 27, manager, wholesale produce - Beulah, age 30, bookkeeper, wholesale produce Doar, Josiah, W, age 26, operations supv, textile mill Nimokis, David R, age 25, trainee, textile mill Ferrell, John H, age 48, mechanic, hospital Basinger, Margaret F, age 43, secretary, city
1960 Directory		Hinton, Annie L
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		

1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Bee 2 Dec 1936: Display Ad: Auction Sale ... This is the well-arranged, commodious home of Mr. Malcolm K. Harris, No. 1118 Main Street. ... First Floor: Reception hall, unusually large living room, library, sun parlor, dining room, breakfast room, butler's pantry, and kitchen. Second floor: Four bedrooms, dressing room, sleeping porch, three tile baths, ample clothes closets. Third Floor: Three bedrooms, tile bath, storage room, ample clothes closets. The basement is cemented and there are two steam-heated servants' rooms on the premises. ...

Bee 23 Jun 1941: Mrs. Thompson McClung is spending the week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Pierce Daves, 1118 Main Street.

Bee 10 Feb 1944: 3 room unfurnished apt. Steam heat. 1118 Main St. Call 728-W.

Bee 24 Dec 1947: Miss Mildred Haley, of Madison College, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haley, 1118 Main Street.

Bee 8 Jun 1955: For Rent: Two Furnished Bedrooms, best location, 1118 Main Street, Danville. Write Mrs. Everett Haley, P.O. Box 266, Chatham, Va.

Bee 21 Jul 1960: Mrs. Lorraine Smith Norman and Russell Lee Edwards, both of this city, will be married Saturday ... A reception will follow in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Bradshaw, 1118 Main Street. ...

Main St 1118-½

1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Not listed
1930 Census		
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Not listed
1950 Directory		Not listed
1950 Census		
1960 Directory		Collins, Margt Mrs. Scearce, Neda Mrs.
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Main St 1119

1881 Directory		The Danville College for Young Ladies
1900 Census		
1910 Census		
1920 Census		
1927 Directory		Randolph-Macon Institute
1930 Census		
1935 Directory		Stratford College
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Stratford College
1950 Directory		Stratford College
1960 Directory		
1970 Directory		
1977 Directory		Vacant
1984 Directory		
1990 Directory		
2015 Assessor		Not found

Main St 1124**R. Addison Schoolfield House**

<https://oldwestendva.com/blog/r-a-schoolfield-and-his-homes/>

PID 20970



1900 Census	Owner Daughter Boarder Boarder Servant	Pace, Id, R Arthur, age 47 - Catherine B, age 9 Penn, J Pemberton, age 23 - N Cummings, age 24 Brown, William H, age 24 (B)
1910 Census		
1920 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Step-dau Step-son Servant	Schoolfield, Robert A, age 66, president cotton mills - Sadie V, age 46 - Bland, age 28 Van Wagenen, Elizabeth V, age 23 - Frederick, age 21, machinist cotton mill Gunn, Belle, age 65 (B)
1927 Directory		Schoolfield, R A
1930 Census	Owner Wife Daughter Stepdau Stepson	Schoolfield, R Adison, age 76, chairman, cotton mill - Sadie V, age 55 Church, Bland S, age 39 Van Wagner, Elizabeth V, age 34 Van Wagner, Fred, age 32, bookkeeper, cotton mill
1935 Directory		Schoolfield, Sadie V Mrs.
1940 Census		
1945 Directory		Vacant
1950 Directory		Church, Howard W
1950 Census	Head Wife	Church, Howard W, age 69 - Bland S, age 60
1960 Directory		Church, Howard W
1970 Directory		Church, Howard W
1977 Directory		Church, Bland Mrs.
1984 Directory		Ashby, B R, psychiatrist
1984 Tour		Dr. and Mrs. B.R. Ashby
1990 Directory		Ashby, B R, psychiatrist
2014 Tour	Owner	Fran Pryor Ashby
2015 Assessor	Transfer	Ashby, Mary Pryor to Fontaine, Vernon J & Nancy C, \$360,000

R. A. Schoolfield Biography (King): Following thwir marriage in 1885, R. A. and Annie (France) Schoolfiled purchased ... a vacant lot on the northwestern side of Main Street ... Five years later in 1890 the Schoolfields commissioned R. B. Graham & Bro. to design and build a home. It was copleted the following year. Afterwards, in 1894, the were able to purchase an adjoining lot ...



Times-Dispatch 9 Jan 1910: Mrs. Robert Addison Schoolfield was the guest of honor at an informal tea ... given by Mrs. R. B. James.

Times-Dispatch 6 Feb 1910: Miss Frank Hanes, of Winston, and Miss Madge Vass are visiting Miss Bland Schoolfield.

Times-Dispatch 19 Jun 1910: Miss Bland Schoolfield will spend the summer in Europe.

Times-Dispatch 28 Aug 1910: Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield is at Patrick Springs.

Times-Dispatch 23 Apr 1911: Mr. and Mrs. R. Addison Schoolfield are spending some time in New York.

Times-Dispatch 15 Oct 1911: Miss Madge Vass and Miss Bland Schoolfield have gone to Winston, N.C., where they will be among Miss Frank Hames's bridesmaids ...

Bee 20 Oct 1923: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield have their neices, Misses Bland Koger and Elsie Van Wagenen, of Chatham Episcopal Institute, as guests this week-end.

Bee 21 Aug 1925: The marriage of Miss Bland Schoolfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield, to Dr. Howard Wadsworth Church, of Meriden, Conn., which was celebrated yesterday ... at the home of the bride's parents, on Main street ...

Bee 17 Sep 1925: R. A. Schoolfield, who suffered a serious fall yesterday on the side lawn of his home ... Mr. Schoolfield had on leash two powerful German police dogs. A passing cat caused both dogs to bound toward the feline ...

Bee 28 Sep 1927: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield left yesterday by motor for Easton, Penn., to visit Dr. and Mrs. Howard W. Church.

Bee 5 Jan 1931: Mrs. Howard Church, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield, has returned to her home in Easton, Pa.

Bee 26 Oct 1931: The crash of looms in the Riverside and Dan River mills was stilled for half a day this morning as a mark of mourning in the death of R. Addison Schoolfield, co-founder of the textile enterprise who died at his Main street home ...

Bee 15 May 1933: The Danville Art Club will meet Tuesday with Miss Elizabeth Van Wagenen at her home, 1124 Main street ...

Bee 13 Dec 1934: The annual business meeting of the Danville Art club will be held ... at the home of Miss Bessie Van Wagenen, 1124 Main street.

Bee 7 Feb 1940: The last of the neighborhood prayer meetings conducted through Main Street Methodist church will be held in the following homes ... Mrs. R. A. Schoolfield, 1124 Main street ...

Bee 17 Apr 1944: Funeral services for Mrs. Sadie Vass Schoolfield were conducted from the residence, 1124 Main Street ...

Bee 14 Apr 1971: Final rites for 89-year-old Howard W. Church will be conducted ... at the residence at 1124 Main St. ... In 1925 he married the former Catherine Bland Schoolfield of Danville, who survives him, and they had made their home here since 1941. ...

Bee 29 Jul 1977: Display Ad: B. R. Ashby, M.D., announces the relocation of his office for the practice of psychiatry to 1124 Main Street ...

1984 Tour Book:

Each of three Schoolfield brothers -- John, James, and Addison -- built homes on Main Street, a measure of the prosperity they fostered locally when in 1882 they founded the textile mills that became Dan River, Inc. The house at 1124 Main Street was the last of the three to be built, in 1911 for the youngest brother, Robert Addison Schoolfield. A native of Henry County, Virginia

like his brothers, Ad Schoolfield first observed Southern textile operations while recovering from a lengthy illness in Columbus, Georgia. Upon his return to Virginia, he persuaded his brothers in Danville to begin the textile venture that continues to flourish over a century later. He was Dan River's first secretary-treasurer and later became its president -- a powerful and energetic promoter of the industry until his death in 1931.

Following his marriage to Annie Redd France in 1885, he acquired from E.B. Withers a lot near where Main and South Main Streets merge and had a house built in 1890. This first house, a brick Victorian structure with a corner tower, was replaced in 1910-11 by the present massive stucco-over-solid-brick dwelling. Designed by Charles Pettit of McLaughlin, Pettit and Johnson, of Danville and Lynchburg, Schoolfield's second residence has vaguely Chinese or Spanish details, but its horizontal lines and broad projecting eaves ally it with the midwest Prairie School designs of Frank Lloyd Wright.

Until recent years the house remained the residence of a Schoolfield daughter, Bland Schoolfield Church, who survived her husband Howard Church by many years before her death in 1976. When plans to convert the house to a residence for adults (to be endowed by Mrs. Church) proved unfeasible, the property was sold to Dr. and Mrs. B.R. Ashby.

The owners and their three young daughters make full use of the house, which also provides office space for Dr. Ashby's medical practice. The interior, now beautifully refurbished throughout, is noted for its spaciousness and fine proportion, its exceptional Classical Revival details in decided contrast to the non-classical exterior. Original interior finishing materials are of the highest quality -- cypress window frames, solid mahogany pocket doors, parquet floor, fireboxes surrounded by Italian marble, and dining room walls that retain their original fresco paintings. In addition to the antiques and accessories the owners have collected, the Ashbys also inherited a portrait of Ad Schoolfield, now hanging in the hall, that Mrs. Church specified in her will remain in the house.

Tour Book 2014:

In just over a century, only two families have occupied this distinctive mansion at the head of Main Street. Its origins reflect the exuberant prosperity of Danville's early 20th century textile boom.

Each of the three Schoolfield brothers - John, James and Robert Addison (Ad) - who founded the textile mills that became Dan River Inc., built homes on Main Street. The house at 1124 Main Street was the last of the trio - built for Ad Schoolfield, the youngest brother who first became intrigued with the potential for Southern textiles while recovering from a long illness in Columbus, Georgia. Upon his return home, Ad Schoolfield enlisted his brothers and three more investors to launch a mill that expanded into the textile powerhouse that flourished in Danville for 125 years. As Dan River's first secretary-treasurer, and later its president, he became an industry leader until his death in 1931.

Ad Schoolfield acquired the lot where this house eventually was built from E.B. Withers, not long after marrying Annie Redd France in 1885. Here in 1890, facing the "triangle" where Main

Street forks to become South and West Main, his contractors built a tall, narrow red-brick Victorian house with a corner tower.

As Schoolfield's fortunes rose, he replaced this first house with the present massive stucco-over-brick dwelling in 1910-11. Designed by Charles Pettit of McLaughlin, Pettit and Johnson, of Danville and Lynchburg, Schoolfield's second residence sports vaguely Spanish (or even Chinese) details, but its horizontal lines and broad projecting eaves ally it with the Prairie School designs of Frank Lloyd Wright.

The house sheltered members of the Schoolfield family for some 65 years - descending last to a daughter, Bland Schoolfield Church. When, following her death in 1976, Mrs. Church's plans to convert her former home to a residence for adults proved unfeasible, the property was sold to Dr. and Mrs. B.R. Ashby.

Before Dr. Ashby's death last year, he and his wife and daughters made this house not only a comfortable family home for some 35 years, but also adapted some of its handsome square-footage as office space for Dr. Ashby's medical practice. Beautifully refurbished, the interior, especially, is noted for its spaciousness and fine proportion, with exceptional Classical Revival details in decided contrast to the Foursquare exterior. Original fittings and finishes are highest quality - cypress window frames, solid mahogany pocket doors, parquet floors, fireboxes surrounded by Italian marble, and a dining room with a coffered ceiling and the original fresco paintings. In addition to antiques and accessories the owners collected, they also "inherited" a portrait of Ad Schoolfield that Mrs. Church specified in her will remain with the house.