55 South Main Street



West side of street

The cement block building which is on this site today was built about 1956/57 for use as the "Village Clinic".

Historically, there was a building of some kind on this site from the late 1850s until the late 1880s. The 1872 map of the Village has a square footprint on this site, owner William Axford. However, the declining assessed values of the property from 1883 to 1891, when the assessed value was only $50, indicate the lot became vacant (as seen in a photo in Heritage, pg.58) when the property was part of Dr. Clark Sutherland's house lot.

Official Property Description

- Lot 4 Block 26 of Nelson W. Clark's Original Plat of the Village in the Southwest 1/4 of Section 20 of Independence Township.
- Lot 70 of the Assessor's Plat.

Significant Property History

- 1847 Sally Whitney, Lot 4 Block 26, assessed value $35.
- 1848 Sarah Ann Whitney, Lot 4 Block 26, assessed value $80. (David Judson Lot 4 Block 26, assessed value $65.)
- 1849 Sarah Whitney, Lot 4 Block 26, assessed value $65.
- 1850 Sarah Whitney/Whiting, Lot 4, assessed value $65.
- 1855? Fred Case, Lot 4, assessed value $260.
- 1857 Sarah Whitney, assessed value $250.

- 1861 Sarah Whitney, assessed value $250.
- 1872 Map of the Village, see W. Axford, footprint of a building.
- 1875 Wm. Axford, Lot 4 Block 26, assessed value $200.
- 1876 Mrs. Hellen (?) Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $200.
- 1878 Wm. Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $200.
- 1880 William Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $400.
- 1883 William Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $300.
- 1884 William Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $250.
- 1885 William Axford, Lot 4, assessed value $150.
- 1891 S. H. Albertson, Lot 4, assessed value $50.
- 1900 Mrs. O. Jacox, Lot 4, assessed value $50.
- 1914 C. J. Sutherland, Lots 4, 5, & 6.
- 1924 C. J. Sutherland, Lots 4, 5, & 6, assessed value $3800.
- 1938 C. J. Sutherland, Lots 4, 5, & 6, assessed value $3800.
- 1952 Genevieve Green, Lot 70, assessed value $400.
- 1954 Genevieve Green of Pontiac, Lot 7.