

Site #8

For Office Use

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# BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

Michigan History Division  
Michigan Department of State  
Lansing, Michigan 48918

## IDENTIFICATION

- 1. Building name Squier Home/ Edwin Clark Home
- 2. County Oakland Town/City \_\_\_\_\_ Village Clarkston
- 3. Street Location 52 North Main Street
- 4. Ownership: a. Public  b. Private
- 5. Present Owner Mr. & Mrs Bryan Prucher Address 52 North Main Street
- 6. Use: Original Summer Home Present Residence
- 7. Accessibility to Public: Exterior visible from public road: Yes  No   
Interior accessible: Explain Private

## DESCRIPTION

- 8. Building Material a. clapboard  b. stone  c. brick  d. board and batten   
e. cobblestone  f. shingles  g. stucco  h. other \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Structural Material a. wood frame with interlocking joints  b. wood frame with light members (balloon frame)   
c. masonry load-bearing walls  d. iron frame  e. steel frame with curtain walls   
f. reinforced concrete  g. other \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. Condition a. excellent  b. good  c. fair  d. deteriorated
- 11. Integrity a. original site  b. moved  if so, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Notes on alterations and additions, with dates and architect.

1969 - Porch on rear of house was remodeled and 12' high groined arches were added.

## 12. Related Outbuildings and Property

- a. barn  b. carriage house  c. garage  d. privy  e. shed
- f. shop  g. greenhouse  h. landscape features  i. other \_\_\_\_\_

## 13. Surroundings of the Building

- a. open land  b. woodland  c. scattered outbuildings  d. densely built-up
- e. commercial  f. industrial  g. residential  h. other \_\_\_\_\_

## 14. Photo

## 15. Map

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16. **Interrelationship of Building and Surroundings** In a residential area of Greek Revival and Colonial, this home tends to the Victorian era. Home is located on Main Street in the Village on the west shore of Parke Lake

17. **Other Notable Features of Building and Site**

18. **Threats to Building**

- a. none known     b. zoning     c. roads     d. developers     e. deterioration   
f. other \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNIFICANCE** (Indicate sources of information for all statements)

19. **Architectural Significance**

Date of Construction c. 1884 Architect \_\_\_\_\_

Builders, suppliers, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

Notes on original plan and specifications: Edwin M. Clark built one-half of 52 N. Main. There was 1" siding or sheeting both inside and outside of the studs and 1" lath. They had expected to build another half to the house, but it was used just for a summer home.

20. **Historical Significance:**

Built by great-grandson of Jeremiah Clark, co-founder of Clarkston.

21. **Sources** (for primary and secondary sources, give complete facts of publication: author, title, place of publication, date):

Tax Assessment Books - Village Hall, 25 S. Main Street, Clarkston, Mich. 480  
Mrs. Carma Squier Rolli - Fort Lauderdale - a former owner

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