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House
810 Main Street
Columbia
Monroe County
Illinois

PHOTOGRAPHS

Written Historical and Descriptive Data

HOUSES IN COLUMBIA
810 Main Street
Columbia, Monroe County, Illinois

Owner. Anna Ferkel.

Date of Erection. About 1843.

Architect. No record.

Builder. A Mr. Steffenhaver.

Present Condition. Well preserved and unchanged.

Number of Stories. One and one-half.

Materials of Construction. Stone foundations, brick exterior walls, standing seam tin roof. Pine framing, floors, and trim. Interior partitions plastered on wood studs. 2 x 4 roof rafters.

Other Existing Records. None.

Additional Data. The thrifty, economical, Germans of this early settlement combined their efforts and resources even to the point where they erected this building to house two families. This structure is of small proportions, yet practical. It cannot rightly claim more than a one story characteristic, as the attic portion, without dormers, offers little usefulness. The general design and skill pictured in its construction speaks well for the artisan.

Reference: Anna Ferkel.

(Approved)

Wm. E. Lundeen
District Officer

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