

Frederick Plummer House
1242 South Front Street
Camden, Camden County, New Jersey

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Owners: Mrs. Annie M. Park, Mrs. William E. Numbers,
and Joseph E. Maull

Date of Erection: About 1818

Architect:

Builder: Frederick Plummer

Present Condition: Fair

Number of Stories: Two and one-half

Materials of Construction: Foundation - stone

Exterior walls - stone stuccoed

Interior walls - plaster

Inside brick chimneys

Roof - pitch

Historical Data:

On March 24, 1818 Frederick Plummer, minister of the gospel, bought a lot known as Lot #8 from Joseph Kaighn for two hundred and fifty dollars. Three years later he bought Lot #9 adjoining for the same price. The house was built upon Lot #8. In 1825 Frederick Plummer sold to Richard M. Cooper for twenty-five hundred dollars the two lots and house. Four years later, Cooper sold to Benjamin Springer for seventeen hundred and fifty dollars. In 1853 Springer sold to William Champion for

thirty-five hundred dollars. His heirs sold to John Mauld in 1859 and the property has remained in the Mauld family since that date. The present owners are the children of John Mauld.

Bibliography:

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