

EDGEWOOD FARM, FOUR-ROOM TENANT HOUSE  
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Clover Vicinity  
Halifax County  
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SIGNIFICANCE: This early 20th-century tenant house is a contributing element of Edgewood Farm.

DESCRIPTION: This one-story, side-gable dwelling contains four rooms, each about 14' square, grouped around a central chimney with stove thimbles for each room. A bathroom and screened porch are located in a lean-to section along the north (rear) wall. The clapboards of the addition were notched to fit over the clapboards of the main block, suggesting that the addition post-dates the primary construction. The house rests on concrete block footings with plank skirting around the crawl space. Rafter tails are exposed below the eaves of the seamed metal roof, and the brick chimney has an arched top. The front door, centered in the south elevation, has a glazed upper section with three long, vertical lights, with three horizontal panels below. Windows with 6/6 wooden double hung sash set in flat plank surrounds with drip shelves flank the door. Two similar windows are located in both the east and west walls, and one is located in the east half of the north wall. All the rooms of the house are finished with drywall, flat window and door surrounds and flat baseboards. Light fixtures are centered in the ceiling of each room.

HISTORY: The precise date of this tenant house is not known. The general character and materials suggest it was built in the 1920s or 1930s.

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