



OHIO HISTORIC INVENTORY

RPR Number:

1. No. LOR-02041-21
4. Present Name(s) Gilbert House
2. County Lorain
5. Historic or Other Name(s) Mitro-Morehead-Turner House
6. Specific Address or Location 92 King
19a. Design Sources
35. Plan Shape Rectangular
6a. Lot, Section or VMD Number 900086112034
21. Building Type or Plan Ranch
7. City or Village Oberlin
22. Original Use, if apparent Single Dwelling
9. U.T.M. Reference
23. Present Use Single Dwelling
10. Classification: Building
24. Ownership Private
11. On National Register? NO
25. Owner's Name & Address, if known Michael P. & Tammy M. Gilbert
13. Part of Established Hist. Dist? NO
26. Property Acreage 0.31
15. Other Designation (NR or Local)
27. Other Surveys
16. Thematic Associations: World War II, Gas, COMMERCE
17. Date(s) or Period c. 1956
17b. Alteration Date(s) Unknown
18. Style Class and Design Dominant Modern Movements
18a. Style of Addition or Elements(s)
19. Architect or Engineer
32. Roof Type Gable
33. No. of Bays 3 Side Bays 2
34. Exterior Wall Material(s) Brick
35. Plan Shape Rectangular
36. Changes associated with 17/17b Dates: 17. Original/Most significant construct
17b. Some alteration
37. Window Type(s) 1 over 1
38. Building Dimensions 37' x 38'
39. Endangered? NO
40. Chimney Placement Off center within roof surface
41. Distance from & Frontage on Road 40'
51. Condition of Property: Good/Fair
52. Historic Outbuildings & Dependencies Structure Type Garage
Date Historic
Associated Activity
53. Affiliated Inventory Numbers Historic (OHI)
Archaeological (OAI)

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42. Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Continued on Reverse if Necessary)
This small, one-story home is an example of modern movements in architecture, and representative of the post-World War II housing boom that the United States experienced. The exterior of the house is covered with a brick veneer, with the exception of the side gables and the addition, which are covered in aluminum siding. At the front/east facade, the northeast corner is recessed, allowing for entry to the house. Within the entry, a 1/1 double hung window faces east and a door faces north. Near the center of the east elevation, a large window has 1/1 double hung windows flanking it; this set of three windows is slightly recessed. To the left of this window unit, in the roof, the brick chimney is notable because of its heavy massing. A 1/1 double hung window is at the left corner of the facade. At the north elevation, just to the right of the corner entry, a pair of 1/1 windows is double hung. A smaller 1/1 double hung window is near the center of the elevation. At the far right, an addition with aluminum siding has a small 1/1 double hung window. At the south elevation, the original portion of the house has 1/1 double hung windows at the left and right corners. continued...

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43. History and Significance (Continue on Reverse if necessary)
This house was built between 1948 and 1956, according to city directory research. John W. Mitro and his wife Eleanor were the first known residents in 1956. They were listed here that year with one child, although they later had three sons altogether. John had served in the Air Force during WWII and was a past commander of the American-Legion Post 102 in Oberlin. After they moved from Oberlin, John became a records analyst for Columbia Gas of Ohio. There was no listing for this address during 1961. The next known occupants were Paul E. and Vera T. Morehead in 1970. Paul was listed as the president of Morehead Sparkle Market and was listed as living here through 1986. Brent and Ruth Turner were the residents of the house from 1986 through 2000. Brent was a computer repair technician continued...

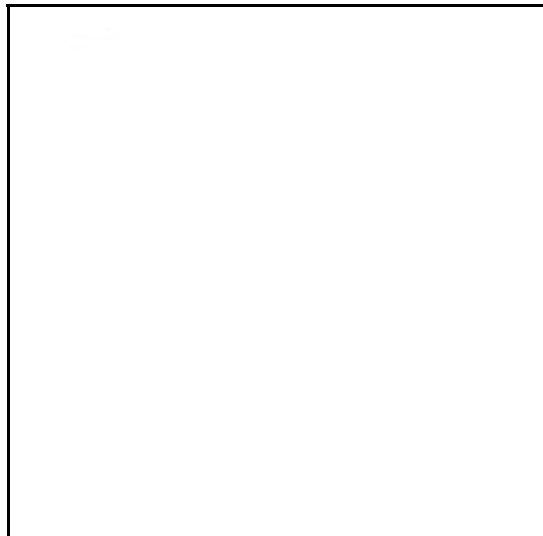
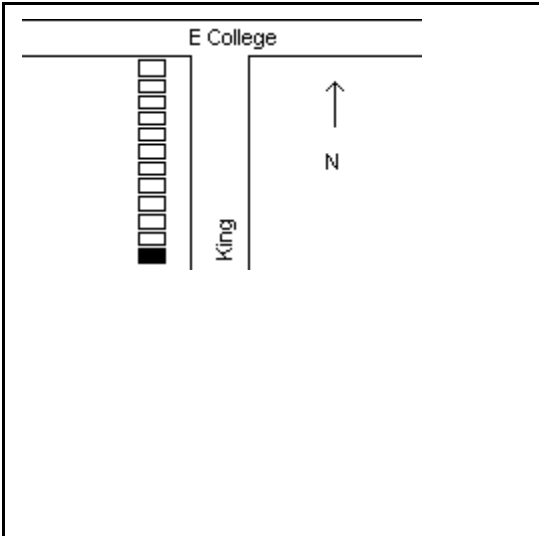
44. Description of Environment and Outbuildings (See #52)
The house includes a detached, historic garage, which has a shed roof and clapboard siding. This house is located on a residential street, on a cul-de-sac, which receives little traffic.

45. Sources of Information
O-High Alumni, Internet, http://www.oberlin-high.org, Accessed January 2008.; City Directories, Oberlin Heritage Center Resource Center.; Holsworth, Pat, Oberlin Pioneer Database.; Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps.; Gordon, Stephen C., 'How to Complete the Ohio Historic Inventory,' Ohio Historical Society, Columbus. 1992.; McAlester, Virginia and Lee. 'A Field Guide to American Houses.' Alfred K. Knopf Inc. New York. 2000.; 'Alumni Register: Graduates and Former Students, Teaching and Administrative continued...

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8. Site Plan with North Arrow

54. Farmstead Plan :



Door Selection:

Corner

Door Position:

Flush

Orientation:

Lateral axis

Symmetry:

Other

Report Associated With Project:

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42. *Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Con't)*

The rear addition has two 1/1 windows.

43. *History and Significance (Con't)*

for National Register and an electronics technician for Ridge Tool. Ruth was a teacher at Eastwood Elementary School in Oberlin. They had two children, Sarah and David, who both attended Oberlin High School. The current owners, Michael P. and Tammy Gilbert, have lived in the house since 2001.

44. *Description of Environment and Outbuildings (Con't)*

45. *Sources (Con't)*

Staff, (1833-1960).' Oberlin College, 1961.; Lorain County Court House, Auditor Property Record, Internet, <http://www.loraincounty.com/auditor/index.shtml>, Accessed 2008.; 'Obituary: John Mitro,' Oberlin News-Tribune, 21 February 1974, p. 9.