

Mill House Row
Rockland
(Near Wilmington)
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MILL HOUSE ROW
Rockland, near Wilmington, Delaware.

Owner: Charles A. Ernst, Jr., Ridley Park, Pennsylvania.

Date of Erection: About early 19th century.

Present Condition: Fair. Dormer windows probably later than original structure.

Number of Stories: Two and a half.

Materials of Construction: Stone masonry, white washed; brick chimneys, shingle roofs.

Other Existing Records: Office Recorder of Deeds and Register of Wills, New Castle County, Wilmington, Delaware.

Additional Data: This four house row is a good example of the houses built in Delaware during the early 19th century (or thereabouts), to house the workmen in the mills of that period. Substantial and picturesque, though absolutely plain. Note the absence of hoods or porches and the wooden railed and floored terraces and small gardens with their picket fences.

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