

Smith House
Scotland Neck vicinity
Halifax County
North Carolina

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Date of erection: c. 1800 and later

Present condition: Fair

Description:

Frame, two-story, with side and rear wings. The original house was five bays wide, two stories high, with a tall pedimented roof; lower sash 9/9, upper 9/6. Wings two bays long have been built at either side with end chimneys. The detail generally matches that of the older part. The rear wing dates from about 1845.

In plan the house has a cross hall with two almost equal rooms behind.

Additional Data:

In this house is said to have lived Gilbert Elliott, of Elizabeth City, while he built the Confederate iron-clad ram Albemarle in the Roanoke River.

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