

The Magie House
330 Elmora Avenue
Elizabeth, Union County, New Jersey

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Owner: G. R. Maverick

Date of Erection: About 1850

Architect:

Builder: Joel O. Magie

Present Condition: Excellent

Number of Stories: Two

Materials of Construction: Foundation - Main unit sandstone on the front, rubble on the rear and sides, wing brick

Exterior walls - frame construction, narrow clapboards on the front, wide clapboards on the rear and sides

Interior walls - plaster

Inside brick chimneys

Roof - pitch, dormers in the rear

Historical Data:

This house stands on a tract of land originally owned by the Leric family. It is marked "Magie Town" on the early maps. The section was

parcelled off to the various members of the family. From Mrs. Leary, daughter of John O. Magie, we learn that the property was given to her father by his brother Joel, who apparently built this house although there are no existing records.

Bibliography:

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