

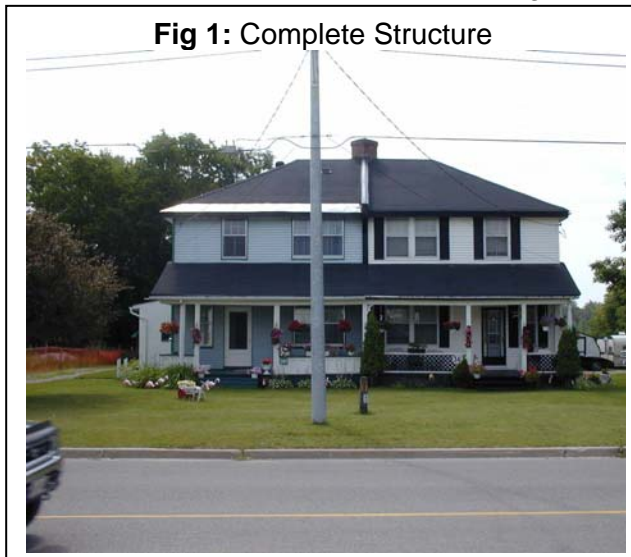
365 TALBOT STREET

Built: approx. 1911
 Built By: C.P.R. Company
 Structure: Company House
 Exterior Wall: Siding
 Style: "Salt Box"

Current Owner: Edward Mellor
 Present Use: Dwelling
 Original Use: Company House
 Address: 365 Talbot St. P.M.

Architectural

Copied from similar workhouses in the U.S., the "Salt Box" style became the style used by C.P.R. to provide housing for its senior staff employees. These houses have been heavily renovated since their original construction. Most are now semi-detached dwellings (fig.1) housing other tenants in both halves (fig. 2). The interiors and exteriors of the homes have gone through numerous changes during the renovations. As a result, very little save the basic architecture remains the same as their original construction.



Historical

Other than the fact that these houses were once company houses, little else of historical value could be found out about these properties during the research. The 'previous owners' list and some genealogical research may yield some interesting facts. Among the more celebrated names in Tay's history are: Alex R. Christie, Anson Green Phelps Dodge, and Members of the Ney family. Alex was the first person to own the property where the houses now stand. The Dodge family was responsible for a large part of the early economic infrastructure in the area and the Ney's were a pioneering family in Port McNicoll.

Previous Owners: Date

Alex R. Christie	1866
A.G.P. Dodge	1871
G.B. Lumber Co.	1877
Robert Ney	1881
Thomas Ney	1891
Robert Smith	1905
G.B.S. & R. Co.	1906

Rented to on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Rail Co.

David Ramsay	1938
Gerald Vaillancourt	1971
Jack Crawford	1985
John Mellor	1991