### OHIO HISTORIC INVENTORY

**1. No.**

**2. County**

**2. Location of Negatives**

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**3. Specific Address or Location**

168 East College Street

**4. Present Name(s)**

E. H. Holter House, J.D. Mosher House, Mack House, Michaelides-Langner House

**5. Historic or Other Name(s)**


**6. Date(s) or Period**

c. 1885

**7. City or Village**

Oberlin

**8. Site Plan with North Arrow**

[Diagram]

**9. U.T.M. Reference**

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**10. Site**

Building: X

Object: 

Structure: 

**11. On National Register?**

No

**12. N.R. Potential?**

No

**13. Part of Estb Hist Dist?**

No

**14. Dist. Potential?**

Yes

**15. Name of Established District (N.R. or Local)**

Oberlin Historic Preservation District

**16. Thematic Association(s)**

College, Business

**17. Date(s) or Period**

c. 1885

**18. Style or Design**

Queen Anne

**19. Architect or Engineer**

unknown

**20. Contractor or Builder**

unknown

**21. Building Type or Plan**

Other House

**22. Original Use, if apparent**

Single Dwelling

**23. Present Use**

Single Dwelling

**24. Ownership**

Public: 

Private: X

**25. Owner’s Name & Address, if known**

**26. Property Acreage**

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**27. Other Surveys in Which Included**

no

**28. No. of Stories**

2 and 1/2

**29. Basement?**

Partial

**30. Foundation Material**

Sandstone

**31. Wall Construction**

Wood Frame

**32. Roof:**

Type: Hip and Gable

Pitch: Steep

Material: Slate, Patterned

**33. No. Bays**

Front: 5

Side: 3

**34. Exterior Wall Material(s)**

Wood, Horizontal Siding

**35. Plan Shape**

L-Shaped

**36. Changes (Explain in #42)**

Altered

**37. Window Type(s)**

1 over 1

**38. Bldg. Dims.**

40' x 67'

**39. Endangered?**

No

**40. Chimney Placement**

Two, Off Center Within Roof Surface

**41a. Distance from road**

35’ approx.

**41b. Frontage on road**

69’

**42. Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features**

The home features some elements of the Queen Anne style. The front porch projects only slightly from the house and has square columns supported a low-pitched asphalt shingle roof. The roof line is broken by many gables, which have diagonal wooden siding on them. The slate roof tile pattern is unique, switching back and forth between imbricated and fishscale. The front door is centered, though recessed in the porch. The home has brackets. A few of the windows in the house have stained glass. On the west side of the house, there is one gable and one large bay window. On the east side of the house is another large bay window.

**43. History and Significance**

This house was built prior to 1886, and the earliest known resident was Ernest H. Holter, who lived there until about 1916. He made his living as a jeweler in Oberlin. He resided there with his wife Mary Barry, and a relative, Fred Master Holter. After Holter, an English professor named Jesse Mack and his wife Pearl lived there until about 1942. G.P. Michaelides and his wife Donna lived in the residence in the late 1950’s and early 1960’s. He was an interim division director and lecturer at the college. The house suffered a chimney fire in 1981.

**44. Description of Environment and Outbuildings (see #52)**

This house shares a paved driveway with its neighbor to the west. Behind the house is a detached garage and woodshed which was built in 1984. A walkway leads from the sidewalk to the front porch.

**45. Sources of Information**


**46. Prepared by**

D. G. Henry, G. Baudoin, M. Franck

**47. Organization**

O.H.I.O. and H.P.C.

**48. Date Recorded**

1/16/2002

**49. Revised by**

50a. Date Revised

50b. Reviewed by
51. Condition of Property

- Excellent
- Good/Fair X
- Deteriorated

54. Farmstead Plan

- No
- No
- No
- No
- No
- No
- No

52. Historic Outbuildings and Dependencies

- Barn Type(s)
- n/a

- Corn Crib or Shed
- Summer Kitchen
- Silo
- Smoke House
- Spring House
- Ice House
- Designed Landscape Features
- Privy
- Garage

53. Affiliated OAI Site Number(s)

- OAI Completed?
- No

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