This house displays elements of Queen Anne architecture, but its additions and composite shingle siding conceal the home's original features. The screened-in front porch has composite shingle walls around the perimeter and windows with flattened pediments flank a door at the center. There are two one-over-one windows in the second story, which also have flattened pediments. Two narrow, one-over-one windows are located at the attic, with a continued...

Russia Twp. Farmer/dairyman Leonard P Paige bought this land by 1880 & built the house by 1890 (Holsworth, City Directory). His wife Bethiah, born in England, also lived here (Holsworth). 5 of their children lived in this house between 1890-1910: Callista Eudora (Kittie), who attended OC; Josephine, a graduate of OHS, who attended OC; Winnifred Arvalla, who attended the Conservatory; George Alpheus, who attended the Preparatory Academy; & Jessie Bethiah, an OHS graduate & student at the continued...

This house is in stable condition and sits at the corner of East College and North Oberlin streets. The former Green Acres Childrens Home, now vacant, is located across the street. An English/Three Bay barn, in poor condition, is located behind the house.
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2. County | Lorain  
3. Location of Negatives | O.H.I.O. Resource Cen  
4. Present Name(s) |  
5. Historic or Other Name(s) | Paige-Bellavek House  

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51. Condition of Property: Good/Fair  
52. Historic Outbuildings and Dependencies  
English or Three bay barn  
53. Affiliated OAI Site Numbers  
54. Farmstead Plan  

| Door Selection: Single off center  
| Door Position: Flush  
| Orientation: Gable end axis  
| Symmetry: Bilateral symmetry  

FOR OHPO USE:  
49. Revised By:  
50a. Date Revised:  
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42. Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Con't)  
louvered vent at the very top of the gable. At the northeast elevation, a door is located near the center, and it has steps leading up to the door, which face the front elevation. To the right of the door, two one-over-one windows are located in the first story, and another is at the right side of the second story. A sliding window is located to the left, and a gable dormer is in the roof. At the rear of the house, and addition has a set of three one-over-one windows to the right and a single one-over-one window to the left, which contains a flattened pediment. The second story features a gabled dormer. The dormers at this elevation have one-over-one windows. Another addition at the rear of the house has a shed roof and concrete block foundation. The southwest elevation has a cutaway at the corner of the porch, which creates a tower-like bay. The first story windows are one-over-one with flattened pediments. The second story has plain rectangular one-over-one windows. The “tower” has a polygonal roof, and a gable dormer to its right has a one-over-one window. The rear wing has a porch with turned spindle work supports and a lattice below. One-over-one windows flank the door at the porch, and a gable dormer is located above the porch. A small window is featured in the newer addition and contains a door at the rear elevation, as well as a storage door at the porch.  

43. History and Significance (Con't)  
Conservatory (City Directory, Holsworth). In 1905, Jessie married Anda Robert Kimpton, a jeweler who owned a store on W College, & their daughters Marion & Kathleen resided here (Holsworth, O-High Alumni). In 1908, Anda & Jessie lived here (City Directory). After Leonard’s death in 1909, Bethiah & George continued to live here, but moved out c. 1911-16. After graduating from OHS & attending Oberlin School of Commerce, Marion was a bookkeeper at Oberlin Savings Bank & the county courthouse (O-High, City Directory). In 1942, two years before the death of her father Anda, she married Anton Bellavek, an Armenian (O-High, Richards). Marion died of pneumonia in 1946 & Anton remarried Jean M, a graduate of OHS & OC; they lived in this house before 1956 (O-High, City Directory). They raised 2 children, Annette Marie (Marion’s daughter) & Martha (Jean’s daughter) in the house & both graduated from OHS (O-High, Richards). Anton was an accountant & ran Bellavek & Bethe Accountants from the house. Jean passed away in 1990 & Anton followed 3 years later.  

44. Description of Environment and Outbuildings (Con’t)  

45. Sources (Con’t)  

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