**LOR-1742-21**

1. **No.** LOR-1742-21  
2. **County** Lorain  
3. **Location of Negatives** O.H.I.O. Resource Cen  
4. **Present Name(s)** Elmore-Henry House  
5. **Historic or Other Name(s)**  
6. **Specific Address or Location** 257 Morgan Street  
7. **City or Village** Oberlin  
8. **Site Plan with North Arrow**  
9. **U.T.M. Reference**  
   a. **Quadrangle Name:** Oberlin  
   b. **Easting:** 397240  
   c. **Northing:** 4571106  
10. **Classification:** Building  
11. **On National Register?**  
12. **Part of Established Hist. Dist?**  
13. **Other Designation (NR or Local)**  
14. **No. of Stories** Two story  
15. **Date(s) or Period** c. 1920-27  
16. **Style or Design** High Style Colonial Revival,  
   a. **Elements**  
17. **Architect or Engineer**  
18. **Contractor or Builder**  
19. **Original Use, if apparent** Single Dwelling,  
   a. **Description**  
20. **Present Use** Single Dwelling,  
21. **Building Type or Plan** Four-over-Four  
22. **No. of Bays** 4  
23. **Exterior Wall Material(s)** Stucco  
24. **Ownership** Private  
25. **Owner's Name & Address, if known**  
26. **Property Acreage** .58  
27. **Other Surveys**  
28. **Changes** (Addition Altered Moved)  
29. **Foundation Material** Brick bearing  
30. **Roof Material** Wood shingle  
31. **Wall Construction** Balloon frame/western frame/pla  
32. **Roof Type** Gable with side gable  
33. **No. of Stories** 4 
34. **Building Dimensions** 25 x 49  
35. **Window Type(s)** 4 over 1, 8 or more over 1  
36. **Endangered?** By What?  
37. **Chimney Placement** Multiple random  
38. **Distance from & Frontage on Road** Approx. 30'  
39. **Historic or Other Name(s)**  
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42. **Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Continued on Reverse if Necessary)**  
   This house is a Colonial Revival, Four Over Four plan. The door at the center has molded wood panels, and is flanked by sidelights with a filled fanlight above the entry. Sets of three windows are to the left and right of the door. The sets are comprised of eight-over-one windows flanked by four-over-one windows. The second story has a six-over-one window above the entry and an eight-over-one window to the left and right. Dentil molding runs continued..  
43. **History and Significance (Continue on Reverse if necessary)**  
   This house was built between 1920 (Property Card) and 1927 (City Directory). The first known occupants were Miss Mary E. Elmore and Miss Ida M. Henry (City Directory). No information could be found regarding these two women. The last city directory Mary Elmore appears in is 1935, and the last directory listing Ida Henry is 1961. By 1970, the current owners, John A. and Agnes Paxton had moved in with their 5 children. In 1970, John Paxton was the president of Parsons Jersey Dairy at 355 E. continued...  
44. **Description of Environment and Outbuildings (See #52)**  
A detached, one-car garage is situated behind the house.  
45. **Sources of Information**  
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52. Historic Outbuildings and Dependencies

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49. Revised By:  
50a. Date Revised:  
50b. Reviewed by:  
RPR Number:  

42. Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Con't)

below the roof’s eave. A one-story wing at the far left of the elevation has a flat roof with a balustrade on top and an eight-over-one window. The east elevation is mostly obscured. It includes a wing that has two eight-over-one windows. The main body of the house has an exterior chimney flanked by windows. The west elevation has a porch visible at the rear with a flat roof, situated to the far right. The first story has a double hung window at the left and a pair of six-light, square windows to the right. The second story has two six-over-one windows.

43. History and Significance (Con't)

Lorain, which advertised ‘Dairy Foods of Excellence’ (City Directory).

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45. Sources (Con't)

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