

IDENTIFICATION	Historic name: <u>Dr. D. W. Holloway House</u>	STATUS	Open to public: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/>
	Common name: <u>Melhorn House</u>		Visible from road: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	Address: <u>River Road</u>		Occupied: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	<u>Ten Mile, Tennessee</u>		Present use: <u>Private residence</u>
	Owner's name: <u>Charles O. Melhorn</u>		Current condition: <u>Good</u>
	Owner's address: <u>Route 2, Box 43</u>		Alterations: <u>Second floor tier of</u>
	<u>Ten Mile, Tennessee 37880</u>		<u>portico has been removed</u>
	Classification: <u>Building-private</u>		<u>(mid 1900s)</u>
	Tax map reference: <u>Dist. 4, Map 2, Parcel 15</u>		Site features: <u>ca. 1900 1½ story frame barn with</u>
	Acreage: <u>One acre</u>		<u>lattice work under eaves of gable roof. ca 1900</u>
UTM reference: <u>Zone 16 N3953410</u>	<u>1½ story frame outbuilding</u>		
<u>E708680</u>			
HISTORY	Date of construction: <u>ca. 1870</u>	SOURCES	Bibliographical data: <u></u>
	Architect/builder: <u>unknown</u>		<u>Interview with Kim Edgemon, Meigs County,</u>
	Original or previous owners: <u></u>		<u>Tennessee, February 6, 1979</u>
	<u>Dr. D. W. Holloway (previous owner</u>		
	<u>ca. 1900)</u>		
	Original use: <u>Private residence</u>		Form prepared by: <u>Ann Toplovich</u>
Theme/s: Primary <u>Architecture</u>	Title: <u>Cultural Resource Surveyor</u>		
Secondary <u>Medicine</u>	Organization: <u>Tennessee Historical Commission</u>		
Other <u>N/A</u>	Date: <u>8/11/81</u>		
DESCRIPTION	<p>The Dr. D. W. Holloway House is a two story frame/weatherboard structure resting on a pier foundation. The rectangular I-house is modified with an offset "T" 1½ story rear ell. A metal gable roof with paired interior chimneys covers the main block of the house. The facade (east elevation) is three bays wide with a central doorway. Windows are 2/2 lights and have pedimented heads. Four small round columns support a two story pedimented portico on the central bay of the facade.</p>		
SIGNIFICANCE	<p>The Dr. D. W. Holloway House, built ca. 1870, is an unusually large, finely detailed house in an area of Meigs County comprised primarily of modest one story, two room rectangular houses. As a standard I-house with its additions of portico and rear ell, the Holloway House remains as the only example of the more imposing type of dwelling built by a prosperous citizen in an economically depressed area. Dr. Holloway used part of his house as his medical office and hospital. The names of patients and other information on his practice are written on the walls of a room on the second floor. This is the only known house in the county that was used as a hospital. Currently there are no hospitals, clinics, or doctors practicing in Meigs County.</p>		

**PHOTOGRAPHIC DATA**

Photographer: Ann Toplovich

Date: 2/6/79

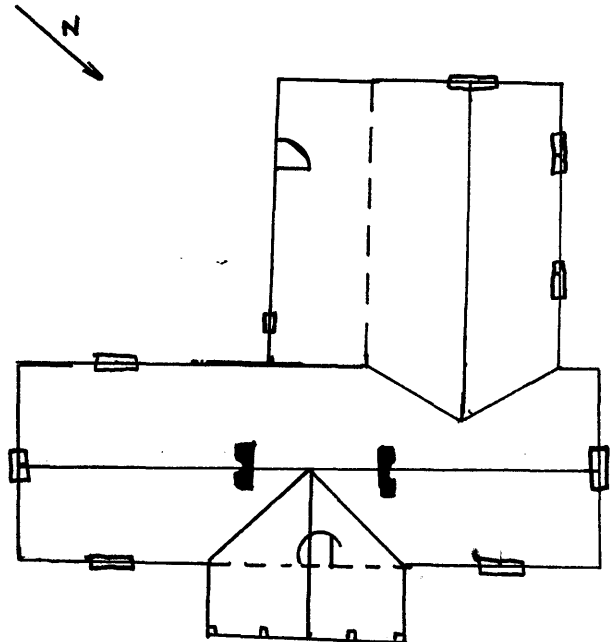
Negatives on file: Tennessee Historical  
Commission

Photographer facing: S and W elevation-facing NE

Photograph number 1 of 55.

**CONTINUATION**

**SITE PLAN - Include North Arrow**



**United States Department of the Interior  
Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service**

**National Register of Historic Places  
Inventory—Nomination Form**

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Verbal Boundary Description and Justification:

1. The boundaries begin at the intersection of the driveway and Red Cloud Road continuing northeast along Red Cloud Road 200 feet, thence northwest 225 feet, thence southwest 200 feet to the driveway, thence southeast down the driveway 225 feet to the beginning. This boundary takes the form of a rectangle which encompasses the building. Due to the lack of property lines or visual boundaries on the northeast and northwest sides, imaginary boundary lines were established to include the house and approximately one acre of land on which it sits.

Historic Resources of Meigs County,  
Tennessee  
(Partial Inventory: Historic and  
Architectural Resources)

DR. D. W. HOLLOWAY HOUSE (#1)

