



**HISTORICAL DATA**

This house was built in 1909-10 for John C. Schricker, who had previously lived at 1446 Clay Street (designed by local architect Gustav Hanssen) across from Riverview Terrace Park. Schricker began his career with the Schricker Monument Co. in 1884. The firm's work included the Dillon Fountain at Main Street and River Drive, Davenport, and the Iowa State Soldiers Monument on the Iowa State Capitol grounds in Des Moines. In 1895, Schricker became a partner in the new Davenport Pearl Button Co., which manufactured buttons from clamshells obtained from the Mississippi River. Other partners in this firm were Captain Chris Schricker and F. G. Rodler. The firm produced into the 1930's.

**HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE**

**SOURCES** "John Schricker, Founder of Monument Firm, Dies," Davenport Democrat & Times, 25 May 1952.

"Our Firm Carries on Pearl Button Industry in Town," Centennial and Fiftieth Anniversary Edition, Davenport Times, 11 July 1936.  
Davenport City Directories, 1896-1910

Index of Clausen & Clausen Jobs, typescript, n.d., Charles Richardson Associates, Davenport

**ARCHITECTURAL EVALUATION**

DESIGN good STATURE focus  
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE local

CONTEXT excellent FABRIC excellent  
DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION

**HISTORICAL EVALUATION**

PRIMARY THEME  
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE

SECONDARY THEME

**NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBLE** yes

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**ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (con't)**

surrounds and bracketed cornices. What exterior ornament there is, is concentrated at the main entrance, which features elaborate wrought-iron grilles of a kind not commonly seen in Davenport until the Mediterranean/Spanish Colonial Revival styles appeared in the city in the mid-1920's.



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Verbal Boundary Description: 5418 Chapel Hill Road, John Schricker House,  
Davenport MRA

Part of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 7, Township 77  
North, Range 3 East of the 5th Prime Meridian.

Commencing in the intersection of Chapel Hill Road and Wapello Ave., thence along  
the Chapel Hill Road for approximately 1200 feet to the west corner of the premises,  
then N43° 30'E for 545 feet more or less, then S77° 5'E for 381 feet more or less,  
then S14° 43'W for 210 feet more or less to the north right of way line of Chapel Hill  
Road, then along the north right of way line southwesterly and then northwesterly to  
the west property corner.

