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Front of the house facing southeast. Original shingles are under the present tin roof. Stucco covered brick piers replace huge cypress blocks used on original foundation. Original gallery not screened. Turned milled columns replaced square cypress columns in 1870.



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Easterly side of house showing wing forming the L where the kitchen was added in 1870. Original part of house is that portion where the straight side of the roof line joins the roof rising to form the gable. Shutters shown are original and there are four sets on gallery windows.



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Westerly direction showing roof and gallery detail. Also showing position of chimney which furnished a fireplace for upper and lower front rooms. Another chimney was identical on easterly side of house; chimneys removed because they were unsafe. Also shows detail of bathroom addition.



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Easterly direction showing kitchen wing added in 1870. Also showing roof line joined to original house. Double carport was added off gallery in 1952 for convenience. Tin roofing added over original cypress shingles.



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Northerly direction showing back of house where the wing was added in 1870 forming the kitchen and back gallery. To right is shown small bathroom added in 1920.



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Westerly direction showing kitchen and gallery wing added in 1870. Gallery was screened but present owner has removed screening and wood floors and concreted floors at ground level.



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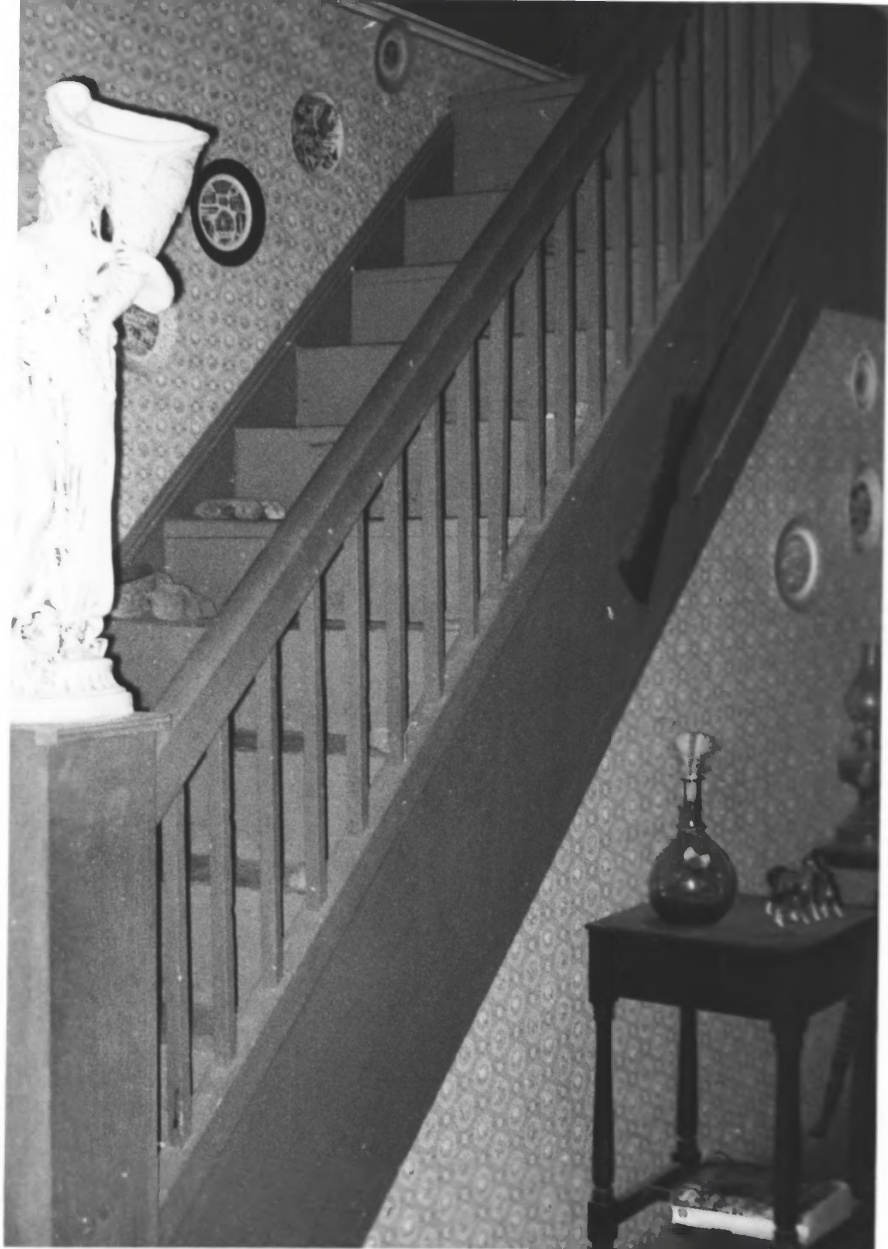
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Showing detail of front door; door was damaged in a storm and window panes replaced solid panels. Another solid four paneled door was to right of door but was destroyed by storm and replaced with window as shown. All window panes are original bubble glass. Antique windows used in repair work.



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Showing detail of stair construction. Board under rail is hand planed from a single timber 18" wide and 10' long. Plane marks are visible. Treads and risers are heart pine. Stairs original except were turned around to rise from front hall instead of back hall as originally built.



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Detail showing original hand made mantel in parlor. Made from heart pine.
All original except boards that cover fire place opening. Another mantel
identical in front bedroom on other side of hall.



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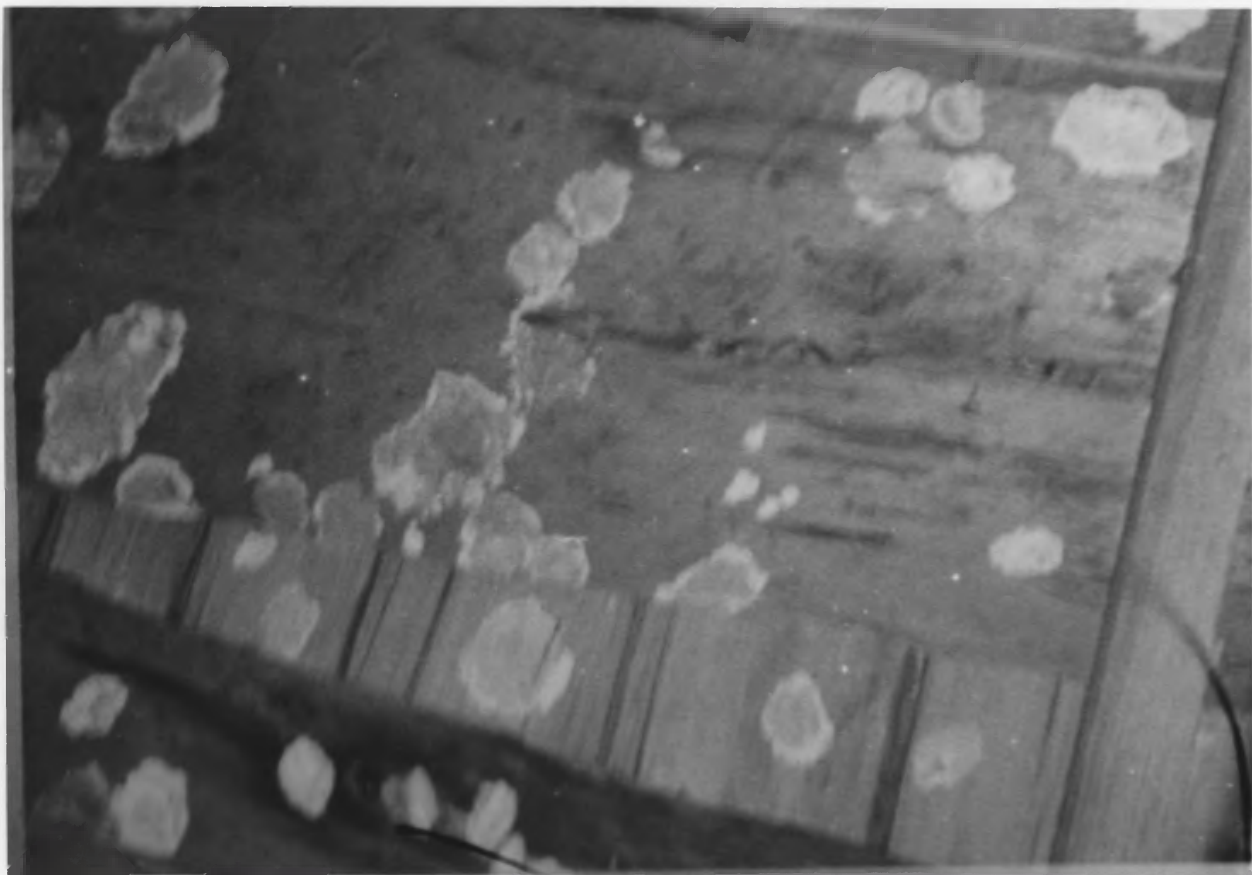
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Construction detail showing random width rough board used to seal the upper rooms and hall.



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Construction detail in attic showing original cypress hand split shingles and random width boards used as sheathing. Original rafter detail also shown. White spots are nests or houses of a wasp-like insects who make their nests with mud.



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Construction details showing notched and pegged timbers in the attic
of the house

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Original "buggy" house. Carriage was parked to right. Center door opened to tack room for harness and farm tools. Opening to left was feed room for carriage horses, who were fed separately from work animals. Faces west side of house.



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Front view of log smoke house, facing back of the house. Logs are battened inside with boards.



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Side view of log smoke house showing detail of original roof covered with hand split cypress shingles. Note moss growing on shingles. Hogs were hung from timber projecting from front of building when butchered and cleaned.



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Back view of original milk house. Building is so covered with vines another view could not be taken. Has original cypress hand split shingles. Boards have been nailed over only window. Originally had a board shutter closing.