

Historical Marker - L181 - Crocker House (Marker ID#:L181)



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Crocker House

The first mayor of Mount Clemens, Joshua Dickinson, built this Italianate house in 1869. His daughter Katherine (1849-1882), the great-granddaughter of city founder Christian Clemens, and his son-in-law, George M. Crocker (1848-1918), moved into it after their marriage in 1870. Crocker, a former prosecuting attorney and justice of the peace, became mayor upon Dickinson's death. The Crocker family owned the house until 1921. Originally located on the corner of Walnut and Market Streets, the house was moved to New Street in 1908 to make room for a new post office. Slated for removal or demolition in 1975, it was rescued by the Macomb County Historical Society, which moved it to Union Street in 1976 for use as a local history museum.

Significant Date:

Civil War and After (1860-1875)

Registry Year: 1972 **Erected Date:** 1988

Marker Location

Address: 15 Union St.

City: Mount Clemens

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Macomb

Township:

Lat: 42.59884600 / **Long:** -82.88201700

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