

Evan A. Lloyd House II
Westmont Neighborhood
60 Clarion Street
Johnstown
Cambria County
Pennsylvania

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Location: 60 Clarion Street, Westmont, Johnstown, Cambria County, Pa.

Description: Spacious, two-and-a-half-story, three-bay single-family dwelling sheathed entirely with horizontal wood except for some fishscale shingles used as ornament on the porch area. Gable-front roof with a large gabled dormer and a pedimented dormer on the front facade. A shed-roofed front porch has Doric columns connected by a short balustrade. A pediment filled with fishscale shingles is located over the entrance to the porch. Original stone foundation.

History: William H. Wagner purchased this property from the Cambria Iron Company for \$700 on December 30, 1903. Evan A. Lloyd, a contractor who lived on Green Street in Westmont, purchased the lot from Wagner in 1905, for \$200. Lloyd built this house on the property the following year. The 1917 tax records show that John Goggin, a laborer, and Dennis Goggin, a clerk, lived at this address in 1917. According to the 1934 city directory, Richard Goggin, a laborer, was renting the house, and he purchased the property in the same year.

Sources:

Deed Vol. 170, p. 170 and Vol. 457, p. 143. Cambria County Registry of Deeds, Cambria County Courthouse, Ebensburg, Pa.

Johnstown City Directory. 1918.

Westmont Borough Tax assessment records for 1903-1918. Cambria County Courthouse, Ebensburg, Pa.

Project Information: This report was part of a larger project to document the city of Johnstown, Pennsylvania. The project was undertaken by the Historic American Buildings Survey/Historic American Engineering Record (HABS/HAER), Robert Kapsch, chief, at the request of America's Industrial Heritage Project (AIHP). An overview of history of the city (HABS No. PA-5669) and an overview of the neighborhood of Westmont (HABS No. PA-5671) provide context for these buildings as well as a comprehensive list of sources. See also additional HABS reports on buildings in the downtown and other neighborhoods.

This report was prepared by Cheryl Powell in August 1988 under the direction of Alison K. Hoagland, HABS historian, and Kim E. Wallace, the supervisory historian of the project. Powell's and other project historians' work was published as The Character of a Steel Mill City: Four Historic Neighborhoods of Johnstown, Pennsylvania (Washington, D.C.: HABS/HAER, National Park Service, 1989), edited by Kim E. Wallace. Illustrations in the publication include large format photographs taken by HAER photographer Jet Lowe and 35 mm photographs taken by the project historians.