CLEVELAND LANDMARK NOMINATION

MORRIS A. BRADLEY CARRIAGE HOUSE
(AKA JOHN F. PUSKAS ENAMELS STUDIO)

1980 EAST 73RD STREET

MORRIS A. BRADLEY

1859-1926

Went to work for his father Alva Bradley's shipping company (125 ship fleet)

Took over the company upon his father's death in 1885

His father had also amassed a large real estate empire in Cleveland

President of the Cleveland & Buffalo Transportation Company

President of the United Sated Coal Company

Owner of the Bradley Electrical Company





STEAMER CITY OF CLEVELAND



BRADLEY BLOCK
WAREHOUSE DISTRICT

City of Cleveland. He was responsible for the erection of the following buildings:

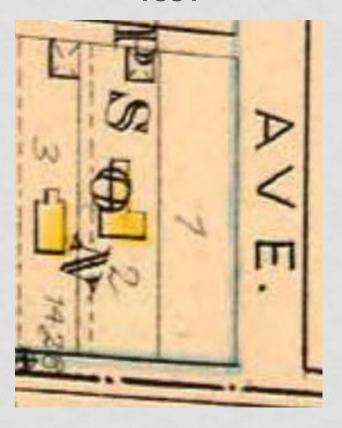
| Bolivar Road | 1904-1909-1911 | Alva | 1904 | |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|------|--|
| Fountain | 1902 | Bolton | 1902 | |
| Lillis | 1907 | Charles | 1913 | |
| Stone | 1899 | Erie | 1903 | |
| Euclid-E. 73rd | | Fishel | 1911 | |
| Coal Pit | | Morris | 1890 | |
| Vulcan Plant | 1896 | Mott | 1901 | |
| Middle St. Pla | nt | Murphy | 1919 | |
| Academy | 1907 | New Ellington | 1898 | |
| Noble | 1900 | Penn | 1898 | |
| Ontario | 1905 | Vulcan | 1895 | |
| Pitt | 1898 | Watson | 1907 | |
| Pyra | 1896 | Bradley | 1884 | |
| Seneca | 1906 | High | 1893 | |
| Underner | 1905 | Florence | 1889 | |
| Ajax | 1897 | Willson | 1898 | |
| Hall & Du | 1897 | Brown | 1911 | |
| Clark | 1907 | Manix | 1913 | |
| Ellington | 1892 | McLoo | 1897 | |
| Akers | 1909 | Columbia | 1908 | |
| Mason | 1916 | Card | 1899 | |
| Medina | 1896 | Marine | 1893 | |
| Marion | 1911 | | | |

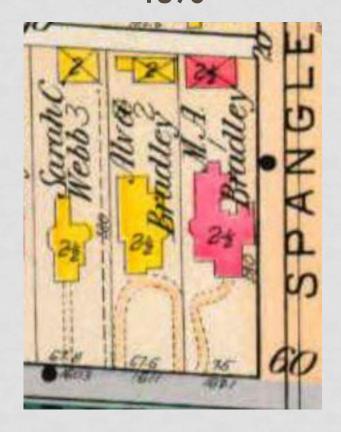


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CLEVELAND PLAIN DEALER, MARCH 27, 1887 "MRS. CAPTAIN BRADLEY HAS TAKEN
POSSESSION OF THE NEW HOME AT THE
CORNER OF EUCLID AND SPANGLER AVENUES."

HISTORICAL MAPS





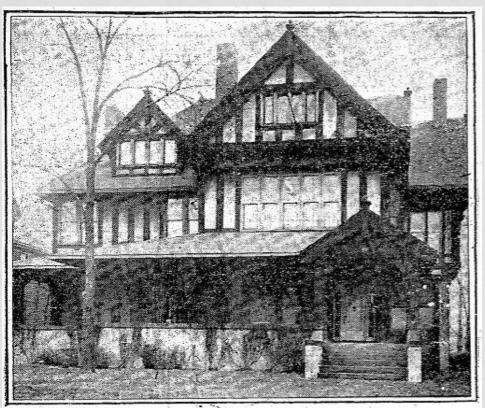
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1907 – Major renovations to add porches and change to the Tudor Revival style

1921 – Morris moved to Shaker Heights and then it became a rooming house

After Morris' death in 1926 the property remained in the family with his son Alva.

The property remained in the family until 1946 when it was sold to Ben Freeble



DAS DEUTSCHES HAUS, exclusive beer club at Eurlid Avenue and E. 72d Street, and meeting place of prominent city and county officials, yesterday was raided by federal prohibition agents. The vine-covered house formerly was the Alva Bradley home. In January, 1928, it was the scene of three murders and a suicide.

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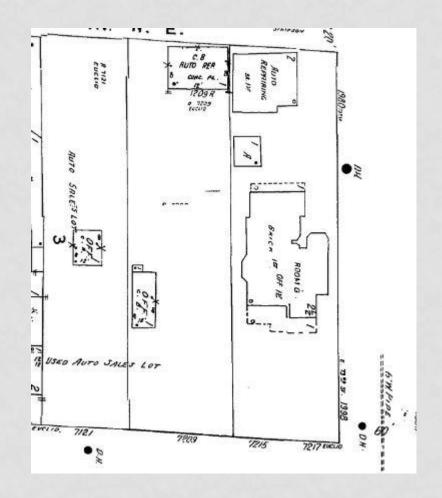
NEIGHBORHOOD CHANGES

By 1951 the two houses next door had been removed and turned into a used car lot.

The carriage house was converted to an auto shop as early as 1931 but by the mid 1950's there were other businesses also occupying the building.

These included a Wood and plaster shop on the second floor and an enamel studio on the third.

The house was still a boarding house known as Beth-Ben's Hall and had an office for the used car lot on the 1st floor.

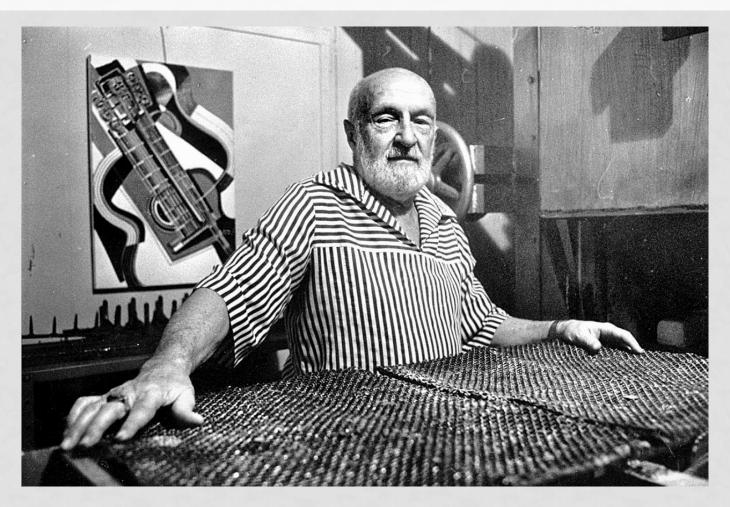








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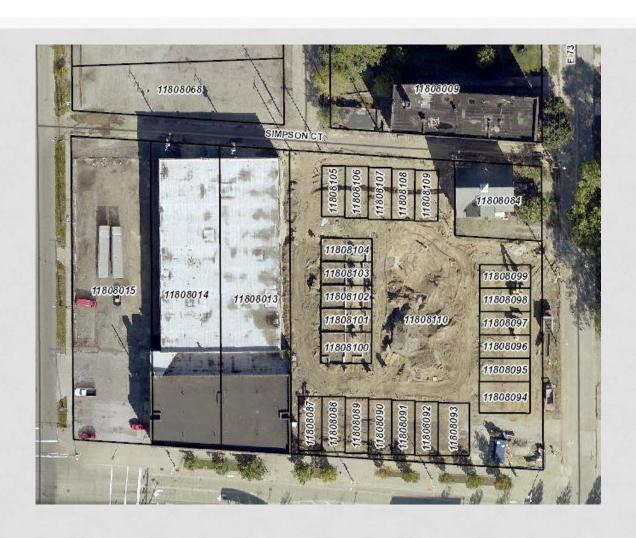


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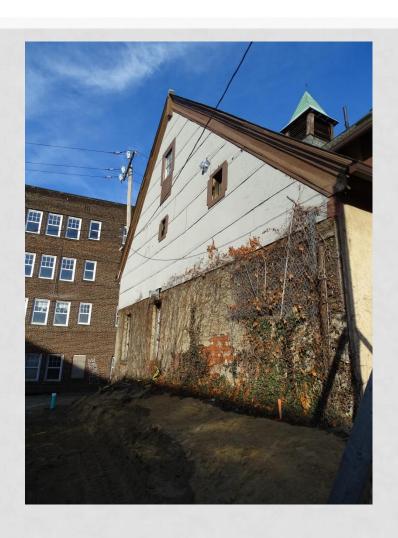
Free Form Dish, 1956; Cleveland Museum of Art















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