

From: [Charlie Smith](#)
To: [Emmons, Karen](#)
Subject: Re: Can you check a house in your files for me?
Date: Thursday, August 16, 2018 6:59:27 PM

Thanks so much for this. I had forgotten about the north south split on Alexander. 47 and 49 North Alexander became 107 and 109 Alexander. The Hans Bagger family lived in 107 and the Robert Friedell, Sr. family lived in 109. I believe that 109 was later split into a duplex.

Hans Baggers wife's Mother, Katherine Estelle Ramsey was married to Hiram Pike Holstein and was divorced from him in about 1894. She later married James Emery Lloyd, of 84 Nassau Street and still later, William H. Baker of 72 Cannon. Lloyd died in 1914 and Baker in 1919. I cannot find photos of the Nassau Street or Cannon Street properties...but it could be that the house in the photo is one of the two.

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On Thu, Aug 16, 2018 at 8:59 AM, Emmons, Karen <kemmons@historiccharleston.org> wrote:

Hi Charlie,

As promised, I checked the Archives catalog and there is nothing on 47 Alexander Street. However, I did find an entry, scant as it is, in *The Old Codgers Charleston Address Book*, which lists 20th century residents/occupants. It only has an entry for 1950 but it might be a start. Also, check the other addresses on the block. Maybe 47 Alexander isn't the correct address. I've also attached Sanborn Maps from 1888 (Middle Street), 1902, 1944, and 1950. The tricky part may be with the address. Numbers on Alexander Street changed once the north (above Calhoun) section and south (below Calhoun) were combined as a single street. It may be a job for the reference librarians at the SC Room at CCPL. SC Room also has city directories and can look up the Bagger family's residences for the relevant years.

Anyway, I hope that is at least gives you a start on the research.

Best,

Karen

From: Charlie Smith <csmith@csarealestate.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 15, 2018 5:52 PM
To: Karen Emmons <kbe_sae@att.net>
Subject: Can you check a house in your files for me?

Hey there,

I believe that this house was located at 47 Alexander Street, about where the entrance to the Gaillard parking garage is. If this is 47 Alexander Street, obviously it went with the clearance of Middlesex. I have some really good photographs of the people connected with this house and a couple of decent pictures of the house which I'd be glad to copy you on. This is likely the family of Hans Bagger, who was among other things, The Royal Vice Consul of Denmark.

I hope this finds you well.

Charlie