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c. 1936

Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson H. Brockinton Jr.

This Georgian revival style, brick two-story residence sitting on a high basement was built for Bishop Carouthers of Charleston and for many years the dwelling was occupied by a succession of bishops. It was sold in the early 1970's to a private owner, and the current family, the second owners have lived here since 1984.

HALL

The usual Colonial Revival floor plan has a central hall running from the front to the rear of the structure. This is an especially generous one in its width and opens the entire house to much light and air. A porch running across the back catches the southern sun and the prevailing western breezes.

Chest of drawers, Georgian style

Side chairs, four, Chippendale style

Mirrors, pair, with carved giltwood frames, above two marble top wall consoles

Rug, oriental, period style

LIBRARY

This room is furnished with comfortable seat furniture. Notice the wall of bookshelves on one side. It is a wonderful gathering room for the family.

LIVING ROOM

The mantel and crown molding are very good recreations of Georgian ornamentation.

Drop front desk, mahogany, a family piece

Chest of drawers, in Georgian style

Harp (which needs restringing), an inherited piece from owner's family

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DINING ROOM

Portrait, a Kinloch family ancestor of Mr. Brockinton's family
Pair of porcelain jardinares, Ravenel family inheritance
Table and chairs, in style of Thomas Chippendale
Sideboard and server came from a house on Rainbow Row
Rug, Chinese

KITCHEN

Country refectory table amply seats this family of 6.
Colorful artwork, created by the Brockinton children

Exit by way of front door