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Cook Photo Book: St. Paul's Lutheran Church Caretaker's House. Original house c. 1800 built as a farmhouse, where the property probably extended to the corner of South Broadway and Firehouse Lane. Maps show road proposals in 1796, a proposed road could have run through the site, but Fisk Street was created. Also known as the Moul House then bought by the Dodd family and known as the Dodd House until the property was purchased by the Church in 1939, then used as the caretaker's house for the Church Cemetery. Garage once used as an office for the church cemetery. Only about a third of the house is original. Rooms were added on and the outside was renovated in the 1970's, and all of the windows have been replaced. The house has fallen into disrepair with sills rotting away and the roof caving in. The wooden floors are bucking, the staircase is cracked and there are holes in the floor upstairs. The steps to the cellar are broken and unsafe. There is very little insulation in the walls. Unfortunately, if there were any records, they were destroyed by the minister Rev. Kenneth Jetto when he removed all church papers as he was leaving St. Pauls. Lorraine Humphrey Dec. 3, 2009

RHHG: This saltbox house is now owned by St. Paul's for the use of their caretaker. The early Red Hook Methodist Church held meeting here before their sanctuary was built. Interior features include low ceiling and very little remodeling other than adding convenient features through the years.

Bassett: Mr. Moul was a brother of William Moul and an uncle of Julius Moul. A small house on the Moul place was the home of an aunt of John and Willie Manier.