

Breton Avenue, S.E.

1545 Breton S.E. (EGR). Robert and Julie Connors are the 1994 owners of this 1880-1894 farmhouse. A 3-story addition designed in 1993 by architect Markku R. Allison of Bolt Associates created open areas inside for more contemporary living, while the exterior character was retained. The house won the 1994 Distinguished Building Award from the Grand Valley Chapter of the A.I.A. The contest judges said, "The architect found a way to duplicate the quality craftsmanship of the original house. We wish we could live there." ("Bigger Is Better," GRP, 04/24/1994, I1-2.)

1801 07/30/74 4623 Capitol
 No sewer, no gas.

1815 12/14/71 4070 J. Block Albert
 Cancelled.

1818

1830 Breton S.E. Breton Village opened in September, 1962, as one of the area's first indoor shopping malls. At first, it featured only a supermarket, a butcher shop, and a couple other retail stores.

1835 05/04/78 5511 Pitsch

1901 06/25/92 8273 Rollaway Movers

1935

2040 07/21/69 3086 Cooke

2121

2323

2424 05/09/96 8625 Pitsch

2482

2770 Breton S.E. Redbrick School (in 1957). This school on the northeast corner of Breton & 28th burned in the late 1950's and was replaced by a brick building which is now (1996) an insurance office.

2900 04/14/65 1914 Grand Rapids Gravel Co.
 No sewer.