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## Fall Open House

We will be hosting a fall open house on  
Saturday, October 9, from 2 to 4.

Please join us and enjoy some apple cider and sweet treats, children's crafts, and children's story time. We'll also have a display of antique lighting, including two old Mt. Healthy street lights.

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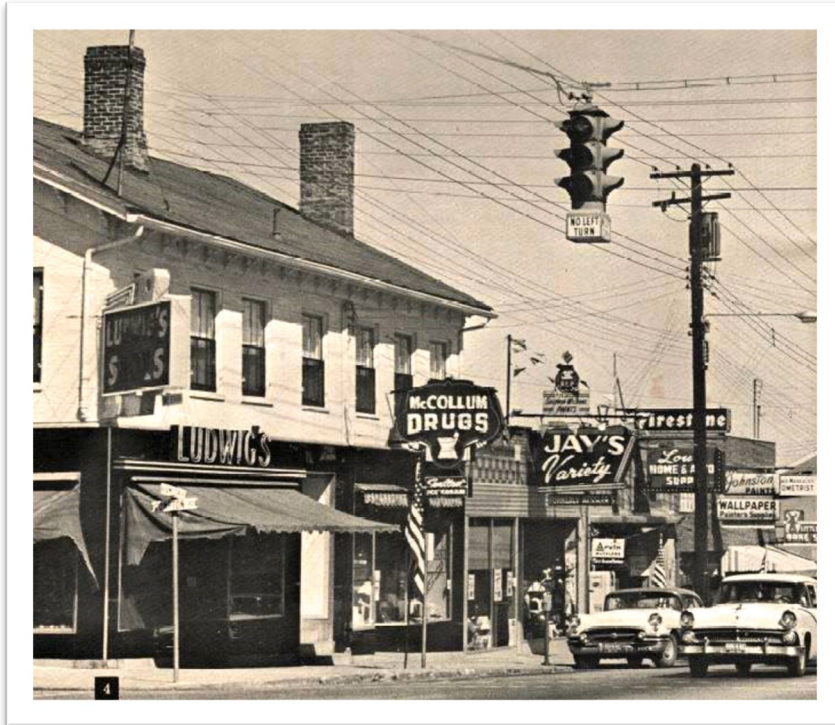
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history.org](http://www.mthealthyhistory.org)

Our current featured exhibit is Life in the 1950s.

The Mt. Healthy Historical Society Museum is open  
most Saturday and Tuesday mornings, 9-11,  
and by appointment.

# Christmas Open House:

We will be hosting our traditional Christmas Open House this year. Please check our website when we get closer to December for the date, time, and other details.



In keeping with our 1950s exhibit, here are a couple of street scenes from (more or less) that era. To the left is the north-west corner of Compton and Hamilton. The building closest to the camera housed Ludwig's Shoes and McCollum Drugs. The only Mt. Healthy building verified to have been part of the underground railroad, it still stands in the same spot today. Beyond it you can see Jay's Variety store, Lou's Home and Auto Shop, Johnston Paints, and Firestone tires. One sign announces the location of an optometrist. Little Dutch Bakery is just barely visible on the right edge. The intersection was a bustling place.

Turning the corner onto Compton, heading east, the scene becomes much more calm. Here we see a quiet street that still reflects Mt. Healthy's small-town roots. Just beyond the Tressler Comet and the offices of the *Hilltop News*, the business district gives way to a tree-filled residential area not much changed from the turn of the twentieth century.

The details may have changed. Most of the businesses may be long gone. But the echoes of these scenes linger today in our historic buildings and beautiful community.





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