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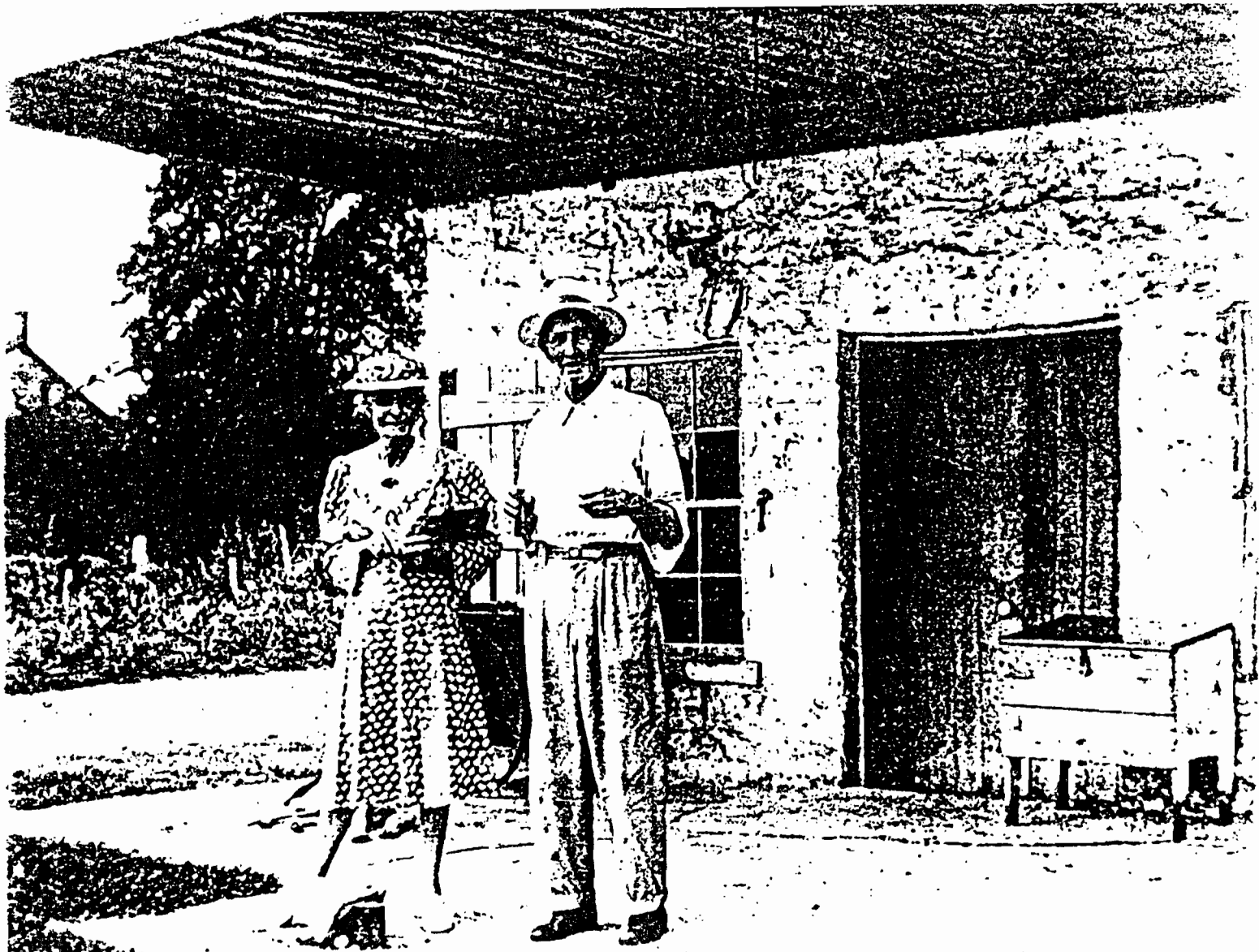
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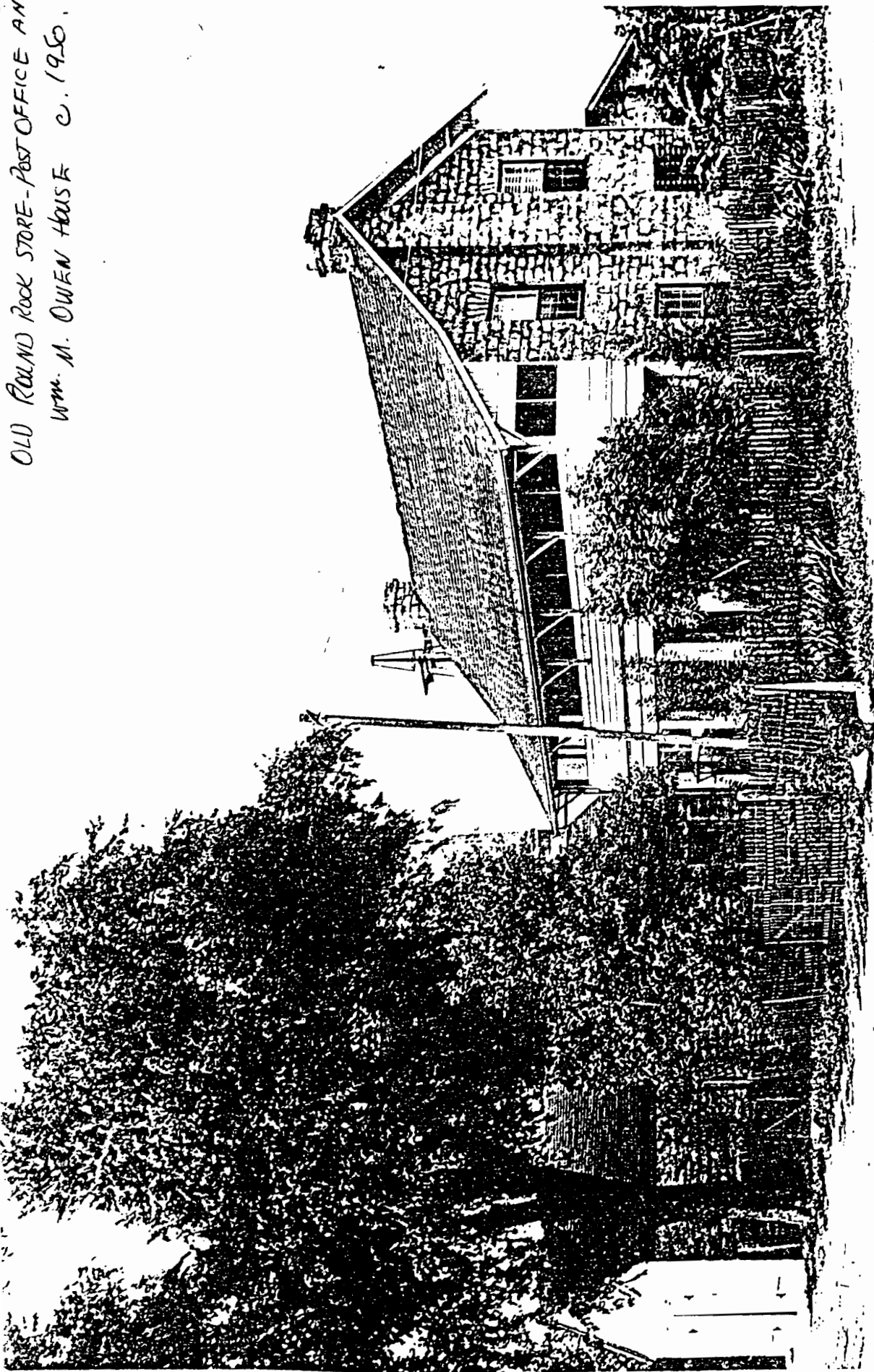
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STORE—POST OFFICE - C. 1930 - DETAIL, EXTERIOR SHUTTERS

OLD ROUND ROCK STORE-POST OFFICE AND  
Wm. M. OWEN HOUSE c. 1950.



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POST OFFICE STRUCTURE DURING McLOUD OWNERSHIP. UPPER GALLERY ENCLOSED AS  
STAIR CASE FROM STAIR

OLD ROUND CORNER OFFICE

Wm M. OWEN HOUSE COMPLEX



JAME RUTLAND STANDS IN FRONT OF Wm M. OWEN HOUSE, O. 1966.  
STORE - POST OFFICE STRUCTURE AT LEFT (NORTH OF HOUSE)