FORM B - BUILDING

 MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
 294 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02108

 Northampton
 35 Southside Prince Street

oric Name "F" Building
Original ward - female patients
Present ward

ship: □ Private individual
□ Private organization
□ Public Comm. of Mass.

Original owner Comm. of Mass.

IPTION:
Date 1934-1936
Source Annual Reports

Style Colonial Revival
Architect Gordon Robb
Exterior wall fabric brick

Outbuildings

Major alterations (with dates)

Moved __________________ Date __________________

Approx. acreage

Setting

Recorded by Ed Lonerzgan

Organization Northampton Historical Commission

Date February, 1981

(Staple additional sheets here)
ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within community)

This building is very similar to "C", "D", and "E" buildings of the "Memorial" group. All were designed by Boston architect, Gordon Robb and feature Colonial Revival detailing: including hipped roofs and cupolas. They all also have three-story, brick and concrete porches on their western sides.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community)

This was the last of the four ward buildings constructed during the late 1920's and 1930's as a new campus at the State Hospital. It was financed through the Public Works Administration project and cost $207,000 at its completion in 1936. The ward was built to house 150 female patients.

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