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FORM B - BUILDING

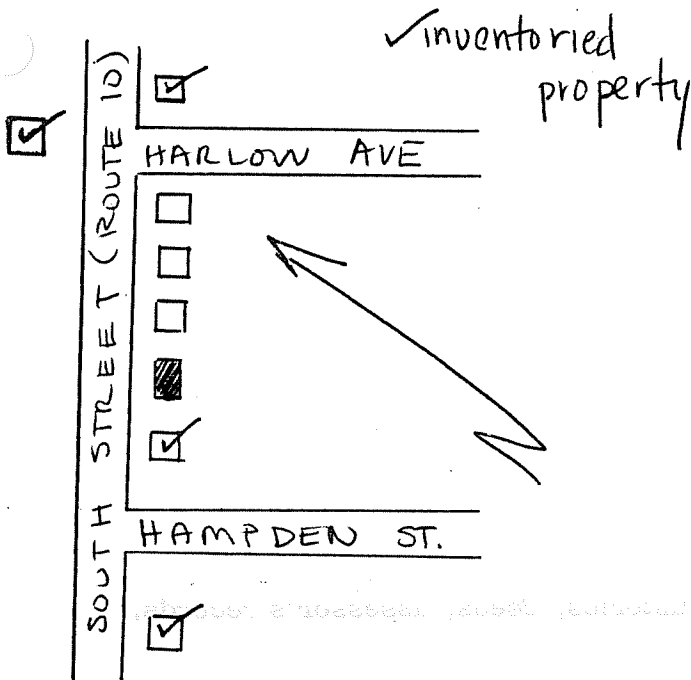
MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
	38D-2



1 Northampton
 Address 294 & 296 South Street
 2 -
 Present use Residence
 Present owner Emma Morton
 Description: 18th century
 Source visual evidence
Colonial vernacular

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.



Architect unknown
 Exterior wall fabric clapboards
 Outbuildings (describe) none
 Other features 2½ stories; 3 bays wide, 1 room deep; central chimney; overhanging stories; 20th cen. porch
 Altered yes Date _____
 Moved no? Date _____

5. Lot size:
 Less than one acre x Over one acre _____
 Approximate frontage 75 feet
 Approximate distance of building from street 20 feet

6. Recorded by C. Dubie
 Organization Northampton Historical Commission
 Date APR 16 1976

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 USGS Quadrant _____
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7. Original owner (if known) unknown

Original use homestead?

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

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| Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> | Conservation | <input type="checkbox"/> | Recreation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Agricultural | <input type="checkbox"/> | Education | <input type="checkbox"/> | Religion | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Architectural | <input type="checkbox"/> | Exploration/
settlement | <input type="checkbox"/> | Science/
invention | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| The Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> | Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> | Social/ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> | Military | <input type="checkbox"/> | Humanitarian | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> | Political | <input type="checkbox"/> | Transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Community development | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | | |

9. Historical Significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This dwelling is located on South Street in the vicinity of three similar colonial structures. Two and one-half stories in height, it displays the overhanging second and third floor levels typical in early colonial dwellings. The chimney has been altered and the entrance obscured by a porch. At the rear the roof slope continues to include a one room deep "lean-to".

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)