

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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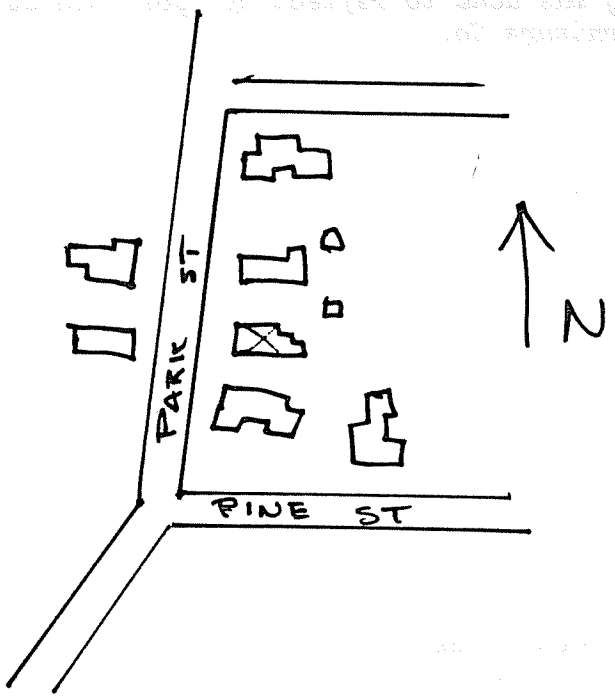
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Northampton
 Address 13 Park St.
 Name Haven House
 Present use residence
 Present owner Murray and Isabelle Cameron
 Description: c. 1850, 1900
 Source Reg. of Deeds and Directories
 Style Queen Anne

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



Architect _____
 Exterior wall fabric clapboard
 Outbuildings (describe) _____
 Other features _____

Altered remodeled Date c. 1900
 Moved -- Date _____

5. Lot size:
 One acre or less x Over one acre _____
 Approximate frontage _____
 Approximate distance of building from street _____

6. Recorded by E. Lonergan
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(over)

Original owner (if known) Edwin Eaton

Original use residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	_____	Conservation	_____	Recreation	_____
Agricultural	_____	Education	_____	Religion	_____
Architectural	<u>x</u>	Exploration/ settlement	_____	Science/ invention	_____
The Arts	_____	Industry	_____	Social/ humanitarian	_____
Commerce	_____	Military	_____	Transportation	_____
Communication	_____	Political	_____		
Community development	<u>x</u>				

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

In 1858 William Haven bought lot no. 1 of Edwin Eaton's "Village Lots", with buildings and other improvements for \$1000. A simple one-and-a-half story cottage with gable end to the street and entrance on the southern side is shown in the 1895 History of Florence. This was transformed into the present structure within the next few years. Henry Haven, who had bought the property from the heirs of William Haven in 1870, but lived on the other side of Park St., is listed at his house in the 1900 directory. The remodeling was done to reflect his position as the owner and general manager of the Florence Furniture Co.

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

1854 and 1860 County Maps.
 1873, 1884 and 1895 Atlases.
 Registry of Deeds: Bk. 283-P. 409, 282-139, 116-360.
 History of Florence, ed. by Charles Sheffield, 1895, p. 119.