

FORM B - BUILDING

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

In Area no.	Form no.
	23C-97

City Northampton

Address 557 Riverside Dr.

Use residence

Present use residence

Present owner _____

Description: _____

c. 1870

Source Map and Atlas

Architect _____

Exterior wall fabric clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) _____

Other features _____

Altered -- Date _____

Moved -- Date _____

5. Lot size:

One acre or less x Over one acre _____

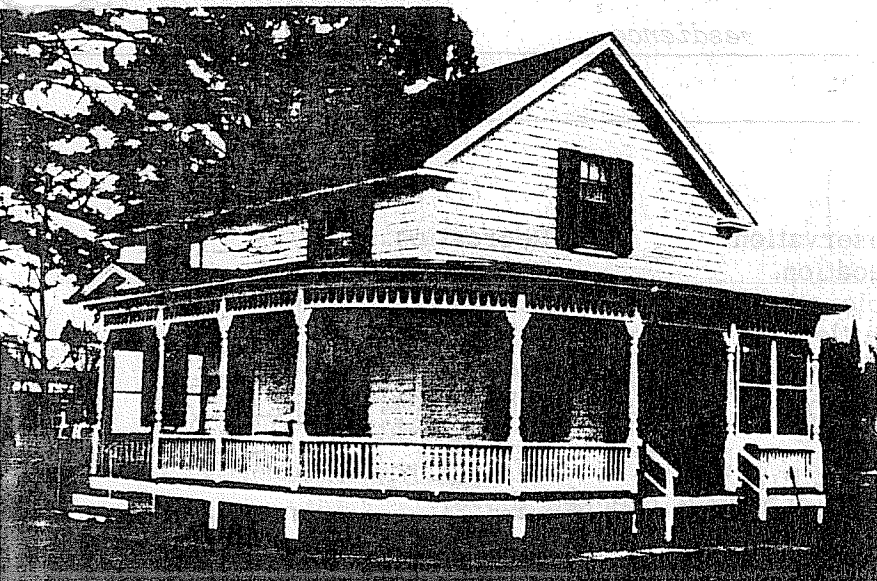
Approximate frontage _____

Approximate distance of building from street _____

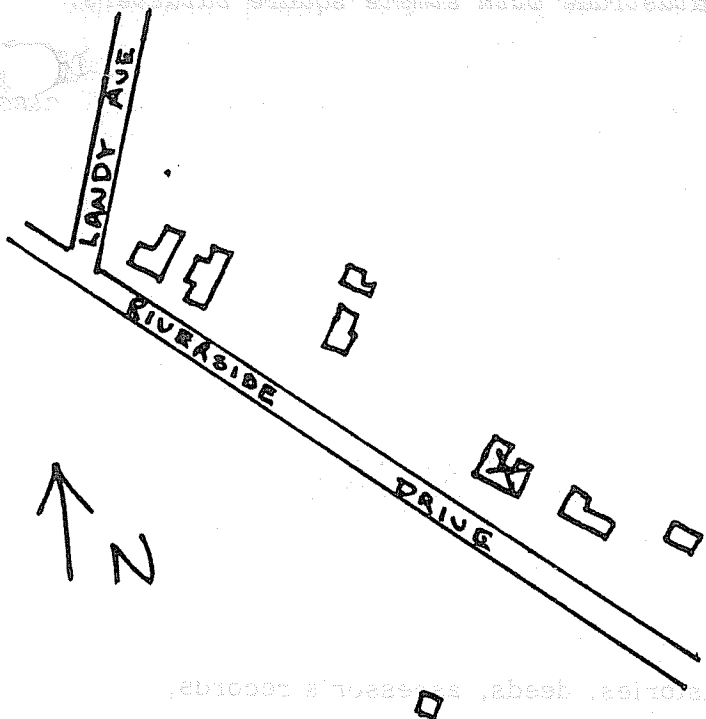
6. Recorded by E. Lonergan

Organization NHC

Date June 1980



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



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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use residence

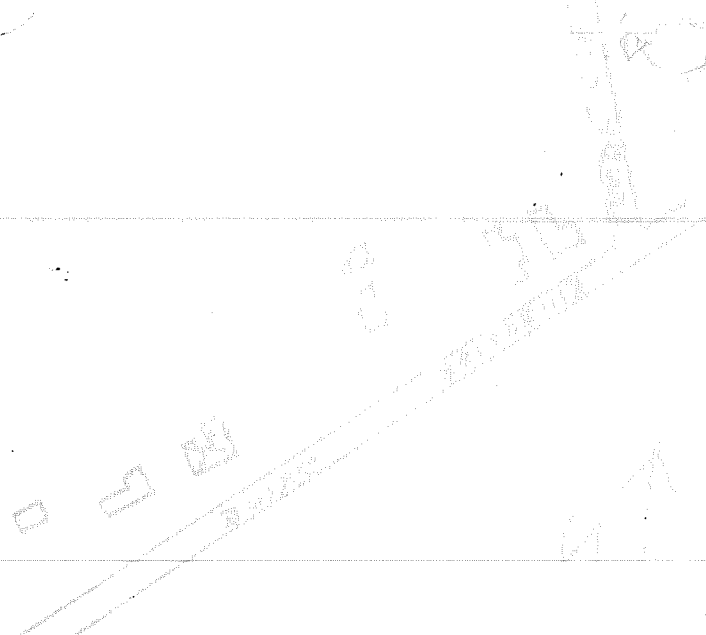
Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

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	_____				

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

This small house is architecturally interesting for its large, wrap-around porch which covers two-thirds of the facade and all of the southern side. The porch is one-story tall with flat roof and two entrances. The main entrance, on the facade is pedimented. The porch features a projecting cornice, turned-spindle frieze, turned posts with small brackets and balustrade with simple square balusters.



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

- 1860 County Map.
- 1873 and 1895 Atlases.