

FORM B - BUILDING

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

In Area no.	Form no.
	11A-5

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City Northampton

Address 46 Chestnut Ave.

Telephone

Present use residence

Present owner Timothy & Adrienne George

Description:

Approximate date 1873-84

Source Atlases

Reference

Architect

Exterior wall fabric clapboard

Outbuildings (describe)

Other features L-shaped with 2-story

tower capped by truncated Mansard

in crook of L

Altered semi-enclosed porch Date 20th C.

Moved --- Date

5. Lot size:

One acre or less  Over one acre

Approximate frontage

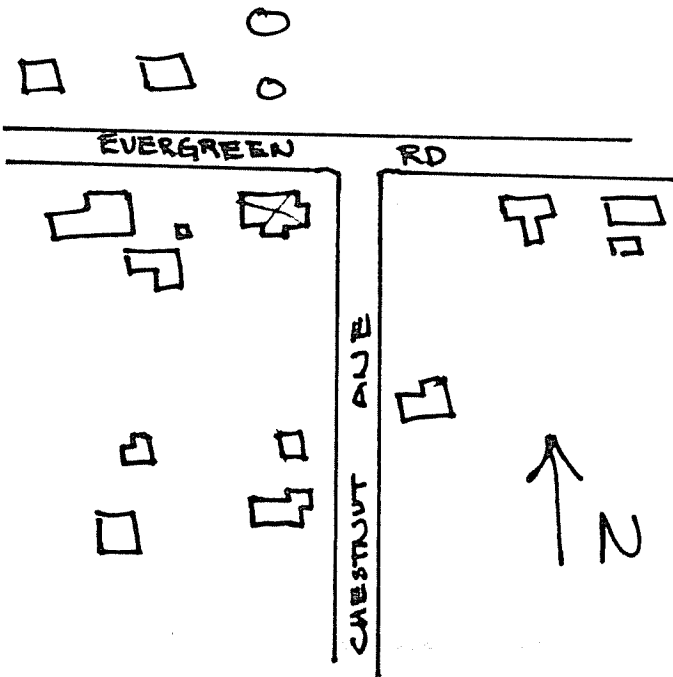
Approximate distance of building from street

6. Recorded by E. Lonergan

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Date March 1980

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



(over)

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/	_____
Commerce	_____	Military	_____	humanitarian	_____
Communication	_____	Political	_____	Transportation	_____
Community development	<u>X</u>				

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

This house is located on a corner lot in the subdivision planned by Nonotuck Silk Co. atop the hill overlooking the village of Leeds. William Moore, an overseer for the company, is listed here on the 1884 Atlas.

The house is two stories high, L-shaped and has a rear ell. A truncated tower with Mansard roof occupies the crook of the L and has a small porch attached.

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

1873, 1884 & 1895 Atlases  
Northampton Directory: 1885-86