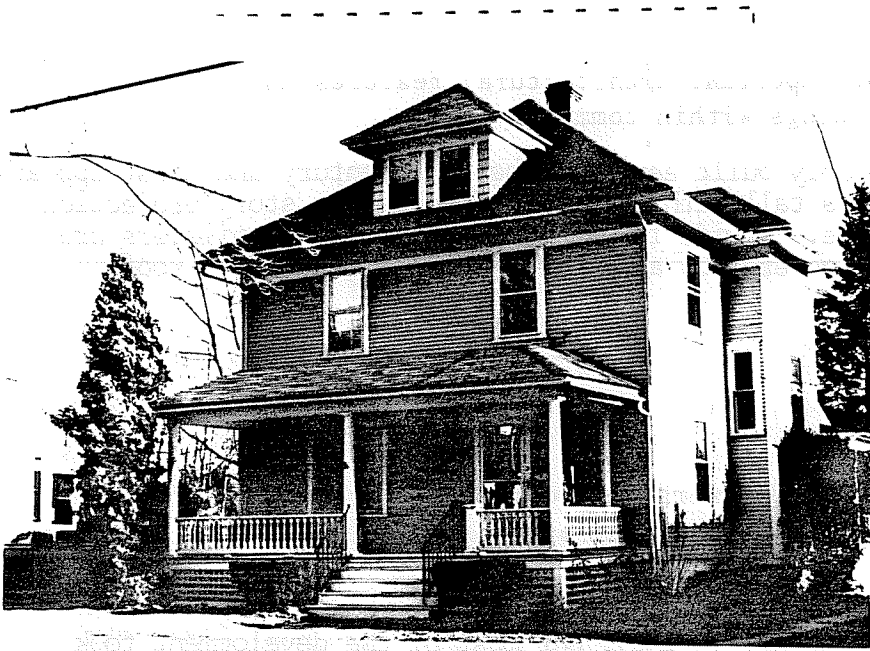


FORM B - BUILDING

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Area	Form no.
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MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION  
294 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02108



Northampton

51 Massasoit St.

ic Name \_\_\_\_\_

iginal residence \_\_\_\_\_

resent residence \_\_\_\_\_

hip:  Private individual  
Private organization \_\_\_\_\_

Public \_\_\_\_\_

iginal owner \_\_\_\_\_

PTION:

cross streets and other buildings  
or geographical features.  
Indicate north.

Date 1895-1915

Source Atlases

Style \_\_\_\_\_

Architect \_\_\_\_\_

Exterior wall fabric clapboard

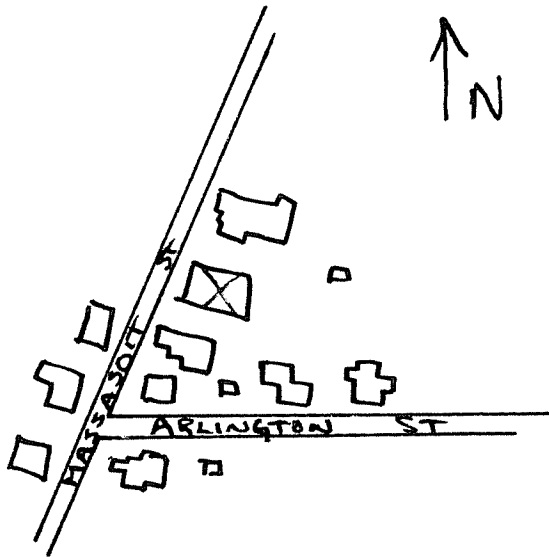
Outbuildings \_\_\_\_\_

Major alterations (with dates) ---

Moved --- Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approx. acreage one acre or less

Setting \_\_\_\_\_



Recorded by E. Lonergan

Organization MHC

Date March 1980

(Staple additional sheets here)

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

This house was probably built early in the 20th century and first appears on the 1915 atlas. It is two stories tall with hipped roof and a two story projection with hipped roof on the southern side. A wide frieze caps the block and pilsters are used at the corners. The facade is covered by a one-story porch with hipped roof, Tuscan columns and turned balustrade.

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

Massasoit St. was laid out in 1869, but most of the development took place between the mid 1880's and mid 1890's. By 1895 most of the present residences had been constructed, and any further building took place by filling in the gaps.

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