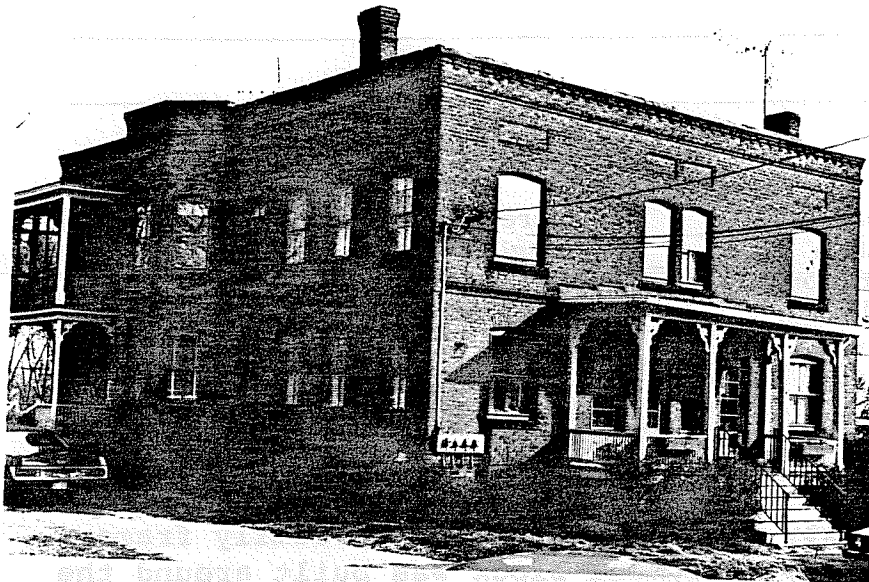


FORM B - BUILDING

In Area no.	Form no.
	25A-136

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



City Northampton

Address 1-7 Glenwood Avenue

Use residential

Present owner Stephen Cahillane & Charles Kellogg

Description:

Date 1895-1915

Source Atlases

File

Architect

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

Exterior wall fabric brick

Outbuildings (describe)

Other features brownstone sills, 1-story

front porch with decorative brackets  
brick watertable, string course and  
corbelled cornice

Altered --- Date

Moved --- Date ---

5. Lot size:

One acre or less \_\_\_ Over one acre \_\_\_

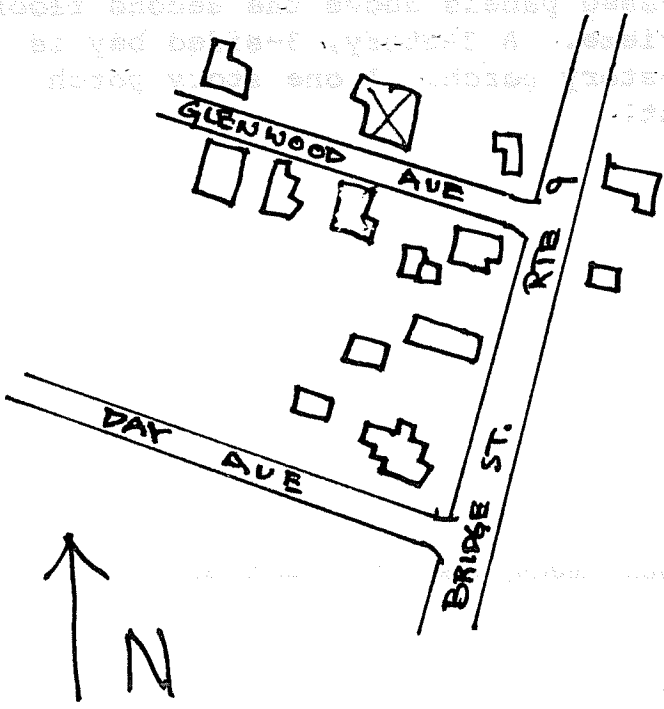
Approximate frontage

Approximate distance of building from street

6. Recorded by E. Lonergan

Organization NHC

Date February 1980



(over)

Original owner (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Original use residential

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates \_\_\_\_\_

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	_____	Conservation	_____	Recreation	_____
Agricultural	_____	Education	_____	Religion	_____
Architectural	_____	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)

Northampton is primarily a city of one-family and two-family frame houses. This two-story, four-family apartment block was built around the turn of the century. Charles Crouch, a local contractor and builder, had filed a subdivision plan in 1898. This plan was for lots on both sides of a new street, called Glenwood Ave., off of Bridge St. Glenwood Ave. was opened through the old Bridge St. homestead of Mrs. Charles Lyman.

The block is notable for its decorative qualities, which are primarily executed in brick. These include a watertable, continuous string course between the first and second floor, recessed panels above the second floor windows, and a corbelled cornice with frieze. A 2-story, 3-sided bay is on the side of the block along with a 2-story porch. A one story porch with decorative brackets graces the front.

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

- 1895 & 1915 Atlases
- Registry of Deeds: Bk. 512 P. 150 & 151
- Northampton Directory: 1895-96