

FORM B. - BUILDING

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

In Area no.	Form no. 31A-51
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Northampton

Address 226 Crescent St.

Present use residence

Present owner William and Madeleine Mahoney

Description: 1922-30

Source Directories

Bungalow

Architect _____

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

Exterior wall fabric wood shingles

Outbuildings (describe) _____

Other features _____

Altered --- Date _____

Moved --- Date _____

5. Lot size:

One acre or less x Over one acre _____

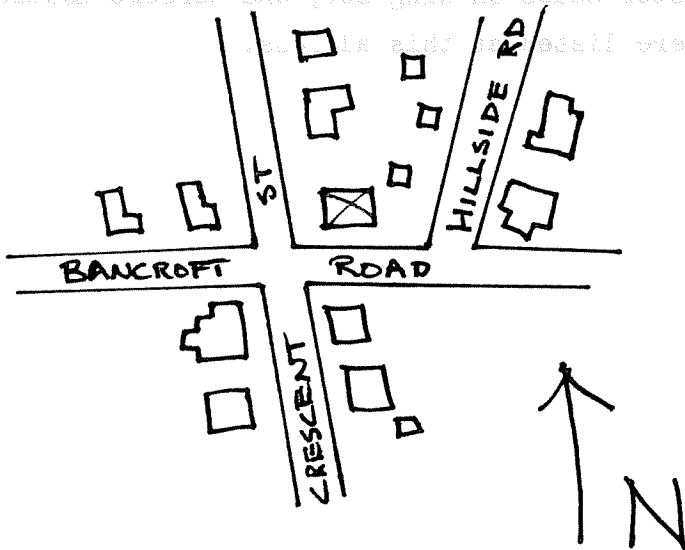
Approximate frontage _____

Approximate distance of building from street
20'

6. Recorded by E. Lonergan

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Date April 1980



(over)

7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use residence _____

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

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| 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)

Crescent St. was laid out in 1886 midway along the slopes of Round Hill. It quickly became one of the most fashionable street to build upon in the city. Development was mostly during the first third of the 20th century. This corner house was built during the mid 1920's and is an interesting example of a double house within the Bungalow mode. In 1930 James Abbott, a salesman for Packard, Hudson and Essex Motor Cars at McGrannis Motor Sales on King St., and Herbert Loomis, director of Smith's Agricultural School, were listed at this address.

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

- 1915 Atlas.
- Northampton Directory: 1922, 1930.