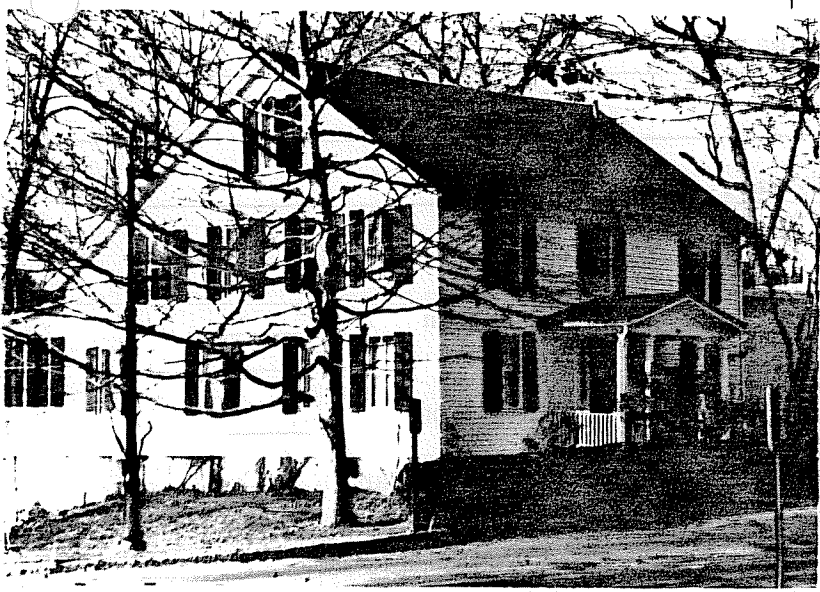


FORM B - BUILDING

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

In Area no.	Form no.
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1. Town Northampton
 Address 51 College Lane
 Name Faculty Center (Little House)
 Present use Faculty Club

Present owner Smith College

3. Description: 2 story clapboard
 Date 1879-81

Source Maps and Street Directory

Style Cottage

Architect Unknown

Exterior wall fabric Wood

Outbuildings (describe) No

Other features Now Attached to the new Faculty Center building. See second Form B.

Altered _____ Date _____

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size: Campus
 One acre or less _____ Over one acre _____

Approximate frontage _____

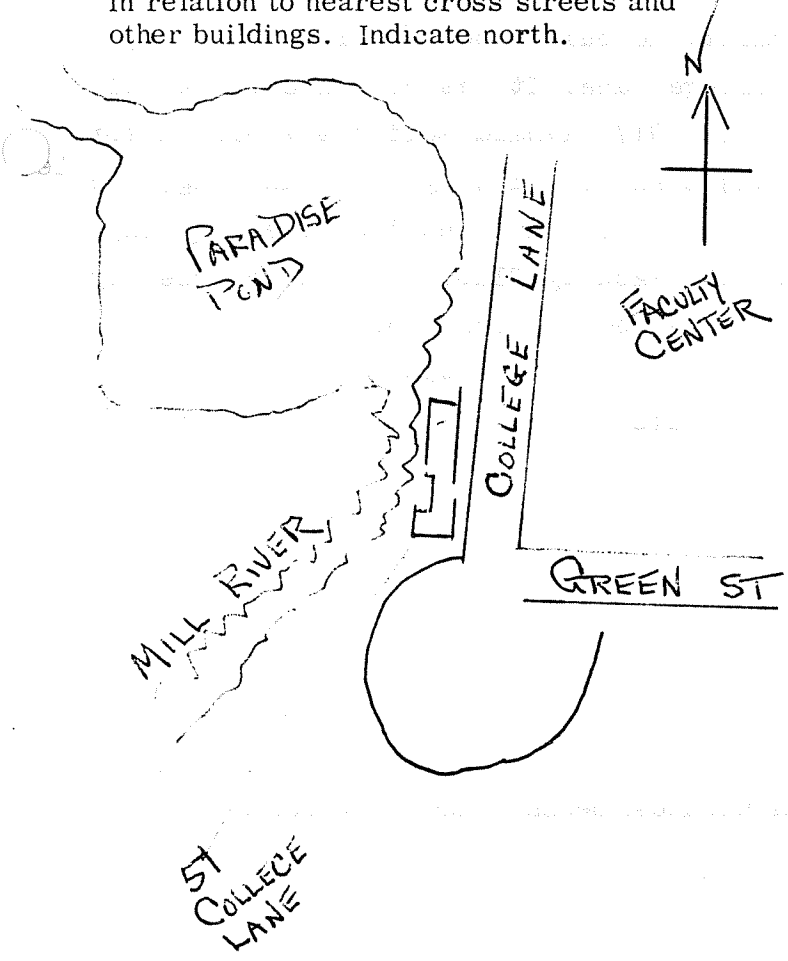
Approximate distance of building from street
8 feet

6. Recorded by E. T. Lincoln

Organization Northampton Hist. Comm.

Date May 1979

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



(over)

7. Original owner (if known) Charles A. Maynard

Original use Superintendent's Cottage

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Dean's House, Faculty Club

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	<u> </u>	Conservation	<u> </u>	Recreation	<u> </u>
Agricultural	<u> </u>	Education	<u> x </u>	Religion	<u> </u>
Architectural	<u> </u>	Exploration/ settlement	<u> </u>	Science/ invention	<u> </u>
The Arts	<u> </u>	Industry	<u> x </u>	Social/ humanitarian	<u> </u>
Commerce	<u> </u>	Military	<u> </u>	Transportation	<u> </u>
Communication	<u> </u>	Political	<u> </u>		
Community development	<u> x </u>				

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

Charles A. Maynard purchased in 1879 the properties of the Clement and Hawkes manufacturing Co. at the foot of what was then called Mill Lane for the manufacture of hoes and other garden equipment. He built soon after this cottage on the northwest side of what is now College Lane. It was occupied by Daniel Riley, machinist, Maynard's employee. In 1917 Maynard sold the whole factory property to Smith College. The house was then occupied by Franklin King, the superintendent of building and grounds at Smith. In about 1940 the building was reassigned to the newly founded College Faculty Club. It was occupied by Miss Randall, the Dean of the College, for a decade from 1950 - 1960. In 1960 the College built the present Faculty Center which was attached to the cottage structure, when it returned to its earlier function as a part of the Faculty Club building.

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

- Registry of Deeds Book 732 page 265, 1917 Charles A. Maynard to Smith College
- Northampton Maps 1873, 1884, 1895
- Northampton Street Directory 1884-5 and following
- Smith College Directory 1913 and following