

FORM B - BUILDING

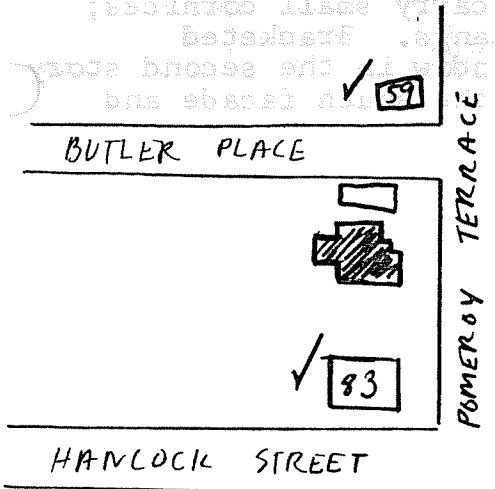
MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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In Area no. <u>E</u>	Form no. <u>32A-216</u>
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Northampton
71 Pomeroy Terrace
Wm. Lawrence House
use Mental Health Association
owner Frederick Ostrowski
ion:
1856
Daily Hampshire Gazette
April 8, 1856
Italian Villa

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



✓ other inventoried property

Architect Wm. Fenno Pratt
 Exterior wall fabric clapboards
 Outbuildings (describe) _____
 Other features Tower with paired round headed windows; bracketed overhang on roofs; bracketed door hood
 Altered numerous additions in rear Date _____
 Moved no Date _____

5. Lot size:
 One acre or less x Over one acre _____
 Approximate frontage 150 feet
 Approximate distance of building from street
20 feet

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
 USGS Quadrant _____
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7. Original owner (if known) William Lawrence

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Hampshire County Mental Health-1974

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	<u> </u>	Conservation	<u> </u>	Recreation	<u> </u>
Agricultural	<u> </u>	Education	<u> </u>	Religion	<u> </u>
Architectural	<u> x </u>	Exploration/ settlement	<u> </u>	Science/ invention	<u> </u>
The Arts	<u> </u>	Industry	<u> </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)

This Italianate residence was built for William Lawrence in 1856 and is similar in design to others executed by Wm. F. Pratt during this period. The tower with its paired round headed windows may be a later addition: the projecting story is clapboarded unlike the body of the house and tower in which the wall surface is smooth in imitation of masonry construction. Identical windows in the body of the house carry small cornices; the bay and roofs have deep bracketed overhangs. Bracketed hoods cover the arched doorway and round window in the second story of the tower. Additions have been made to the south facade and the rear of the structure.

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

Daily Hampshire Gazette, April 8, 1856, April 7, 1868.
Hampshire Registry of Deeds: 165.98, 250.389, 402, 316.492,
691.503, 784.584, 1762.74.