

FORM B - BUILDING

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

In Area no.	Form no.
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Northampton

is 83 Pomeroy Terrace

L. G. Field House

it use Residence

at owner Katherine Taylor

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1868-1870

orce Registry of Deeds, Gazette, 11/19/67

Bracketed house w/mansard

ject unknown

in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

Exterior wall fabric clapboards

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features mansard roof with

pedimented dormers; bracketed over-

hang on roof; numerous additions

Altered mansard added? Date _____

Moved no Date _____

5. Lot size:

One acre or less x Over one acre _____

Approximate frontage 100 feet

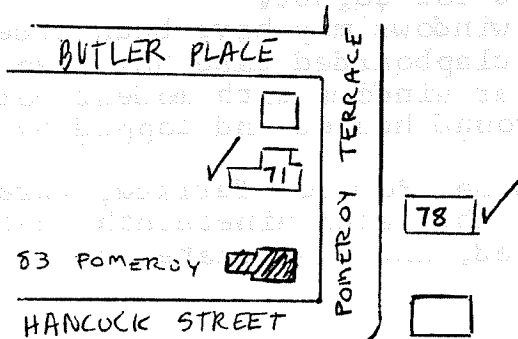
Approximate distance of building from street

10 feet

6. Recorded by C. Dubie

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✓ other unmarked property
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7. Original owner (if known) Leonard G. Field

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Agricultural	<input type="checkbox"/>	Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	Religion	<input type="checkbox"/>
Architectural	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Science/ invention	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	Industry	<input type="checkbox"/>	Social/ humanitarian	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/>	Military	<input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Communication	<input type="checkbox"/>	Political	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Community development	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				

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

This residence with mansard roof was built by L. G. Field in the late 1860's. He purchased the lot in 1867 from Caroline Lawrence, widow of William Lawrence whose 1859 Italianate house still stands to the north. The Daily Hampshire Gazette reported: "L. G. Field has purchased a building lot, Phillips Place, from Mrs. William Lawrence, and will build a 10,000 house on it." The substantial dwelling and land were sold in 1870 for \$8,500.

The mansard roof with dormer windows may have been added to the body of the house. The two story clapboarded base has deep bracketed overhang and large regular windows with modest cornices. Windows in the mansard story are round headed and topped by bold pediments.

Phillips Place and its extension, Pomeroy Terrace, were developed as a residential area in the later nineteenth century. A number of fine cottages, bracketed, and Italianate styles remain.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.) Registry of Deeds, Hampshire County, 1169.46, 1169.43, 1106.393, 994.342, 873.138, 596.246, 511.495, 337.449, 300.361, 254.317.

Daily Hampshire Gazette, November 19, 1867.