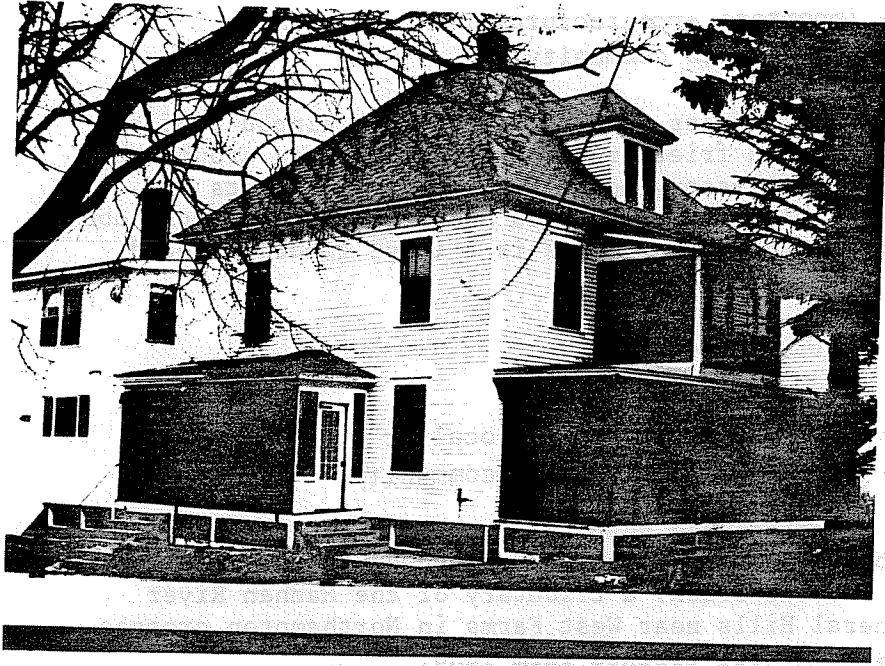


FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION  
294 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02108



Northampton

417 Westhampton Rd.

Name "Pine Hill Farm"

Original residence

Present residence

Ownership:  Private individual  
Private organization

Public

Original owner

Construction:

c. 1900

Source visual evidence

Style

Architect

Exterior wall fabric clapboard

Outbuildings large barn + silo

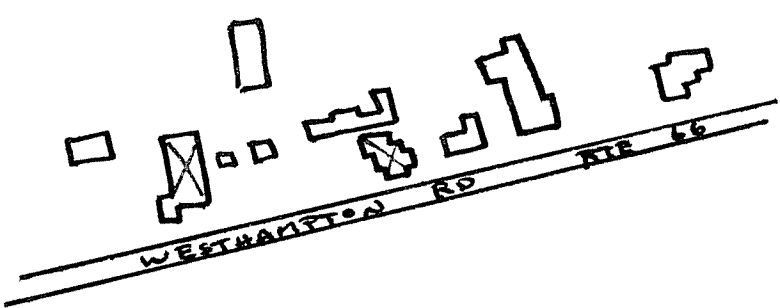
Major alterations (with dates)

Moved --- Date

Approx. acreage over one acre

Setting

or geographical features.  
Indicate north.



Recorded by E. Lonergan

Organization NHC

Date June 1980

(Staple additional sheets here)

ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within community)

The house is two stories in height with high hipped roof and a hipped dormer on the front slope. A bracketed frieze runs beneath the eaves around the house. The three-bay facade is covered by a one-story porch with flat roof, posts and brackets and a balustrade; and there is a smaller porch located above the lower porch, above the central entrance. The most prominent of the outbuildings is a large gambrel-roofed barn with two, attached silos.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community)

This large farmhouse and outbuildings is located near Pine Grove, a small section of Northampton about two miles west of the center on the road to Westhampton. Saw Mill Brook (now known as Parsons Brook) a tributary of the Manhan River that rises in the Saw Mill Hills and Mineral Hills near West Farms in Northampton crosses the road just east of here, and provides some well-drained farm land.

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