

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Boston, MA 02108



Newburyport

Address 237 Storey Avenue

Historic Name _____

Original Residence

Present Residence

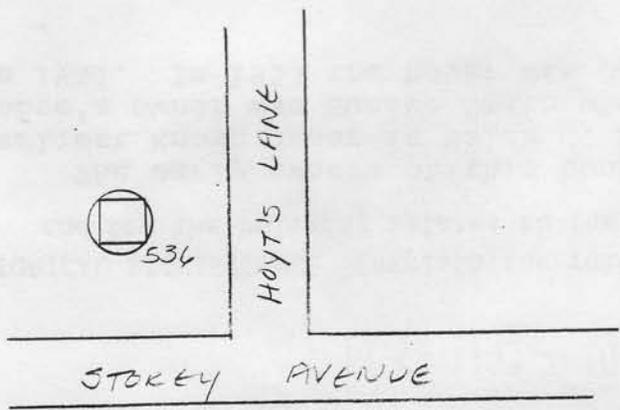
Ownership: Private individual
 Private organization

Public _____

Original owner Unknown

SKETCH MAP

Draw map showing property's location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings or geographical features. Indicate north.



DESCRIPTION:

Date Eighteenth Century

Source Building Fabric

Style Georgian

Architect Unknown

Exterior wall fabric Clapboards

Outbuildings Garage, shed

Major alterations (with dates) additions at rear (dates unknown)

Moved _____ Date _____

Approx. acreage 3.40 acres

Setting in rural area near the Artichoke River.

Recorded by Mary Jane Stirgwort

Organization Office of Community Development

Date 01-15-81

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

This two story house with pitched roof and symmetrical five bay facade probably dates from the eighteenth century. The placement of the chimneys indicate that this building may have an earliest core. The front entrance located in the central bay has been altered and presently has the sidelights and pilasters characteristic of the early nineteenth century.

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

The early owners of this house have yet to be documented. The earliest known owner is Helen C. Moseley, owner in 1924. Later the house's owner was Eunice Smith who sold the property to George Barker in 1941. In 1953 the house was conveyed to Walter Rogers.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

Assessor's Records 1890-1980