

# Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

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<b>Inventory No:</b>	NWB.666
<b>Historic Name:</b>	
<b>Common Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	263 Merrimac St
<b>City/Town:</b>	Newburyport
<b>Village/Neighborhood:</b>	
<b>Local No:</b>	399; 60-42
<b>Year Constructed:</b>	C 1850
<b>Architect(s):</b>	
<b>Architectural Style(s):</b>	Greek Revival
<b>Use(s):</b>	Single Family Dwelling House
<b>Significance:</b>	Architecture
<b>Area(s):</b>	NWB.I: Merrimack Shipbuilding District NWB.L: Newburyport Historic District
<b>Designation(s):</b>	Nat'l Register District (8/2/1984)



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2. Town Newburyport, Mass

Street address 263 Merrimac St

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Name Calphornia St

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Original use Residence

Present use Residence

Present owner Henry Bawn?

Open to public No

Date 1850

Style Colonial

Source of date \_\_\_\_\_

Architect \_\_\_\_\_

Art/sculpture  
Education  
Government  
Literature  
Music

Travel/communication

Military affairs

Religion/philosophy

Indians

Development of town/city

3. CONDITION: Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated Moved Altered Added \_\_\_\_\_

#### 4. DESCRIPTION

FOUNDATION/BASEMENT: High Regular Low Material: Stone

WALL COVER: Wood Clapboard Brick Stone Other \_\_\_\_\_

ROOF: Ridge Gambrel Flat Hip Mansard  
Tower Cupola Dormer windows Balustrade Grillwork \_\_\_\_\_

CHIMNEYS: 1 2 3 4 Center End Interior Irregular Cluster Elaborate

STORIES: 1 2 3 4 ATTACHMENTS: Wings Ell Shed \_\_\_\_\_

PORCHES: 1 2 3 4 PORTICO \_\_\_\_\_ Balcony

FACADE: Gable end: Front/Side Ornament: \_\_\_\_\_

Entrance: Side Front: Center/Side Details: \_\_\_\_\_

Windows: Spacing: Regular/Irregular Identical/Varied \_\_\_\_\_

Corners: Plain Pilasters Quoins Cornerboards \_\_\_\_\_

5. Indicate location of structure in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings

6. Footage of structure from street 6  
Property has 40 feet frontage on street

1 4 CALIFORNIA ST.  
MERRIMAC ST.

Recorder David L. Jones

For Antique Study Co.

Photo ye

Date Feb 20/1970

SEE REVERSE SIDE

CORNER MERRIMAC & CALIFORNIA



# RELATION OF SURROUNDING TO STRUCTURE

NWB. 1066

## 1. Outbuildings

## 2. Landscape Features: Agriculture Open Wooded Garden: Formal/Informal

Predominant features

Landscape architect

## 3. Neighboring Structures

Style: Colonial Federal Greek Revival Gothic Revival Italian Villa Lombard Rom.

Venetian Gothic Mansard Richardsonian Modern

Use: Residential Commercial Religious

Conditions: Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated

GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF HISTORIC IMPORTANCE OF SITE (Refer and elaborate on theme circled on front of form)

## 4. DESCRIPTION

## BIBLIOGRAPHY AND/OR REFERENCE

## RESTRICTIONS

Original Owner:

Deed Information: Book Number Page , Registry of Deeds

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