MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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Setting in residential area of

primarily eighteenth and nineteenth

century dwellings.

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

This house is a fine example of the two story, gambrel roofed homes built in Newburyport during the eighteenth century. The gambrel roof was very popular during this period because of the extra headroom it afforded. This house has several noteworthy features. These include the double hung window sash with nine over six lights and the fine Georgian doorway. The door is flanked by Doric pilasters supporting an entablature with dentil moulding above. The siding on the building's facade has recently been removed and the clapboards restored.

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

The original owner of this property is not known. An 1851 Map of Newburyport notes that J. Brierley was the owner at that time. Brierley is not listed in the City Directory for that year.

Prior to 1871, this house was sold to Charles B. Gorwaiz, Joseph B. Gorwaiz and George Gorwaiz. The house remained in the Gorwaiz family until 1914 when Albert Gorwaiz sold the house to Mary A. Doyle.

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