

# Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

## Scanned Record Cover Page

<b>Inventory No:</b>	NWB.706
<b>Historic Name:</b>	
<b>Common Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	53 Purchase St
<b>City/Town:</b>	Newburyport
<b>Village/Neighborhood:</b>	
<b>Local No:</b>	327; 26-79
<b>Year Constructed:</b>	R 1750
<b>Architect(s):</b>	
<b>Architectural Style(s):</b>	Georgian
<b>Use(s):</b>	Single Family Dwelling House
<b>Significance:</b>	Architecture
<b>Area(s):</b>	NWB.F: Joppa District NWB.L: Newburyport Historic District
<b>Designation(s):</b>	Nat'l Register District (8/2/1984)



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2. Town

Newburyport

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Street address

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Present use

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Present owner

Edward S. Knight  
Oliver D. Osgood

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Open to public

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Date

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Style

Colonial

Education

Military affairs

Government

Religion/philosophy

Literature

Indians

Music

Development of town/city

Architect

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 4Center

End

Interior

Irregular

Cluster

Elaborate

STORIES: 1 2 3 4

ATTACHMENTS: Wings Ell Shed

to rear

PORCHES: 1 2 3 4

PORTICO

Balcony

FACADE: Gable end: Front/Side Ornament:

Entrance: Side Front Center/Side Details:Windows: Spacing: Regular Irregular Identical/VariedCorners: 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 60' feet frontage on street

Recorder

S. Barnes

For

NYS Hist Study

Photo

Date

11/20/69

PURCHASE ST



HARRISON ST

SEE REVERSE SIDE

# RELATION OF SURROUNDING TO STRUCTURE

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1. Outbuildings 1 carriage
2. Landscape Features: Agriculture Open Wooded Garden: Formal/Informal  
 Predominant features NA  
 Landscape architect NA
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)

## BIBLIOGRAPHY AND/OR REFERENCE

## RESTRICTIONS

Original Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Deed Information: Book Number \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ Registry of Deeds