

Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

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Inventory No:	NWB.641
Historic Name:	
Common Name:	
Address:	54-56 Federal St
City/Town:	Newburyport
Village/Neighborhood:	
Local No:	279; 16-9
Year Constructed:	C 1775
Architect(s):	
Architectural Style(s):	Federal
Use(s):	Multiple Family Dwelling House
Significance:	Architecture
Area(s):	NWB.D: South End District NWB.L: Newburyport Historic District
Designation(s):	Nat'l Register District (8/2/1984)



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2. Town

Newburyport (641)MISSION
Boston

Street address

*54-56 Federal*Want to:
on

Name

with the
side):

Original use

Res

Present use

all

Present owner

Perley V. Merrick

try

Open to public

NO

Date

Style

18th cent

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

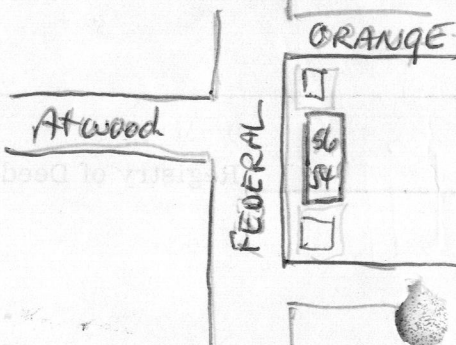
FOUNDATION/BASEMENT: High Regular Low Material: BrickWALL COVER: Wood Cla board Brick Stone OtherROOF: Ridge Gambrel Flat Hip Mansard
Tower Cupola Dormer windows Balustrade GrillworkCHIMNEYS: 1 2 3 4 Center End Interior Irregular Cluster ElaborateSTORIES: 1 2 3 4 ATTACHMENTS: Wings Ell Shed

PORCHES: 1 2 3 4 PORTICO Balcony

FACADE: Gable end: Front/Side Ornament:

Entrance: Side Front Center/Side Details: 2 entrancesWindows: Spacing: Regular Irregular Identical/Varied - Bay window added on right side (#54)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 8'
Property has 60' feet frontage on street

Recorder

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For

Newburyport Hist. Study Com

Photo

Date

8/1/69

SEE REVERSE SIDE

RELATION OF SURROUNDING TO STRUCTURE

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)

BIBLIOGRAPHY AND/OR REFERENCE

RESTRICTIONS _____

Original Owner: _____
Deed Information: Book Number _____ Page _____

Registry of Deeds