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Inventory No:	NWB.356
Historic Name:	Arakelian, N. House
Common Name:	
Address:	98-100 Pleasant St
City/Town:	Newburyport
Village/Neighborhood:	
Local No:	47-32
Year Constructed:	C 1855
Architect(s):	
Architectural Style(s):	Greek Revival
Use(s):	Multiple Family Dwelling House
Significance:	Architecture
Area(s):	NWB.L: Newburyport Historic District
Designation(s):	Nat'l Register District (8/2/1984)



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FORM B - BUILDING

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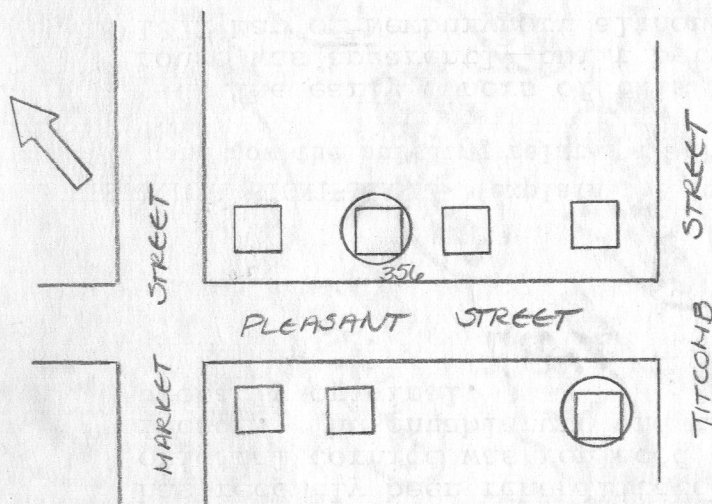
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SKETCH MAP

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



Recorded by Mary Jane Stirgwort
 Organization Office of Community Development
 Date 8-25-80

Newburyport

Address 98-100 Pleasant Street

Historic Name _____

Original ResidencePresent Residence
 Ownership: ☒ Private individual
☐ Private organization _____

Public _____

Original owner Unknown

DESCRIPTION:

Date c. 1855Source 1851, 1872 Maps of Nbpt.Style Greek RevivalArchitect UnknownExterior wall fabric Clapboards, shingles

Outbuildings _____

Major alterations (with dates) side walls
reshingled, windows in facade replaced,
cornice replaced (recent)

Moved _____ Date _____

Approx. acreage 2,480 sq. ft.

Setting in area of mixed commercial
and residential use and across from
the North Congregational Church.

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

This building is vernacular Greek Revival in style. The building has recently been rehabilitated. During the rehabilitation, the original cornice was replaced as were the windows in the building's facade. The entablature and the flanking pilasters of the doorway are probably original.

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 building have not been documented. The house was apparently built between 1851 and 1872. It does appear on the 1872 Map of Newburyport although the owner is not noted.

In 1924 the house was owned by N. Arakelian.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

- 1851 Plan of Newburyport, Mass. H. McIntire
- 1872 Map of the City of Newburyport, Mass. D. G. Beers and Co.
- Assessor's Records 1890-1980
- 1924 City Directory