

HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT

Strafford Rockingham Regional Council

1 Water Street, Exeter, New Hampshire

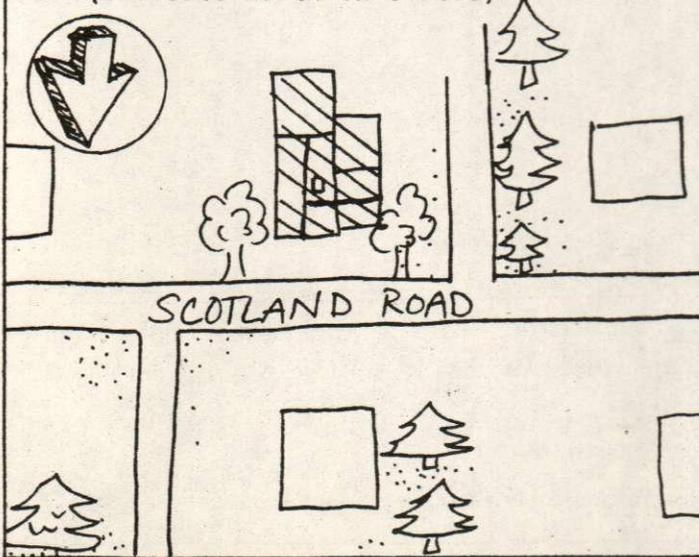
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TOWN: Kingston	COUNTY: Rockingham	UTM: Z 19/E 332500 /N 4754800
SURVEY NUMBER: 115		USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series
COMMON NAME: Durso House		FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Tackshop
HISTORIC NAME: L. S. Schelling House		PRESENT USE: Residential
LOCATION: S side of Scotland Rd., .35 miles West of intersection of Depot Road.		ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown
OWNER: Robert Durso		CONDITION: Exc. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins
ADDRESS: 7 Scotland Rd., Kingston, NH		INTEGRITY: Original Site <input type="checkbox"/> Moved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (When: c. 1860)
MAP & PARCEL #: U-8/11 & 11A		Major alterations & date: Totally remodeled c. 1960
DATE: c. 1850		LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local
SOURCE: Walter S. Clark		
STYLE: Vernacular		

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

- FOUNDATION: Stone Brick Concrete Concrete Block
- WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame Post & Beam Ballon Frame Other
Load Bearing Masonry Stone Brick Concrete Block Other
Metal Iron Steel Other
- WALL COVERING: Clapboard Wood Shingle Board & Batten Shiplap Aluminum Novelty Stucco Stone Brick Sheet Metal Asphalt Shingles Vinyl Asphalt Sheeting Composite Board Other
- ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle Asphalt Shingle Standing Seam Tim Slate Pressed Metal Sheet Metal Rolled Asphalt Other
- ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
- OTHER:
of Stories 1 # of Bays 4x1 Approx. Dimensions 20' x 15'
Roof Style: Gable Hip Gambrel Flat Shed Mansard Jerkinhead
Monitor Sawtooth Other
Appendages: Porches 1 Towers Dormers Bay Windows Ells 1 Chimneys 2
Wings 1 Cupolas Sheds Garage Other
Entry Location: Center Sidehall Other Offset

MAP (Indicate North in circle):



PHOTO



Description of View: Front-north
Side-west

Photographer: Herb Bubert

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

A portion of this 1-story, vernacular style house dates back to the mid-nineteenth century, while most of the structure was constructed c. 1960. The offset entry has a recent 4-panelled door. All of the windows have six-over-six sash and some are framed with vinyl shutters. The main block and additions all rest on a poured concrete foundation.

The 1-story ell has six-over-six windows and is topped by a narrow chimney. On the south elevation of the ell is a 1-story, enclosed porch. On the south elevation of the main block is a 1-story wing which appears to be the older structure. It has clapboard siding, six-over-six windows framed by architrave trim and shutters, and rests on poured concrete.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: .4 acres bounded to the N-Scotland Road, S-Speliotis, E-Clark, W-Strout.

REFERENCES:

1856 Map

1892 Map

'STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

While the L. S. Schelling House may have had its origins in the mid-19th century, modifications have made them indiscernable.

MAP DATA: 1856: L. S. Schelling
1892: Mrs. E. W. Wilson

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land__ Woodland__ Scattered Bldgs__ Moderately Built Up__
Densely Built Up__ Residential__ Commercial__ Industrial__ Agricultural__
Roadside Strip Development__ Other__

Recorded By: Herb Bubert
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