

HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT

Strafford Rockingham Regional Council

1 Water Street, Exeter, New Hampshire

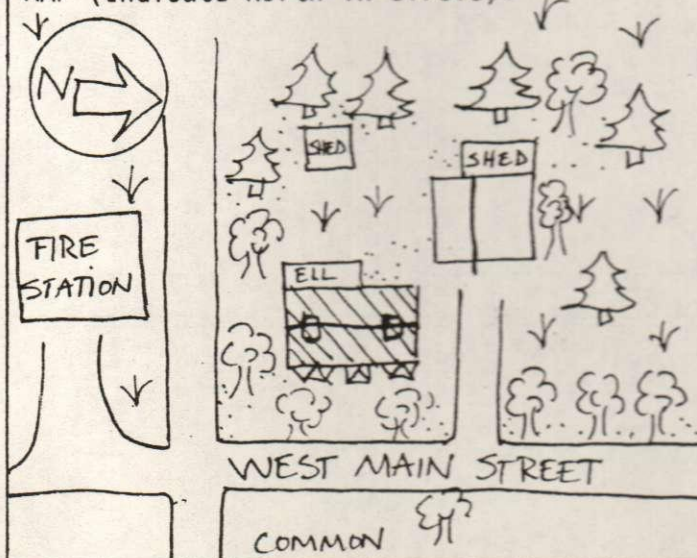
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TOWN: Kingston	COUNTY: Rockingham	UTM: Z 19/E 332200 /N 4755325
SURVEY NUMBER: 91*		USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series
COMMON NAME: Coan House		FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Farmhouse
HISTORIC NAME: E. F. Noyes House		PRESENT USE: Residential
LOCATION: W side of west Main St. N of intersection of W. Main & Rockrimmon		ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown
OWNER: William M. Coan		CONDITION: Exc. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>
ADDRESS: 150 Main St. West, Kingston, NH		INTEGRITY: Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/> (When: <input type="text"/>)
MAP & PARCEL #: U-10/5		Major alterations & date: Greek Revival and Victorian era additions, dates unknown
DATE: c. 1780		LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SOURCE: Inspection		
STYLE: Federal		

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 Tin ☐ Slate ☐
Pressed Metal ☐ Sheet Metal ☐ Rolled Asphalt ☐ Other ☐
- ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
- OTHER:
of Stories 2 # of Bays 3x2 Approx. Dimensions 35' x 20'
Roof Style: Gable ☒ Hip ☐ Gambrel ☐ Flat ☐ Shed ☐ Mansard ☐ Jerkinhead ☐
Monitor ☐ Sawtooth ☐ Other ☐
Appendages: Porches 1 Towers ☐ Dormers ☐ Bay Windows 2 Ells 1 Chimneys 2
Wings ☐ Cupolas ☐ Sheds 2 Garage ☐ Other ☐ Garage/Barn ☐
Entry Location: Center ☒ Sidehall ☐ Other ☐

MAP (Indicate North in circle):



PHOTO



Description of View: Front-east
Side-north

Photographer: Herb Bubert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
Negative File Number: K-80-30/33-33A

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The Coan house is a 2-story, twin chimney Federal style structure which has further evolved with the additions of some Greek Revival period windows and trim, and Victorian era bay windows and porch. The center entry has a 4-panelled door flanked by full-length sidelights and topped by a panelled transom. A 1-story, hip-roofed enclosed porch with several multi-light windows is located on the front facade. Flanking the porch are two, 1-story, hip-roofed bay windows each with one-over-one windows with recessed panels below. On the front and sides of the main block the windows are six-over-six framed by shutters and pedimented lintels. On the west elevation are some nine-over-six windows framed by architrave trim. The low-pitch roof is topped by twin, tall, narrow, corbel-capped chimneys and the eaves treatment consists of close raking eaves and a boxed cornice with a wide, molded frieze on the lateral eaves. Most of the foundation is granite with some brick on the sides.

The 1-story, shed-roofed ell has clapboard siding, six-over-six and two-over-one windows framed by shutters and rests on a brick foundation.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT: A separate 1½-story, gable-roofed barn with clapboard siding and a fieldstone foundation, is located to the northwest of the main block. It has decorative shingles in its gable and six-over-six windows with projecting caps. A 1-story, gable-roofed shed extends from the west elevation of the barn.

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: .6 acres bounded to the N-Moore, S-Rockrimmon Road, E-West Main Street, W-Erne.

REFERENCES:

- 1856 Map
- 1892 Map

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

The present appearance of the Noyes House is a product of architectural evolution. The massing and proportions are Federal while late 19th century bay windows and mid-20th century vestibule give the house quite another character.

MAP DATA: 1856: E. F. Noyes
1892: J. E. G. Lyford (Mr. Lyford committed suicide here in 1910)

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

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RELATED STRUCTURES:

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