

HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT

Strafford Rockingham Regional Council

1 Water Street, Exeter, New Hampshire

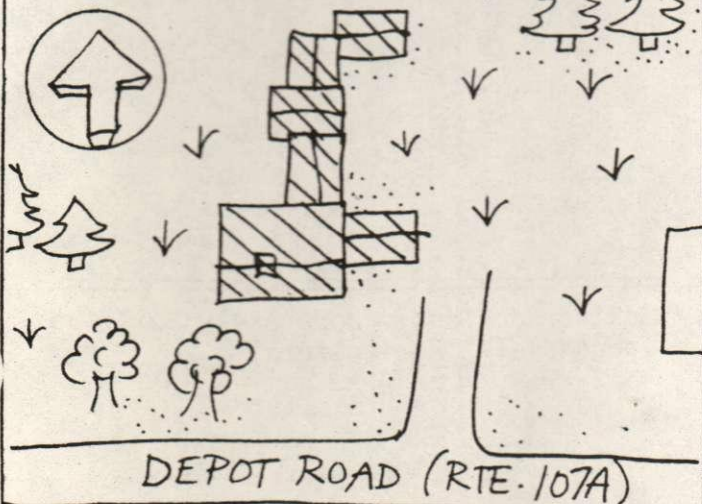
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TOWN: Kingston	COUNTY: Rockingham	UTM: Z 19/E 333350 /N 4754975
SURVEY NUMBER: 105		USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series
COMMON NAME: Champion House		FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Farmhouse
HISTORIC NAME: J. Schelling House		PRESENT USE: Residential
LOCATION: N side of Depot Rd., .11 miles E of intersection of Rte. 107A.		ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown
OWNER: Dorothy Champion		CONDITION: Exc. <u>Good</u> X Fair Poor Ruins
ADDRESS: 46 Depot Rd., Kingston, NH		INTEGRITY: Original Site <u>X</u> Moved (When:)
MAP & PARCEL #: R-29/8		Major alterations & date: unknown
DATE: c. 1780		
SOURCE: Inspection		
STYLE: Georgian/Federal		LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local <u>X</u>

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

1. FOUNDATION: Stone X Brick Concrete Concrete Block
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame Post & Beam X Ballon Frame Other
Load Bearing Masonry Stone Brick Concrete Block Other
Metal Iron Steel Other
3. WALL COVERING: Clapboard X Wood Shingle Board & Batten Shiplap Aluminum
Novelty Stucco Stone Brick Sheet Metal Asphalt Shingles Vinyl
Asphalt Sheeting Composite Board Other
4. ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle Asphalt Shingle X Standing Seam Tim Slate
Pressed Metal Sheet Metal Rolled Asphalt Other
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
6. OTHER:
of Stories 2 1/2 # of Bays 5x2 Approx. Dimensions 38' x 29'
Roof Style: Gable X Hip Gambrel Flat Shed Mansard Jerkinhead
Monitor Sawtooth Other
Appendages: Porches Towers Dormers Bay Windows Ells Chimneys 1
Wings 1 Cupolas Sheds 4 Garage Other
Entry Location: Center X Sidehall Other

MAP (Indicate North in circle):



PHOTO



Description of View: Front-south
Side-east

Photographer: Herb Bubert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The Champion House is a 2½-story transitional Georgian/Federal style structure. The 4-panelled center entry door is flanked by half-length sidelights above recessed panels. The door is surmounted by a denticulated entablature. Windows have nine-over-six sash on the first story and six-over-six sash on the second story. Cornice treatment consists of close raking eaves and boxed lateral eaves.

A 1½-story wing on the east elevation rests on a cement foundation. It has clapboard, vertical-board, and cement block siding. It has fixed light windows, and a multi-light door. The projecting roof on the front facade forms an open porch.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT: There are 4 attached 1-story, gable-roofed sheds behind the house, all with clapboard siding.

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 6 acres bounded to the N-Wilson, S-Depot Road, E-Russell, Chamberlain, W-Modlish.

REFERENCES:

Kingston Historic Advisory Committee; interviews w/members, Spring 1980

1856 Map J. Schelling, 1892 Map J. C. Tucker

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

Bricks for house made across street & clay used as mortar.

The J. Scheeling House is a fine example of a center chimney vernacular Federal style farmhouse. It is massively proportioned with a handsomely detailed entry.

MAP DATA: 1856: J. Schelling
1892: J. C. Tucker

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land ☒ Woodland ☐ Scattered Bldgs ☐ Moderately Built Up ☐
Densely Built Up ☐ Residential ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Agricultural ☐
Roadside Strip Development ☐ Other ☐

Recorded By: Scott Novak
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