HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT
Strafford Rockingham Regional Council
1 Water Street, Exeter, New Hampshire
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TOWN: Kingston
COUNTY: Rockingham

SURVEY NUMBER:

COMMON NAME: Battles House

HISTORIC NAME:

LOCATION: East side of Main St. at southern intersection of Main & West Main

OWNER: Battles, Wendell heirs & Dorothy

ADDRESS: Box 10 West Main Street

MAP & PARCEL #: M-8 plum 17

DATE: c. 1950

SOURCE: Herb Rupert, Scott Novak

STYLE: Ranch, Colonial Revival

UTM: Z 19 / E 332326 / N 4754620

USGS QUAD: Kingston Quad 7.5' series

FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential

PRESENT USE: Residential

ARCHITECT/ BUILDER: Unknown

CONDITION: Exc. Good Fair Poor Ruins

INTEGRITY: Original Site Moved

Major alterations & date:

LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

1. FOUNDATION: Stone _ Brick x Concrete __ Concrete Block __
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame _ Post & Beam _ Balloon Frame _ Other __
   Load Bearing Masonry _ Stone _ Brick _ Concrete Block _ Other __
   Metal _ Iron _ Steel _ Other __
3. WALL COVERING: Clapboard _ Wood Shingle _ Board & Batten _ Shiplap _ Aluminum _
   Novelty _ Stucco _ Stone _ Brick _x _ Sheet Metal _ Asphalt Shingles _ Vinyl _
   Asphalt Sheeting _ Composite Board _ Other _
4. ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle _ Asphalt Shingle _ Standing Seam _ Tin _ Slate __
   Pressed Metal _ Sheet Metal _ Rolled Asphalt _ Other __
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE: ___
6. OTHER: ___
   # of Stories _ # of Bays _ Approx. Dimensions __
   Roof Style: Gable _ Hip _ Gambrel _ Flat _ Shed _ Mansard _ Jerkinhead _
   Monitor _ Sawtooth _ Other __
   Appendages: Porches _ Towers _ Dormers _ Bay Windows _ E1s _ Chimneys _
   Wings _ Cupolas _ Sheds _ Garage _ Other __
   Entry Location: Center _ Sidehall _ Other _ sidehall

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View: Front-west
   Side-south

Photographer: Scott Novak

Negative with: S.R.R.C.

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:


RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 2.2 acres bounded to the north-Arsenalt, south-Gates, east-Arsenault, west-Main Street.

REFERENCES:

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

A good example of early 1950's ranch house, which while it looks a bit out of place in the district, still displays its colonial aspirations.

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, herb Bubo
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