HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT
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<td>SURVEY NUMBER: 43</td>
<td>COMMON NAME: Bernier House</td>
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<td>OWNER: Raymond &amp; Constance Bernier</td>
<td>ADDRESS: 50 Mill Road, Kingston, NH</td>
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<td>MAP &amp; PARCEL #: R-12/42</td>
<td>DATE: c. 1900</td>
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<td>SOURCE: Inspection</td>
<td>STYLe: Vernacular</td>
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| UTM: Z 19/E 329625 /N 4751975 |
| USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series |
| FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential |
| PRESENT USE: Residential |
| ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown |
| CONDITION: Exc. Good Fair Poor Ruins |
| INTEGRITY: Original Site Moved |

General Description: Structural System

1. FOUNDATION: Stone x Brick x Concrete _ Concrete Block
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame _ Post & Beam _ Ballon Frame x Other _
   Load Bearing Masonry _ Stone _ Brick _ Concrete Block _ Other _
   Metal _ Iron _ Steel _ Other _
   Other _
3. WALL COVERING: Clapboard _ Wood Shingle _ Board & Batten _ Shiplap _ Aluminum _
   Novelty _ Stucco _ Stone _ Brick _ Sheet Metal _ Asphalt Shingles _ Vinyl x _
   Asphalt Sheeting _ Composite Board _ Other _
4. ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle _ Asphalt Shingle _ Standing Seam _ Slate _
   Pressed Metal _ Sheet Metal _ Rolled Asphalt _ Other _
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
6. OTHER:
   # of Stories 1½ # of Bays 3x4 Approx. Dimensions 20' x 21' W.B.
   Roof Style: Gable _ Hip _ Gambrel _ Flat _ Shed _ Mansard _ Jerkinhead _
   Monitor _ Sawtooth _ Other _
   Appendages: Porches _ Towers _ Dormers _ Bay Windows _ E Is _ Chimneys _
   Wings _ Cupolas _ Sheds _ Garage _ Other _
   Entry Location: Center _ Sidehall _ Other _ via ell

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View: Front-east Side-south

Photographer: Herb Herbert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
Negative File Number: K-80-8c/12-12A
ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The Bernier House is a 1½-story vernacular structure built around the turn of the century. The entry door is sheltered by a 1½-story hip-roofed porch on a concrete foundation. The porch has new one-over-one windows, and clapboard siding. Windows on the main block are two-over-one. The medium-pitched roof is topped by a chimney, and the eaves treatment consists of a boxed cornice.

A 1½-story ell has the same siding, windows, cornice, and foundation as the main block. It is topped by a tall corbel-capped chimney.

The 1½-story, gable-roofed wing has two-over-two windows, and the same cornice, siding, and foundation as the main block.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT: An attached 1½-story, gable-roofed barn rests on a fieldstone foundation. It has asphalt shingle siding, fixed four light windows, and projecting eaves.

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 6 acres bounded to the N-Devost, McClare, S-Mosher, Hutchins, E-Mill Road, W-Kimball.

REFERENCES:

1892 Map W. G. Wilson

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

There was a slaughter house located on property c.1896; building moved across street a few years later and converted into residence.

Example of turn-of-the-century vernacular architecture.

Map Data: 1892: W. G. Wilson

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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