TOWN: Kingston  COUNTY: Rockingham
SURVEY NUMBER: 50
COMMON NAME: The Driscoll House
HISTORIC NAME: Dr. Sleeper House
OWNER: John P. Sebestes, Jr.
ADDRESS: 26 Old Mill Rd., Kingston, NH
MAP & PARCEL #: R11-26
DATE: C. 1790
SOURCE: Inspection
STYLE: Georgian Rev.
GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System
1. FOUNDATION: Stone - Brick - Concrete - Concrete Block
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame - Post & Beam - Ballon 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 - 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 - 20' x 20'
   Roof Style: Gable - Hip - Gambrel - Flat - Shed - Mansard - Jerkinhead
   Monitor - Sawtooth - Other
   Appendages: Porches - Towers - Dormers - Bay Windows - Eells - Chimneys
   Wings - Cupolas - Sheds - Garage - Other
   Entry Location: Center - Sidehall - Other

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View:
Front (G) side (E)

Photographer: Herb Bubert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:
The Driscoll house is a 1-story, Georgian cape style house which features several Victorian era windows with decoratively arranged sash and shutters. The center entry has a 5 panelled door with one large light. The medium pitched roof is topped by a narrow, corbel-capped chimney and the roofline has close raking and lateral eaves. The structure rests upon a fieldstone foundation. On the southeast facade is a 1-story portico which leads to a 1-story gable roofed ell. On the northwest elevation of the ell is a 1-story gable roofed wing which has an attached shed on its northeast elevation.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: Bounded to the N. by Senter, and Great Lakes Container Corr., S. by the Holts, W. by the Senters, E. by Old Mill Road.

10 acres

REFERENCES:

1856 Map & 1892 Map

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

Dr. Sleeper House is a typical example of a Georgian cape as exemplified by small narrow windows which rise to meet the eave line of the steeply pitched roof.

Map Data: 1856: Dr. Sleeper
1892: Mrs. A. Hunt

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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