TOWN: Kingston  COUNTY: Rockingham
SURVEY NUMBER: 92
COMMON NAME: Korn House
HISTORIC NAME: L. F. Prescott House
LOCATION: West side of Main St., .18 miles North of the intersection of Chisholm Rd.
OWNER: George Korn
ADDRESS: 102 Main St., Kingston, NH
MAP & PARCEL #: II-7/14
DATE: c. 1830
SOURCE: Inspection
STYLE: Federal/Greek Revival

UTM: Z 19/E 372175/N 4753250
USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential
PRESENT USE: Residential
ARCHITECT/ BUILDER: Al Cheney
CONDITION: Exc. x Good Fair Poor Ruins
INTEGRITY: Original Site X Moved (When: )
Major alterations & date: 
LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local x

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System
1. FOUNDATION: Stone Brick X Concrete Concrete Block
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame Post & Beam Balloon Frame X 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 Shingles X Standing Seam Tin Slate
   Pressed Metal Sheet Metal Rolled Asphalt Other
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE: 
6. OTHER:
   # of Stories # of Bays Approx. Dimensions 72' x 15'
   Roof Style: Gable Hip Gambrel Flat Shed Mansard Jerkinhead
   Monitor Sawtooth Other
   Appendages: Porches Towers Dormers Bay Windows Ells Chimneys 2
   Wings Cupolas Sheds Garage 1 Other
   Entry Location: Center X Sidehall Other

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View: Front-east Side-south
Photographer: Herb Bubert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
Negative File Number: x-80-10c/1A-7
ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The Korn House is a 2½-story center-entry transitional Federal/Greek-Revival style structure. The 4-panelled door has two-center pointed arches. It is flanked by paired, recessed sidelights that extend the height of the door. Pilasters with 2-center Arched panels support a pediment. All windows are nine-over-six. The medium-pitched roof is topped by two chimneys, one of which has a corbeled cap. Eaves treatment consists of a boxed cornice with gable end returns supported by pilasters with recessed 2-center, pointed arches.

A 1½-story gable-roofed ell rests on a concrete foundation. It has clapboard siding and nine-over-six windows.

An attached 1½-story gable-roofed garage rests on a concrete foundation.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 8 acres bounded to the N-Bragdon, S-Ingalls, E-Main Street, W-Ingalls.

REFERENCES:

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

1856 Map L. F. Prescott, 1892 Map Mrs. E. Prescott

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

The L. F. Prescott House is a well preserved example of the perpetuation of traditional house plan in the face of change, i.e., basic Federal house plan in transition in the Greek Revival period as evidenced in the Greek Revival doorway.

MAP DATA: 1856: L. F. Prescott
1892: Mrs. E. Prescott

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

Recorded By: Scott Novak
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Date: 3/4/80