TOWN: Kingston  COUNTY: Rockingham
SURVEY NUMBER: 120
COMMON NAME: Poliquin House
HISTORIC NAME: E. Shaw House
LOCATION: 24 miles W of the intersection of Depot Rd. on the N side of Bartlett St.
OWNER: Thomas Poliquin
ADDRESS: 10 Bartlett St., Kingston, NH
MAP & PARCEL #: 19/14
DATE: c. 1880
SOURCE: Assessor's Office, Kingston
STYLE: Queen Anne/Stick Style

UTM: Z 19 / E 332475 / N 4755750
USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' Series
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential
PRESENT USE: Residential
ARCHITECT/BUILDER: John Collins Sanborn
CONDITION: Exc. 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_Ballon Frame X Other_
   Load Bearing Masonry_ Stone_ Brick_ Concrete Block_ Other_
   Metal_ Iron_ Steel_ Other_
   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 ½ # of Bays_ Approx. Dimensions_ 20' 20' M.B.
   Roof Style: Gable_x Hip_ Gambrel_ Flat_ Shed_ Mansard_ Jerkinhead_
   Monitor_ Sawtooth_ Other_
   Appendages: Porches_ Towers_ Dormers_ Bay Windows_ Ells_ Chimneys_
   Wings_ Cupolas_ Sheds_ Garage_ Other_
   Entry Location: Center_ Sidehall_x Other_

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View: Front-south Side-east

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:
The Poliquin House is a 1½-story Victorian era structure featuring elements of the Queen Anne and Stick Styles, and with gable front orientation to the street. The 4-panelled entry door is sheltered by a 1-story, shed-roofed, 3x1 bay porch on the east side. Windows have two-over-one and two-over-two sash. The medium-pitched roof of the main block is topped by a tall corbel-capped chimney. Eaves treatment consists of a boxed cornice on the lateral and raking eaves, with a sloped soffit on the lateral eaves. The front (south) gable end has a 1-story, hip-roofed bay window with recessed panels above and below the lights. Decorative shingles have been applied to the gable above the bay window. An offset gable along the east elevation has the same decorative shingle wall covering. An offset gable along the west elevation is identical to this one.

A 1-story gable-roofed ell rests on a brick foundation. It has the same siding as the main block and a boxed cornice.

There is a small, 1-story, hip-roofed wing on the west side of the ell. It has the same siding and foundation as the main block, and a boxed cornice.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT: A recent 1½-story barn rests on a concrete block foundation. It has clapboard siding, six-over-one windows, and a boxed cornice with gable end returns.

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: .4 acres bounded to the N-Normand, S-Bartlett Street, E-Holland, W-Sykes.

REFERENCES:
Kingston Historic Advisory Committee; interviews w/members, Spring 1980
1892 Map

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):
The E. Shaw house is a charming example of a small vernacular Queen Anne style structure with pleasing proportions and an exuberant use of cut shingles and stick work.

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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