TOWN: Kingston  COUNTY: Rockingham
SURVEY NUMBER: 163
COMMON NAME: The Henshaw House
HISTORIC NAME: L. Sanborn House
LOCATION: NW side Exeter Rd., .01 Mi. SW Intersection Willow Rd.
OWNER: George Henshaw
ADDRESS: 66 Exeter Rd., Kingston, NH
MAP & PARCEL #: R39-34
DATE: c. 1809
SOURCE: Assessors Office, Kingston
STYLE: Federal

UTM: Z 19 /E 334700 /N 4756950
USGS QUAD: Haverhill Quad 15' series
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Farmhouse
PRESENT USE: Farmhouse
ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Mr. Sanborn
CONDITION: Exc. X Good Fair Poor Ruins
INTENSITY: Original Site X Moved
Major alterations & date: Windows changed date unknown
LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local X

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System
1. FOUNDATION: Stonex 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 Tim__ Slate__
   Pressed Metal__ Sheet Metal__ Rolled Asphalt__ Other__
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
6. OTHER:
   # of Stories 2½
   # of Bays 5X4
   Approx. Dimensions 41' X 30'
   Roof Style: Gable__ Hip__ Gambrel__ Flat__ Shed__ Mansard__ Jerkinhead__
   Monitor__ Sawtooth__ Other__
   Appendages: Porches 1__ Towers__ Dormers__ Bay Windows__ E11s 1__ Chimneys 2__
   Wings 1__ Cupolas__ Sheds__ Garage__ Other__ Barn
   Entry Location: Center X Sidehall__ Other__

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

PHOTO

Description of View:
Front (SE) Side (NE)
Photographer: Herb Babert
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
Negative File Number: K80-120-6A-7
ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:
The Henshaw house is a 2½ story, gable roofed twin chimney, Federal style house. The center entry has a 6 panelled door flanked by half-length sidelights. Framing the entrance are fluted pilasters which rise to a full entablature. All of the windows have six over six sash. The house rests on a granite slab foundation. A 1 story, enclosed porch and a 1 story shed roofed ell project to the northwest.


RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT: To the northwest of the house is a 1 story, gable roofed shed. Across the street to the south is a 2½ story, gable roofed barn with a sheet metal silo and two attached sheds.

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 5.1 Acres. Bounded to the N. by Little River Road, S. by Exeter Road, and Bradbrook, E. by Little River Road, Exeter Road, W. by Bradbrook.

REFERENCES:
1856 Map 1892 Map

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):
The L. Sanborn House is a fine example of a vernacular Federal style farmhouse associated with the prominent Sanborn family.

MAP DATA: 1856: L. Sanborn
1892: J. H. Sanborn

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