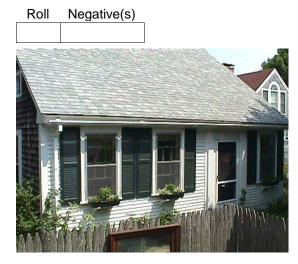
MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING 220 MORRISSEY BLVD BOSTON, MA 02125

Photograph

(3"x3" or 3-1/2"x5" black and white only) Label photo on back with town and property address. Record film roll and negative numbers here on the form. Staple photo to left side of form over this space. Attach additional photos to continuation sheets.



Sketch Map

Draw a map showing the building's location in relation to the nearest cross streets and/or major natural features. Show all buildings between inventoried building and nearest intersection or natural feature. Label streets including route numbers, if any. Circle and number the inventoried building. Indicate

Town	Provincetown
Place (neighborhood or village)	
Address	288C COMMERCIAL ST
Building ID	865
Parcel No. (PID)	11-3-090-0
Mapbase #	11-3-090
Building Area	1317.563
Historic Name	
Present Use	Residential
Original Use	Residential
Date of Construction	1800-1830
Source	field assessment
Style/Form	Greek Revival
Architect/Builder	
Exterior Material	Wood shingle
Foundation	brick
Wall/Trim	wood
Roof	Side Gable
Outbuildings/Secondary Structures	

Major Alterations (with dates)

Recorded by Vanessa Zeoli Organization Kise Straw & Kolodner **Date** (month/year) November 2003 new ✓ update Form Status Assessor's Number USGS Quad

Form Number

Area(s)

Condition Acreage

Good 🖌 no 🗌 yes Date 0.15

Follow Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey Manual instructions for completing this form.

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ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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Describe architectural feaures. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings in the community.

Obscured from view; 288C Commercial St. is a 1-1/2-story, 4-bay, Colonial Revival-style 3/4 cottage; side-gable roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles, central brick chimney; exterior is clad in wood shingles with wood corner boards and trim; building sits on a brick foundation; fenestration includes 6/6 wood DHS, louvered shutters; primary entrance is accessed by a wood pane-and-panel door and aluminum storm door with a wood door surround with pilasters.

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

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Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.

As per Tom Boland (1994): The house at 288C Commercial Street is shown on the map of 1836 and the atlas of 1858. In 1880, the house was owned by Mrs. Paine. The 1907 atlas indicates that ownership had changed to Mrs. B. McKenna.

One of several in the block, including #'s 284B, 288C, 290B, 294A, and 296A Commercial, which were the first structures on this portion of the street. Each was well set back from the shore and would likely have been surrounded by salt drying apparatus.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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