

# MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING  
220 MORRISSEY BLVD  
BOSTON, MA 02125

**Town** Provincetown  
**Place** *(neighborhood or village)*  
**Address** 5 FREEMAN ST  
**Building ID** 1431  
**Parcel No. (PID)** 12-1-138-0  
**Mapbase #** 12-1-138  
**Building Area** 1583.985  
**Historic Name**  
**Present Use** Residential  
**Original Use** Residential  
**Date of Construction** 1850  
**Source** Tax assessment  
**Style/Form** Italianate  
**Architect/Builder**  
**Exterior Material** clapboard  
**Foundation** brick  
**Wall/Trim** wood  
**Roof** cross gable  
**Outbuildings/Secondary Structures**

### 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.*

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### 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*

### Major Alterations *(with dates)*

alterations (c. 1880s); sash and siding altered (1980s); rear ell

### Condition

**Moved**  no  yes **Date**

**Acreage** 0.749

### Setting

**Recorded by** Vanessa Zeoli  
**Organization** Kise Straw & Kolodner  
**Date** *(month/year)* April 2004

**Form Status**  new  update

Assessor's Number    USGS Quad    Area(s)    Form Number

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

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### ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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

2-story, 5-bay; faces south; asphalt roof shingles; paired brackets under eaves, full returns at gable ends with dentils; Shed dormer across entire west rear slope; massive corner pilasters; fascia board along rear ell; 2/2 wood DHS with flat shallow lintels supported by small brackets on 1st floor; decorative wood surrounds with flat lintels on 2nd floor; 1/1 wood DHS, bay window on west side with paired brackets with eaves and paneling below window; center contains paired pane and panel historic doors and exterior modern storms, flat roof entry porch with brackets, square fluted columns, decorative side balustrade, accessed by brick steps; roof top balcony over entry with modern large pane door; exterior rear stair to 2nd floor entrance and deck along west side; exterior stair to 1st floor entrance at northwest corner;

### 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): This house is shown on the 1858 atlas as being owned by Nathan Freeman who was then president of the Provincetown Bank (First National Bank). The listing is 1880 remains that of N.D. Freeman. In 1907 the owner is listed as J. Coulliard.

### BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. *If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*