

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

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UNIQUE SITE NO. 103-05-0050
QUAD _____
SERIES _____
NEG. NO. _____

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Quad IV
No. 3

YOUR NAME: Town of Islip DATE: August 21, 1975
Town Hall

YOUR ADDRESS: 655 Main Street TELEPHONE: (516) 581-2000

ORGANIZATION (if any): Department of Planning, Housing & Development

IDENTIFICATION

- 1. BUILDING NAME(S): (Islip Bulletin) John Wannamaker Agency; J. Johnson; Wicks
- 2. COUNTY: Suffolk TOWN/CITY: Islip VILLAGE: Bay Shore
- 3. STREET LOCATION: 50 Main St. Shore Ave.
- 4. OWNERSHIP: a. public b. private
- 5. PRESENT OWNER: _____ ADDRESS: _____
- 6. USE: Original: _____ Present: Newspaper Headquarters
- 7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes No
Interior accessible: Explain During working hours.

DESCRIPTION

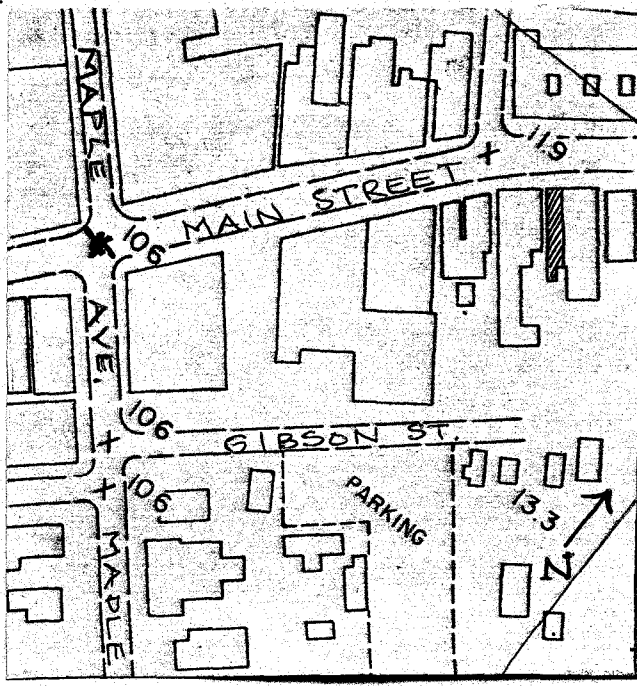
- 8. BUILDING MATERIAL: a. clapboard b. stone c. brick d. board and batten
e. cobblestone f. shingles g. stucco other: _____
- 9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM: (if known) a. wood frame with interlocking joints
b. wood frame with light members
c. masonry load bearing walls
d. metal (explain) _____
e. other _____
- 10. CONDITION: a. excellent b. good c. fair d. deteriorated
- 11. INTEGRITY: a. original site b. moved if so, when? _____
c. list major alterations and dates (if known):

First floor remodelled.



HP-1 Bay Shore ROLL #Q4; Neg. #8.
Front (North) facade.

13. MAP:



14. THREATS TO BUILDING: a. none known b. zoning c. roads
d. developers e. deterioration
f. other: _____

15. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS AND PROPERTY:
a. barn b. carriage house c. garage
d. privy e. shed f. greenhouse
g. shop h. gardens
i. landscape features: _____
j. other: _____

16. SURROUNDINGS OF THE BUILDING (check more than one if necessary):
a. open land b. woodland
c. scattered buildings
d. densely built-up e. commercial
f. industrial g. residential
h. other: _____

17. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS:
(Indicate if building or structure is in an historic district)

The building is on the main commercial street. There are other structures of architectural significance near-by, though from varying periods and in varying styles. Many of them have undergone extensive remodelling.

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):
This two story brick building has a flat roof and a wooden cornice with brackets. There is also a wooden cornice between the first and second stories.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: unknown

ARCHITECT: unknown

BUILDER: unknown

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:

Despite remodelling, this two story building retains some of its original detail. There are rectangular windows on the second floor with flat radiating voussoirs and lugsills. There is a flat roof, wooden cornice, and second wooden cornice between levels.

21. SOURCES:

Atlas of the Ocean Shore of Suffolk County, L.I. (Westerly Section). Volume I. Amityville to Eastport Inclusive. Brooklyn & Manhattan: E. Belcher Hyde, 1915. Plate 21.

22. THEME: Interview with Jerome Gleason, Penataquit Press, Bay Shore, August 21, 1975.
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