

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

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UNIQUE SITE NO. 103-05-0116-001
 QUAD _____
 SERIES _____
 NEG. NO. _____

Quad IV Ext.
 No. 9

YOUR NAME: Town of Islip DATE: September 12, 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): ~~Formerly~~ Kitchen Wing of Jarvis Mowbray Homestead
2. COUNTY: Suffolk TOWN/CITY: Islip VILLAGE: Bay Shore
3. STREET LOCATION: #19 Mowbray Place (east side, on Penataquit Creek)
4. OWNERSHIP: a. public b. private
5. PRESENT OWNER: _____ ADDRESS: _____
6. USE: Original: Kitchen Wing of House Present: Residence
7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes No
 Interior accessible: Explain BY appointment only

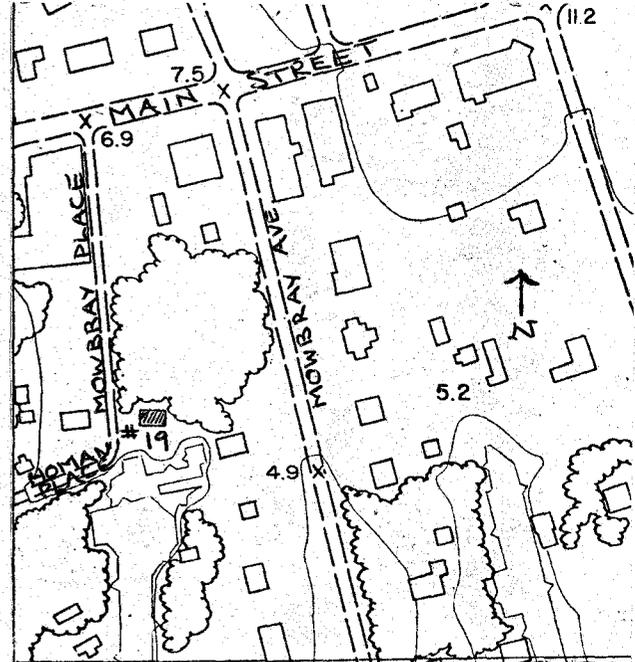
DESCRIPTION

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? 1945 from Main Street
 c. list major alterations and dates (if known):

1945 - When Mowbray Homestead was moved, the kitchen wing was detached and converted into this small residence. Added front porch & garage.

12. PHOTO:

13. MAP:



HP-1 Bay Shore Roll #Q6; Neg. #18
 East & South sides.

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)

This house is in a residential area which runs south from Main Street to the Great South Bay. There are numerous houses of architectural significance in the area, particularly from the Victorian Era. Mowbray Place is a narrow street with many newer houses.

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):

This small clapboard gable roofed structure has its original decorative brackets, dentils, and simple frieze. The gable side facing the street has a round arched window; the gable side off the street has a Palladian-type window with a simple but heavy architrave, and a first floor rectangular window with dentils.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: circa 1860

ARCHITECT: unknown

BUILDER: Jarvis Mowbray

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:

This house was originally the kitchen wing of the Mowbray Homestead (now at 22 Mowbray Avenue). It was detached from the main section when the house was moved from Main Street in 1945. The wing was attached perpendicularly at the rear of the house. Dr. Jarvis Mowbray was a descendent of John Mowbray, purchaser and patentee of the area now known as Bay Shore. Walter S. Tuttle, owner of this house and the Mowbray Homestead, is also a direct descendent of John Mowbray. The original details of this structure match that of the main house, i.e., brackets, dentils, and frieze.

21. SOURCES: Tuttle, Etta Anderson. A Brief History of Bay Shore. Suffolk Cooperative Library System & Bay Shore Public Library, 1962. Interview with Mrs. & Mr. Warren Tuttle, owners & residents of Mowbray Homestead, Bay Shore, N.Y. September, 1975.

22. THEME:

Research by the Society for the Preservation of Long Island Antiquities.
 (Judith Saltaman)