

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

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UNIQUE SITE NO. 103-05-0109
QUAD _____
SERIES _____
NEG. NO. _____

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Quad IV Ext
No. 4

YOUR NAME: Town of Islip DATE: September 11, 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): House at #42 Shore Lane
- 2. COUNTY: Suffolk TOWN/CITY: Islip VILLAGE: Bay Shore
- 3. STREET LOCATION: #42 Shore Lane (South of Gibson Street)
- 4. OWNERSHIP: a. public b. private
- 5. PRESENT OWNER: _____ ADDRESS: _____
- 6. USE: Original: Residence Present: Residence
- 7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes No
Interior accessible: Explain By appointment only

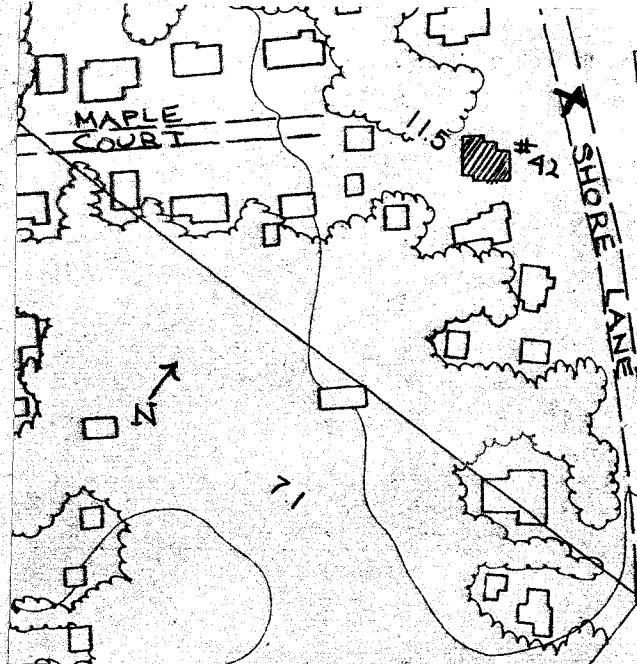
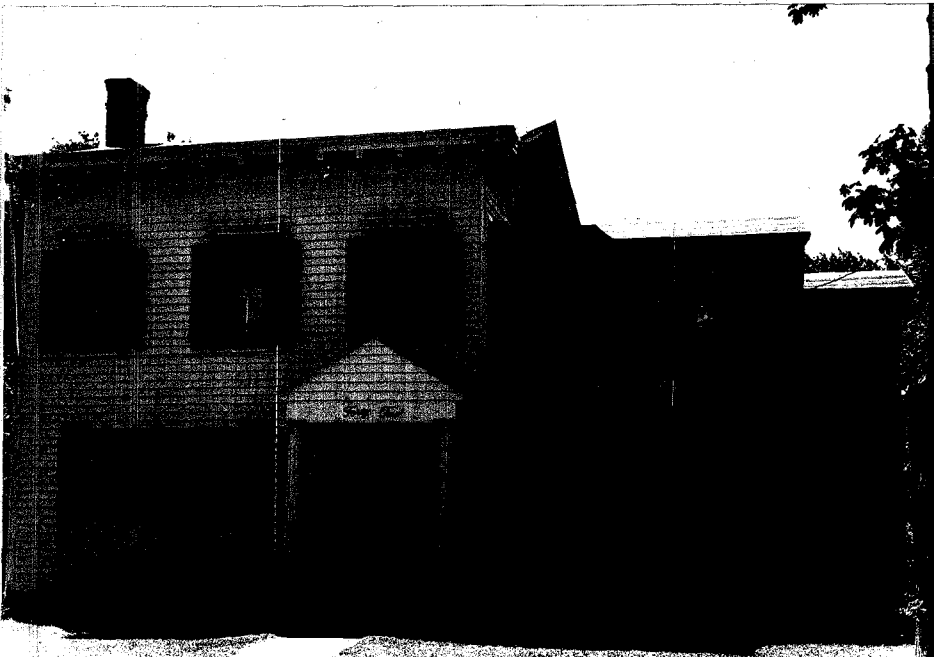
DESCRIPTION

- 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? _____
c. list major alterations and dates (if known): _____

Removal of front porch.
New stoop and first story front window.

12. PHOTO:

13. MAP:



HP-1 Bay Shore Roll #Q6; Neg. #11
Front facade

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 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, ranging from Greek Revival to Colonial Revival, with Victorian predominating.

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

This two and one-half story Italianate style house is three bays wide, with two offset wings on the north side. The house is gabled and retains its original decorative brackets. On the south side there is a one story projection with brackets.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: unknown

ARCHITECT: unknown

BUILDER: unknown

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:

Despite remodelling, this house remains a good example of the Italianate style. It has decorative brackets, return cornice, and rectangular windows with projecting heads. There is a pointed window in the gable on the north side. The frieze is plain. The transom has two rows of five lights, and the sidelights have seven lights. There is a window with diamond-paned upper sash in the northernmost wing. The foundation is brick.

It was previously the house of Mrs. Antoinette Doxsee, and may be the B. Smith house on the 1915 maps.

21. SOURCES:
Atlas of the Ocean Shore of Suffolk County, L.I. (Westerly Section).
Brooklyn and Manhattan: E. Belcher Hyde, 1915. Volume I. Plate 21.
 Interview with Mrs. Mooney, long-time resident of Bay Shore, 5 West
 22. THEME: Drive, Bay Shore, New York. September, 1975.