

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORMSEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*  
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS**1 NAME**HISTORIC *hbk* Maple-Union Corners

AND/OR COMMON

Same

**2 LOCATION**

STREET &amp; NUMBER 77, 83, 76-78, 80-84 Maple Street

CITY, TOWN

Springfield

VICINITY OF

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Second

STATE

Massachusetts

CODE

025

COUNTY

Hampden

CODE

013

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

## CATEGORY

 DISTRICT BUILDING(S) STRUCTURE SITE OBJECT

## OWNERSHIP

 PUBLIC PRIVATE BOTH

## PUBLIC ACQUISITION

 IN PROCESS BEING CONSIDERED

## STATUS

 OCCUPIED UNOCCUPIED WORK IN PROGRESS

## ACCESSIBLE

 YES: RESTRICTED YES: UNRESTRICTED NO

## PRESENT USE

 AGRICULTURE COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL ENTERTAINMENT GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL MILITARY MUSEUM PARK PRIVATE RESIDENCE RELIGIOUS SCIENTIFIC TRANSPORTATION OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME Multiple

STREET &amp; NUMBER

77, 83, 76-78, 80-84 Maple Street

CITY, TOWN

Springfield

VICINITY OF

STATE

Massachusetts 01105

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Hampden County Registry of Deeds

STREET &amp; NUMBER

Elm Street

CITY, TOWN

Springfield

STATE

Massachusetts

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE Inventory of the Historic Assets of the Commonwealth

DATE 1976

 FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

Massachusetts Historical Commission

CITY, TOWN

Boston

STATE

Massachusetts 02108

# 7 DESCRIPTION

## CONDITION

## CHECK ONE

## CHECK ONE

EXCELLENT

DETERIORATED

UNALTERED

ORIGINAL SITE

GOOD

RUINS

ALTERED

MOVED DATE \_\_\_\_\_

FAIR

UNEXPOSED

### DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Maple-Union Corners District is located at the intersection of Maple and Union Streets which lie along the brow of the first river terrace east of the center of Springfield. The district is composed of two large detached houses on the east side and two groupings of townhouses on the west side. The buildings are of mixed residential and commercial use.

77 Maple Street was built in 1832 as the Female Seminary. Originally three stories in height, the building is brick and has a ridge roof. In 1843 the third floor was removed and the building converted to a residence. A two-story front porch, which was subsequently taken off, was also added at this time. The building is three bays wide. It is painted white and has black shutters. The facade openings are large and have 8 over 12 lights. A small brick addition was made on the northern side in the twentieth century and is used as a covered entrance and foyer for rear offices.

83 Maple Street is a two-story brick house built in 1841. It has a low hipped roof and an elaborate two-story portico supported by fluted columns. The facade has floor-length windows with 6 over 9 lights, while on the Union Street side openings are 6 over 6. The one-story porch on Union Street was added in 1890 and is approached by brownstone steps. The small lot is well-landscaped to protect the home from the brush intrusions of what have become two of central Springfield's most heavily traveled streets.

On the west side of Maple Street is the trio of townhouses, numbers 80-84, constructed by Abel Howe in 1870. Each townhouse was originally three bays wide, two stories in height and joined by a mansard roof. They were further defined by quoins, segmental arched window molding, a wide frieze, and two pedimented dormers in the roof. The two northernmost houses (80 and 82) had a double entrance crowned by a flat roof and ornamented with globular drops from the supportive brackets. The townhouse on the corner (number 84) had a similar, but single, entrance. Today only 80 Maple Street survives in a nearly unaltered exterior appearance. In the mid-1940's the mansard story was removed from number 84 along with its entrance, and number 82 had an entirely new facade added.

The double townhouse (numbers 76 and 78) at the corner of Maple and Park Streets was built in 1879. It is also brick and is two stories in height with a mansard roof. A corner tower on the northeast side of the building is three stories with a pyramidal slate roof. Rough-cut brownstone is used for lintels and sills and is combined with ornamental brickwork to provide a sense of horizontal continuity along the facade. Two chimneys protrude slightly from the Park Street elevation, and their vertical nature counteracts the horizontal bandwork. The double front entrance porch has a stick-style effect, and there are pedimented dormers in the roof. In 1914 a two-story garage was added to the rear of number 76 and this section was changed for use as an office in 1938. A two-story rear addition was made to number 78 in 1953.

## 8. SIGNIFICANCE

### PERIOD

### AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

### SPECIFIC DATES

### BUILDER/ARCHITECT

### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Maple-Union Corners District is an example of the fine houses which grew up with the development of this hill area in Springfield and as the residences of a number of citizens who played a prominent role in Springfield history.

In the 1820's Maple Street was extended southerly and Union Street was laid out from Main Street to Walnut Street, thus presaging the mid-nineteenth century development of these hill sections. The first building in the Maple-Union Corners District was the Female Seminary (77 Maple Street) which is one of six surviving structures in Springfield designed and built by Simon Sanborn. Sanborn came to Springfield in 1811 as Asher Benjamin's representative for the construction of James Byer's house (now known as the Alexander House, located in the Quadrangle-Mattoon Street National Register District). Sanborn remained in Springfield, and over the next thirty-five years received numerous commissions for residences of the town's growing upper class, two churches, mills and commercial buildings, town hall, county jail and modest residences.

Sanborn's Female Seminary served as a girls' school until 1835 when it began accepting male students as a result of pressure from parents at the nearby U.S. Armory whose children were not allowed to attend town schools. Due to high costs the school moved to the headmaster's home in 1843 and 77 Maple Street was altered for residential use. Frederick H. Harris, president of the Third National Bank of Springfield, lived in the house for fifty years during the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries.

The house constructed on the northeast corner of Maple and Union Streets (number 83) was built on the southern portion of the Seminary's playground in 1841. Architecturally it is the most outstanding in the district and certainly one of the finest of Springfield's homes. The original owner was Solymon Merrick, inventor of the monkey wrench and well-known manufacturer. The house was purchased in 1847 by Ansel Phelps, then an attorney for the Western Railroad (subsequently renamed the Boston and Albany Railroad), and later the city's fourth mayor. Phelps died in 1860 and for the rest of the century the home was in the hands of the Alden family, a prominent name in the local wool industry.

The western side of the district was opened up for development in the early 1850's with the laying out of Park Street from Main to Maple. At the northwest corner of Maple and Union Streets the trio of townhouses (numbers 80, 82 and 84) was erected in 1870. In 1879 the double townhouse (numbers 76 and 78) was built on the site of a recently razed house which had been built in 1854. These rapid changes illustrate the growth Springfield was experiencing at this time and the importance of a fashionable home on Maple Street.

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#8:

Among the residents of the townhouses on the west side of Maple Street were Francis H. Fuller (80), a real estate broker who is best remembered for his block at Main and Bridge Streets; Elbert Alden (82), a woolen manufacturer; and Edmund Chapin (84), president of the John Hancock National Bank. The double townhouse was constructed for Seth Hunt and his son David. Seth was treasurer of the Connecticut River Railroad for thirty-five years.

The four structures in the Maple-Union Corners District illustrate the changes taking place in Springfield in the late nineteenth century. Real estate values had risen so that it was no longer practical to own large frontage on Maple Street, resulting in the change from the detached houses on the east side to the building of townhouses on the west side. The district further offers a lesson in the nineteenth century development in architectural expression through a comparison of the two sides of the district.

Property Maple-Union Corners  
State Mass Working Number 3.25.76.2854

76000243  
**Hampden**

**TECHNICAL**

Photos 4  
Maps 2 1 cont. sheet

**CONTROL**

CM  
OK 3.31.76

Perhaps this should be listed as "Maple-Union Corners Historic District"

**HISTORIAN**

Accept  
E. Smith  
3-31-76

Called 7 April 1976 talked to Judy Doble. Do not know exact reason why 3rd story of 77 Maple was removed? Mansard Roof of 84 was removed because of structural reasons. Brick deterioration necessitated the new facade of 82. They are sending a photo of 77 Maple.

**ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN**

Accept  
Dave Lusk  
7 Apr 76

**ARCHEOLOGIST**

**OTHER**

**HAER**

Inventory \_\_\_\_\_  
Review \_\_\_\_\_

**REVIEW UNIT CHIEF**

Accept  
Colz  
4-19-76

**BRANCH CHIEF**

**KEEPER**

Accept  
Hunt  
4.25.76

National Register Write-up \_\_\_\_\_ Send-back \_\_\_\_\_  
Federal Register Entry 6-1-76 Re-submit \_\_\_\_\_

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Same

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**3 PHOTO REFERENCE**

PHOTO CREDIT Morehead Photography DATE OF PHOTO 1976

NEGATIVE FILED AT 37 Old Acre Road, Springfield, MA

**4 IDENTIFICATION**

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET

PHOTO NO 1 of 5

Looking northwest at west side of Maple Street: left to right - #84, #82, #80,  
#78, #76

West side of Maple St.  
from South.

"Maple Union Corners" Springfield, Mass.



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PHOTO NO 245

Looking southwest at west side of Maple Street: left to right - #84, #82, #80,  
#78, #76

SPRINGFIELD MASSACHUSETTS

West side of Maple Street  
from north.

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PHOTO NO 345

Looking north at east side of Maple Street: #77 (left) and #83 (right)

East side of Maple St.  
from southwest.

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**Same**

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**3 PHOTO REFERENCE**

PHOTO CREDIT **Morehead Photography** DATE OF PHOTO **1976**

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PHOTO NO **4 25**

**Looking northeast at east side of Maple Street: #83**

*Maple Street, East side  
from West.*

*"Maple Union Corners", Springfield, Mass.*



Maple Union Corner: 77 Maple St  
Springfield, Ma.

Maple-Union Corners  
Springfield, Massachusetts  
Morehead Photography  
1976

37 Old Acre Road, Springfield, MA

*Hampden County, ma.*

Looking south at east side of Maple Street:  
#77 (left) and #83 (right distance).

Photograph #5

PROPERTY OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

**Morehead**  
PHOTOGRAPHY

SPRINGFIELD MASSACHUSETTS

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**3 MAP REFERENCE**

SOURCE USGS, Springfield South Quadrangle

SCALE 1:24000      DATE 1958 (photorevised 1970)

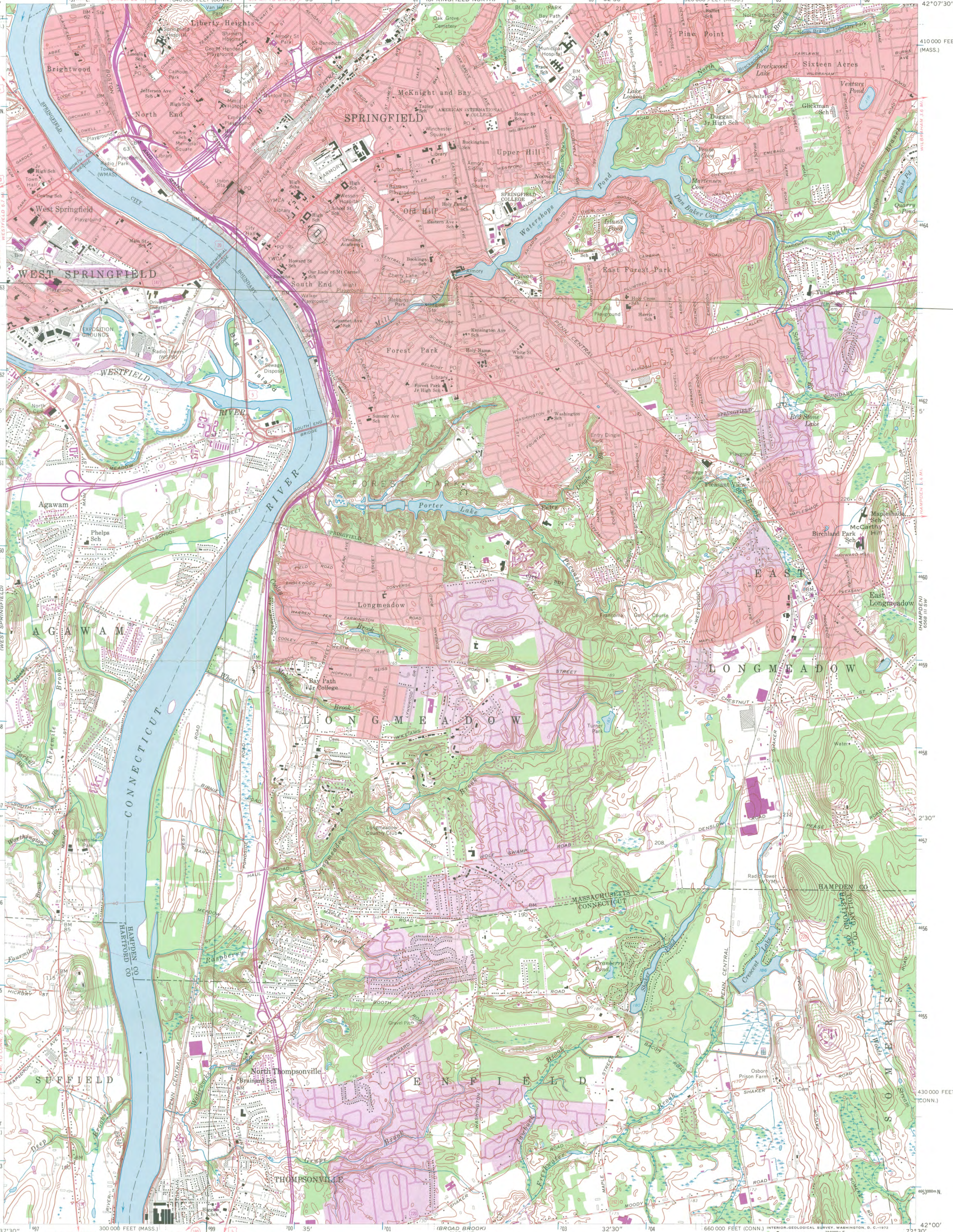
**4 REQUIREMENTS**

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. PROPERTY BOUNDARIES
2. NORTH ARROW
3. UTM REFERENCES



SPRINGFIELD  
Maple-Union Corners  
UTM: 18/699920/4663660



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Control by USGS, USC&GS, Massachusetts Geodetic Survey,  
and Connecticut Geodetic Survey

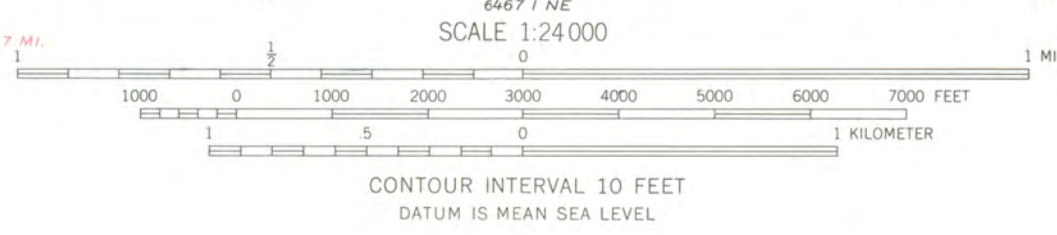
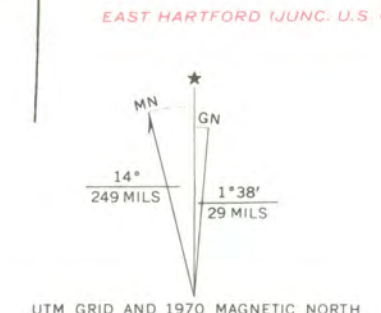
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Culture revised from aerial photographs by photogrammetric  
methods. Aerial photographs taken 1957. Field check 1958

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zone 18, shown in blue

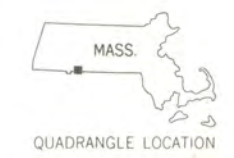
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landmark buildings are shown

Revisions shown in purple compiled in cooperation with  
Connecticut Highway Department from aerial photographs  
taken 1970. This information not field checked

Purple tint indicates extension of urban areas



CONTOUR INTERVAL 10 FEET  
DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	Light-duty
Medium-duty	Unimproved dirt
U.S. Route	State Route

SPRINGFIELD SOUTH, MASS.-CONN.  
N4200 - W7230/7.5

1958  
PHOTOREVISED 1970  
AMS 6468 II SE-SERIES V814

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS  
FOR SALE BY U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20242  
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

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SOURCE Springfield Planning Department

SCALE 1" = 100' DATE 1975

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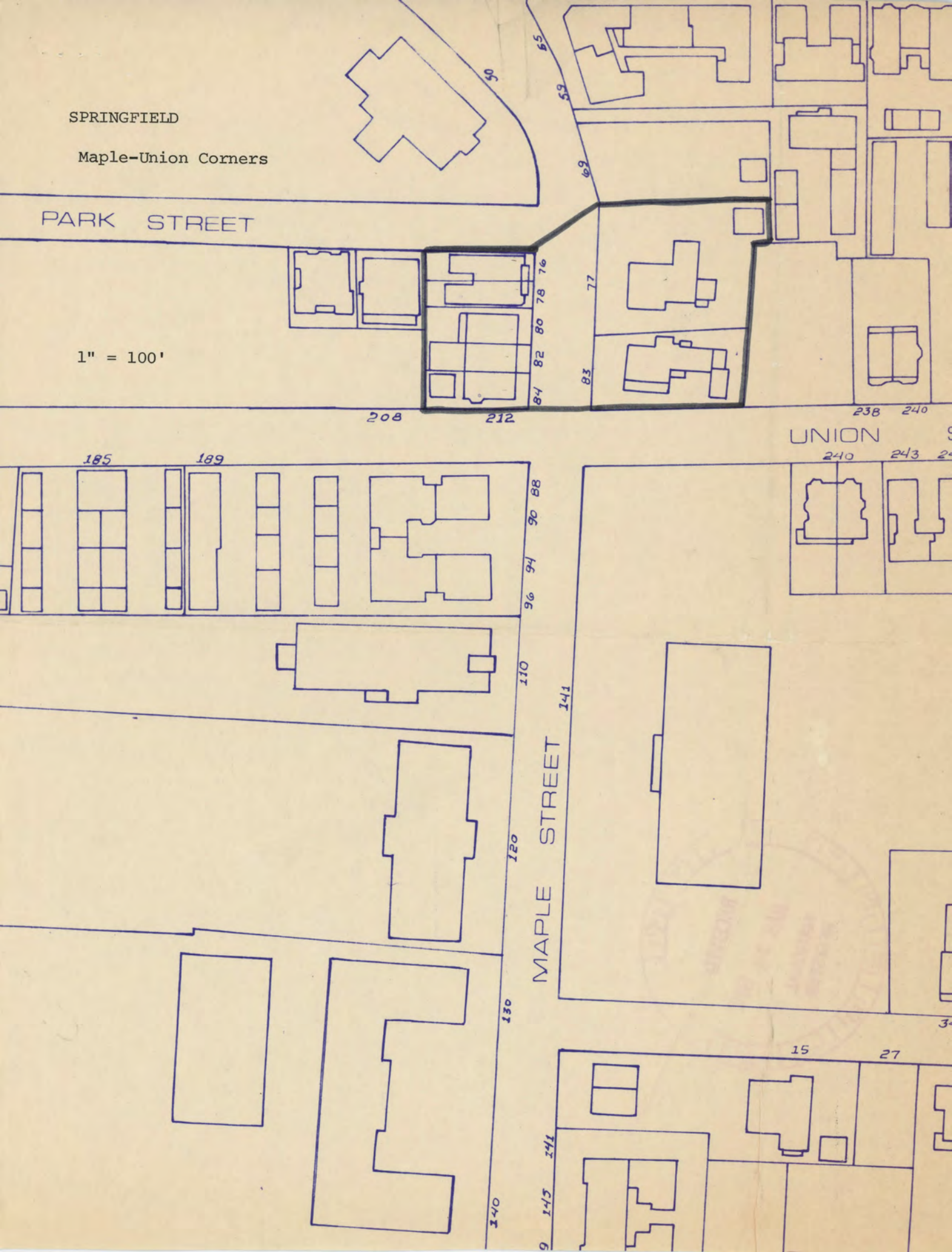
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SPRINGFIELD

Maple-Union Corners

PARK STREET

1" = 100'



208

212

238

240

UNION

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185

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96  
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MAPLE STREET

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3.25.76



PAUL GUZZI

Secretary of the Commonwealth

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## Office of the Secretary

Massachusetts Historical Commission

294 Washington Street Boston, Massachusetts 02108

(617) 727-8470

15 April 1976

Mr. David Look  
National Register  
National Park Service  
Department of the Interior  
Washington, DC 20240



Dear Dave:

In response to your request for a better photograph of #77 Maple Street in the Maple-Union Corners nomination (Hampden County, MA), I am enclosing a print which we just received today. I am sorry that the photographer wrote on the copy submitted to us.

If there are any other questions on this nomination, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

*Judy*

Judy D. Dobbs  
National Register Editor  
Massachusetts Historical Commission

/jdd

enclosure

ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE MASSACHUSETTS

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Beaumont	Gloucester Vicinity Essex County
Maple-Union Corners	Springfield Hampden County
Sanderson House and Monroe Tavern	Lexington Middlesex County
Spurr, John House	Charlton Worcester County
McKnight District	Springfield Hampden County
Burt, Elijah House	East Longmeadow Hampden County

Also Notified

Hon. Edward M. Kennedy  
Hon. Edward W. Brooke  
Hon. Michael J. Harrington  
Hon. Edward P. Boland  
Hon. Paul Tsongas  
Regional Director, North Atlantic Region  
✓PR:M Mott:coc 4/29/76

State Historic Preservation Officer  
Mrs. Elizabeth R. Amadon  
Executive Director  
Massachusetts Historical Commission  
294 Washington Street  
Boston, Massachusetts 02103

State:	IA	MASSACHUSETTS
County/indep. city	I06	hampden county
City/vicinity	I07	Springfield
PRIMARY TITLE	I08	<u>MAPLE UNION CORNERS</u>
(Secondary Title)		
Address/location	I09	76--84 Maple St.
Statement of significance including construction date, alteration date, present use, and style.	I10	1811--1870 area of Springfield designed by Simon Sanborn; area altered, 1879, but substantially intact.
Statement of significance including important peoples names; include key words for search of events and areas of significance.	I11	Residential area developed with growth of town; prominent residents included Abel Howe and Solymon Merrick, inventor of the monkey wrench.
Other surveys, include number of habs or haer drawings	#C	
Ownership/agency	#I	Private.
Date of entry	I12	(4-26-76)
Areas of Significance (circle those which apply to property)	I13	1. historic archeology 2. prehistoric archeology 3. agriculture 4. architecture 5. art 6. commerce 7. communication 8. conservation 9. economics 10. education 11. engineering 12. exploration 13. industry 14. invention 15. landscape architecture 16. law 17. literature 18. military 19. music 20. philosophy 21. politics/government 22. religion 23. science 24. social/humanitarian 25. transportation 26. entertainment 27. health 28. recreation 29. settlement 30. social/culture 31. urban and community planning

## Indexing Items

CE Howe, Abel  CF  
 CE Merrick, Solymon  CF  
 CE **Maple Union Corners, MA:**  CF  
 CF Sanborn, Simon  CF  
 CE  
 CE  
 CE  
 CE

# NATIONAL REGISTER DATA SHEET

1 NAME as it appears on federal register: **Maple-Union Corners** 2 OTHER NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_ 3 date of entry: **4-26-76** 4 county code: **013**

5 LOCATION street & number **77, 83, 76-78, 80-84 Maple St.** city / town **Springfield** vicinity of \_\_\_\_\_ state **MA** county **Hampden** 6 NPS REGION: **North Atlantic**

7 OWNER  PRIVATE  STATE  MUNICIPAL  COUNTY  MULTIPLE  FEDERAL (agency name) \_\_\_\_\_ 8 ADMINISTRATOR: \_\_\_\_\_

9 EXISTING SURVEYS  NABS  HAER  NHL 10 FUNDED?  YES  NO 11 CONGRESS. DISTRICT **2nd** 12 SOURCE OF NOMINATION  STATE  FEDERAL (if state who prepared form? \_\_\_\_\_)

13 WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT?  YES, NAME \_\_\_\_\_  NO 14 WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK?  YES, NAME \_\_\_\_\_  NO 15 AGREEMENT **1**  LOCAL  PRIVATE ORGANIZATION

16 CONDITION  deteriorated  altered  original site  excellent  ruins  unaltered  moved  good  unexposed  reconstructed  unknown  fair  unexcavated  excavated

17 features: INTERIOR  SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-1  NOT INTACT-0  UNKNOWN-4  NOT APPLICABLE-7 EXTERIOR  SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-2  NOT INTACT-0  UNKNOWN-5  NOT APPLICABLE-8 ENVIRONMENTAL  SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-3  NOT INTACT-0  UNKNOWN-6  NOT APPLICABLE-8

18 ACCESS  YES-Restricted  YES-Unrestricted  No Access  Unknown 19 ADAPTIVE USE  YES  NO 20 SAVED?  YES  NO IS PROPERTY A HISTORIC DISTRICT?  yes  no

21 AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE:  ARCHEOLOGY-prehistoric-2  COMMERCE-6  ARCHEOLOGY-historic-1  COMMUNICATIONS-7  AGRICULTURE-3  ARCHITECTURE-4  ART-5  ENGINEERING-11  ENTERTAINMENT-26  EXPLORATION-12  CONSERVATION-8  ECONOMICS-9  EDUCATION-10  LANDSCAPE ARCH.-15  LAW-16  LITERATURE-17  MILITARY-18  INDUSTRY-13  INVENTION-14  PHILOSOPHY-20  POLITICS/GOVT.-21  RELIGION-22  SCIENCE-23  SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN-24  SOCIAL/CULTURAL-30  TRANSPORTATION-25  RECREATION-28  SETTLEMENT-29  URBAN PLANNING-31  OTHER (SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

22 CLAIMS: explain 'first'  'oldest'  'only'

23 functions WHEN HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT: **RESIDENTIAL** CURRENTLY: **RESIDENTIAL** 24 dates of initial construction: **1832-1-1879** major alterations: \_\_\_\_\_ historic events: \_\_\_\_\_ 25 ETHNIC GROUP ASSOCIATION \_\_\_\_\_

26 architectural style(s): **FEDERAL/GREEK REVIVAL/2ND EMPIRE** 27 architect: \_\_\_\_\_ 28 master builder: \_\_\_\_\_ 29 engineer: \_\_\_\_\_

30 landscape architect/garden designer: \_\_\_\_\_ 31 interior decorator: \_\_\_\_\_ 32 artist: \_\_\_\_\_ 33 artisan: \_\_\_\_\_ 34 builder/contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

35 NAMES give role & date PERSONAL: **SOLYMON MERRICK - INVENTOR OF MONKEY WRENCH**  
**ELBERT ALDEN - WOOLLEN MANUFACTURER** EVENTS: \_\_\_\_\_ INSTITUTIONAL: \_\_\_\_\_

36 NATIONAL REGISTER WRITE-UP **RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT OF 5 ATTACHED AND 2 DETACHED BRICK OR BRICK, STUCCOED; 2-1/2-2 1/2-STORY DWELLINGS; NOTABLE ARE THE ELEGANT GREEK REVIVAL RESIDENCE AT 83 MAPLE ST. (1841), THE ECLECTIC DOUBLE TOWN HOUSE AT 76-78 MAPLE ST. (1879), AND THE TRANSITIONAL FEDERAL-GREEK REVIVAL HOUSE AT 77 MAPLE AVE. (2ND EMPIRE) EXAMPLES. DEVELOPED AS STYLISH RESIDENTIAL AREA WITH LATE 19TH C. EXPANSION OF CITY; PROMINENT RESIDENTS INCLUDED SOLYMON MERRICK, INVENTOR OF THE MONKEY WRENCH, AND WOOLLEN MANUFACTURER ELBERT ALDEN.**