

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
	16
	84-29, 29A

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number _____

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location
in relation to nearest cross streets and
other buildings. Indicate north.

*arched double doors w/ glass
panels.

1. Town Brookline MRA
Address 68 Winchester Street
Name Rev. John Orrock House
Present use Residence

Present owner F. D. Kay, Tr.

3. Description:

Date 1871

Source Tax list

Style Mansard

Architect Information not available

Exterior wall fabric Bevel siding

Outbuildings (describe) Small shed

Other features 2 stories, tall mansard
roof with 3 round headed windows in
each bay, other dormers with small
arch & pilasters, paired brackets
under cornice, paneled frieze board
2 2-story bays, side hall entrance,
Altered see reverse Date _____

Moved yes (on lot) Date 1984

5. Lot size: 14400 sq. ft.

One acre or less X Over one acre _____

Approximate frontage 70'

Approximate distance of building from street

30'

6. Recorded by C. Benka, L. Larkin

Organization Brookline Historical Comm.

Date March 1979

For geographical information, see reverse.

(over)

7. Original owner (if known) Reverend John M. Orrock

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	_____	Conservation	_____	Recreation	_____
Agricultural	_____	Education	_____	Religion	<u>X</u>
Architectural	<u>X</u>	Exploration/ settlement	_____	Science/ invention	_____
The Arts	_____	Industry	_____	Social/ humanitarian	_____
Commerce	_____	Military	_____	Transportation	_____
Communication	_____	Political	_____		_____
Community development	<u>X</u>				

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

See #s 26 and 48 Winchester St., also 17 Atherton St.

Quite a bit smaller than the other Mansards on Winchester Street, this house is almost a cottage. It was built in the same year as # 26, but many of its features are typical of later houses built in this style. The type of roof - mansard with almost a hip roof on top of it, the complex and animated treatment of the facade and details, and the various textures employed, are all elements found in later Mansards, and the use of textured surfaces and panels after 1868 in this style point toward the Queen Anne style, just as the brackets under the eaves in the Mansard houses here are not classical but are holdovers from the Italianate style used in these vernacular examples.

The Reverend Orrock was editor of the Advent Herald, a religious newspaper with offices at 46 Kneeland St., Boston. He lived here for over thirty years. The Advent Herald was published weekly, on Wednesdays, by the American Millennial Association, and a year's subscription was \$2.00.

68 Winchester Street meets NR criteria C, representing a rare example of a late, elaborate Mansard style cottage. In 1984, the house was moved forward on its lot, and a seven-story high-rise apartment block (non-contributing) was constructed on the rear of the lot.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Atlases, 1874 - 1907
Tax lists, 1870-71
Blue Book, 1889
Directory, 1872

Newton Quadrangle
UTM Reference: 19/324470/4689780
Map #: 74

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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Continuation sheet

Item number

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Brookline MRA
State MASSACHUSETTS

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

61. Milestone
(Boylston St.)

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

Attest

62. Murphy, William, House

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

Attest

63. Orrock, Rev. John, House

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

Attest

64. Paine Estate

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

Attest

65. Perkins Estate

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

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66. Reservoir Park

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National Register

for Keeper

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67. Ritchie Building

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National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/17/85

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68. Roughwood

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National Register

for Keeper

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Attest

69. Saint Aidan's Church and
Rectory

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National Register

for Keeper

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Attest

70. Saint Mary of the Assumption
Church, Rectory, School and
Convent

Entered in the
National Register

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Orrick, Rev. John, House

68 Winchester

6/85

Brookline (Ma) NRA



Ugrook, Rev. John, House

68 Winchester

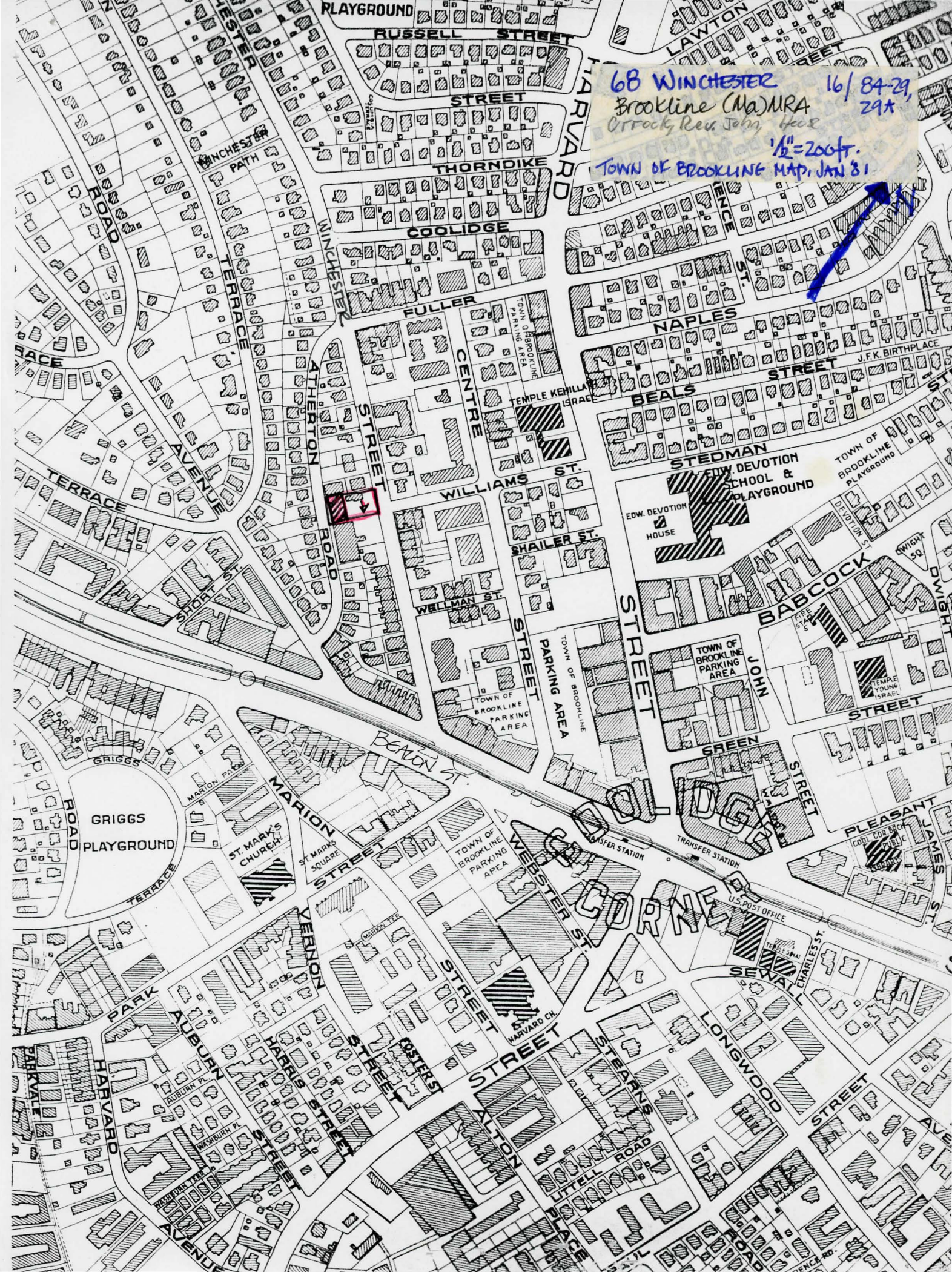
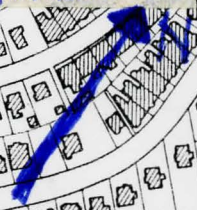
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Brookline (Ma) MRA

68 WINCHESTER
Brookline (Ma) MRA
Crocky Rev. John Hee

16/84-29
29A

1/2" = 200ft.
TOWN OF BROOKLINE MAP, JAN 81



National Register of Historic Places

Archivist note to the record

Additional Documentation: 2013

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION

PROPERTY NAME: Orrock, Rev. John, House

MULTIPLE NAME: Brookline MRA

STATE & COUNTY: MASSACHUSETTS, Norfolk

DATE RECEIVED: 1/07/13 DATE OF PENDING LIST:
DATE OF 16TH DAY: DATE OF 45TH DAY: 2/23/13
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 85003304

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT RETURN REJECT 2-25-13 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

Additional Documentation Approved

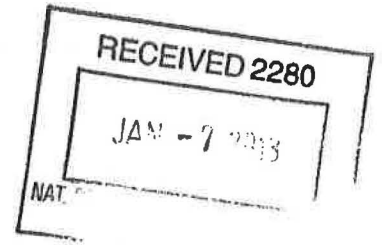
RECOM./CRITERIA _____

REVIEWER _____ DISCIPLINE _____

TELEPHONE _____ DATE _____

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

If a nomination is returned to the nominating authority, the nomination is no longer under consideration by the NPS.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
William Francis Galvin, Secretary of the Commonwealth
Massachusetts Historical Commission

December 26, 2012

Mr. J. Paul Loether
National Register of Historic Places
Department of the Interior
National Park Service
1201 Eye Street, NW 8th floor
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Mr. Loether:

Re: Address changes for properties listed on the NRHP

As we digitize our inventory of historic resources, we are discovering discrepancies in property addresses due to renumbering, changing the address to a side street that abuts the parcel, or assigning a precise address where none had existed. In some cases, property owners have notified us of an incorrect address. We are, therefore, writing to request technical corrections in the National Register records for the following:

Bedford (Middlesex County)

Page, Christopher House, First Period Buildings of E. Mass NRTRA/IND—new address is 2 Meyers Lane (formerly 50 Old Billerica Road)

Brewster (Barnstable County)

Old Higgins Farm Windmill, NRIND 6/10/1975—new address is 51 Drummer Boy Road (formerly, off Lower Road)

Brookline (Norfolk County)

Brookline Town Stable, Brookline MRA 10/17/1985—new address is 235 Cypress Street (formerly 237)

Orrock, Rev. John House, Brookline MRA/IND 10/17/1985—new address is 64 Winchester Street (formerly 68)

Haverhill (Essex County)

John Greenleaf Whittier Homestead, NRIND 7/30/1975—correct address is 305 Whittier Road (had been incorrectly reported as 105 Whittier Road)

Oak Bluffs (Dukes County)

Dr. Harrison A. Tucker Cottage, NRIND 10/22/1990—new address is 61 Ocean Avenue (formerly 61 Circuit Avenue)

Wellesley (Norfolk County)

Eaton Moulton Mill, NRIND 5/13/76—new address is 35 Walnut Street (formerly 37)

Westborough (Worcester County)

Fisher, Nathan A. House, NRIND 3/25/1980, NRDIS/MPS 7/25/1994—new address is 34 West Main Street (formerly Turnpike Road) 80001679

Maples Cottage, NRIND 3/25/1980, NRDIS/MPS 7/25/1994—new address is 155 Oak Street (formerly Oak Street) 80001681

Sincerely,



Betsy Friedberg
National Register Director
Massachusetts Historical Commission

National Register of Historic Places

Archivist note to the record

Correspondence

The Correspondence consists of communications from (and possibly to) the nominating authority, notes from the staff of the National Register of Historic Places, and/or other material the National Register of Historic Places received associated with the property.

Correspondence may also include information from other sources, drafts of the nomination, letters of support or objection, memorandums, and ephemera which document the efforts to recognize the property.

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Orrock, Rev. John, House (Brookline MRA)
Norfolk County
MASSACHUSETTS

Working No. SEP 4 1985
Fed. Reg. Date: 2/3/87
Date Due: 10/3/85 - 10/19/85
Action: ACCEPT 10-17-85
 RETURN
 REJECT
Federal Agency: _____

Entered in the
National Register

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria _____
Reviewer _____
Discipline _____
Date _____
_____ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: _____ technical corrections cited below
_____ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership Public Acquisition	Status Accessible	Present Use

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Has this property been determined eligible? yes no

7. Description

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below _____

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (*in one paragraph*) _____

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- applicable criteria
- justification of areas checked
- relating significance to the resource
- context
- relationship of integrity to significance
- justification of exception
- other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

UTM References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

_____ national _____ state _____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

title _____ date _____

13. Other

- Maps
- Photographs
- Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: _____