

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
80 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON, MA 02116

AREA	FORM NO.
	CH-150

Newton, Mass. M.R.A.
Town NEWTON (Chestnut Hill)

Address 121 Ward Street

Historic Name Ephraim Ward House

Photo (3"x3" or 3"x5", black and white) Indicate address of property on back of photo. Staple to left side of form.

Use: Present dwelling

Original dwelling

DESCRIPTION

Date 1821

Source Jackson Homestead Public. #14

Style Federal

Architect unknown

Exterior Wall Fabric clapboard

Outbuildings none

Sketch Map: Draw map showing property's location in relation to nearest cross streets and/or geographical features. Indicate all buildings between inventoried property and nearest intersection(s). Indicate north

SEE ATTACHED MAP

Major Alterations (with dates) 1860s-

interior remodelling, north wing addition

Condition Excellent

Moved no Date

Acreage 7,480 sq. ft. *less than one acre*

Setting Suburban residential along early road

UTM REFERENCE 19.320580.4689380

USGS QUADRANGLE Newton, Mass.

SCALE 1 : 25,000

Recorded by Arch. Pres. Assocs.

Organization Newton Historical Comm.

Date 5/83; rev. by H. White 3/86

**United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service**

**National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form**

For NPS use only
received 7/23/86
date entered

Continuation sheet

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Newton-MRA
State Middlesex County, MA

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

- 111. Souther, John, House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 112. Staples--Crafts--Wiswall Farm Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 113. Stone, Ebenezer, House ~~Entered in the
National Register~~
Substantive Review/Deferred Eligible *for* Keeper *Digible Talvick Andrus* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 114. Stone, Joseph L., House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 115. Strong's Block Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 116. Thaxter, Celia, House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 117. Thayer House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 118. Ward, Ephraim, House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 119. Wheat, Samuel, House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____
- 120. Woodward, John, House Entered in the
National Register *for* Keeper *Delores Byers* 9/4/86
Attest _____

8600 1894

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Ward, Ephraim, House (Newton MRA)
Middlesex County
MASSACHUSETTS

Working No. _____
Fed. Reg. Date: JUL 23 1986 2/3/87
Date Due: 8/2/86 - 9/6/86
Action: ACCEPT 9-4-86
 RETURN _____
 REJECT _____
Federal Agency: _____

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

Entered in the
National Register

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	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

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

- excellent
- good
- fair
- deteriorated
- ruins
- unexposed

Check one

- unaltered
- altered

Check one

- original site
- moved date _____

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: _____

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet



Ward, Ephraim, Heise

Newton, Mass. MRA

121 Ward St, Chestnut Hill
- K-14 (23)

121 ward



City of Newton Assessor's Maps. Sheet 76
 Metric Series. 1979
 Scale: UTM grid line interval = 100 meters (328 feet)

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