FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING 220 Morrissey Boulevard BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02125





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Organization Lexington Historical Commission

Date (month / year) January 1998 Assessor's Number

USGS Quad

Area(s)

Form Number

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Boston N.

669

Town Lexington

Place (neighborhood or village)

Address 6 Fletcher Ave.

Historic Name Centre (Hancock) Engine House

Uses: Present Residence

Original Fire station

Date of Construction 1857

Source Lexington Town Reports

Style/Form Italianate cottage

Architect/Builder

Exterior Material:

Foundation Brick

Wall/Trim Asbestos shingle

Roof Asphalt shingle

Outbuildings/Secondary Structures Tool shed

Major Alterations (with dates)

Enclosed porch, shed dormers, projecting bay (dates unknown)

Condition Good

Moved no yes Date ca. 1877

Acreage 0.1 A.

Setting Next to bikepath (formerly railroad tracks) on a residential street of modest 19th-century houses with 20thcentury infill