

# MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING  
220 MORRISSEY BLVD  
BOSTON, MA 02125

### Photograph

(3"x3" or 3-1/2"x5" black and white only) Label photo on back with town and property address. Record film roll and negative numbers here on the form. Staple photo to left side of form over this space. Attach additional photos to continuation sheets.

Roll	Negative(s)



### Sketch Map

Draw a map showing the building's location in relation to the nearest cross streets and/or major natural features. Show all buildings between inventoried building and nearest intersection or natural feature. Label streets including route numbers, if any. Circle and number the inventoried building. Indicate

**Town** Provincetown  
**Place** (neighborhood or village)  
**Address** 4 CENTRAL ST  
**Building ID** 1201  
**Parcel No. (PID)** 07-2-096-0  
**Mapbase #** 07-2-096  
**Building Area** 1368.401  
**Historic Name**  
**Present Use** Residential  
**Original Use** Residential  
**Date of Construction** 1800-1830  
**Source** NR Nomination  
**Style/Form** Italianate  
**Architect/Builder**  
**Exterior Material** clapboard  
**Foundation** brick  
**Wall/Trim** wood  
**Roof** Side gable  
**Outbuildings/Secondary Structures**  
 2 secondary buildings

### Major Alterations (with dates)

additions; Italianate details (c. 1880)

**Condition** Good  
**Moved**  no  yes **Date**  
**Acreage** 0.141  
**Setting**

**Recorded by** Johnette Davies  
**Organization** Kise Straw & Kolodner  
**Date** (month/year) April 2004  
**Form Status**  new  update

Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

Follow Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey Manual instructions for completing this form.

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### ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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*Describe architectural features. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings in the community.*

4 Central Street is a 1-story, 4-bay 3/4cottage with a rear ell. The side gable roof has a central brick chimney at the ridge; brick chimney on rear ell. The building is clad in clapboard on front and wood shingle on secondary facades. The main entry consists of a pane and panel door with storm, accessed by a brick stoop. A center gable extends and forms a hood over door; supported by elaborate end brackets. Fenestration is 2/1 DHS with storms on the primary façade, with 2/1 and 2/2 DHS in other parts of building. A 1-story rear ell extends north of the main block; a secondary entry is located on the east façade of this ell; 4/2 DHS windows above. Another addition is located to the rear of this ell, and it has its own entry.

### HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

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*Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.*

Current owner (2004) says the building was constructed in the mid-19th century with alterations in late 19th century (door surround, etc.). Interior changes were made, as well; the rear section was added in the early 20th century. Interior stair orientation was likely moved.

### BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. *If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*