

LOWELL CULTURAL RESOURCES INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION BOOTT MILLS--foot of JOHN STREET MAP SHEET # 8

1) CURRENT OWNER Boott Mills OWNER OCCUPIED yes

2) HISTORIC NAME Boott Mills--#2 Mill

3) CURRENT NAME Boott Mills-- Building #2

4) PROPERTY TYPE mill structure 5) ZONING CLASSIFICATION B3

6) TAXES: PAYMENTS current STATUS clear

7) WITHIN BOUNDARIES OF LNHP, Locks and Canals HD, LHPD

HISTORICAL ABSTRACT

1) CONSTRUCTION DATE 1835-1836; top floor ca. 1880

SOURCE documented: 1911 Insurance Survey; 1836 directory; Views 1876 and 1884

2) ARCHITECT OR BUILDER Proprietor of Locks and Canals

3) HISTORIC OWNER Boott Cotton Mills

4) ORIGINAL USE: GF industrial UF industrial

5) PREVIOUS BLDGS ON PROPERTY no DATE _____

SOURCE _____

DESCRIPTIVE DATA

1) ARCHITECTURAL STYLE Federal/Greek Revival

2) PRESENT USE:
GF industrial
UF industrial

3) NO OF STORIES 5
part of

4) PROP SQ FT 246,563 lot

5) PLAN rectangular

6) ROOF very low pitched

7) STRUCTURAL SYSTEM
load-bearing masonry

8) OUTBUILDINGS
part of mill yard

9) MATERIALS:
FOUNDATION
not visible

FACADE all sides: red brick in common bond (7/1)

TRIM hammered granite stone; rock-faced granite (fifth story only)

10) NOTABLE SURFACE & LANDSCAPE ELEMENTS slope allows six stories at rear



VISUAL ASSESSMENT

- 1) CONDITION OF BUILDING FABRIC needs minor repair
- 2) IF DETERIORATED, CAUSES n/a
- 3) INTEGRITY OF HISTORIC BLDG FABRIC: GF major but revers changes
UF intact with evolutionary alterations
- 4) SURROUNDING LAND USES commercial, industrial
- 5) INTEGRITY OF PROP'S HIST SETTING intact with minor intrusions and/or losses
- 6) IMPORTANCE OF PROP TO HIST SETTING integral to character

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL INFORMATION

See Research Report, and survey form on Boott Mill #1.

ARCHEOLOGICAL COMMENT

See Research Report.