

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
294 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02108

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Lowell

Woburn Street

13 Eugene St

Original Name Riverside School

Original Primary School

Present Primary School

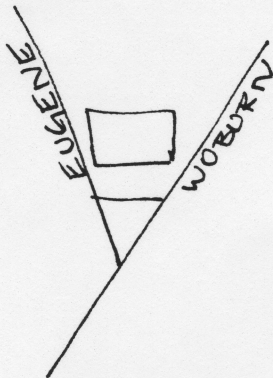
Ownership: ☐ Private individual
Private organization

Public City of Lowell

Original owner City of Lowell

DESCRIPTION:

location in relation to nearest
cross streets and other buildings
or geographical features.
Indicate north.



Date 1906

Source city documents

Style Classical Revival

Architect

Exterior wall fabric asbestos vinyl siding

Outbuildings

Major alterations (with dates)

Moved Date

Approx. acreage less than one acre

Setting Residential

Recorded by Elizabeth Durfee Hengen

Organization D.P.D. Architectural Survey

Date 4/1/81

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ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within community)

Like other turn of the century primary schools in Lowell, the design of Riverside School is austere yet imposing. The frame 2 1/2 story hip roof structure is symmetrical with an entrance graced by a columned porch. Side entrances have smaller pedimented porticoes. A high ashlar foundation contributes to the building's massiveness.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community)

Following the annexation of a large section of Tewksbury in 1906, the Riverside School was erected for children in the area. In 1906, 212 pupils were taught at the school.

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