

Rodney Wing House
Walpole (Westminster Street, second
house east of the house facing the
north end of the green)
Cheshire County
New Hampshire

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HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY

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Location: Walpole (Westminster Street, second house east of the house facing the north end of the green), Cheshire County, New Hampshire.

Present Use: Residence.

PART I. HISTORICAL INFORMATION

A. Physical History

1. Date of erection: c. 1840, Classic Revival period.
2. Builder: Possibly Aaron(?) Howland who built the Howland House next door which has a similar Palladian window.
3. Original Plans: There is evidence of the use of Asher Benjamin hand books.
4. Notes on alterations and additions: Apparently the door was originally centered in the facade where there is now a bricked up opening.

B. Reference: Reference collection in the library of the Walpole Historical Society.

PART II. ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

A. Architectural Character: Regionally typical of the period.

B. Description: Brick, rectangular plan, two-and-a-half stories, gable roof with gable end to the street, three bay facade, one story porch around two sides, with Doric columns, five columns across the front, 6/6 light double hung windows, Palladian window in pediment-like gable end over facade, fixed lower shutters.

C. Orientation: House faces south.