

148 Farm Road



Daniels House, June 1999

Form No.	216
Town	Sherborn
Address	148 Farm Road
Assessor's #	15/6
USGS Quad	Medfield
Historic Name	Daniels House
Uses: Present	Residence
Original	Residence
Constructed	ca. 1780
Source	Owner
Style/Form	Federal
Architect/Builder	
Exterior Material:	
Foundation	Cut granite
Wall/Trim	Wood clapboards
Roof	Wood shingle
Outbuildings	Detached garage
Alterations	
Condition	Excellent
Moved	Yes, 1979
Acreage	4.58 acres
Setting	Rural
Film Roll/Negative	Roll 13
Recorded by	Sanford Johnson, May 1999

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

The main block of the Daniels House is a side-gabled, two and one-half-story form with elements of the Federal style. The five by two bay plan is expanded in the rear by a two and one-half-story ell built perpendicular to the principal mass. Windows are 12/12 double-hung sash with beaded trim. The center entry is articulated with a pedimented hood, fanlight and pilasters at the sides.

A detached two-bay garage, built around 1980, is in the front yard

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

The Daniels House was built in Blackstone, Massachusetts around 1780 by a member of the Daniels family. It was moved to Sherborn in 1979 and reassembled and restored, adding a basement story overlooking Farm Pond, by former owners Patty and Hank Bates. The current owners bought the unfinished house from the Bates family shortly after it was moved to Sherborn and completed the finish work and landscaping.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and REFERENCES

- Interview with owner, Mrs. Whittemore 5/99;