274-278 BRACKETT STREET

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Ere Lowis He Missmane 91 Rocky Hill Road Caps Elizabeth, Kaine

Dear Mr. Musemans

It has come to the attention of this department that the building pormit to build a motel fire escape at 276 Brackett Street has expired and no work has been started. Both this department and the Fire Department are most concerned with the ladder as a means of egrous from the third floor.

The attached ladder is not a catisfactory means of egrene and work to correct and install a fire escare should proceed insediately - within 10 days or not later than lecember 16, 1971

If you will contact me at this office within 10 days we will work will be completed within the time given.

Vory truly youros

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Mugh Irving Inopostor

276 Brackett Street

March 22, 1971

Lewis H. Mussman 91 Rocky Hill Road Cape Elizabeth cc to: Robert Jackman 58 Cross Street

Dear Mr. Mussman:

Permit to erect metal fire escape platform, third floor level, connecting to existing fire escape as per plan is issued herewith subject to the following Building Code requirement.

Three quarter inch through bolts are required to be used at the upper section of the stiff legs of the bracket supporting the walkway.

Very truly yours,

Earle S. Smith Plan Examiner

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R6 residence zone

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

PERMIT ISSUED

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Portland, Maine, March 18, 1971		CITY of LUALL
To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, MAINE		.,
The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect alter repair demolish install in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Orcs spec fications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:	dinance of the	City of Portland, plans and
Lccation 276 Brackett Street Within Fire	Limits?	Dist. No
Owner's name and address Lewis H. Mussman, 91 Rocky Hill Rd Cape	Elizabetl	Telephone
Lessee's name and address	***************************************	Telephone Telephone
Contractor's name and addressdobert_Jackman, 58 Cross_St	***************************************	Telephone
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Last use	***************************************	No. families
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Other buildings on same lot	********************	
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CITY OF PORTLAND HEALTH DEPARTMENT HOUSING DIVISION



Loc. 276 Brackett St. Loc w/i S Bramhall Bldg X Fire Elec Other Issued Sept. 2, 1969 Fxpires Oct. 2, 1969

Mr. Louis H. Mussman 91 Rocky Hill Road Cape Elizabeth, Maine

Dear Sir:

September 2, 1969 an examination was made of the premises located

276 Brackett Street, Portland, Maine

Non-compliance with the ordinances relating to housing conditions was found as detailed below. In accordance with the provisions of the above ordinance, you are hereby ordered to correct these defects according to specifications within the time limits allowed. Failure to comply with this notice will necessitate legal action.

Some repairs or improvements required will necessitate permits which are to be ϕ_0 tained from the Building Inspector, Health, Fire or other City Departments. These must be oftained before the work is started.

If any additional information is desired, visit or telephone the Housing Supervisor at this Office, Tel. 774-8221, extension 226.Kindly notify this office as soon as all corrections have been completed.

> Very truly yours, John R. Davy, M. D. Health Director

Housing Supervisor

VIOLATIONS & SPECIFICATIONS

Responsibility of Gwner or Agent ** Responsibility of Occupant

STRUCTUAL

Repair and put in good order all deteriorated and hazardous parts of the structure as follows:

a. Install a window to the outside air, the size equal to at least 1/12 of the ficor area and so constructed that & the sash area may be opened and closed OR you may substitute an approved method of mechanical ventilation in the bathroom of Apt. 5 on the second floor.

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE Department of Building Inspection

Certificate of Occupancy

LOCATION 274-278 Brackett St.

Issued to

L. Il Hussman

32 Columbia Road

Date of Issue

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Date of Issue

September 12, 1960

This is in rertiffs that the building premises, or part thereof, at the above location, built—aftered—changed as to use under Building Permit No.

—changed as to use under Building Permit No.

— has had final inspection, has been found to conform substantially to requirements of Zoning Ordinance and Building Code of the City, and is hereby approved for occupancy or use, limited or otherwise, as indicated below.

PORTION OF BUILDING OR PREMISES

APPROVED OCCUPANCY

Area shown on plot plan

Off street parking for four passenger care.

Limiting Conditions:

This certificate supersedes certificate issued

Approved: (Date)

Nelsau F. Cartwooght

Notice: This certificate identifies lawful use of building or premises, and ought to be tre owner to owner when property changes hands. Copy will be furnished to owner or lesser

AF-274-273 Brackett Street, corner of Newl Street

May 31, 1960

Hr. L. H. Museman 33 Columbia Road

cc to: Corporation Counsel

Dear Mr. Musemen:

A cordificate of occupancy for use of perties of lot at the above named location for off-street parking of four passenger cars as accessory to the building containing aix apartments located on the came lot is not issuable because the parking area is to exclude the line of Norl Street instead of being kept at least 10 fless from that street line as required by Section 14-F of the Zonlang Ordinance applying to the R-6 Zone in which the property is

In case you would like to exercise your appeal rights concerning this discrepancy, we are certifying the case to the Corporation Counsel, to whose office in Room 203, City Hall, you should go to file the appeal.

Very truly yours,

AJS/jg

Albert J. Sears Inspector of Euildings

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AP-274-278 Brackett Street, corner of Neal Street

August 31, 1959

Hr. L. H. Mussman 33 Columbia Road

co to: Corporation Commosel

Doar Mr. Hussman:

A certificate of occupancy for use of portion of lot at the above named location for off-street purking of four passenger cars as accessory to the building containing six apartments located on the same lot is not issuable because the parking area is to extend out to the line of Neal Street instead of being kept at least 10 feet from that street line as required by Section 14-F of the Zoning Ordinance applying to the R-6 Zone in which the property is located.

In case you would like to exercise your appeal rights concerning this discrepancy, we are certifying the case to the Corporation Counsel, to whose office in Room 200, City Hall, you should go to file the appeal.

Very Truly yours,

AJS/jg

Albert J. Sears Inspector of Buildings

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR USE OF PREMISES

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE BOARD OF APPEALS

MISCELLANEOUS APPEAL

May 31, 1960

LEGAL BASIS OF APPEAL: The Board of Appeals shall grant such appeal only if it finds that enforcement of the Terms of the Ordinance would result in undue hardship and desirable relief may be granted without substantially departing from the intent and purpose of the

DECISION

After public hearing held June 16 , 19 60, the Board of Appeals finds that enforcement of the terms of the Ordinance would result in undue hardship and desirable relief may be granted without substantially departing from the intent and purpose of the Ordinance.

It is, therefore, determined that such pensit should be issued.

BOAT'D OF APPEALS

CITT OF POETLAND, MATAE BOARD OF APPEALS

Some 13, 1960

Hrs. Alice A. Whittier 143 Nesl Street Portland, Haine

Dear Mrs. Whittier:

The Board of Appeals will hald a public hearing in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Portland, Maine, on Thursday, June 16, 1960, at 4:00 p.m. to hear the appeal of L. H. Mussman requesting an exception to the Zoning Ordinance to permit use of a portion of the lot at 274-278 Brackett Street for off-street parking of four passenger cars as accessory to the building containing six apartments.

This permit is presently not issuable because the parking area is to extend out to the line of Neal Street instead of being kept at least 10 feet from that line, as required by Section 14-F of the Zoning Ordinance applying to the R-6 Residence zone in which the property is located.

All persons interested either for or against this appeal will be heard at the above time and place.

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE Repartment of Building Inspection

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May 31, 1960

Mr. L. N. Mussman 33 Columbia Road

v as to: Corporation Counsel

A certificate of occupancy for use of portion of lot at the above named location for off-street parking of four passenger cars as accessory to the building containing six apartments located on the same lot is not issuable because the parking area is to extend out to the line of Neal Street instead of being kept at least 10 feet from that street line as required by Section 14-F of the Zone ing Ordinance applying to the R-6 Zone in which the property is located.

In case you would like to exercise your appeal rights con-cerning this discrepancy, we are certifying the case to the Corporation Counsel, to whose effice in Room 208, City Hall, you should go to file the appeal.

Very truly yours,

ATS/JE

Albert J. Sears Inspector of Buildings

CITY OF PORTLAND HEALTH DEPARTMENT HOUSING DIVISION



Loc.276 Brackott Street
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Issued July 11, 1956
Expires August 11, 1956

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A. 276 Brackett Street-I

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May 1, 1948

Br. R. V. . madlor 276 Brackett Street Mr. Frenk Proaty 465 Congress Street Subjects Application for building penalt to cover elterations in the apartment house at 276 Brackett Street (271-278)

Gentlemun:

This letter is addressed to you jointly because Mr. Chandler reports that he sold the property to Mr. Fronty recently. It has been necessary to hold the above application for this lang time because the description as given by the contractor she applied for the work was not intelligible and we were unable to tell whether or not the work would comply with Building Gods requirements without exemination at the building.

Exesdration at the suilding and of the record of the building disclosis that there has been an unaluful change as to the number and arrangement of apartmentschanges which affect the michy of the occupants in a substantial vay—in that no per-changes which affect the michy of the occupants in a substantial vay—in that no per-mit was secured to cover his changed arrangement and the improvements required by the Building tode for such increase in neares of spartness and change in arrangement of apartments have not been acces. Thus the natter becomes far nors extensive than morely providing impressed means of agrees to taking the requirements of the infety Ordinance which Chiuf actors of the rice opport ent Administers.

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Upon expanientian of the balleting it was found that the balleting is now being used for 3 spartments in the first story, A spartments in second story (even a single rock where light nonencepting takes place has to be counted as an apartment) and 2 spartments on third floor. It further becomes evident that their change has taken place by closics up decrease between these ways formula and of a single counter. place by closing up decrease between rooms which were formerly part of a single apartment, and the entire situation has been changed so tat it is wheate in a practical sense as well as in comparison with Building Code standards.

in case of such a proposed change within a given class of use, the building Code requires that spalloution for a permit for the change shall be made at this office with full information as to the proposed changed arrangement and to show all improved ments required by the Building Code to bring the new proposal up to the stendards of the Building Gode for that situation.

It is my duty under the Building Code to require that you proceed immediately to convert the building back to the lawful use which has been authorized (3 apartaents) with decent regard for the needs of the present tenants; or to have propered and filed, with the belated application for a penalt to make the change showing all information as to the arrangement of apartments with relation to features controlled by the Building Code and chosing improvements which the Building Code requires for the safety of the cocupants of the building on the basis of the extended occupancy. In any case a present owner will have to bear the responsibility should any unfortunate occurence

PLAISTED CONSTRUCTION CO. General Contractors

LAWRENCE STREET

WESTBROOK, MAINE

July 21, 1948

Mr. Warren MacDonald: Inspector of Buildings Portland, Maine

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

RECEIVED

JUL 23 1948

BEPT. OF BLD'G. INSP.
CITY OF PORTLAND

This is to inform you that the building permit that you issued to this commany for the vork to be done for Mr. Frank Prouty, we have talked to Mr. R. W. Chandler regarding the work and he has decided not to do any of the work intended, but to is not enough work for us, as a contractor.

Very truly yours,

W. E. Plaisted, Jr. President BP 48/789-I

October 4, 1948

The Protectowire Company Hanover, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

As agreed with your Mr. Osborne, this letter is to inform you that we received notification on October 1, 1948 that the Protectowire automatic fire detection and alarm system installed at 276 Brackett Street formRalph Chandler by L. W. Cleveland Company had been completed and was ready for inspection.

Very truly yours,

Inspector of Buildings

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May 22, 1948 Mr. R. W. Chandlor. 276 Brackett Street Subject: Puilding permit for installa-Mr. Frank Prouty tion of automatic fire alarm system 465 Congress Street at 276 Brackett Street Contlement Since my letter of may 3 about the une of this building, Mr. Chard-ler has talked this situation over with me in the office. Now we have the application for possit to install the automatic How we have the application for possit to install the successive fire detection and alarm system by 1. W. Cloveland Company. I so issuing that possit because this department does not stand in the way of any improvement by may of safety for the occupants of the building, irrespective of any question as to leaful use. But, the possit for the system must be issued without prejudice to the question of leaful use and to the requirements of the Building Code for sector is given of such observe of man ments of the Bailding Code for safety in unse of such chance of use. Also, it is to be borne in wind that improvements required by the Building Code wall likely cause some adjustment in the detection part of the proposed alers system. For tratance, the stairs between cellar and the proposed clara system. For instance, the stairs between cellar and first floor are required to be enclosed by fire registive partitions in the cellar and in the case of a building of were then six apartments, the Building Gode requires that the beating plant, including heater for hot water ancess individual heaters in the coveral apartments, smokepipe and fuel storage spaces are required by the Building Cove to be enclosed in fire resistive rooms. These partition changes will make necessary adjustment in number and location of fire detection therm state in the automatic fore alarm evaters. With reference to my letter of May 1, since ou are proceeding with the installation of the automatic fire detection and alarm system, I take it that you do not intend to revort the building to its former lawful use of three apartments. In that case it is quite necessary that you proceed with as much dispatch as possible to have the necessary plans propored to show compliance with the Building Code for the lawful apartment use, these plans to be filed with application for a building permit intended to authorize the state of the state o a change to the larger number of agartments and improvements required by the Building Gods for that larger number of spartments. Very truly yours. Inspector of Buildings McD/S CO: Oliver T. Sanbern, Chief of the Fire Department

(A) APARTMENT HOUSE ZONE



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Installation Portland, Maine, May 20. 1948

PERMIT ISSUED
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CITY of PORTLAND

The interestingual hereby applies for a permit to restrict temperature with a following building structure in accordance with the 1 we of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Port specifications; if any, submitted herewish and the following specifications: Within Fire Limits? Yes Dist. No. 3 Owner's name and address Rulpa Chandler, 276 Brackett Street Telephone Contractor's name and address Last use Telephone Response to the Contractor's name and address Freposed use of building Gode and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Port Specifications: Material Transe No. stories in Heat Style of roof New Work To install automatic fire alarm system using Protectowire lines of fire-detecting wire (many The Protectowire Co.) not more than 15 apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite with a fire protectowire Co.) not more than 15° apart nor more than 716° from any well or partite and sub-scallar, if any, all or partite or more than 716° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite and scale of 10° from any well or partite	To the INSPECTOR OF F	SILL DINCS paper	and the second s	- Chillian
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July 15, 1941

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(A) APARTMENT HOUSE ZONE CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION

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July 15, 1341

Mrs. Etta Sheohan, 236 Brackett Street, Portland, Maino

Dear Mrs. Shachans

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INSPECTION COPY Commissioner of Pu	ihlic Works.	**************************************	Inspect	or of Building

File: B. 37/11838-1

September 23, 1937

Mogquier & Jones Co. 31 Pearl Street Portiand, Maine

Gentlemen:

I have received a plan of a fire escape which you propose to erect for Mrs. Sheehan at 276 Brackett Street and note that you have sent a copy to the Chief of the Fire Department.

Mrs. Sheehan already has a building permit for other alterations in the building end we advised her on August 6th that the plan of the fire escape should be filed at this office before were was commenced and that also the erector should file in her name an application for an amendment to the original permit to cover the erection of the fire escape. We were then to ask the approval of the Fire Chief.

Will you be kind enough to follow this procedure?

I am wondering if the fire escape as indicated will have the balcony extending at least nine inches bayons mach window jamb?

Very truly yours,

McD/N CC: Mrs. Etta Sheehan k76 Brackett St.

Inspector of buildings

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File: Ropt.9929B-I August 8, 1937 Mrs. Etta Sheehan, 276 Brackett Street, Portland, Maine Dear Madamı Enclosed is the building permit covering change of use of your building at 276 Brackett Street, corner of Neal Street, from a single family dwelling house to a three family apartment house. Since you have not filed the plans of the proposed fire escape which is necessary as an emergency means of egress from the third story, please file this plan, when prepared, with an application for an amendment to the permit covering the erection of the fire escape, and we will ask the Board of fire engineers for their approval upon the fire escape as a means of egross. Very truly yours, Inspector of Buildings McD/il

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The undersigned hereby applies accordance with the Laws of Maine, th	for a permit to install the following heating, co e Building Code of the City of Portland, and th	oking or power equipment in e following specifications:
278 Breckett Street	Use of Building dwelling	
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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO REPAIR BUILDING OF AUG 24 1991 __Third__Class Building

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to repair the following described building in accordance with the Laws of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications: Ward 7 Within fire limits? Owner's name and address Thoras J. Frothingham, 276 Brackett St. Contractor's name and address Brown & Farry, Inc. 22 Manuscent Sc Telephone Use of building dwelling house 1 family No. stories 2 ...Height. _ft., Gross area sq. ft., Style of roof managed Type of present roof covering General Description of New Work To Repair after Firs to former condition. Most terrations CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED. If Roof Covering is to be Repaired or Renewed 2x8 When last repaired?_ ..., Area then repaired. Are repairs or renewal due to damage by fire?_ __ If so, what area damaged?. Area of roof to be repaired now? _____repair Type of roofing to be used slate Trade name and grade of roof covering to be used. No. plies Estimated cost \$ 550 750.

Thomas J. Frothingham

Signature of owner. By Brown & Borry, Inc.

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE Department of Building Inspection

Certificate of Occupancy

Issued to Frank Prouty

Date of Issue

This is to certify that the building, premises, or part thereof, indicated below, and builty-altered—changed as to use at 276 Brackett Stroot under Building Permit No. 43/12/13, has had final inspection, has been found to conform substantially to requirements of Zoning Ordinance and Building Code of the City, and is hereby approved for occupancy, limited or otherwise, as indicated below. December 17, 1948

PORTION OF BUILDING OR PREMISES

APPROVED OCCUPANCY

Entire Building

6-family Apartment House

Limiting Conditions:

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