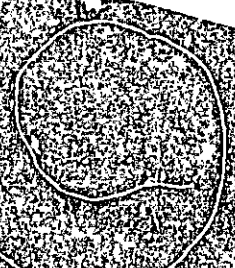


SUMMIT AVENUE - GREAT DIAMOND ISL.  
83A-N-7



STANDARD  
1026

(COPY)

September 7, 1932

To the Honorable Municipal Officers of the City of Portland:

The undersigned, owners of property on Great Diamond Island, respectfully petition you to afford relief with relation to a burned and dilapidated structure located at Great Diamond Island and owned now or formerly by George A. Wright whose last known address was Lincoln Avenue, Gardiner, Maine.

This cottage was practically destroyed by fire on the evening of July 4th, 1929. Since that date the ruins of the building have lain upon the property constituting a most unsightly and disagreeable condition that is detrimental to the enjoyment of our property which we try to maintain in good condition.

All efforts to prevail upon the owner of the property to the end that the situation might be cleared up have been without success, and he refuses to exhibit any interest whatever in the property.

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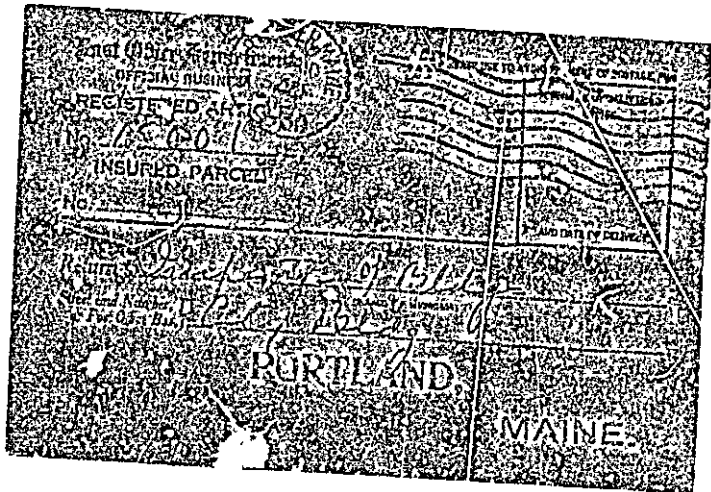
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Department of Building Inspection

COMPLAINT

At No. Great Steam and Island

Date R.c'd. 4/8/30

Owner Mrs. Gustaf 515 Stevens Ave.

Tenant owner

Description Cottage basement

4 ft of July - base not cleaned

and some of debris - chimney

and the fall and whole cottage  
in very bad condition

Made by Mr. C. H. Little Owner

Address 620 Congress St.

Date Examined 4/8/30

Action Patrol 4/9/30

Date

C-33-51  
Re-L 7/16/30

July 1, 1930

Mr. George A. Wright  
Lincoln Avenue  
Gardiner, Maine

Dear Sir:

I wrote you on April 8, 1930 with regard to the condition of your cottage on Great Diamond Island in Sals City, copy of letter attached. Nothing has been done to date to relieve this situation, although you were required to clear up the property on or before April 22nd.

We have no desire to put you to expense or inconvenience with regard to this matter, but unless the condition is properly taken care of or we hear from you definitely as to why it cannot or should not be taken care of on or before July 15, 1930, it will be my duty to report the condition to the Board of Municipal Officers of the City of Portland who will summons you to a public hearing, and will determine what shall be done with the building under the authority imposed upon them by the law of the State.

Very truly yours,

Inspector of Buildings.

EM/HC  
CC-Dr. A. H. Little-690 Congress St.

*File with my  
copy C-30-51*

C-Orant Diamond Island  
E-4/23/50-Rm

April 8, 1950

Mr. George L. Eright  
615 Stevens Avenue  
Portland, Maine

*Lincoln Ave.,  
Gardner, Me*

Dear Sir:

You are reported to be the owner of a cottage on Great Diamond Island which was partially destroyed by fire early last summer. It appears that the debris and remains of the cottage have never been cleared up, and that the chimney is standing free and likely to fall at any time of high winds.

You are hereby directed to have this property thoroughly cleared up, and the chimney taken care of in such a way that the property cannot be adjudged a nuisance or dangerous on or before April 23, 1950.

The duty of this Office in such a case is clearly defined to the effect that such a condition shall be reported to the Board of Municipal Officers who shall take action as directed by Section 55, Chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, copy attached.

It seems to me unnecessary to put either them or you to the embarrassment incident to these proceedings, and I am therefore giving you opportunity to take care of the matter within a reasonable time, and thus avoid the procedure set forth by Statute.

Very truly yours,

Inspector of Buildings.

ME/RO  
CC-Dr. A. H. Little-690 Congress St.



CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION

Complaint No. C-30-51

COMPLAINT

Rec'd April 8, 1950

Ward 11

Location Great Diamond Island

Owner's name and address Mr. George A. Wright, 515 Stevens Ave. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant's name and address same Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Use of building \_\_\_\_\_

General Description

Cottage burned last 4th of July. Has not cleaned up any of debris. Chimney apt to fall and whole cottage in very bad condition.

Complainant's name and address Dr. A. H. Little, 1690 Congress St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Date of examination and conditions found \_\_\_\_\_

Action taken \_\_\_\_\_

INSPECTION COPY



Ward 1 Complaint No. C-30-51

Location Great Terminal Co

Date Received 4/8/30

Date Disposed of Oct 14 1931

73a-v-7 NO. ES

*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes, possibly including names like 'James' and 'Plum']*

*[A large handwritten mark, possibly a signature or initials, is present over the notes.]*