

135-141 CALEB STREET



City of Portland, Maine
Board of Appeals
—ZONING—

appeal granted 10/1/56

Sustained
10/10/56

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October 10, 1956, 19

To the Board of Appeals:

Your appellant, Bernard Goodman, who is the owner of property at 135-141 Caleb Street, respectfully petitions the Board of Appeals of the City of Portland to permit an exception to the regulations of the Zoning Ordinance relating to this property, as provided by Section 18, Paragraph E of said Zoning Ordinance.

Building permit is not issuable to construct one-family dwelling with one-story carport attached because the front of the carport would be 23 feet 6 inches from the street line (inside edge of public sidewalk) of Caleb Street instead of the 25 feet required and it would be closer to the street line than the front of the dwelling under construction on the left hand side which is 25 feet from the street line, according to Section 15A of the Ordinance applying in the Residential A Zone where the property is located.

The facts and conditions which make this exception legally permissible are as follows:

An exception is necessary in this case to grant reasonable use of property and avoid unnecessary hardship and can be granted without substantially departing from the intent and purpose of the Zoning Ordinance.

Bernard M. Goodman
Appellant

After public hearing held on the 12th day of October, 1956, the Board of Appeals finds that an exception is necessary in this case to grant reasonable use of property and avoid unnecessary hardship and can be granted without substantially departing from the intent and purpose of the Zoning Ordinance.

It is, therefore, determined that exception to the Zoning Ordinance may be permitted in this specific case.

Bernard M. Goodman
Perley J. Reed
Lyman D. Miller
John C. Lake
William H. O'Brien
BOARD OF APPEALS

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE
BOARD OF APPEALS

October 11, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Goodreau
131 Caleb Street
Portland, Maine

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Goodreau:

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Portland, Maine, on Friday, October 12, 1956, at 10:30 a.m. to hear the appeal of Bernard Goodwin, requesting an exception to the Zoning Ordinance to authorize construction of a one-family dwelling with a one-story carport attached on the property at 135-141 Caleb Street.

This permit is presently not issuable under the Zoning Ordinance because the front of the carport would be 23 feet 6 inches from the street line of Caleb Street (inside edge of public sidewalk) instead of the 25 feet required and it would be closer to the street line than the front of the dwelling under construction on the left hand side which is 25 feet from the street line, according to Section 15A of the Ordinance applying in the Residence A Zone where the property is located.

If you are interested either for or against this appeal, please be present or be represented at this hearing in support of this appeal.

BOARD OF APPEALS

Ben B. Wilson

Chairman

cc: Mr. Herman Albert
119 Morning Street
Portland, Maine

September 21, 1956

AP 135-141 Caleb Street

Owner—Bernard Gocaman
161 Dartmouth St.

Contractor—Thomas Marland
10 Everett St.

Advance permit for excavation and construction of foundation only is issued herewith on basis of recently filed revised plot and architectural plans without prejudice as to any questions which may arise when complete examination of plans has been completed.

We understand that construction of carport shown on plans has been abandoned for the present. As discussed with you, it should be clearly understood that locating front of dwelling only 25 feet from street line as latest plot plan indicates is going to limit greatly locations in which a future carport can be placed so as to conform with Zoning Ordinance requirements. Although you may have appeal rights concerning the location of any future carport, there is no certainty that you would be successful in getting an appeal sustained for any location you might desire. Therefore it is important that you consider carefully at this time before getting committed to a definite location how any future plans for additions to the building may be affected.

If you do not have a set of the three revised sheets of plans sent to us by the architect, it is important that you secure one before proceeding with construction of the foundation. As indicated on these plans, the finished grade of the ground adjoining all foundation walls which are to enclose cellar space is to be such that the bottom of the 10-inch thick wall will not be more than 6 feet below it. Top of foundation walls at all points is to be at such a level that bottom of sills will be no less than 6 inches above the finished grade. The bottom of all parts of the foundation walls is to be located not less than 4 feet below grade unless it rests on ledge.

Should excavation indicate that all of foundation walls are not to rest on ledge, information is to be furnished before form work is started as to what construction is to be provided to prevent unequal settlement where transition from earth to ledge takes place & as to prevent possible cracking of walls.

Very truly yours,

Albert J. Sears
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

AJS/G

September 14, 1956

AP - 135-141 Caleb Street

Mr. Bernard M. Goodman
161 Dartmouth Street

Dear Mr. Goodman:-

In making a cursory examination of plans for proposed dwelling to be erected at the above location to determine whether or not an advance permit for excavation and foundation only can be issued, we have found several details involving the foundation which do not comply with Building Code requirement, as follows:-

1. Bottom of foundation wall of that part of building where there is to be a cellar is shown 7 feet or more below the finished grade of the ground adjoining it. Section 307-c-3.5 of the Code limits to 6 feet the depth below grade to which a straight 10-inch thick wall such as is indicated may extend.

2. Section 312-c-3.3 specifies that wood sills shall not be placed closer to the finished surface of the ground than 6 inches. As near as we can determine from elevations and sections on plans bottom of sills is to be closer than this distance to the finished grade in several locations.

3. We note that some special kind of fireplace with copper hood is planned in living room. There is some question if we shall be able to approve the use of this metal hood for the purpose indicated. It is certain that the arrangement shown of the floor joists of gallery and wood sill supporting them extending into the 12-inch rubble stone wall forming back of fireplace at about the level of the hearth is contrary to safe construction practices as well as being contrary to Building Code requirements.

Since all of these details affect the construction of the foundation walls, we shall be unable to issue even an advance permit for excavation and construction of foundation until information has been furnished to indicate how compliance is to be provided with Building Code requirements relating thereto. There may be other details of construction which do not meet requirements that will be found when a full check of the plans has been completed, but as yet time has not been available to make such a check.

Very truly yours,

Albert J. Scars
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

AJS/G



(RAA) RESIDENCE ZONE - A4

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Advance

PERMIT ISSUED
01577
Sept. 11, 1956
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Portland, Maine, Sept. 11, 1956

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND MAINE
 The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect above described structure in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location 135-141 Caleb St.
 Within Fire Limits? no Dist. No. 3-4769
 Owner's name and address Bernard Goodman, 161 Dartmouth St. Telephone 3-4146
 Lessee's name and address _____ Telephone _____
 Contractor's name and address Thomas Merland, 10 Everett St. Telephone construction permit
 Architect _____ No. of sheets _____
 Proposed use of building dwelling house and carport Plans see _____ No. families 1
 Last use _____ Style of roof _____ Roofing _____
 Material _____ No. stories _____ Heat _____ Fee \$ 1.00
 Other buildings on same lot _____
 Estimated cost \$ _____

General Description of New Work
 To excavate and construct foundation only for proposed 1-story frame dwelling and carport
 32' x 55'.

Permit Issued with

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor. PERMIT TO BE ISSUED TO owner

Details of New Work		Is any electrical work involved in this work? yes	
Is any plumbing involved in this work? yes		If not, what is proposed for sewage?	
Is connection to be made to public sewer? yes		Form notice sent?	
Has septic tank notice been sent?		Height average grade to highest point of roof.	
Height average grade to top of plate.		Thickness of solid or filled land? solid earth or rock? earth	
Size, front _____ depth _____		Thickness, top 10" bottom 10" cellar yes half	
Material of foundation concrete	at least 4" below grade	Rise per foot	Roof covering
Material of underpinning	" to sill	Kind of heat	fuel
Kind of roof		Dressed or full size?	Size
No. of chimneys		Girt or ledger board?	Max. on centers
Framing lumber—Kind		Columns under girders	Size
Corner posts		Joists and rafters: 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.	
Girders		On centers: 1st floor, 2nd, 3rd, roof	
Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions)		Maximum span: 1st floor, 2nd, 3rd, roof	
Joists and rafters: On centers:		If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls?	height?

No. cars now accommodated on same lot _____ to be accommodated _____ number commercial cars to be accommodated _____ Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? _____

Miscellaneous

Will work require disturbing of any trees on a public street? no
 Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

APPROVED:

with letter by AJG

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Signature of owner

Bernard M. Goodman

NOTES

10-3-56 Rear footings
OK to pour. ledge
removal in front to
start soon.

10-9-56 All footings

OK to pour.

10-22-56 Foundation work

done except

garage under offal

11-1-56 Garage forms

going up OK

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Permit No.	56-1157	Date Issued	12-7-56
Location	315-241-C	Expiry Date	1-12-57
Owner	Bernard Johnson		
Date of permit	9/21/56		
Notif. closing-in			
Inspn. closing-in			
Final Notif.			
Final Inspn.			
Cert. of Occupancy issued			
Staking Out Notice			
Form Check Notice			

10-10-56



FILL IN AND SIGN WITH INK

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR
HEATING, COOKING OR POWER EQUIPMENT

Portland, Maine, Jan. 21, 1958

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CITY OF PORTLAND
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To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to install the following heating, cooking or power equipment in accordance with the Laws of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 135-141 Caleb St. Use of Building dwelling house No. Stories New Building Existing
Name and address of owner of appliance Bernard Goodman, 161 Dartmouth St.
Installer's name and address Carroll S. Hannaford, 4. Kidgery Wharf Telephone 2-3903

General Description of Work

To install forced warm air heating system and oil burning equipment

IF HEATER, OR POWER BOILER

L.C.L.
Location of appliance basement Any burnable material in floor surface or beneath? no
If so, how protected? Kind of fuel? oil
Minimum distance to burnable material, from top of appliance or casing top of furnace 4!
From top of smoke pipe 2! From front of appliance over 4! From sides or back of appliance over 3!
Size of chimney flue Ex.12 Other connections to same flue none
If gas fired, how vented? Rated maximum demand per hour
Will sufficient fresh air be supplied to the appliance to insure proper and safe combustion? yes

Model 6121-751 IF OIL BURNER

Name and type of burner Lennox Labelled by underwriters' laboratories? yes
Will operator be always in attendance? Does oil supply line feed from top or bottom of tank? bottom
Type of floor beneath burner concrete Size of vent pipe 1 1/4" -275 gal.
Location of oil storage basement Number and capacity of tanks
Low water shut off Make No.
Will all tanks be more than five feet from any flame? yes How many tanks enclosed?
Total capacity of any existing storage tanks for furnace burners

IF COOKING APPLIANCE

Location of appliance Any burnable material in floor surface or beneath?
If so, how protected? Height of Legs, if any
Skirting at bottom of appliance? Distance to combustible material from top of appliance?
From front of appliance From sides and back From top of smoke pipe
Size of chimney flue Other connections to same flue
Is hood to be provided? If so, how vented? Forced or gravity?
If gas fired, how vented? Rated maximum demand per hour

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT OR SPECIAL INFORMATION

Amount of fee enclosed? \$2.00 (\$2.00 for one heater, etc., 50 cents ad. extra for each additional heater, etc., in same building at same time.)

APPROVED:

O.K. 1-21-57 M.R.S.

Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

Carroll S. Hannaford

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Signature of Installer by: John H. Hoy Jr.

NOTES

1. Fuel Pipe *6-19-57 Needs Emer
gencies Serviced*
2. Vent Pipe
3. Kind of Heat
4. Burner Rigidity & Supports
5. Name & Label *8-22-57 Completed*
6. Blackout
7. High-Limit Control
8. Remote Control
9. Piping Support & Protection
10. Valves in Supply Line
11. Capacity of Tanks
12. Tank Rigidity & Supports
13. Tank Distance
14. Oil Gauge
15. Instruction Card
16. Low-Burner Start

Permit No. 57168
Location 35-141 (Call St.
Owner Bernard Johnson)

Date of permit

Approved

7-22-57

(COPY)

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE
Department of Building Inspection

Certificate of Occupancy

LOCATION 125-141 Caleb Street

Issued to Bernard Goodman

Date of Issue August 23, 1957

This is to certify that the building, premises, or part thereof, at the above location, built ~~as per~~
~~changes to~~ under Building Permit No. 561907, 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

Entire

APPROVED OCCUPANCY

1-family dwelling

LIMITING CONDITIONS:

This certificate supersedes
certificate issued

Approved:

Nelson E. Cartwright
(Date) Inspector

Wane [Signature]
Inspector of Buildings

Notice: This certificate identifies lawful use of building or premises, and ought to be transferred from
owner to owner when property changes hands. Copy will be furnished to owner or lessee for one dollar.

CS 147

Memorandum from Department of Building Inspection, Portland, Maine

BP 135-141 Caleb Street—Amendment #1 to Permit #56/1907 for construction of fireplace in basement of dwelling for and by Bernard Goodman--3/1/57

Amendment #1 to Permit #56/1907 covering construction of fireplace in basement of dwelling under construction at the above location is issued herewith based on plan filed Feb. 28, 1957, but subject to the following conditions:-

1. Flue of fireplace is not to be at an angle of less than 45 degrees with the horizontal.
2. Hearth of fireplace in first story is to be not less than 18 inches deep.
3. There is to be a smoke-tight wattle of brick, stone or concrete at least 3 3/4 inches thick between the second and third sets of tile flue lining.
4. It is understood that walls of chimney are to be constructed of 4 inches of brickwork veneered with stone.

(Signed) Warren McDonald
Inspector of Buildings

AJS/G

CS-27

January 8, 1957

BP 135-141 Caleb Street

Copies to: Mr. Thomas Maillard
10 Everett Street
Mr. H. H. Glasman
Sun Building
Lowell, Mass.

Mr. Bernard Goodman
161 Dartmouth Street

I car Mr. Goodman...

Due to the unusual type of construction of fireplace chimney in your dwelling under construction at the above location, it is necessary that more information be furnished before a permit amendment authorizing construction of an additional fireplace in the basement to be connected to it can be issued.

Since the back wall of the fireplace supports first floor and roof construction, it is important to know how large an opening is to be cut in this wall where new fireplace is to be added and what is to be provided across this opening for support of the loads above, as well as whether fireplace itself is to be all outside this wall or recessed into the vacant space beneath hearth of fireplace in first story.

Inasmuch as there will now be three flues in the chimney, it will be necessary to provide a smoke-tight division with of brick, concrete or stone no less than three and three-quarters inches thick between the second and third sets of flue lining, bonded into the chimney walls and extending from bottom to top of flues.

Very truly yours,

Albert J. Scars
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

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APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO PERMIT

PERMIT

MAR 1 1957

CITY OF PORTLAND

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, MAINE

The undersigned hereby applies for amendment to Permit No. 56/1907 pertaining to the building or structure comprised in the original application in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith, and the following specifications:

Location 135-141 Caleh St. Within Fire Limits? Dist. No.
 Owner's name and address .. Bernard Goodman, 161 Dartmouth St. Telephone 3-4146.
 Lessee's name and address Telephone
 Contractor's name and address awadr. Telephone
 Architect Plans filed no. No. of sheets
 Proposed use of building dwelling house and garage No. families 1
 Last use No. families
 Increased cost of work Additional fee 50.

Description of Proposed Work

To provide fireplace in cellar making three flues in this chimney.

Permit Issued with Memo

Details of New Work

Is any plumbing involved in this work? Is any electrical work involved in this work?

Height average grade to top of plate Height average grade to highest point of roof

Size, front depth No. stories solid or filled land? earth or rock?

Material of foundation Thickness, top bottom cellar

Material of underpinning Height Thickness

Kind of roof Rise per foot Roof covering

No. of chimneys Material of chimneys of lining

Framing lumber—Kind Dressed or full size?

Corner posts Sills Girt or ledger board? Size

Girders Size Columns under girders Size Max. on centers

Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.

Joists and rafters: 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof

On centers: 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof

Maximum span: 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof

Approved: *with memo by AGS*

Signature of Owner *Bernard M. Goodman*

Approved: *3/1/57 WMS*

Inspector of Buildings

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October 29, 1956

Copies to: Mr. Thomas Marland
10 Everett Street
Mr. H. H. Glasman
Sun Building
Lot. 11, Mass.

Mr. Bernard H. Goodman
161 Dartmouth Street

Dear Mr. Goodman:-

Building permit for construction of a single family dwelling and attached garage at the above location is issued herewith based on revised plans bearing revision dates of October 12, 1956 and architect's addenda to plans and specifications dated October 26, 1956 received at this office today, but subject to the following conditions:-

1. Front wall of garage is to be located no closer than 23 feet 6 inches to the street line, this being the distance authorized by the Board of Zoning Appeals.
2. Ties for brick and stone veneer are to have a minimum thickness of wire of number six gauge (approximately 3/16 of an inch) and are to be spaced as indicated in architect's addendum. This applies as well to stone veneer for wall of chimney.
3. The Insulite roof leak has been approved for use in the City under the following conditions:-
 - a - Built-up roofing is to be used as a roof covering.
 - b - Spacing of supports for the three-inch material shall not exceed 48 inches.
 - c - Material is to be installed strictly in accordance with the specifications and instructions of the manufacturer.

Permit is therefore issued on the basis that, if such material is used, care will be taken to see that compliance is provided with all of the above conditions.

Very truly yours,

Albert J. Sears
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

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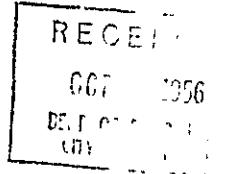
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October 26, 1956

Mr. Albert J. Sears
Deputy Inspector
Lept. of Building Inspection
Portland, Maine



Dear Mr. Sears:

Enclosed find copy of addenda to plans and specifications
for the residence of Mr. Bernard M. Goodman, Caleb Street, Portland,
Maine.

I believe this addenda takes care of the questions
you raise in your letter of October 24.

Mr. Goodman and I would greatly appreciate it if
you would process these items immediately as we are very anxious
to have the building closed in before extremely cold weather comes.

Very truly yours,

Herbert H. Glassman

Herbert H. Glassman, A. I. A.

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Enclosure
cc: Mr. B. Goodman

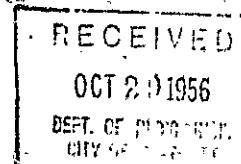
Addenda to Plans and Specifications
for proposed residence at

Caleb Street, Portland, Maine

Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Goodman, Owner

1. Instructions have been given to the contractor to comply with the zoning appeal.
2. Foundation will be carried across front of garage and extend down to surface of ledge.
3. Sheet No. 7 of the drawings, Fireplace Section 5-5, extension of hearth beyond face of hood should be changed to read "18."
4. Chimney will be constructed of 4" backup brick and faced with 5" of stone. All stone shall be tied as indicated below.
5. Specifications shall be changed to read, "Spacing of ties 12" vertically and 16" horizontally, where backup material is brick. Spacing shall be 16" vertically and 12" horizontally where backup material is block.
6. Plant boxes indicated shall not be attached to building and will be separated from building by an expansion joint.
7. Footing for pipe columns at roof shall extend 4' below grade, or to existing ledge.
8. Since the foundations were poured before the receipt of our revised sections, we have instructed the contractor to install his sill in accordance with the detail indicated on the right hand side of Section AA(at bedroom #3). This detail will now be typical throughout the building. Exterior grade will be depressed to allow for the minimum of 6" separation required by the building code.

Herbert H. Glassman, A.I.A.
Registered Architect
State of Maine #187



October 24, 1956

AF 135-1/1 Caleb Street

Mr. Herbert H. Glassman
Sun Building
Lowell, Mass.

Copy to Mr. Bernard M. Goodman
161 Dartmouth Street

Dear Mr. Glassman:-

Examination of revised plans for single family dwelling and garage to be erected at the above location, this City, discloses questions as to compliance with Zoning Ordinance and Building Code requirements as listed below. Before a permit can be issued it is necessary that information be furnished by revised plans or otherwise indicating compliance. Details in question are as follows:-

1. Zoning appeal has been sustained allowing construction of front wall of attached garage 23 feet 6 inches from street line. However, plot plan indicates front wall of garage only 22 feet 6 inches from street line. Unless wall of dwelling closest to street line, foundation wall already having been poured, has been located farther from street line than the 27 feet indicated on plot plan previously filed, adjustment in length of garage will need to be made in order to provide required setback of garage from street line. *Rectify*

2. Foundation wall is required to extend across front of garage at least where there are to be wood frame walls above and unless floor slab is to rest directly on ledge, the wall is required to extend all the way across the front of garage. *OK*

3. Since floor of living room is now to be of wood frame construction, hearth of fireplace is required to extend not less than 18 inches instead of the 12 inches shown beyond the face of the wall supporting it. *OK*

4. If walls of chimney are to be built of random stone as apparently indicated, they are required to be not less than 12 inches thick at all locations. Scaled thickness on plans indicates only 8 inches in some places. *See Arch little*

5. Material and size of metal ties for stone veneer are not indicated. Spacing of ties indicated does not meet Code requirements of 12 inches vertically and 16 inches horizontally or equivalent. *- Size not indicated*

6. If plant box structure is to be attached to wall of building, it is required to have foundations extending at least four feet below grade or to ledge. *With*

7. Footing for pipe columns supporting roof of open porch are required to extend at least 4 feet below grade or to ledge. *- OK*

8. Sections AA, BB, DD, & EE have been changed so as to show sills in some locations below the finished grade of ground outside the walls, this condition having been called to your attention and corrected on revised plans prior to

October 24, 1956

Mr. Herbert H. Glassman - - - - - 1/2

issuance of advance permit covering excavation and construction of foundation only. We understand that foundation has already been poured in accordance with the plans on which this permit was issued so that construction shown in the sections mentioned cannot now be provided anyway. Details showing construction in compliance with Code requirements therefore need to be furnished. wherever, box type sill construction is not used, allowable minimum size of sill is 4x6, which is required to be all one piece in cross-section. - O.H. Lee architect's letter.

Very truly yours,

Albert J. Sears
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

AJS/G

P. S. No work beyond that covered by advance permit, which does not include construction of garage foundation, is to be done until the general construction permit has been issued and is in your possession.

(G. A. on H. H. Glassman copy)

September 28, 1956

AP - 135-141 Caleb Street

Copy to Herbert H. Glassman
Sun Building
Lowell, Mass.

Mr. Bernard M. Goodman
161 Dartmouth Street

Dear Mr. Goodman:-

Examination of plans filed with application for permit for construction of a single family dwelling at the above location discloses variances from and questions as to compliance with Building Code requirements as listed below. Before a permit can be issued it is necessary that revised plans showing compliance be furnished for checking and approval. Details in question are as follows:-

1. We understand that construction of carport has been abandoned, but presumably at least part of the open porch across front of building is to be retained. Information is needed as to just what the area of porch roof is to be and how it is to be framed and supported.

2. The Board of Standards and Review has voted to recommend to the Municipal Officers approval of Insulite planking, which is indicated as an alternate to the wood roof planking shown in plans. However, it is not likely that the Municipal Officers will be able to take any action on this recommendation until October 15th. At the least and even then it is possible that something might develop so that their approval could not be given at that time. Therefore if it is possible to issue a permit before approval is given for the use of this material, it will have to be on the basis of the use of the wood planking.

3. Question has arisen as to whether or not approval can be given for the odd type of fireplace using a metal hood for conducting smoke and fumes to chimney. If this steel vent duct and hood connected to the chimney flue to vent the open fire, both hood and duct to be covered from view by a copper encasement, were to be called a smokepipe, to conceal it from view as indicated would not be allowable under the Building Code. However, we feel that we should not classify it as a smokepipe, but should advise the owner that it has much the same function as a smokepipe, is subject to the same deterioration without anyone knowing it as a concealed smokepipe, and has the added disadvantage, as far as the plans show, that it cannot be removed and cleaned, at least easily. We shall need to have information however as to thickness of metal to be used in construction of vent and hood, how it is to be supported on masonry, and how the metal is to be stiffened and supported so as to provide rigid construction.

4. If walls of chimney flue are to be constructed of rubble stone as indicated they are required to be at least 12 inches thick outside the flue lining at all locations.

5. Are all wood frame walls to be constructed of 2x4 studs spaced 16 inches

Appeal
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Mr. Bernard H. Goodman - - - - -

September 28, 1956

on centers as required? ?

6. Is Comesto board and plywood indicated on outside of walls at various locations to be applied on top of the usual boarding attached to the studs? If not, and it is to replace the boarding, information is needed as to the thickness of the material to be used.

7. What is size, material and spacing of metal ties for rubble stone veneer to be? ?

8. Of what kind of lumber are the 2x12 rafters to be? Unless Douglas Fir lumber is to be used, there is a question as to their adequacy to provide the required strength. ?

9. What provision is to be made for a footing for support of the 3-inch pipe column supporting the 6x14 ridge beam in living room? *High Creek*

10. The double 2x12 beam across den in line with main wall of building appears not to figure out unless we are not interpreting the plans correctly. *Change it* *3-2-472*

11. What is to be used for a header over large window opening in wall of den? ?

13. Since header beam at collar stairway opening is to be on a span of more than 8 feet, timber hangers are required for its support on trimmer beams. *O.K.*

Very truly yours,

Albert J. S.
Deputy Inspector of Buildings

AJS/G

Goodman House and Insulite

9/28/56

AJS:

The Board voted last night to recommend approval of Insulite limiting the kind of roofing to be used with it; but this will hardly reach M. O. before Oct. 15 and of course there could be a "hitch" somewhere.

With regard to the odd fireplace and vent, besides finding out how it will be stiffened and supported, please warn owner and builder with copy to architect, something like this.

If this steel vent hood and duct connected to the chimney flue to vent the open fire, both hood and duct to be covered from view by a copper encasement, were to be called a smokepipe, to conceal it from view as intended would be allowable under the Building Code. However, we have felt that we should not classify it as a smokepipe, but should advise the owner that it has much the same function as a smokepipe, is subject to the same deterioration/concealed as a smokepipe without any means of cleaning, and has the added disadvantage, as far as the plans show, in that it cannot be removed and cleaned, at least easily.

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mlm

35-141 Caleb St

August 17, 1956

Inq.--Use of insulite on proposed home for Mr. Bernard Goodman on Caleb Street
BS&R request for recommendation to MO of Insulite Roof Deck

Sumner T. Bernstein, Esq.
Bernstein & Bernstein
97 Exchange St.

Copy to Mr. Bernstein

Dear Mr. Bernstein,

Replies to your inquiry of August 13 concerning the use of Insulite Roof Deck on the proposed dwelling of Mr. Bernard Goodman on Caleb St., this material is one of quite a number of synthetic building materials which have been developed in the past several years and concerning which it is necessary to have special approvals set up under the Building Code by the Board of Municipal Officers. That has not yet been done in the case of Insulite Roof Deck.

This material has been on the agenda of the Board of Standards & Review for several months, but consideration has been delayed because of other problems which seemed more urgent to the Board.

Your request on behalf of Mr. Goodman will be brought to the attention of the members of the Board before the next meeting, which is scheduled for Thursday, September 13. The delay is no doubt unfortunate from Mr. Goodman's standpoint, but we would be unable to issue any building permit based on the use of this material unless and until there is action setting up the standard by the Board of Municipal Officers following recommendation by the Board of Standards and Review.

Very truly yours,

Warren McDonald
Inspector of Buildings

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(RAA) RESIDENCE ZONE - AA

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

PERMIT ISSUED
1956

Class of Building or Type of Structure Third Class

OCT 29 1956

Portland, Maine, Sept. 11, 1956

CITY OF PORTLAND

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, MAINE

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect ~~any structure whatsoever~~ the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location 135-141 Caleb St. Within Fire Limits? no Dist. No. _____
Owner's name and address Bernard Goodman, 161 Dartmouth St. Telephone 3-4146
Lessee's name and address _____ Telephone _____
Contractor's name and address Thomas Marland, 10 Everett St. er home _____
Architect _____ Specifications _____ Plans _____ No. of sheets 10
Proposed use of building dwelling house and garage No. families 1
Last use _____ 'k families _____
Material _____ No. stories _____ Heat _____ Style of roof _____ Roofing _____
Other buildings on same lot _____
Estimated cost \$ 19,000. Fee \$ 19.00

General Description of New Work

To construct 1-story frame dwelling house ~~and garage~~ 32' x 55', and single car garage approximately 12' x 23'

Permit Issued with Letter

Serial number 1012160Kind and thickness of outside sheathing of exterior walls? 1" boards

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor. **PERMIT TO BE ISSUED TO OWNER**

Details of New Work

Is any plumbing involved in this work? yes Is any electrical work involved in this work? yes
Is connection to be made to public sewer? yes If not, what is proposed for sewage? _____
Has septic tank notice been sent? _____ Form notice sent? yes garage
Height average grade to top of plate 9' 1" Height average grade to highest point of roof 12' 7"
Size, front _____ depth _____ at No. stories 1 solid or filled land? solid earth or rock? earth
Material of foundation concrete at least 4" below grade Thickness, top 10" bottom 10" cellar half
Material of underpinning " to sill Height _____ Thickness _____
Kind of roof pitch-gable Rise per foot 2 5/4" Roof covering Asphalt shingles, 3x4, 6x6, tar and gravel
No. of chimneys 1 Material of chimneys stone, of lining tile Kind of heat gas, air fuel oil
framing lumber—Kind hemlock Dressed or full size? dressed
Corner posts 4x4 Sills 4x6 Girt or ledger board? _____ Size _____
Girders X Size see plan Columns under girders _____ Size _____ Max. on centers _____
Joists (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O.C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.
Joists and rafters: 1st floor 2x12, 2nd _____, 3rd _____, roof 2x12 see plan.
On centers: 1st floor 12", 2nd _____, 3rd _____, roof _____
Maximum span: 1st floor 16', 2nd _____, 3rd _____, roof _____
e story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? _____ height? _____

If a Garage

is now accommodated on same lot _____, to be accommodated _____ number commercial cars to be accommodated _____
Automobile repairing 've done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building?

Miscellaneous

Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? no
Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the state and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

COPY

Signature of owner

NOTES

HOR PERMIT

500 linear feet from farm

2-15-57 Firs on site
work in progress

3-26-57 OK to close
in multiple

6-19-57 Still finish
work under way

8-22-57 Completed

Approved

Date of Permit

Notif. dating in 3/23/57

Issue closing in 3/20/57

Final Notif.

Final Inspection

Cent. of Occupancy issued 3/23/57

State Out Notice

Form Check Notice

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

PERMIT ISSUED

DEC 5 1986

B.O.C.A. USE GROUP
 B.O.C.A. TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION
 ZONING LOCATION PORTLAND, MAINE DEC. 2., 1986.

001725

City Of Portland

To the CHIEF OF BUILDING & INSPECTION SERVICES, PORTLAND, MAINE

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect, alter, repair, demolish, move or install the following building, structure, equipment or change use in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Portland B.O.C.A. Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland with plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

LOCATION 135. Caleh St. Fire District #1 #2

1. Owner's name and address Richard & Jane Holden same Telephone 774-5737

2. Lessee's name and address Telephone 774-1181

3. Contractor's name and address George Clark & Hardy Rd. Falmouth Telephone

husband work \$

Telephone

No. of sheets

No. families 1

No. families

Proposed use of building dwelling

Last use same

Material No. stories Heat Style of roof Roofing

Other buildings on same lot

Estimated contractual cost \$ 20,000

Appeal Fees \$

120.00

FIELD INSPECTOR—Mr.
@ 775-5451

Base Fee

Late Fee

TOTAL \$

To construct 1 story addition to existing
dwelling, 10' 6" x 10'-16' 4" x 13'
to back of dwelling as per plans.
2 sheets of plans.

Stamp of Special Conditions

NOTE TO APPLICANT: Separate permits are required by the installers and subcontractors of heating, plumbing, electrical and mechanicals.

DETAILS OF NEW WORK

Is any plumbing involved in this work? ...yes..... Is any electrical work involved in this work? ...yes.....

Is connection to be made to public sewer? existing. If not, what is proposed for sewage?

Has septic tank notice been sent? Form notice sent?

Height average grade to top of plate Height average grade to highest point of roof

Size, front depth No. stories solid or filled land? earth or rock?

Material of foundation Thickness, top bottom cellar

Kind of roof Rise per foot Roof covering

No. of chimneys Material of chimneys of lining Kind of heat fuel

Framing Lumber—Kind Dressed or full size? Corner posts Sills

Size Girder Columns under girders Size Max. on centers

Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.

Joists and rafters: Is floor 2nd 3rd roof

On centers. 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof

Maximum span. 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof

If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? height?

IF A GARAGE

No. cars now accommodated on same lot to be accommodated number commercial cars to be accommodated

Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building?

APPROVALS BY: DATE MISCELLANEOUS

BUILDING INSPECTION—PLAN EXAMINER Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? ..no

ZONING:

BUILDING CODE:

Fire Dept.:

Health Dept.:

Others:

Signature of Applicant Phone # name

Type Name of above Jane Holden 1 2 3 4

Other

and Address

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FIELD INSPECTOR'S COPY

APPLICANT'S COPY

OFFICE FILE COPY



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTIONS SERVICES
ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS

Date June 17, 1955
Receipt and Permit number D 1070

To the CHIEF ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR, Portland, Maine.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to make electrical installations in accordance with the laws of Maine, the Portland Electrical Ordinance, the National Electrical Code and the following specifications:

LOCATION OF WORK: 135 Caleb Street

OWNER'S NAME: Richard Holden ADDRESS: same

FEES

OUTLETS:

Receptacles _____ Switches _____ Plugmold _____ ft. TOTAL 1-30 3.00

FIXTURES: (number of)

Incandescent _____ Flourescent 3 (not strip) TOTAL 3 3.00

Strip Flourescent _____ ft.

SERVICES:

Overhead _____ Underground _____ Temporary _____ TOTAL amperes _____

METERS: (number of) _____

MOTORS: (number of)

Fractional _____ 1.00

1 HP or over 1 1.00

RESIDENTIAL HEATING:

Oil or Gas (number of units) _____

Electric (number of rooms) _____

COMMERCIAL OR INDUSTRIAL HEATING:

Oil or Gas (by a main boiler) _____

Oil or Gas (by separate units) _____

Electric Under 20 kws _____ Over 20 kws _____

APPLIANCES: (number of)

Ranges _____ Water Heaters _____

Cook Tops _____ Disposals _____

Wall Ovens _____ Dishwashers _____

Dryers _____ Compactors _____

Fans _____ Others (denote) _____

TOTAL 2 3.00

MISCELLANEOUS: (number of)

Branch Panels 1 1.00

Transformers _____

Air Conditioners Central Unit _____

Separate Units (windows) _____

Signs 20 sq. ft. and under _____

Over 20 sq. ft. _____

Swimming Pools Above Ground _____

In Ground _____

Fire/Burglar Alarms Residential _____

Commercial _____

Heavy Duty Outlets, 220 Volt (such as welders) 30 amps and under _____

over 30 amps _____

Circus, Fairs, etc. _____

Alterations to wires _____

Repairs after fire _____

Emergency Lights, battery _____

Emergency Generators _____

INSTALLATION FEE DUE:

FOR ADDITIONAL WORK NOT ON ORIGINAL PERMIT DOUBLE FEE DUE:

FOR REMOVAL OF A "STOP ORDER" (304-16.b) 11.00

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: 11.00

INSPECTION:

Will be ready on now, 1955; or Will Call _____

CONTRACTOR'S NAME: Keeley Elec

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 3235

TEL: 797-3772

MASTER LICENSE NO: 4176

LIMITED LICENSE NO:

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR: James L. Keeley

INSPECTOR'S COPY — WHITE

OFFICE COPY — CANARY

CONTRACTOR'S COPY — GREEN

INSPECTIONS: Service _____ by _____

Service called in _____

Closing-in 6/18/87 by Russo

PROGRESS INSPECTIONS: 6/18/87 / /

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ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS —

Permit Number 167293

Location 135 N. Main St.

Owner John Russo

Date of Permit 6/17/87

Final Inspection D. Russo

By Inspector D. Russo

Permit Application Register Page No. 1

DATE:

REMARKS:

1/5/89 No Cull fa found

PERMIT ISSUED

DEC 5 1986

City of Portland

APPLICATION FOR PE

B.O.C.A. USE GROUP

B.O.C.A. TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION

001725

ZONING LOCATION R-3

PORTLAND, MAINE DEC 21, 1986.

To the CHIEF OF BUILDING & INSPECTION SERVICES, PORTLAND, MAINE

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect, alter, repair, demolish, move or install the following building, structure, equipment or change use in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Portland B.O.C.A. Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland with plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

LOCATION 135 Caleb St. 04102

1. Owner's name and address Richard & Jane Holden - same Fire District #1 #2

2. Lessee's name and address Telephone H 774-5737

3. Contractor's name and address Gertie Cark - Hardy Rd., Falmouth Telephone W 774-1181

Husband Work B Telephone

Proposed use of building dwelling 180-A-011 No. of sheets

Last use same No. families

Material No. stories Heat No. families

Other buildings on same lot Style of roof Roofing

Estimated contractual cost \$ 25,000 20,000

Appeal Fees \$

Base Fee 120.00

Late Fee

TOTAL \$

FIELD INSPECTOR—Mr. @ 775-5451

To construct 1 story addition to existing dwelling, 10' 6" x 10'-16' 4" x 13' to back of dwelling as per plans.
2 sheets of plans.

Stamp ~ Special Conditions

PERMIT ISSUED

WITH LETTER

NOTE TO APPLICANT: Separate permits are required by the installers and subcontractors of heating, plumbing, electrical and mechanicals.

DETAILS OF NEW WORK

Is any plumbing involved in this work? Yes Is any electrical work involved in this work? Yes
 Is connection to be made to public sewer? Existing If not, what is proposed for sewage?
 Has septic tank notice been sent? Form notice sent?
 Height average grade to top of plate Height average grade to highest point of roof
 Size, front depth No. stories solid or filled land? earth or rock?
 Material of foundation Thickness, top bottom cellar
 Kind of roof Rise per foot Roof covering
 No. of chimneys Material of chimneys of lining Kind of heat fuel
 Framing Lumber—Knd Dressed or full size? Corner posts Sills
 Size Girder Columns under girders Size Max. on centers
 Studs (outsides walls and carrying partition) 2x4-16" O C Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.
 Joists and rafters 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof
 On centers 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof
 Maximum span 1st floor 2nd 3rd roof
 If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? height?

IF A GARAGE

No cars now accommodated on same lot to be accommodated number commercial cars to be accommodated
 Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building?

APPROVALS BY

DATE

MISCELLANEOUS

BUILDING INSPECTION—PLAN EXAMINER ZONING D.R. M.F.T. Dec. 4, 1986. Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? NO

BUILDING CODE

Fire Dept.

Health Dept.

Others

Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? YES

Signature of Applicant Jane A. Holden

Phone # same

Type Name of above Jane Holden

1032 30 40

Other

a/c Address

PERMIT ISSUED
WITH LETTER

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(2) M. Carroll

Permit

num 86117235

Location 1315 Valley Dr.

Owner Richard Johnson

Date of permit 2-2-86

Approved 12-5-86

Dwelling Addition

Garage

Alteration

NOTES

5/29/87 inspected
framing OK to
close in wall

BUILDING PERMIT REPORT

DATE: 12-5-86

ADDRESS: 135 CALEB ST.

REASON FOR PERMIT: 1 Story addition

BUILDING OWNER: Richard & Jane Holden

CONTRACTOR: George Clark

PERMIT APPLICANT: Jane Holden,

APPROVED: 5-C DENIED

CONDITION OF APPROVAL OR DENIAL:

- 1.) All vertical openings shall be enclosed with construction having a fire rating of at least one(1) hour, including fire doors with self-closers.
- 2.) Each apartment shall have access to two(2) separate, remote and approved means of egress. A single exit is acceptable when it exits directly from the apartment to the building exterior with no communications to other apartment units.
- 3.) Each apartment shall be equipped with an approved single station smoke detector powered by the house current. The detector shall be located in an area which will provide protection for the sleeping areas.
- 4.) The boiler shall be protected by enclosing with one(1) hour fire rated construction including fire doors and ceiling, or by placing over the boiler, two(2) residential sprinkler heads supplied from the domestic water.
- *5.) Every sleeping room below the fourth story in buildings of Use Groups R and I-1 shall have at least one operable window or exterior door approved for emergency egress or rescue. The units must be operable from the inside opening without the use of separate tools. Where windows are provided as a means of egress or rescue, they shall have a sill height not more than 44 inches (1118 mm) above the floor. All egress or rescue windows from sleeping rooms must have minimum net clear openings of 5.7 square feet (0.53m²). The minimum net clear opening height dimension shall be 24 inches (610 mm). The minimum net clear opening width dimension shall be 20 inches (508 mm).

6.) In addition to any automatic fire alarm system required by Sections 1716.3.2 and 1716.3.3, a minimum of one single station smoke detector shall be installed in each guest room, suite or sleeping area in buildings of Use Groups R-1 and I-1 and in dwelling units in the immediate vicinity of the bedrooms in buildings of Use Group R-2 or R-3. When actuated, the detector shall provide an alarm suitable to warn the occupants within the individual unit (see Sec 1717.3.1).

In buildings of Use Groups R-1 and R-2 which have basements, an additional smoke detector shall be installed in the basement. In buildings of Use Group R-3, smoke detectors shall be required on every story of the dwelling unit, including basements.

In dwelling units with split levels, a smoke detector installed on the upper level shall suffice for the adjacent lower level provided the lower level is less than one full story below the upper level. If there is an intervening door between the adjacent levels, a smoke detector shall be installed on both levels.

All detectors shall be installed in an approved location. Where more than one detector is required to be installed within an individual dwelling unit, the detectors shall be wired in such a manner that the actuation of one alarm will activate all the alarms in the individual unit.

7.) 608.1 Attached garages: Private garages located beneath rooms in buildings of Use Groups R-1, R-2, R-3 or I-1 shall have walls, partitions, floors, and ceilings separating the garage space from the adjacent interior spaces constructed of not less than 1 hour fire-resistance rating. Attached private garages shall be completely separated from the adjacent interior spaces and the attic area by means of $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch gypsum board or equivalent applied to the garage side. The sills of all door openings between the garage and adjacent interior spaces shall be raised not less than 4 inches (102mm) above the garage floor. The door opening protectives shall be 1 3/4-inch solid core wood doors or approved equivalent.

608.1.1 Separation by breezeway: A garage separated by a breezeway not less than 10 feet (3048mm) in length from a building of Use Group R-3 may be of type 5B construction, but the junction of the garage and breezeway shall be firestopped to comply with the requirements of Section 1420.0.