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AP 879 Br' thton Ave.

April 27, 1954

Mrs. Maria Addario 234 Taft Ave. Abbey Cleansers 117 Congress St. Copy to: Easternoil & Equipment Co. 27 Portland St.

Dear Madam & Gontlemen:-

We are issuing to Easternoil a permit to cover installation of a steam boiler and oil burning equipment at 879 Brighten Ave. to be used in connection with pressing machine and retail pressing and tailoring business there.

The application by Easternoil indicates that the boiler and cil burning equipment are to operate dry cleaning equipment. However, this property is located in a Local Business Zone under the Zoning Ordinance where use as a dry cleaning plant is not allowable. I have just called Mr. Abbey who says that he is merely to conduct a retail pressing and tailoring business there and that there will be no dry cleaning attempted on the premises.

The permit is issued on that condition.

Very truly yours,

Warren McDonald Inspector of Buildings

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION

	DEPARTMENT OF 2022	DateJuly 23, 1952
Verbal By Telephone	•	
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City of Portland, Maine Board of Appeals --ZONING--

To the Board of Appeals: Your appellant,

property at

Marie Addario

owner , who is the , respectfully petitions the Board of Appeals 879 Brighton Avenue 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.

Permit to authorize construction and maintenance of eight temporary and portable stands (each about 2' wide by 5' long and standing 3'6" above the ground) for the display of goods for sale in front of the retail store at 879 Brighton Avenue and to include the location and maintenance of a portable sign in the space between the front of the store and the street line of Brighton Avenue, is not issuable under the Zoning Ordinance because the temporary stands would be closer than 125' to the Residence C Zone which lies 100' from Brighton Avenue and because the stands and sign would constitute an encroachment upon the front yard required to be kept open the full width of the lot between the store and the street line.

he facts and conditions which make this exception legally permissable are as follows:

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

After public hearing held on the

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day of the Board of Appeals finds that an exception is not necessary in this case to grant reasonable use of property and can not 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 not be permitted in this specific case.

DATE: May 16, 1952

HEARING ON APPEAL UNDER THE ZONING ORDINANCEDF MARIF ADDARIO

879 Brighton Avenue

Public hearing on above appeal was held before the Board of Appeals.

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Mr. Luthe Mrs. Frost Mr. Getchell Mr. Colley Mr. C'Brion	Yes No () (x)	

Record of Hearing:

Sumner Bernstein for Mrs. Addario

Opposed: Mrs. Chester Bennett, 89% Brighton Avenue Mrs. Bertelsen, 26 Kent Street Hamilton Smith, 20 Kent Street Fred C. Woodley, 18 Kent Street Bessie Norton, 11 Kent Street Letters in file

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Portland, Maiae May 15, 1952

Mr. H. Merrill Jathe, Chairman Board of Appeals, Fortland, Maine.

My dear Mr. Luthe;

May we enter our objections to the granting of permission asked for by the owners of property at 879 Brighton Avenue to place advertising signs and fruit stands in the front of the store located at the same address.

Our objections are based on the unsightliness of a display of this nature and these signs, if permitted to be placed as requested by the owner or owners, will obstruct a person's vision going from Kent Street into Brighton Avenue, thus making a hazardous driving condition.

Yours very truly,

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WARREN MCDONALD On reply refer to file AP 879 Brighton Avenue, corner of Kent Street cedure.

CITY (F PORTLAND, MAINE

Department of Building Inspection

April 30, 1952

Mrs. Marie Addario 234 Taft Avenue Portland, Maine

Copies to: Summer Bernstein, Esq., 119 Exchange Street Big Ben Markets 879 Brighton Avenue Corporation Counsel

Dear Mrs. Addario:

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- 1. The temporary stands would be closer than 125' to the Residence C Zone which lies 100' from Brighton Avenue ;; contrary to Section 15E of the Ordinance.
- 2. The stands and a sign would constitute an unlawful encroachment upon the front yard required to be kept open the full width of the lot between the store and the street line of Brighton Avenue, according to Section 6B of the Ordinance, applying to the Local Business Zone where your property is located.

Mr. Bernstein has indicated your desire to seek an exception from the Board of Appeals; so there is enclosed an outline of the appeal pro-

It is to be borne in mind that the permit for the temporary stands, if issued, will allow the stands to be maintained only six months in this year, at the expiration of which time they will have to be removed. If the same arrangement were desired for not more than six months next year, similar presdures would be necessary, then.

Very truly yours,

Warren McDonald Inspector of Euildings

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CITY OF FOUTL NE, 4-IMF BOARD OF ' PLACE

May 13, 1952

Summer Bernstein, Esq. 119 Exchange Street Forth nd, M inc

Dear Mr. Bernstein:

The Board of appeals will hold a public hearing in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Friday May 16, 1952 et 10:30 a.m. Daylight Savin; Time to hear the appeal of Marrie Addardo relating to the property at 879 Brighton Avenue. Please be present or be represented at this hearing in support of this appeal.

Very truly yours, H. Mer. 111 Luthe Chairman

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MILINE. BULED OF APPLALS

May 6, 1952

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing in the Council Chember, City Hall, Portland, Maine on Friday, May 16, 1952 at 10:30 a. m., Leylight Saving Time, to hear the appeal of Merie Addaio requesting exception to the Zonia. Ordinance to permit the construction and maintenance of eight temporary and portable stands, each bout 2' wide and 5' long and standing 316" shove the ground, for the display of some for sale in front of the retail store at 879 Brighton /venue, and also to penalt the location and maintenance of portable sign in the space between the front of the store and the street line of Brish.on Avenues

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This appeal is taken under Section 191 of the Zoning Ordinance which provides that the Eurad of Apreals, by unanimous vote of its members, may permit exceptions in specific cases so as to grant reasonable use of proper'y where necessary to avoid confiscation are without substantially describe from the intent and purpose of the Coming Ordinance, subject always to the rule that said Acord shall give due consideration to promoting public health, safety, convenience, and welf're, encourt in; the most appropriate use of land and corserving property values, that it si ll permit no buildin; or use Injurious, norious, offersive, or detrimental to a neighborhood, end that it shall prescribe appropriate conditions and safeguards in each case.

All persons interested either for or agricult this appeal will be heard it the hove time and place, this notice of required public hearing having been sent to the owners of property within 500 feet of the premises in question as required by law.

BOARD OF APPLAIS .

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Temporary Stands

Portland, Maine, April 30, 1952

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AP 879 Brighton Avenue

May 19. 1952

Bis Ben Karkets 879 Brighton Avenue · Portland, Kaine c.c. Director of Health

c.c. Summer Bernstein 119 Exchange Street

Hrs. Karie Addario 234 Toft Avo. Portland, Kains

Pear Madem & Gentlemen:-

On May 16th, the Zoning Board of Appeals denied the Zoning Appeal with relation to location of temporary stands and a sign at 679 Brighton Ave., corner of Kent Street, and under those circumstances I am unable to issue the permit for the temporary stands anywhere on the property.

The objection to the sign was that it was proposed and has been located in that is called the front yard of the store, which is the space between the front wall of the building and the street line of Brighton Ave. (inside edge of public sidewalk toward the building) from the street line of Kent Street the full width of the Addarlo lot. Thus you are not permitted to have the sign in this area, and the same objection exists under the Zoning Ordinance to having the sign in the area between the building and the street line of Kent Street clong the side of the building.

The night before the public hearing you still had the sign, or perhaps a different sign located in the front yard. This sign or any other that you may decide upon is to be kept out of the front yard and the side yard toward Kent Street.

At the same time I noted that the temporary stands in question wave piled in the rear of the building. Since these may not now be used in the open air on the property, I suggest that they be disposed of off the property entirely.

The proprietors of the Harket are well made that one of the principal objections of the neighborhood, expressed at the public hearing, was the matter of unsenitary and disreputable conditions in the rear of the store, by way of rubbish and especially by may of garbage in open containers. While this is not the field of this department, it is to be hoped that you will clear up the entire situation and keep it clear.

Very truly yours,

Inopector of Buildings

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Notation on copy of letter to Director of Health
(Joint Letter to Big Ben Markets and Mrs. Marie Addario May 19, 1952)

Dr. Colby:

There was quite a lot of testimony at the public hearing on the part of neighbors as to the unsanitary conditions in the back of this market building, especially the keeping of garbage in open containers, which one of them said was not only frequented by rats, but that some of the neighborhood children had been seen to eat some of the refuse fruit and produce

Warren McDonald

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AP 879 Erighton Avenue, corner of Kent Street

April 30, 1952

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION

COMPLAINT

INSPECTION COPY

COMPLAINT NO. 52/75

Tenant's name and address_

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Date Received May 16, 1952 Location 875 Brighton Avenue Use of Building_ Owner's name and address Mrs. Maria Addario, 231 Taft Avenue Telephone_ Telephone_ Complainant's name and address Warren McDonald Telephone_ Description: A wooden building, probably authorized by the Board of Appeals, as a lubritorium or service garage, is now being used and has a sign on the roof advertising for general automobile repairs - contrary to the Zoning Ordinance in the Local Business / me, NOTES: a wooden building.

C 52/75 - 875 Brighton Ave.

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May 21, 1952

Strout & Son 875 Brighton Avonue Portland, Knine

Mrs. Maria Ada rio 23% Teft Avenue Portland, Maine

Dear Madam & Gent,lemon:-

It appears that the smaller of the two filling station buildings at 875 Brighton Avenue not only has a small sign on the roof advortising general automobile repairs, but such repairs are being carried on i., the building. This is contrary to both the Building Code and the Zening Orderance.

Under the Building Code establishing a repair garage is not allowable in a wooden frame building, such as this one is. Even so, a permit should have been applied for at this department before the change was made from a lubritorium to a repair garage at which time it would have been found out the change would be in violation of the law.

Under the Zoning Ordinance the property is located in a Local Business Zone where a repair garage is not allowable use of preziets, as provided by Section 6 of the Zoning Ordinance, applying to Local Business Zones.

It is important that the sign be taken down and all such use of the premises be discontinued permanently.

The record shows that the smaller of the two buildings was only allowed in 1935 after successful petition to the Municipal Officers of the City, and the use then allowed was a labritorium only. That use, of course, may be continued.

Very truly yours,

Inspector of Buildings

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P. S. It should be borne in mind that both owner of the property and the tenant are equally responsible for violation of the law.

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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION COMPLAINT

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Complainant's name and address	
Description: Big Ben Markets, Inc. (William Kornsk, Pres. of Raymond, Maine; Louis Kove Vice-Pres., 100 Anthoine St., So. Portland a Freeh Stillman, Treas (inactive) of 98 Exchange Street) have occupied the released front yard and the required sid NOTES: Ordinance requirement for corner clearances with the large portable sign and here violated these violations after notice and still a still and the required sign and here.	noless
This corporation sublets the store building from Archie W. L'Heureaux who still continues to occupy the rear part of the store for his business formerly known as Glenwood Market, he living at 147 McKinley St., So. Portland.	
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April 25, 1952

Robert W. Donovan, Asst. Corp. Counsel

Warren McDonedd Inspector of Buildings

Violation of Zoning Ordinance at 879 Brighton Ave., corner Kent Street

An exasperating and somewhat diffiant violation of the Zoning Ordinance is taking place, and continues after notice, at the above location, by way of displaying goods for sale on stands in the front yard space of the store building there and by way of a large sign occupying the space required to be kept clear by corner clearance requirements in the local Fusiness Zone where the property is located. The tenant evidently means to continue this violation over the week end, there being a victualer's license here; and would have a stimulating effect on the attitude of the neighborhood toward the practically effectiveness of the law, if he could be stopped immediately.

Section 6P of the Zoning Ordinance requires by reference that there be a yard 15 feet in depth in front of the building extending the entire width of the lct, that there be on each side of the building a yard at least 7 feet wide. This building a period of the front and at the side toward Kent Street. The Ordinance also provides that a triangle on private property be kept clear at the intersection of the street lines, formed by measuring back ten feet always each street line from their point of intersection and joining the two points thus established.

Despite my notice to them yesterday, and a promise from them to immediately discombinuous these encroachments, today at moon they had some 7 or 8 stands in front of the store containing fruit and produce, these stands projecting from the front of the store three or four feet into the front yard. The large sign was obviously in the corner clearance area. Last even ig these same conditions existed and in addition there was a large pile of cartons in the space between the building and Yent Street.

The owner, whom I have been unable to contect by phone, is Mrs. Marie Addario of 234 Taft Avenue. She leases the store to Archie W. L'Heureaux of 147 McKinley Street, South Portland, who bub-lets the greater pert of the front of the store to Big Ben Markets, Inc.-Pres., William Kovensky of Raymond; Vice-Pres., Louis Kovensky of 100 Anthoine St., South Portland, reas., Joseph Stillman (inactive) of 98 Exchango Street.

As above, these spaces are required, and with reference to Section 203d2.1 of the Building Code, to be kept open for the full required length, width, depth and area from their lowest point to the sky unobstructed. Section 18j of the Koning Ordinance seems to make the Wovenskys responsible for this violation.

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To erect roof sign 25" 7 15' 102" as per plans. (wood sign) Estimated cost \$_

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APPROVED:

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

Signature of owner ___

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AP 879 Brighton Avenue (Roof Sign)

April 24, 1952

Messrs. William and Louis Kovensky 879 Brighto | Avenue Portland, Maine

Mr. Raymond Bean 46 North Marriner Street South Portland, Maine

Gentlement-

The plan accompanying application for permit to erect a roof sign about 2. high by 16. long on the roof of the store at 579 Brighton Avenue at rongth and permanency, and, in fact, to show precisely how you propose

You will need a firstened and complete plan made after the usual manner of making plans, you definite scale, showing the state and spacing of all members, the precise mothod of connecting the members of the sign and the method in detail of connecting the frame to the roof structure rafters of the roof.

The plan should be made by somebody capable of figuring the strain and stress of the materials and of working out the details of connections, who shall attach his signed statement of design to the plan.

It is my impression that this sign is proposed on the front of the hip roof facing Brighton Avenue, although I size have the impression that the sign which you started without a permit was to face the ride street. That is not particularly important, but the plan should show clearly where the sign is to be located on the roof and how it is to be secured to the existing

When I talked with Mr. Kovenely about the sign, he had in mind an addition to the straight sign, sensething on top of it resembling a clock, which he could for the time, but it should be clear to wait that all that you want should be addition to the sign now indicated on the application would be containly to the

Very truly yours,

Inspector of Bulldings

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C-50-60-I (869-879 Brighton Avenue) 6/15/50/T

June 9, 1950

Mr. Antonio Addario 234 Taft Avenue Portland, Maine

Dear Mr. Addario:

An inspector from this office reports that a temporary booth or stand about 5° x 12' has been constructed in front of and attached to the store at 869-879 Brighton Avenue which you are reported to own.

beyond the fact that this stand has been erected without first securing a building permit from this department, it is in violation of the Zoning Ordinance because it encroaches unlawfully upon the space required to be left open between the front of the store and the street line (inside edge of public sidewalk) of Brighton Avenue, according to Section 6B of the Zoning Ordinance; and because it is a temporary stand located closer than 125° to the Residence C Zone at the rear of the property, according to Section 15E of the Ordinance, the property where the stand is located being in a Local Business Zone.

when such a violation of the Zoning Ordinance is found, I am directed to report the violation to the Corporation Counsel of the City for whatever action to get compliance with the law he deems necessary. I suspect, however, that whoever erected this stand and whoever is maintaining it are doing so without knowing the requirements of law in connection therewith.

You are reported to own this property, and it is necessary for me to require that you have this stand completely removed before June 15, and thus avoid a report to and proceedings on the part of the Corporation Counsel of the City.

Very truly yours,

Warren McDonald Inspector of Buildings

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR HEATING, COOKING OR POWER EQUIPMENT

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Installation Portland, Maine, July 5, 1949 CITY of PORTLAND

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STATE ENT ACCOUPANYING APPLICATION FOR BUILDING PERMIT

for lubritorium 875-877 Brighton Avenue

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3. Is the outline of the proposed work now at ked out upon the ground? not, will you nothly the Inspection Office then the work is staked out and bethat is to be meximum projection or overhang of enves or drip? fore any of the work is commenced?

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City of Portland, Maine

appeal sustained 16/30

Appeal to the Municipal Officers to Change the Decision of the

Inspector of Buildings Relating to the Property Owned
875-877
by George S. Norton at STS Brighton Avenue

April 25, 1955

To the Municipal Officers:

Who is the Losson of property at Highton Avenue

respectfully petitions the Municipal Officers of the City of Portland to change the decision of the Inspector of Buildings relating to this property, as provided by Section 13. Paragraph c, of the Zoning Ordinance, on the ground that the enforcement of the ordinance in this case involves unnecessary hardship and because relief may be granted without substantially derogating from the intent and purpose of the Zoning Ordinance

The decision of the Inspector of Buildings denies a parmit to construct a one story building for lubricating motor vehicles on the ground that the proposed building is an addition to filling station use of the property which is nonconforming under the Zoning Ordinance in the Local Business Zone where the property is located.

The reasons for the appeal are as follows: The appellant is lesses of this filling station property which was constructed under special permission of the City Council after petition by the owner together with written consents of neighboring property owners. The filling station has existed for several years and has maintained a pit in the open air for lubricating motor vehicles. This pit has fallen out of repair and is not adequate because it has no shelter from the weather. It is the belief of the appellant that a new substantial pit to be covered over with a sultable building will be an addition to the property rather then a detriment to the neighborhood.

opposite our respective names, of the filling station at Mason's Corner, now operated by George 3. Morton, do hereby consents to the said Norton creeting another building on said premises to be used by him to cover up the oil pit now on said premises, and to act as a lubritorjum.

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To The Municipal Officers:

The Committee on Zoning and Building Ordinance Appeals to whom was referred the appeal of Goorge S. Norton with relation to the construction of a building for lubricating motor vehicles at 375-877 brighton avenue, reports as follows:

It is the belief of this Committee that failure to grant this permit involves unnecessary hardships and that desirable relief may be granted without substant ally derogating from the intent and purpose of the Zoning Ordinance.

It is recommended therefore that the appeal be sustained and that the permit be granted subject to full compliance with all terms of the Building Code.

COMMITTEE ON ZONING AND BUILDING ORDINANCE APPEALS

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PUBLIC YEARING ON THE APPEAL OF GEORGE S. NORTON

AT 875-877 BRIGHTON AVENUE

WITH RELATION TO LUBRICATING BUILDING

May 3, 1935

A public hearing on the above appeal was held before the Committee on Zoning and Buildings Ordinance Appeals today. Fresent for City were Councilors Deering and Carleton and the Inspector of Buildings.

 $\mbox{Mr.}$ Norton appeared in support of his appeal and there were no opponents present.

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Pile Receipt No. 41728-I

Mr. George S. Horton, 709 Congress Street, Portland, Maine.

Dear Sirs-

Your appeal with relation to the construction of a lubricating building at 875-877 Brighton Avenue was sustained by the Board of Municipal Officers on May 6, 1955.

I note that you have not filled in fully the information required in the application for the permit. Please have this information all filled in without dalay showing the proposed framing of the building, etc. and also furnish a plan of the proposed pit showing especially the slope of the floor, the location, size and material of the ventilating dust and the location and being the size.

and material of the ventilating duct and the location and height of fan to be used for exhaust. The floor of the pit should slope toward the incake of the duct. In other words the intake should be at the low point of the floor of the pit. The duct and the fan should be designed to theoretically change the air in the pit at least every three minutes.

that we may be to remaition to issue the permit.

. Very truly yours,

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Inspector of Buildings.