

Providence Preservation Society

Records of

Plat 8
Lot 228

95 DOYLE AVENUE

Built by Thomas Bligh c. 1874

1871 Property is owned by the City of Providence.

1873 The City of Providence leases to Thomas Bligh for forty years from the first day of October 1873 ... a certain lot of land ... being a part of the Dexter Donation Land and bounded and described as follows viz. Lot Number 27 on a plat of lots of land on Doyle Avenue, belonging to the Dexter Donation ... for \$45 annual rent (Deed Book 290.127, Recorded Sept. 1, 1876).

The plat is recorded on Plat Card 566.

1875 Providence City Directory lists Thomas Bligh, a liquor dealer whose business is at 59 South Main St., at 73 (now 95) Doyle Avenue for the first time.

Hopkins Atlas of the City of Providence shows a dwelling at this location.

Tax Cards at Providence City Hall list the following owners:

1871 City of Providence

1955 Margaret K., Francis A., Mary R., Raymond K., Jerome F. and Thomas K. McGehearty and Hope G. McAndrews, Joint Tenants

1975 Frank A. McGehearty, Jr., a/k/a Francis A. McGehearty, Jr. and wife Elizabeth, Ent. (DB 1184.877-878)

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