

32 Spruce Street



Research was done in the Concord Room of the Concord Library, Merrimack County Registry of Deeds and the State Library. The street was originally named Mills Street after Farmer John Mills who owned the land. About 1939-1940 the street was renamed Spruce Street. The first lot owner in 1870 was J.W. and Jane Bean and the house was built about 1875. Joel W. Bean was a brick mason at L.W.Bean, Contractor and Builder, Brick Layer, Plasterer and Whitewasher with an office at Rear 11 No. Main Street, Concord. LaChance, owner of the house from 1919 to 1977, was a carpenter at the B & M Railroad shops and later was carpenter at the Concord Lumber Co. Many owners took in boarders.

The house has a gabled frame and retains original tin ceilings.