

## Block: 550 Lot: 1



## 14A Washington Mews

<b>Address:</b>	14A Washington Mews
<b>Building Name:</b>	14A Washington Mews
<b>Construction Date:</b>	1884
<b>Original Owner:</b>	Sailors' Snug Harbor; John H. Sherwood, lessee
<b>Original Architect:</b>	unknown
<b>Original Use:</b>	Bachelor studio apartments
<b>Historical Notes:</b>	Part of the Sailor's Snug Harbor property. In 1884, the land was leased by John H. Sherwood, lessee of 3 Washington Square North. Sherwood built this 4-story apartment building on Washington Mews behind his row house, which he renovated at the same time. NYU acquired it in 1949.
<b>Landmark Status:</b>	Greenwich Village Historic District
<b>Building Type:</b>	R2
<b>Number of Stories:</b>	4
<b>Street Facade:</b>	Washington Mews (north)

### Original & Historic Features

#### General

- Red face-brick facade with bluestone and red brick trim.
- East and west elevations red common brick and bluestone trim.
- Bluestone sills; bluestone lintels at 1/1 windows; rowlock-brick lintels at flat-arch windows.
- Original wood windows in varying configurations: 1/1, 6-pane fixed light, 6/6 (east elevation) and 2/2 (basement): 95%
- Bluestone and granite pavers.

#### Ground Floor

- Historic door frame and transom; door itself may be more recent.

Note: There is no historic photograph for this building since it shared the same tax lot as 3 WSN.

### Non-Historic Alterations

#### General

- Brick and bluestone on north façade has been painted.
- Projecting bluestone window sills in parapet suggest that the building height has been reduced.
- Original parapet removed; existing parapet rebuilt with brick. Parapet repointing overlaps the brick face, giving parapet an uneven texture.

#### Ground Floor

- Two lantern-style light fixtures mounted into brick at doorway.
- Metal building number on the door.
- Aluminum replacement sash in one basement window.

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**Existing Condition Photographs**

