

Perdew Frame Farm House  
AL-I-A-052  
East of Elbensville Road  
near Flintstone  
Last quarter of 19th century

The Perdew Frame Farm House, located in an isolated northern part of Allegany County, is a frame structure with clapboards. The house is said to have been built by Charlie Perdew, and David Smith by Mrs. Perdew, present occupant of the house. The house retains its original appearance and is representative of a late 19th century rural dwelling in northern Allegany County.

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC **Perdew Frame Farm House**

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

**East Side of Elbensville Road**

CITY, TOWN

**Flintstone**

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

**Maryland**

COUNTY

**Allegany**

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<b>PUBLIC ACQUISITION</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
			<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
			<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
			<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
			<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
			<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME **Harry A. Hovermill**

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

**Route 1 Box 271**

CITY, TOWN

**Northeast**

VICINITY OF

STATE **Maryland** zip code **21901**

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

**Allegany County Courthouse**

Liber #: **466**

Folio #: **816**

STREET & NUMBER

**30 Washington Street**

CITY, TOWN

**Cumberland**

STATE

**Maryland**

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

**7 DESCRIPTION**

<b>CONDITION</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>	<b>CHECK ONE</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED    DATE _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Perdew Frame Farmhouse is located east of Elbensville Road near Flintstone.

This building consists of a two story, four bays wide frame structure with clapboards. The building rests on stone pillars at the corners with no water table. The gable flank roof is covered with asphalt shingles. Eaves consist of a cornice and soffit. Wall features include cornerboards. An original brick chimney is located in the center of the house.

Two entrances with original hardware are located in the center of the southern facade. Two over two light light windows are nailed. A board and batten shed roofed addition on the north has a variety of windows. A replaced shed roofed porch is on the south. Part of an original shed roofed porch is on the north.

**8 SIGNIFICANCE**

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

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 SPECIFIC DATES

 BUILDER/ARCHITECT
 

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Perdew Frame Farm House is located in an **isolated** northern part of Allegany County. This clapboarded frame house is said to have been built by Charlie Perdew and David Smith by Mrs. Perdew, present occupant of the house.<sup>(1)</sup> Most likely the house was built in the last quarter of the 19th century.

The house retains its original appearance and is representative of a rural dwelling in northern Allegany County..

(1) Interview with Mrs. Perdew, August 18, 1978

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 14.40 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

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CITY OR TOWN Cumberland

STATE Maryland 21502

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 267-1438

INVENTORY NO: AL-1-A-052

DATE: 8/18/78

REMODELING: Drastic, moderate, minor

NAME OF PROPERTY: Perdew Frame House

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: S. of Elbensville Rd

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: 200° South

NAME OF OWNER: HARRY HAUERMILL

ADDRESS: RD 1, BOX 271  
Northeast, Md 21901

STORIES: 1( ) 2() 3( ) 4( ) 5( ) 6( ) BAYS: 1( ) 2( ) 3( ) 4() 5( ) 6( ) 7( ) ( )

WINGS, ADDITIONS: B & B shed roof on S.

DWELLING SHAPE: (square, cross, rectangular)

WALL CONSTRUCTION:

- ( ) FRAME: Bevel, clapboard, weatherboard, wood shingles, board & batten (type?)
- ( ) BRICK: Bond type - common, English, Flemish. Sketch variants.
- ( ) STONE: Bond type - rubble, ashlar (random or regular), quoins-plain, rusticated
- ( ) LOG
- ( ) OTHER: Coverings

WALL FEATURES: Belt Course, Pilasters, Others cornerboards

FOUNDATIONS: High, Low, Brick, Stone stones on corners

WATER TABLE: None, Plain, Beveled, Moulded Brick

WINDOWS, TRIM, SHUTTERS: 1/1( ) 2/2() 6/6( ) 9/6( ) 9/9( ) other( )  
pegged( ) nailed() wide( ) narrow( ) mitred( ) pediment( )

ENTRANCE, DOORS: LOCATION: center S. 2 entrances  
HARDWARE: original() replaced( )  
FAN LIGHT, TRANSOM, SIDE LIGHTS, PLAIN  
Paneled, Vertical, Horizontal Boards

CORNICE, BARGE, EAVES: (crown, fascia, soffit, bed)  
original( ) replaced( ) rafter ends, modillions, dentils, frieze, architrave

ROOF: Gable front, Gable flank, Hip, Shed, Mansard, Gambrel, Flat, Dormers #  
MATERIAL: wood shingles, slate, tin. asphalt; original( ) replaced( )

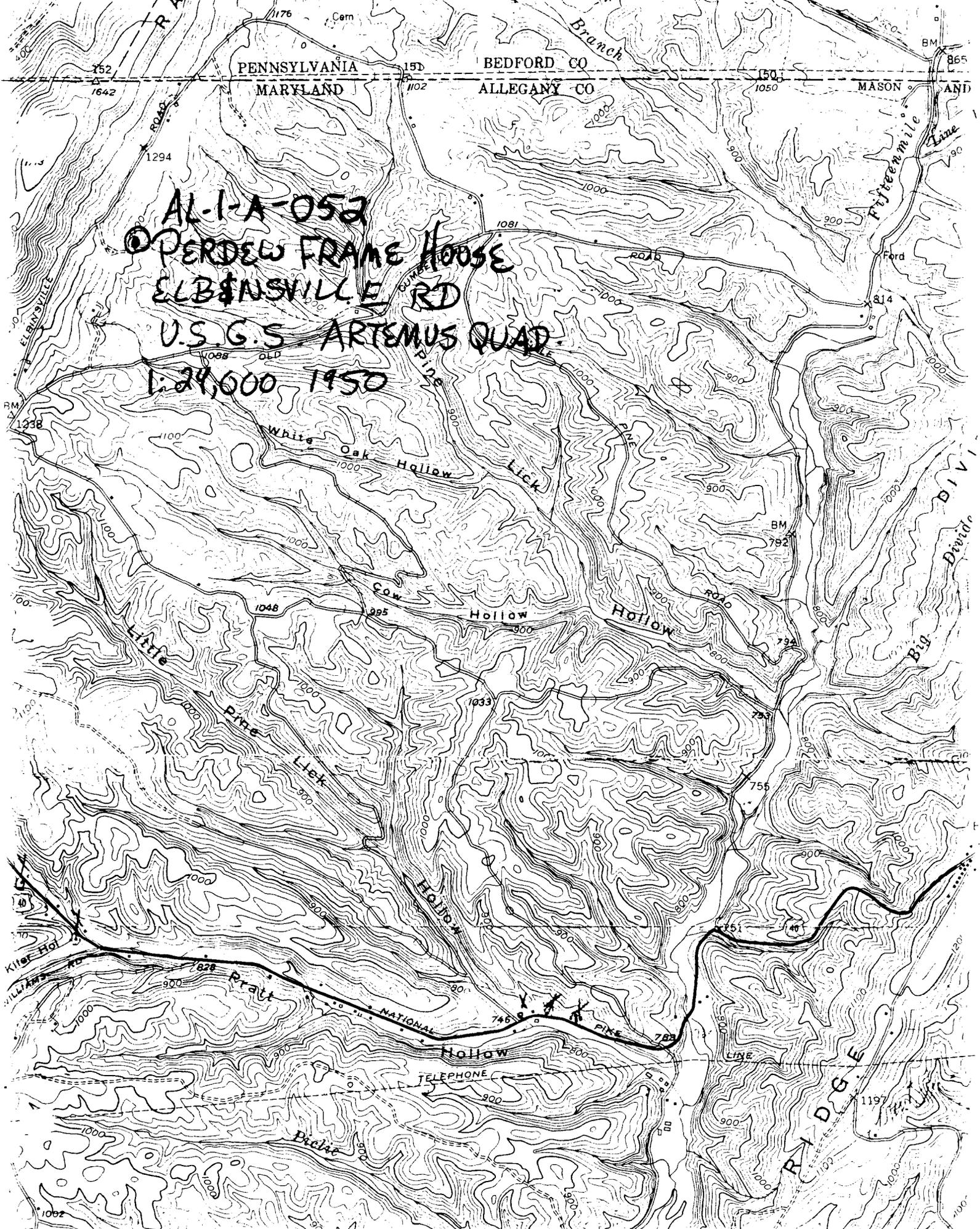
PORCHES: SHAPE OF ROOF - shed() hip( ) gable( ) part on N

CHIMNEYS: Number: 1 Brick() Stone( ) Corbeled( ) original() replaced( )  
Location: Flush end( ) Inside end( ) Outside end( ) Central() Interior( )

ARCHES: Door & Windows: Keystone, Flat, Segmental, Semicircular

COMMENTS:

USE: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNIFICANCE: \_\_\_\_\_



AL-1-A-052  
PERDEW FRAME HOUSE  
ELBANSVILLE RD  
U.S.G.S. ARTEMUS QUAD  
1:24,000 1950



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PERDEW Frame Farm House  
ELBENSVILLE RD.

David A. Dorsey

8/18/78

Northeast



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PERDEW FRAME FARMHOUSE  
ELBENSVILLE RD

David A. Dorsey

8/18/78

Southwest