

Montgomery Farm
AL-11-A-115

Montgomery Valley, located east of Flintstone on Route 40, was settled early in the 19th century by the Montgomery family. A family cemetery on a hill on the farm contains a rough stone tombstone inscribed with the date 1824. Near 1900 the original Montgomery farmhouse burnt but was replaced by this large farmhouse. Architectural features include an elaborate original door, a handsome wraparound veranda with wooden roman doric columns, and pediments decorated with wooden carvings

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Montgomery Farm

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER north off Route 40

Sixth

CITY, TOWN

Gilpin

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 checked="" 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	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC ACQUISITION	<input type="checkbox"/> ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
			<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
			<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
			<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
			<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
			<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Gale W. Wallace

Telephone #: 774-2335

STREET & NUMBER

1818 Narrow's Lane

CITY, TOWN

Silver Spring

VICINITY OF

STATE Maryland zip code 20906

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Allegany County Courthouse

Liber #: 480
Folio #: 119

STREET & NUMBER

30 Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Cumberland

STATE Maryland 21502

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION		
<input checked="" 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				

SPECIFIC DATES BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This house stands in what is known as Montgomery Valley, along the fertile lands of Town Creek between Warrior Ridge and Polish Mountain. The valley is named for the Montgomery family, who were early settlers of the area.

In 1863, Edward and Upton Montgomery sold a 20-Acre tract called "Montgomery Valley" to Henry Bucy.(1) Bucy also owned a tract called "Sugar Tree Camp,"(2) and these two parcels comprised his farm. A Montgomery farmhouse was located on this property, but it burnt down before 1900.(3) An old cemetery near the present house has a tombstone commemorating a member of the Montgomery family which states that the person died in 1824.

Since the old Montgomery place had burned down prior to 1900, this frame house was most likely built around the turn of the century. An older weatherboard house also stands on the property now and is used as a large chicken coop. This structure was moved by the present owners in the 1950's, when road construction would have demolished it.(4)

This large farmhouse has an attractive wraparound veranda and decorated pediments over many of the windows. The house retains its original appearance and is a reminder of the way of life experienced by farmers of a fertile farming valley in eastern Allegany County.

- (1) Allegany Equity Case 5505, Exhibit C
- (2) Ibid, Exhibit B
- (3) Interview with Mrs. Mauzy, resident, August 18, 1978
- (4) Ibid

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Allegany Equity Case 5505

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATAACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 125 Acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

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ORGANIZATION

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Allegany County Historic Site Survey

DATE

April 27, 1979

STREET & NUMBER

3 Pershing Street

TELEPHONE

777-5944

CITY OR TOWN

Cumberland

STATE

Maryland 21502

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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

TITLE SEARCH

Montgomery Farm
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Allegany County Deed: Liber 480, Folio 119
Grantee: Gale W. Wallace
Grantor: Charles E. Burgess

Date: July 17, 1975

Allegany County Deed: Liber 466, Folio 272
Grantee: Charles E. Burgess
Grantor: Robert H. Reinhart, trustee

Date: September 27, 1973

Allegany County Deed: Liber 435, Folio 538
Grantee: Robert H. Reinhart, trustee
Grantor: Charles E. Burgess et ux

Date: October 22, 1968

Allegany County Deed: Liber 381, Folio 558
Grantee: Charles E. Burgess et ux
Grantor: Ruth Weise executor for William P. Lough
Notes: Mentions will in which Wm. P. Lough inherited
land from Isaac H. Miller

Date: March 23, 1965
Consideration: \$14,500

Allegany County Deed: Liber 108, Folio 122
Grantee: Isaac H. Miller et ux
Grantor: Randolph Bucy et ux

Date: May 29, 1911

Allegany County Deed: Liber 95, Folio 343
Grantee: Randolph Bucy
Grantor: J.W.S. Cochrane trustee equity #5505

Date: July 12, 1904
Consideration: \$800

Allegany County Equity #5505
Grantee: Over estate of Henry Bucy
Notes: Exhibit B Henry Bucy bought "Sugar Tree Camp" from
Jonathan Dicken, October 24, 1855, \$1200.00
Edward and Upton Montgomery, November 27, 1863, \$262.00

INVENTORY NO: _____ DATE: 8/18

REMODELING: Drastic, Moderate, minor *32*

NAME OF PROPERTY: *Monterey 32* *Matzinger Family cemetery*
Howis farm - Robette owned bout 1901

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: _____

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: *South* *AL-II A-115*

NAME OF OWNER: *see Bill Lowe*

ADDRESS: *Gale W. Wallace 480/119 125 A p 93 map 78*

ADDRESS *1818 Narrow's Lane - ph.#*
Silver Spring 20906

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

WINGS, ADDITIONS: *sq on N w/ 6 windows* " w/ central shed roof tiled
hix roof central brick chimney

DWELLING SHAPE: (square, cross, rectangular) *L*

WALL CONSTRUCTION: *gen. siding*

- 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 *cornice bands*

FOUNDATIONS: *High*, Low, Brick, *Stone* *random ashlar*

WATER TABLE: None, *Plain*, Beveled, Moulded Brick *shallow pediment wood lossills*

WINDOWS, TRIM, SHUTTERS: 1/1() 2/2(*h*) 6/6(*h*) 9/6() 9/9() other() *decorated*

Door w/ 4 panels
top 2 semi-circular arched
recessed, moulded
2, red.
ENTRANCE, DOORS: LOCATION: *center*
HARDWARE: original(*h*) replaced()
IN LIGHT, *TRANSOM*, *SIDE LIGHTS*, PLAIN
Paneled, Vertical, Horizontal Boards *decorated*
panels below. fluted outer frame
chamfered jambs

CORNICE, BARGE, EAVES: (crown, fascia, *soffit*, bed) *return*
original(*h*) 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()

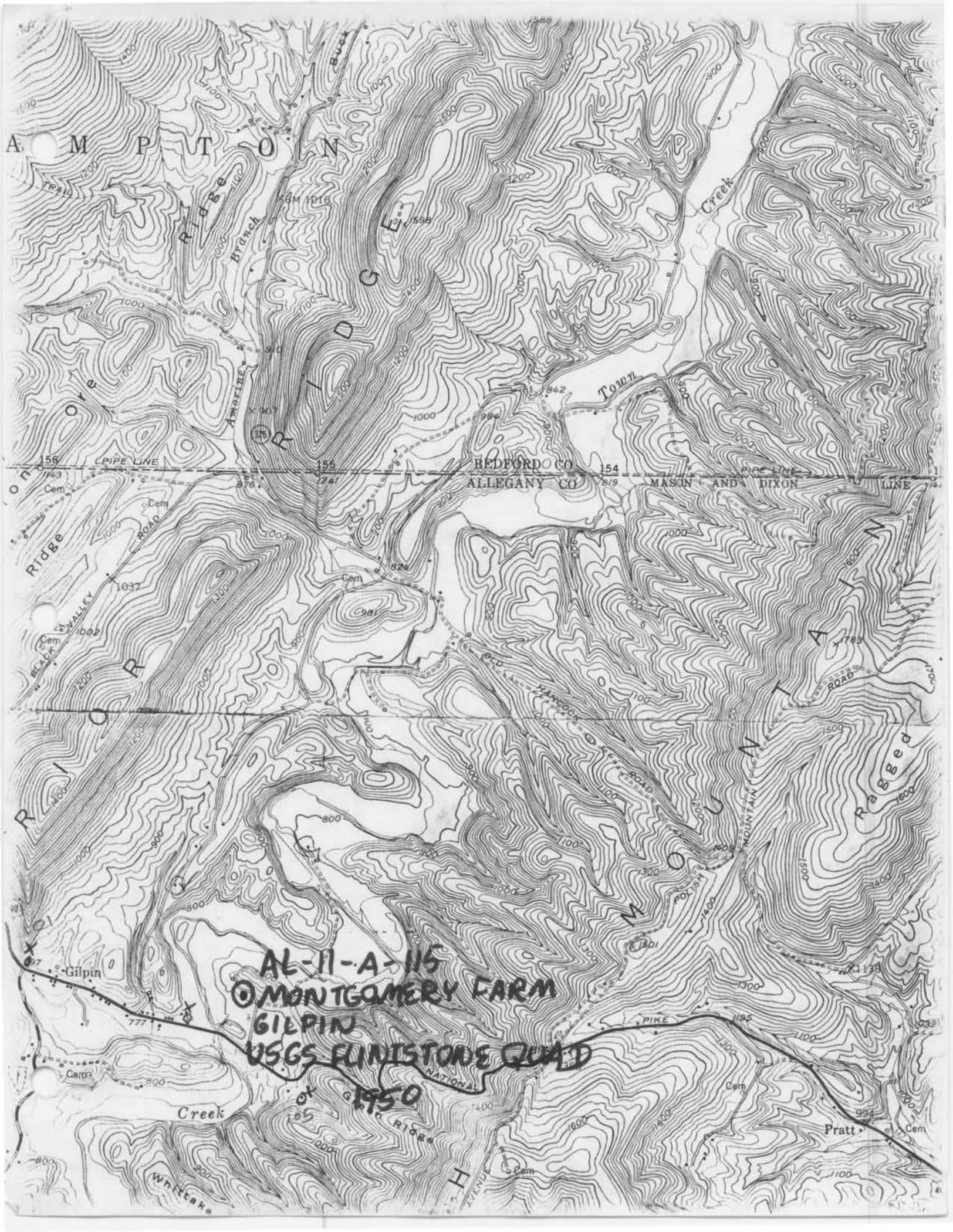
PORCHES: SHAPE OF ROOF - shed(*h*) hip(*h*) gable() *veranda 6 Roman Doric columns*
Shed w/ add. *1 outside end concrete block*

CHIMNEYS: Number: *2* Brick() Stone() Corbeled() original() replaced()
Location: Flush end() Inside end() Outside end() Central() Interior()

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

COMMENTS: *Bull's eye decorative semi-circular moulding above each of door panels.*

USE: _____
SIGNIFICANCE: *pre 1900 - it Buant - Mrs. Wallace*
DATE CONSTRUCTED: _____
CONDITION: _____



A M P T O N

Ridge
Branch

I D G

Town

BEDFORD CO
ALLEGANY CO

MASON AND DIXON LINE

R I D G E
V A L L E Y

M O U N T A I N

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MONTGOMERY FARM
GILPIN
USGS FLINTSTONE QUAD

1950

Gilpin

Creek

Whitake

Pratt



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MONTGOMERY FARM
RT 40 GILPIN
David A. Dorsy

8/18/78

Southwest



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MONTGOMERY FARM

Rt. 40, GILPIN

David A. Dorsey

8/18/78

Northeast



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MONTGOMERY FARM

MONTGOMERY FAMILY CEMETERY

RT 40, GILPIN

David A. Dorsey

8/18/78

READS

— MONTGOMERY

B MARCH 8, 1765

D MAY 27, 1824



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MONTGOMERY FARM

OUTBUILDING

RT 40 GILPIN

David A. Dorsey

8/18/78

Northeast