

Wilson Frame House  
AL-~~II~~-A-122  
Dolly Road  
north of Flintstone  
latter quarter of 19th century

Wilson Frame House stands on part of a tract known as "Flintstone," which was originally surveyed in 1776. Francis R. Wilson obtained the property in 1884, and most likely this house was built after that year. The Wilson family owned the property for 77 years, until 1961. The house is a typical frame dwelling for rural Allegany County with its insulbrick-covered siding and three bays wide structure. It stands as a reminder of a long-time Flintstone area farming family.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC **Wilson Frame House**

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER **Dolly Road, east side** **Sixth**

CITY, TOWN **Flintstone**  VICINITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_

STATE **Maryland 21530** COUNTY **Allegany**

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

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

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME **James E. Browning** Telephone #: **478-2926**

STREET & NUMBER **Route 2**

CITY, TOWN **Flintstone** \_\_\_\_\_ VICINITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ **Mayrland 21530** STATE, zip code

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. **Allegany County Courthouse**

Liber #: **463**  
Folio #: **50**

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

**7 DESCRIPTION**

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<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

Wilson Frame House is located on the eastern side of Dolly Road north of Flintstone.

This building is an "L" shaped, two story, three bays wide frame house with german siding covered with insulbrick. It rests on a high foundation of random rubble with a plain water table. The gable flank roof is covered with corugated tin. Eaves consist of a cornice, soffit, and bed mould. One original corbeled brick chimney is located inside end, a replaced brick chimney is outside end.

The main entrance in the middle of the eastern facade includes a paneled one light door with original hardware. Two over two light windows are pegged and have wooden lugsills.

A hip roofed wraparound veranda on the north has four tapered square posts and some wrought iron posts. A frame addition covered with insulbrick is in the corner of the "L" shaped building. It rests on wooden posts and has a hip roof with rafter ends exposed.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input 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 checked="" 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 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

This house stands on part of a tract of land called "Flintstone".<sup>(1)</sup>  
 This tract was surveyed for John Howard and Joseph Selby on August 21, 1776.<sup>(2)</sup>

The land was owned by Francis Robbosson, and in 1884 it was divided equally between Francis R. Wilson and Jemima R. Wilson.<sup>(3)</sup> This frame house was mostly likely built after Francis Wilson obtained the land. Wilson and his family owned the property until 1961, when his daughters soil it.<sup>(4)</sup>

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- (1) Allegany County Lnad Records, Liber 339, Folio 597
- (2) Ibid, Liber 181, Folio 711
- (3) Ibid, Liber 61, Folio 357
- (4) Ibid, note 1

**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

Allegany County Land Records

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 36.40 Acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE David A. Dorsey, Historic Sites Coordinator  
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ORGANIZATION Allegany County Historic Site Survey DATE April 26, 1979

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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

TITLE SEARCH

Wilson Frame House  
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Allegany County Deed: Liber 463, Folio 50  
Grantee: James E. and Carole J. Browning  
Grantor: Sunset View Real Estate and Development Co.      Date: February 2, 1973

Allegany County Deed; Liber 339, Folio 597  
Grantee: Sunset View Real Estate and Development Co.      Date: October 6, 1961  
Grantor: Leslie M. and Nan R. Wigfield and Carole M.  
Nixon, widow  
Notes: 105.8 acres - part of a parcel containing 148.5  
acres, which was surveyed out of an original tract  
called "Flintstone". Nan and Carole are daughters  
of Francis and Cora Wilson.

Allegany County Deed: Liber 181, Folio 711  
Grantee: Francis R. and Cora E. Wilson  
Grantor: Ursula Hartman, trustee      Date: November 12, 1938  
Notes: The Wilsons sold it to Hartman to sell back to  
them. The tract "Flintstone" was surveyed for  
John Howard and Joseph Selby on August 21, 1776

Allegany County Deed: Liber 61, Folio 357  
Grantee: Francis R. Wilson      Date: November 19, 1884  
Grantor: John W. Schaffer et al. Commissioners  
appointed by County Circuit Court for an  
equity case to divide lands of Francis Robbosson  
Notes: Gave  $\frac{1}{2}$  to Francis R. Wilson and other half to  
Jemima R. Wilson

Allegany County Deed: Liber 3, Folio 476  
Grantee: Francis Robbosson      Date: April 26, 1847  
Grantor: Joshua W. Shipley, executor for Elijah  
Robbosson of Carroll County      Consideration: \$1,000

INVENTORY NO: #29

DATE: 8/22

REMODELING: Drastic, moderate, minor

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NAME OF PROPERTY: ~~Teeters or Miss~~ Dollys Wilson Frame House

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: Flintstone Rd.

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: East

NAME OF OWNER: J Browman

Tax Map #7

ADDRESS: James E. Browning c 463 150 36.40 Aced p210  
Rt. 2  
Flintstone, Md. ph. #478-2926

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

WINGS, ADDITIONS: ~~shed~~ <sup>hipped</sup> in corners on axels or pillars of rock.

DWELLING SHAPE: (square, cross, rectangular) L

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 <sup>german siding</sup> insul bricks

WALL FEATURES: Belt Course, Pilasters, Others

FOUNDATIONS: High Low, Brick, Stone random rubble

WATER TABLE: None, Plain, Beveled, Moulded Brick <sup>plain fr. wood legs</sup>

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

ENTRANCE, DOORS: LOCATION: Center  
HARDWARE: original(✓) replaced( ) 1 light.  
FAN LIGHT, TRANSOM, SIDE LIGHTS, PLAIN  
3 Paneled, Vertical, Horizontal Boards

CORNICE BARGE, EAVES: (crown, fascia, soffit, bed <sup>plain</sup>)  
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( ) veranda on 2 sides tapered posts &

CHIMNEYS: Number: 2 Brick B Stone \* Corbeled 1 original( ) replaced 1  
Location: Flush end( ) Inside end 2 Outside end 1 Central( ) Interior( )

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

COMMENTS:

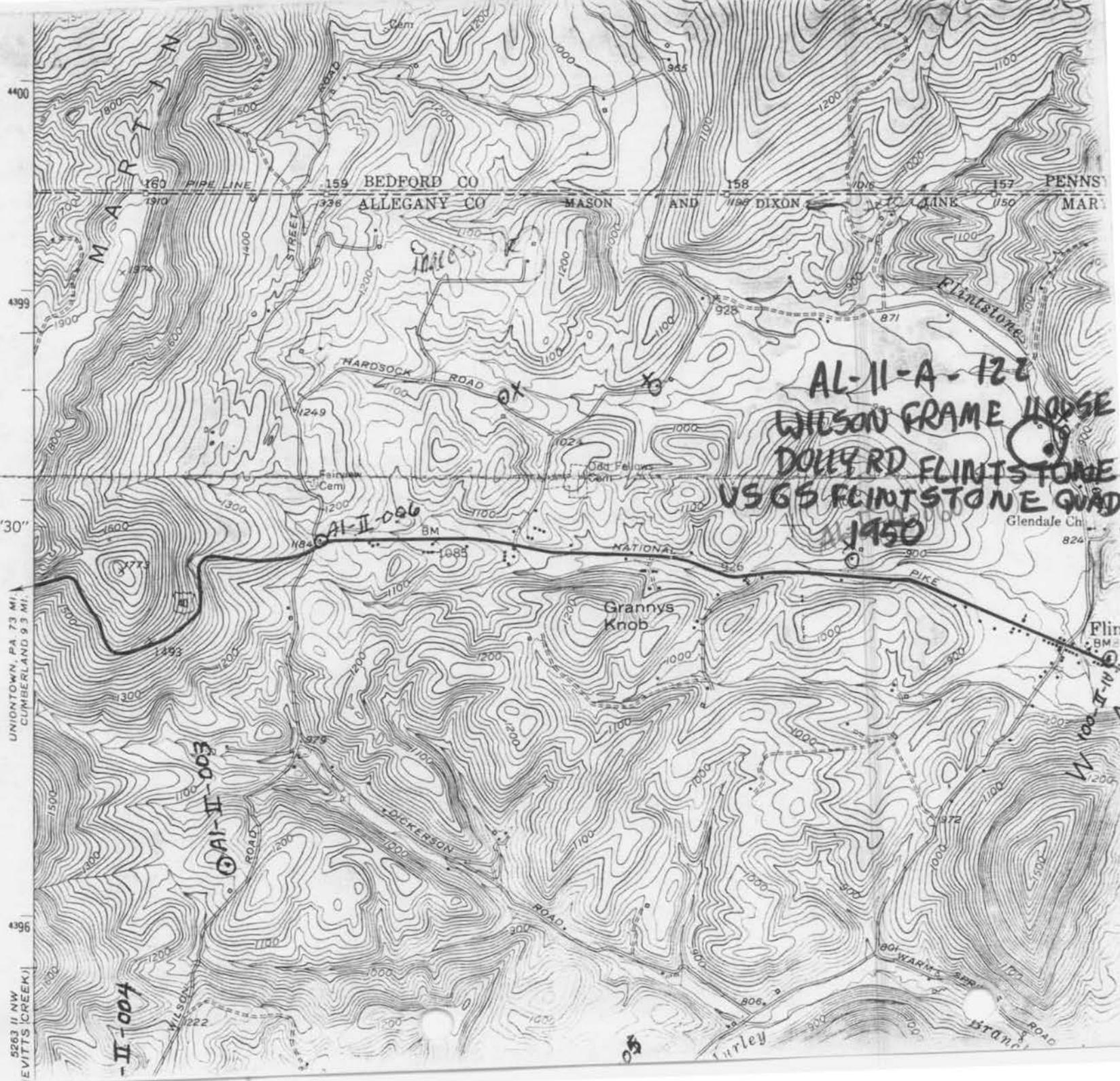
USE:  
SIGNIFICANCE:  
DATE CONSTRUCTED: 90 or 100 yrs old  
CONDITION:

Dolly Weston

NOTE

nothing fantastic

AWAY



42°30' N  
UNIONTOWN, PA 7.3 MI.  
CUMBERLAND 9.3 MI.

5263 II NW  
[EVITTS CREEK]

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CAL-II-006

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WILSON FRAME HOUSE

DOLLY RD FLINTSTONE

USGS FLINTSTONE QUAD

1950

Glendale Ch  
824

Flin  
BM

AL-II-A-122

W 100' II-W

200'

100'

100'

100'

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WILSON FRAME HOUSE

DOLLY RD FLINTSTONE

DAVID A. DORSEY

8/22/78

Northeast



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WILSON FRAME HOUSE  
DOLLY RD FLINTSTONE

David A. Daisey

8/22/78

Southwest