

Shugars Board and Batten
AL-VI-D-214

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Shugars Board and Batten House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Stoney Run Road,

Sixth

CITY, TOWN

Westernport

___ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Allegany

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input 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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC ACQUISITION	<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

George H. Shugars

Telephone #: 359-0156

STREET & NUMBER

Rt. 1 Box 151

CITY, TOWN

Westernport

___ VICINITY OF

STATE zip code
Maryland 21565

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Allegany County Courthouse

Liber #: 491

Folio #: 813

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

AL-11-D-217

7 DESCRIPTION

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

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Shugars Board and Batten House is located on Stoney Run Road near Westernport.

The building is a two story, three bays wide frame structure covered with board and batten, It rests on a high foundation of coursed rock-faced ashlar stone with a plain water table. The gable flank roof is covered with tar paper. Eaves consist of a cornice and decoratively carved brackets. The only chimney on the main block of the building is a pipe chimney on the interior. A small board and batten addition on the northeast has a gabled roof and rests on wooden posts. A large stone chimney is located outside end of the addition.

The main entrance is in the center of the southwestern facade and includes a door of three panels and one light with original hardware. Two over two light sash windows are pegged. A shed roofed porch on the southwest is partially dismantled and a similar porch on the northeast was partially removed for the addition.

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 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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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- (1) Allegany County Land Records Liber 491, Folio 811
- (2) John T. Scharf, History of Western Maryland (Philadelphia: L.H. Everts Co.) Vol II pp. 1445-46
- (3) Ibid, p.1445
- (4) Katherine A. Harvey, Best Dressed Miners: Life and Labor in the Maryland Coal Region, 1835-1910 (Ithaca: Cornell University Press) p. 78

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Scharf, John T. History of Western Maryland Philadelphia: L.H. Everts Co. 1882
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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 61.4 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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ORGANIZATION Allegany County Historic Sites DATE April 17, 1980

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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

Shugars Board and Batten
AL-V1-D-214

Allegany County Deed: Liber 491, Folio 813
Grantee: George H. & Carrie Shugars
Grantor: Michael W. Shay, trustee

Date: March 7, 1977

Allegany County Deed: Liber 491, Folio 811
Grantee: Michael W. Shay, trustee
Grantor: George H. Shugars and Carrie Shugars
Notes: Acquired by adverse possession

Date: March 7, 1877

INVENTORY NO: _____ DATE: _____

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MODELING: Drastic, moderate, minor

NAME PROPERTY: Dockworth farm 10/31

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: Stenny rd Jackson rd Rd ext.

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: R20° SW

NAME OF OWNER: MAP 76 p 153 George H. Shugart VI-D-214

ADDRESS: Rt 1 Box 151 Wilmamston, Gl. 4 A. 49/83 31

21562 359-0156

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

CHANGES, ADDITIONS: gabled on NE shed on NE w/ outside stone chimney

DWELLING SHAPE: (square, cross, rectangular)

ALL 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

ALL FEATURES: Belt Course, Pilasters, Others _____

FOUNDATIONS: High, Low, Brick, Stone coursed ashlar!

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: SW Center 3 panels 1 light
HARDWARE: original() replaced()
FAN LIGHT, TRANSOM, SIDE LIGHTS, PLAIN
Paneled, Vertical, Horizontal Boards

ORNICE, BARGE, EAVES: (crown, fascia, carved brackets & simple overhang, 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; TAR original() replaced()

PORCHES: SHAPE OF ROOF - shed() hip() gable()
1/2 removed

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

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

REMARKS:

USE:

SIGNIFICANCE:

DATE OF SURVEY:

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WESTERNPORT QUADRANGLE
WEST VIRGINIA-MARYLAND
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)
NE/4 ELK GARDEN 15' QUADRANGLE

5263 111 SW
(LONACONING)

2'30" 668 669 670 2 140 000 FEET (W. VA.) 79°00' 39°30'



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SHUGARS BOARD & BATTEN
STONEY RUN RD, WESTERNPORT
U.S. 65 WESTERNPORT QUAD
1:24,000 1950

360 000 FEET
(W. VA.)

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W Va Central Junc

Slaughter house

BALTIMORE AND WESTERN
3 TRACKS
MINERAL CO. OHIO



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SHUGARS BOARD & BATTEN
STONEY RUN RD.
WESTERNPORT

DAVID A. DORSEY

10/31/78

EAST



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SHUGARS BOARD AND BATTEN
STONEY RUN RD., WESTERNPORT

DAVID A. DORSEY

4/18/80

west