

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
 21 STATE CIRCLE
 SHAW HOUSE
 ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401

HISTORIC SITES SURVEY FIELD SHEET
 Individual Structure Survey Form

SURVEY NUMBER: AA 1394
NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing
U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP:
PRESENT FORMAL NAME:
ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
PRESENT USE: Residential
ORIGINAL USE: "
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE: Excellent () Good () Fair (x) Poor: ()
THEME:
STYLE: Italianate-Vernacular
DATE BUILT: 1885-1891

COUNTY: Anne Arundel
TOWN: Annapolis
LOCATION: 39 Cathedral
COMMON NAME:
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Res Map 32 Par 75
OWNER: Parker Laura E & Langford Ar ADDRESS: 719 Melvin Ave Annapolis, MD 21401
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Yes (x) No () Restricted ()
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: Local (x) State () National ()

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Structural System

- Foundation: Stone () Brick (x) Concrete () Concrete Block ()
- Wall Structure
 - Wood Frame: Post and Beam () Balloon (x)
 - Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick () Stone () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
 - Iron () D. Steel () E. Other:
- Wall Covering: Clapboard () Board and Batten () Wood Shingle () Shiplap ()
 Novelty () Stucco () Sheet Metal () Aluminum () Asphalt Shingle ()
 Brick Veneer () Stone Veneer () Asbestos Shingle (x)
 Bonding Pattern: Other:
- Roof Structure
 - Truss: Wood (x) Iron () Steel () Concrete ()
 - Other:
- Roof Covering: Slate () Wood Shingle () Asphalt Shingle (x) Sheet Metal ()
 Built Up () Rolled () Tile () Other:
- Engineering Structure:
- Other:

Appendages: Porches () Towers () Cupolas () Dormers () Chimneys () Sheds () Ells ()
 Wings () Other:

Roof Style: Gable (x) Hip () Shed () Flat () Mansard () Gambrel () Jerkinhead ()
 Saw Tooth () With Monitor () With Bellcast () With Parapet () With False Front ()
 Other:

Number of Stories: 2

Number of Bays: 2x3 Entrance Location: Left

Approximate Dimensions: 13x38

THREAT TO STRUCTURE: No Threat (x) Zoning () Roads () Development () Deterioration () Alteration () Other:	LOCAL ATTITUDES: Positive () Negative () Mixed () Other:
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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

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Good bracketed cornice with sawn elliptical frieze panel, molded caps at windows and transom lit door; later stoop and wrought iron rail.

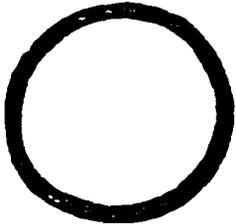
RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

Part of a row of four that is critical to streetscape, marred by siding and later stoop.

REFERENCES:

MAP: (Indicate North in Circle)



SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

Open Lane()Woodland()Scattered Buildings()
Moderately Built Up()Densely Built Up(✓)
Residential()Commercial()
Agricultural()Industrial()
Roadside Strip Development()
Other:

RECORDED BY:

Russell Wright

ORGANIZATION:

Historic Annapolis, Inc

DATE RECORDED:

Aug. 1983

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1. STATE Annapolis, Maryland COUNTY TOWN VICINITY STREET NO. 35,37,39,41 Cathedral St. ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE residences PRESENT OWNER PRESENT USE residences WALL CONSTRUCTION wood 37, mod. shingl. NO. OF STORIES two /others	HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY 2. NAME DATE OR PERIOD Late 19th C. STYLE Victorian ARCHITECT BUILDER 3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE
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4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC **no**

This quartet of small houses sharing party walls is an excellent example of four differently colored houses being unified with a single cornice - a fine Victorian cornice with large brackets and Victorian modillions and unified by four elliptical wood panels beneath (it is, I think, a rare motif) window sash is original as is clapboarding on No 37. Small but nice and relatively unadorned row houses - good of their type and good for street scale.



5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered Interior Exterior **fair**

Some of the original Naval Academy buildings had this motif of the cornice

6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional) 8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.	7. PHOTOGRAPH 9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER William D. Morgan Columbia University New York City DATE OF RECORD June 22, 1967
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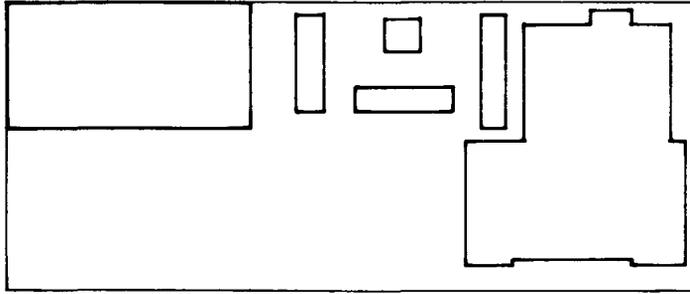
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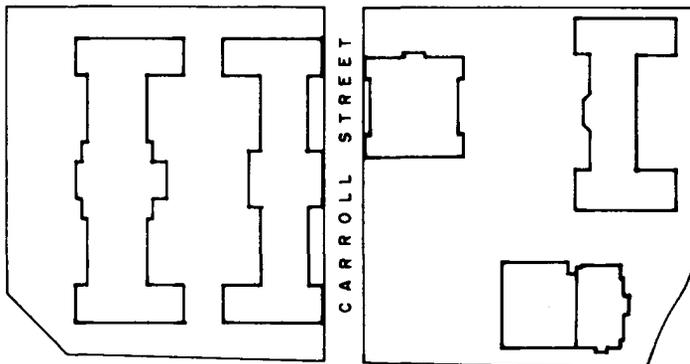
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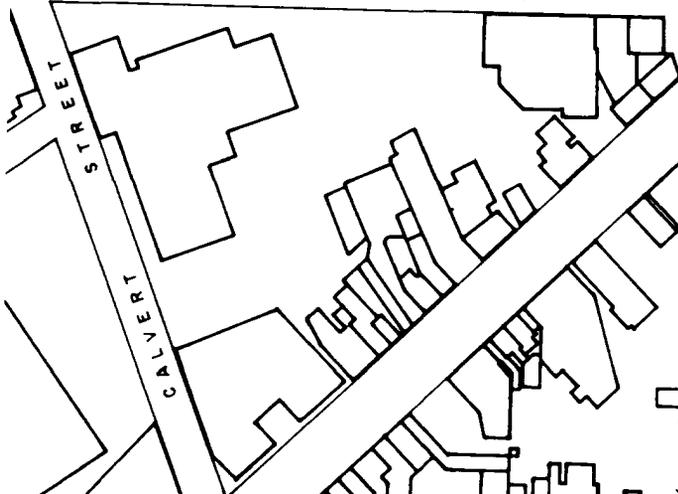


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CARROLL STREET

NORTHWEST STREET



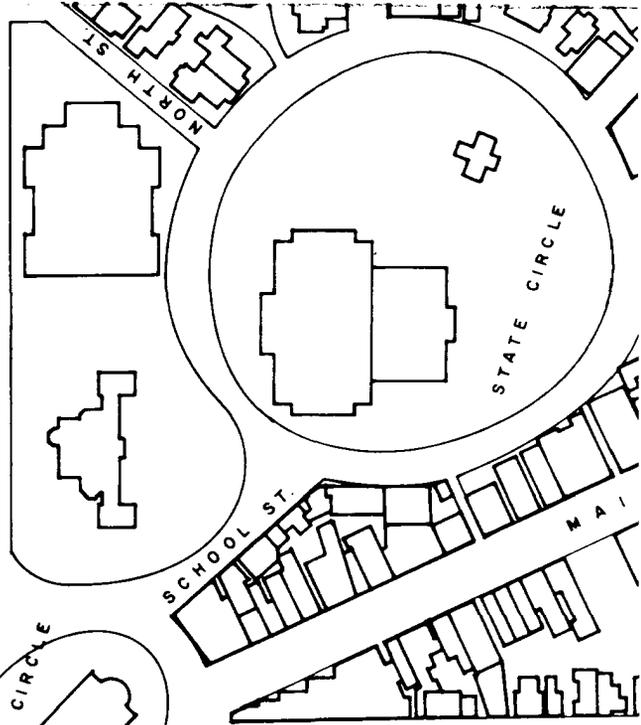
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CATHEDRAL STREET



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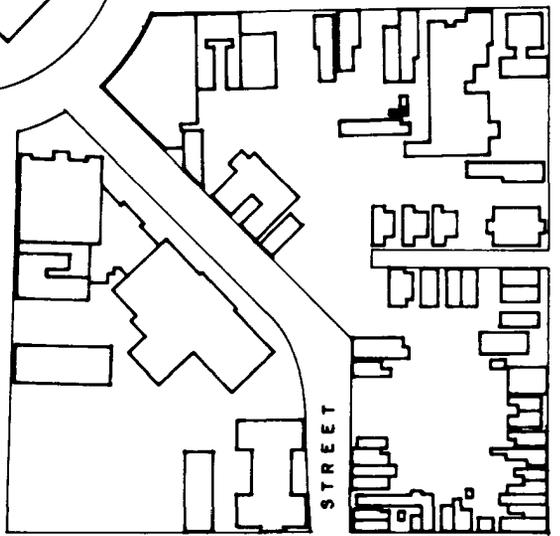
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SCHOOL ST.

STATE CIRCLE

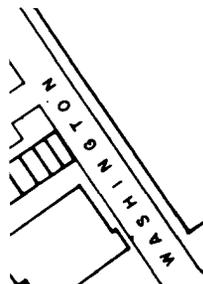
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WEST STREET



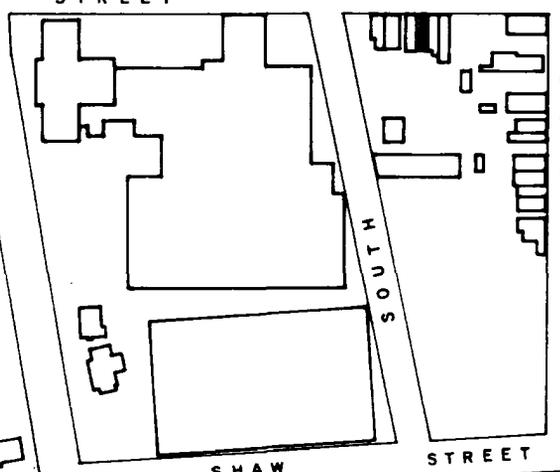
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WATER ST.

CITY GATE LANE

DEAN STREET

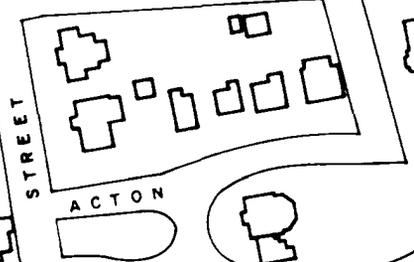
SHAW ST.



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SOUTH STREET

CHARLES STREET



ACTON STREET

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NW Elevation/camera facing SE