

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM**

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE: Maryland	
COUNTY: Anne Arundel	
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE

1. NAME

COMMON:
Sandy Point Farm House

AND/OR HISTORIC:
The Tryall, Scotland, Sandy Point, Bay Side Farm, Pleasant

2. LOCATION Fields, Sandy Point Farm

STREET AND NUMBER:
Sandy Point State Park

CITY OR TOWN:
Sandy Point

STATE: Maryland CODE: 24 COUNTY: Anne Arundel CODE: 003

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered <input type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Park <input type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Comments

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY contact Robt. B. Konkell, Supdt. Sandy Pt. St. Park

OWNER'S NAME:
State of Maryland for Department of Forest and Parks

STREET AND NUMBER:
300 West Preston Street

CITY OR TOWN: Baltimore STATE: Maryland CODE: 24

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:
Anne Arundel County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER:
Church Circle

CITY OR TOWN: Annapolis STATE: Maryland CODE: 24

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:
Maryland Register of Historic Sites & Landmarks

DATE OF SURVEY: 1970 Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
Maryland Historical Trust

STREET AND NUMBER:
94 College Avenue

CITY OR TOWN: Annapolis STATE: Maryland CODE: 24

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Sandy Point Farm House is located in Sandy Point State Park on the east side of the park road approximately one mile south and east of the intersection of that road and U. S. Route 50, westbound. It is about eight miles east of Annapolis, Maryland, just northeast of the Bay Bridge.

Sandy Point Farm House is a five-part brick house laid up in common bond, ninety-six feet long. Single-story hyphens and the two single story wings frame the two-story central block. The tower on the northern facade of the central block has a one-story porch on the north side just above the door. The interior of the tower contains the stairs.

The windows of the farm house are nine over nine. The four dormers, a pair on the north and a pair on the south, have six over six windows.

The gable-ends of the wings which face north-south each has a semi-circular window at attic level.

The roof lines of the wings and of the tower run north-south while the roof lines of the central section and of the hyphens run east-west.

A brick dairy and a brick smokehouse are located on the grounds. An additional outbuilding is timber, framed, two stories tall with two lean-to wings.

On the southern side of the house, which overlooks the Chesapeake Bay, there is a screened porch.

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3. SIGNIFICANCE			
PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian	<input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century
<input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century	
SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) before 1833			
AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Political	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____
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<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation			
STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE			
<p>The Sandy Point Farm House is an excellent example of the residence of a relatively affluent Maryland farmer in the first quarter of the 19th century... The house and outbuildings are worthy of preservation as an example of the country architecture of the 19th century.¹</p> <p>The house also exemplifies several characteristics of Maryland architecture. Its five part plan--one central block with a pair of wings, each connected to the main house by hypphens--occurs often in 18th century southern Maryland architecture. The tower on the northern facade is a feature occasionally found on Maryland 17th century-style buildings, an example being the Statehouse at St. Mary's City. The prototype of the tower lies in English medieval architecture. These two architectural forms, the five-part plan and the tower, are found, although on a more imposing scale, at the William Paca House in Annapolis. The fact that the Sandy Point Farm House was built in an 18th century style in the nineteenth century--making it a "hold-over"--is also typical of Maryland domestic architecture.</p> <p>The owner of the farm at Sandy Point prior to Henry Mayer was John Gibson, a relative by marriage of the mid-18th century Maryland governor, Samuel Ogle; and a business associate of Charles Carroll of Carrollton. Carroll, in fact, held a mortgage on the property during the Gibson ownership. No records have been located to indicate if Gibson maintained (c.1816) a farm at Sandy Point, although he resided elsewhere.² The first clear evidence of the existence of the Sandy Point Farm House appears in the records of settlement of Henry Mayer's estate (1833).³</p> <p>The first-quarter-nineteenth-century farmer who lived at Sandy Point was Henry E. Mayer (-1831). At his death, Mayer left the Farm House, a barn, Negro slave quarters, seventeen slaves, a carriage house, a stable, a wooden granary, and a personal inventory worth \$4,173.90 1/4.⁴ Mayer's executor sold</p>			
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#8. SIGNIFICANCE

the farm to Baptist Mezick in 1833. Mezick and his son Thomas Mezick continued to operate the farm through the middle of the 19th century. They supplemented their income with rents from property they owned in Baltimore City.

The Sandy Point farm continued in operation until 1949, when the State of Maryland purchased the property for a public park. The Department of Forest and Parks has expressed an interest in the preservation of the Sandy Point Farm House.

#9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES continued

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Ridout Papers. Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland.

Footnotes:

- 1 Orin M. Bullock, Jr., FAIA, to Orlando Ridout IV, Director, Maryland Historical Trust, Baltimore, August 20, 1970. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis.
- 2 Gibson Papers #23, Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland.
- 3 Chancery Records #8550, Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland.
- 4 Chancery Papers #8550, Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland. Anne Arundel County Inventories, Liber TTS#2 folio 65, Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland.

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Recorder: Nancy Miller, Historian, Maryland Historical Trust,
94 College Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland 21401 1/71

Orlando Ridout IV, Director, Maryland Historical
Trust, 94 College Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland 21401
8/71

Sources: see continuation sheet

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES				
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE			LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	39°	00'	55"	76°	24'	11"			
NE	39°	01'	00"	76°	24'	00"			
SE	39°	00'	49"	76°	23'	52"			
SW	39°	01'	44"	76°	24'	03"			

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 17.6 acres

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

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:
Mrs. Preston Parish, Keeper of the Maryland Register

ORGANIZATION: Maryland Historical Trust DATE: 8/23/71

STREET AND NUMBER:
94 College Avenue

CITY OR TOWN: Annapolis STATE: Maryland CODE: 24

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665). I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name Orlando Ridout IV
Orlando Ridout IV

Title State Liaison Officer for Maryland

Date August 23, 1971

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date _____

ATTEST:

Keeper of The National Register

Date _____

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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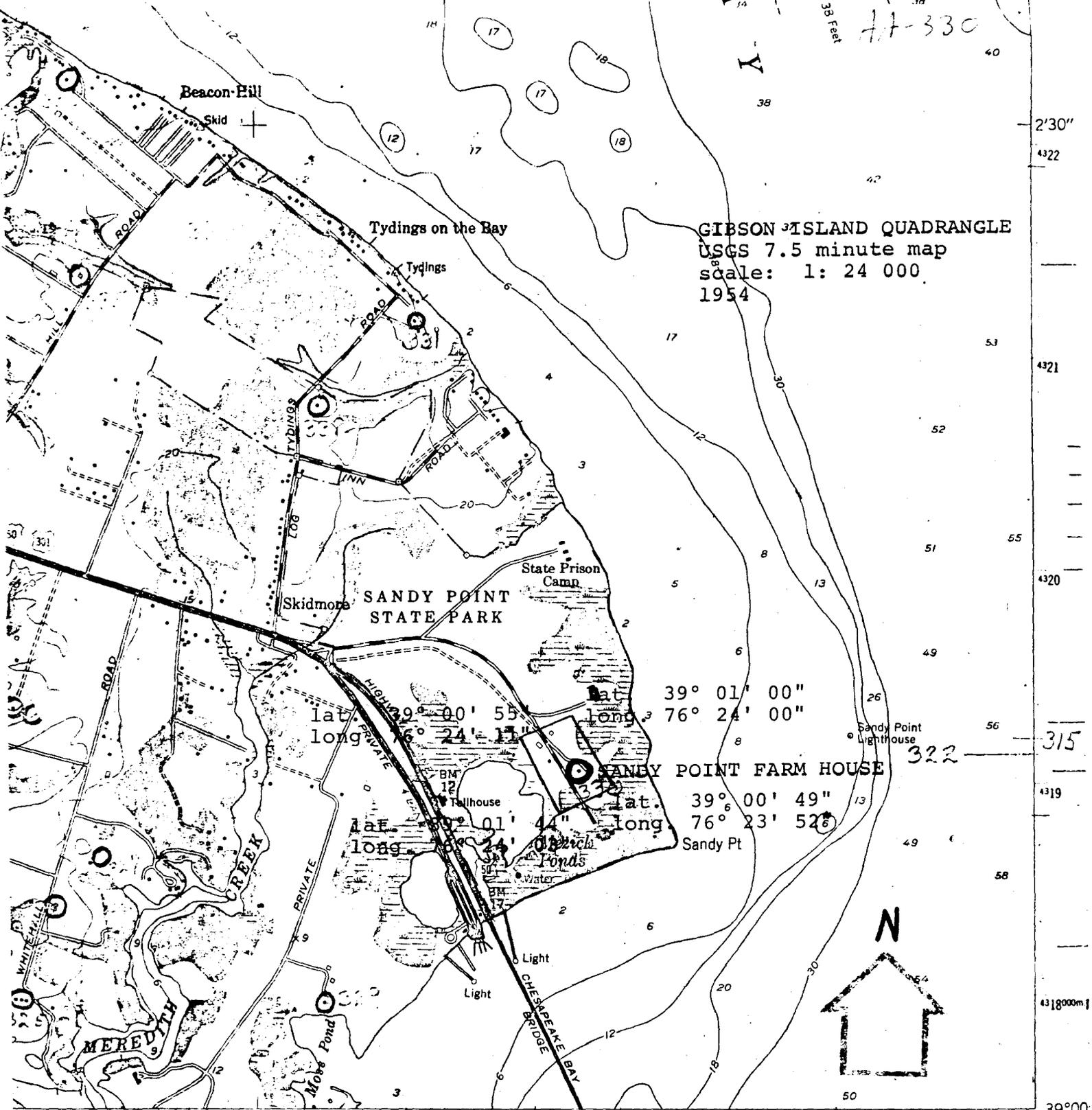
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COMMON: Sandy Point Farm House			
AND/OR HISTORIC: The Tryall, Scotland, Sandy Point, Bay Side Farm.			
2. LOCATION Pleasant Fields, Sandy Point Farm			
STREET AND NUMBER: Sandy Point State Park			
CITY OR TOWN: Sandy Point			
STATE: Maryland	CODE 24	COUNTY: Anne Arundel	CODE 003
3. PHOTO REFERENCE			
PHOTO CREDIT: Orin M. Bullock, Jr.			
DATE OF PHOTO: June 17, 1970			
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4. IDENTIFICATION			
DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. north facade			

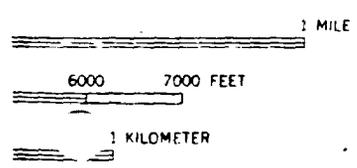


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GIBSON ISLAND QUADRANGLE
 USGS 7.5 minute map
 scale: 1: 24 000
 1954

lat. $39^{\circ} 00' 55''$ long. $76^{\circ} 24' 11''$
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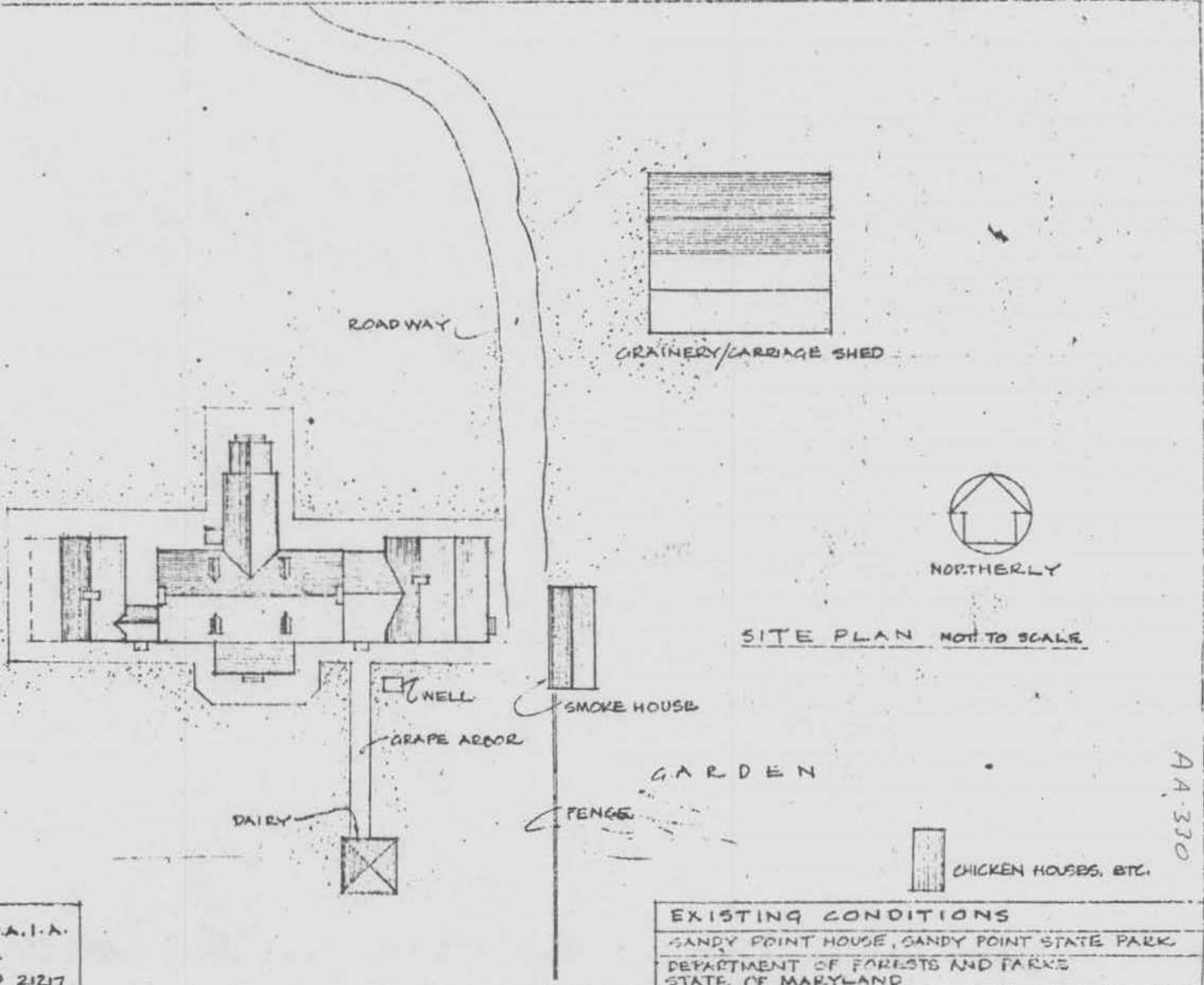


ROAD CLASSIFICATION
1964

Heavy-duty		Light-duty	
Medium-duty		Unimproved dirt	
	U. S. Route		State Route

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 SW/4 NORTH POINT 15' QUADRANGLE
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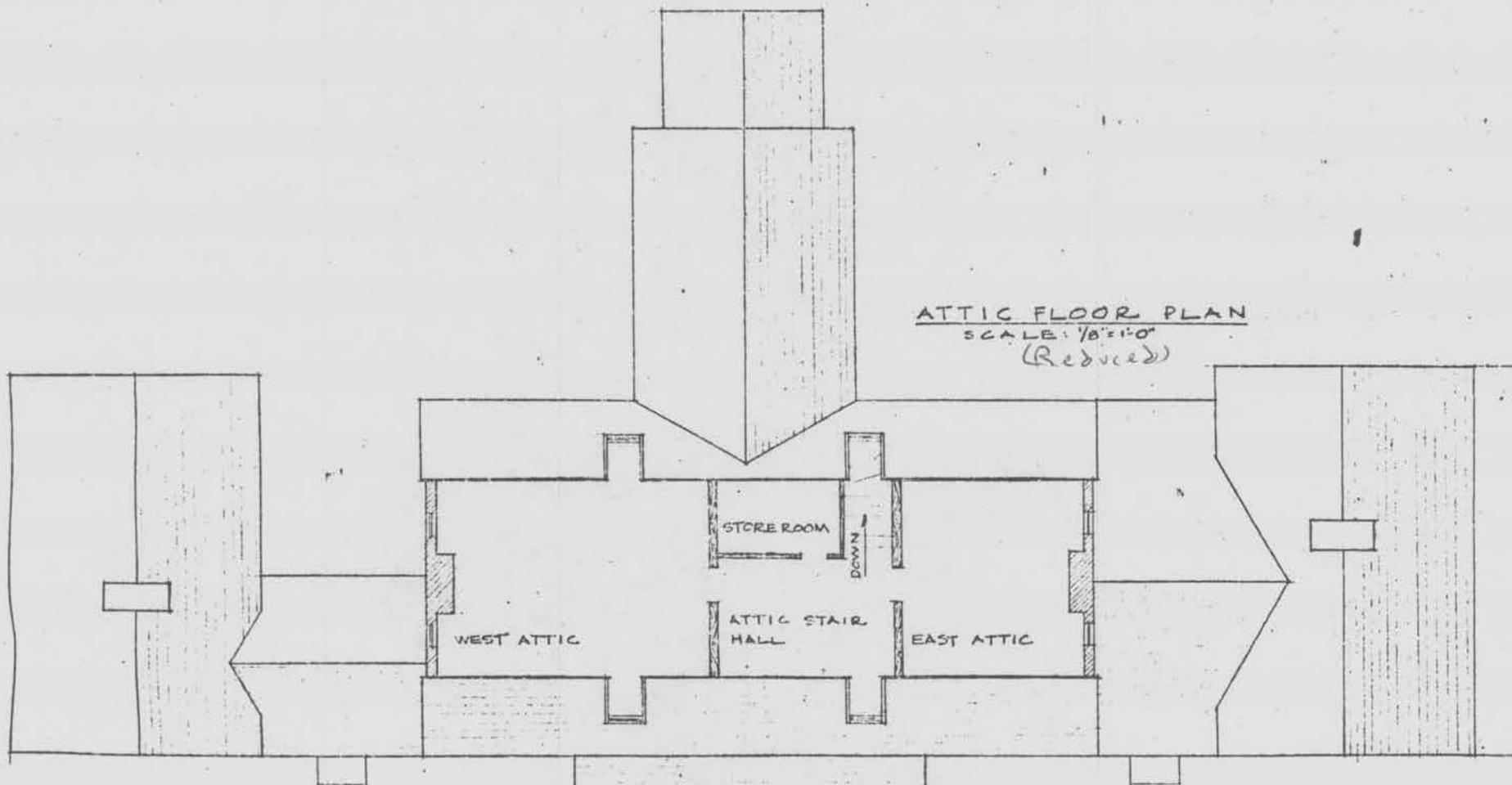


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 ARCHITECT
 1452 JOHN STREET
 BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21217

EXISTING CONDITIONS
 SANDY POINT HOUSE, SANDY POINT STATE PARK
 DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS AND PARKS
 STATE OF MARYLAND

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SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"
(Reduced)

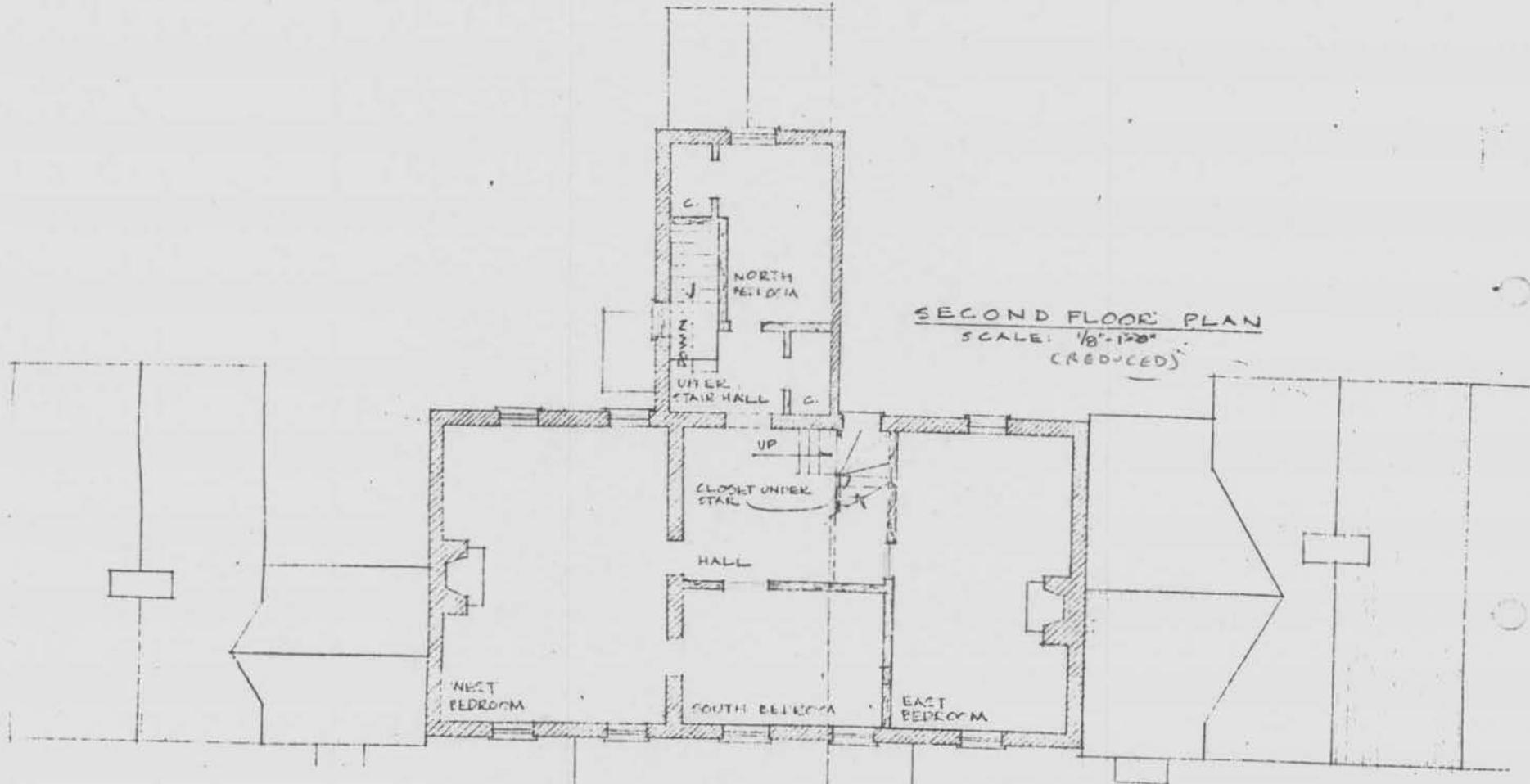


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SECOND FLOOR PLAN
 SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"
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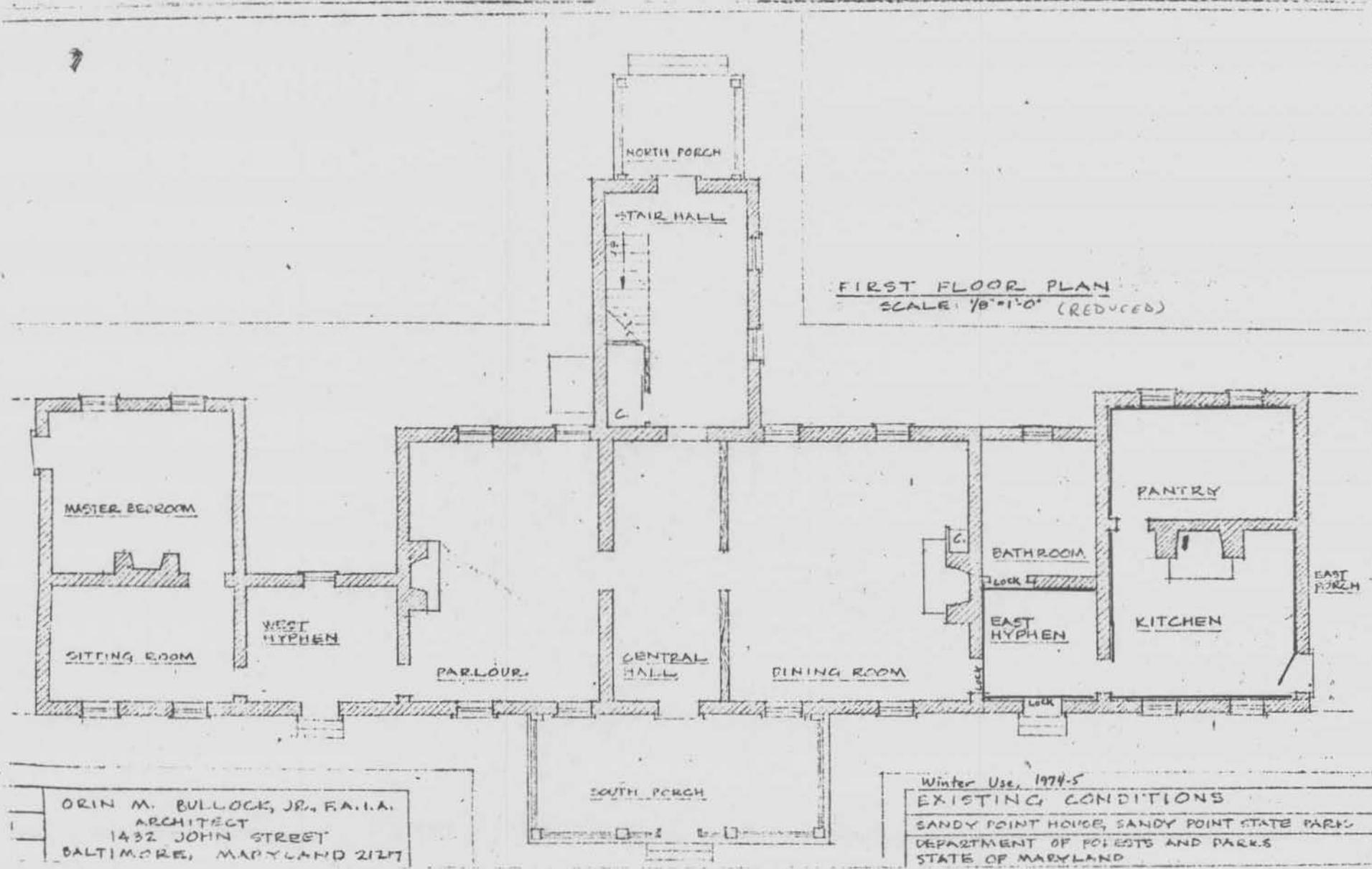


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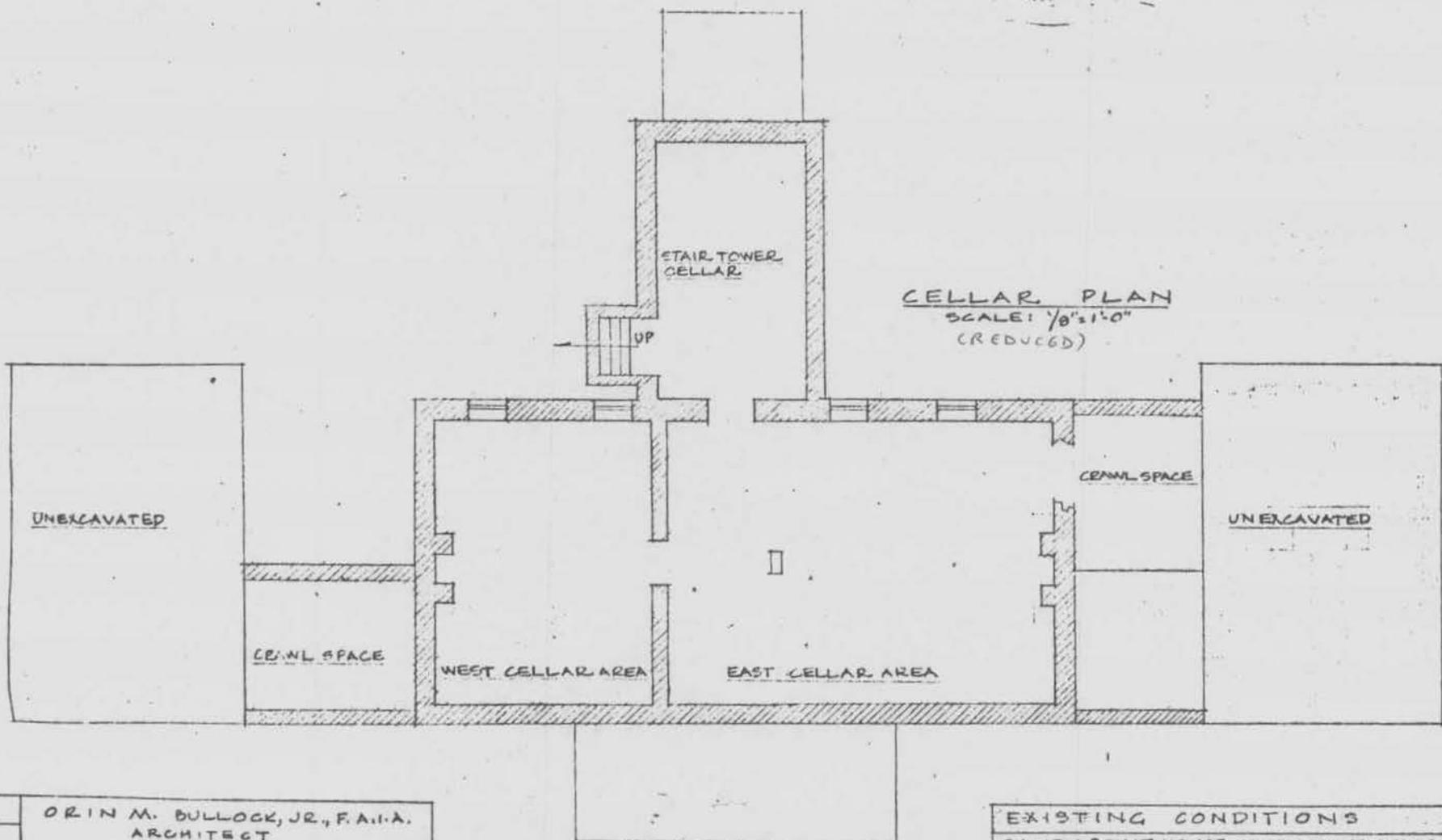
FIRST FLOOR PLAN
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Winter Use, 1974-5
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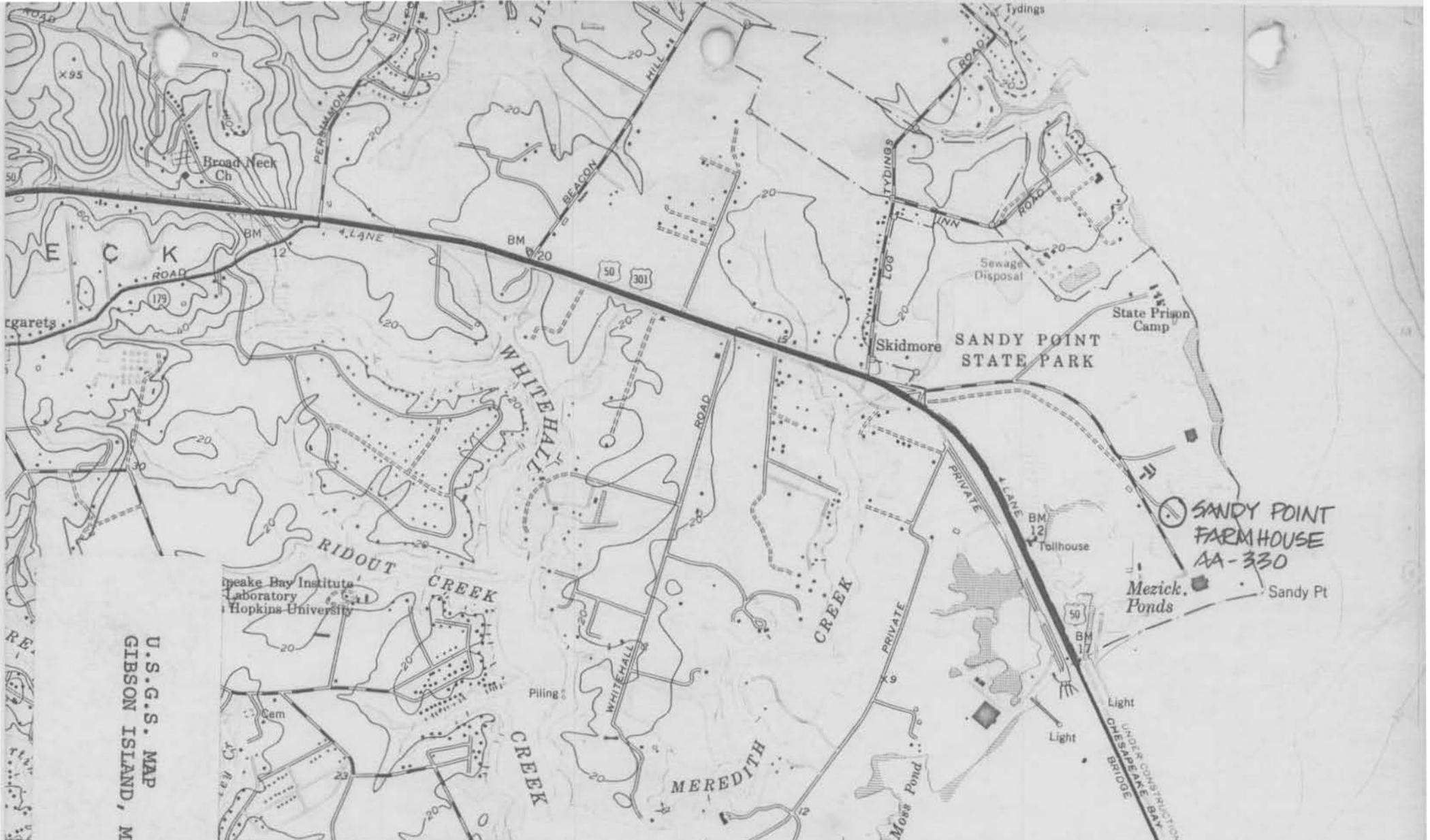
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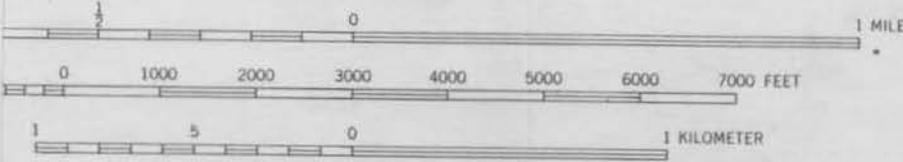
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U.S.G.S. MAP
GIBSON ISLAND, MD.

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SCALE 1:24000



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ROAD CLASS
Heavy-duty ———
Medium-duty - - -
U.S. Route

GIBSON



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Sandy Point Farmhouse
Sandy Point State Park

north facade

J. Hnedak

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Sandy Point Farmhouse, c. 1819
Sandy Point State Park

south facade
John Hnedak

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Sandy Point farm house
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605 THOMAS WAY
SEVERNA PARK, MD.



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