

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER 220 - 224 E. Montgomery St.

CITY, TOWN Baltimore VICINITY OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE Maryland COUNTY

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" 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	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" 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

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN VICINITY OF STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Records Office Room 601

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN Baltimore STATE Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" 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

This group of three story brick houses with shed roofs and a continuous modillion cornice were built by the same builder who had built the earlier group of three story, gable roofed houses at 206-218 Montgomery Street.

The houses are three stories in height, 15' wide, and occupy lots 75' deep. There are no rear additions, but the houses extend back two bays deeper than the neighboring houses. A continuous cornice extends across the group, consisting of a deeply projecting crown molding bordered by a row of egg-and-dart carvings and supported by a row of large, carved modillions. Beneath the modillions there is a plain wooden frieze area decorated by a row of smaller carved modillions and bordered by a row of cut-work scallops. Beneath this there is another deep wooden frieze area decorated with three wide rectangular panels formed by applied molding strips. The entire cornice has survived only on 224 E. Montgomery St. Portions of the lower frieze area are missing on 220 and 222 E. Montgomery St. 222 and 224 share a double rectangular chimney located along the partition wall of the rear gable. The chimneys of 220 E. Montgomery St. are no longer visible. The houses are constructed in running bond, but 222 E. Montgomery St. has been covered with formstone.

At present, none of the original window lintels seem to have survived, although they probably still exist beneath the formstone covering of 222 E. Montgomery. At present, 220 E. Montgomery St. has no lintels (an area two stretchers deep over each window has been painted to resemble a flat wood lintel); and the lintels at 224 E. Montgomery St. are formed by a row of vertically placed stretchers. The sills of both houses are composed of a row of headers. Both lintels and sills are hidden by the formstone covering at 222 E. Montgomery St. The window openings of all of the houses are filled with 1/1 sash. 220 and 224 E. Montgomery have modern six panel doors set beneath single light transoms, bordered by a row of dentil carvings. 222 E. Montgomery has a Mission-style oak door set beneath a single light transom. The houses sit on low basements, the entrances being reached by three marble steps at 220, two wide wood steps at 222, and two brick steps at 224 E. Montgomery. Each house has a rectangular coal opening under one of the first floor windows and stairs running perpendicular to the street leading to a basement door under the other first floor window.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

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

M.E. Hayward / Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust / Struever Bros. & Eccles

DATE

4/79

STREET & NUMBER

1745 Circle Rd.

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Ruxton

STATE

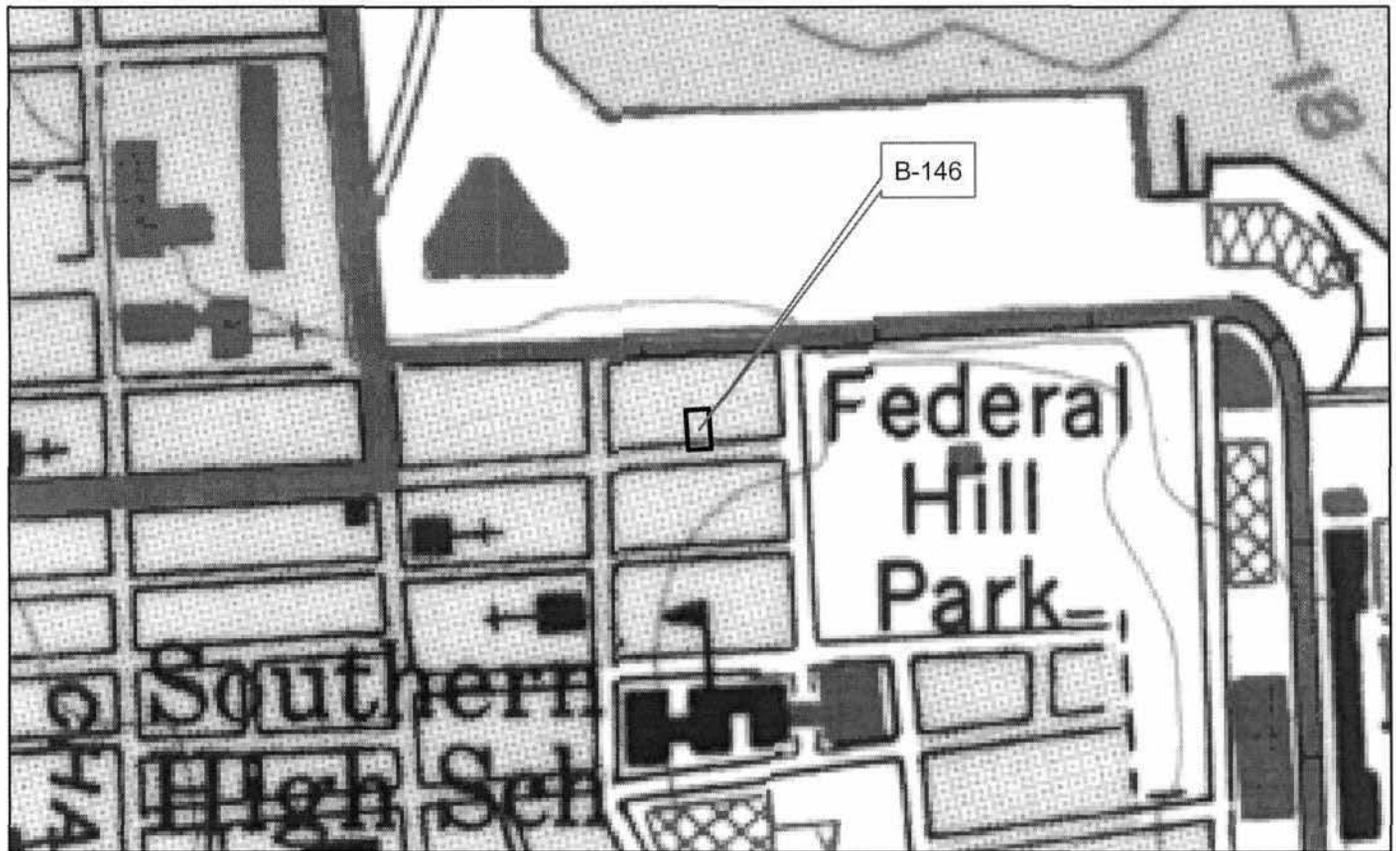
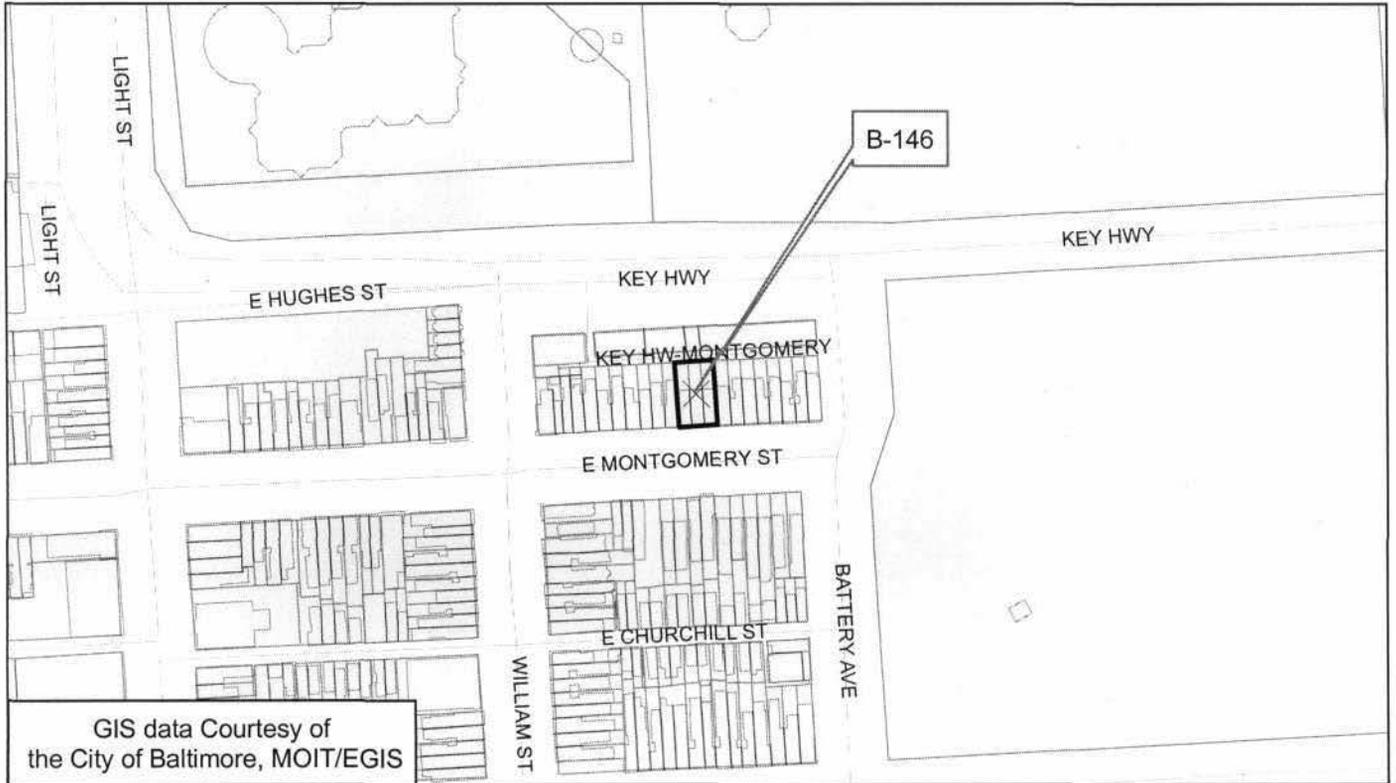
Maryland 21204

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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220-224 E. Montgomery Street
Block 0900 Lots 029-031
Baltimore City
Baltimore East Quad.





B-146 220-224 E. Montgomery St.

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South elevation