

# Maryland Historical Trust Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No. BA-2184

## 1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic Plinlimmon  
other Plinlimmon Farm (preferred)

## 2. Location

street and number 9401 Lyons Mill Road     not for publication  
city, town Owings Mills X vicinity  
county Baltimore County

## 3. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name Ballard Family LLC  
street and number C/O Barbara Spicer, 9515 Deerco Road telephone      
city, town Timonium state MD zip code 21093

## 4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Baltimore County Circuit Court liber 28533 folio 00236  
city, town Towson tax map 0067 tax parcel 0031 tax ID number 0202000300

## 5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Contributing Resource in National Register District  
    Contributing Resource in Local Historic District  
    Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register  
    Determined Ineligible for the National Register/Maryland Register  
    Recorded by HABS/HAER  
    Historic Structure Report or Research Report at MHT  
X Other: Listed on the NRHP May 1983

## 6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function	Resource Count
<u>   </u> district	<u>   </u> public	<u>X</u> agriculture	Contributing
<u>X</u> building(s)	<u>X</u> private	<u>   </u> landscape	<u>   </u> Noncontributing
<u>   </u> structure	<u>   </u> both	<u>   </u> commerce/trade	<u>   </u> buildings
<u>   </u> site		<u>   </u> defense	<u>   </u> sites
<u>   </u> object		<u>X</u> domestic	<u>   </u> structures
		<u>   </u> education	<u>   </u> objects
		<u>   </u> funerary	<u>   </u> Total
		<u>   </u> government	
		<u>   </u> health care	
		<u>   </u> industry	
		<u>   </u> recreation/culture	
		<u>   </u> religion	
		<u>   </u> social	
		<u>   </u> transportation	
		<u>   </u> work in progress	
		<u>   </u> unknown	
		<u>   </u> vacant/not in use	
		<u>   </u> other:	
			<b>Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the Inventory</b>
			<u>   </u> N/A <u>   </u>

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## 7. Description

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### Condition

excellent       deteriorated  
 good             ruins  
 fair               altered

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Prepare both a one paragraph summary and a comprehensive description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

This property was listed on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) on May 18, 1983. It was therefore automatically placed on the Maryland Inventory of Historic Places (MIHP); a MIHP form was not completed for this property at that time. As stipulated in the Ballard Green Planned Unit Development (PUD) Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), finalized in September 2013, this MIHP form serves as an addendum to supplement the NRHP nomination form for BA-2184 and document changes to the house, smokehouse, and stone outbuilding since it was listed on the NRHP. Fieldwork and documentation was completed in October 2013.

### *General Description*

Plinlimmon Farm (BA-2184) is located at 9401 Lyons Mill Road in Owings Mill, Maryland, approximately 1.6 miles (2.5 km) north of Randallstown and 9 miles (14.4 km) northwest of the City of Baltimore. The parcel is bounded on the north by Lyons Mill Road and by agricultural fields on the east, west, and south. Once a single, large parcel, the land has been divided into a 5.094-acre (2.0 ha) tract which includes most of the buildings and a 90-acre (36.4 ha) tract encompassing the surrounding fields. NRHP boundaries for Plinlimmon Farm include approximately 8.5 acres (3.4 ha).

Today, Plinlimmon Farm includes a main house, a smokehouse/meat house, a stone outbuilding, a covered well, and two stone barbeque pits. The main house, smokehouse/meat house, stone outbuilding, well, and barbeque pits are located in a manicured yard area, measuring approximately 29,300 square feet (2,722 sq m). The area is bounded by mature trees on the north, east, and south sides and a driveway on the west side. The dirt driveway is accessible via Lyons Mill Road and extends south approximately 500 feet (152.4 m) before running east along the south side of the main building, and terminating in the area between the smokehouse/meat house and the stone outbuilding.

The main house is a two-and-one-half-story, six-bay vernacular, single-family dwelling of log and frame construction featuring Colonial Revival and Folk Victorian elements. The house has a modified rectangular form and is set on a stone foundation. The smokehouse/meat house is located approximately 74 feet (22.5 m) from the southeast corner of the main house, and about 15 feet (4.5 m) south of the stone outbuilding. The one-story, one-bay stone smokehouse/meat house is situated east-west with the south elevation being the primary façade. The stone outbuilding is one-and-one-half-stories in height with one bay. Like the smokehouse, it is set on a rough-cut fieldstone foundation which also makes up the structural system. The covered well is located between the main house and the stone outbuilding. One stone barbeque pit is located to the east of the main house; the second is located to the north.

A corncrib and a barn were located on the west side of the driveway, approximately 157 feet (47.8 m) and 230 feet (70.1 m) from the main dwelling, respectively. The corncrib was a one-and-one-half stories in height with three bays. It was raised on concrete piers and the frame structural system is clad in horizontal wood boards. In contrast, the one-story, one-bay barn had a stone foundation and was clad in vertical wood boards. The corncrib and barn were disassembled and repurposed on another property in February 2014; they are no longer extant on Plinlimmon Farm.

The garage and chicken houses described in the 1983 NRHP nomination are no longer extant.

The remainder of this section will focus on supplementing and recording changes to the descriptions of the main house, the smokehouse/meat house, and the stone outbuilding at Plinlimmon Farm as outlined in Stipulation #4 of the MOA.

### *The Main House Description*

The main house is a two-and-one-half-story, six-bay, vernacular, single-family dwelling of log and frame construction. It features Colonial Revival and Folk Victorian elements and has a modified rectangular plan. The house is one-room deep and the bays are irregularly spaced, reflecting the building's vernacular origins. The form of the house is oriented north-south and runs perpendicular to Lyons Mill Road with the primary elevation facing west.

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The foundation of the main house is formed of continuous rough-cut fieldstone that has been laid in irregular courses and held in place with mortar. Photos from a 1990s renovation reveal that the house's structural system is a combination of both log and balloon framing.

Log construction is prevalent on the first story, encompassing the entire north and south elevation walls and the southernmost portions of the west and east walls. The log ends are connected using dovetail joints. Meanwhile, balloon framing is present in northern sections of the west and east walls of the first floor. Renovation photos only show the northernmost room (master bedroom) on the second story which is dominated by frame construction. It is probable that frame construction, and not log, is the structural system used on the upper levels of the house. This may indicate that the original building was only one-story in height, with the second floor being a later addition, which is consistent with the archival research.

The exterior of the house is clad in wood novelty siding and painted white with corner boards. Several of the lower boards have been recently (1990s) replaced due to their removal in order to repair and replace damaged logs. The building is covered by a side-gabled roof sheathed in red asphalt shingles. Three chimneys pierce the roofline: a large, exterior-end stone chimney on each of the north and south gables and an interior-ridge, brick chimney with a stone foundation.

The roofline along the west elevation is pierced by three gable dormers adorned with carved wooden scalloping. The dormers were added in the mid-nineteenth century and are filled with six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows. Within the past three decades the dormer walls have had the asphalt shingles removed and now feature novelty siding (based on 1983 photo taken by Simkins for the NRHP nomination). The current primary entrance is located in the third bay from the northern end and was designed in the Colonial Revival style. It is filled by a single-leaf, one-light, one-panel, wood door with a wood screen door. It is flanked by one-light, one-panel sidelights which feature ornamental lead detail. The door is capped by a decorative entablature with medallion detailing. A secondary entry is located in the southernmost bay. It is filled by a single-leaf, six-light, paneled, wood door with a glass-and-metal storm door. It is surrounded by green, louvered shutters and topped with a simple wood panel.

First floor fenestration on the west elevation consists of nine-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows. Windows are flanked by wood louvered shutters held in place with unadorned metal shutter dogs. The northernmost bay window is missing one shutter. It is in the second floor fenestrations that the irregular character of the house is mainly seen. While five out of the six second floor openings are filled by six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows, they are of varying sizes and not evenly spaced. The two northernmost bay windows are noticeably smaller and farther apart than the three southernmost windows which are situated closer together and are adorned with wood louvered shutters with decorative scroll shutter dogs. Other fenestration includes a centrally located, fixed, six-light, wood-framed window with louvered shutters which provides light into the interior stairwell.

An early-twentieth century, one-story, full-width porch extends the length of the west elevation, measuring approximately 60 feet (18.2 m) in length and 9 feet (2.7 m) in depth. The porch also reflects the Colonial Revival style. It has a solid, poured-concrete foundation covered by a wood deck. Eight square, wood, Doric columns support a hipped roof sheathed in red asphalt shingles. Wood railings span the space in between posts except in the third bay from the north side which is open to provide access to the main entry. A set of wood steps with a wooden railing and decorative end cap is located off the south end of the porch.

The east elevation roofline is pierced by three gable dormers, identical to the ones described on the west elevation. A secondary entry is located in the southernmost bay. It is filled by a single-leaf, six-light, paneled, wood door with a glass-and-metal storm door. First floor fenestration resembles those located on the west elevation, although some of the windows do not match up (are not directly opposite) to their west elevation counterpart. They are also all flanked by louvered shutters with unadorned shutter dogs. The second floor features seven irregularly spaced windows of varying sizes. The three southernmost openings are filled with six-over-six,

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double-hung sash, wood-framed windows with louvered shutters and scroll shutter dogs. The four northernmost bays are filled with smaller six-over-six or four-over-four, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows.

A circa-1930s sunroom addition replaced the original east entrance. Measuring about 10.8 feet (3.2 m) in length and 9.9 feet (3.0 m) in depth, the one-story sunroom is set on a poured concrete foundation. Its frame structural system is clad in wood paneling underneath large, one-light windows featuring fake muntins which give the effect of 16 lights. The windows have metal frames. Other fenestration includes a pair of wood-and-glass, French doors covered by a contemporary screen door. The addition is covered by a shed roof sheathed in red asphalt shingles.

A circa-1940, one-story, one-bay, wood portico extends from the southernmost bay on the east elevation. Measuring approximately 6 feet (1.8 m) in length and 5.25 feet (1.6 m) in depth, the portico provides a covered entry area to the secondary entrance. It is raised on wood posts with additional concrete piers to provide extra support. Two wood steps with a metal handrail provide access to the wood deck which is partially enclosed by a wood railing. Square, wood posts support a gable roof sheathed in red asphalt shingles. Ghost lines of a larger portico can be seen in areas surrounding the current portico; however, it is unknown when the larger portico was replaced with this smaller one.

While the north gable end of the dwelling is the plainest, it has an overhanging eave which is decorated with Victorian-period scroll work. It also features a large, exterior-end stone chimney. The original chimney was constructed with rough-cut, uncoursed fieldstone. In the twentieth century the chimney underwent extensive renovation and an extension of the flue was added using coursed stone and a brick foundation. Each flue is topped with a metal chimney cap. The chimney is flanked on either side by four-light, wood-framed casement windows located in the attic.

The south elevation is more complex and was the wall that the one-and-one-half-story log wing was attached (depicted in the 1839 drawing). Physical evidence of the addition's gable roof is still apparent on the west side of the chimney between the first and second levels. Unlike the north elevation roofline, the south elevation roofline is flush with the wall and does not have an overhang or scrollwork. It is dominated by a large, exterior-end, uncoursed, fieldstone chimney. On the first story of the south elevation is a fireplace opening which would have opened into the log wing but has been filled in with brick and concrete. The two six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows on the first floor were added in the early-1940s in order to give more light to the kitchen. Other fenestration includes a six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed window on the second-story level and two four-light, wood, casement windows in the attic.

The interior of the house reflects a domestic occupation that has been renovated and upgraded to fit the needs of the occupants. The house contains two floors of usable living space, a refinished attic, and a cellar. It is completely modernized with electricity and running water. The house's vernacular character is depicted in its informal, unbalanced floor plan. On the first floor there are four original rooms in the main axis of the house plus a fifth sunroom addition added onto the east façade in the 1930s. The four original rooms, starting from the south end of the house are: the kitchen, the dining room, the entry hall, and the living room. They are connected by a series of doors that are in line with each other, near the east side of the building.

The kitchen is located at the south end of the house and is long and narrow in shape, measuring approximately 10.5 feet (3.2 m) in width and 16.7 feet (5.0 m) in depth. The kitchen was renovated most recently in the 1990s. Based on the photos of the renovation from when the wall treatment was removed, it is known that the south, east, and west walls are constructed of logs, and the north elevation is a combination of frame and brick (chimney) construction. Currently, modern drywall covers all four walls including the area where the stone fireplace is located in the southern façade. Evidence of a stove connecting to the north wall, which is adjacent to the interior chimney, can also be seen in the renovation photos. During the renovation, new wood flooring was installed, as well as

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new built-in cabinets and countertops. The east and the west wall of the kitchen each contain a secondary door. While these doors are not directly opposite each other, they are identical. The doorways and windows have simple architrave trim.

The room adjacent to the kitchen is the dining room. It measures about 17.4 feet (5.3 m) in width and 17.1 feet (5.2 m) in depth. The walls are covered in historic plaster and a chair rail and baseboard are present on all four walls. A fireplace (interior chimney) is centrally located along the southern wall. It has a 2.3-foot (0.7-m) buildout and the overmantel has been plastered over. It features a wood mantel with a plain apron and fluted pilasters. A stove is attached to the chimney and sits on the brick hearth. A floor-to-ceiling, built-in china cabinet (circa 1920s–1930s) is located in the southwest corner of the room, directly adjacent to the fireplace. The original door, described in the NRHP nomination, still fills the opening between the kitchen and dining room. Windows are located on the east and west walls, and both windows and doorways are bordered by simple architrave trim. Cosmetic and structural issues are present in this room, including the warped wood flooring and large cracks in the plaster below the chair rail molding. The room has undergone some repair specifically to the ceiling where it appears patching has occurred.

The entry hall is a long, narrow space measuring approximately 10 feet (3.0 m) in width and 18 feet (5.4 m) in depth. The main entry is located along the west façade while the opening to the sunroom is located on the east wall. The walls are covered in historic plaster and the room has a warped wood floor. A paneled staircase is located against the southern wall and leads up to the second floor. The staircase is an open-string stair with simple step end brackets along the outer string. The balusters and hand rail are cylindrical in shape and the newel is most likely original. The small landing is lighted by a fixed, six-light window. A closet is located under the stairs and is accessed via a door located behind the staircase. A simple molded baseboard runs along the walls and the doorways are surrounded by simple architrave trim.

The living room is located at the north end of the house and measures approximately 18.8 feet (5.7 m) in width and 17 feet (5.1 m) in depth. This room was also renovated in the 1990s and the walls are covered in modern dry wall. From the renovation photos it is known that the north wall is constructed of logs while the east and west walls (at least portions of them) are of frame construction. The floors differ from the other rooms on the ground floor and appear to be original, random-width, wood boards. A fireplace is centrally located on the northern wall and features a wood mantel with a plain apron, fluted pilasters, and a stone hearth. It is flanked by floor-to-ceiling, built-in, wood cabinets (circa 1990s). Windows are located on the east and west elevation but are not directly opposite from each other. The sunroom addition extends off the east elevation of the entry hall. It measures 13.7 feet (4.1 m) in width and 9.5 feet (2.8 m) in depth. Windows are located on the north, south, and east walls, with beadboard situated beneath the windows and in the ceiling. French doors are centrally located in the east façade. The room has wood flooring.

The second floor contains three bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a main hallway. The northern one-third of the second floor was remodeled as part of the 1990s renovation, but the southern two-thirds retain most of their historic floor plan layout with the exception of a bathroom (circa 1941) in the southeast corner. A stair hall is located at the top of the main entrance hall. The stairs leading from the first floor are located on the north wall. A boxed-in staircase is located on the south wall and leads to the attic. A hallway runs north-south along the east wall, providing access to the master bedroom (north of the stair hall) and the other rooms (south of the stair hall).

The master bedroom suite is located in the northern one-third of the second floor, adjacent to the stair hall. It was reconfigured within the past three decades and contains a large open space, a walk-in closet, a built-in closet, and a bathroom. The walls are covered in contemporary dry wall. Hardwood flooring extends from the stair hall down the hallway into the master bedroom; however, the main bedroom area is covered in carpet. Simple chair rail molding and baseboards are present throughout the room. A fireplace featuring a stone hearth and wood mantle is centrally situated along the north wall. Windows are located on the east and west elevations. A full bathroom is located in the southwest corner of the room and contains a contemporary toilet, sink, and tub, as well as a washer and dryer.

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Located directly south of the stair hall is a bedroom measuring 12.9 feet (3.9 m) in width and 14.9 feet (4.5 m) in depth. Two windows are located on the west wall and the door leading to the hallway is located on the east wall. A built-in closet is located in the southwest corner of the room. The room has wood floors and the walls are covered in plaster that has been painted pink.

A third bedroom is located directly over the kitchen unit. It is approximately 11.0 feet (3.3 m) wide and 12.5 feet (3.8 m) deep. It used to be the entire depth of the house before a full bathroom was added to the southeast corner in 1941. The room contains a small built-in closet on the north wall, windows on the south and west elevations, and a fireplace on the south wall. The fireplace features a simple wood mantel with pilasters and a brick hearth which is flush with the wood floor. The plastered walls are painted green and the baseboards and chair rail molding are both painted teal. The bathroom has a tile floor and a modern toilet, tub/shower, and sink. The attic contains four separate renovated spaces. The northernmost room has been recently remodeled and the walls are covered in dry wall. The other three rooms have been finished with plaster over horse-hair lath. The wood floor is warped, especially in the central-south room. The interior chimney protrudes through the floor near the southern wall in the central-south room; it has been parged with cement and then plastered over (the plaster is cracking and falling off).

The basement is accessed from the outside via metal bulkhead doors along the east elevation of the dwelling, between the sunroom and portico. It measures approximately 43.1 feet (13.1 m) wide and 14.7 feet (4.4 m) in depth and it is only located under the dining room, entry hall, and living room area. The basement has poured concrete stairs and contains one large open area. It has a dirt floor and the walls are made up of the stone foundation which is visible on the exterior. The stone base of the interior chimney is centrally situated on the south wall. The first-story floor joists are visible; some have been replaced overtime while others may be original to the house. The area contains the house's electrical and other utility equipment. The basement is mainly used as a storage area; louvered shutters that are no longer on the house are stored here. The only light comes from a single light bulb and sunlight from cracks in the stone and mortar.

The attic has been partially refinished and is in fair condition. The northernmost chamber has been completed most recently and the walls are covered in drywall with outlets scattered throughout the room. Meanwhile, the other three rooms are in various states of being finished. While the walls are covered in plaster, a few holes reveal that horsehair plaster and lath were used in its construction. The plaster around and on the interior chimney is in fair condition, with large pieces having recently fallen off. Water damage can be seen below the replacement windows in the southern wall. The flooring in all chambers is unfinished and in fair condition.

Generally the main house is in good condition. The stone foundation has some gaps and openings, allowing excess water, animals, etc., into the space. This could lead to concerns about structural integrity of the stone, mortar, and wood in the basement (posts, joists, etc.) that could suffer from extended moisture exposure and eventually deteriorate. The access points for animals, including rodents, could lead to health concerns. The novelty siding, covering a majority of the house, is in respectable condition. Some boards are newer than others due to their replacement upon the removal of some damaged logs. The windows are all intact. The shutters are in fair condition, with some having missing pieces or are absent from the exterior of the house all together (stored in the basement). All three chimneys seem to be in respectable condition, although they have each had modifications performed over time—the south elevation chimney has had an exterior opening infilled with brick and stone pieces; a second flue was added to the northern end chimney; and the interior chimney has been enveloped in contemporary brick within the past 30 years (based on 1983 photo taken by Simkins for the NRHP nomination).

The first floor interior of the main house is in fair condition having had several renovations conducted in the kitchen and living room areas, most recently in the 1990s. Most of the historic integrity remains in the dining room and entry hall. However, the wood floor is considerably warped. This could be due to moisture damage from the unfinished basement. The wood floor in the living room, while not necessarily level, still retains the random-width wood boards that are possibly original to the house. Several patches in the ceiling indicate that the house may have experienced water damage and repair work as a result. This patchwork could have also been

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completed as part of the renovation, for wiring and plumbing purposes. The dining room has large cracks in the historic plaster, possibly indicating structural issues. The wood trim in all the rooms appears to be intact and aside from a few replacement balustrades is in good condition. The second floor interior has also undergone at least two renovations in the north and south rooms of the house: one in 1941 (described in the NRHP nomination) and one in the 1990s. The flooring is in good condition, as is the wall coverings and wood trim.

### *Smokehouse/Meat House Description*

A one-story, one-bay smokehouse/meat house is located southeast of the main house and runs east-west with the south side being the primary façade. It measures approximately 12 feet (3.6 m) in length and 8 feet (2.4 m) in depth and is set on a rough-cut stone foundation that continues to encompass the entire structural system. The stone is laid in irregular courses held together with mortar. Some of the mortar has been repointed in recent years.

The roof is not original—the building is covered by a side-gabled roof sheathed in plywood with asphalt shingles and features overhanging eaves. The only opening to the building is located on the primary elevation and is filled by a single-leaf, wood door with a circular-sawn wood frame. The one-room interior has a dirt floor, and circular-sawn wood beams traverse the space at varying levels, providing hooks to hang meat on. The interior sides of the stone walls have been parged with concrete.

Overall the smokehouse/meat house is in good condition. The stone has few, if any, cracks in the mortar due to recent repointing. The roof and wood beams also appear to be in respectable condition with no visible areas of deterioration. The greatest threat to this resource is neglect and overgrown vegetation. The north and west elevations are covered in ivy and other foliage, which overtime could cause damage to the stone and mortar.

### *Stone Outbuilding Description*

The one-and-one-half-story, one-bay stone outbuilding is located southeast of the main house. It measures approximately 31 feet (9.4 m) in length and 16 feet (4.8 m) in depth. The building is set on a rough-cut fieldstone foundation which also makes up the structural system. The stone is laid in irregular courses held together with mortar. It is covered by a side-gabled roof sheathed in asphalt shingles featuring overhanging eaves. It is most likely not original to the building. An interior-slope, brick chimney with metal flashing pierces the roofline.

Fenestration includes two entries—one on the north elevation and one on the west elevation. The main entrance is centrally located on the north elevation and is filled with double-leaf, one-light, two-paneled wood doors which are covered by wood screen doors. Access to this entrance is provided by a set of stone steps with no landing. The secondary entrance provides admittance to the basement and is accessed via poured concrete steps lined on either side by stone retaining walls which have been parged with concrete. It is filled by a single-leaf wood door. Other fenestration includes a fixed, wood-framed window covered by louvered wood shutters on the north elevation and a six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed window on the west elevation. Louvered shutters, attached with modern screws, frame the window. The south gable-end has only a small vent window.

A one-story, two-bay addition extends from the east elevation. The addition is set on a concrete-block foundation and has a frame structural system clad in weatherboard with cornerboards. It is covered by a shed roof sheathed in tar paper. A secondary entry is located in the northernmost bay on the east elevation and is filled with a single-leaf, four-light, two-paneled wood door. A wood screen door is also present. Other fenestration includes six-over-six, double-hung sash, wood-framed windows. The window on the south elevation is noticeably smaller than the other windows. Louvered wood shutters held back by decorative shutter dogs are only

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located on the north elevation. A one-bay wood deck extends from the east elevation. It has a concrete-block pier foundation and two turned, wood posts support a shed roof sheathed in tar paper.

While the garage itself is no longer extant, proof of its existence can still be seen where it used to attach to the stone outbuilding's south elevation. Holes in the stone that have been filled with smaller rubble pieces and tar and asphalt residue speckle the wall. New mortar and concrete patching has also been completed. In addition, the concrete foundation of the garage still extends south from the southeast corner of the original stone outbuilding.

The one-room interior of the original stone outbuilding reflects a domestic occupation that has been renovated and upgraded to fit the needs of the owners, including modernizing the entire space with electricity and running water. The walls have been plastered and the floors are covered in hard wood. Original, hand-hewn wood beams, measuring about 6 inches (40 cm) in diameter, run east-west along the ceiling. The space between the beams has been filled in and plastered. A kitchenette set, with refrigerator, oven/stove, and sink is located in the northeast corner of the room. Wood built-in cabinets offer limited storage space in the southeast corner of the room and are diagonally located from the fireplace (situated in the northwest corner). The fireplace is approximately 6 feet (1.8 m) in length with a 2.9 feet (0.8 m) buildout. It is constructed of painted brick and has a stone surround. A terracotta tile hearth is flush with the rest of the floor.

A centrally located doorway in the east elevation provides access to a set of three stairs that lead down into the rear addition. The addition is composed of a large open space with a built-in closet along the southern wall and a bathroom in the southwest corner. The main room has a new wood floor and all walls are covered in drywall and paint. The small bathroom has a laminate floor designed to look like tiles and contains a contemporary toilet, sink, and shower. The secondary entry is located on the east wall and leads out to the wood deck.

The basement is located directly below the original portion of the stone outbuilding and can only be accessed from the outside via the secondary entry located on the west elevation. It is one open room and the floor is covered in brick laid in a decorative pattern. Original, hand-hewn beams (also approximately 6 inches [40 cm] in diameter) run the length of the ceiling, supporting the main floor. A low concrete bench averaging 2.3 feet (0.7 m) in depth runs along the perimeter of the room. The base of the chimney has been reinforced with concrete blocks. The basement houses the electrical and water units associated with the building.

Generally the original stone outbuilding is in good condition. The renovation in 1941 made the space livable and therefore a lot of rehabilitation work may not be required. The stone has few, if any, cracks in the mortar due to recent repointing. However, the area where the garage was attached to the south elevation is in fair condition as openings have been filled with rubble and pieces of wood. Pieces of asphalt are still visible on the side of the building. The roof and wood beams appear to be in good condition with no visible areas of deterioration. The gutters are a newer addition to the building having been attached with contemporary screws. The greatest threat to this resource is vegetation, especially ivy, which overtime can cause damage to the stone and mortar. On the east elevation the vegetation has become so prolific that it appears that one of the shutters has had to be removed either because it was damaged by the foliage or to protect it from the flora. The interior remains in respectable condition. The basement steps are slowly being taken over by vegetation and are in fair condition. The 1941 addition is also in good condition, with contemporary flooring and drywall.

## 8. Significance

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**Specific dates** unknown **Architect/Builder** unknown

**Construction dates** circa 1823-1839

Evaluation for:

National Register

Maryland Register

not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

### *Statement of Significance*

Plinlimmon Farm (BA-2184) was listed on the NRHP on May 18, 1983 under Criterion C “as an example of the type of residence constructed in the early 19th century and maintained to the present by prosperous middle-class farmers in rural north-central Maryland” (Simkins 1983:9). Original character-defining features, such as its form, massing, and irregular fenestration are “readily apparent despite a series of exterior alterations, which reflect the changing tastes of successive owners of the property during 150 years of continual use as the seat of a working farm” (Simkins 1983:9). The outbuildings associated with the property are representative of several types of outbuildings found on a nineteenth-century farm; particularly characteristic are the stone building, the smokehouse/meat house, and the corn house. “Taken as a whole, all of the buildings of Plinlimmon farm are important elements of a working farmstead” (Simkins 1983:13).

Within recent decades, the area surrounding Plinlimmon Farm has undergone enormous growth and development, which has included the construction of modern buildings, apartments, town houses, commercial buildings, etc. Since its construction in the early-nineteenth century, existing buildings on the farm property have undergone modernization and additions to fit the needs of the owners. Recently renovated in the 1990s, the main house has endured and still maintains many of its character-defining qualities that were mentioned in the NRHP nomination. These include exterior wall coverings and treatments, window placement, and chimney location, as well as massing and form. Interior features are still present in all of the rooms, although several chambers have had their historic fabric removed or replaced, thus diminishing their historic integrity. While the garage, two chicken houses, corncrib, and barn are no longer extant, the rest of the outbuildings recorded in the 1983 NRHP nomination are still present. These include the stone outbuilding, and the smokehouse/meat house. A well and two barbeque pits are also located on the parcel and are associated with the house. It is unknown whether they are new additions to the property or if they were just overlooked in the original nomination. While the house is currently vacant, the fields are still in use. Overall, Plinlimmon Farm continues to maintain its significance as a vernacular farmstead developed in the early-nineteenth century in Maryland.

### *Historical Background and Context*

Originally, Plinlimmon Farm was situated on a tract of land encompassing 100 acres (40.4 ha) called “Caroline Forest” patented by Colonel William Hammond in 1744 (Simkins 1983). In 1754, Colonial Hammond’s widow, Sarah, sold the property to Alexander Lawson (Baltimore County Deed Book [BCDB] BB:187). Lawson sold the property five years later to Captain Alexander Wells (BCDB H:1759). Born in 1726 to James Wells and Ann Thornborough, in Baltimore, Maryland, Alexander Wells married Leah Owings in 1753 (Maryland Marriage Records 1753). Wells “played an active role in the Owings Mills area, serving as the captain of the Soldiers Delight Battalion during the 1760s and the Revolutionary War” (Simkins 1983:9). He expanded the tract of land with the acquisition of the “Addition to Caroline Forest” tract (1.25 acres [0.5 ha]) and “Wells Dividend” tract (99 acres [40 ha]) (BCDB V:28). In 1784, Wells sold the 200.25 acres (81.0 ha) to Josias Pennington for 1,000 pounds of Maryland currency (BCDB V:28).

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In 1797, Pennington sold the property to John Pindall (BCDB 53:272). It is under Pindall's ownership that the first archival evidence of buildings and land use of the property are recorded. In the 1798 Tax Assessment, Pindall is recorded as the owner and occupant of the then 209-acre (84.5 ha) Caroline Forest tract which included four buildings: a one-story log dwelling house, 30 feet by 18 feet (9.1 m x 8.4 m); a one-story log kitchen, 20 feet by 16 feet (6.0 m x 4.8 m); a one-story log smokehouse, 12 feet by 10 feet (3.6 m x 3.0 m); and a log poultry house, 16 feet by 14 feet (4.8 m x 4.2 m) (Federal Direct Tax 1798). In total the property value was \$110 (Federal Direct Tax 1798). Additionally, in 1810, Pindall owned 10 slaves (United States Census Records [U.S. Census] 1810). By 1818, improvements to the property were valued at \$125 but no further construction details are provided (Assessment Record 1818). This was a high valuation as the average improvement recorded on the 1818 assessment for the district averages \$25 to \$50. This suggests that Pindall was most likely very affluent.

At the time of Pindall's death, the size of the farm had expanded to 243 acres (98.3 ha)—a size that remained consistent for the next 100 years. A deed in 1820 between William Keyser and his wife, Elizabeth (formerly Elizabeth Fort, the niece and devisee of John Pindall), and Dr. John Owen transferred the tract out of the Pindall family (BCDB 158:458). Dr. Owen, a consulting physician at Baltimore Hospital, purchased the tract for \$7,270 (BCDB 158:458; Maryland Gazette 1818). The Owen family was of Welsh descent and "family records tell that the family named the property after a Welsh mountain, Plynlimmon" (Simkins 1983:10). Prior to buying the parcel, Dr. Owen graduated from St. John's College in Annapolis and was a surgeon in the 5th Regiment State Militia in Baltimore County (Maryland Gazette 1807:2; Simkins 1983:10). A man of means, Dr. Owen owned 12 slaves, several livestock, and a "carriage of pleasure" (Assessment Record 1818, 1823). In 1823 the value of improvements to the property had decreased to \$100 suggesting that either no further improvements were made, the buildings were considered in fair condition by the assessor or they were possibly leased.

In 1824 Dr. Owen died an unmarried man, leaving Plinlimmon Farm to his bachelor brother, Richard H. Owen (Simkins 1983:11).

Richard was the librarian for the Baltimore Library Company from 1813–1858. The library, founded in 1796, was the first and only library in Baltimore for several years. It was a private corporation headed by prominent Baltimore cultural figures (Simkins 1983:11).

Richard lived at Plinlimmon with his two sisters and two nephews, James and Richard Maynard (Simkins 1983:11). An 1839 sketch of the main house at Plinlimmon during Richard's ownership shows that it was fully constructed and closely resembled the building as it is today. In 1850 the U.S. Census documents Richard as a farmer with his real estate valuing \$10,000. Given the immense increase in value, it is possible that the house attained its current configuration during Richard's ownership between 1823 and 1839.

In 1854, Richard sold the farmstead to his eldest nephew, Dr. James Maynard for \$10,000 (BCDB 10:436). Five years later, Dr. Maynard sold Plinlimmon Farm to his younger brother, Richard for \$8,000 and moved into his nearby Grey Rock estate (BCDB 28:126; Simkins 1983:11). It is unknown why the price was reduced but it may be because it was sold between family members. However, "at his death in 1861, James Maynard left his nearby Grey Rock estate to his brother Richard" and for the next three years Richard rented out Plinlimmon Farm (Simkins 1983:11).

In the midst of the Civil War, Richard sold the farm to widow Dorothy Bremker, a Prussian émigré from Pennsylvania, in 1864 for \$20,000 (BCDB 42:159; U.S. Census 1870). The drastic increase in price is most likely the result of inflation caused by the war. According to U.S. Census records, Bremker lived at Plinlimmon with her daughter, Laura Pick, her son-in-law, Edward, and their eight children (U.S. Census 1870). Edward was a farmer who managed the land with the help of his three eldest sons (U.S. Census 1870). In 1870 the family's real estate was valued at \$13,000 and their personal property was \$1,032 (U.S. Census 1870). Later the 1876 tax assessment records Bremker's property as being improved by a "large log weather boarded dwelling" assessed at \$1,500, a stone barn (\$500), a cornhouse (\$100), and a wagon house (\$100) (Tax Assessment 1876).

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After Bremker's death, her heirs sold the property to Daniel Schwartz and his wife, Anna Catherine, for \$20,000 in 1882 (BCDB 132:264). According to the 1983 nomination, for the next 10 years it was a rental farm property (Simkins 1983:11). This might explain why very little census data places a Daniel Schwartz in the area during his tenure of Plinlimmon. If he was renting out the farmland he would not necessarily be living in the vicinity. The closest result is in the 1880 U.S. Census which places a German émigré, Daniel Schwartz and his wife, Annie C., in Baltimore City where he is a bread baker (U.S. Census 1880).

In 1890, the property sold for \$7,650 to John Henry Schnepfe and his wife, Anna Christiana (BCDB 178:483). Schnepfe was born in Germany in 1839 and immigrated to the United States in 1854 (U.S. Passport Applications 1890). He was later naturalized as a U.S. citizen in 1860 (U.S. Passport Applications 1890). In the late 1870s, being "retired from business," he applied for a U.S. passport to travel abroad with his wife and three minor children for 12 months; he was issued one in 1890, and in 1891, the Schnepfe family sold Plinlimmon to Christopher Miller for \$9,000 (BCDB 187:328; U.S. Passport Application 1890).

Christopher Miller and "his two bachelor sons operated a dairy business on the outskirts of Baltimore City during the 1890s" (Simkins 1983:12). In 1896, he sold his sons the farm for \$935 (BCDB 220:138). At the time, the farm was assessed for 246 acres (99.5 ha): "ninety acres lay on the south side of Lyons Mill Road (the original Caroline Forest tract section) and 156 acres lay on the north side of the road" (Simkins 1983:12). By 1916 and 1923 the house was valued at \$1,000 (Tax Assessment).

The 1923 deed differentiates between the 5.77-acre (2.3-ha) tract that the house and outbuildings are situated on and the 90 acres (36.4 ha) lying south of Lyons Mill Road that surround it. Both tracts were sold to brothers Peter and Irvin Moran after being in the Miller family for a little over 30 years (BCDB 572:76). The brothers later became tenants in common with their widowed sister, Elisabeth Osborn (BCDB 1022:197). In 1940, all three Moran siblings are recorded as living at Plinlimmon Farm and Irvin (the youngest at age 52) is a farm laborer (U.S. Census 1940).

The Moran family sold both tracts of land to Wilson T. Ballard and his wife, Susan Catherine Ballard, in 1941 (BCDB 1163:277). After her husband's death in 1968, Susan gave the approximately 5-acre (2.0-ha) house tract to her son Wilson T. Ballard, Jr. and his wife, Cynthia W. Ballard (BCDB 5266:698). The property remained in the Ballard family, when in 1993 they sold the property for \$195,000 to Benjamin W. Ballard (BCDB 10012:617). In 2009, Benjamin Ballard sold the property to the Ballard Family, LLC for development (BCDB 28533:236).

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## 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 8.5 acres  
Acreage of historical setting 243 acres  
Quadrangle name Reisterstown Quadrangle scale: 1:24,000

### Verbal boundary description and justification

As described in the original NRHP nomination :

“The boundaries of the nominated property were selected to encompass the house and its outbuildings in their immediate setting, and to retain the historic approach from Lyons Mill Road.”

See the original nomination for additional boundary details and maps.

## 11. Form Prepared by

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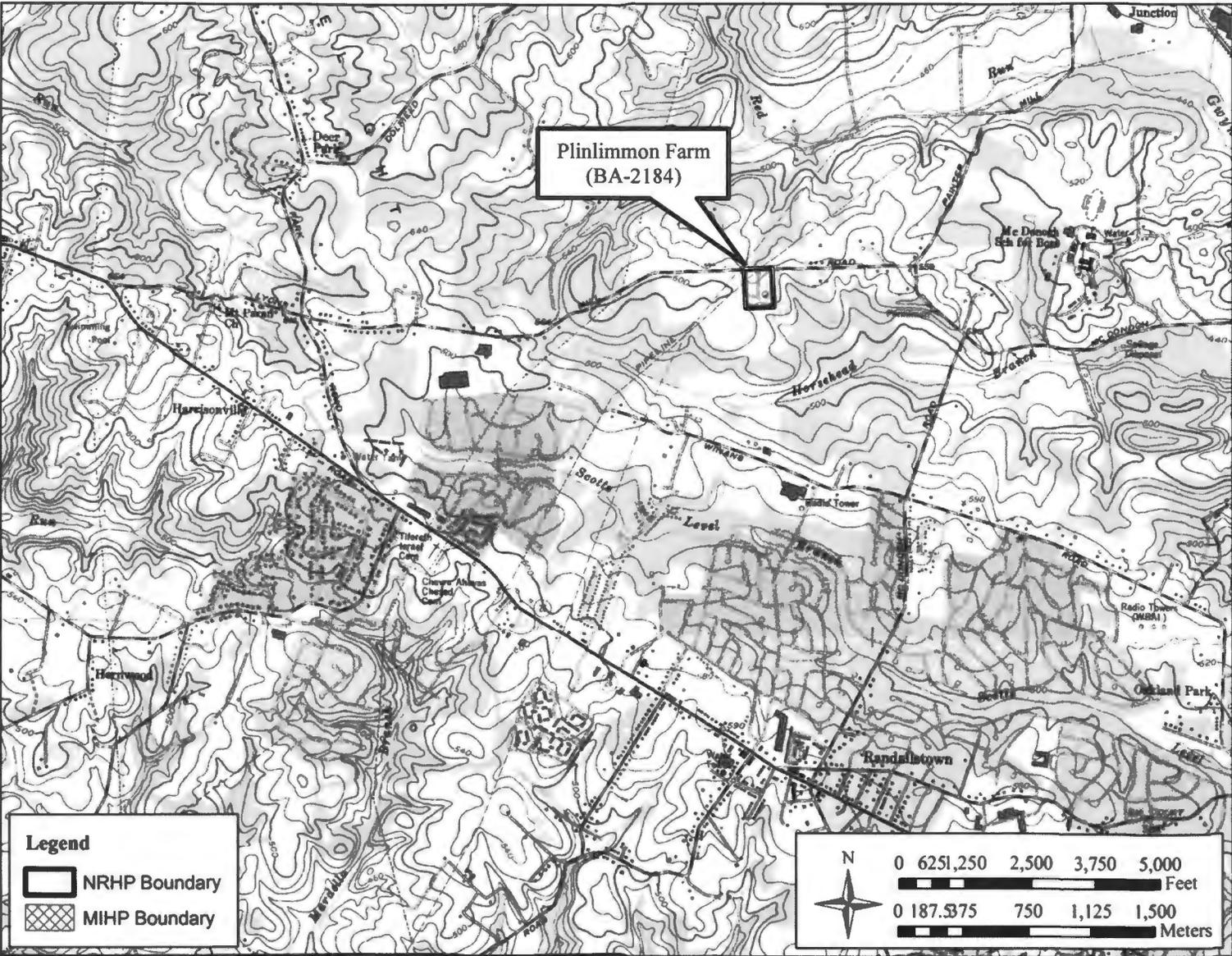
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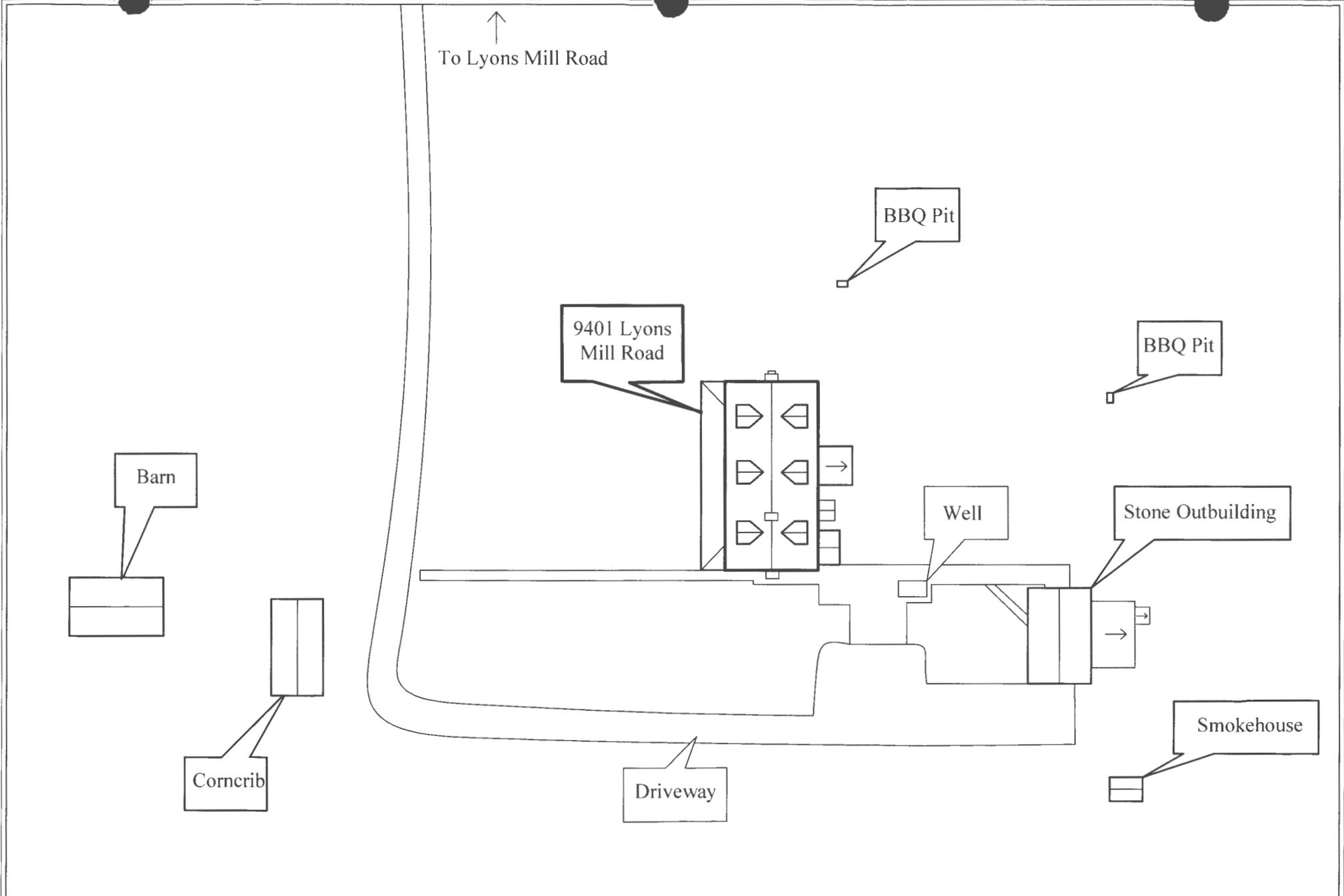


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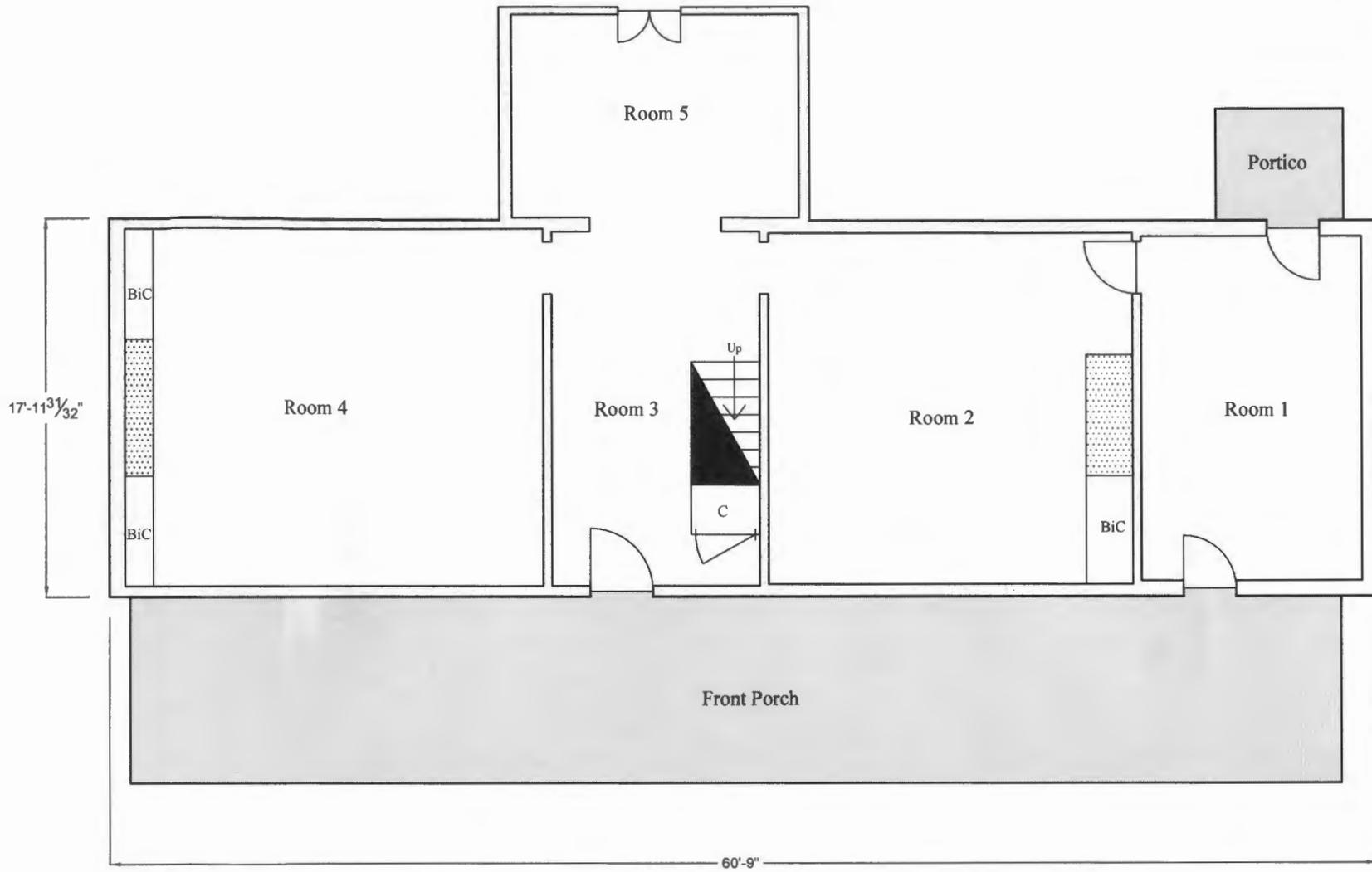


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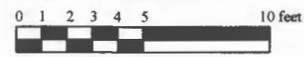
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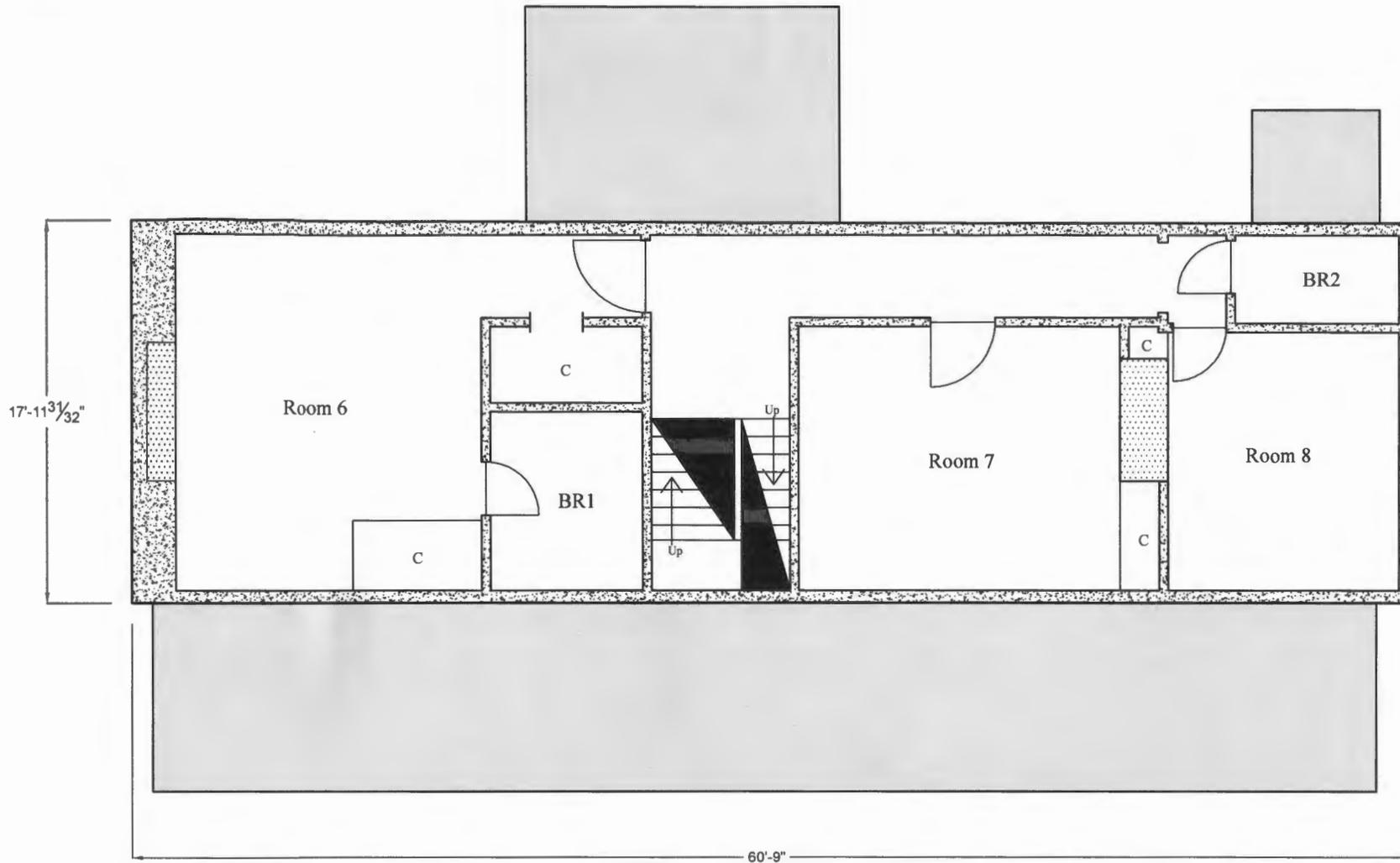


**Key**

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- BiC = built-in cabinet
- [Dotted pattern] = fireplace
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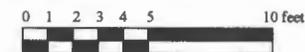


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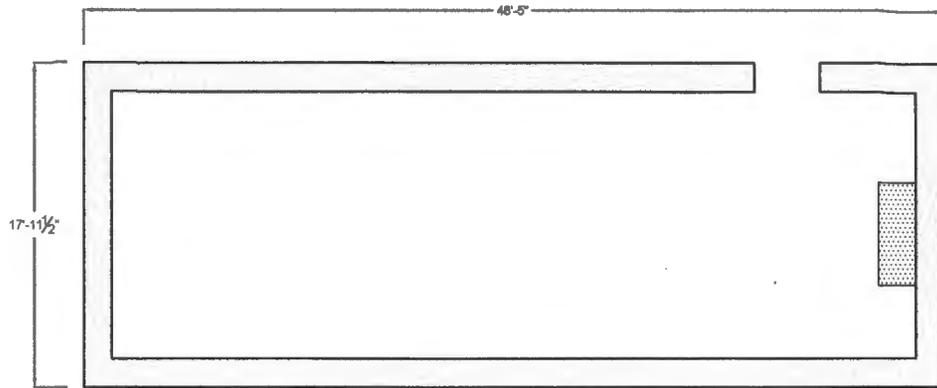


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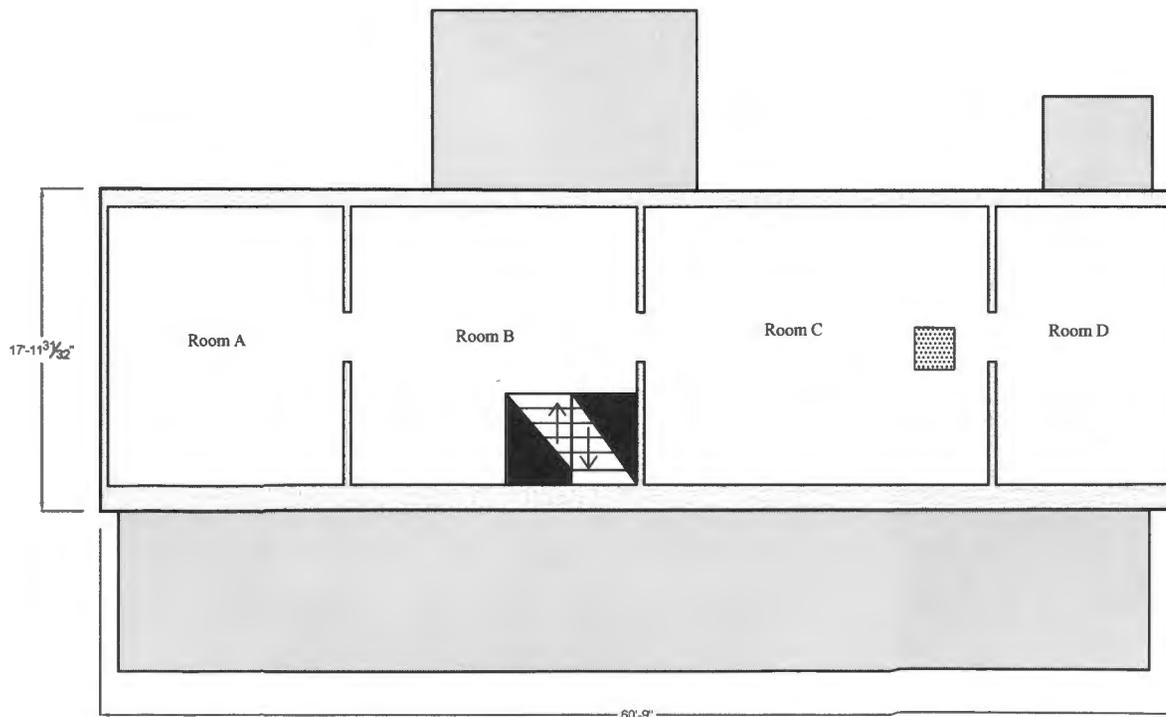
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# Main House: Basement and Attic Floor Plans



Basement Floor Plan

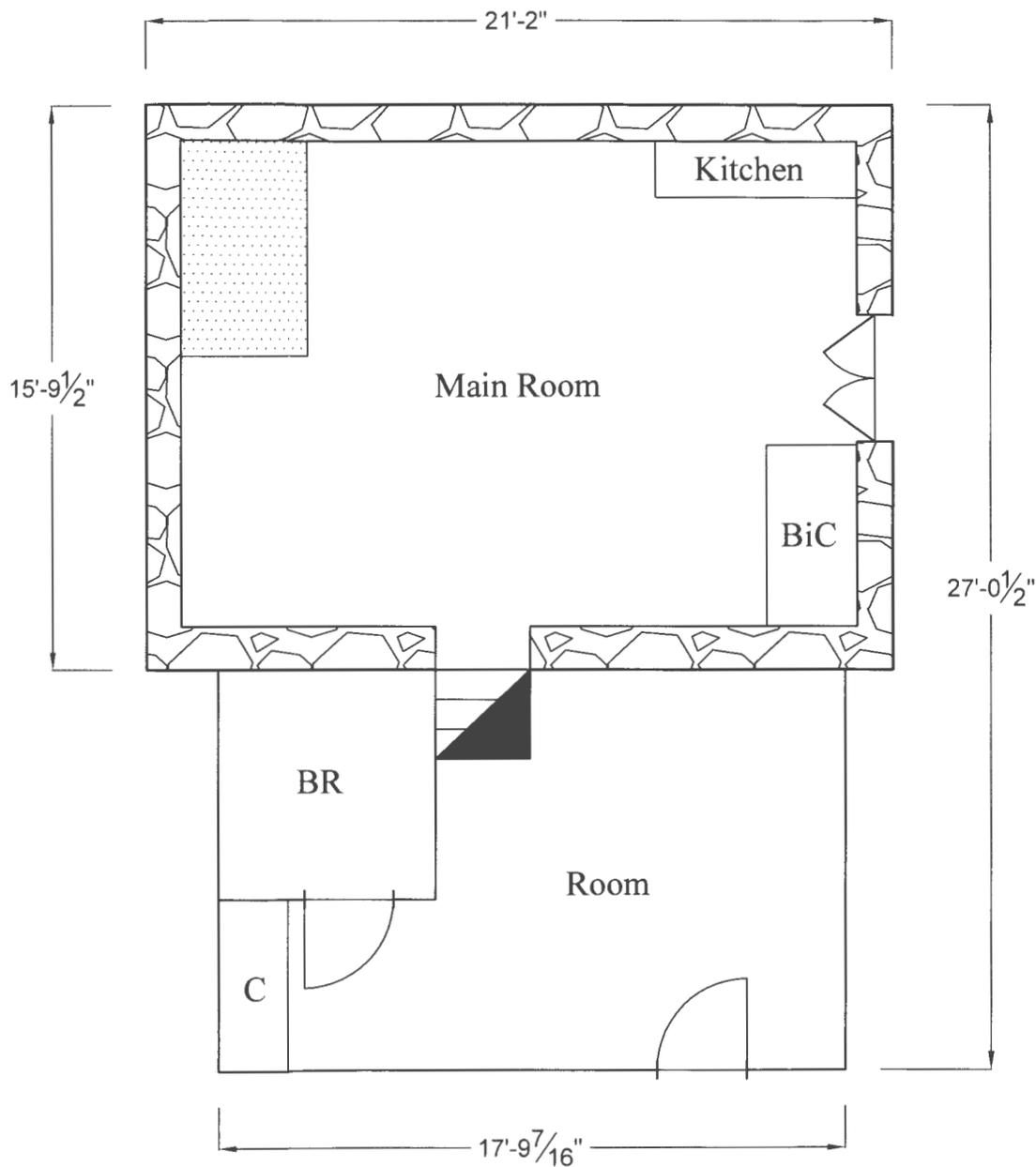


Attic Floor Plan

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# Stone Outhouse - Plan

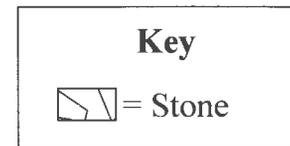
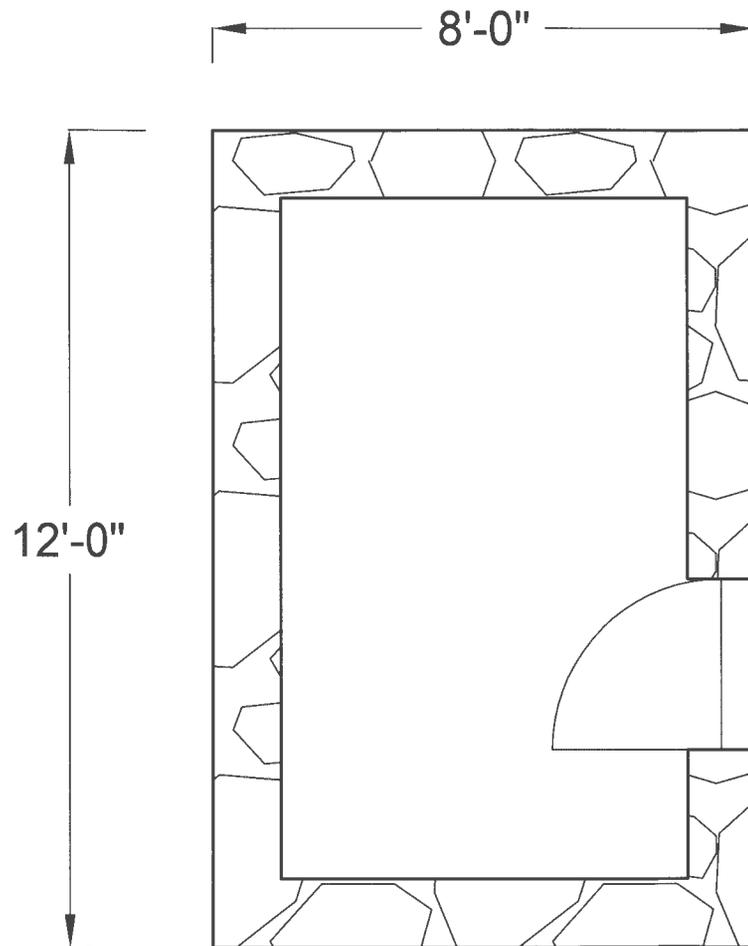


**Key**

- BR = bathroom
- C = closet
- BiC = built-in cabinet
-  = chimney
-  = stone



# Smokehouse/Meat House - Plan



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BA-2184_2013-10-07_17.tiff	Main house, interior, attic—camera facing south	10/07/2013	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
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BA-2184_2013-10-07_21.tiff	Smokehouse/Meat house, southwest oblique	10/07/2013	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
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BA-2184_2013-10-07_23.tiff	Smokehouse/Meat house, hinge detail	10/07/2013	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_24.tiff	Stone outbuilding, north elevation	10/07/2013	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_25.tiff	Stone outbuilding, east elevation	10/07/2013	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
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BA-2184_2013-10-07_32.tiff	Main house, interior, kitchen—camera facing southeast	1990s	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_33.tiff	Main house, interior, kitchen—camera facing northeast	1990s	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_34.tiff	Main house, interior, living room—camera facing northeast	1990s	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_35.tiff	Main house, interior, master bedroom—camera facing south	1990s	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_2013-10-07_36.tiff	Main house, interior, living room—camera facing southwest	1990s	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR



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MD SHPO

Main House, west elevation

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MD SHPO

Mainhouse, Southeast oblique

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Main house, north elevation

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MD SHPO

Main house, east elevation

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MD SHPO

Main house, dormer detail  
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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, kitchen - camera facing southwest

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, dining room - camera facing  
southwest

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, entry hall - camera facing west

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, sunroom addition - camera  
facing southeast

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, living room - camera facing  
northwest

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MD 5HPO

Main house, interior, second-story staircase to attic -  
camera facing west

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HD SHPO

Main house, interior, second-story hallway - camera  
facing south

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, master bedroom - camera facing  
southeast

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NO SHPO

Main house, interior, southernmost room on the second  
story - camera facing southwest

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, attic - camera facing south

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MDSHPO

Main house, interior attic - camera facing north  
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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, attic - camera facing south

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MD SHPO

Main house, interior, basement - camera facing  
northeast

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MD SHPO  
Smokehouse/Meat house, southeast oblique  
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Smokehouse/meat house, east elevation

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MD SHPO  
Smokehouse / meat house, southwest oblique  
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Smokehouse / Meat House, interior - looking up from doorway

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MD SHPO  
Smokehouse/Meat House, hinge detail  
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MD SHPO

stone outbuilding, north elevation  
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Suburban  
Propane

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MD SHPO

Stone outbuilding, east elevation  
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MD SHPO

Stone outbuilding, west elevation

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MD SHPO

stone outbuilding, south elevation

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MD SHPO  
stone outbuilding, primary entry detail  
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MD SHPO

stone outbuilding, interior, main chamber -  
camera-facing southwest

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MD SHPO  
stone outbuilding, interior - camera facing  
west from rear addition  
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MD SHPO

stone outbuilding, interior, built-in-cabinets  
in rear addition - camera facing south

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1990's  
MOSHPO

Main house, interior, kitchen - camera facing  
southeast

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1990's

MD SHPO

Main house, interior, kitchen - camera facing  
northeast

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B. Ballard c/o DoveTail Cultural Resource Group  
1990's

MD SHPO

Main house, interior, living room - camera facing  
northeast

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1990's  
MD SHPO

Main house, interior, master bedroom - camera  
facing southwest

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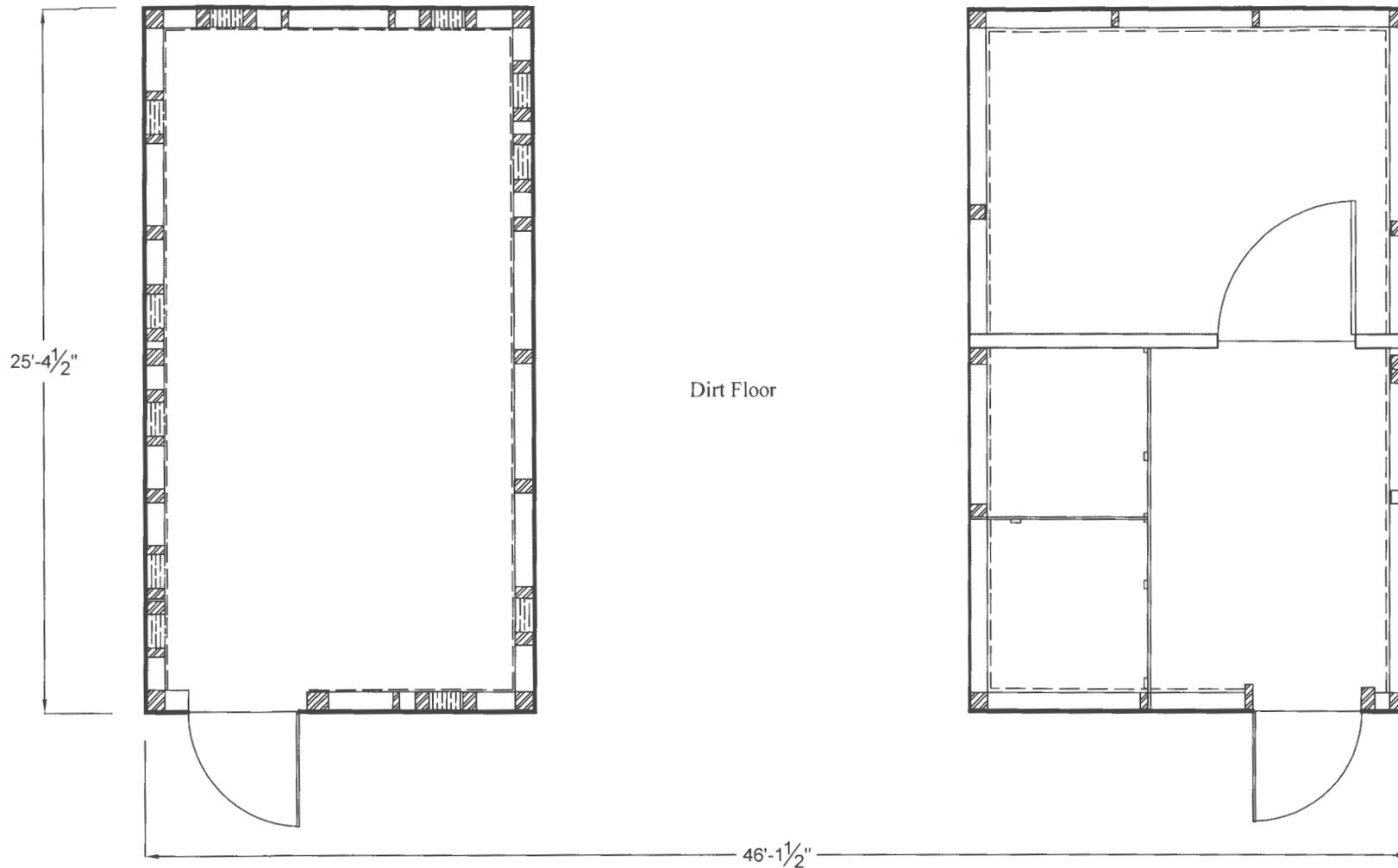


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1990's  
MD SHPO

Main house, interior, living room - camera  
facing southwest

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**Key**

- — Stone Foundation
-  Diagonal Posts
-  Cut Wood Posts

\*Second Floor Loft Area was not accessible




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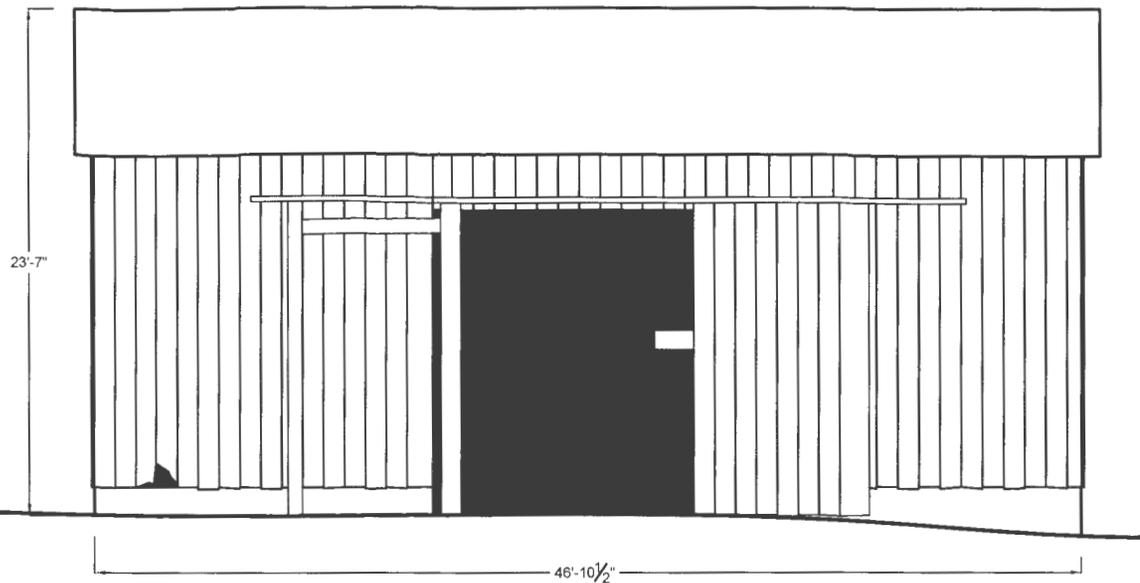
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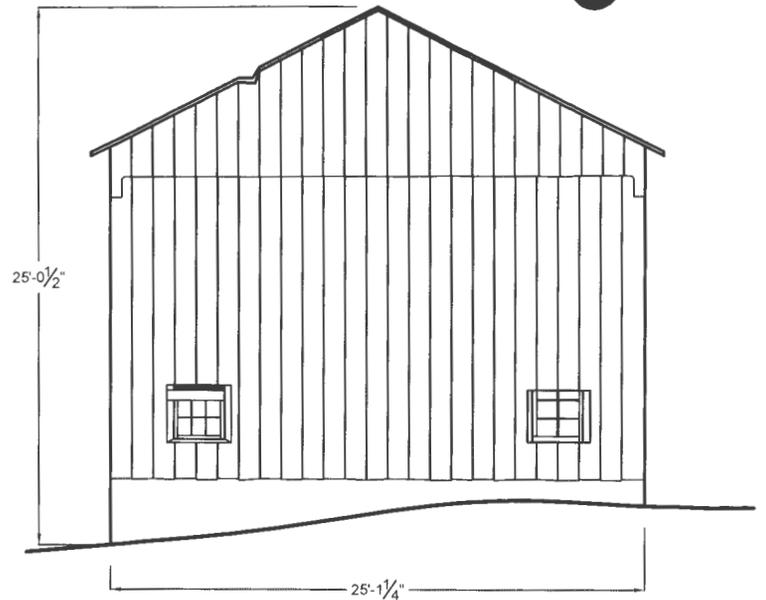
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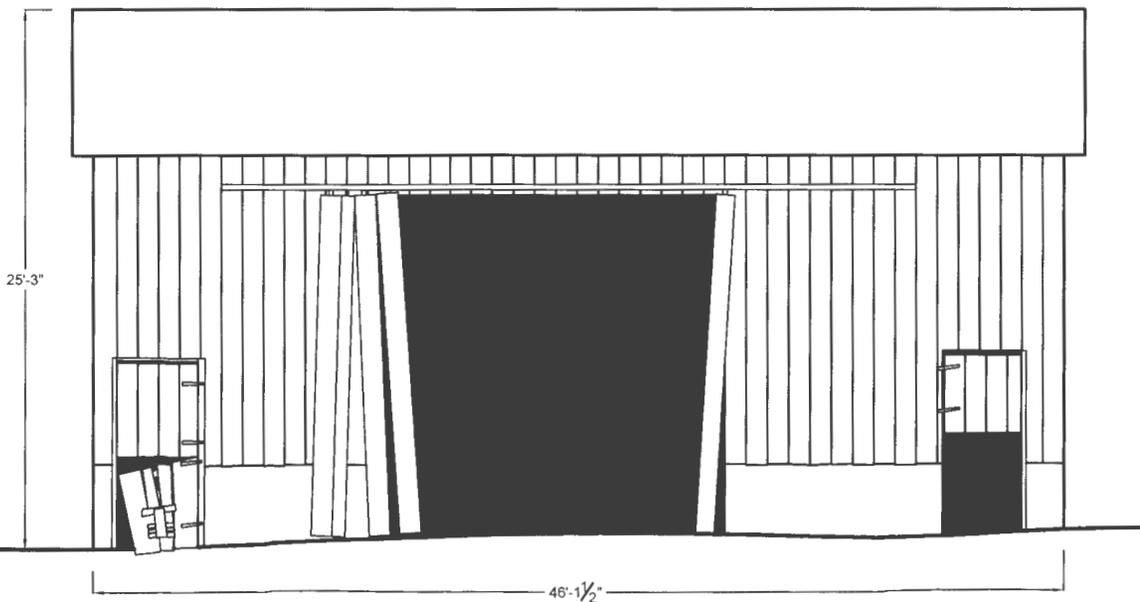
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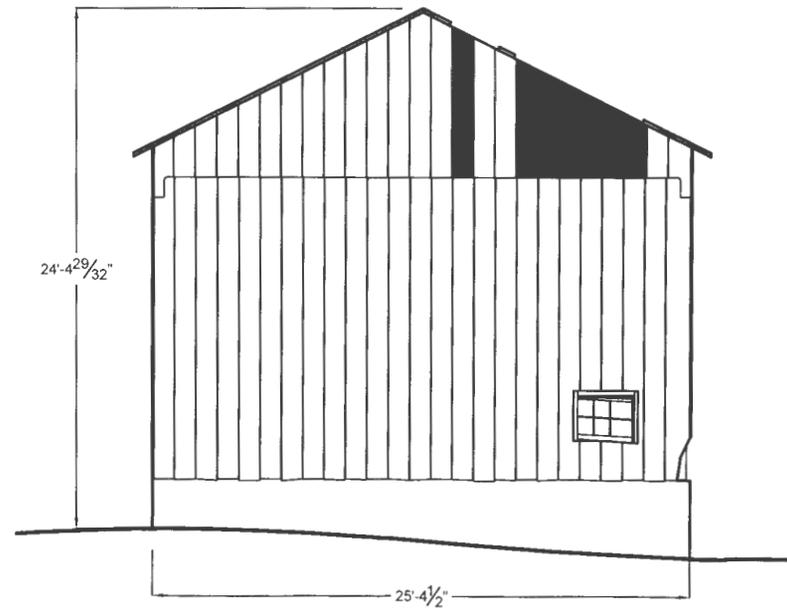
North Elevation



East Elevation



South Elevation



West Elevation



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BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_04.tiff	Barn, northwest oblique	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
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BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_06.tiff	Barn, interior, camera facing northwest	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_07.tiff	Barn, east chamber interior, camera facing southwest	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_08.tiff	Barn, west chamber, camera facing north	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_09.tiff	Barn, west chamber interior, camera facing southeast	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_10.tiff	Barn, second floor interior loft, camera facing east	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2013-10-22_11.tiff	Barn, second floor interior loft, camera facing west	10/22/2013	Dye-based HP Vivera Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR

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BA-2184_Barn_2014-01-24_14.tiff	Barn, south elevation, camera facing north—siding removed	1/24/2014	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2014-01-24_15.tiff	Barn, joint at intersection of walls and stone foundation, camera facing northeast—siding removed	1/24/2014	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR
BA-2184_Barn_2014-01-24_16.tiff	Barn, interior, camera facing northeast—siding removed	1/24/2014	Dye-based HP Viverra Ink	HP Premium Photo Paper, Gloss	Memorex 80 min./700MB 52x Pro Gold Archival CDR



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Barn, South Elevation.

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Barn, east elevation

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MD SHPO

Barn, northwest oblique

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MD SHPO

Barn, interior, camera facing ~~northeast~~  
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Barn, interior, camera facing northwest

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Barn, east chamber interior, camera facing southwest

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Barn, west chamber, camera facing north

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Barn, west chamber interior, camera facing southeast  
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MD SHPO

Barn, second floor interior loft; camera facing east  
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MD SHPO

Barn, Southeast oblique, camera facing northwest -  
siding removed

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January 24, 2014  
MD SHPO

Barn, east elevation, camera facing west -  
siding removed

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January 24, 2014  
MD STPO

Barn, south elevation, camera facing north -  
siding removed  
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BARN, JOINT AT INTERSECTION OF WALLS AND STONE FOUNDATION,  
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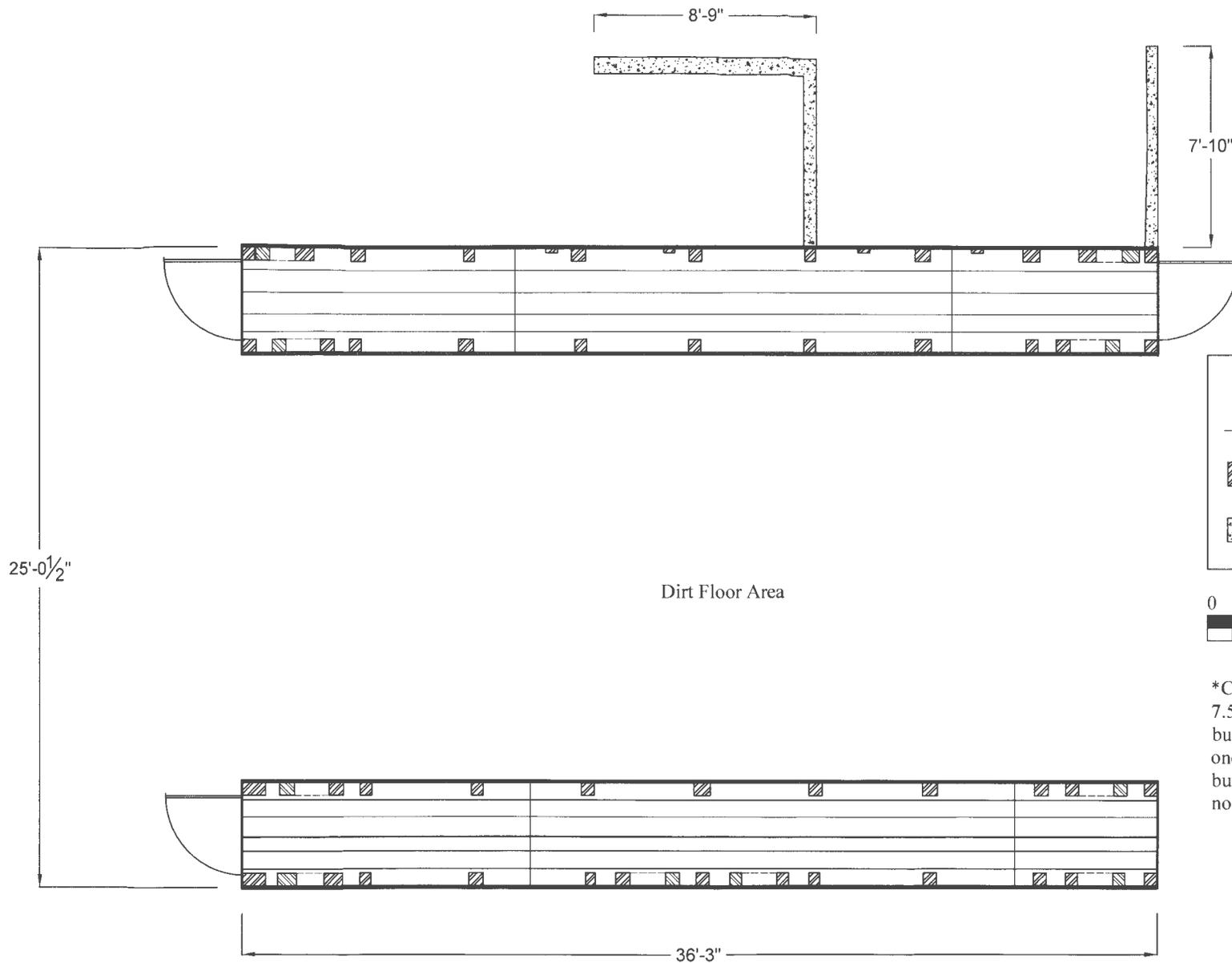
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# Cornercrib Plan



**Key**

- Diagonal Posts
-  Cut Wood
-  Concrete Foundation Remnants\*




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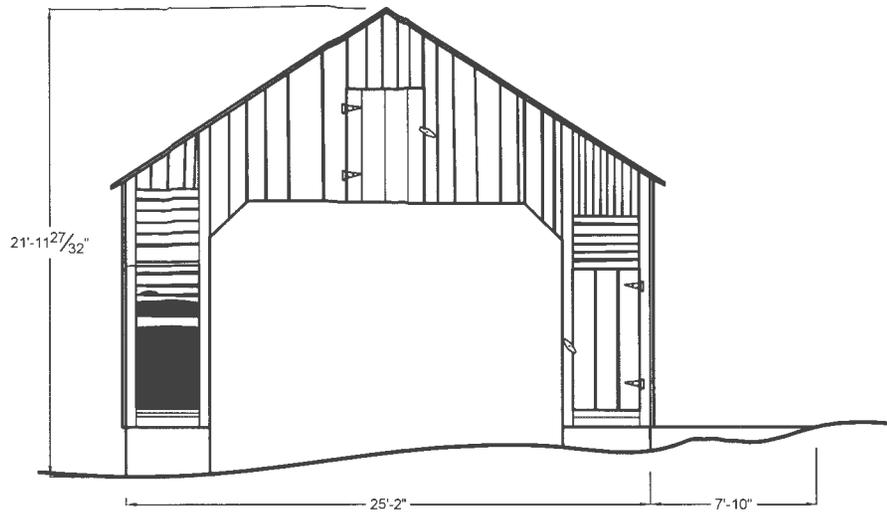
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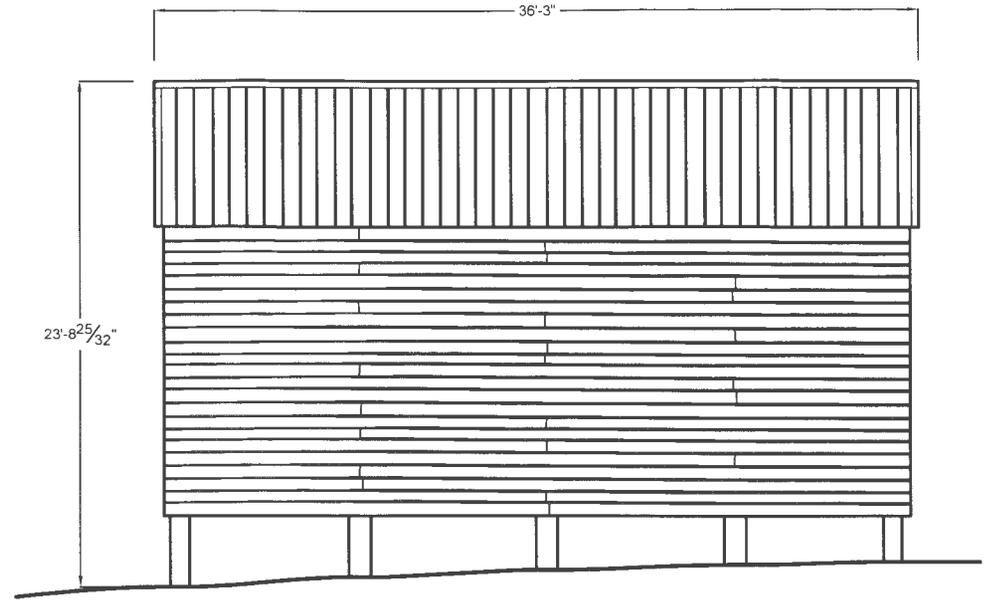
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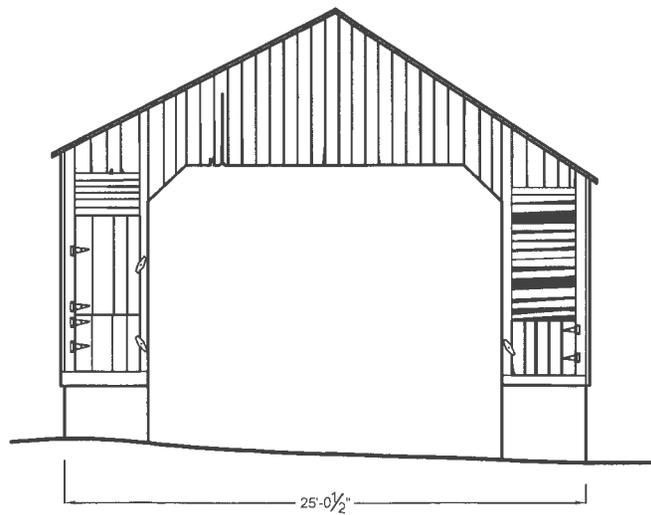
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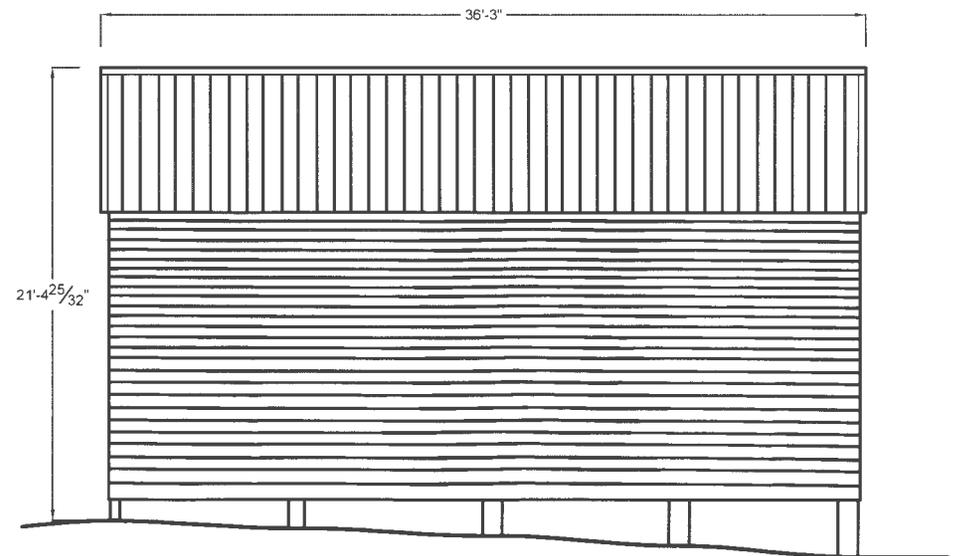
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East Elevation



South Elevation



West Elevation



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**1. Name**

historic Plinlimmon

and/or common Plinlimmon Farm (preferred)

**2. Location**

street & number 9401 Lyons Mill Road N/A not for publication

city, town Owings Mills  vicinity of                      congressional district Second

state Maryland code 24 county Baltimore County code 005

**3. Classification**

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**4. Owner of Property**

name 1. Susan C. Ballard  
2. Wilson T. Ballard, Jr.

street & number 1. 9401 Lyons Mill Road  
2. 15637 York Road

city, town 1. Owings Mills 1. Maryland 21117  
2. Sparks 2. Maryland 21152

**5. Location of Legal Description**

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Baltimore County Courts Building

street & number 401 Bosley Avenue

city, town Towson state Maryland 21204

**6. Representation in Existing Surveys**

title Maryland Historical Trust  
Historic Sites Inventory

has this property been determined eligible?  yes  no

date December 1982  federal  state  county  local

depository for survey records Maryland Historical Trust, 21 State Circle

city, town Annapolis state Maryland 21401

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## Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

### SUMMARY DESCRIPTION

Plinlimmon is an early 19th century farmhouse of log construction clad in novelty siding. The house is six irregularly-spaced bays wide by one room deep, 2½ stories high with a gable roof. The irregularity of the building's fenestration, and the series of alterations apparent on the exterior, reflect the building's vernacular character and its continuous adaptation to the changing tastes of its residents. The west facade was originally the back of the house, but became the principal facade as a result of alterations around the turn of the twentieth century, when the present formal Colonial Revival entrance and broad porch were added. The original east entrance was replaced with a sun room ca. 1920-1930. Three gabled dormers with scalloped bargeboards are ranged across each slope of the roof; these were added in the latter half of the 19th century. The house has three chimneys: a stone exterior stack at either end, and a brick interior chimney next to the southernmost bay. The interior retains nearly all its original decorative detailing intact, including paneled doors and staircase, architrave and chair rail moldings, and fireplace surrounds. The trim is restrained in character, in keeping with the vernacular nature of the house. On the first floor, a formal parlor opens off the north side of the entrance hall, and the dining room lies south of the hall; the kitchen is located beyond the dining room, to the south. The plan of the second floor was revised in the course of a 1941 renovation. Several outbuildings cluster around the house. On the southeast is a ca. 1850 stone building with a gable roof, an interior chimney, and a 1941 frame wing. Adjacent to this building are a frame two-bay garage (ca. 1920s-1930s) and a small rectangular smokehouse with a gable roof (ca. 1850). To the southwest of the house are a large mid-19th century cornhouse with a gable roof with an early 20th century two-story frame feed wing, and an early 20th century frame barn with a gable roof. Two rectangular 20th century frame chicken coops (pre-1941) complete the outbuilding complex.

### GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Plinlimmon Farm is located on the south side of Lyons Mill Road approximately one mile west of McDonogh School, and 2½ miles southwest of Owings Mills in Baltimore County, Maryland. Owings Mills is located on Reisterstown Road (U.S. Route 140) and is approximately fifteen miles northwest of Baltimore City.

Plinlimmon Farm is one of Owings Mills' oldest farmsteads. Its one hundred acres are owned by two members of the same family and are still farmed. The farm complex includes the ca. 1800 farm house, Plinlimmon, and several types of outbuildings listed above.

Plinlimmon is a six-bay, two and one-half story log house, covered with novelty siding (the siding at the south end is larger and resembles shiplap siding). The house is long and narrow (the house is one room deep), measuring approximately 60 feet in length and 18 feet deep. It has a gable roof; the main axis of the house is north-south. There are three gabled dormer windows

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on either side. The house has three chimneys: a large stone exterior end chimney on each of the north and south gables and a brick interior chimney adjacent to the southern-most bay of the house. The house rests on a stone foundation, most visible at the south end where land slopes away from the house.

The bays are irregular, as is the alignment of the doors and windows within the bays. This is most apparent on the west facade, which was the original back of the house and now is the front facade of the house that the visitor sees as he drives up the driveway. The west facade overlooks a large well-landscaped lawn and the large farm buildings to the southwest. The east side is the most private side of the house and is also the side the visitor is most likely to use to enter the house.

Window placement on the east and west facades is similar; there are nine-over-six sash windows on the first floor in four of the six bays on both facades. The second-story windows are six-over-six sash windows with two exceptions. Each facade has a kitchen door in the south end bay and a formal entrance door in the third bay from the north end. There are no doors at the north and south ends. The north gable is pierced only at the attic level where there are two small attic windows with four lights. The south gable has two windows on the first story and one window on the second story. The attic level has two small windows, each with six lights. All windows have louvered shutters on the first and second stories of the house. The three gabled dormers have carved wooden scalloping. The dormers probably date from the mid-19th century.

The west facade has the most irregular placement of bays. The windows on the first floor are not directly aligned with the second story windows. In the third bay (from the north) the hall entrance door on the first floor is not aligned below the small six-light window which lights the staircase landing. In the southern-most bay the first floor kitchen door is out of line with the second story window.

The west facade is united by a one-story, seven bay ca. 1890s-1900s porch in the colonial revival style. Also of the same period and style is the formal entrance door, in the third bay from the north end. It has finely leaded side lights and a cornice with dentils, but no transom. Decorative elements of the west facade are minimal, as typified by the plain box cornice. The decorative elements are focused on the formal entrance door and the dormer windows.

The east facade is more symmetrical. The major difference between the two facades is the treatment of the two entrances. The kitchen door in the south bay is concealed behind a latticed porch with a gable roof (ca.1940s).

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The original entrance door, in the third bay from the north end, was removed and replaced sometime in the 1920-1930s by a one-room addition which opens onto the main hall. This "sun room" replaced a smaller porch with a pedimented gable roof, depicted in an 1839 drawing of Plinlimmon's east facade in the possession of the owners. The porch measures almost 14 feet across and is nine feet six inches deep. Its east facade has a pair of French doors, flanked on each side by a large window with sixteen lights. On the north and south sides of the porch there are two bays of identical sixteen-light windows.

The north gable end of the house is the plainest. It is divided by the exterior end stone chimney. The chimney has had extensive renovation during the 20th century.

The south gable end of the house is more complex. The end is the traditional service wing of the house. It was here that a one and one-half story log wing with a gable roof (depicted in the 1839 drawing) was located. Physical evidence of the addition's gable roof is still apparent in the south-east bay, on the east side of the large exterior chimney at the second story level. Earlier stages in Plinlimmon's development are indicated by the variety of the siding on the end wall (already mentioned), especially in the first story and part of the second in the southeast bay. The chimney on this south end is slightly larger than the north end chimney and is made of uncoursed fieldstone. (The restored north end chimney has coursed stonework.) There is an exterior fireplace opening on the first story which has been blocked in. The two windows on the first floor, one on either side of the chimney, were added during the early 1940s in order to give more light to the kitchen. During the process, carpenters had a difficult time cutting through the log framing. The south end roofline is flush with the end wall and has no scrollwork, unlike the north gable, which has a overhang with Victorian-period scrollwork.

Interior Description

The floor plan of Plinlimmon reflects its essentially vernacular character; it does not have a formal balanced floor plan. On the first floor, there are the four original rooms in the main axis of the house plus a fifth room added onto the east facade in the 1920-1930s which replaced the earlier porch. This room is used as an informal sitting room. The four original rooms, starting from the south end of the house, are: the kitchen (approx. 17 feet deep and 12 feet wide), the dining room (approx. 17 feet deep and ten feet wide), and the living room (approx. 17 feet deep and 19 feet wide). The four rooms are connected by doors that are in line with each other, close to the east side of the house.

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Although the original floor is uncomplicated, it is apparent that the builder was aiming for an atmosphere of formality. The entrance hall is large, and the two formal rooms of the house are placed on either side of the hall. The service area of the house was discreetly placed at the extreme south end of the house.

The hall sets the tone for the house. Although simple, it has attractive original features. There is a paneled staircase along the south wall. The staircase is an open-string stair with simple step end brackets along the outer string. The balusters and hand rail are cylindrical in shape. The newel is also original and nicely proportioned. The small landing is lighted by a six-light window. Behind the staircase near the west door there is a staircase closet with a finely paneled door. (It is the only closet for the downstairs.) The door has six panels in the three tiers of raised and molded panels. The wall trim of the hall is plain; the walls are plastered, and there are no chair rails or cornices. The baseboard is a simple molded one. The doorways to the living room and dining room are original, and have a simple architrave trim.

The proportions of the dining room are regular. The east and west walls have paired windows which are aligned. The south wall has three basic units, the kitchen door (close to the east wall corner), a large chimney breast with the fireplace in the center, and between the chimney breast and the west wall a built-in china cabinet (ca. 1920s-1930s). The kitchen door is an original door which was rehinged and converted to a swinging door in the 1940s. In the process, the side with the more formal raised and molded panels was placed on the kitchen side and the less formal plain recessed panels on the dining room side. The door is six-paneled with three tiers of panels. The architrave trim is the same as the architrave trim in the hall. On the east side of the chimney breast there is a two-tiered paneled cupboard door. The fireplace has a rectangular opening flanked by fluted pilasters. There is a simple paneled frieze and a mantel shelf with bedmolding. The wall treatment is the same as that of the hall.

The kitchen is long and narrow in shape. Each of the east and west walls contains a door. These doors are not directly opposite each other. However, the two doors are identical: they are divided into two sections, with six-lights in the upper section and two panels on the lower sections. It is not known when either door was added or if they were original. The molding around these doors is slightly different from the molding of the kitchen door to the dining room. On the south end wall there is no sign that the exterior end chimney was ever used for a kitchen fireplace. In 1941, there was a large coal stove connected to the north wall (adjacent to the interior chimney, which

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opens onto the dining room). The flooring is 20th century linoleum. There are no closets in the room. In 1941, there was a trap door in the ceiling area close to the east wall between the dining room door on the north wall and the east wall kitchen door - raising the possibility that there was once a service stair there.

The living room in the north end is the largest room. Both the west and east walls have a pair of none-over-nine sash windows. However, the paired windows on the west wall are not aligned with those on the east wall (unlike the dining room windows, which are). Centered on the north wall is the fireplace. It has a rectangular opening which is framed by a pair of molded wooden ribs which extend from small paneled bases to terminate in square brackets in the bedmolding of the mantel shelf. The rectangular frieze is undecorated.

The living room decorative treatment is more elaborate than the rest of the downstairs. Although there is no cornice, there is a chair rail and the architrave trim on the door to the hall is more elaborate than that of the hall and dining room. The living room has no built-in shelving and no cabinets. The flooring is original wide random-width flooring. It is the only room downstairs with the old random-width flooring. Upstairs and in the attic, the flooring is wide random-width.

Upstairs, the rooms are more varied in size and shape. There is the stair hall at the top of the main entrance hall. The stairs are on the north wall; on the south wall there is a boxed-in attic staircase which has a six-panel door in three tiers. The hall has a chair rail but no cornice. The second-floor plan is largely the result of a remodeling carried out in 1941. To the north of the hall there used to be two rooms; both were the depth of the house. In 1941 the room closest to the hall was divided into three parts: a study on the west side, a closet area in the center, and a bathroom on the east side. The north end room has retained its original shape. At the east end of the upstairs hall is a small corridor which runs from the hall north to south along the house's east facade. There are two bedrooms on the west side of this corridor, a bedroom which faces west and a bedroom in the southwest corner of the house. A bathroom (installed in 1941) takes up the southeast corner of the house, at the end of the north-south corridor. Before the remodeling, this bathroom was part of the south end bedroom.

The north end bedroom is the formal bedroom. It has a handsome fireplace centered along its north wall. The fireplace has a rectangular opening flanked by plain wooden pilasters. The rectangular frieze has an undecorated raised panel in the center. The mantel shelf has elaborate bedmolding and flares out at the shelf ends. The room has a chair rail but no cornice.

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The only other fireplace on the second story is a much smaller one in the south end bedroom; it has plain pilasters and a mantel shelf, but no frieze. The remaining bedroom has vertical tongue and groove boarding on its south wall (the common wall between the two bedrooms). On this wall there are two built-in closets, one pre-1941, the other 1941 vintage.

The attic of the house is one room deep and takes up the entire length of the house. It is divided into four rooms; its walls and ceilings are plastered. The north end room is almost 14 feet long and is covered with old wallpaper. (It is the only attic room with wallpaper.) Laths removed from the attic roof around the interior chimney are hand-split.

The house has a basement which is reached by only one entrance, a 20th century bulkhead door on the east facade near the kitchen door bay. The interior stone foundation walls are laid up without mortar. The floor is dirt and the basement runs from the south end of the dining room to the northern end of the house. The height of the basement from the floor to ceiling is six feet five inches.

Outbuildings Description

Clustered around Plinlimmon are several outbuildings in two groups. Closest to the house is the southeast grouping. This includes three buildings roughly aligned north-south: a medium-sized stone building with a frame wing, a two-bay garage, and a small stone smoke house. Further south of these three buildings, south of the driveway is a fourth building, a frame chicken coop.

The stone building (ca. 1850) with the frame wing is currently used as a tenant house. In 1941, when the current owner bought the property, the stone building was used as a meat and milk house. The frame wing was added onto the building in 1941 to convert the building into living quarters. The stone section (approx. 21 feet long and 16 feet deep) has a gable roof with an interior chimney near the southwest end. The ridge line runs north-south. The south gable has only a small vent window under the gable. The west facade has two bays: a basement door set low in the ground and a six-over-six sash window. This basement area was used for milk storage and has a brick floor. The north gable end has a centered entrance reached by a stoop of three steps. Centered above the door is a small louvered vent window. The entrance has two sets of doors, the outer pair of louvered shutter doors and an inner pair of French doors. The frame addition on the east wall has a shed roof, and measures 12 feet by 16 feet. On the north side the addition has one bay with a six-over-six sash window. On the east facade there are two bays, a door with a porch and a window.

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION (Continued)

The ca. 1920s-1930s two-bay frame garage has a gable roof. The west gable end is open and faces onto the end of the driveway. To the south of the garage is the ca. 1850 stone smoke house, which measures approximately 12 feet in length and eight feet in depth. It has a gable roof; the gable ends face west and east, like the garage. The entrance door, in the south wall, is the only opening to the building.

The chicken coop (the fourth building of the grouping) measures approximately 26 feet in length and ten feet in depth. It is frame (the siding is German siding) and has a shed roof. The chicken coop faces south. This chicken coop, as well as another to the west were on the property when the present owner bought the farm in 1941.

The southwest group includes three buildings: a mid-19th century frame cornhouse with a drive-through center section and a two-story early 20th century frame wing; an early 20th century frame barn; and an early 20th century frame chicken coop. The cornhouse and barn are easily visible from the house.

The frame cornhouse has a gable roof; the gable ends face north-south. The pair of corncribs and the center drive-through section measure approximately 25 feet in width and 35 feet deep. The roof is pegged. The two-story frame wing has vertical frame boarding and is approximately 32 feet long and 13½ feet deep. It contains the grain grinder and was used as a feed room. Approximately twenty feet from this wing is the two-story frame barn. It has frame vertical boarding and a gable roof. The gables are on the east and west ends. The building is about 47 feet long and 25 feet deep. Both the north and south sides have large roller doors centered on the walls. Set into each of the roller doors is a single regular sized door. The roller door on the south side is flanked by Dutch doors.

The large chicken coop southeast of the cornhouse is approximately 40 feet long and 14 feet deep and it faces east. It has German siding and a shed roof like the chicken coop in the southeast group.

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

The farmhouse and some of the outbuildings are contained in a five acre parcel (317 ft. by 700 ft.) described in a Baltimore County Deed (Liber 5266, Folio 698). To this five acres parcel was added two rectangular 100 ft by 700 ft. sections, one to the east and one to the west in order that all outbuildings would be included in the nomination. These two rectangular sections are part of approximately 46 acres owned by Wilson T. Ballard, Jr. (See Deed above for confirmation). (See Plinlimmon site plan).

# 8. Significance

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Specific dates before 1839 Builder/Architect unknown

### Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

Applicable Criterion: C

#### SIGNIFICANCE SUMMARY

Plinlimmon draws significance from its architecture, as an example of the type of residence constructed in the early 19th century and maintained to the present by prosperous middle-class farmers in rural north-central Maryland. The exterior of the house retains its essential vernacular character; its form, massing, and irregular fenestration are unchanged from that depicted in a drawing dated 1839 in the possession of the owners. These characteristics are readily apparent despite a series of exterior alterations, which reflect the changing tastes of successive owners of the property during 150 years of continual use as the seat of a working farm. The interior of the house retains most of its original decorative detailing intact, including paneling, door and window trim, and fireplace surrounds. Plinlimmon Farm derives additional significance from its continual operation as a farm despite increasing trends to suburbanization of its surroundings; a full complement of outbuildings, some dating to the mid-19th century, remain on the property to support its historic function.

#### HISTORY AND SUPPORT

Plinlimmon Farm is located on a 1744 land tract of 100 acres called "Caroline Forest" patented by Colonel William Hammond. The boundaries of today's farm approximate the original 18th century boundaries.

During the 18th century, the size of this tract grew. The property's third owner, Captain Alexander Wells added two adjacent land tracts (by land patents in 1758 and 1772). He played an active role in the Owings Mills area, serving as the captain of the Soldiers Delight Battalion during the 1760s and the Revolutionary War. He also had ties with the influential Owings family; in 1753 he married an Owings at the nearby St. Thomas Church. In 1784, Wells sold the property to Josias Pennington, a Baltimore County millwright. Pennington paid 1,000 pounds for the property (then a little over 200 acres). In 1797, Pennington sold the property to John Pindell (1754-1879) of Baltimore County.

With Pindell's ownership, the first concrete evidence of buildings and use of the property emerges. John Pindell was listed in the 1798 Tax Assessment as the owner and occupant of Caroline Forrest (sic) and adjacent tract, totaling 209 acres. Buildings listed on Caroline Forest were a one story hewn log

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dwelling (30 ft. by 18 ft) and a one story log kitchen (20 ft. by 16 ft.). He was also assessed for a two-story log barn, two log stables and a log poultry house. Pindell appears to have been prosperous, for he also was listed as the owner of nine slaves. Between 1796 and 1801, Pindell added three more tracts to the property. When the property was sold, the acreage totaled approximately 243 acres.

Some time before Pindell's death in 1817, the farm was turned over to Dr. John Owen. The 1820 deed confirming the sale between Dr. Owen and Pindell's heirs mentions that the farm had already been partly paid for before Pindell's death. In 1818, the Baltimore County Tax Assessment listed John Owen as the owner of the property. Owens appears to have been a man of means; he was assessed for 11 slaves and several farm animals as well as a "carriage of pleasure". The improvements (usually indicating the buildings on a property) were valued at 125 dollars. This was a high valuation - the average improvement for the 1818 assessment in that district was twenty-five to fifty dollars.

It seems highly likely that either John Owen or John Pindell expanded the one-story log house listed in the 1798 tax assessment or built a new larger building. Both John Pindell and John Owen are excellent examples of prosperous middle class farmers - the type who would have built a substantial vernacular farmhouse as their residence.

Plinlimmon's history becomes clearer with the Owen ownership. There are quite a few remaining family records, one of the most important of which is an 1839 ink wash sketch of the east facade of Plinlimmon. The Owen family was of Welsh descent. Family records tell that the family named the property after a Welsh mountain, Plynlimmon. The earliest use of the name is traced back to an 1822 newspaper article which noted the death of John Owen's father, Richard, at Plinlimmon. Family records and other primary sources reveal that Dr. John Owen (1775-1824) graduated from St. John's College in Annapolis where his father, Richard Owen, was teacher of mathematics and writing as well as a bookseller. Apparently Richard was a prosperous individual; his inventory lists him as the owner of 11 slaves. Dr. Owen studied medicine in America and Great Britain, and by 1804 was established in Baltimore City. During the antifederalist riots in 1812, Owen was serving as the surgeon for the 5th Regiment State Militia. In 1822, he was a member of the Baltimore City Council, and was chairman of its Committee on Health. John Owen's inventory confirms that he was prosperous and well educated (he died in 1824). He had 45 Latin books and several medical books and encyclopedias. He had a large assortment of livestock and several farm implements, as well as a holding of bank stock.

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Since Dr. Owen was a bachelor, the house and farm were taken over by his younger brother, Richard H. Owen, (1777-1858), also a bachelor. Richard had close ties with Baltimore City and the Owings Mills area. He was the librarian for the Baltimore Library Company from 1813-1843. The library, founded in 1796, was the first and only library in Baltimore for several years. It was a private corporation headed by prominent Baltimore cultural figures. Richard was an extremely active member of St. Thomas Episcopal Church approximately three mile from Plinlimmon. The church history devotes a section to him, noting that Richard was an active member of the church for 45 years at the time of his death in 1858. Richard had served on the church vestry as early as 1834 and as a warden from 1838-1852. The history states that "Mr. Owen lived at Plinlimmon (sic.) about a mile west of where McDonogh School is now located. He was a bachelor and his two sisters lived with him." One sister, Mrs. Maynard, had two sons, both of whom were later owners of Plinlimmon. The older son, James Maynard, later became a prosperous Baltimore County doctor. He bought the farm its livestock and implements from his uncle Richard H. Owen in 1854. The second son, Richard F. Maynard (1815-1897), bought the farm from his brother James in 1858. The 1860 Census records him as living at Plinlimmon with his wife and child. Richard Maynard was an active businessman. He operated a seed and farm implement company in Baltimore City and was a prominent Owings Mills farmer. He was one of the founders of the local farmers' club. He also continued the family's active involvement with St. Thomas Church as a member of the church vestry from 1861 (he took over his brother James' position on the vestry when James died in 1861) to 1897.

At his death in 1861, James Maynard left his nearby Grey Rock estate to his brother Richard. The Grey Rock estate had been the old Howard estate, it was the birthplace of John Eager Howard, the famous Revolutionary War hero and Maryland governor. Richard Maynard moved from Plinlimmon to Grey Rock and rented Plinlimmon.

In 1864, Plinlimmon was sold out of the Maynard family when Richard Maynard sold the property to a widow, Dorothy Bremker, a Prussian emigre from Pennsylvania for \$20,000. She lived at Plinlimmon with her married daughter, her daughter's husband, and their seven children. In 1876, Dorothy Bremker was assessed for 236 acres of land called Plinlimmon. The assessment states that the property was improved by a "large log weather boarded dwelling" assessed at \$1500 ( a high assessment for the period for the district), a stone barn (\$500), a cornhouse (\$100) and a wagon house (\$100). Among household furniture assessed was a piano worth \$200. She was also assessed for livestock and farming implements. In 1882, Mrs. Bremker's heirs sold the property, and for almost ten years it was a rental farm property.

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In 1891, Christopher F. Miller, who with his two bachelor sons operated a dairy business on the outskirts of Baltimore City during the 1890s, purchased Plinlimmon Farm for \$9,000. In 1896, when the father sold Plinlimmon to his two bachelor sons, Baltimore County assessed the brother's farm for a total of 246 acres. Ninety acres lay on the south side of Lyons Mill Road (the original Caroline Forest tract section) and 156 acres lay on the north side of the road. The 90 acres were improved by a frame house (Plinlimmon), a stable, corn house and other small buildings. In 1916 and 1923 the house was assessed for \$1,000. In 1923, the Miller brothers and their unmarried sister sold the ninety acres to two local Owings Mills farmers named Morans and their widowed sister. The Morans farmed (wheat, corn, and hay) and operated the large apple orchard east of the house which had been planted by the Miller brothers. In 1941, the Morans and their sister sold the farm to the present owners, the Wilson T. Ballard family.

Agricultural Significance

Plinlimmon has state and local significance as an architecturally significant vernacular farmhouse which once was common in several areas of Maryland, especially in northern Maryland. Its long, narrow one-room deep form and its plain exterior with irregular bays place it firmly in the vernacular tradition. Furthermore, Plinlimmon's log house construction reflects the strong northern Maryland tradition of log construction farmhouses.

Plinlimmon's architectural worth is heightened by the fine quality of its still-intact interior wood trim, which reflects the higher standards of the more prosperous, sophisticated owner.

Although the exact date of construction is uncertain, historical and architectural evaluations tend to date the house in the early 1800s. Laths removed from the house's roof confirm this evaluation. The laths were extremely irregular and were cut by hand, not machine. Close study of the 1839 drawing of Plinlimmon's east facade gives important evidence that the building's shape, exterior wall covering and treatment, window placement, and chimney location are fundamentally intact today. It confirms that Plinlimmon's several alterations have not concealed the building's original character or site orientation.

The setting of the farm and the farm's outbuildings add to the value of the property. Although the original early 19th century outbuildings are probably no longer in existence, the outbuildings that cluster around the house today represent several types of outbuildings found on a 19th century farm. Three

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of the outbuildings are particularly characteristic: the stone building formerly used as a meat and milk storage building, the small stone smokehouse, and the large corn house with pegged roof framing.

Taken as a whole, all of the buildings of Plinlimmon farm are important elements of a working farmstead. The fact that all of the buildings are in sound condition makes Plinlimmon's consideration for the National Register even more favorable. Plinlimmon is an important representative of a 19th century vernacular farmstead.

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BOUNDARY JUSTIFICATION

The boundaries of the nominated property were selected to encompass the house and its outbuildings in their immediate setting, and to retain the historic approach from Lyons Mill Road.

# 9. Major Bibliographical References

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# 10. Geographical Data

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Verbal boundary description and justification

FOR VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION SEE CONTINUATION SHEET #6  
FOR BOUNDARY JUSTIFICATION SEE CONTINUATION SHEET #11

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

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# 12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national  state  local

As the designated State Historic Preservation 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 Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature [Signature] 3-18-83

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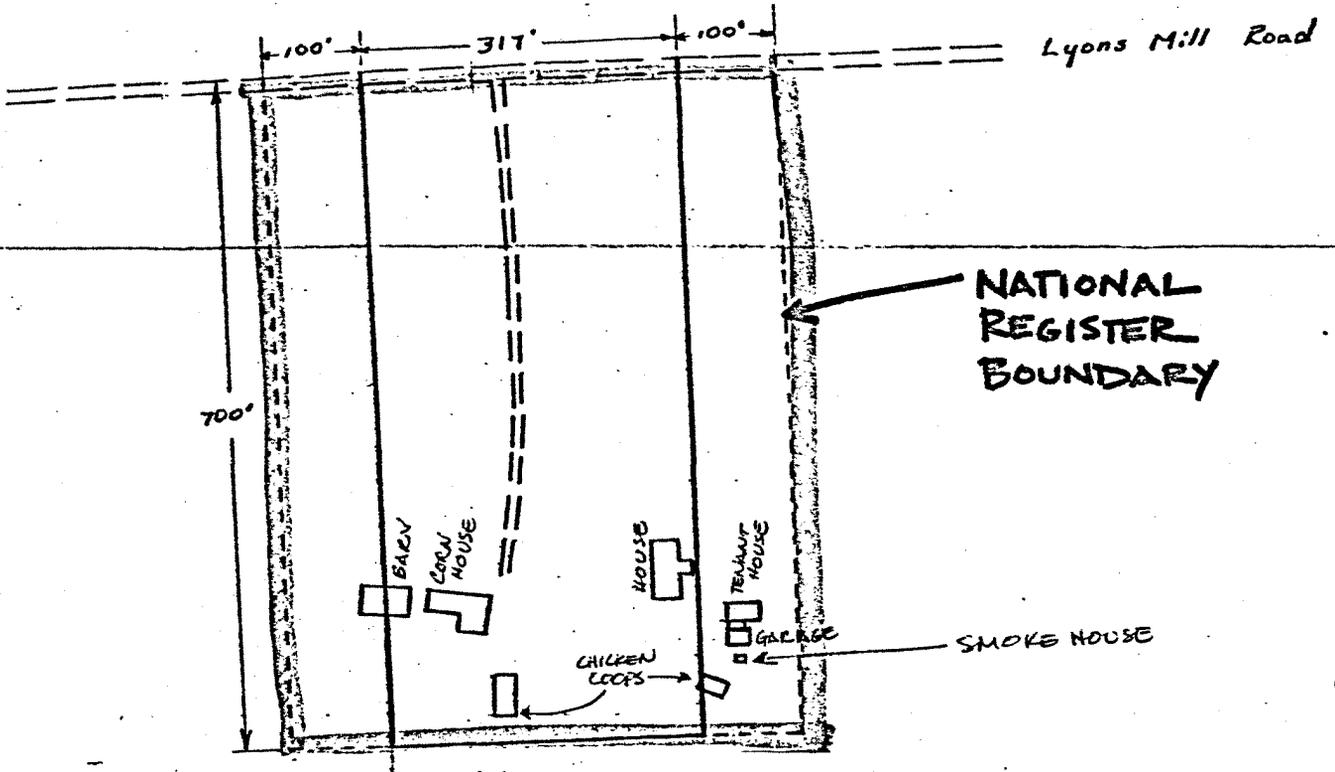
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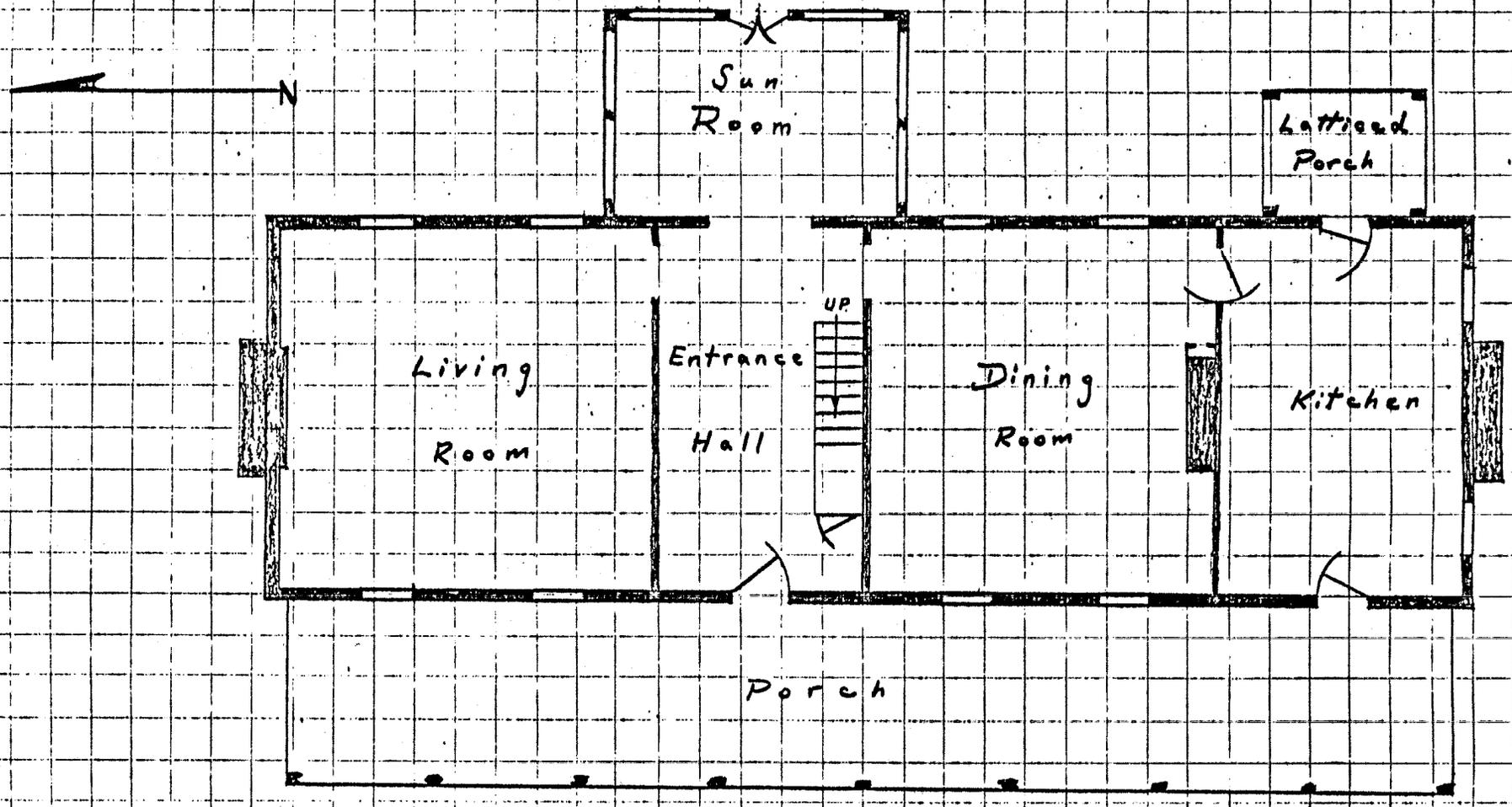


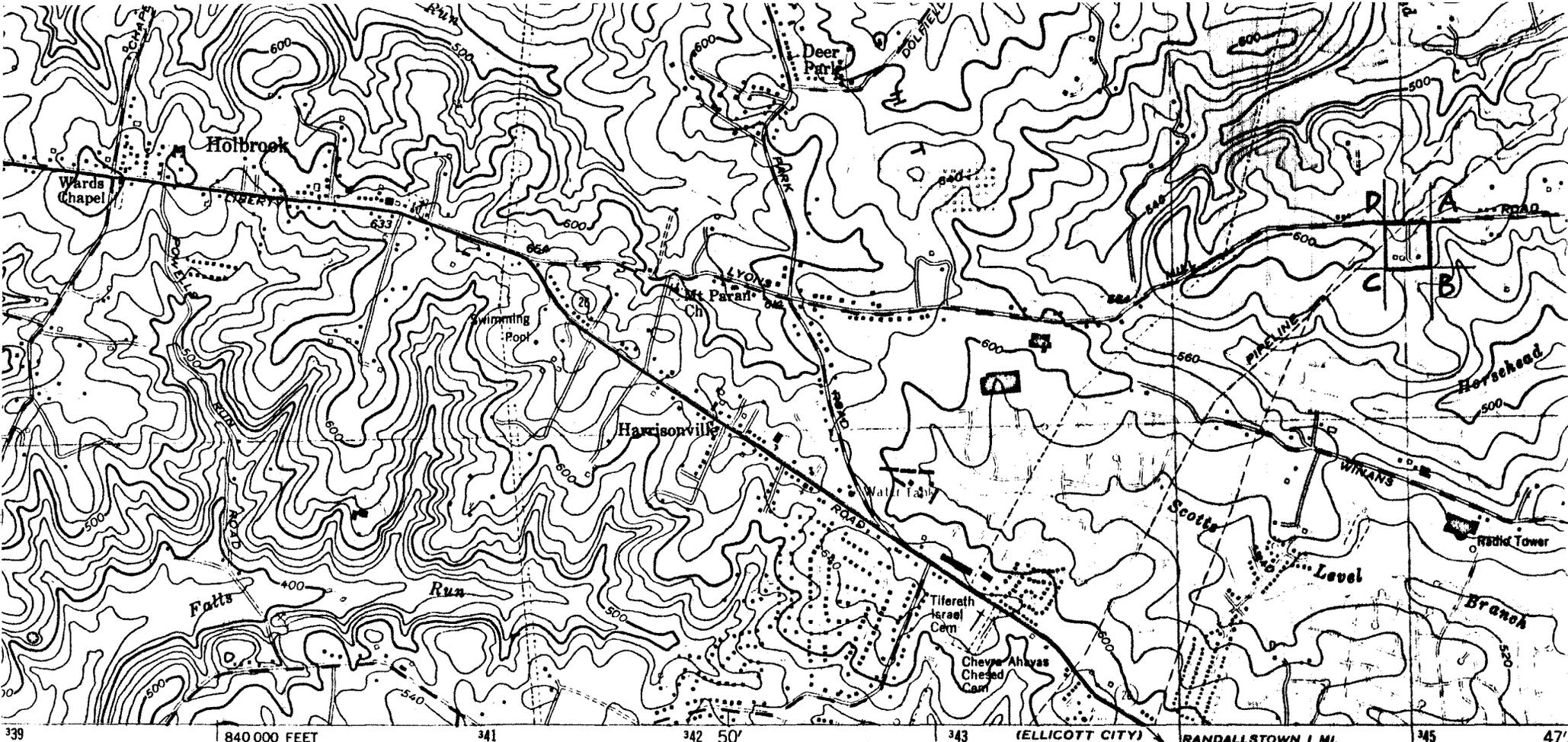
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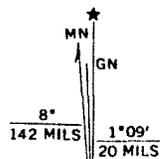
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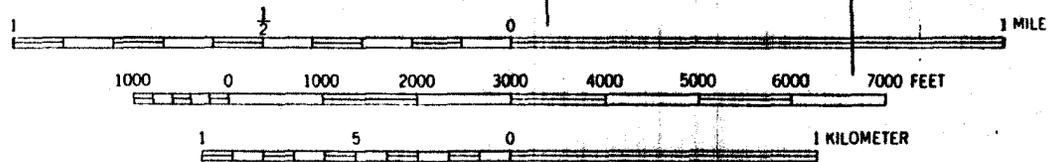
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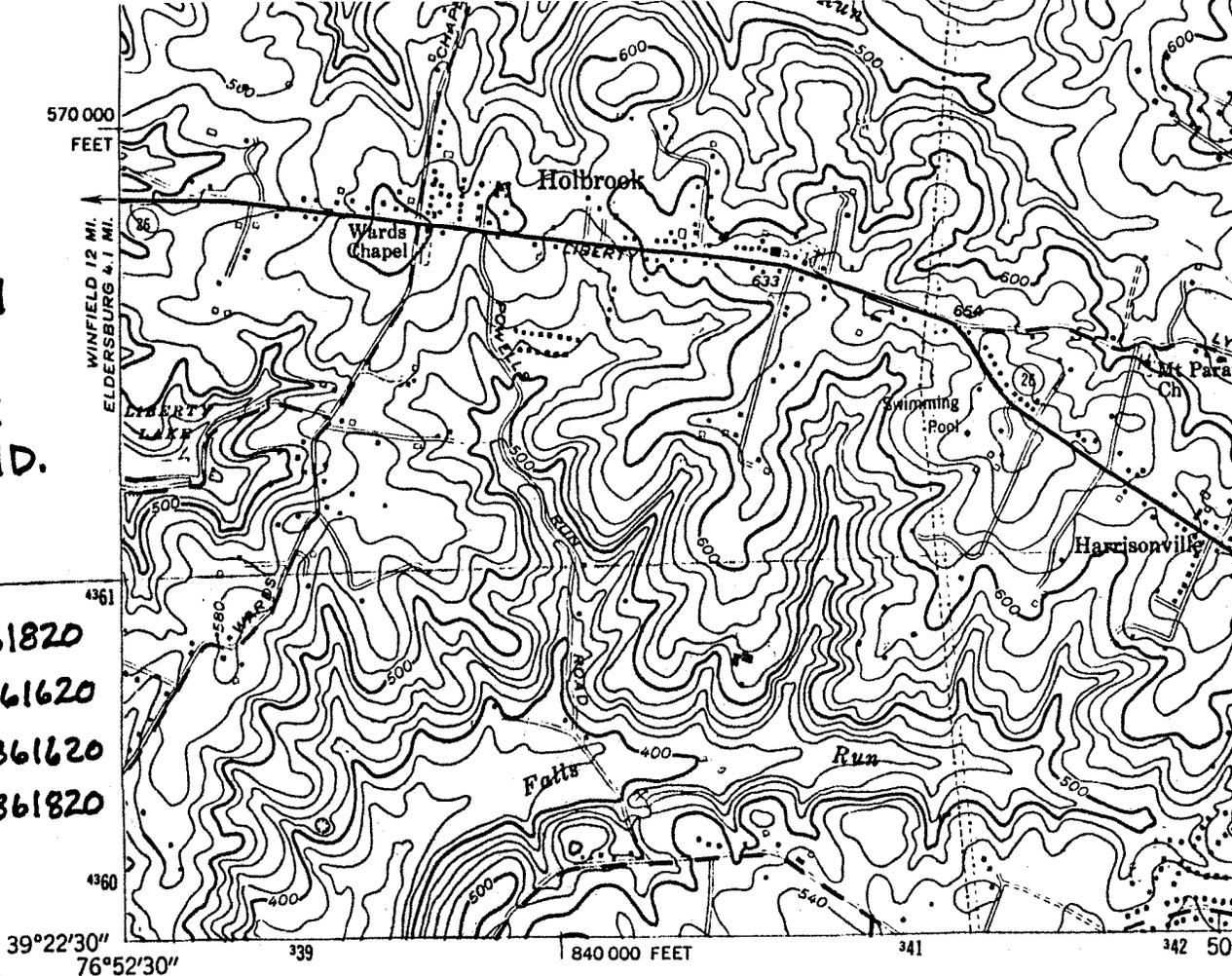
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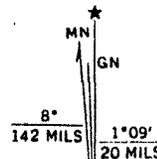
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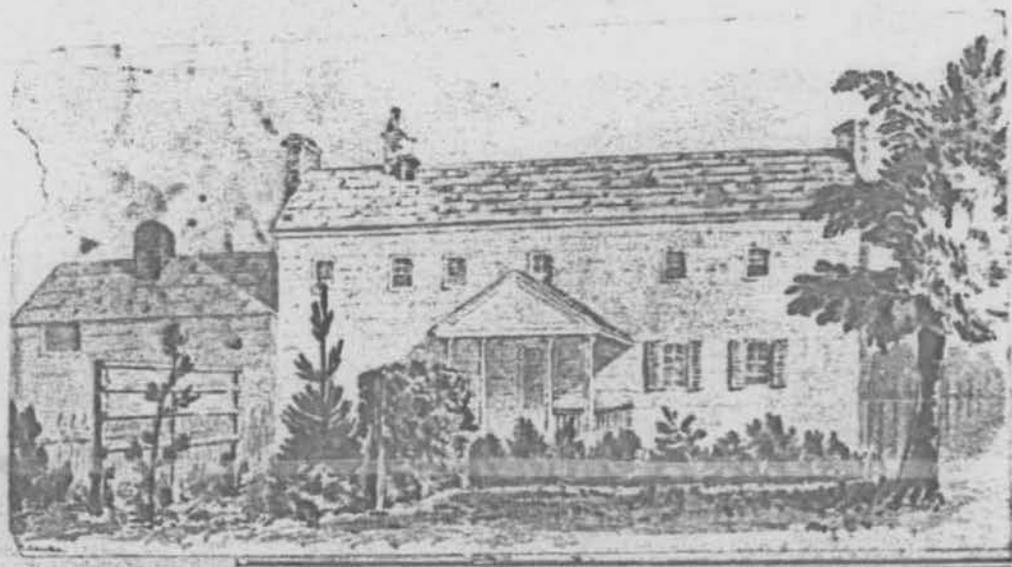
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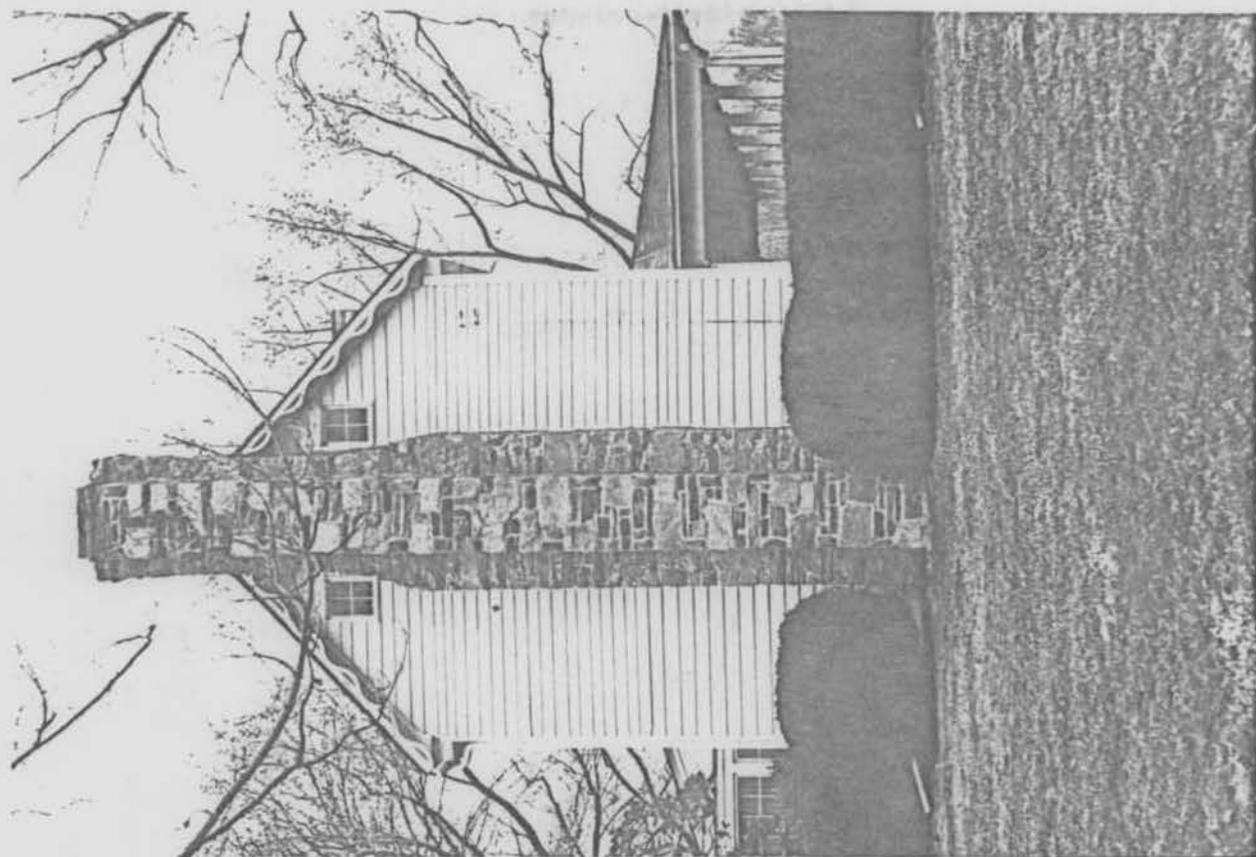
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6. north elevation of house.
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5. Maryland Historical Trust,
6. south elevation of house.
7. 6/21



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1. Plinlimmon
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3. John Simkins
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5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. West and South elevations of house and west elevation of tenant house and garage
7. 7/21

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1. Plinlimmon
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  4. October 23, 1982
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  6. West elevation of tenant house, garage and smoke house
  7. 8/21

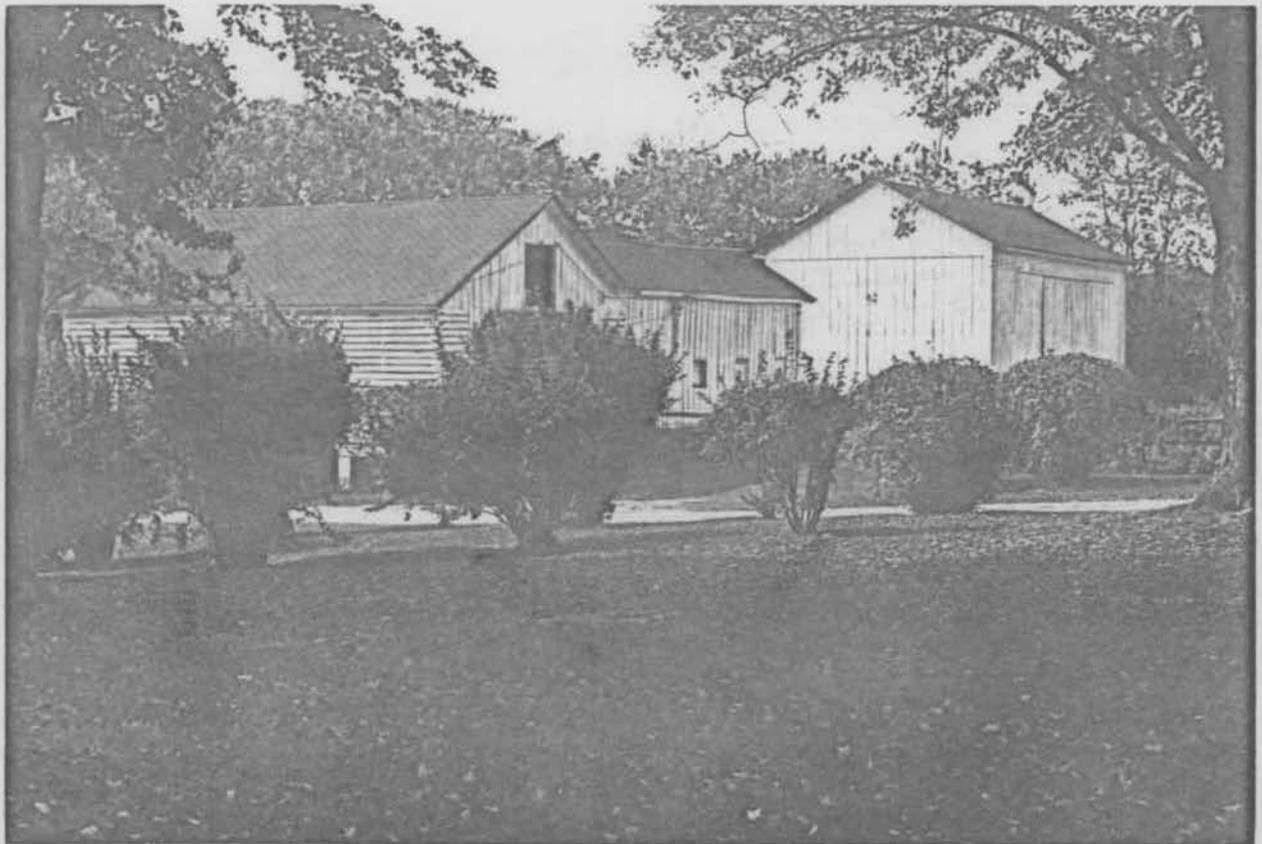


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6. South and east elevations of smoke house, garage and south elevation of tenant house
7. 9/21

1. Plinlimmon
2. Baltimore County, Maryland
3. John Simkins
4. October 9, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. north and west elevations of tenant house
7. 10/21

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6. north elevation of tenant house
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1. Plinlimmon
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6. north and east elevations of cornhouse and barn
7. 12/21

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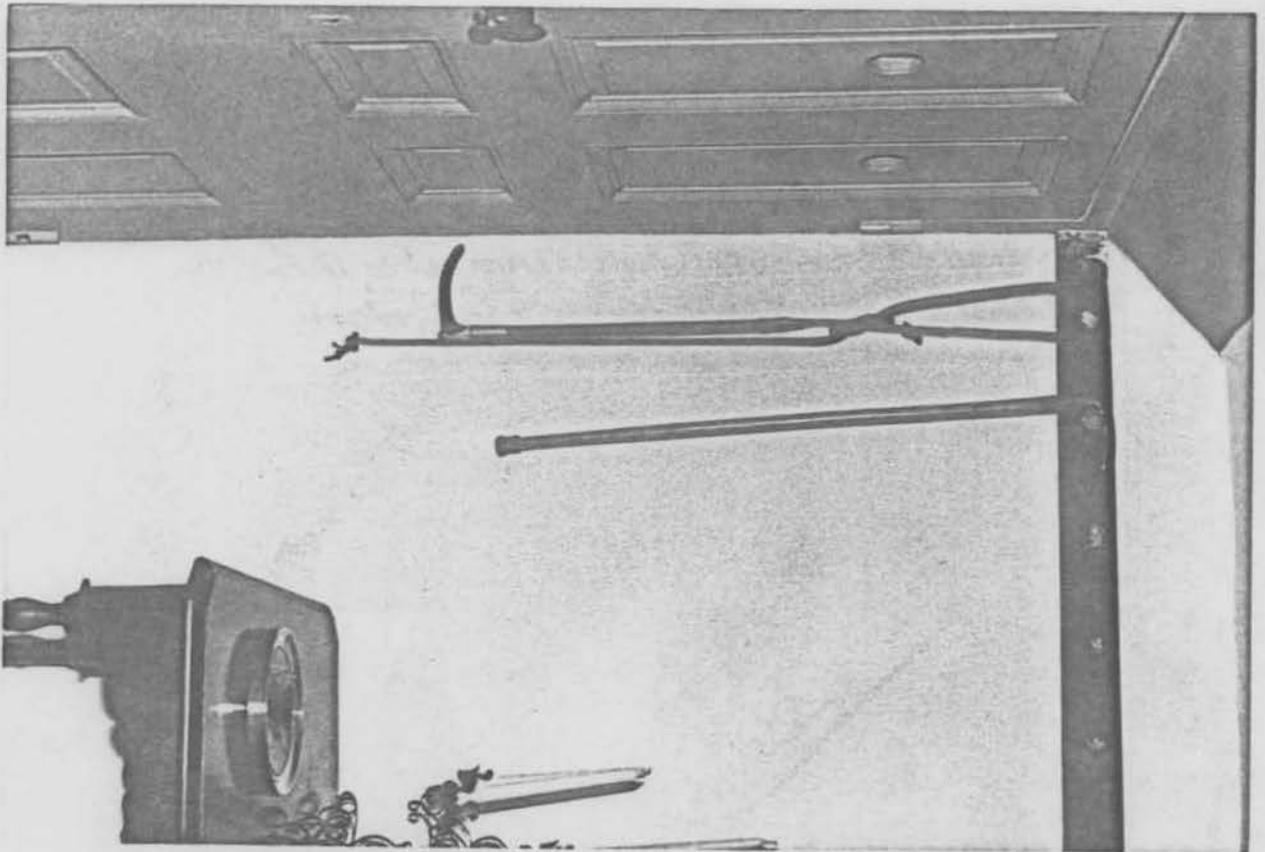
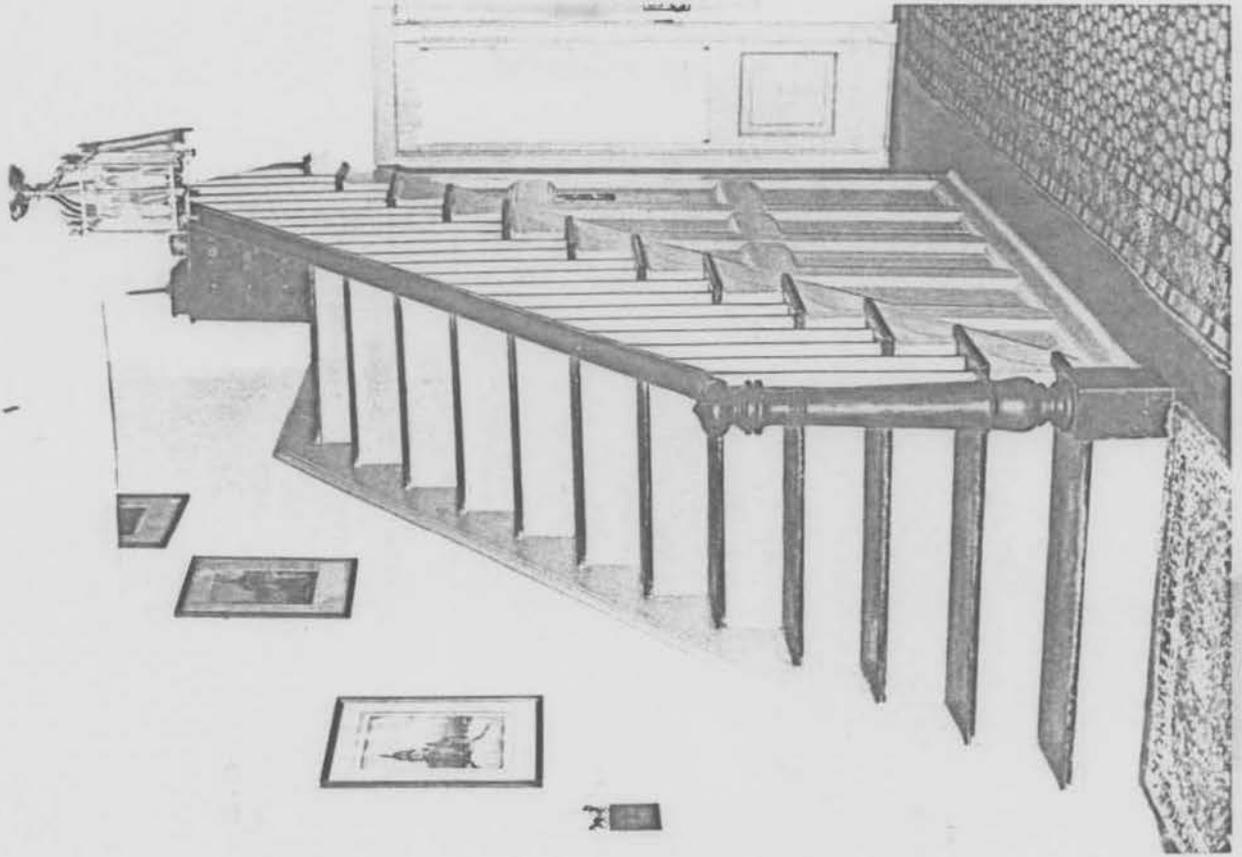


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6. North elevation of corn house
7. 13/21

1. Plinlimon
2. Baltimore County, Maryland
3. Kate Simkins
4. June 7, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. North and east elevations of barn
7. 14/21

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1. Plinlimmon
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3. John Simkins
4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Entrance Hall
7. 15/21

1. Plinlimmon
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4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Entrance Hall staircase closet door
7. 16/21

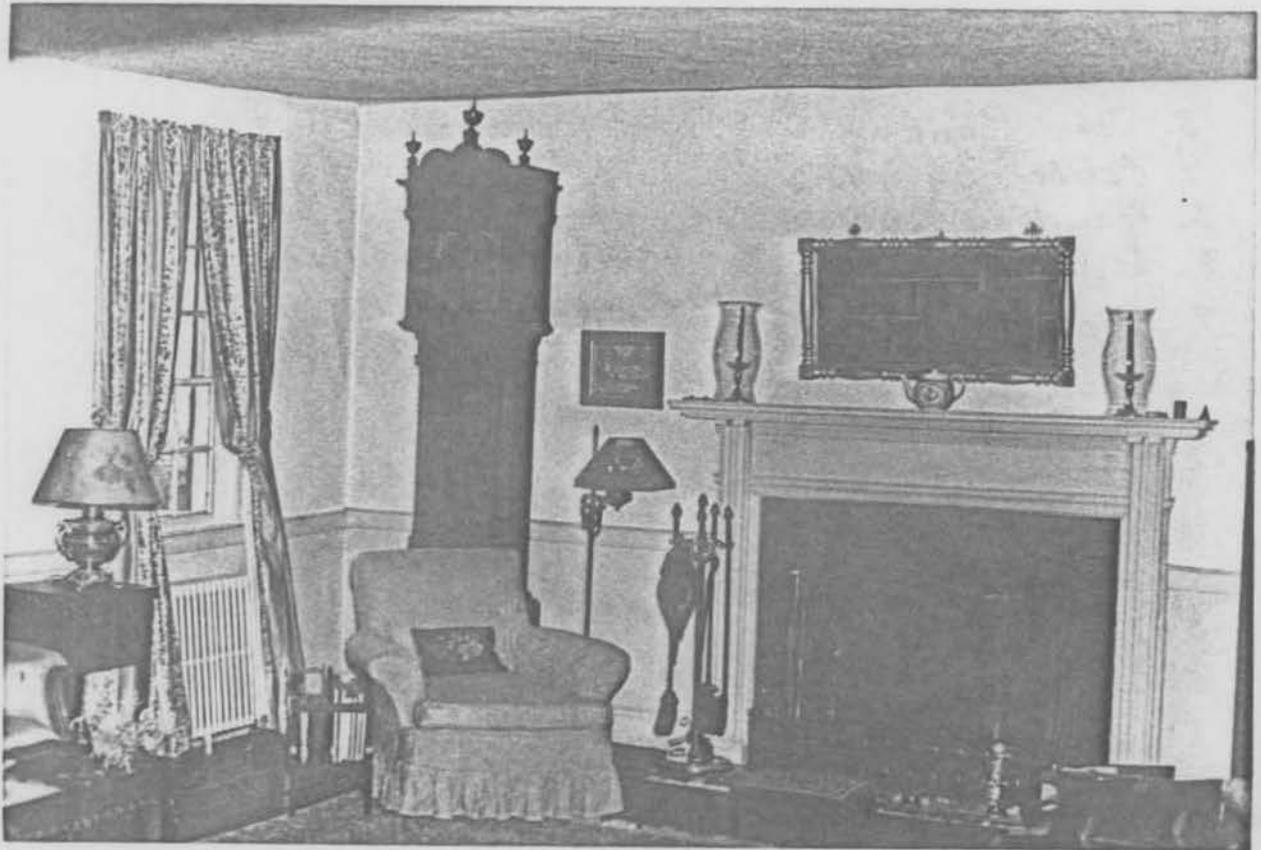
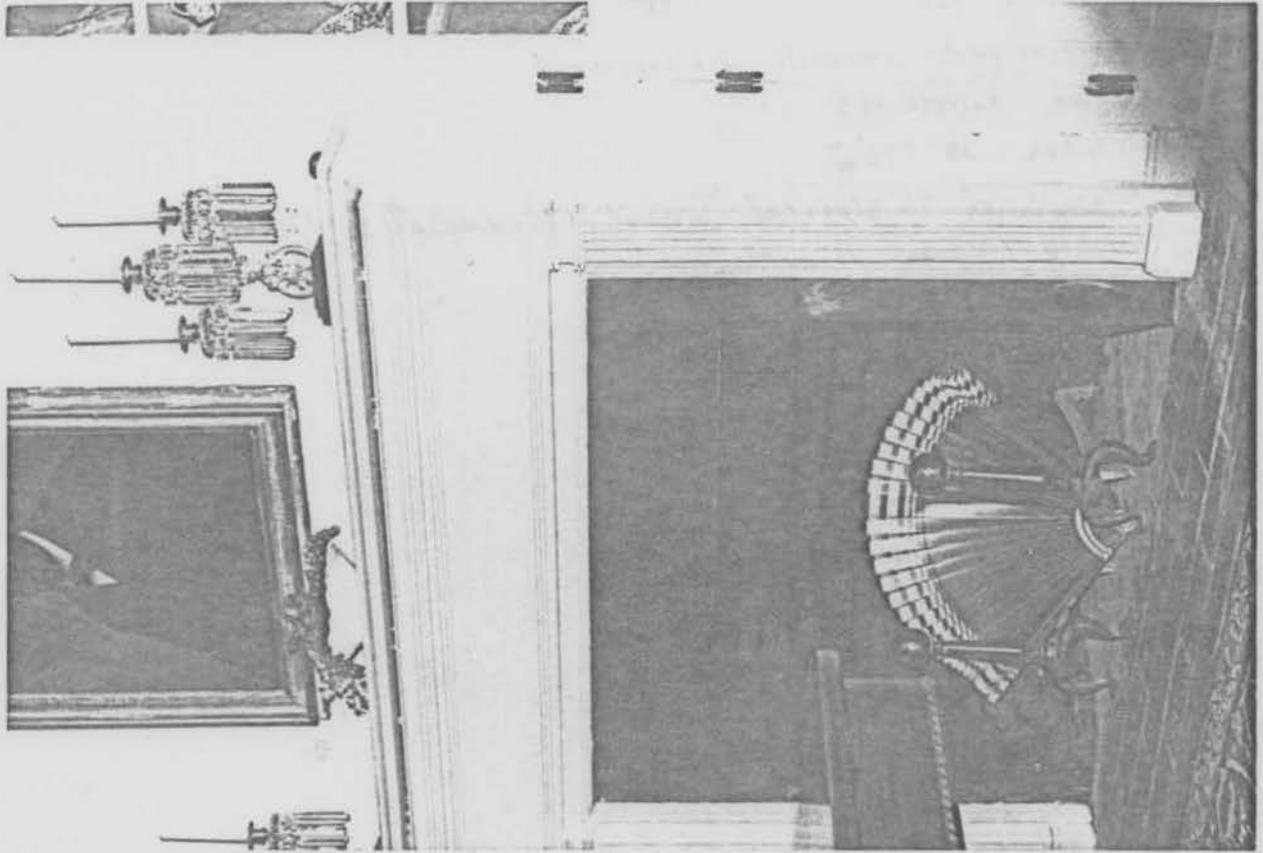
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3. John Simkins
4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Dining Room south wall (door to kitchen)
7. 17/21

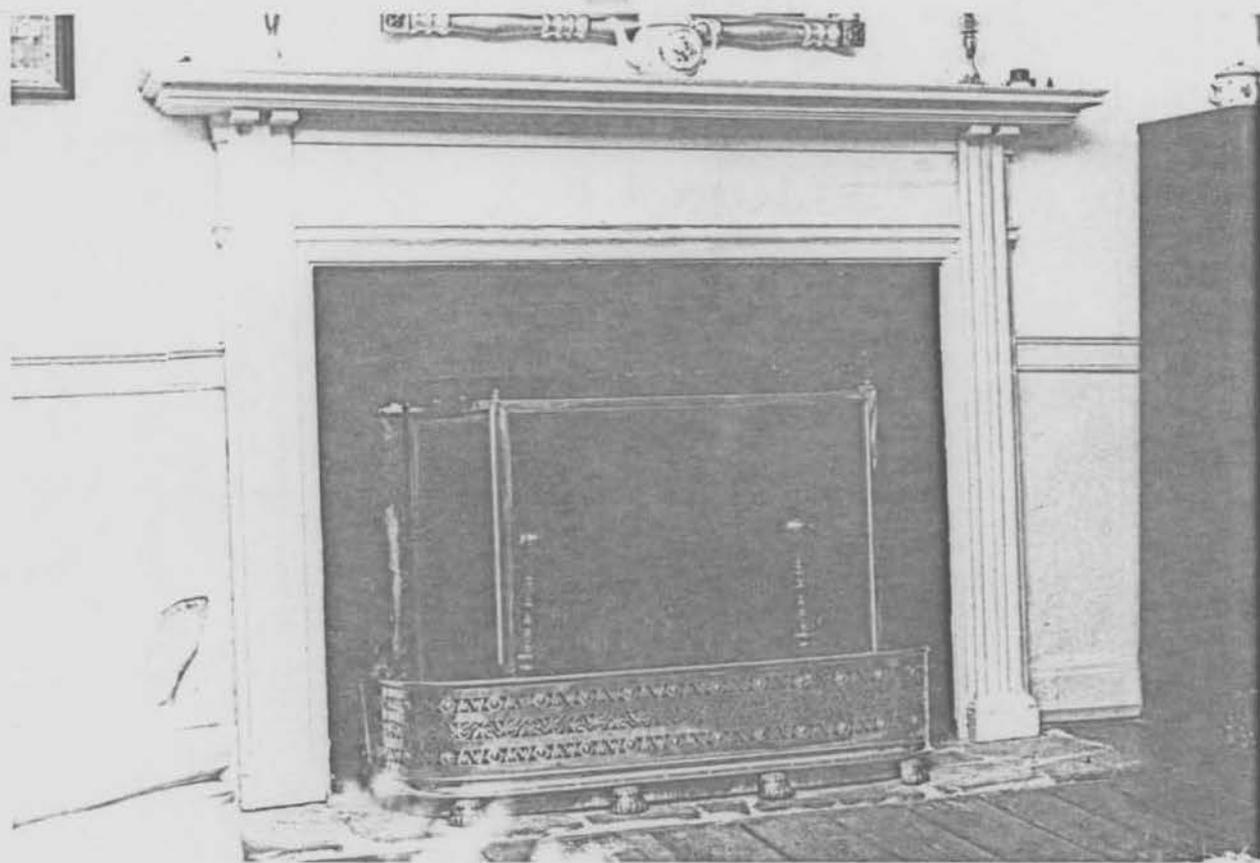
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5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Dining Room south wall (mantel and china cupboard)
7. 18/21



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1. Plinlimmon
2. Baltimore County, Maryland
3. John Simkins
4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Dining Room mantel
7. 19/21

1. Plinlimmon
2. Baltimore County, Maryland
3. John Simkins
4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Living Room, north and west walls
7. 20/21



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3. John Simkins
4. October 23, 1982
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. Living Room mantel
7. 21/21