

# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common H. B. Trueman Lumber Company

## 2. Location

street &amp; number Old Town Road(Maryland Route 524) \_\_\_ not for publication

city, town Huntingtown \_\_\_ vicinity of congressional district

state Maryland county Calvert

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
___ district	___ public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	___ agriculture	___ museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	___ unoccupied	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commercial	___ park
___ structure	___ both	___ work in progress	___ educational	___ private residence
___ site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	___ entertainment	___ religious
___ object	___ in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	___ government	___ scientific
	___ being considered	___ yes: unrestricted	___ industrial	___ transportation
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	___ no	___ military	___ other:

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

name H. B. Trueman Lumber Company

street &amp; number telephone no.:

city, town St. Leonard, state and zip code Maryland 20685

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Calvert County Courthouse liber

street &amp; number Main Street (MD 765) folio

city, town Prince Frederick state Maryland

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date \_\_\_ federal \_\_\_ state \_\_\_ county \_\_\_ local

pository for survey records

city, town state

## 7. Description

Survey No. CT-765

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved	date of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed			

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

This very good early twentieth-century commercial building is oriented with its gable end to the east, facing directly onto Old Town Road. It is a framed building with vertical matchboard siding. The central section is two stories high. There are original side-hinged double doors in the second-story gable end, for loading. These have been stabilized and patched shut with a modern domestic gable roof truss, which also serves to advertise the business. The first-floor facade is composed almost entirely of sliding wood panels. On the northeast corner of the interior is a winder stair to the second story. Two brick stove flues accommodate a pair of stoves. Clerestory windows light the second story. The two-story section of the building is extended by a two-story cross wing on the rear. The north one-story side shed serves as an office for the business. The south shed provides additional storage. The gable roof of the central structure is supported by rafters with exposed ends at the eaves. The south shed is attached by a wood hyphen to later gable-fronted garage-like structures and a three-bay office with a gable roof and six-over-six sash.

# 8. Significance

Survey No.

CT-765

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400–1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500–1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600–1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/ humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700–1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800–1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900–	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		

Specific dates	Builder/Architect
check: Applicable Criteria: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D and/or	
Applicable Exception: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G	
Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local	

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

Directed historical research would more firmly establish the historical significance of this site.



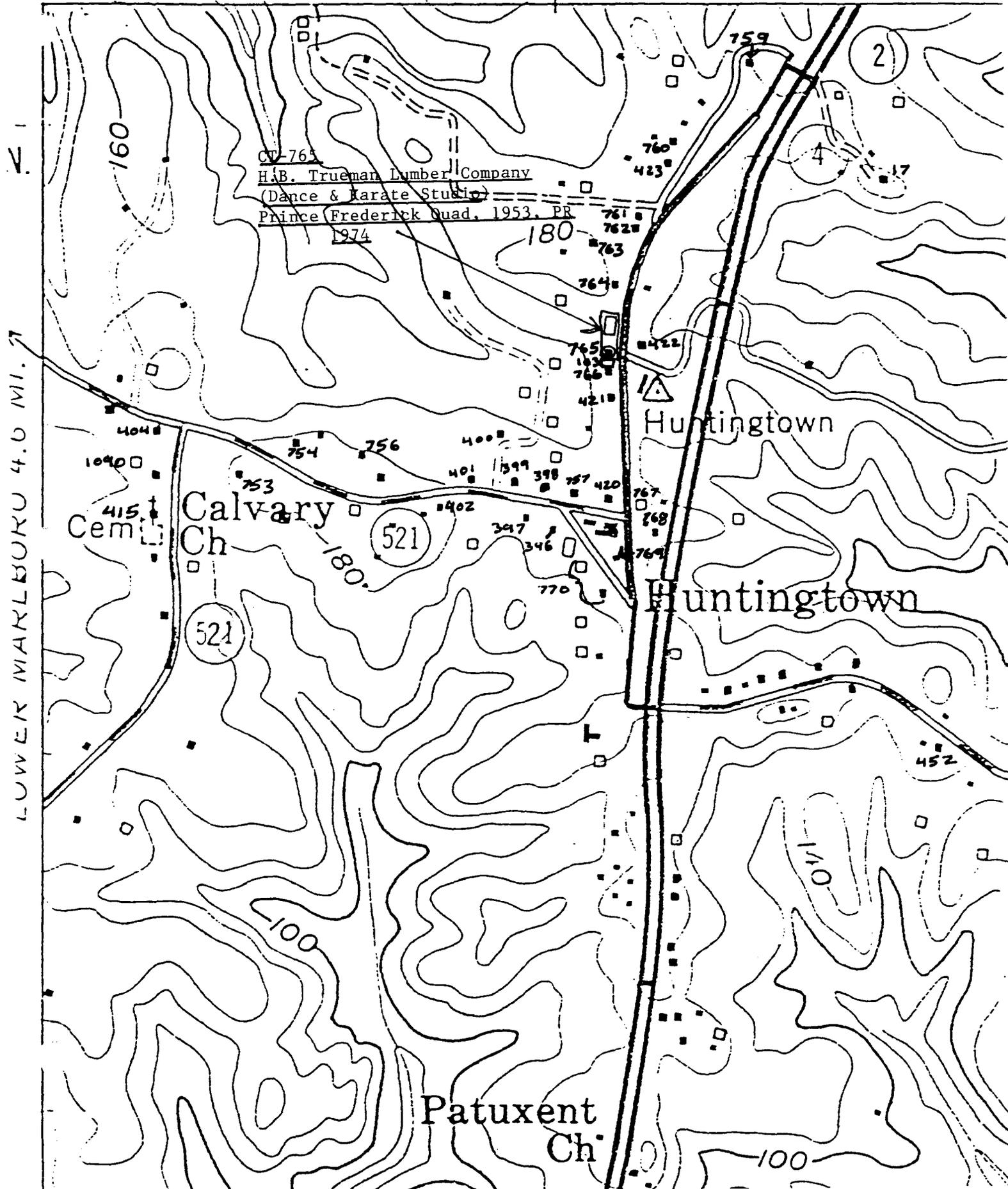
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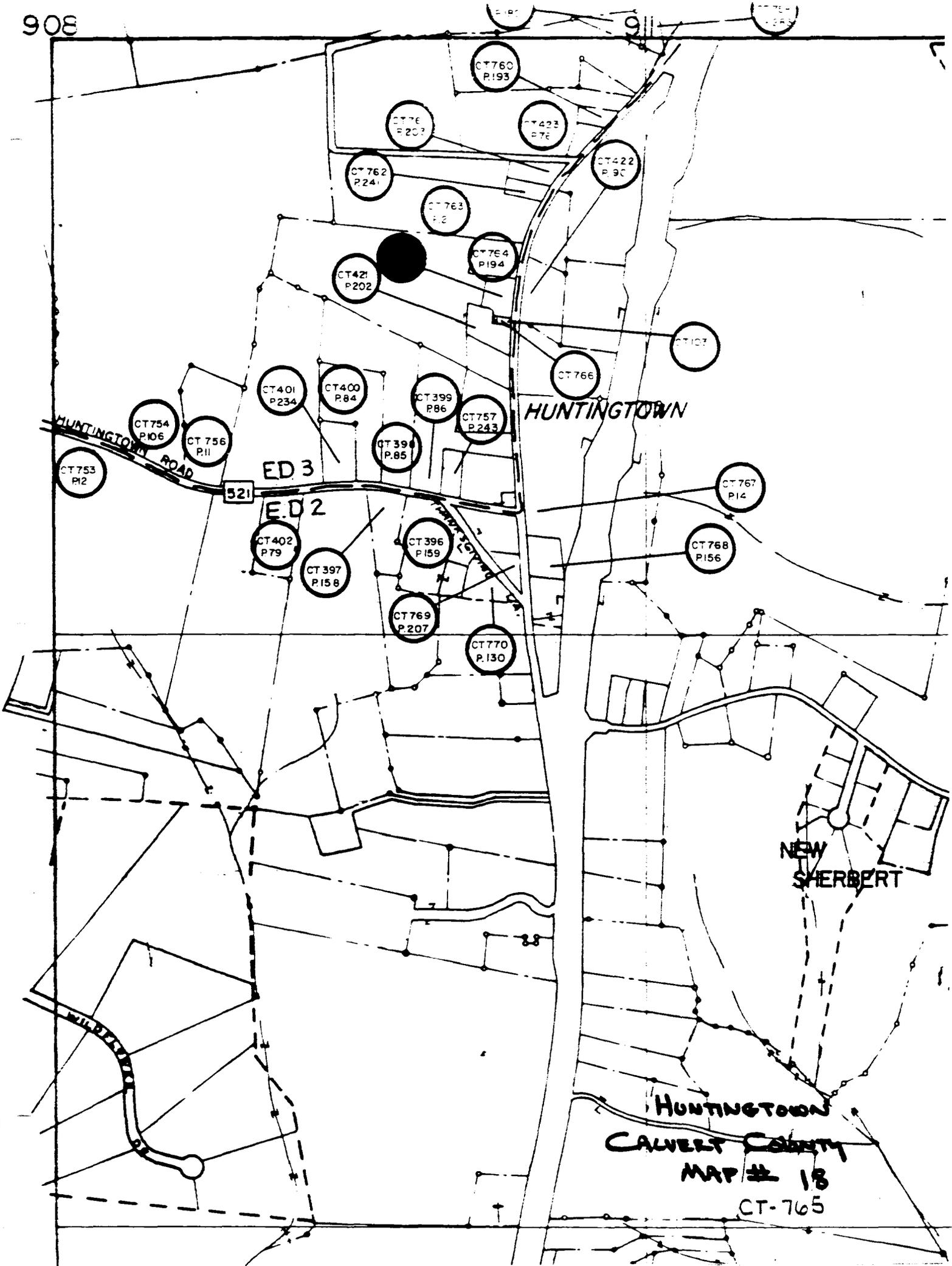
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HUNTINGTOWN

NEW SHERBERT

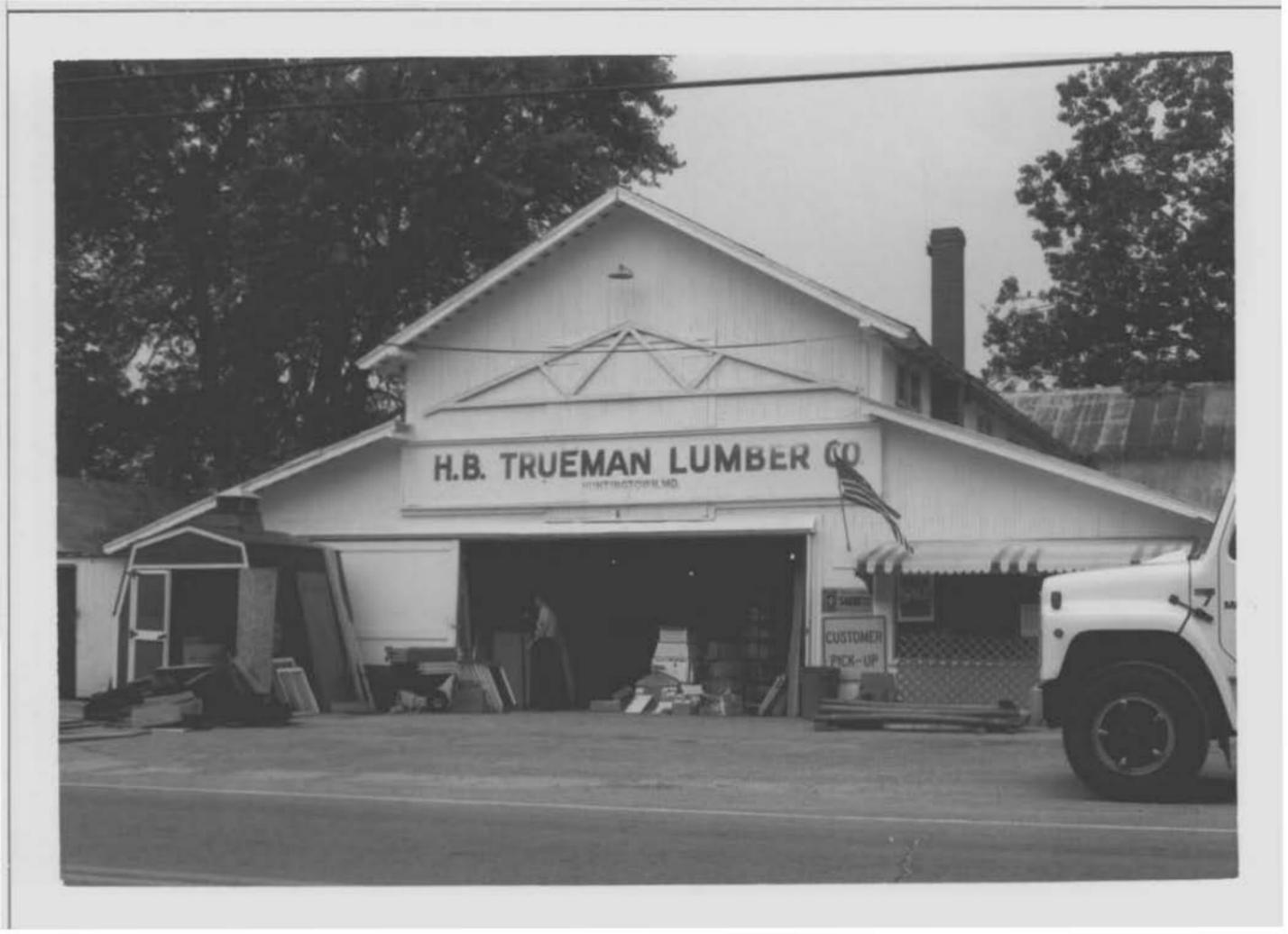
HUNTINGTOWN  
 CALVERT COUNTY  
 MAP # 18  
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ED 3

ED 2

HUNTINGTOWN ROAD  
 521

WILBERT ROAD

A black and white photograph of a large, white, gabled building with a prominent sign that reads "H.B. TRUEMAN LUMBER CO." and "HINTON TOWNE, MD." below it. The building has a large open bay door in the center, and a smaller entrance to the left. An American flag is flying on a pole to the right of the main entrance. A white truck is partially visible on the right side of the frame. The foreground is a paved area with some lumber and materials scattered around. The background shows trees and a utility pole.

**H.B. TRUEMAN LUMBER CO.**  
HINTON TOWNE, MD.

CUSTOMER  
PICK-UP

Ct-765 Trueman Lumber Company  
Old Town Road  
Huntingtown

Camille Wells 9/86  
view from the east