

Garage (Building 23), Henryton Sanatorium
CARR-1626
Carroll County
Marriottsville Vicinity
circa 1940
Public

The Garage stands one-story tall, composed of concrete block with a shed roof (see Figure 20). Built in circa 1940, the garage possesses five bays along its front, northern elevation, each containing a metal overhead garage.

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Documenting the variety of building types that once served secondary roles to the institution's operation during the mid-twentieth century, the Garage, Building 23, appears to be contributing element to the Maryland Register eligible Henryton Sanatorium Historic District (CARR-1616). A somewhat common mid-twentieth century building type, the Garage comprises a minor element of the district, and does not appear to meet Maryland Register eligibility criteria as an individual resource.

Maryland Historical Trust

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No. CARR-1626

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic Garage - Henryton Sanatorium Historic District
 other Building 23 - Henryton Center

2. Location

street and number south side of Henryton Road, west of Marriottsville Road not for publication
 city, town Marriottsville vicinity
 county Carroll

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

name Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
 street and number 201 W. Preston Street telephone (410) 767-6816
 city, town Baltimore state MD zip code 21201

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Howard County Courthouse tax map and parcel Map 79, Parcel 150
 city, town Ellicott City liber 116 folio 127

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
- Other: _____

6. Classification

| Category | Ownership | Current Function | | Resource Count | |
|---|--|---|---|----------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> district | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public | <input type="checkbox"/> agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> landscape | Contributing | Noncontributing |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> private | <input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade | <input type="checkbox"/> recreation/culture | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> buildings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> structure | <input type="checkbox"/> both | <input type="checkbox"/> defense | <input type="checkbox"/> religion | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> sites |
| <input type="checkbox"/> site | | <input type="checkbox"/> domestic | <input type="checkbox"/> social | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> structures |
| <input type="checkbox"/> object | | <input type="checkbox"/> education | <input type="checkbox"/> transportation | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> objects |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> funerary | <input type="checkbox"/> work in progress | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> Total |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> government | <input type="checkbox"/> unknown | | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> health care | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use | | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> industry | <input type="checkbox"/> other: | | |
| | | | | | Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the Inventory |
| | | | | | <u>0</u> |

7. Description

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Condition

excellent deteriorated
 good ruins
 fair altered

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

The Garage (Building 23) stands one-story tall, composed of concrete block with a shed roof. Built in circa 1940, the garage possesses five bays along its front, northern elevation, each containing a metal overhead garage door. The garage has good overall integrity.

8. Significance

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| Period | Areas of Significance | Check and justify below | | |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699 | <input type="checkbox"/> agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> economics | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> health/medicine | <input type="checkbox"/> performing arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799 | <input type="checkbox"/> archeology | <input type="checkbox"/> education | <input type="checkbox"/> industry | <input type="checkbox"/> philosophy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899 | <input type="checkbox"/> architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> invention | <input type="checkbox"/> politics/government |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-1999 | <input type="checkbox"/> art | <input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation | <input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> religion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2000- | <input type="checkbox"/> commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage | <input type="checkbox"/> law | <input type="checkbox"/> science |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> communications | <input type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement | <input type="checkbox"/> literature | <input type="checkbox"/> social history |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> community planning | | <input type="checkbox"/> maritime history | <input type="checkbox"/> transportation |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> conservation | | <input type="checkbox"/> military | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |

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|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------|
| Specific dates | circa 1940-1962 | Architect/Builder | Unknown |
| Construction dates | circa 1940 | | |

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.)

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The Henryton Sanatorium was one of four state-operated tuberculosis sanatoria established during the early twentieth century that represented a significant part of Maryland’s public health campaign to stop the spread of tuberculosis. The first state tuberculosis sanatorium was at Sabillasville, Frederick County, and opened in 1908. The other state sanatoria established after Sabillasville included Henryton (1923), Mount Wilson (1924), and the Eastern Shore Tuberculosis Sanatorium (1928). The Henryton Sanatorium was the first and only of the state sanatoria established for the treatment of African-American patients, whom statistical trends in Maryland show had a high mortality rate attributed to tuberculosis. The garage represents part of the expansion of the Henryton Sanatorium during the 1940s with regards to hospital capacity and onsite staff housing.

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9. Major Bibliographical References

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Riggs-Warfield-Roloson, Incorporated

1953-1959 "Maryland Tuberculosis Hospital (Colored Branch)". Insurance Survey on file at the Maryland State Archives, Annapolis, MD.

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 46
Acreage of historical setting 105
Quadrangle name Sykesville MarylandQuadrangle scale: 1:24 000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The garage is located within the proposed boundaries for the Henryton Sanatorium Historic District. The proposed boundaries for the district include all of the historic Sanatorium parcel west of Henryton Road and north of the former B&O Railroad tracks. These boundaries encompass the Sanatorium's historic setting and landscape features, as well as all surviving resources related to the property's use as a tuberculosis facility. The district has been documented as MHT inventory number CARR-1616.

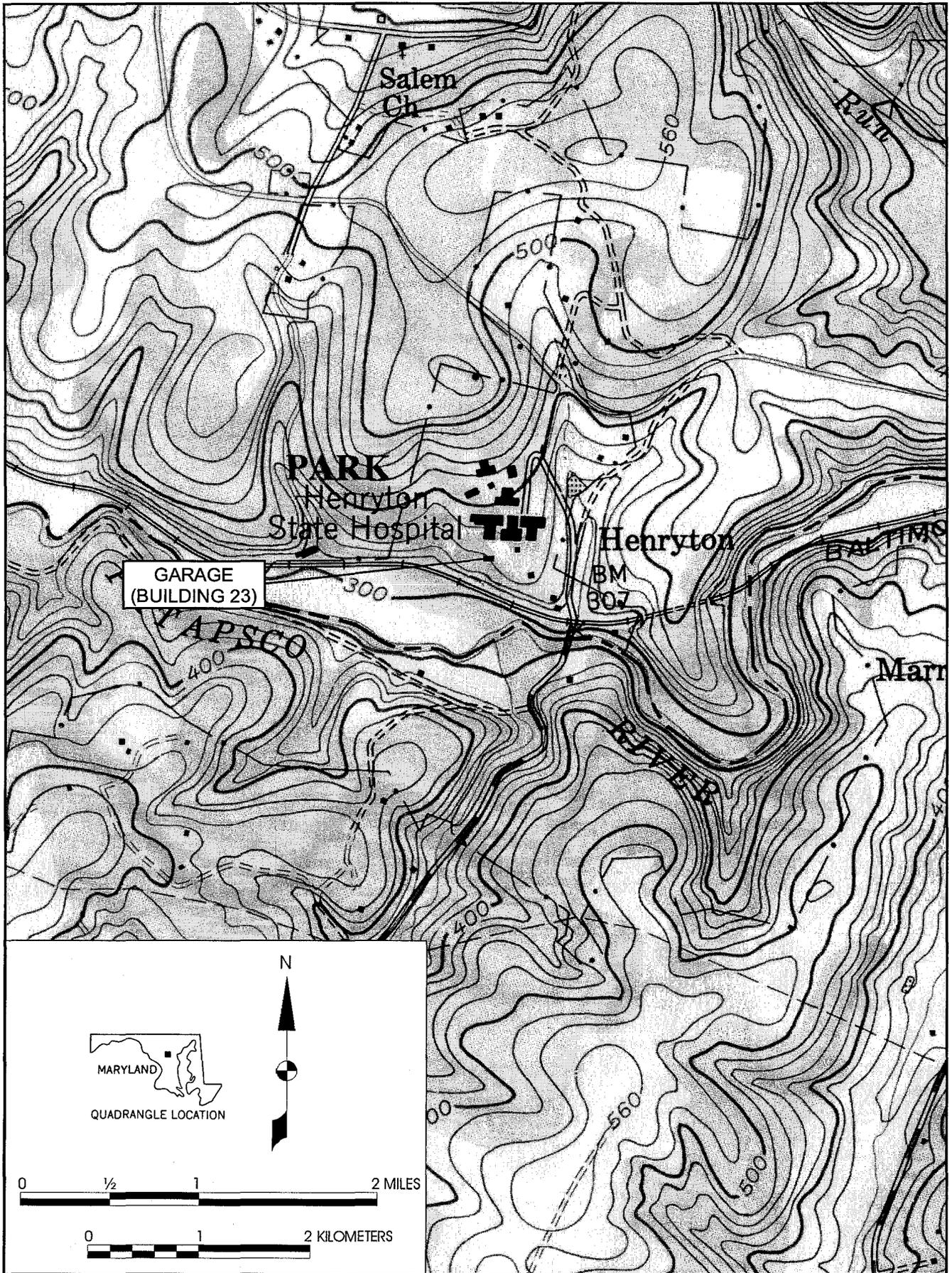
11. Form Prepared by

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| organization | The Louis Berger Group | date | August 2000 |
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| city or town | Washington, D.C. | state | |

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

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

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Crownsville, MD 21032-2023
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Garage (Building 23; CARR-1626)

SOURCE: USGS 7.5 Minute Quadrangle, Sykesville, MD 1953
(Photorevised 1979)



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North & East Elevations South west view

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