

CARR- 319

CRUMBACKER/GRAVES HOUSE

Uniontown

c. 1815

private

CARR-319 Crumbacker/Graves House
3465 Uniontown Road

3465 Uniontown Road was also part of the Abraham Crumbacker estate. The cabinet-maker Glazier purchased the house and later sold it to Reverend Diedrich Graves, who was pastor of St. Lucas Reformed Church. According to Dr. J. J. Weaver, Jr., Reverend Graves served at St. Lucas Reformed Church from 1820-1825. Later owners were Hannah Yon and John Eckard. This structure also has the offset entrance bay on the main facade. The windows have been enlarged, and there is a late nineteenth century porch running the full-length of the main facade. However, you can still distinguish some early features of the house from the exterior, such as the broad brick chimney on the east gable end. The roof line appears to make an unusual "kick" at its lower edge, which is a feature found in early log construction of German settlers in Pennsylvania. The "kick" was formed by the shape of the rafters as they connected with the plate and was designed to carry rainwater away from the weatherboards on the facades.



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FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

SURVEY NUMBER: CARQ-319
NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing
U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: New Windsor
PRESENT FORMAL NAME:
ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
PRESENT USE: Residence
ORIGINAL USE: Residence
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE: Excellent () Good (X) Fair () Poor ()
THEME:
STYLE: vernacular
DATE BUILT: c. 1815

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Uniontown
LOCATION: 3465 Uniontown Rd
COMMON NAME: Crumbaker / Graves House
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residence
OWNER: Clarence E. Lockard
ADDRESS: 3463 Uniontown Rd
Uniontown Md 21157
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Yes () No (X) Restricted ()
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: Local () State () National ()

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:
Structural System
1. Foundation: Stone (X) Brick () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
2. Wall Structure
A. Wood: Log (X) Post and Beam () Balloon ()
B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick () Stone () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
C. Iron () D. Steel () E. Other
3. Wall Covering: Weatherboard (X) German Siding () Board and Batten ()
Wood Shingle () Shiplap () Novelty () Stucco () Sheet Metal ()
Aluminum () Asphalt Shingle () Brick Veneer () Stone Veneer ()
Bonding Pattern: Other:
4. Roof Structure
A. Truss: Wood (X) Iron () Steel () Concrete ()
B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate () Wood Shingle () Asphalt Shingle () Sheet Metal (X)
Built Up () Rolled () Tile () Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:
Appendages: Porches (X) Towers () Cupolas () Dormers () Chimneys () Sheds ()
Ells () Wings () Other:
Roof Style: Gable (X) Hip () Shed () Flat () Mansard () Gambrel () Jerkinhead ()
Saw Tooth () With Monitor () With Bellcast () With Parapet ()
With False Front () Other:
Number of Stories: 2
Number of Bays: 3 x 1
Approximate Dimensions:
Entrance Location: side

THREAT TO STRUCTURE:
No Threat (X) Zoning () Roads ()
Development () Deterioration ()
Alteration () Other:

LOCAL ATTITUDES:
Positive (X) Negative ()
Mixed () Other:

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The cornice appears to retain a Pa. German "kick" at the roofline.

RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

see Uniontown Md - A Walking Tour

REFERENCES:

- 1862 Martenet's Map:
- 1877 LG & S Atlas:

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

- Open Lane () Woodland () Scattered Buildings ()
- Moderately Built Up () Densely-Built Up ()
- Residential () Commercial ()
- Agricultural () Industrial ()
- Roadside Strip Development ()
- Other:

RECORDED BY:

Joe Betty

ORGANIZATION:

C.C. Dept. of Planning

DATE RECORDED:

9/84



1. CARR-319 Crumbacker/Graves House
2. Carroll County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. November, 1984
5. Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD
6. North elevation, camera facing south
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