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UNIONTOWN ROAD HOUSE

late 19th century

Westminster vicinity

private

The Uniontown Road House is a typical late nineteenth century house which presents the major characteristics of the regional farmhouse, i.e. two stories, symmetrical facade, gable roof, L-shaped plan. This example is constructed of brick (running bond) on a fieldstone foundation. It appears to have been built between 1862 and 1877 from references to the two maps of Carroll County.



DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

225. N. Center Street
Westminster, Maryland 21157

WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

SURVEY NUMBER: 4/2 CARR-687
NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:
UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing
U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: New Windsor
PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Westminster vicinity
LOCATION: Unintown Road, .4 mile east of
Rouge Road TAX MAP 38 BLOCK 23 P-503
COMMON NAME:
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: residence
OWNER: Capco.
ADDRESS:
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
Yes ( ) No (X) Restricted ( )
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
Local ( ) State ( ) National ( )

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
PRESENT USE: uninhabited (for sale)
ORIGINAL USE: residence
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
Excellent ( ) Good ( )
Fair ( ) Poor ( )
THEME:
STYLE:
DATE BUILT: late 19th century

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:
Structural System
1. Foundation: Stone (X) Brick ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
2. Wall Structure
A. Wood: Log ( ) Post and Beam ( ) Balloon ( )
B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick (X) Stone ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
C. Iron ( ) D. Steel ( ) E. Other
3. Wall Covering: Weatherboard ( ) German Siding ( ) Board and Batten ( )
Wood Shingle ( ) Shiplap ( ) Novelty ( ) Stucco ( ) Sheet Metal ( )
Aluminum ( ) Asphalt Shingle ( ) Brick Veneer ( ) Stone Veneer ( )
Bonding Pattern: running Other:
4. Roof Structure
A. Truss: Wood (X) Iron ( ) Steel ( ) Concrete ( )
B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate ( ) Wood Shingle ( ) Asphalt Shingle (X) Sheet Metal ( )
Built Up ( ) Rolled ( ) Tile ( ) Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:
Appendages: Porches (X) Towers ( ) Cupolas ( ) Dormers ( ) Chimneys ( ) Sheds ( )
Ells (X) 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 2
Approximate Dimensions:
Entrance Location: center

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

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

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

L-shaped plan  
follows major characteristics of regional type



RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

frame barn/stable - was dismantled in 1983

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

representative farmhouse of regional style

REFERENCES:

- 1862 Martenet's Map:
- 1877 LG & S Atlas: J. Tate - built between 1862-1877

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

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

RECORDED BY:

Joe Betty

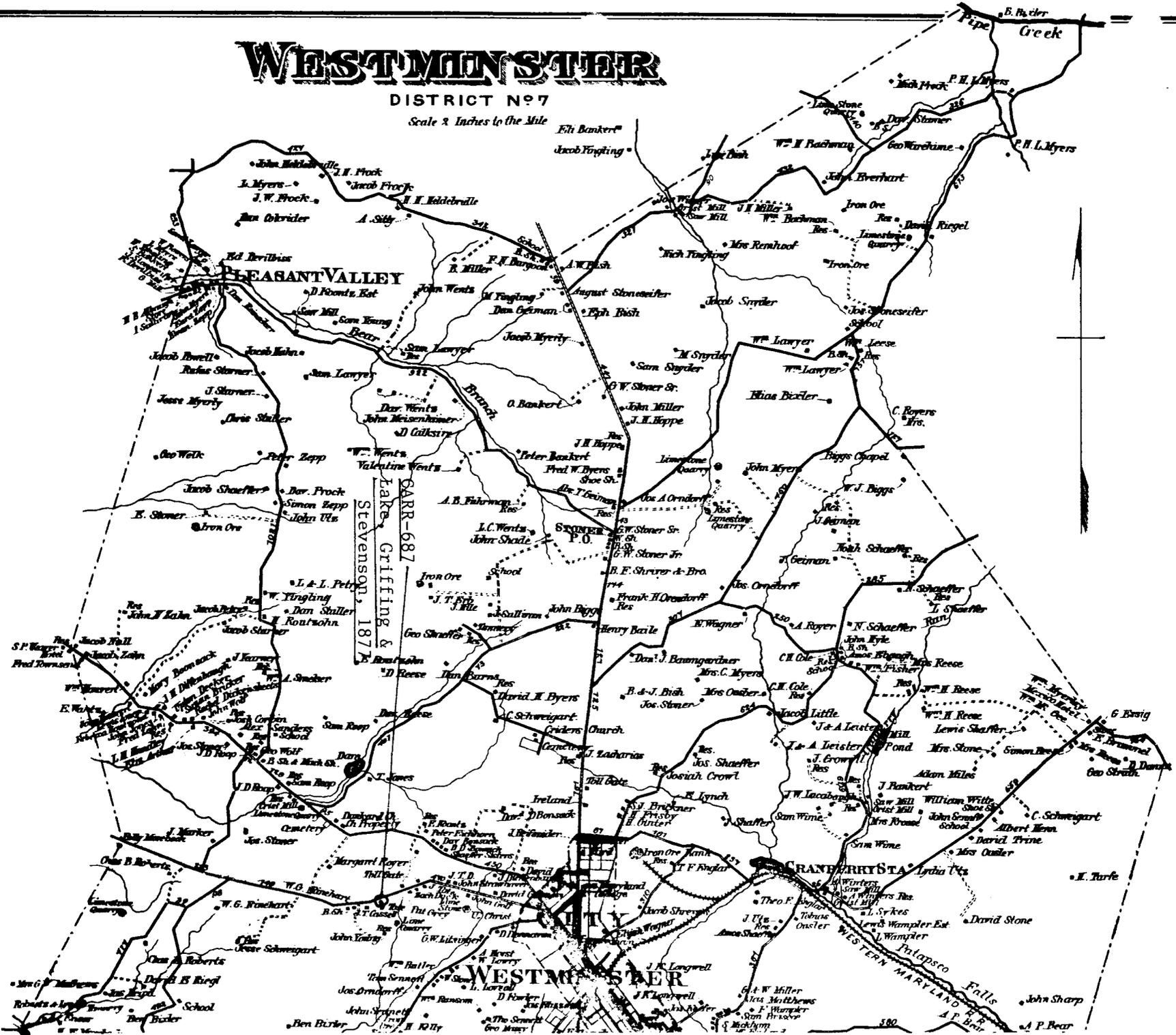
ORGANIZATION:

DATE RECORDED:

# WESTMINSTER

DISTRICT NO 7

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile



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U.S.G.S. MAP  
NEW WINDSOR, MD.  
1:24000 SCALE





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Westminster vicinity

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north elevation

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1. Brick House
2. Uniontown Rd. Carroll Co. Md.
3. Joe Getty
4. 8183
5. Md. Hist. Trust, Annapolis Md
6. south and east elevations
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