

CARR - 731

1443 OLD MANCHESTER ROAD

mid-19th century

Westminster vicinity

private

1443 Old Manchester Road is an unusual farmhouse and highly interesting structure. It has not been remodeled and many of its early characteristics can still be seen. The general shape of the structure is unusual for this region through its rear addition covered by a catslide roof similar to building styles found in New England. The main facade is four bay wide with two entrances on the first story and six-over-six windows in the other bays. The exterior is covered in German siding and the siding below the full-length, one-story front porch is painted white--a characteristic traditionally found in German settled areas of Maryland and Pennsylvania.



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 225. N. Center Street
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WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

SURVEY NUMBER: CARR-731

NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:

UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing

U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: Westminster

PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:

PRESENT USE: residence

ORIGINAL USE: "

ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:

BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
 Excellent () Good ()
 Fair () Poor (X)

THEME:

STYLE:

DATE BUILT: early-to-mid 19th century

COUNTY: CARROLL

TOWN: Westminster vicinity

LOCATION: 1443 Old Manchester Road (MD 552)

TAX MAP 39 Block 12 P-19

COMMON NAME:

FUNCTIONAL TYPE: residence

OWNER: ROY C. LEISTER

ADDRESS: 1423 OLD MANCHESTER RD
WESTMINSTER 21157

ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
 Yes () No (X) Restricted ()

LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
 Local () State () National ()

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Structural System

- Foundation: Stone (X) Brick () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
- Wall Structure
 - Wood: Log () Post and Beam (X) Balloon ()
 - Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick () Stone () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
 - Iron () D. Steel () E. Other
- Wall Covering: Weatherboard () German Siding (X) Board and Batten ()
 Wood Shingle () Shiplap () Novelty () Stucco () Sheet Metal ()
 Aluminum () Asphalt Shingle () Brick Veneer () Stone Veneer ()
 Bonding Pattern: Other:
- Roof Structure
 - Truss: Wood (X) Iron () Steel () Concrete ()
 - Other:
- Roof Covering: Slate () Wood Shingle () Asphalt Shingle () Sheet Metal (X)
 Built Up () Rolled () Tile () Other:
- Engineering Structure:
- 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: 4 x 1

Approximate Dimensions: _____

Entrance Location: 2 entrances

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

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

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

catslide roof makes structure unusual for this area
beams siding exterior - painted white below 1st. full-length front porch



RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

unusual early-to-mid 19th century house - deserves further research to determine its date of construction & origin

REFERENCES:

- 1862 Martenet's Map: ?
- 1877 LG & S Atlas: E. Brumel Stree ?

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 Tutty

ORGANIZATION:

DATE RECORDED:

8/83

U.S.G.S. MAP
WESTMINSTER, MD.
1:24000 SCALE

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1. CARR-731 1443 OLD MANCHESTER ROAD
2. Carroll County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. August 1983
5. Md. Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. North and west elevations (camera facing southeast)
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