

CARR - 736

1206 MARTIN DRIVE

mid-19th century

Westminster vicinity

private

1206 Martin Drive appears as the Lewis Shaffer residence on the 1877 map. As it is not shown on the 1862, it was probably built between those years. It is a log structure representative of mid-nineteenth century farmhouse that has been remodeled several times. Its notable features are its centrally located gable dormer and full-length, one story porch. Several period farm buildings remain on the property.



DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

225. N. Center Street
Westminster, Maryland 21157

WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

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SURVEY NUMBER: CARR-736
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: residence
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE: Excellent ( ) Good (X) Fair ( ) Poor ( )
THEME:
STYLE:
DATE BUILT: mid-19th century

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Westminster vicinity
LOCATION: 1206 Martin Drive
TAX MAP 39 Block 11 P-17
COMMON NAME:
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: residence
OWNER: Joseph A. Farinholt RALPH A CONDON Jr.
ADDRESS: 1206 Martin Dr. 2300 OLD NEW WINDSOR PIKE
Westminster MD 21157 NEW WINDSOR
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 ( ) German Siding ( ) Board and Batten ( )
Wood Shingle ( ) Shiplap ( ) Novelty ( ) Stucco ( ) Sheet Metal ( )
Aluminum ( ) Asphalt Shingle (X) 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 (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 1/2
Number of Bays: 3 x 1
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:

full-length 1 st. front porch  
gable dormer on roof

RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

wagon shed  
spring house

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

representative of mid-19th c. farmhouse

REFERENCES:

1862 Martenet's Map:  
1877 LG & S Atlas: Lewis Sheller

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 Getty

ORGANIZATION:

DATE RECORDED:

8/83

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





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1. 1206 Martin Drive
2. Carroll Co., Md.
3. J. Getty
4. 8/83
5. Md. Hist. Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. east elevation
7. 1/1



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east facade

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