

Maryland Historical Trust

State Historic Sites Inventory Form

1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Madison House, Tome School for Boys

and/or common Building 5, Bainbridge Naval Training Center

2. Location

street & number _____ not for publication

city, town Port Deposit vicinity of _____ congressional district First

state Maryland _____ county MD

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial <input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> educational <input type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment <input type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government <input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial <input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military <input type="checkbox"/> other:

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

name U.S.Navy, c/o Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Atlantic Division

street & number _____ telephone no.: (804)444-9041

city, town Norfolk _____ state and zip code VA 23511

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Cecil County Court House _____ liber W.E.B. 25

street & number _____ folio 423

city, town Elkton _____ state MD

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title _____

date _____ federal state county local

depository for survey records _____

city, town _____ state _____

7. Description

Survey No. CE-1265

Condition		Check one	Check one	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site	
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved	date of move _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed			

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

Madison House is a 2½ story stone dormitory building in Beaux-Arts neoclassical style located on the west side of the quadrangle of the former Tome School for Boys on the grounds of the Bainbridge Naval Training Center near Port Deposit, Maryland. It is now in use as part of the Susquehanna Job Corps Center.

The rectangular building has a central portion of three bays flanked by five bays on each side. The central portion has a limestone tetrastyle Ionic portico with a plaster pediment and garlanded oculus. The doorway has a limestone arched surround and a fanlight over the double entrance doors. The fenestration is six over six light sliding sash. The lintels, sills, and quoins are limestone.

Several original features of the building have been removed. Wood balconies on scroll-sawn consoles were located on the second floor inner three bays. One-story open porches with turned wood roof balustrades originally located on the north and south elevations have been removed and replaced by steel fire escapes. The three bay gable ends have been altered for access doors to the fire escapes. The original window shutters have been removed.

Interior alterations during the Navy's use of Madison House have left little of the original woodwork and trim intact. The main lobby or "clubroom" has been reduced in size and the fireplace is closed off.

8. Significance

Survey No. CE-1265

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

Specific dates 1904 Builder/Architect Boring and Tilton

check: Applicable Criteria: A B C D
 and/or
 Applicable Exception: A B C D E F G
 Level of Significance: national state local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

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Under Navy ownership, the dormitory was used by students of the Naval Academy Preparatory School.

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Madison House, Tome School for Boys
Bainbridge Naval Training Center
Port Deposit vicinity
Public (Restricted)
1904

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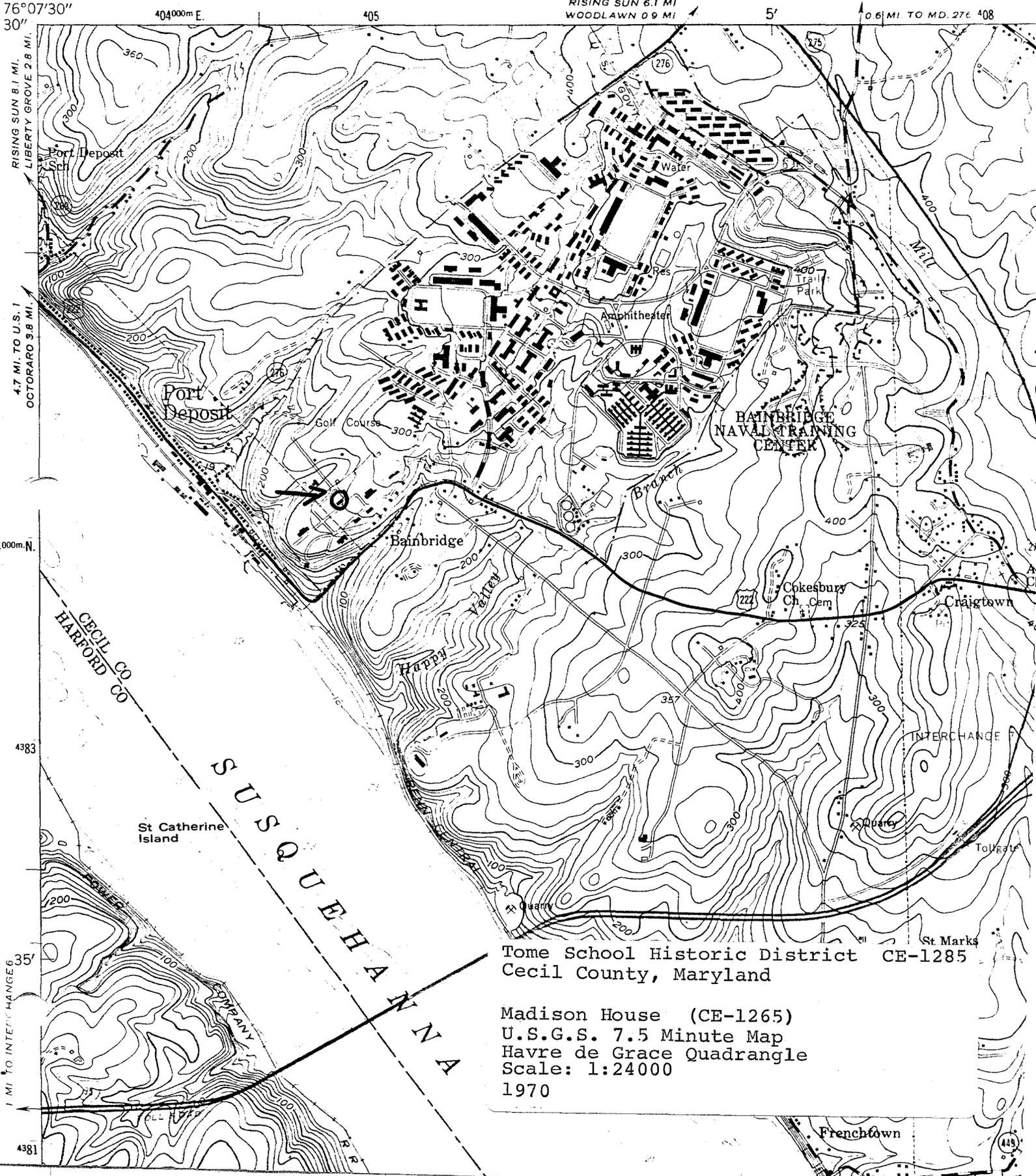
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Tome School Historic District CE-1285
Cecil County, Maryland

Madison House (CE-1265)
SE elevation
from: Architecture, 5, 1902

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY



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Madison House (CE-1265)
U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute Map
Havre de Grace Quadrangle
Scale: 1:24000
1970

76°07'30"
30"
RISING SUN 8.1 MI.
LIBERTY GROVE 2.8 MI.
4.7 MI. TO U.S. 1
OCTORARO 3.8 MI.
34000m.N.
4383
35'
4381

404000m.E. 405
RISING SUN 6.1 MI
WOODLAWN 0.9 MI
5'
0.6 MI TO MD. 276 408
Port Deposit
Port Deposit
Golf Course
Bainbridge
Happy
SUSQUEHANNA
St Catherine Island

Water
Res.
Amphitheater
HAINBRIDGE NAVAL TRAINING CENTER
Branch
Cokesbury Ch. Cem.
Craigtown
INTERCHANGE
Quarry
Tollgate
St Marks
Frenchtown



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Madison House (CE-1265), NE corner vw.

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