

**INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY/DISTRICT  
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST  
INTERNAL NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM**

Property/District Name: Reids Grove Historic District Survey Number: D -702

Project: Dorchester County Power Plant Agency: DP&L

Site visit by MHT Staff:  no  yes Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Eligibility recommended  Eligibility **not** recommended

Criteria:  A  B  C  D Considerations:  A  B  C  D  E  F  G  None

Justification for decision: (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map)

The Reids Grove eligible Historic District is a small crossroads community located at the intersection of Route 331 and Reid Road in Dorchester County, MD. The community grew up around the Salisbury Line of the Dorchester and Delaware Railroad (later the Baltimore and Eastern Line) in the last quarter of the 19th century. The community takes its name from the Reid family, 18th-century owners of the large tracts of land from which the village was carved. The village consists of an intact and cohesive group of 11 contributing resources, including a general store (now closed), a church, a school (now a residence), and eight, single-family dwellings. The passenger depot, which stood at the center of the village during the heyday of railroad travel, was moved to its present site north of Reids Grove in 1929 when passenger service was discontinued.

The architecture of Reids Grove ranges in date from the late 19th century to the first quarter of the 20th century. The buildings are generally vernacular in nature, but are good examples of local building traditions. The Reids Grove United Methodist Church is one of the best examples of a late 19th-century, gothic-influenced church in this part of the county, while the dwelling at 5007 Reid Road provides a good example of gothic influence on domestic buildings. Built prior to 1913, this dwelling is a two-story frame structure with a front gable roof. A pointed-arch window is located in the attic level of this front gable. The general store is located along Route 331 with the store entrance located in the gable end, facing this principal artery.

A group of two-story frame houses with front porches aligns Route 331 and stands out as a cohesive row of medium-sized workers housing. The other houses in the eligible district reflect typical late 19th to early 20th-century vernacular building traditions and range from the two-story, three-bay frame houses to low-lying, bungalows with craftsman detailing.

The Reids Grove Historic District retains its historic layout and surrounding landscapes and survives as a locally significant example of a small railroad village. The district's period of significance began in the last quarter of the nineteenth century and continued until the first quarter of the twentieth century. The district includes a cohesive group of buildings from this period and is eligible for listing in the National Register under criterion C.



MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA - HISTORIC CONTEXT

I. Geographic Region:

- Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)
- Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George's and St. Mary's)
- Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)
- Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

- Paleo-Indian 10000-7500 B.C.
- Early Archaic 7500-6000 B.C.
- Middle Archaic 6000-4000 B.C.
- Late Archaic 4000-2000 B.C.
- Early Woodland 2000-500 B.C.
- Middle Woodland 500 B.C. - A.D. 900
- Late Woodland/Archaic A.D. 900-1600
- Contact and Settlement A.D. 1570-1750
- Rural Agrarian Intensification A.D. 1680-1815
- Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870
- Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930
- Modern Period A.D. 1930-Present
- Unknown Period (  prehistoric  historic)

III. Prehistoric Period Themes:

- Subsistence
- Settlement
- Political
- Demographic
- Religion
- Technology
- Environmental Adaptation

IV. Historic Period Themes:

- Agriculture
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
- Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- Government/Law
- Military
- Religion
- Social/Educational/Cultural
- Transportation

V. Resource Type:

Category: District

Historic Environment: Village

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Dwelling; Religious/Church; Educational/School; Commercial/Specialty Store

Known Design Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Maryland Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan Data

D-702 - Reids Grove

Geographic Organization: Eastern Shore

Chronological/Development Period: Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930

Historic Period Theme: Architecture

Resource Type:

Category: District

Historic Environment: Village

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Dwelling

Known Design Source: None

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**MARYLAND INVENTORY OF**  
**HISTORIC PROPERTIES**

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DOE  yes  no
**1. Name** (indicate preferred name)

historic "Windsor Hill", "Samuel Webster Farm", "Partnership"

and/or common Reids Grove

**2. Location**

street &amp; number intersection Rt. 331, Cemetery ., and Reid Road not for publication

city, town Reids Grove \_\_\_\_\_ vicinity of \_\_\_\_\_ congressional district \_\_\_\_\_

state Maryland \_\_\_\_\_ county Dorchester \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Classification**

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
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<input type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
	<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> transportation
			<input type="checkbox"/> other: Misc.

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

name multiple - district

street &amp; number \_\_\_\_\_ telephone no.: \_\_\_\_\_

city, town \_\_\_\_\_ state and zip code \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Location of Legal Description**

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Dorchester County Courthouse liber \_\_\_\_\_

street &amp; number High Street folio \_\_\_\_\_

city, town Cambridge state MD

**6. Representation in Existing** Historical Surveys

title \_\_\_\_\_

date \_\_\_\_\_  federal  state  county  local

pository for survey records \_\_\_\_\_

city, town \_\_\_\_\_ state \_\_\_\_\_

# 7. Description

Survey No. D-702

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>
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Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

# 8. Significance

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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
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		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		

**Specific dates** **Builder/Architect**

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.

# 9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No.D-702

Between the Nanticoke and the Choptank, Christopher Weeks, Editor. Published by the John Hopkins University Press and the Maryland Historic Trust, 1982.

Dorchester Tercentenary Bay Country Festival 1669-1969, Thomas A. Flowers, Editor. M-93 Report; Griffing and Lake 1877

# 10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property Approximately 40

Quadrangle name Rhodesdale

Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

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### Verbal boundary description and justification

Tax Map 45, Parcels 27, 51, 52, 60, 61, 66, 74, 75, 76  
77, 80, 85. The district comprises approx. 40

acres

### List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
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### General Description

NOTE: ALL SITE NUMBERS FOR REIDS GROVE ARE KEYED TO MAP.

The community of Reids Grove is situated at the intersection of Route 331 and Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road and Reids Road. Buildings in this village particularly near the intersection have good architectural integrity and could comprise a local historic district. There are a variety of building types, including a general store (Site 6, now closed), a church, a school (Site 12, now a private residence), and individual dwellings.

Since the railroad track runs along the east side of Route 331, the village's structures are clustered along the west side of Route 331. Structures near the intersection and along Reid Road date from the late nineteenth century to the turn of the twentieth century, and most of those along Maiden Forest Road are from the latter period. Continuing west of the village of Reids Grove, there are also a number of modest structures on both sides of Maiden Forest Road that date from the second quarter of the twentieth century and that are outside of the district.

Two periods of development characterize this row of structures. Beginning on Route 331 and moving north where it intersects with Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road, the structures appear to have been built contemporaneously, possibly as housing for agricultural laborers associated with Windsor Hill. These are 2 1/2 story frame buildings with gable roofs. A few front porches are still open but most have been enclosed. Nearly all structures have replaced composition exterior coverings. Their similarity in form and material suggests they may have been constructed on a standardized design.

A corner store, which is no longer extant, stood at the northwest corner of Route 331 and Maiden Forest Road. The lot is still empty. The adjacent lot, No. 5102 on Route 331 (Site 12), was formerly a schoolhouse and serves as a residence today. Its bell-tower, remembered by a local resident, has been removed. Although there have been changes such as residing and the porch enclosures noted above, there are no modern intrusions in Reids Grove; it maintains the scale and character of a small village. The Reids Grove church, a front-gabled frame structure, anchors the district at the southwest corner of Route 331 and Maiden Forest/Cemetery Roads.

# 8. Significance

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Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> local	

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According to local tradition, the village of Reids Grove is associated with the site of John Reid's plantation which was first mentioned in 1799 as a polling place for the Third or Vienna Election District; however, this cannot be substantiated by historical evidence. According to historical evidence, the village of Reids Grove developed on parts of two large farms or tracts of land, both of which have late nineteenth or early twentieth century associations with Isaiah Reid and T. Columbus Reid, but no earlier associations with John Reid or with a tract of land called "Reids Grove." Moreover, there is no entry for a tract of land or plantation called "Reids Grove" in the index of Dorchester County tract and plantation names in the Maryland Hall of Records at Crownsville, Maryland. That part of Reids Grove located west of Maryland Route 331 is historically associated with a 424-acre tract of land called "Windsor Hill," while that part of the village lying east of Maryland Route 331 was part of a 406-acre tract of land called Samuel Webster's farm. Both of these nineteenth century tracts of land were created from a larger tract of land called "Partnership." "Partnership" was originally surveyed in 1697 for Thomas Ennals as 1170 acres of land in Dorchester County. In 1703, Ennals sold "Partnership" to Thomas Hicks (Archibald et al. 1994). At this time, the tract of land called "Partnership" was described as situated north of the Nanticoke River on the west side of Chicone Creek adjacent to Maiden Forest. During the eighteenth and nineteenth century, the original tract of land was divided through inheritance and through the sale of various parcels of land, ranging from 10 acres to several hundred acres in size. Throughout the mid and late nineteenth century, deed descriptions continued to record the historic association of "Windsor Hill" and the Samuel Webster farm with the tract of land called "Partnership."

The name "Reids Grove" does not appear on the 1877 atlas map of the Vienna area, but the nucleus of village development is clearly indicated. Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road is shown as a private road and probably dates from the early nineteenth century as the road leading from John Stewart's back gate, which is mentioned as a bench mark in the 1827 partition of John Stewart's estate and again in a 1870 deed as a cart road. On the 1877 map, the road leads to the residence of Isaiah Reid which he purchased from Charles Goldsborough in 1870 (Deedbook FJH-7-599). As early as 1864, a school was established at Reids Grove on land donated for that purpose by Robert Dixon. The school, which appears on the 1877 map as "School No. 2," is still standing and presently occupied as a private residence (Site 12). The church and cemetery, which are located opposite the schoolhouse on the south side of Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road, do not appear on the 1877 map; however, a residence owned by Dr. [Robert] Dixon is shown at this location. In 1895, Dixon donated an acre of land at the corner of Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road for the use of the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal

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**8. Significance continued**

Church. The deed which conveys the ground to the church trustees is one of the earliest documents to mention "Reids Grove." The village was apparently named Reids Grove because the older bloc of structures at the northwest corner of the intersection were erected during the period when Windsor Hill was owned by Isaiah Reid (1888-1892).

Railroad transportation came to Dorchester County in 1869 with the construction of the Salisbury Line of the Dorchester and Delaware Railroad (later the Baltimore and Eastern Line). The railroad tracks still run through the village of Reids Grove at their original location just east of and parallel to Maryland Route 331. The railroad does not appear to have played a significant role in the development of a village center at this locus. Although a passenger depot was located at Reids Grove, it appears to have been located there after the village center was established. The Reids Grove passenger depot (D-265) still exists but was moved from its original location in the village to its present site north of Reids Grove, on the west side of Maryland Route 331, when passenger service was discontinued in 1929.

Although the establishment of the church, the cemetery and the school as well as the name "Reids Grove" existed prior to the subdivision of "Windsor Hill" and the Samuel Webster farm, it cannot be determined exactly when the private residences were erected. However, the village lots situated on the west side of Maryland Route 331 may have been erected while "Windsor Hill" was still intact as housing for tenants associated with agricultural activities on the property. The area on the east side of Maryland Route 331 consists of several residential buildings erected on subdivision made in the early twentieth century after the village of Reids Grove was already established.

The Reids Grove district is locally significant as an example of a small, rural village which developed in the last quarter of the nineteenth century to the first quarter of the twentieth century. The period of significance thus spans the fifty-year period from 1875-1925. While the structures are not particularly outstanding architecturally, they were probably constructed by local builders and adapted to both national and local vernacular traditions for worker houses and community needs such as a school, church and store. The buildings there today are typical of smaller rural hamlets, once prevalent on Maryland's eastern shore. Reids Grove is eligible to the National Register under Criterion C.

**Reids Grove - Descriptions and Significance for Individual Properties**

**6 - 5106 Rhodesdale-Vienna Road**

**Acreage:** 0.55 acres

**Legal Description:** PLC-298-618

**Owner of Record:** Anna R. Foxwell et al.

5106 Rhodesdale-Vienna Road,  
Reids Grove,  
Maryland

General store/residence - In appearance, this looks like a residential structure with 2 1/2 stories and front gable roof. The ground floor store portion was entered from the front of the building where there is a half-porch with hip roof. The second floor was probably always used as a residence. The structure has a small, one-story wing on each side.

This lot was subdivided from the "Windsor Hill" tract and sold to T. Columbus Reid by Rebecca and Thomas Holder in 1914. It descended by L W & T of T. Columbus Reid to his sister, Elizabeth Howeth as a life estate and after her

death, to his daughter Manie Lillian Hicks. In 1939, Elizabeth Howeth conveyed her life estate to Manie Lillian Hicks who, in turn, sold several properties in and near Reids Grove to Minos R. Foxwell. The premises is presently owned by Foxwell's descendants. None of the deed descriptions of this property mention buildings or other improvements.

As late as 1949, a store was located in the Village of Reids Grove south of the schoolhouse (Site 6) at the intersection of Maryland Route 331 and Maiden Forest Road (Deedbook RSM-47-157). A local informant also stated that a store had been located at the above-mentioned corner. There is no reference to the commercial use of this property in any of the historical documents consulted. Architectural evidence suggests that this building was standing on the site when the property was subdivided in 1914.

**7 - 5108 Rhodesdale-Vienna Road**

**Acreage:** .2 acres

**Legal Description:** PLC-218-576

**Owner of Record:** Philip G. Hill.  
5108 Rhodesdale Road,  
Rhodesdale,  
Maryland

This is a two-and-one-half story, three bay, side gable house with enclosed front porch, including windows. It is in fair condition.

This village lot was originally part of a parcel of land containing 2.92 acres which Alton M. Corkran of Baltimore, Maryland purchased from Rebecca Holder in 1909. In 1911, Corkran sold the 2.9 acre parcel to Joseph G. Collins who, in turn, subdivided it and sold this 0.2 acre lot to James Bassett in 1919. None of the deed descriptions of this property mention buildings or other improvements. Architectural evidence suggests that this building was standing on the site when the property was subdivided in 1911.

**8 - 5110 Rhodesdale-Vienna Road**

**Acreage:** .25 acres

**Legal Description:** PLC-98-64

**Owner of Record:** Greason W. and Rachel Jackson.  
5110 Rhodesdale-Vienna Road,  
Rhodesdale,  
Maryland

This is similar in form to the adjacent structure. It is a two-and-one-half story, three bay, side gable house with enclosed front porch. It is in fair-good condition.

The chain of title for this property could only be traced to a tax sale in 1948. This property appears to have been part of the 2.92 acre parcel of land which Rebecca Holder sold to Alton M. Corkran in 1909 (WLR-1-250). Corkran sold the entire parcel of land to Joseph G. Collins in 1911 (WLR-4-116). Thereafter, Collins subdivided the property and sold it to various purchasers. Architectural evidence suggests that this building was standing on the site when the property was subdivided in 1911.

**9 - 5003 Reid Road****Acreage:** .5 acres**Legal Description:** RSM-50-306**Owner of Record:** James E. and Francis Stewart  
5003 Reid Road  
Rhodesdale,  
Maryland

This is similar in form to other nearby houses described above, and the overall form is intact. The house has an ell plan, and the original door opened on Reid Road. The entrance is now through the enclosed side porch. A sliding door has been installed on the west wall and a new lattice-covered deck was added to the house; the porch entrance has been widened. The house has an open, modern carport.

This village lot, located on the east side of the railroad tracks, was originally subdivided from the Samuel Webster farm in 1900 as a square parcel of ground measuring 35 yards on a side. It was acquired by T. Columbus Reid in 1904 with improvements thereon and remained in the Reid family until it was sold to its present owners in 1943. A local informant states that the house was erected ca. 1901.

**10 - 5007 Reid Road****Acreage:** 1.7 acres**Legal Description:** PLC-197-732**Owner of Record:** Michael R. Cohee  
5007 Reid Road  
Vienna,  
Maryland

This 2 1/2 story frame house has Gothic Revival elements, including pointed windows in gable ends. The house has a center gable with center front cross-gable and three bays on its main facade. There are two evenly spaced interior brick chimneys piercing the gable roof. The hipped roof porch on the side features some original decorative woodwork and wood posts. Although this house has been resided, it has good architectural integrity and retains some handsome details.

The property was subdivided from the Samuel Webster farm and sold to T. Columbus Reid in 1913. Architectural evidence suggests that construction of the house may pre-date subdivision of the property.

**11 - 5009 Reid Road****Acreage:** .5 acres**Legal Description:** PLC-230-902**Owner of Record:** David W. Hollowell  
5009 Reid Road  
Vienna,  
Maryland

This is a small, 1 1/2 story, bungalow-type house. It has a front gable and cement block foundation. There is an enclosed front porch with hip roof, added windows and shutters. The roof has been recovered with green asbestos shingles.

The property was initially subdivided from the Samuel Webster farm as two parcels of land. The first of the two parcels was sold to Salethiel and Cyrus May by Samuel Webster in 1909. This lot was subsequently acquired by Nannie Howeth and others several months later. The second parcel of land was conveyed to Nannie B. Sherman (Howeth) in 1930. Together, the two parcels contained 23 acres of land. In 1941, the property was sold at public auction to Harry Reid. At this time, it was described as the residence of Nannie

Sherman and Roland Howeth, her brother. In 1947, Reid subdivided the property and sold the present lot with improvements thereon to Walter F. Cohee. Architectural evidence suggests that the building was erected in the early to mid-twentieth century. It was probably the residence of Nannie Sherman and her brother mentioned in 1941. Construction of the dwelling may have dated as late as 1930, when Sherman and Howeth acquired the second parcel of land.

12 - West side Maryland Rt. 331  
 Acreage: .25 acres  
 Legal Description: PLC-192-137  
 Owner of Record: Anna R. Foxwell et. al.  
 Rhodesdale,  
 Maryland

This is a 1 1/2 story frame bungalow-type house with a three bay facade and center door. Windows are 6/6 sash, and there is an overhanging, hip roof porch with iron supports. A carport with overhang has been added on the side. There is modern sheathing on the house; however, its original form is intact.

This dwelling was originally constructed as a schoolhouse. The school was standing at this location as early as 1877 (Lake, Griffing and Stevenson 1877) and is probably the oldest building in the village of Reids Grove. The land on which the school stood was donated for that purpose by Richard H. Dixon (owner of the property 1856-1888 and 1892-1901), but it was never formally conveyed to the School Commissioners of Dorchester County until 1906. The building continued to serve as a public school until the property was sold by the Dorchester County Board of Education in 1925. As late as 1956, the property was still referred to in deed descriptions as "The School House Lot" and the deed to the property continued to convey the privilege of entering upon the premises to remove the schoolhouse bell from the belfry.

13 - West side Maryland Rt. 331 and south side of Maiden Forest Road  
 Acreage: .95 acres  
 Legal Description: CL-19-233  
 Owner of Record: Reids Grove United Methodist Church  
 Vienna,  
 Maryland

This vernacular church is one of the best examples of a late nineteenth-century, gothic-influenced church form in the Vienna district. Other examples in Dorchester County include the Bucktown Church (D-274) and Mt. Pleasant M.E. Church (D-587). On the Reids Grove church, the main gable block has a projecting front gable, which is also found on the Zoar Methodist Episcopal Church (D-589) on Maiden Forest/Cemetery Road.

The building's open, symmetrical plan features mitered arch window heads, stained glass windows, and scalloped wood shingles in the main gable end. The building has 1 1/2 stories with a steeply pitched gable roof and enclosed, gabled entrance which extends from the main structure. There is a double leaf door with small transom lights and new concrete steps.

**14 -4050 Maiden Forest Road**

**Acreage:** 1 acre  
**Legal Description:** PLC-206-80  
**Owner of Record:** Donald D and Debra Robbins  
 Reids Grove  
 Rhodesdale,  
 Maryland

This plain, 1 1/2 story house features 3/1 sash windows. The house has new siding and a new roof, which has been partially extended beyond the fascia. It also has a new (altered) window and added shutters, but the large bay window on the added one-story wing diminish this structure's architectural significance. (Due to its later date and alterations, it may be considered non-contributing).

This property includes all or part of two parcels of land subdivided from "Windsor Hill" in 1908 and 1912. The two parcels of land were reconsolidated into the present lot in 1951 when Joseph R. Bell purchased one of the parcels, having purchased the other in 1943. The properties were conjoined thereafter. Architectural evidence suggests that the dwelling was erected in the mid-twentieth century. This date would coincide with the acquisition of the property by Joseph Bell.

**15 - 4946 Maiden Forest Road.**

**Acreage:** 3.85 acres  
**Legal Description:** PCL-131-147  
**Owner of Record:** Fred Carl Kruger  
 4946 Maiden Forest Road  
 Rhodesdale,  
 Maryland

This is a 2 1/2 story frame house with an ell plan and side additions. The core house retains its integrity of form and details, including a corbeled brick chimney stack and two small windows in the attic gable end. Windows are 2/2 sash. The house is in very poor condition; the front and side porches have now been enclosed and the entire house is covered with orange-covered asbestos. Nearby, there are several early twentieth century outbuildings and a large storage shed.

This property is situated at the western edge of the village of Reids Grove and is larger in size than the other village house lots. It includes all or part of five different properties, two of which are related to the tract of land called "Windsor Hill" and three which are related to "Reids Grove Farm." These properties were consolidated by Joseph Bell over a period of 22 years from 1924 to 1946. Architectural evidence suggests that the structure presently standing on this property was erected between 1870 and 1890. In all likelihood, this dwelling was associated with Windsor Hill and was probably the dwelling on Parcel 2 which was in the occupation of Thomas Harper ca. 1924.

**16 - 4947 Maiden Forest Road**

**Acreage:** 1 acre  
**Legal Description:** PLC-206-80  
**Owner of Record:** Brooks R. Parker Jr. and wife  
 4947 Maiden Forest Road  
 Vienna,  
 Maryland

This small frame bungalow is in fine condition and has a steeply pitched, side gable roof and a very large front dormer with tripartite windows. The house

roof extends out to encompass the screened porch. The front porch wall beneath the screening is constructed of brick with four brick piers or pilasters; tapered wood pilasters sit atop these. The porch has a central door with full-length sidelights and transom.

The property was originally part of Windsor Hill which was subdivided and sold to Ringgold Bennett in 1903. In 1907, Bennett also acquired the lot opposite this property on the north side of Maiden Forest Road. Both properties were sold to Julian B. Brinsfield in 1914, at which time, the properties were described as houses and lots. It could not be determined on which side of the road these houses were located. The property remained in the Brinsfield family until 1947. Architectural evidence suggest that the dwelling was erected in the mid-twentieth century, most likely during the tenure of the Brinsfield family.

**CHAIN ON TITLE FOR WINDSOR HILL  
(Reids Grove West side Maryland Rt. 331)**

13 October 1801  
HD-17-602  
Dorsey Wyvill  
to  
John Stewart

Part of "Partnership" W side Chickacoon [sic] Creek adjoining "Maiden Forest", 506 acres. also "Support" cont. 45 acres.

12 April 1827  
ER-7-12  
Estate of John Stewart Sr.  
to  
John Stewart Jr.

Part of a tract of land called "Partnership" lying near Vienna cont. 424 acres including cultivated fields, woodland, dwelling house, kitchen, garden, smoke house, barn, and orchard.

24 October 1856  
FJH-3-598

Rebecca H. Stewart  
to  
Richard H. Dixon and Elizabeth S. h/w. formerly Elizabeth Stewart, daughter of John Stewart Jr.

Tract or parcel of land called "Partnership" or Windsor Hill" being the same tract of land allotted to John Stewart Jr in the partition of the estate of John Stewart Sr.

14 January 1888  
CL-10-465  
Richard H. Dixon, MD, Cambridge  
to  
Isaiah Reid

Part of "Partnership" called "Windsor Hill" cont. 424 acres.

18 August 1892  
CL-16-636  
James R. Patterson, Trustee  
to  
Richard H. Dixon

Estate of Isaiah Reid at Public Sale, that farm being part of "Partnership" and generally known as "Windsor Hill" on the County Road from Vienna to Crotcher's Ferry adjoining Batchelor's Forest and lands of Wm. J. Post.

26 August 1901  
CL-16-703  
Richard H. Dixon  
to  
Levin E. Taylor

Tract or parcel of land called "Partnership" or "Windsor Hill." cont. 420 acres.

21 October 1903  
CL-28-582  
Levin E. Taylor  
to  
Rebecca Holder and Thomas J. her husband

Tract of land, part of "Partnership" or "Windsor Hill" containing 424 acres of land excepting 1/4 acre for the Reids Grove Cemetery, 1/2 acre for the Reids Grove church, and the Reids Grove School house lot on which the school house now stands.

**CHAIN ON TITLE FOR THE SAMUEL WEBSTER FARM  
(Reids Grove East Side Maryland Rt.331)**

The Hick family came into possession of "Partnership" in 1703 when Thomas Hicks purchased the tract of land from Thomas Ennals.

1 September 1865  
FJH-6-216  
William F. Townsend and Fannie, his wife, Talbot Co.  
to  
Samuel L. Webster

Parcel or tract of land about 3 miles from Vienna formerly the property of Thomas Hicks, deceased which is bounded on the S side by Indiantown Road which separates the tract of land from the farm of John Thompson; W by the road from Reids Grove to Vienna, which said road separates the tract from Windsor Hill; N by farm now owned by James W. Lord, E and NE by chicone Creek, cont. 406 acres.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 6  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

7 March 1914  
WLR-7-348  
Thomas J. Holder and Rebecca . his wife  
to  
T. Columbus Reid

Lot on the W side of the County road leading from Reids Grove to Rhodesdale in Reids Grove, originally containing 1/4 acre.

24 May 932  
Will Book RSP-4-453  
L W & T of T. Columbus Reid

Lot described above bequeathed to Elizabeth Howeth as a life estate, then to Manie Lillian Hicks.

31 May 1939  
RSM-47-157  
Elizabeth Howeth  
to  
Manie Lillian Reid

Life estate in property described as Parcel 1, Lot 1.

25 May 1948  
RSM-66-171  
Manie Lillian Reid  
to  
Minos Foxwell and Anna, his wife.

Above-described property

31 October 1975  
PLC-192-134  
Minos R. Foxwell Jr. and Anna H. his wife  
to  
Anna H. Foxwell

Above-described property

23 December 1993  
PLC-298-618  
Anna R. Foxwell  
to  
Brenda F. Foxwell et al.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 7  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

14 August 1909  
WLR-1-484  
Rebecca C. Holder  
to  
Alton M. corkran, baltimore Md.

Tract or parcel of land in Reids Grove on the west side of the county road from Rhodesdale to Vienna cont. 2.92 acres.

6 November 1911  
WLR-64-116  
Alton M. Corkran  
to  
Joseph G. Collins

Tract or parcel of land cont. 2,92 acres.

11 July 1919  
WHM-7-3  
Joseph G. Collins  
to  
James Bassett

Lot containing 1/5 acres, part of the above-described parcel of land.

21 June 1940  
RSM-43-100  
A. Stengle Marine, Court Appointed Trustee  
to  
Nelson Molock and Mary, his wife

Lot containing 1/5 acre.

3 January 1947  
RSM-61-93  
Mary Molock, widow  
to  
Edna M. Wheatley

Lot described above.

3 January 1947  
RSM-61-94  
Edna M. Weatley  
to  
Mary Molock and Philip G. Hill

Lot described above.

23 June 1953  
RSM-83-351  
Philip G. Hill & Marie, his wife (a.k.a. Marie Molock)  
to Edna M. Weatley

Lot described above, said Mary Molock having died intestate on or about 11 May 1953.

23 June 1953  
RSM-83-353  
Edna M. Wheatley  
to  
Philip G. Hill and Marie his wife (a.k.a. Philip G. Molock and Marie Molock)

Lot described above.

6 April 1981  
PLC-218-576  
Marie Hill, Philadelphia, Pa.  
to  
Philip G. Hill

Lot on the west side of the State road leading from Rhodesdale to Vienna in the village of Reids Grove cont. 1/5 acres.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 8  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

A direct chain of title could not be established before 1948. However, descriptions of the bounding property indicates that this lot was part of the lot of 2.92 acres which Rebecca Holder sold to Alton M. Corkran in 1909 (WLR-1-250). Corkran sold the entire 2.92 acre parcel of land to Joseph G. Collins in 1911 (WLR-4-116). Collins probably subdivided and sold this property at some date after purchase.

25 August 1948  
RSM-69-461  
John S. Skinner, Treasurer and Collector of Dorchester Co.  
to  
Dorchester County Commissioners

Lot #196 (and others) cont. 1/4 acre, sold 9 august 1932 to the Commissioners at Tax Sale.

11 August 1949  
RSM-72-103  
Dorchester County commissioners  
to  
Belvan E. Brinsfield

Lot #196 (and another) located in the village of Reids Grove 1/4 acre of land on the west side of the State Road leading to Vienna through sd. village bounded by T. Columbus Reid, James Bassett and the public road.

13 March 1956  
RSM-98-64  
Belvin L Brinsfield and V. Calvin Trice, Trustees  
to  
Greason W. Jackson

Two lots in Reids Grove including above-described 1/4 acre.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 9  
(Subdivision of the Samuel Webster Farm)**

14 April 1900  
CL-24-329  
Samuel L. Webster  
to  
C.G. Jackson Co.

Lot or parcel of land on the E side of the B.C.&A. Railroad at Reids Grove and the S side of the Road from Reids Grove to Manship Church.

1 December 1904  
CL-30-124  
C.G. Jackson Co. Wicomico Co.  
to  
T. Columbus Reid

Lot or parcel of land, as described above with improvements thereon.

24 May 1932  
Will Book RSP-4-465  
L.W.&T. of T. Columbus Reid

Lot described above devised to Elizabeth Howeth as a life estate and then to Manie Lillian Hicks.

31 May 1939  
RSM-47-157  
Elizabeth Howeth  
to  
Manie Lillian Hicks

Her life estate in several tracts of land conveyed by LW&T of T. Columbus Reid. Includes above-described as Lot # 6.

8 May 1943  
RSM-50-306  
Manie Lillian Hicks  
to  
James E. Stewart and wife

Above-described lot at Reids Grove.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 10  
(Subdivision of the Samuel Webster Farm)**

22 April 1913  
WRL-5-786  
Samuel L. Webster  
to  
T. Columbus Reid

Piece or parcel of land at Reids Grove bounded N by the road that leads from Indiantown to Reids Grove.

24 May 1932  
Will Book RSP-4-465  
L.W.&T. of T. Columbus Reid

Lot described above devised to Elizabeth Howeth as a life estate and then to Manie Lillian Hicks.

31 May 1939  
RSM-47-157  
Elizabeth Howeth  
to  
Manie Lillian Hicks

Her life estate in several tracts of land conveyed by LW&T of T. Columbus Reid. Includes above-described as Lot # 1.

3 March 1942  
RSM-44-397  
Lillian R. Hicks (a.k.a. Manie Lillian Hicks) and Hampton b. Hicks, her husband  
to  
Harry R. Reid

Tract at Reids Grove, part of Webster Farm called Partnership. Conveyed as second-described parcel.

1 September 1949  
RSM-70-151  
Harry R. Reid and Lillian, his wife  
to  
Roy F. Wheatley and Bessie, his wife

Lot described above with house.

3 December 1976  
PLC-197-732  
Bessie M. Wheatley  
to  
Michael R. Cohee  
House and lot in Reids Grove on the road leading from Reids Grove to  
Indiantown.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 11  
(Subdivision of the Samuel Webster Farm)**

Parcel 1

10 June 1907  
CL-33-632  
Samuel L Webster  
to  
Salatheil J. May and Cyrus May

Tract of land, no acerage

30 November 1909  
WRL-1-461  
Salatheil May; Arbelon, his wife,; and Cyrus May  
to Nannie Howeth

Land in the village of Reids Grove

Parcel 2

3 January 1930  
JFD-25-240  
Winfield and Noah Webster *et al.* surviving Executors of Samuel B. Webster  
to  
Nannie B. Sherman (Nannie Howeth) *et al.*

Tract or parcel of land bounded N by the road from Read's Grove to Manship  
chapel and Indiantown; E by Chicone Branch

Parcel 1 & Parcel 2

14 November 1941  
RSM-44-4  
Thomas B. Simmons, assignee of mortgage  
to  
Harry R. Reid

At public sale, default on mortgage between Nannie B. Sherman and Roland  
Howeth, her brother to Edna McAllister, Parcel of land containing 23 acres  
including Site 11 occupied as a place of residence by Nannie Sherman and  
Roland Howeth.

Subdivision Parcel 1 and Parcel 2

8 February 1947  
RSM-61-345  
Harry R. Reid and wife  
to  
Walter F. Cohee

Subdivision of 23 acre parcel conveyed to Harry Ried in 1941 consisting of present house lot.

15 March 1957  
RSM-103-337  
Walter F. Cohee and wife  
to  
Norman H. Cohee

Lot described above.

8 August 1957  
Walter F. Cohee and wife  
to  
Howard C. Harding and wife

Lot described above.

13 July 1962  
PLC-128-498  
Howard C. Harding and wife  
to  
Robert L. Harding and wife

Lot described above.

1 March 1984  
Recited PLC-230-902

Property conveyed to the United States Department of Agriculture by warranty deed.

5 August 1983  
PLC-230-902  
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Farm Home Administration  
to  
David Hallowell and Linda, his wife

Lot described above.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 12  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

30 May 1906  
CL-32-145  
Richard H. Dixon, Cambridge, M.D.  
to  
School Commissioners of Dorchester Co.

At or about the time a public school was established at Reids Grove, the said Richard Dixon gave to the Commissioners the lot on which the school house now stands but no deed or conveyance was made.

18 May 1925  
JFD-16-683  
Board of Ed., Dorchester Co.  
to  
Nellie Howeth et.al.

School House lot.

5 September 1941  
RSM-43-446  
Thomas W. Simmons, assignee  
to  
Balvin Brinsfield

At public sale, the estate of survivors of Nellie Howeth et al., lot where the schoolhouse now stands

8 December 1942  
RSM-46-104  
Balvin B. Brinsfield  
to  
Elmer Spear

The school house lot.

28 December 1955  
RSM-97-142  
Elmer D. Spear  
to  
Grace E. Stein

The school house lot.

19 April 1956  
RSM-98-462  
Grace E. & Howard Stein  
to  
Minos R. Foxwell & Anna R. h/w

The school house lot.

31 October, 1975  
RSM-192-137  
Minos R. Foxwell & Anna R. his wife  
to  
Anna R. Foxwell et. al.

Lot in the village of Reids Grove.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 13  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

26 April 1895  
CL-19-233  
Robert H. Dixon  
to  
Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church

Parcel of land situated at Reids Grove at the junction of the county road leading from Reids Grove to Vienna and the county road to Little Mills, cont. 1 acre more or less.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 14  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)**

**Parcel 1**

**4 April 1908**

CL-33-767

Rebecca C. Holder and Thomas J., her husband  
to

Margaret C. Holder et al

Parcel of land cont. 89 square perches of land.

**10 March 1914**

WLR-7-271

A. Stegle Marine, Trustee Estate of Thomas J. Holder Rebecca  
to

Matty Neal

Lot, same conveyed to Margaret Holder et al. (See above)

**17 July 1915**

WLR-9-269

A. Stegle Marine, Trustee  
to

Harry and Melissa Wheatly

Whereas Matty Neal conveyed sd. property to Rebecca C. Holder who conveyed same to Harry and Melissa Wheatley, tract or parcel of land in or near Reids Grove.

**3 April 1943**

RSM-46-671

Harry E. Wheatley  
to

Joseph E. Bell

Parcel of land in Reids Grove cont. 89 square perches.

**Parcel 2**

          ,            1912  
WLR-5-565

Thomas J. Holder, Rebecca, his wife, and Thomas Corkran, Trustee estate of  
Rebecca Holder, deceased

to

T. Columbus Reid

Lot on the N side of Maiden Forest Road with buildings and improvements.

**24 May 1932**

Will Book RSP-4-465

L.W.&T. of T. Columbus Reid

Lot described above devised to Elizabeth Howeth as a life estate and then to  
Manie Lillian Hicks.

31 May 1939  
RSM-47-157  
Elizabeth Howeth  
to  
Manie Lillian Hicks

Conveys life estate.

26 October 1943  
RSM-48-210  
Manie Lillian Hicks  
to  
Joseph E. Bell

Above described property.

**Parcel 1 and Parcel 2**

17 May 1951  
RSM-75-359  
Joseph E. Bell and wife  
to  
May E. Brinsfield

Parcel of land made up of parts of the above-described lots.

7 March 1952  
PLC-127-150  
May E. Brinsfield, widow  
to  
Margaret H. Richardson, widow

Two parcels of land as described above.

14 June 1972  
PLC 175-634  
Margaret Richardson  
to  
Samuel K. Yockey and wife

2 lots on the north side of Maiden Forest Road in the village of Reids Grove.

28 July 1978  
PLC-206-80  
Samuel K Yockey and Yvonne, his wife  
to  
Donald D. Robbins and Cebra h/w

Lots described above.

**CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 15  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill and Reids Grove Farm)**

This property is made up of five smaller parcels or parts of parcels of land, two of which (Parcel 1 and Parcel 2) are associated with "Windsor Hill" and three of which (Parcel 3, Parcel 4, and Parcel 5) are associated with "Reids Grove Farm." This property marks the western edge of the village of Reids Grove.

Parcel 1

(Part of Parcel 1 , Site 14 not conveyed to May E. Brinsfield)

4 April 1908

CL-33-767

Rebecca C. Holder and Thomas J., her husband  
to  
Margaret C. Holder et al

Parcel of land cont. 89 square perches of land.

10 March 1914

WLR-7-271

A. Stegle Marine, Trustee Estate of Thomas J. Holder Rebecca  
to  
Matty Neal

Lot, same conveyed to Margaret Holder et al. (See above)

17 July 1915

WLR-9-269

A. Stegle Marine, Trustee  
to  
Harry and Melissa Wheatly

Whereas Matty Neal conveyed sd. property to Rebecca C. Holder who conveyed  
same to Harry and Melissa Wheatley, tract or parcel of land in or near Reids  
Grove.

3 April 1943

RSM-46-671

Harry E. Wheatley  
to  
Joseph E. Bell

Parcel of land in Reids Grove cont. 89 square perches.

Parcel 2

21 October 1907

CL-33-386

Rebecca C. Holder and Thomas J. her husband  
to  
Benjamin Bell

Part of Windsor Hill.

13 October 1924

JFD-15-478

Bertie E. Goslin et.al., heirs of Benjamin Bell  
to  
Charles L. Bell

Lot on the N side of Maiden Forest Road where Thomas Harper lived until a few  
months ago.

Parcel 3, Parcel 4, Parcel 5  
(Reids Grove Farm)

6 October 1870  
FJH-8-38  
Benjamin E. Bell  
to  
Sarah A. Collins

Reids Grove Farm formerly called "Batchelor's Forest" and "Venture." Same conveyed to sd. Sarah Collins by her father, Cyrus Bell.

21 May 1912  
WLR-4-515  
William H. Andrews, Trustee of Sarah Collins  
to  
Ringgold Bennett

Parcel of land, part of Reids Grove Farm cont. 100 acres.

4 February 1943  
RSM-46-453  
V. Calvin Trice, Trustee of Ringgold Bennett  
to  
Arthur C. Brinsfield and May, his wife

All that farm of tract of land situate near the village of Reids Grove known as "Reids Grove Farm"

Parcel 3

15 March 1944  
RSM-49-127  
Arthur C. Brinsfield  
to  
Joseph E. Ball

Lot near the village of Reids Grove.

Parcel 4

22 February 1945  
RSM-51-391  
Arthur C. Brinsfield  
to  
Joseph E. Bell

2 lots

Parcel 5

12 November 1946  
RSM-60-198  
Arthur C. Brinsfield  
to  
Joseph E. Bell

Lot on the road from Reids Grove to Little Brick Mills.

Parcel 1 - 5

18 January 1963  
PLC-131-1963  
Lena Elizabeth Wilson and Mary Bell Wilson  
to  
Fred Carl Kruger

Five adjoining lots or parcels of land in or near the village of Reids Grove.

CHAIN OF TITLE FOR REIDS GROVE, SITE 16  
(Subdivision of Windsor Hill)

21 December 1903  
CL-28-712  
Rebecca C. Holder and Thomas J., her husband  
to  
Ringgold Bennett

Lot, S side of the road from Reids Grove to Maiden Forest Road adjoining the cemetery lot.

26 February 1914  
WLR-7-250  
Mary E. Bennett and Ringgold, her husband  
to  
Julian B, Brinsfield

Houses and lots, above described lot and lot on the north side of Maiden Forest Road.

7 June 1934  
JFD-3-147  
Arthur S. Hopkins, Treasurer of Dorchester Co.  
to  
County Commissioners of Dorchester Co.

Lot 193, sold for taxes cont. 10.1/4 acres. (? both sides of road)

18 December 1944  
RSM-55-641  
County Commissioners  
to  
Julian Brinsfield Jr.  
Lot # 193.

15 July 1947  
RSM-63-269  
Julian B. Brinsfield  
to  
Joseph E. Bell

Lots on both sides of Maiden Forest Road.

11 October 1958

RSM-111-430

J. Otis McAllister, Trustee estate of D'arcy Bell

to

Margaret Bell

Life estate and then conveyed to daughters.

Lot on south side of Maiden Forest Road

6 April 1967

PLC-151-167

Margaret M. Sullivan et al., daughters of Margaret Bell who died 13 September 1959.

to

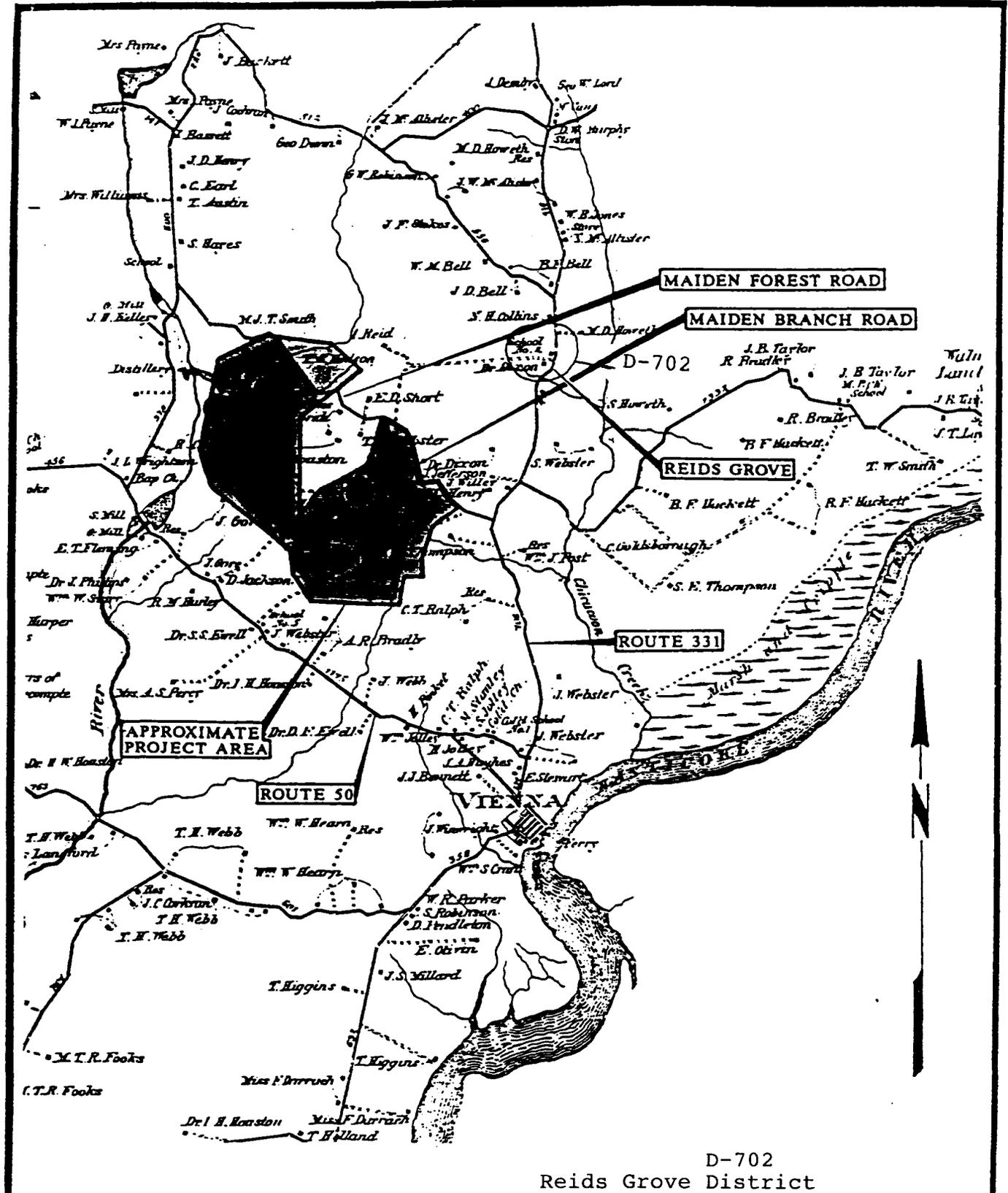
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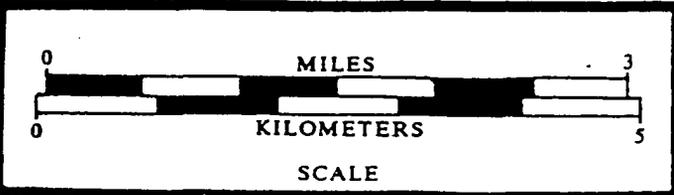
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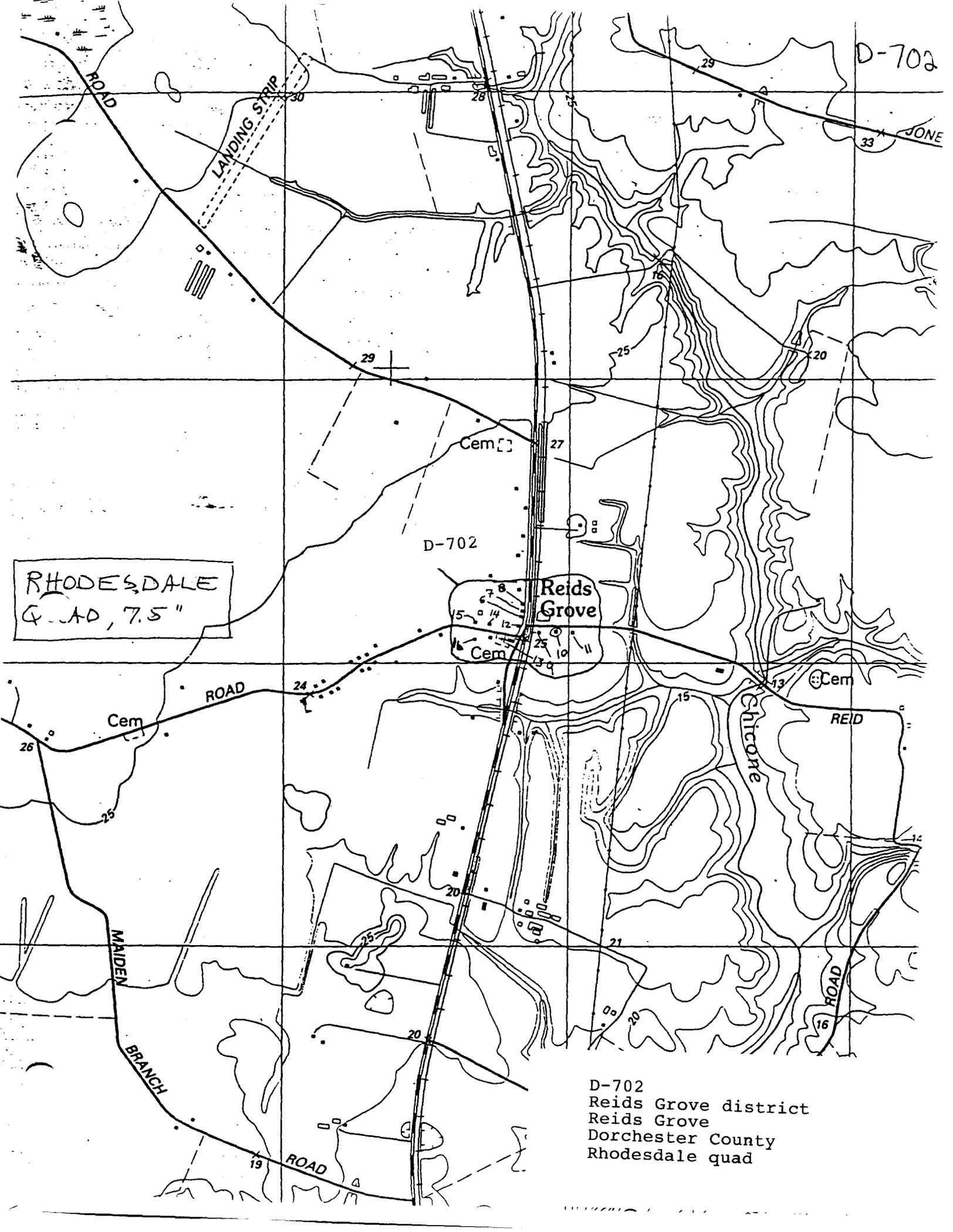
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RHODESDALE  
QUAD, 7.5"

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Reids Grove district  
Reids Grove  
Dorchester County  
Rhodesdale quad





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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER COUNTY, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND SHPO

VIEW TO NW

1 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER COUNTY, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND SAPD

VIEW to NW

2 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND SHPO

VIEW OF MAIN FACADE, TO SE

3 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER COUNTY, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92.

MARYLAND SHPO

VIEW TO NW SHOWING REAR

4 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND-SHPD

VIEW TO SE

5 of 14-3-25



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND SHPC

VIEW TO S

6 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

MARYLAND SHPD

VIEW TO NW

7 of 14



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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

VIEW TO W/NW

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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

VIEW TO NW; Streetscape of DISTRICT Rt331

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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

VIEW TO NW

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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

VIEW TO S

11 of 14 = 25



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L. ARCHIBALD

10-31-92

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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

L. ARCHIBALD

SEPTEMBER 1991

View of W. side of RT. 331, looking SW  
toward intersection of RT 331 + Maiden Forest Rd

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SW



D-702 STREETSCAPE

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REIDS GROVE

DORCHESTER, MD

AKU

L. ARCHIBALD

SEPTEMBER 1994

VIEW OF W. SIDE of Rt 331, NORTH of intersection  
of Rt 331 + Maiden Forest Road.

VIEW LOOKING NW

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