

# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Stonehurst

and/or common

## 2. Location

street & number 9436 Waynesboro Road \_\_\_\_\_ not for publication

city, town Emmitsburg \_\_\_\_\_ vicinity of \_\_\_\_\_ congressional district Sixth

state Maryland \_\_\_\_\_ county Frederick

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> educational	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<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 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 Ms. Marie Sanderson

street & number 11311 Sherrington Court \_\_\_\_\_ telephone no.:

city, town Upper Marlboro \_\_\_\_\_ state and zip code Maryland 20772

## 5. Location of Legal Description

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

street & number \_\_\_\_\_ folio

city, town Frederick \_\_\_\_\_ state Maryland

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title N/A

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

depository for survey records

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

# 7. Description

Survey No. F-6-42

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>
<input checked="" 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 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.

The Stonehurst property is located on the northeast side of Waynesboro Road just beyond the western boundary of Emmitsburg in northern Frederick County. The house is sited on high ground immediately adjacent to and overlooking the road.

The house is oriented on a north-south axis at about a 45 degree angle to the road, with a multi-part wing extending to the rear. It is a square, 2 1/2 story brick house with a pyramidal roof surmounted by a cupola. It is three bays wide and three bays deep with a one story bracketed porch carried around three sides. The square massing of the main block, the fine porch with both scrollwork and cast iron decoration, a heavy bracketed cornice and the widely proportioned cupola provide the principal focus for the house and convey a sense of dignity and charm that makes this a distinctive landmark in the Emmitsburg area.

A two story brick wing extends to the rear. It is three bays long and one room deep with a shallow pitched gable roof. A second two story structure has been joined to the rear wing by a one story hyphen.

# 8. Significance

Survey No. F-6-42

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 checked="" 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 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 checked="" 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	Builder/Architect
check: Applicable Criteria: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D and/or	
Applicable Exception: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G	
Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local	

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

The house known as Stonehurst was constructed circa 1875 by Joseph Hays, who had purchased 48 acres of the larger Stonehurst tract in May of 1868. Mr. Hays' son sold the property in December 1905 to Reverend John G. Murray, who renovated the house and added the cupola.

A brief reconnaissance survey of the property was sufficient to determine that the house should be entered in the county and state historic sites inventory, and further research and fieldwork is clearly merited. Based on exterior evidence and the existing historical research, the house also merits review for potential eligibility for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places.





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Stonehurst

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"STONEHURST"

9436 Waynesboro Road

Frederick County, Maryland

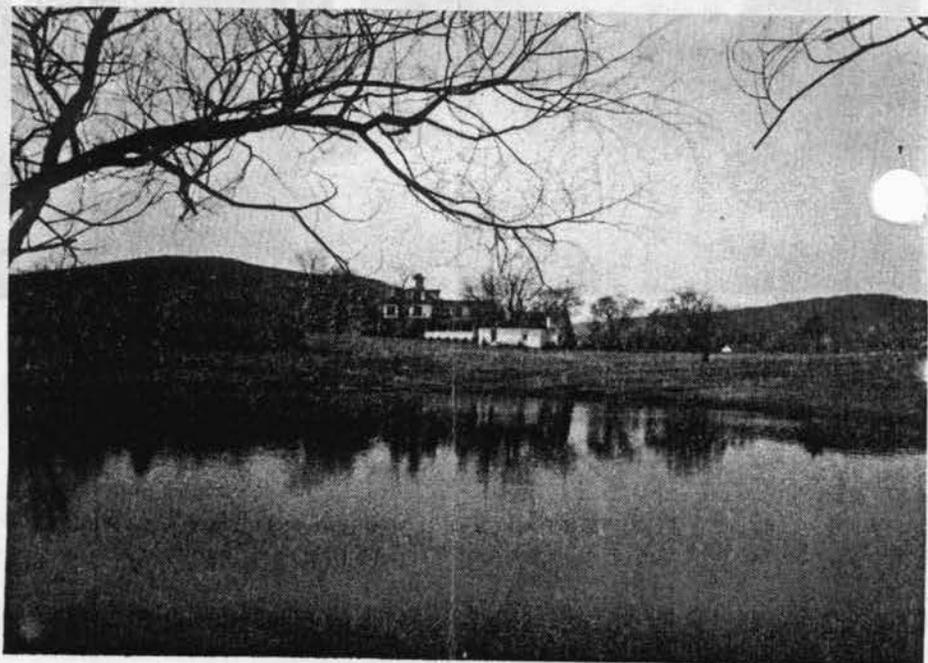
This lovely brick "family" home, poised atop a private knoll, features panoramic views of beautiful Frederick County.

Located on Waynesboro Road, it is adjacent to the Historic City of Emmitsburg, just a short distance from recreational facilities as skiing and golfing, plus a comfortable commute to Baltimore and Washington, D.C.

Emmitsburg is the home of Mount St. Mary's College, the National Fire Academy and the Shrine of St. Elizabeth Seton.

Built circa 1875 by Joseph Taylor, this home was renovated and improved by the Right Reverend (Bishop) John G. Murray around 1910. It was then that the cupola was added, which has become a favorite landmark of long-time residents of the area.

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PROPERTY: A 7.96 acre parcel with pond in back.  
Easy access to Routes 15, 140, 70 and 270.

RESIDENCE: A two-story, white brick house, approximately 4,000 square feet of living area, with the original Carriage House redone as a two-story apartment with separate electric baseboard heat. There is also a detached two car garage and a work room. Access is by paved driveway with two parking areas, next to and behind the house.

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FIRST FLOOR: Living Room 13 x 26  
Dining Room 13 x 26  
Den 12.6 x 13.4  
Kitchen 13 x 16

Laundry and Mud Room plus Half Bath

All of the main rooms on the first floor have access to the enclosed wrap around porch. Each room boasts many windows with a magnificent view.

SECOND FLOOR: Master Bedroom 14 x 17  
Bedrooms 12 x 14, 9 x 19, 9 x 13, 9 x 19  
Two Full Baths

Floored attic with staircase leading to the cupola.

FACTS: Heat - Oil steam  
Exterior - Brick  
City Water - Septic System  
Taxes - To be determined

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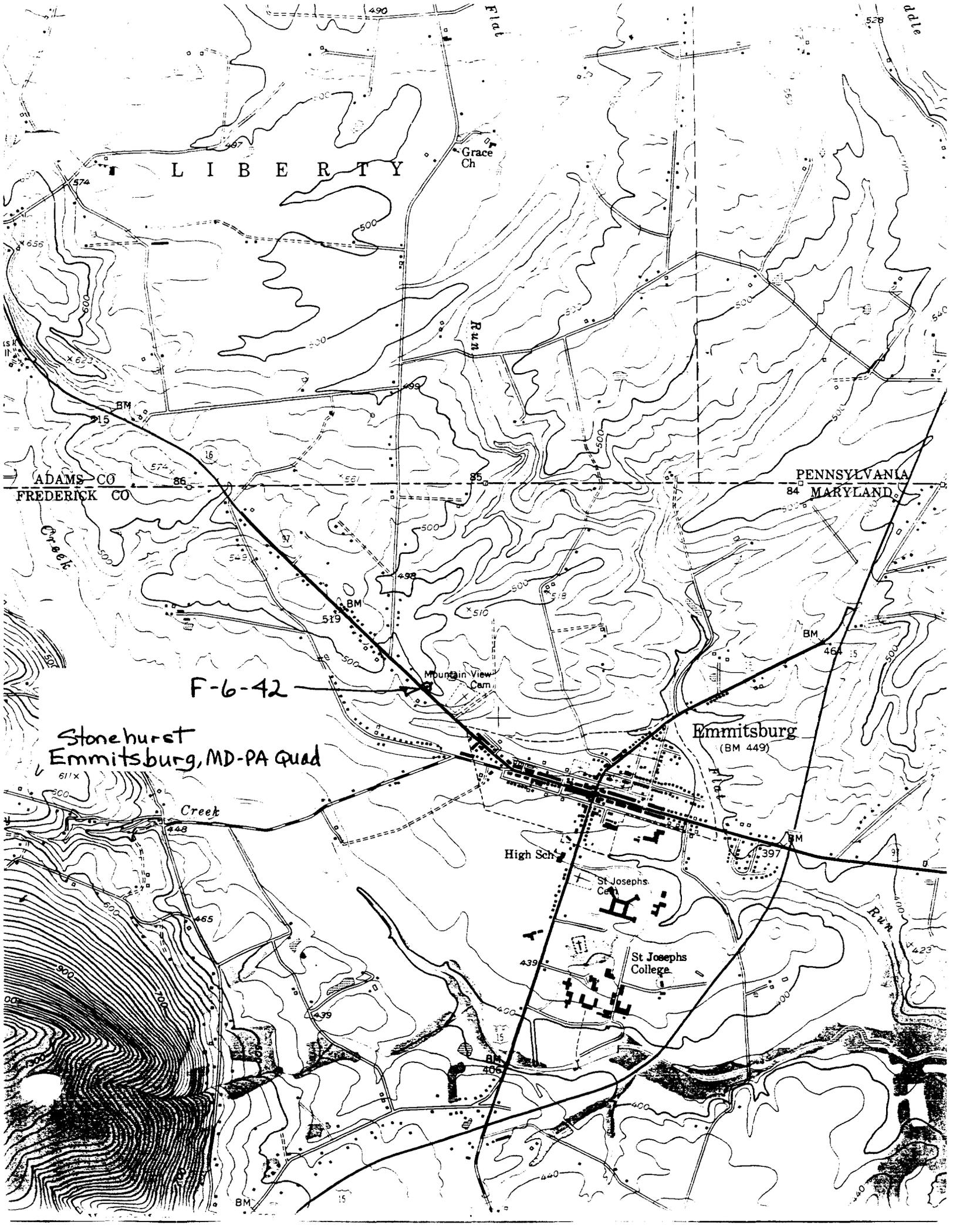
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