

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties

Addendum

MIHP Number: G-I-C-068

Property Name: Raymond Crawford House
Property Address: Northeast Side of Russell Road, approximately 1.7 miles northwest of the Garrett-Allegany County line, Barton Vicinity, Garrett County, Maryland

The Raymond Crawford House was previously documented in 1981 for the Maryland Historical Trust/Bureau of Mines using a Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties (MIHP) Form. The 1981 MIHP Form included a brief architectural description and historical narrative of the property, which included a discussion of the ca.-1900 two-story, three-bay frame dwelling with rear ell.

This addendum serves to update the 1981 MIHP Form. The Raymond Crawford House was demolished ca. 2005. The land that formerly included the property is owned by Tri-Mining, Inc. and used for active strip mining activities.

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Ca. 1900

Raymond Crawford House
Barton
Private

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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

G-I-C-068
MAGI #1201965635
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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY 1201965735

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Raymond Crawford House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Russell Rd. N side, approximately 1.7 mile NW of Garrett County Line

CITY, TOWN

Barton

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6th

VICINITY OF

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Garrett County

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

- DISTRICT
- BUILDING(S)
- STRUCTURE
- SITE
- OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

- PUBLIC
- PRIVATE
- BOTH
- PUBLIC ACQUISITION**
- IN PROCESS
- BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

- OCCUPIED
- UNOCCUPIED
- WORK IN PROGRESS
- ACCESSIBLE**
- YES: RESTRICTED
- YES: UNRESTRICTED
- NO

PRESENT USE

- AGRICULTURE
- COMMERICAL
- EDUCATIONAL
- ENTERTAINMENT
- GOVERNMENT
- INDUSTRIAL
- MILITARY
- MUSEUM
- PARK
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- RELIGIOUS
- SCIENTIFIC
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Raymond Crawford

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Garrett County Courthouse

Liber #: 142

Folio #: 445

STREET & NUMBER

Third and Alder Streets

CITY, TOWN

Oakland

STATE

Maryland 21550

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

None

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Raymond Crawford House is located on a hillside below Russell Road in eastern Garrett County. The house commands a view of the valley of Laurel Run to the NE and Savage River State Forest to the NW.

The ground slopes down steeply from SW to NE, creating a full basement story on the NE elevation.

The house is a two-story, gable-roofed, ell-plan dwelling measuring three bays across the NE elevation. The side elevations measure one bay each and the ell measures two bays by one bay. The ell extends from the SW elevation of the main block and the entrance is on the main block where it and the ell join. An ell porch covers the first floor on the SW and SE elevations and an addition covers the first and basement floors of the NE elevation.

The house rests on an uncoursed stone foundation and is covered with brown brick-patterned asphalt siding over German siding. The German siding is still visible on the first floor under the ell porch. The windows are all four over four sash with plain board surrounds.

The roof is covered with asphalt shingles and the cornice returns on the gable ends. The house has one cinderblock stove chimney on the NW elevation where the ell and the main block meet. On the NW elevation a one-story, shed roofed addition extends one bay to the NW. The addition is covered with brown brick-patterned asphalt and has two-paned sliding windows. On its NW elevation is a cinderblock stove chimney.

The ell porch on the SW and SE elevations has a shed roof covered with asphalt shingle and is supported by square wooden posts. A two-story (basement and first floor), hipped-roof addition, measuring one bay wide by four long, covers the NE elevation. It is covered as is the rest of the house, and may conceal the house's original entrance.

A frame bank barn and several frame outbuildings complete the site.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

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
<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 type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

Ca. 1900

BUILDER/

~~ARCHITECT~~

Bert Barker

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

According to the owners, this house was constructed by an itinerant house builder named Bert Barker. Barker evidently worked for room and board, plus some monetary consideration, and then moved on. The house is representative of a common Garrett County house type: three bay main block with a rear extension.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Ann Burns, Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust/Bureau of Mines

DATE

April 1981

STREET & NUMBER

Shaw House, 21 State Circle

TELEPHONE

301-269-2438

CITY OR TOWN

Annapolis

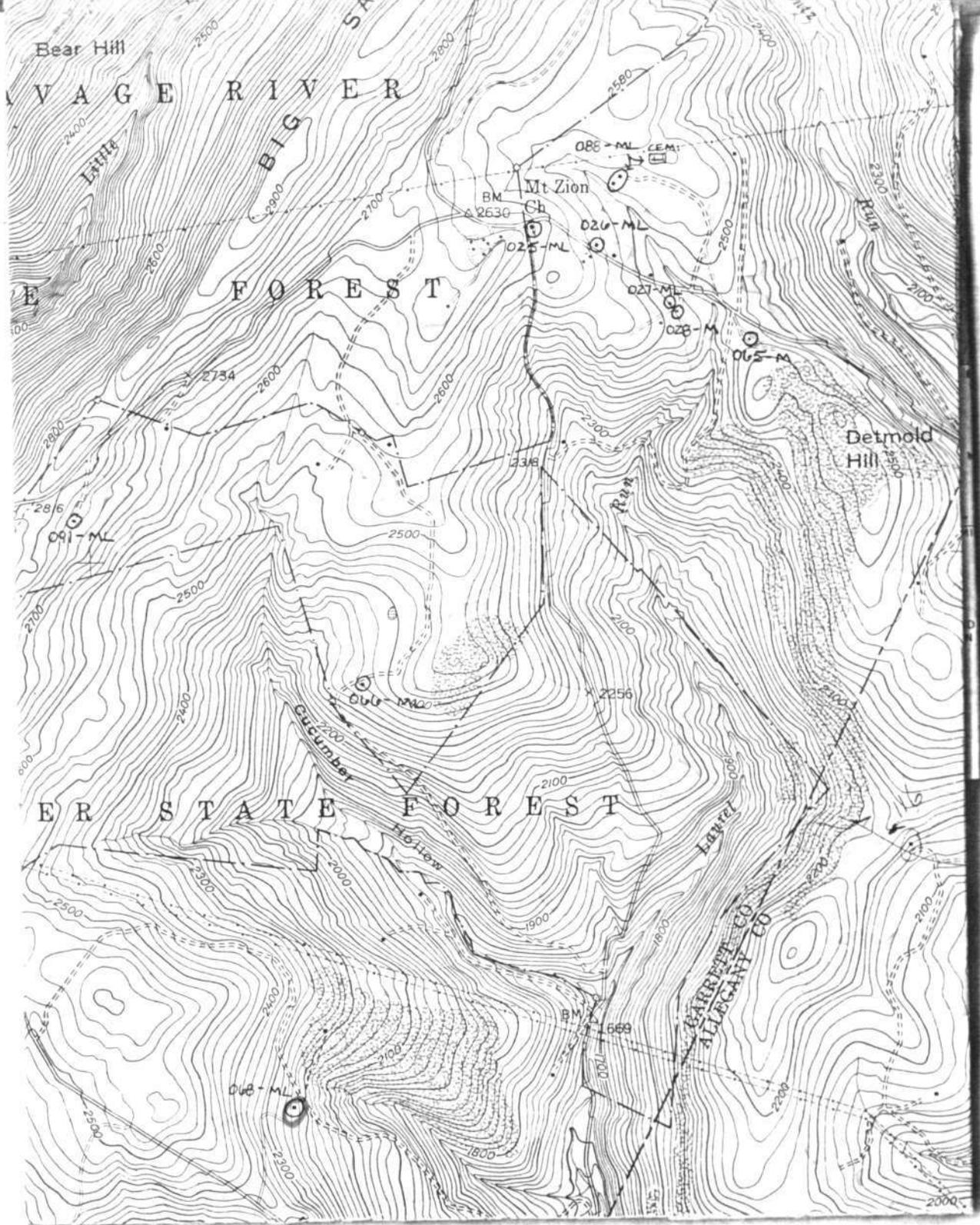
STATE

Maryland 21401

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438



Barton, MD
 USGS 7.5 minute series
 Scale - 1:24,000
 1947; photorevised 1974

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Raymond Grawford Farm

Garrett Co., MD

V. Cesna 10/20/80

SE gable end



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Raymond Crawford Farm

Garrett Co., MD

Valerie Cesna 10/20/80

SW & SE gable ends