

G-II-B-068
Harvey Harmon House
Winding Ridge
Private

Ca. 1900

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Harvey Harmon House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Cove Rd. - S side, intersection with Old Morgantown Rd.,

CITY, TOWN

Winding Ridge

___ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6th

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
- ___ COMMERCIAL
- ___ EDUCATIONAL
- ___ ENTERTAINMENT
- ___ GOVERNMENT
- ___ INDUSTRIAL
- ___ MILITARY
- ___ MUSEUM
- ___ PARK
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- ___ RELIGIOUS
- ___ SCIENTIFIC
- ___ TRANSPORTATION
- ___ OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

William C. Klotzbaugh

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC

Garrett County Courthouse

Liber #: 389

Folio #: 146

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

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 Harvey Harmon House is located several feet from Cove Road in the settlement of Winding Ridge. The area is composed of farmland, and Winding Ridge runs from SE to NW, W of the settlement.

The house is a two-story, gable-roofed, Ell-plan dwelling with a gable end facade. The facade points N. The main block measures three bays by one bay, and the Ell measures one bay long by two bays wide. A shed-roofed living room section fills in the Ell on the N and E elevations. The facade door is on the N gable end of the main block.

The house rests on a foundation of large red bricks, and the plank-constructed walls are covered with red diamond patterned asphalt siding. The windows are two over two sash with plain board surrounds. All trim is painted white. The roof is covered with corrugated metal.

A one-story extension is attached to the E end of the facade (N elevation). A one story shed porch runs from the extension across the facade. The porch roof is covered with diamond shaped asphalt shingles and is supported by two turned columns. On the S elevation, a rear door in the Ell is sheltered by a one-story, two-bay, shed-roofed storm porch.

The house has one interior stove chimney in the Ell where it meets the main block.

The interior of the house features a large room on the first floor of the main block with a smaller room behind. The Ell holds one room and the living room section plus the facade extension comprise one room. The staircase runs up the W wall of the living room section. A doorway on the staircase lower landing leads to the large room of the main block.

The staircase leads up to a landing on the second floor, with rooms opening off of it on the E and S. An additional room opens off the staircase to the E. To the W of the landing is an additional landing with two additional rooms opening off it to the N and S (see plan).

The W wall of the staircase is horizontal boards. All other partitions are vertical plank. The joists are exposed in the first floor ceilings. The staircase is open string on its E side.

The house shows evidence of having been used as a school at some time, as shown by placards with teachers' names which have been tacked over interior doors. One door has been labeled "Janitor" and a bulletin board sports cards with English assignments. The house is currently unused.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

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	unknown
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This house is representative of methods of plank construction common in Garrett County houses of the last century. Garrett County citizens continued to build houses of vertical planks through the first years of the twentieth century.

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

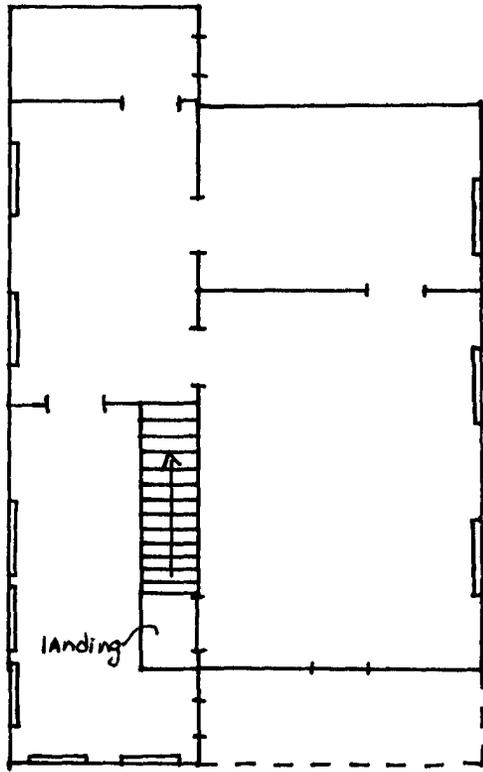
STATE

Maryland 21401

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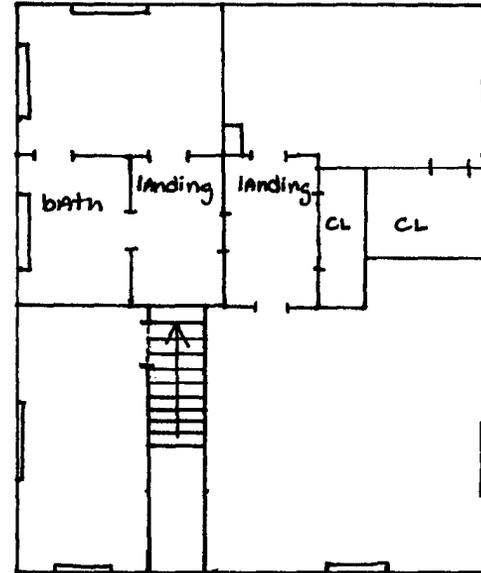
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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438



FIRST FLOOR

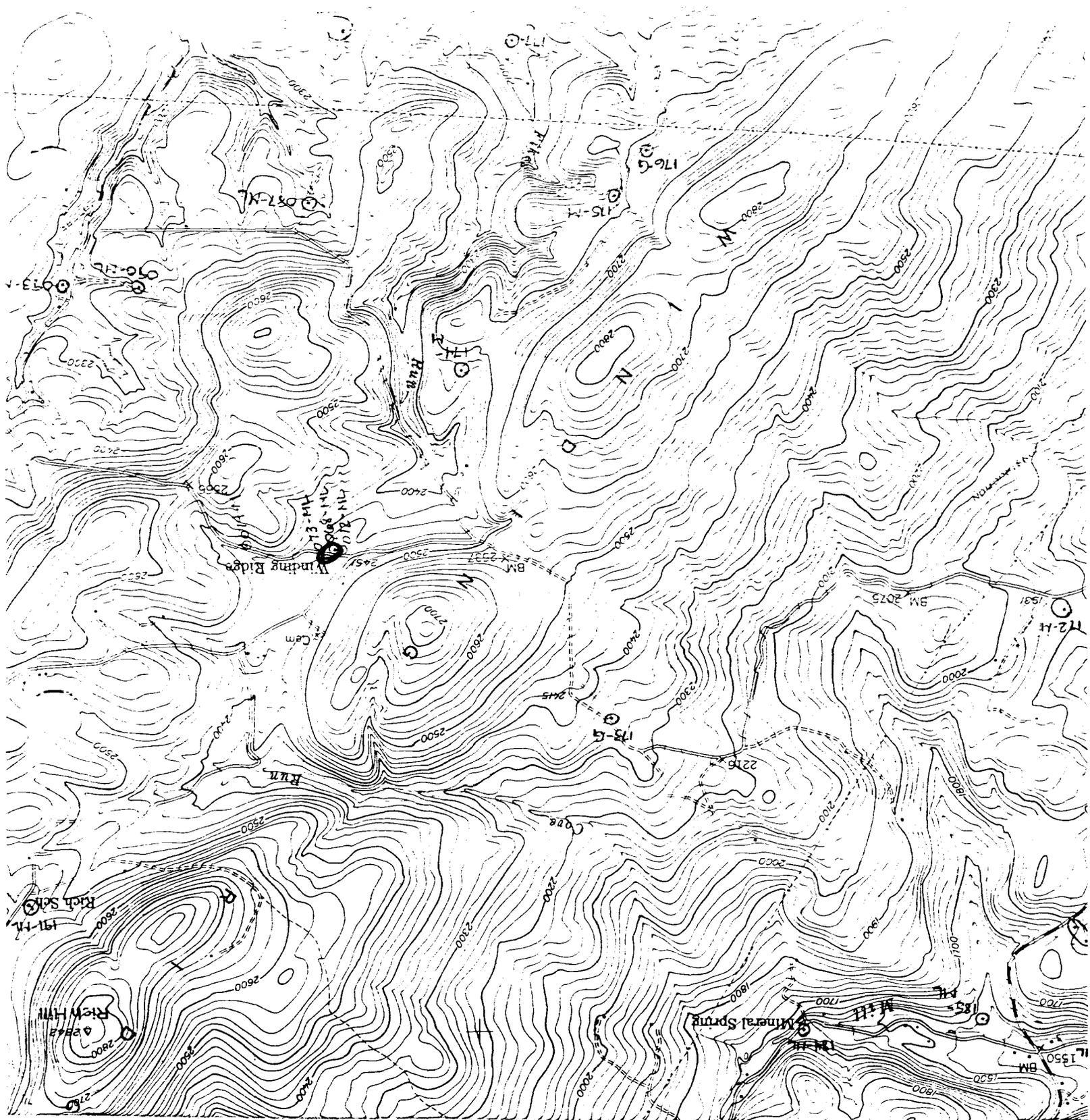
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APRIL 1981



SECOND FLOOR

G-II-B-068
HARVEY HARMON HOUSE
WINDING RIDGE, GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND

FLOOR PLAN
not to scale



Accident, MD-PA
USGS 7.5 minute series
Scale - 1:24,000
1948; photorevised 1974

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intersection with
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Facade-N; W elev.



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S, E elevs.