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1788, 1811

Hays House  
324 S. Kenmore Avenue  
Bel Air  
Public

This handsome clapboard house is the oldest house remaining in Bel Air and possesses the only gambrel roof in Town. It is a typical late 18th century middle class dwelling. The north three bays were built in 1788 by John Bull. It had been extended two bays to the south by 1811 when Thomas A. Hays bought it. The house remained in the Hays-Jacobs family until 1957. Before the mid-nineteenth century it acquired a two story stone wing which stood until the frame section was moved in 1960. The house is now the home of the Harford County Historical Society and is open once a month. It has been nominated to the National Register.

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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS  
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC  
Hays House  
AND OR COMMON  
Hays House, headquarters of the Historical Society of Harford County, Inc.

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER  
324 South Kenmore Avenue

CITY TOWN  
Bel Air

STATE  
Maryland

VICINITY OF  
First

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT  
First

COUNTY  
Harford

CODE  
025

**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<b>PUBLIC ACQUISITION</b>	<b>ACCESSIBLE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
			<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
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			<input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
			<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
			<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
			<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
			<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME Land: Bd. of County Commissioners of Harford Co. (now County Council)  
Building: Historical Society of Harford County, Inc.

STREET & NUMBER  
P. O. Box 391

CITY TOWN  
Bel Air

STATE  
Maryland

VICINITY OF  
21014

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC  
Courthouse of Harford County

STREET & NUMBER  
40 South Main Street

CITY TOWN  
Bel Air

STATE  
Maryland

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY TOWN

STATE

\_\_FEDERAL \_\_STATE \_\_COUNTY \_\_LOCAL

**7 DESCRIPTION**

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
EXCELLENT	DETERIORATED	__ UNALTERED	__ ORIGINAL SITE
X GOOD	__ RUINS	X ALTERED	X MOVED DATE 1960
FAIR	UNEXPOSED		

## DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Hays House is a frame, one and one-half storey house with a gambrel roof, four unequal bays in length. The street facade faces northeast, hereinafter called east.

Exterior measurements are approximately as follows:

northerly three bays: 18 1/2 x 26 feet  
southerly bay: 18 1/2 x 14 1/2 feet

The dimensions of the northerly three bays probably correspond to those recorded for this property in the 1798 Federal Direct Tax records, assuming an error, not unknown in those records: 15 by 26 feet. The southerly bay appears to be an addition to the northerly bays: main sills have joints at the south edge of the partition between the two sections; moulding profiles in the southerly bay are slightly different from those in the northerly bays. However, the differences are very slight and the form of the addition is identical to that of the original, indicating the addition to be very early. Ownership history indicates the original structure has erected in 1788, and history further suggests that the south addition came in 1811, both dates being acceptable respectively for the two sections.

As the house was moved in 1960, it stands on a modern concrete-block foundation; the original was of stone. A two-storey, stone south wing, added later in the 19th century, was not moved.

Exterior entrances are approximately centered in the east and west facades. The east door has eight panels, partially-raised, with loose echinus mouldings; the west door has six similar panels. Both doors are hung on cast-iron butt hinges. Driven pintels inside indicate earlier doors hung on strap hinges. A five-light transom, with 8" x 10" glass, is above the east door. Architraves with applied ovolo backband surround each door.

North of the doors are two windows in each facade and south of the doors is a single window in each facade. Sash are 6/6, the large glass size indicating their 19th century date. If the sash were 9/9, panes would be 8" x 10". Windows are trimmed with an architrave with applied ovolo backband. Louvred blinds at each window are hung on heavy cast-iron hinges; louvres are thick, their beveled edges flush with stiles and rails on their exposed face when open, projecting beyond and extending over the stiles on their reverse side.

A small, four-light casement in the south gable end east of the chimney lights the attic within the upper slope of the gambrel roof.

Weatherboards of the east facade are beaded and they extend unbroken across the entire facade, indicating a date from the period of the south addition. They appear to be fastened with wrought nails. Weatherboards of the north end are riven, each about four feet long,

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laid uniformly with joints aligned vertically in alternating courses, as though in imitation of common-bond brickwork. They are fastened with wrought nails. The west facade weatherboarding is plain, fastened with cut nails, with no indication of the addition. Finally, the weatherboarding of the south end was added in 1960, copying that of the east front. The east cornice includes bed-moulding, soffit, beaded fascia and crown, all characteristic of the 18th and very early 19th centuries. The cyma-recta bed-moulding of the west facade indicates a mid-19th century replacement with the weatherboards.

Three dormers are on either side of the house, their shed roofs being short extensions of the upper slope of the gambrel. Each has 6/6 sash.

An interior brick chimney rises above each gable end. The south chimney projects slightly beyond the weatherboarding in the first storey and is covered with stucco.

Internally, a central hall is flanked by a single room on either side. The hall and the northerly room comprise the original house. An open staircase rises to the second floor in the west end of the hall; it rises straight against the south wall of the hall, then turns to the north with winders, arriving at the second floor after another short, straight run. The moulded handrail, void of easements, is supported by square newels and square balusters which terminate on a closed stringer. Fully-raised paneling encloses a stair to the cellar. Two-plane architraves have ovolo backbands; interior doors have six fully-raised panels with ovolo profiles on stiles and rails; chair railing surround both spaces, coincidental with window sills. The south mantel consists of reverse-tapered, paneled pilasters (their narrower dimension being at the bottom) supporting a carved architrave, a frieze with fluted blocks above the pilasters and moulded shelf, the latter with carved mouldings.

The detailing of the south room is similar but architraves are of a single plane; chair railing surrounds the room at window-sill height; door panels are surrounded with an ovolo-with-fillet profile on stiles and rails; the architrave surround of the mantel supports a plain frieze and shelf. The chimney is west of center and the recess to its west is filled with an original, straight shelved

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cupboard closed with a pair of paneled doors above and a pair below the chair rail. A six-paneled door in the wall east of the chimney formerly gave access to the later stone wing, not moved with the house. A sloping soffit above the door indicates the few steps formerly down from the second floor into the second floor of the now-missing stone wing.

Original pine flooring remains throughout and most of the plaster is, likewise, original.

In the second storey, the north room is slightly smaller than its counterpart below due to the wider hall accommodating the staircase. It has an irregularly-shaped plastered chimney, trapped to follow the flues within; the fireplace has a simple architrave surround. Doors are like their counterparts below but architraves are of one plane. Chair rail surrounds the several spaces. A room above the easterly portion of the hall (extending a few feet over the north room to correspond to the wider hall) has been reduced in the 20th century by a few feet to create a narrow hall for private access to the south room. The mantel in the south room is an architrave surround supporting a plain frieze with plain pilaster blocks, bed-moulding and shelf. East of the south chimney is a narrow, enclosed winding staircase to the attic, beneath which is a closet, formerly the stairs down into the later stone south wing, now no longer standing.

In the attic, the straight sawn rafters are half-lapped and pegged at their ridge. They appear uniform above both sections of the house, but a joint in the flooring suggests the addition.

In the cellar, both sections have log joists. The cellar dates from the 1960 move, void of historical detail.

**8 SIGNIFICANCE**

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
PREHISTORIC	ARCHEOLOGY PREHISTORIC	COMMUNITY PLANNING	LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	RELIGION
1400-1499	ARCHEOLOGY HISTORIC	CONSERVATION	LAW	SCIENCE
1500-1599	AGRICULTURE	ECONOMICS	LITERATURE	SCULPTURE
1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	EDUCATION	MILITARY	SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
1700-1799	ART	ENGINEERING	MUSIC	THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	COMMERCE	EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	PHILOSOPHY	TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900	COMMUNICATIONS	INDUSTRY	POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	OTHER (SPECIFY)
		INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1788, 1811

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The HAYS HOUSE is a typical late 18th century dwelling of a moderately prosperous citizen; its small early 19th century addition almost exactly extended the original form and detailing. The house has been little altered since, although it was moved in 1960 one block from its original site on lots 39 and 41, South Main Street. Now it is the headquarters of the Historical Society of Harford County, Inc.

The HAYS HOUSE is one of two remaining houses in Bel Air recorded the 1798 Federal Direct Tax assessment. Its owner was listed as Elizabeth Gibson (who was the widow of Thomas Gibson). The occupant (tenant) of the house was Josias Smith and the house was recorded as 26 by 15 feet. A wooden meat house was the only recorded outbuilding, 10 by 8 feet.

At a very early date, an additional 14 1/2 feet were added to form the present structure. Later in the 19th century, before 1861, a two storey stone wing was added, which stood until the earlier frame portion was moved in 1960.

The Town of Bel Air was laid out in 1780 on the lands of Aquilla Scott. In a deed recorded April 3, 1788 (JLG-H-f.264), John Bull purchased for £54/8 "two lots in the Town of Belle Air together with all the commodities, hereditaments, and emoluments thereunto or anywise appertaining," being lots 39 and 41. On September 23, 1789 (JLG-K-f.419), Bull sold this property to Frederick Yeiser, a merchant of Baltimore Town. The selling price was £150 and the deed states "to have and to hold the aforesaid parcel of land and the premises thereon" which is a variation from the earlier deed. It seems logical to conjecture that John Bull had made some major improvements on this property during the year 1788-89, probably the original portion of the subject structure.

In 1794 Yeiser sold the property to Thomas Gibson (JLG-M-f.1); in 1809 (HD-U-f.158) it was purchased by John Churchman Bond, in 1810 (HD-V-f.289) by Arnold Richardson. At a sheriff's sale 14 August 1811, Thomas A. Hays was the successful bidder; his deed was recorded April 12, 1813 (HD-X-F252). He lived in the house until his death in 1861, at which time it passed to his daughter, Pamelie H. Hays (CWB-7-f.752). In 1875 it was acquired by her sister, Elizabeth A. Jacobs, wife of James M. Jacobs, by their father's will and it remained in the Jacobs family (see deeds WSF-80-f.83, HTB-14-f.96, JAR-145-f.175, JA-15-f.90, JA-16-f.97, DGW-178-f.268, DGW-178-f.269) until 1957 when it was acquired

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by Anna Irene McCleary (GRG-498-f.169) who sold the property to Safeway Stores, Inc. (GRG-550-f.468). Safeway Stores, Inc. gave the house the Historical Society of Harford County for its removal and preservation. A small parcel of land was taken from the nearby Bel Air High School property, deeded from the Board of Education of Harford County to the Board of County Commissioners of Harford County (GRG-587-f.142), who leased the same parcel to the Historical Society of Harford County, Inc. for \$1.00 per year (GRG-711-f.286).

Thomas A. Hays was born in 1781, probably on his family's property in the vicinity of the Harford Community College, about 3 1/2 miles east of Bel Air. His father was John Hays, whose stone house is also recorded in the 1798 Federal Direct Tax records. Other members of his family built "Prospect Hill," now on the grounds of the Harford Community College, listed in the National Register of Historic Places as the Hays-Heighe House.

Thomas A. Hays owned many properties in Bel Air. He gave the lot on which the original First Presbyterian Church was built, now the lodge of the International Order of Odd Fellows, also on the National Register. Hays died August 2, 1861 and he is buried with many of his descendants in the cemetery of Christ Church, Rock Spring, 3 1/2 miles northwest of Bel Air.

# 9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Federal Direct Tax Assessment of 1798 for Harford County, Maryland.

Land and Probate Records of Harford County.

Wright, C. Milton. Our Harford Heritage. Baltimore: Frency-Bray Printing Co., 1967.

# 10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 100 by 110 feet

UTM REFERENCES

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	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING
C	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

B	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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D	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
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STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
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# 11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME - TITLE

James Thomas Wollon, Jr., A.I.A., President

ORGANIZATION

Historical Society of Harford Co., Inc.

DATE

October 5, 1976

STREET & NUMBER

P. O. Box 391

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

Maryland 21014

# 12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL     

STATE     

LOCAL     

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

TITLE

DATE

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST:

DATE

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

Easement

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Form 10-300 (Dec. 1968)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	
COUNTY:	
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE

1. NAME

COMMON: The Gays House

AND/OR HISTORIC: NOTE: (see NR form)

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: 312 Kenmore Avenue

CITY OR TOWN: Bel Air

STATE: Maryland CODE: COUNTY: Harford CODE:

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered <input type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>	
Object <input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Both Harford Historical Society</u>		

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>	Comments <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>		
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME: Harford County Historical Society

STREET AND NUMBER: 5 Kenmore Ave

CITY OR TOWN: Bel Air STATE: MD CODE:

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

STREET AND NUMBER: HARFORD COUNTY COURTHOUSE 40 S. MAIN ST.

CITY OR TOWN: BEL AIR STATE: MARYLAND CODE:

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal  State  County  Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: STATE: CODE:

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STATE: COUNTY: ENTRY NUMBER DATE FOR NPS USE ONLY

7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Good <input type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>	Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	Altered <input type="checkbox"/>	Unaltered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Original Site <input type="checkbox"/>		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (If known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Gambrel-roofed house, one and one half stories, 4 bays, 1 room deep, the windows and doors (upstairs and down) are unevenly spaced. Windows are 6/6.

In its present location on S Kenmore Ave the ridge line runs north-south and the house faces east. The paneled doorway is under fire lights.

Hand hewn timbers, and hand-split clapboards on the north end of the house help identify this house as early 1700's. A brick chimney rises inside each end wall.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian  16th Century  Early 18th Century  20th Century   
 15th Century  17th Century  19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) probably 1710.

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal	Education	Political	Urban Planning
Prehistoric <input type="checkbox"/>	Engineering <input type="checkbox"/>	Religion/Philosophy	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
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Art <input type="checkbox"/>	Landscape <input type="checkbox"/>	Social/Humanitarian	
Commerce <input type="checkbox"/>	Architecture <input type="checkbox"/>	Theater <input type="checkbox"/>	
Communications <input type="checkbox"/>	Literature <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>	
Conservation <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>		
	Music <input type="checkbox"/>		

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

Built in the early 1700's - (probably 1710) by William Jones, this little house was lived in by his descendants in the Jones, Hays and Jacobs families, for seven generations. A large stone addition at right angles to this part of the house was torn down when the land ~~was~~ at Main St & Baltimore Pike was sold to Safeway Stores, but the frame section was moved half a block away to land provided by the County Commission out of School property, in 1962.

Safeway Stores gave this house to the Harford County Historical Society at the urging of Mrs. Sharbes Ewing, (Elizabeth Newlin Ewing). ~~She~~

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Wright, C. Patton, Our Historic Heritage p 431

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE				
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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: **JEAN S. EWING**

ORGANIZATION: **MARYLAND HISTORIC TRUST** DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

STREET AND NUMBER: **50 STATE CIRCLE**

CITY OR TOWN: **ANNAPOLIS** STATE: **MARYLAND** CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National  State  Local

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

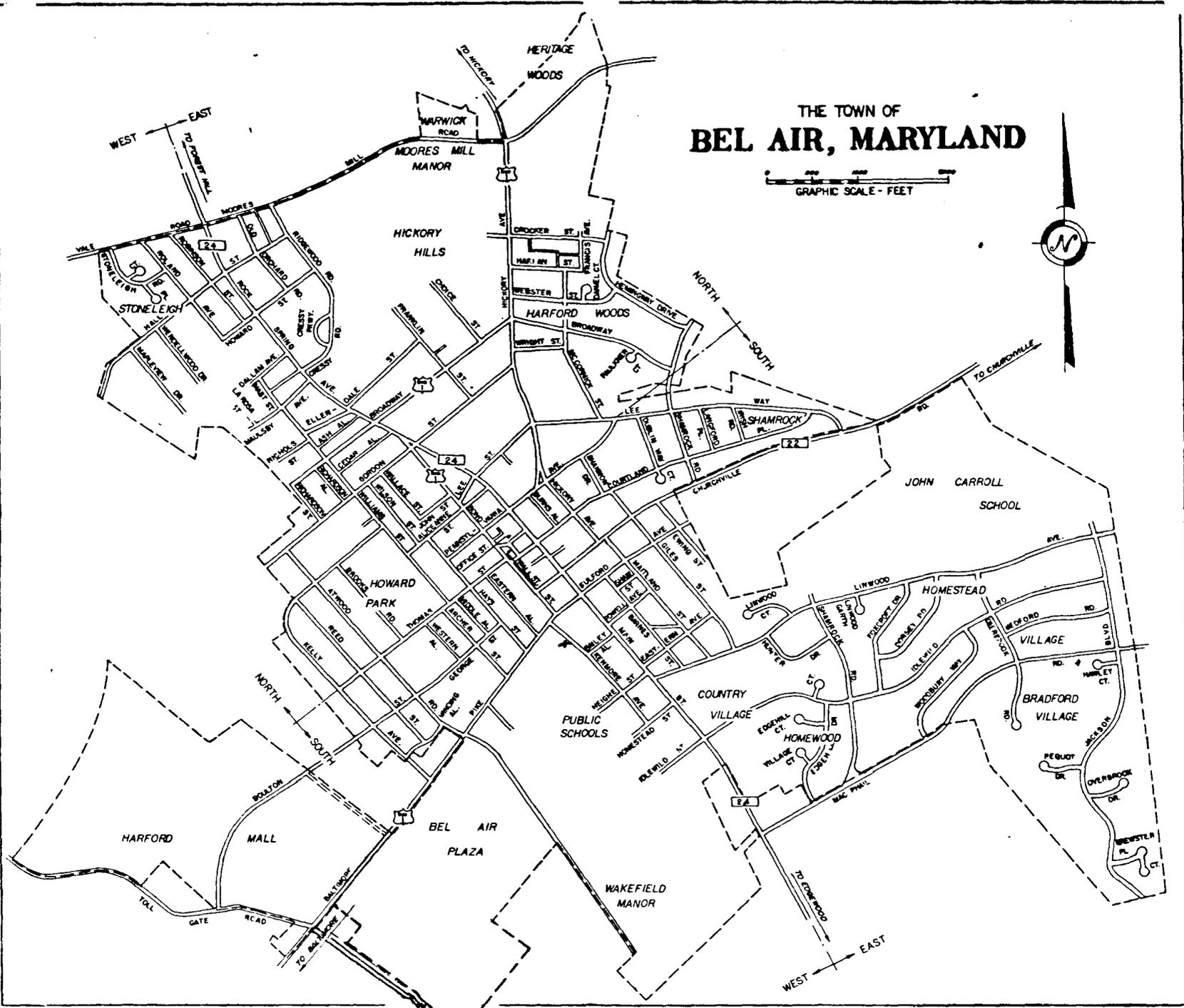
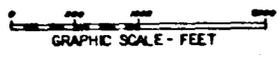
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Keeper of The National Register

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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# THE TOWN OF BEL AIR, MARYLAND



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*Hay House  
324 South Kenmore Ave.*



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BEL AIR

DEC. 1978  
DAVID HODGES

EAST BEDROOM & FIREPLACE

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AA-225 HAYS HOUSE, KENMORE AVE.  
BEL AIR

DEC. 1978  
DAVID HODGES

LIVING ROOM & FIREPLACE (WEST)

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AA-225 Hays House, KENMORE AVE,  
BEL AIR

DEC. 1978  
DAVID NODGES

HALL & STAIRS - LOOKING UP

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AA-225 HAYS HOUSE, KENMORE AVE.  
BEL AIR

Dec. 1978

DAVID HODGES

DINING ROOM (EAST)

C163-10



HA-225 HAYS HOUSE, KENMORE AVE  
BEL AIR

DEC. 1978  
DAVID HODGES

LIVING ROOM - SOUTH WALL

C163-8



HA-225 Hays House, KENMORE AVE.  
BEL AIR

DEC. 1978  
DAVID HODGES

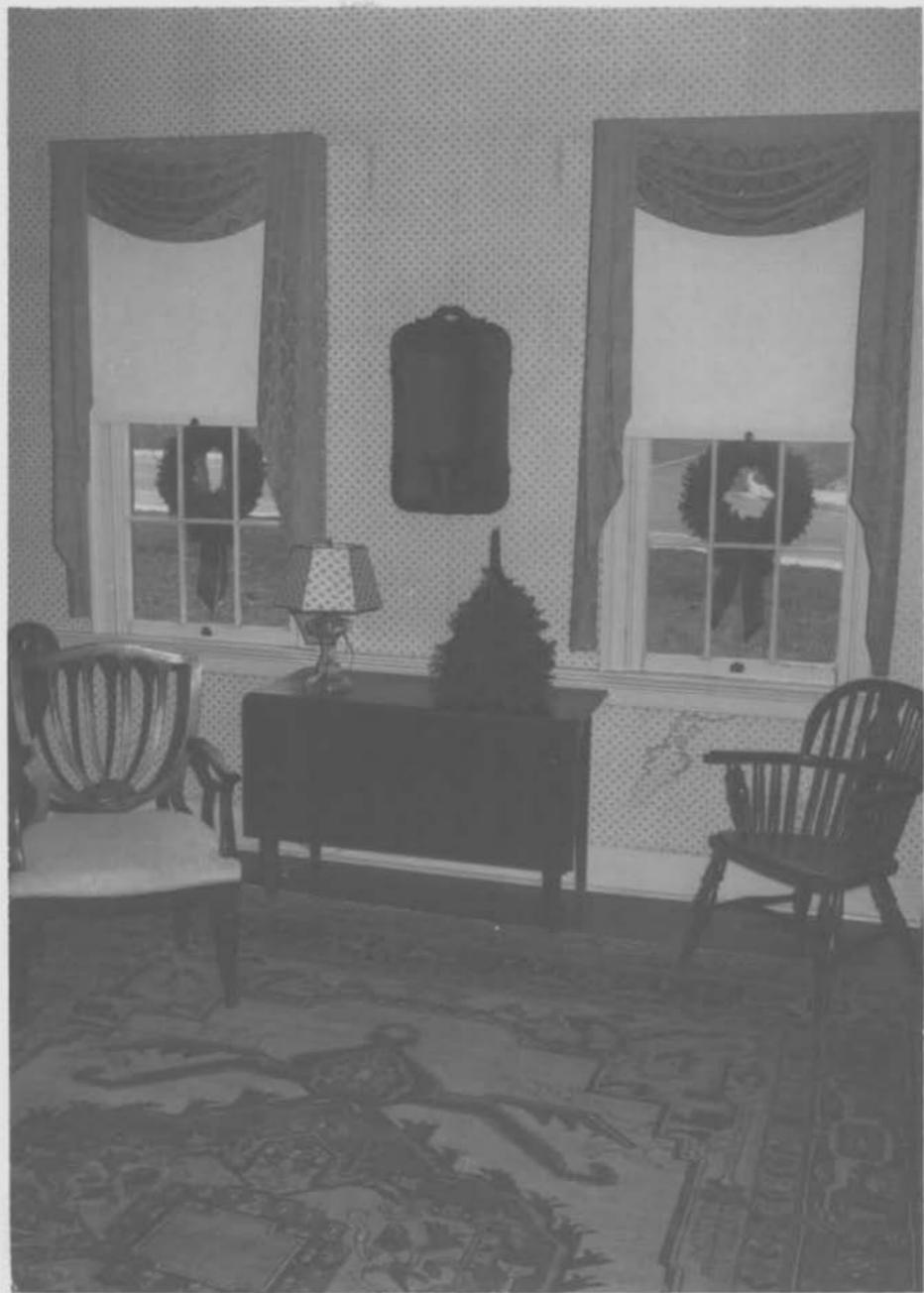
WEST BEDROOM & FIREPLACE

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AA-225 Hays House, Kenmore Ave.  
BEL AIR

DEC 1978  
DAVID HODGES



HA-225 Hays House, Kenmore  
Ave., BEL AIR

DEC. 1978

DAVID HODGES

LIVING ROOM - NORTH WALL

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4A-225 DAYHOUSE, KENMURE AVE,  
BEL AIR

DEC. 1978

DAVID HODGES

WEST BEDROOM - NORTH WALL

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