

GAITHERSBURG HISTORIC SITES SURVEY FIELD SHEET

ADDRESS 14 WALKER AVENUE
County: Montgomery
Gaithersburg

MHT # M-21-33
LIBER 5509, FOLIO 769

SURVEY # 123
LOT 14, BLOCK -

OWNER: -
ADDRESS: same
CITY: same

PRESENT USE: residence
ORIGINAL USE: residence
BUILDER: -

STYLE: Late Victorian

DATE BUILT: c.1911

PHYS. COND: good

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

STRUCTURAL SYSTEM:

FOUNDATION: brick
WALL STRUCTURE: Balloon
WALL COVERING: pebbledash over German siding

ROOF CONSTRUCTION:

ROOF STRUCTURE: Wood Truss
ROOF COVERING: pressed tin, fishscale pattern
ROOF STYLE: mod.hip
EAVES: boxed cornice
CHIMNEYS: interior

APPENDAGES:

ADDITIONS: -
ELLS: -
PORCHES: front
SUPPORTS: modified
OUTBUILDINGS: garage

STORIES: 2 1/2

BAYS: 2 x 2

APPROX DIMENSION: 27 x 30

WINDOWS:

TYPE: d.h.s.
LIGHTS: 1/1
BAY WINDOWS: left
SIDE BY SIDES: front
GABLE TYPES: rectangular

ENTRANCES:

LOCATION: 2nd
DESCRIPTION: -

THREAT: none

SURROUNDINGS: residential

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DESCRIPTION: The Offutt-Darby House is a 2 1/2 storey stucco over German siding frame house with a two-bay symmetrical facade, a full one-storey front porch with a standing seam tin roof. The main house has a modified hip roof covered in patterned pressed tin with front and side gables. There is a two-storey bay window area located on the left elevation. The principal windows are double hung sash 1/1 with thick wooden sills and four inch surrounds. Each of the gables contains a small centered window. The front gable window has a Gothic appearance; the rest are rectangular. This is an example of a typical Gaithersburg Style American four-square which has been modified by pebbledash stucco and the addition of large, almost Spanish Colonial front porch supports.

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