

Emory Church and School
M:23-109
Montgomery County, Maryland

The Emory Church and School property is currently the site of two residential structures, both of which were built in the second quarter of this century. The two independent houses are located on adjacent lots at the intersection of Emory Lane and Cashell Road, and on the site of the original Emory Methodist Church and Emory School, later known as Oakdale School. Although they occupy the site of the original church and school buildings, these residential structures have no other associations with Emory Methodist Church, and no architectural significance in their own right. The property does not meet the criteria of the Maryland Inventory of Historic Places or the National Register of Historic Places.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
MD INVENTORY OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES

Inventory No. M-23-109

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1. Name of Property

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historic name Emory Church and School

common/other name Oakdale Church

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2. Location

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street & number Emory Lane and Cashell Road Not for publication

city or town _____ vicinity X state Maryland code MD

county Montgomery code _____ zip code 20833

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3. State/Federal Agency Certification

N/A

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4. National Park Service Certification

N/A

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5. Classification

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Ownership of Property (Check all that apply)

- private
 public-local
 public-State
 public-Federal

Category of Property (Check only one box)

- building(s)
 district
 site
 structure
 object

Number of Resources within Property

Contributing Noncontributing

_____	<u>2</u>	buildings
_____	_____	sites
_____	_____	structures
_____	_____	objects
_____	_____	Total

Is this property listed in the National Register?

Yes _____ Name of Listing _____ No X

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6. Function or Use
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Historic Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: RELIGIOUS Sub: Church
EDUCATIONAL School

Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: DOMESTIC Sub: Single Dwelling

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7. Description
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Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instructions)

Modern Movement

Materials (Enter categories from instructions)

foundation _____
roof 1) gable; asphalt shingles; 2) gable; asphalt shingles
walls 1) Stone veneer; 2) Weatherboard
other _____

Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property.)

See Continuation Sheet No. 7-1

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8. Statement of Significance
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Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing)

- A Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- B Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations (Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)

- A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- B removed from its original location.
- C a birthplace or a grave.
- D a cemetery.
- E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- F a commemorative property.
- G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

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Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions)

n/a

Period of Significance _____

Significant Dates 1801
Circa 1920

Significant Person (Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

Cultural Affiliation _____

Architect/Builder _____

Narrative Statement of Significance (Explain the significance of the property.)

See Continuation Sheet No. 8-1

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9. Major Bibliographical References
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(Cite the books, articles, legal records, and other sources used in preparing this form.)

Allen G. Noble and Richard K. Cleek, *The Old Barn Book: A field guide to North American Barns and other Farm Structures*. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 1995.

Coleman, Margaret Marshall and Anne Dennis Lewis. *Montgomery County: A Pictorial History*. Norfolk, VA: The Donning Company. 1984.

Farquhar, Roger Brooke. *Old Homes and History of Montgomery County, MD*. Silver Spring, MD., 1952, 1962.

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Sandy Spring Museum, Biography Files, Photographic Files, and House Files, Sandy Spring, Maryland.

Genealogical Abstracts, *Montgomery County Sentinel 1855-1899*.

Maps and Drawings and Photographs

Hopkins, G.M., *Atlas of Fifteen Miles around Washington, including the County of Montgomery, Maryland*, 1879.

Simon L. Martenet, *Martenet and Bond's Map of Montgomery County*, 1865.

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10. Geographical Data
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Acreege of Property 3 acres

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property.)

The Emory Church and School occupies parcels 385 and 388 on Tax Map HS 343 of Montgomery County, Maryland.

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected.)

These boundaries have been associated with the Emory Church and School since the construction of the Emory Church in 1801.

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11. Form Prepared By
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name/title Kimberly Williams/Michele Naru, Architectural Historians
organization M-NCPPC date _____
street & number 8787 Georgia Avenue telephone 301/563-3403
city or town Silver Spring state MD zip code 20910
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12. Property Owners
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CHURCH

name Zane E. and J.R. Naibert
street & number 16590 Emory lane telephone _____
city or town Rockville state MD zip code 20853
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SCHOOL

name Jacqueline M. Urband et al
street & number 16600 Emory Lane telephone _____
city or town Rockville state MD zip code 20853
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MARYLAND INVENTORY OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES

CONTINUATION SHEET

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county and state

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The Emory Church and School property is currently the site of two residential structures, both of which were built in the second quarter of this century. The two independent houses are located on adjacent lots at the intersection of Emory Lane and Cashell Road. The one house is a Colonial Revival Cape Cod, the other is a bungalow.

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

The house located on the site of the original Emory Church is a 1-1/2-story, three-bay, center-passage-plan house with a stone veneer. It is covered with a gable roof, featuring two gable dormers and an end chimney.

The house located on the site of Emory (later Oakdale) School, is a 1-1/2-story frame bungalow-type house. It is covered with a cross gable roof, is clad with weatherboard siding, and features a one-story porch with a shed roof. The roof is clad with asphalt shingles. Typical windows are placed singly and in pairs and feature 6/1 sash with square-edged trim.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The property called the Emory Church and School actually consists of two 20th-century residences, which are located on the site of the original Emory Methodist Church and Emory School, later known as Oakdale School. Although they occupy the site of the original church and school buildings¹, these residential structures have no other associations with Emory Methodist Church, and no architectural significance in their own right. The property does not meet the criteria of the Maryland Inventory of Historic Places or the National Register of Historic Places.

Historic Context

In November 1801, trustees for the Emory Methodist Church purchased seventy-five "perches" of land at the intersection of present-day Emory Lane and Cashell Road. The original church building was constructed on this site that same year with 14 members. According to secondary sources, this church was a small frame structure with handmade furnishings.² It is not known when the original school building was erected on the site. However, both the Emory Methodist Church and School House are clearly identified on Martenet and Bond's *Map of Montgomery County* (1865) and again on the G.M. Hopkins *Atlas of Montgomery County* (1879). According to these maps, the buildings are located in the vicinity of the present-day houses, though it is not clear if they are on the exact site.

In 1868, the church had a membership of 22. It was part of the Rockville Circuit in 1876, which also included Goshen, Brookeville, Rockville, Potomac Chapel, Concord, Gaithersburg and Barnesville. In 1914-15, a new church building, designed in a carpenter Gothic style, was erected on the east side of Georgia Avenue, just north of the original church site. Although the church retained ownership of the property until 1927, the chapel was used by farmer J.W. Barnsley in the interim. In 1915, according to a Mutual Fire Insurance Company policy taken out by J.W. Barnsley, "the old Emory Church [was] used as hay house." The property was insured for \$75.00 and the property's cash value was estimated at \$100.00. Based upon this information, it is clear that the original building on the site was demolished and replaced by the 1-1/2-story, three-

¹ Emory Methodist Church was rebuilt on another site, on the east side of Georgia Avenue in 1914-1915.

² Maryland Historical Trust Inventory Form for State Historic Sites Survey, Emory Methodist Church-South (M:23-106), 1976.

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bay, Cap Cod-style house currently on the site.

In 1868, a State report indicates that there were 50 students at Emory School with Stacy T. Noland as teacher.³ In 1883, the school was apparently deeded to the County School Commissioners. An 1883 insurance policy on the school identifies it as a twelve-year-old structure, measuring 20' x 30' and located 30 yards east of the chapel. In 1908 a new building was approved for Emory, and in 1910 a new building, called Oakdale, was insured for \$475. In 1928, the school was closed with community approval and in 1929, the site was sold to Daniel W. Bonds for \$1,050.

Based upon this transaction, it seems that the original school building was demolished and replaced by the 1-1/2-story, frame, bungalow-type house presently on the site, probably around the time of the sale, or thereafter.

³ Guy Jewell, "Schools that Were," (1973), Montgomery County Historical Society, Vertical Files.

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HISTORIC CONTEXT:

Geographic Organization: Piedmont

Chronological/Development Period (s):

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme (s):

RESOURCE TYPE(S)

Category:

Historic Environment:

Historic Function (s):

Known Design Source:

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Chain of Title:

CHURCH

November 4, 1801 Samuel Beall and Edward Owen and wife convey to Trustees for Emory Methodist Church. (Referenced in Deed Book 434 Folio 449)

Purchase of 75 perches of land on the west corner of Emory Lane and Cashell Road. Original Church built on this site with 14 members.

October, 1868 Emory Methodist Church (Rockville Circuit) reports 22 members.

November 4, 1914 Cornerstone laid for the new Oakdale Emory Methodist Episcopal Church on Georgia Avenue. The 1.75 acres was granted to the trustees by John P. Ray Jr. and wife and Caroline E. Murphy. (Deed Book 248 Folio 256)

1915 Mutual Assurance Society Policy #55784 written March 19, 1915 states "The Old Emory Church bought by J.W. Barnesley used as hay house."

1921 Mutual Assurance Society Policy #64064 written February 26, 1921 designates the Church is still being used as a "hay barrack"

August 15, 1927 James W. Barnesley, Myrtle Barnesley, Edwin Stonestreet, Lee-Adamson, E.S. Barnesley and L.W. White (Present Board of Trustees) sold the previous church building and land to Frank Junghans. (Deed Book 434 Folio 449)

May 24, 1939 James P. Junghans et al, Plaintiffs (VS) John L. Junghans et al, Defendants.

Robert Peter, William Prettyman and Thomas C. Kelly were appointed trustees to sell the land decreed to be sold. (Equity Case #8666)

June 28, 1939 Trustees sold the property to W. Brooke Johns at a public sale for \$1,925.00. 4.67 acres. (Deed Book 772 Folio 199)

June 28, 1960 W. Brooke Johns and Hazel M. Johns to Jocelyn S. Stobbs. 4.67 acres (Deed Book 2758 Folio 276)

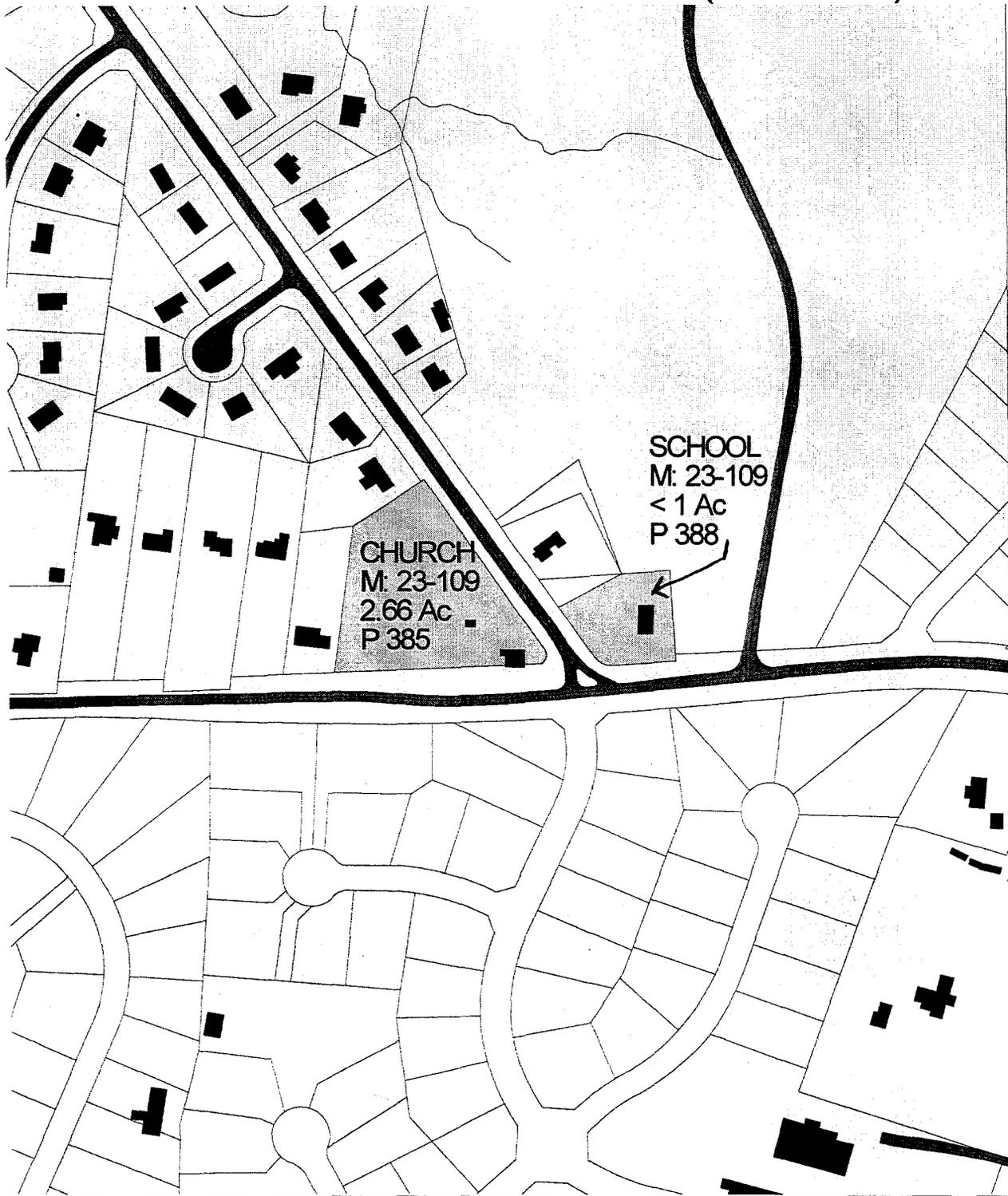
December 8, 1970 Jocelyn S. Stobbs to Zane E. Naibert and Janice R. Naibert. Present Owners. 3.0209 acres. (Deed Book 4025 Folio 511)

SCHOOL

March 27, 1868 Board tabled a request to repair the Hopewell Academy building at Emory Chapel which had been given to the School Commissioners.

June 30, 1868 In State report, 50 pupils at Emory Chapel with Stacey T. Noland as teacher.

EMORY CHURCH AND SCHOOL (M: 23-109)



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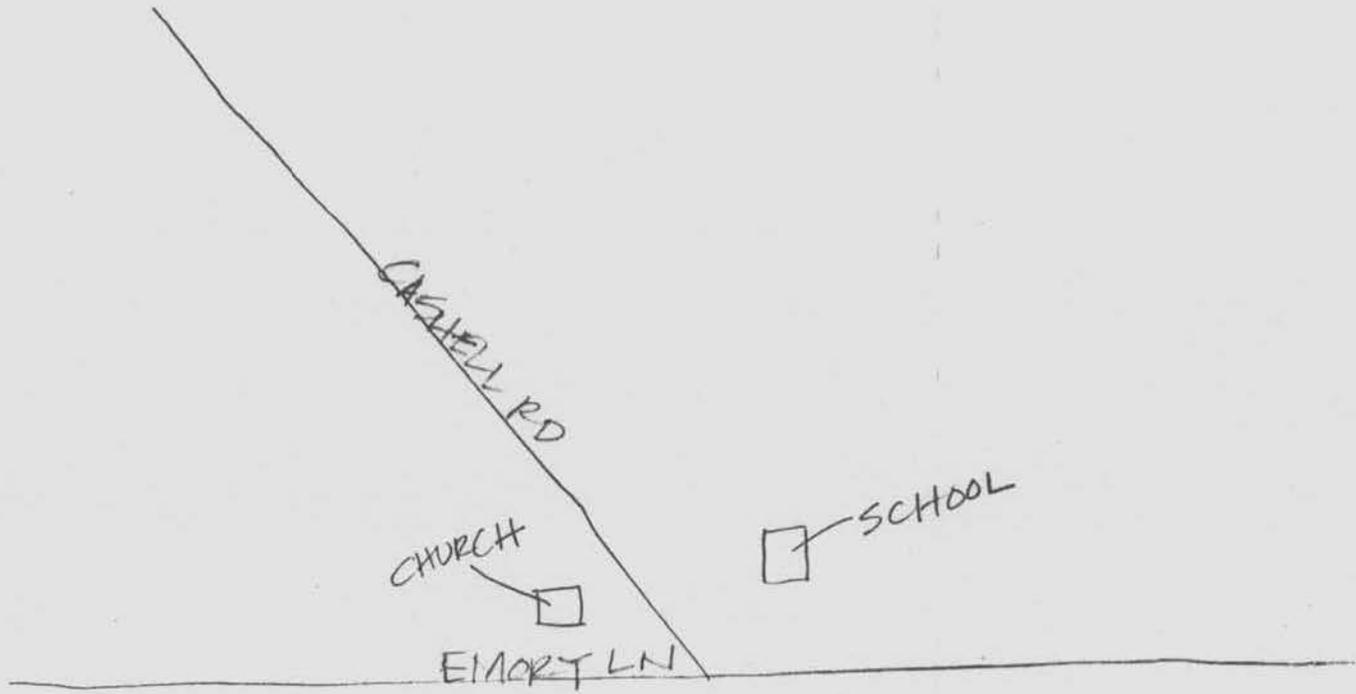
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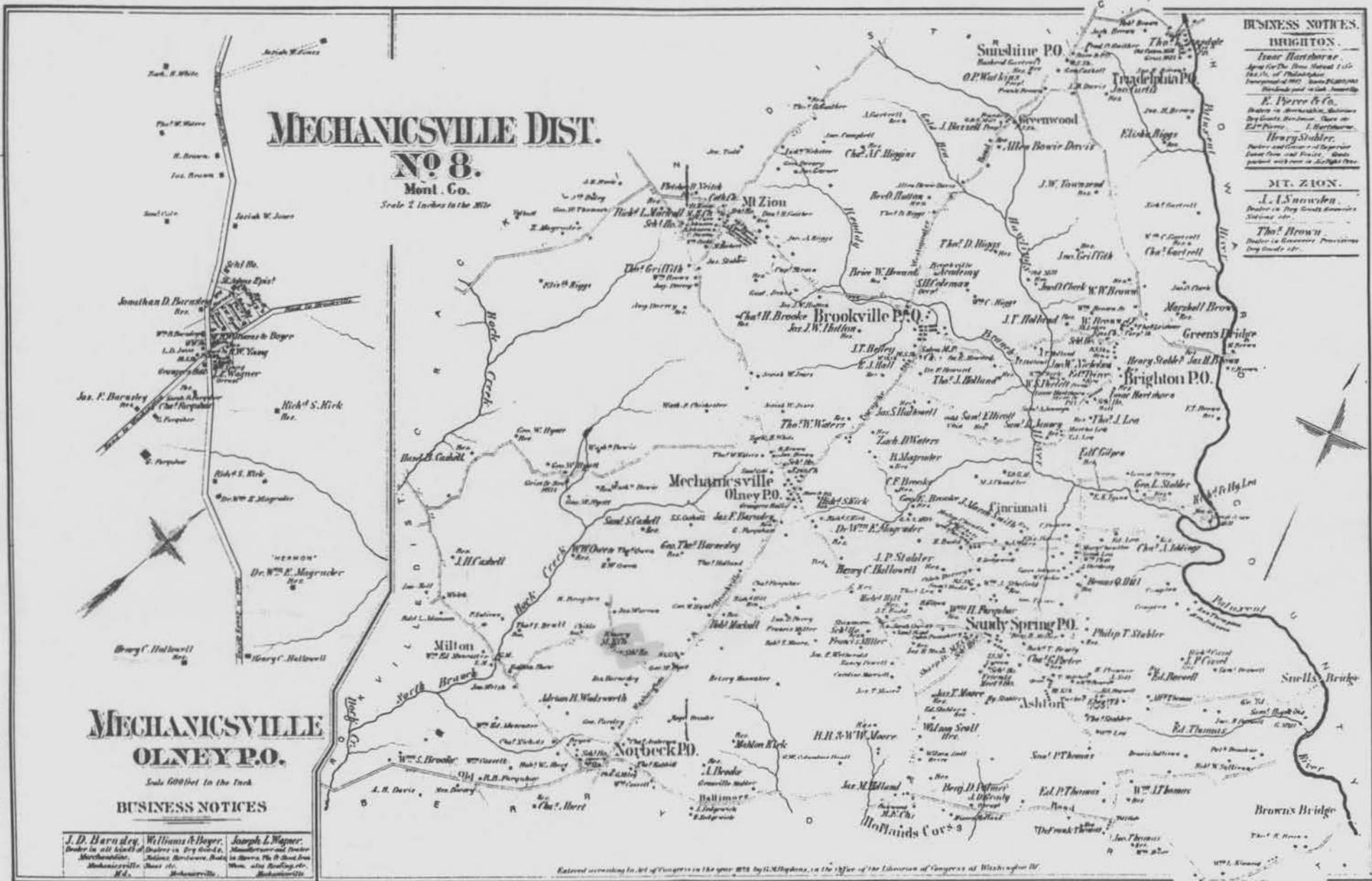
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EMORY CHURCH
+ SCHOOL



MECHANICSVILLE DIST.

No. 8.
Mont. Co.

Scale 2 inches to the Mile

**MECHANICSVILLE
OLNEY P.O.**

Scale 600 feet to the Inch

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BUSINESS NOTICES

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Agent for The Iron Works of
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Manufactures all kinds of
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Dry Goods, Hardware, &c.
Henry Stabler
Dealers and Grocers of Superior
Sweet Corn and Potatoes. Goods
received with care at daylight hours.

MT. ZION.
L. I. Snowden
Dealers in Dry Goods, Hardware,
Shirts, &c.
Thos. Brown
Dealers in Groceries, Provision
Dry Goods, &c.

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Hopkins, G.M., comp. Atlas of Fifteen Miles around Washington, including the County of Montgomery, Maryland, 1879. Reprint. Rockville, MD.: Montgomery County Historical Society, 1975.



SCALE 1:24000

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 Scale: 1 inch equals 2000 feet

Location: 039° 08' 54.7" N 077° 03' 56.4" W
 Caption: EMORY CHURCH/SCHOOL (M: 23-109)
 16590/16600 Emory Ln.



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EMORY CHURCH + SCHOOL

MONTGOMERY CO., MD

KIM WILLIAMS

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MARYLAND SHPO

PHOTO OF SOUTH ELEVATION OF CHURCH

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EMORY CHURCH + SCHOOL

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MONTGOMERY CO., MD

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MARYLAND SHPO

NORTH ELEVATION

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SOUTH ELEVATION

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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Emory Church & School

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Emory Lane and Cashell Road

CITY, TOWN

Olney

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Montgomery

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

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

OWNERSHIP

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

STATUS

- OCCUPIED
- UNOCCUPIED
- WORK IN PRG
- 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

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Montgomery County Courthouse

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Rockville

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION
 EXCELLENT
 GOOD
 FAIR

 DETERIORATED
 RUINS
 UNEXPOSED
CHECK ONE
 UNALTERED
 ALTERED
CHECK ONE
 ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____
DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Both of these buildings have been remodeled into private homes. The building on the left-hand side of Cashell Road was allegedly the old Emory Church. It now has a flagstone veneer, and looks like a mid-20th Century house. The building on the right is a small, white frame building, with several additions. This was formerly a one-room school.

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
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SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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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

Michael F. Dwyer, Senior Park Historian

ORGANIZATION

M-NCPPC

DATE

1975

STREET & NUMBER

8787 Georgia Ave.

TELEPHONE

589-1480

CITY OR TOWN

Silver Spring

STATE

Maryland

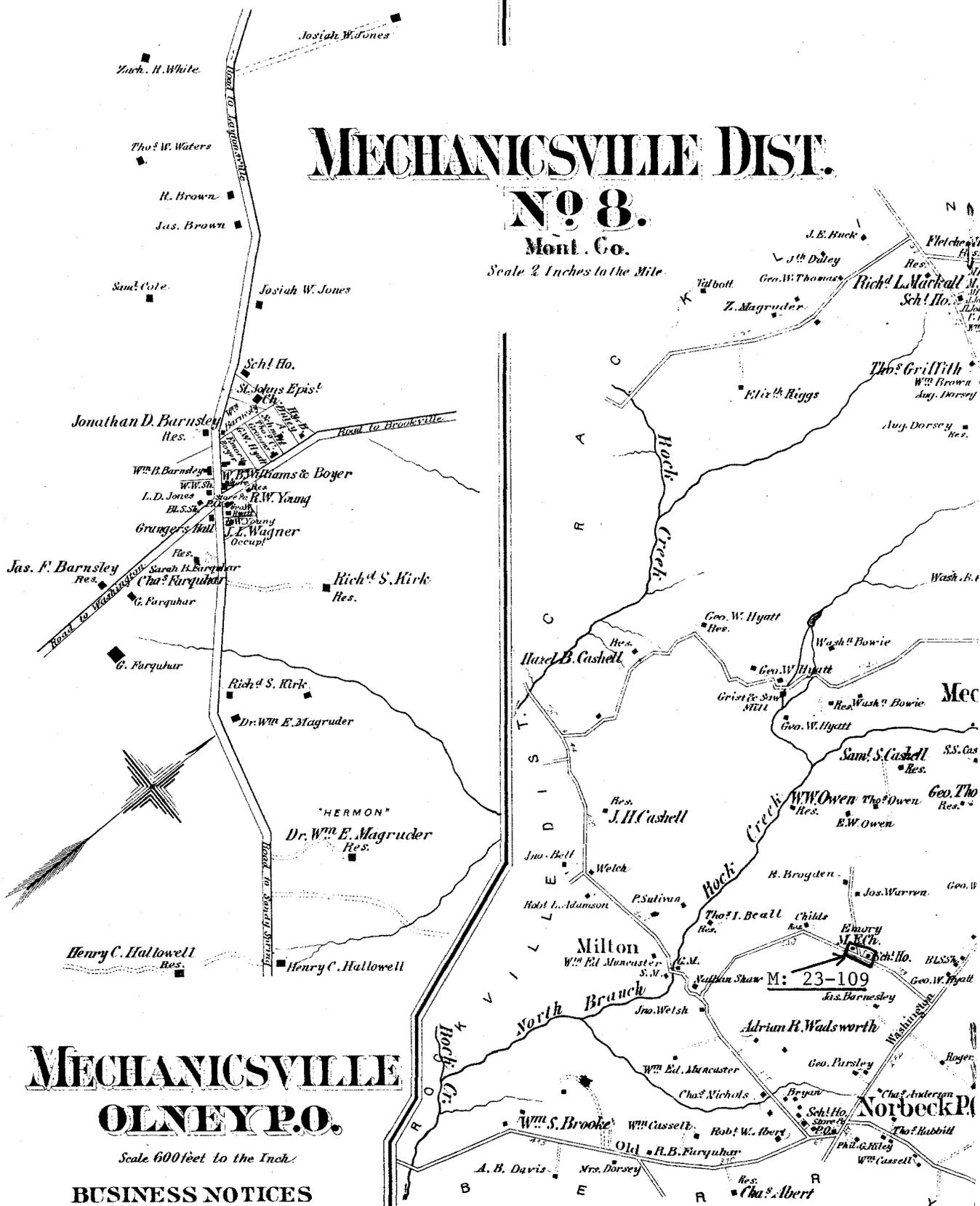
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The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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

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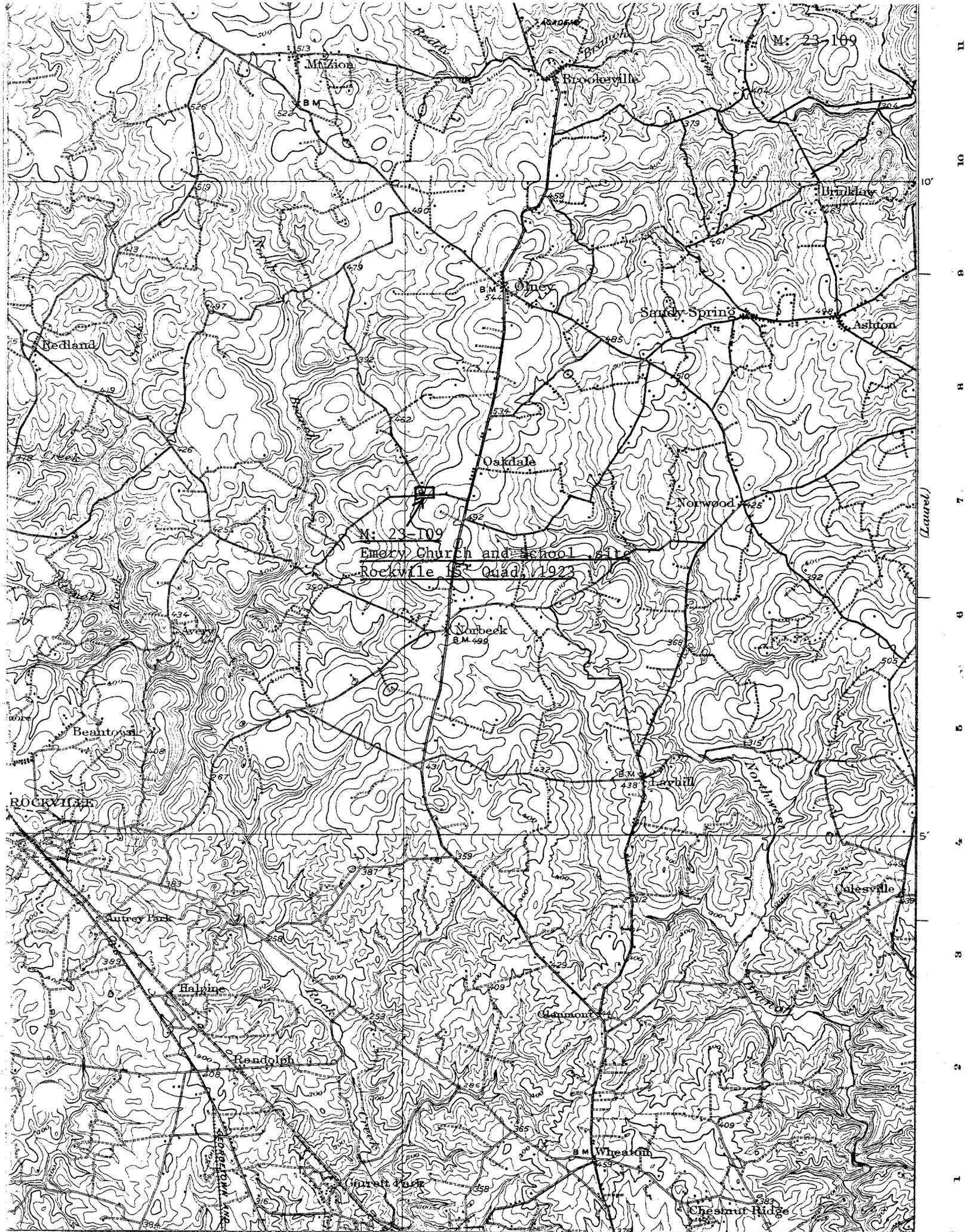
MECHANICSVILLE OLNEY P.O.

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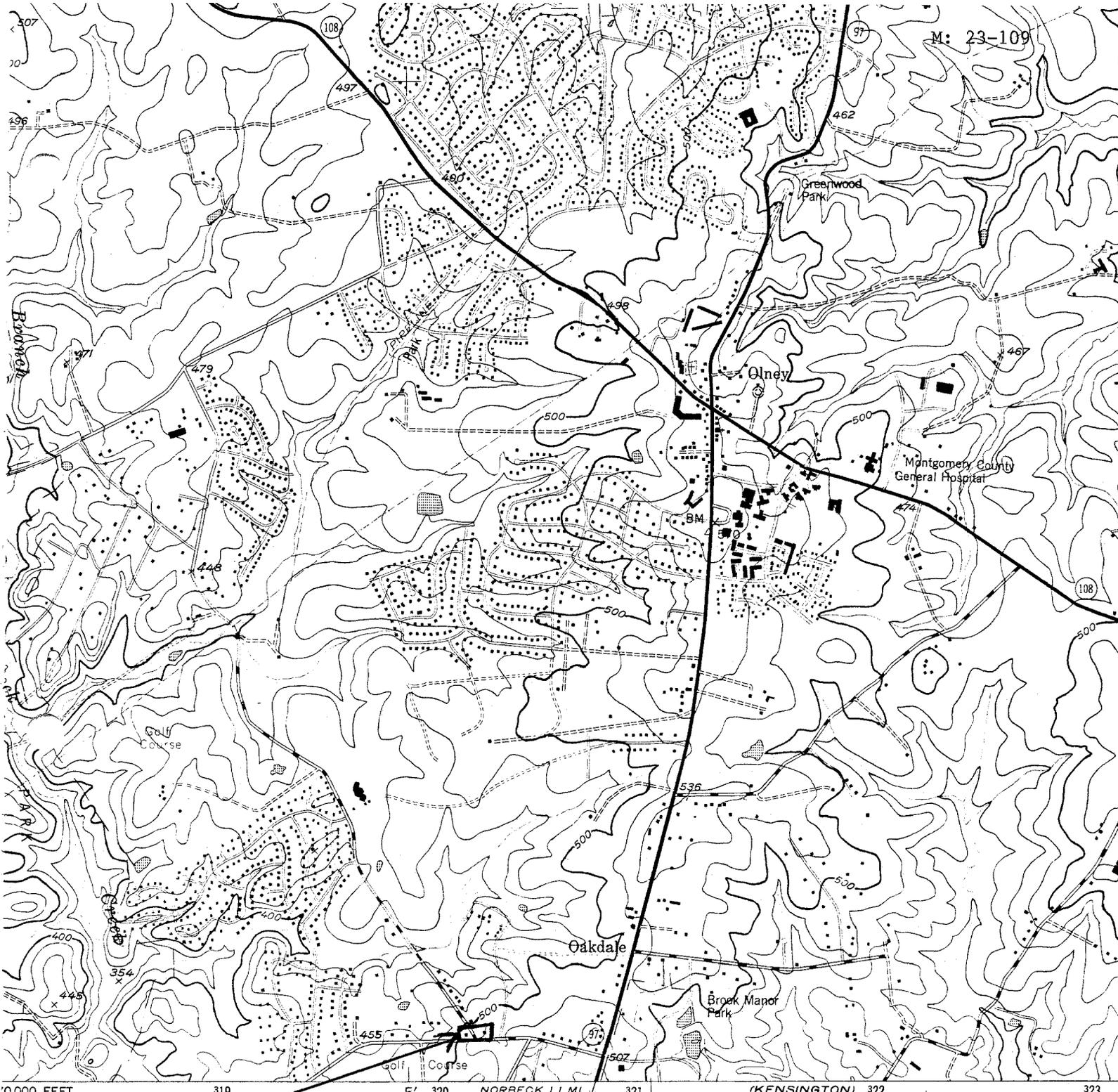
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Emory Church and school site
Rockville 5th Quad, 1923

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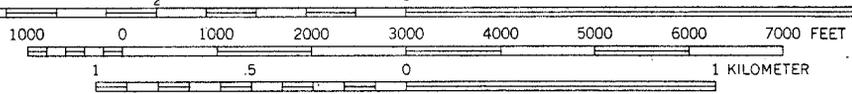
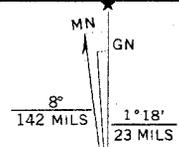
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Emory Church and School, site
Sandy Spring Quad, 1945, PR 1979

SCALE 1:24 000



CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 FEET
NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM OF 1929

UTM GRID AND 1979 MAGNETIC NORTH
DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

To place on the predicted North American Datum 1983,
move the projection lines 8 meters south and
26 meters west as shown by dashed corner ticks

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS
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