

QA-675  
903 Love Point Road  
Stevensville, Queen Anne's County

Constructed ca. 1895  
Private

### *Summary Description*

The dwelling at 903 Love Point Road is a three-story, two-bay, pyramidal-roof building that has been adapted with dormers and a rear addition. The dwelling is accessed down a long lane running slightly northwest from Love Point Road, with the south elevation facing the road.

### *Summary Statement of Significance*

The dwelling at 903 Love Point Road is significant as an example of the foursquare style. Although 903 Love Point Road has been altered by later additions and modern materials, it still stands as evidence of a time when Kent Island's focus was primarily agricultural and open spaces abounded.

# Maryland Historical Trust

## Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No. QA-675

### 1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic 903 Love Point Road

other

### 2. Location

street and number 903 Love Point Road not for publication

city, town Stevensville vicinity

county Queen Anne's County

### 3. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

Name Francis & Ladda Cole

street and number 820 Cabin John Parkway telephone

city, town Rockville state MD zip code 20852

### 4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Queen Anne's County Courthouse liber SM 946 folio 456

city, town Centreville tax map 48 tax parcel 13 tax ID number 04-121732

### 5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Contributing Resource in National Register District
- Contributing Resource in Local Historic District
- Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
- Determined Ineligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
- Recorded by HABS/HAER
- Historic Structure Report or Research Report at MHT
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### 6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function	Resource Count	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape	Contributing
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade	<input type="checkbox"/> recreation/culture	Noncontributing
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> defense	<input type="checkbox"/> religion	<u>1</u> buildings
<input type="checkbox"/> site		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> domestic	<input type="checkbox"/> social	<u>1</u> sites
<input type="checkbox"/> object		<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation	<u>1</u> structures
		<input type="checkbox"/> funerary	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<u>1</u> objects
		<input type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> unknown	<u>1</u> Total
		<input type="checkbox"/> health care	<input type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use	
		<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> other:	
				<b>Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the Inventory</b>
				<u>0</u>

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## 7. Description

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### Condition

excellent       deteriorated  
 good             ruins  
 fair               altered

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Prepare both a one paragraph summary and a comprehensive description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

The dwelling at 903 Love Point Road is a three-story, two-bay, pyramidal-roof building that has been adapted with dormers and a rear addition. The dwelling is accessed down a long lane running slightly northwest from Love Point Road, with the south elevation facing the road.

Two styles of dormers are found rising out of the green asphalt shingle roof. The front and rear elevations contain gable dormers with double one-over-one windows. The side elevations have shed dormers which contain a band of three one-over-one windows. Two corbelled chimneys rise out of the joint between the gable dormers and the roof peak. A one-story porch wraps around from the front elevation to run the full-length of the west elevation. The shed-roofed porch is topped with a metal seam roof, which is supported by round columns that taper at the top. The dwelling contains mostly one-over-one windows arranged symmetrically and flanked by green wooden shutters. The front elevation contains double, narrow windows. The remaining windows on the main block are of single one-over-one configuration. The dwelling is clad in vinyl siding, which runs to the ground, covering the foundation.

A two-story addition with a notched roofline is connected to the main block and is attached to a one-story shed-roof addition. The result is a roofline of varying heights when viewed from the side elevations. This addition contains a mix of windows sizes and configurations, which does include two six-over-six windows constructed of wood. The rear addition is clad in vinyl siding and rests on a brick foundation.

## 8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> invention	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 2000-	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> social history
	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning		<input type="checkbox"/> maritime history	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation		<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other: _____

### Specific dates

### Architect/Builder

Construction dates ca. 1895

Evaluation for:

National Register

Maryland Register

not evaluated

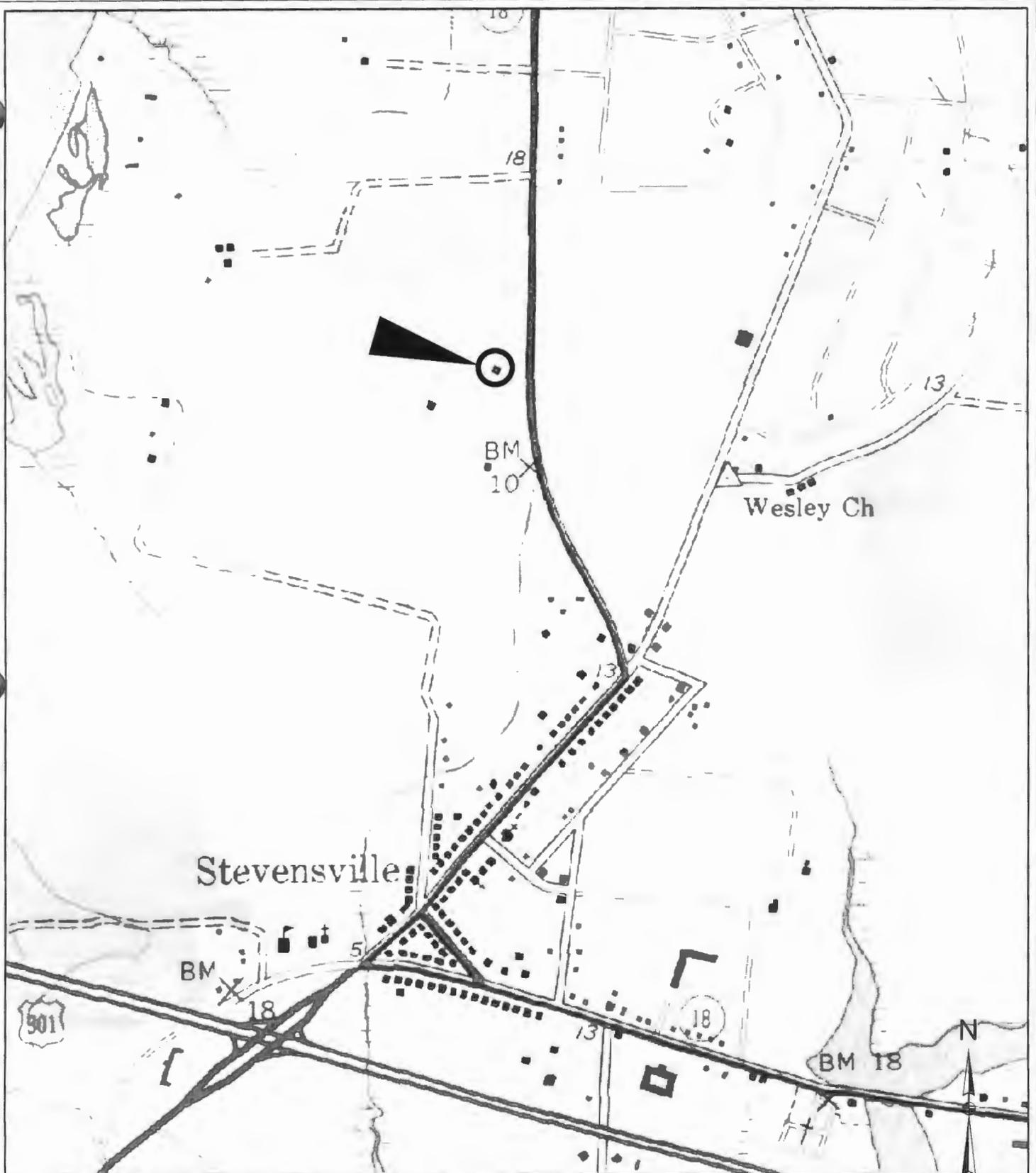
Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

The dwelling at 903 Love Point Road is significant as an example of the foursquare style.<sup>1</sup> While a popular style through much of the country during the late nineteenth century and early twentieth century, there are relatively few examples found on Kent Island. A large open lawn lies between the dwelling and Love Point Road, the only evidence of what was once a larger collection of open spaces that surrounded the dwelling. Today a large, modern development of apartments and townhouses, typical of the early twenty-first century, looms behind the dwelling.

Although 903 Love Point Road has been altered by later additions and modern materials, it still stands as evidence of a time when Kent Island's focus was primarily agricultural and open spaces abounded.

<sup>1</sup> Gabrielle M. Lanier and Bernard L. Herman, *Everyday Architecture of the Mid-Atlantic: Looking at Buildings and Landscapes* (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Press, 1997), 171-172.





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**Stevensville Vicinity, Queen Anne's County Maryland**  
**Kent Island, Maryland Quadrangle (1:24,000)**



Photo Log

QA- 675 – 903 Love Point Road  
Photos Taken November 2009  
By Rochelle Bohm, Consultant  
Queen Anne's County

Photos Printed on Epson Premium Glossy Paper with Epson UltraChrome pigmented inks.

File Name (s)	Description
QA-675_2009-11-18_01 QA-675_2009-11-18_01.TIF	Perspective view of south and west elevations looking northeast
QA-675_2009-11-18_02 QA-675_2009-11-18_02.TIF	Perspective view of south and east elevations looking northwest
QA-675_2009-11-18_03 QA-675_2009-11-18_03.TIF	Perspective view of north and east elevations looking southwest
QA-675_2009-11-18_04 QA-675_2009-11-18_04.TIF	View of west elevation looking east



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LOOKING NORTHEAST.

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VIEW OF WEST ELEVATION LOOKING EAST

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