

Capsule Summary
SM-718
49460 Bayne Road
Ridge
Private

c. 1900

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Maryland Historical Trust Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No. SM-718

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

other 49460 Bayne Road

2. Location

street and number 49460 Bayne Road __ not for publication

city, town Ridge __ vicinity

county St. Mary's

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

name William E. Williams & Holly I. Gorton

street and number 49460 Bayne Road telephone N/a

city, town Ridge state Md zip code 20680

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. St. Mary's County Courthouse tax map and parcel TM-71

city, town Leonardtown liber MRB 424 folio 419

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

7. Description

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Condition

excellent deteriorated
 good ruins
 fair altered

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

Positioned on a small ridge overlooking almost over 5 acres of pasture, the house at 49460 Bayne Road is located in the small crossroads community of Ridge, Maryland. The dwelling is aligned on an east/west axis with the primary (west) elevation facing the Point Lookout Road and the south (side) elevation facing Bayne Road. The tract is bounded by Bayne Road to the south, wooded and agricultural lots to the east, a residential lot to the north, and the parking lot of Raley's Supermarket to the west.

Exhibiting architectural components prevalent around 1900, the house at 49460 Bayne Road is a two-story, three bay frame dwelling with a side-passage plan and a two-story rear ell. The walls are sheathed with artificial siding and the gable roof is covered with asphalt shingles. The roof is pierced by a large central brick chimney flue and also features a cross gable replete with an octagonal-shaped attic window divided into nine lights.

The front or west elevation represents the most elaborate side of the house. A graceful wrap-around porch adorned with turned porch posts and scroll sawn brackets shades a door and two, two-over-two, double-hung sash window replete with louvered shutters. A balustrade composed of plain square balusters enclose the spaces between all of the posts except for the space reserved for the main entry stairs. The second floor fenestration consists of three, two-over-two windows. The other elevations of the house were not observed.

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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input 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 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

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.)

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9. Major Bibliographical References

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Hammett, Regina Combs. History of St. Mary's County, Maryland: 1634-1990. Ridge, Md: Self-published, 1994.

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 5 acres
Acreage of historical setting 5 acres
Quadrangle name Point Lookout Quadrangle scale: 1:24 000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The house lot of 49460 Bayne Road is bounded by Bayne Road to the south, a wooded and agricultural lot to the east, a residential lot to the north, and the parking lot of Raley's Supermarket to the west. A more specific description of the property appears in St. Mary's County Land Records Liber MRB 424, folio 419.

11. Form Prepared by

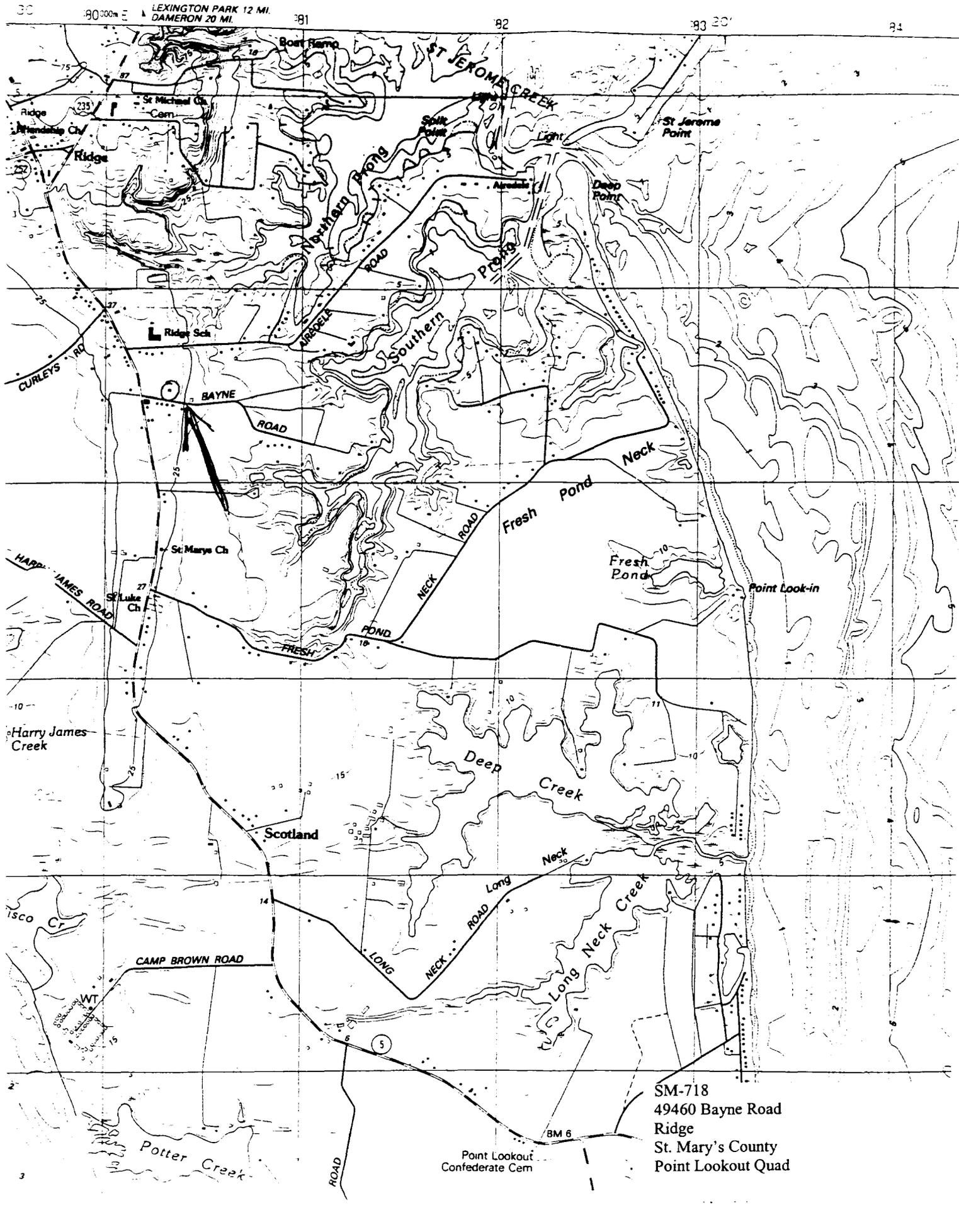
name/title	Kirk E. Ranzetta, Historic Sites Surveyor		
organization	St. Mary's County Department of Planning & Zoning	date	August, 2000
street & number	22740 Washington Street	telephone	301-475-4662
city or town	Leonardtown	state	Maryland

The Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

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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St. Mary's County
Point Lookout Quad

Point Lookout
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