

HAGERSTOWN LANDMARKS RECONNAISSANCE SURVEY

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties # WA-HAG-173

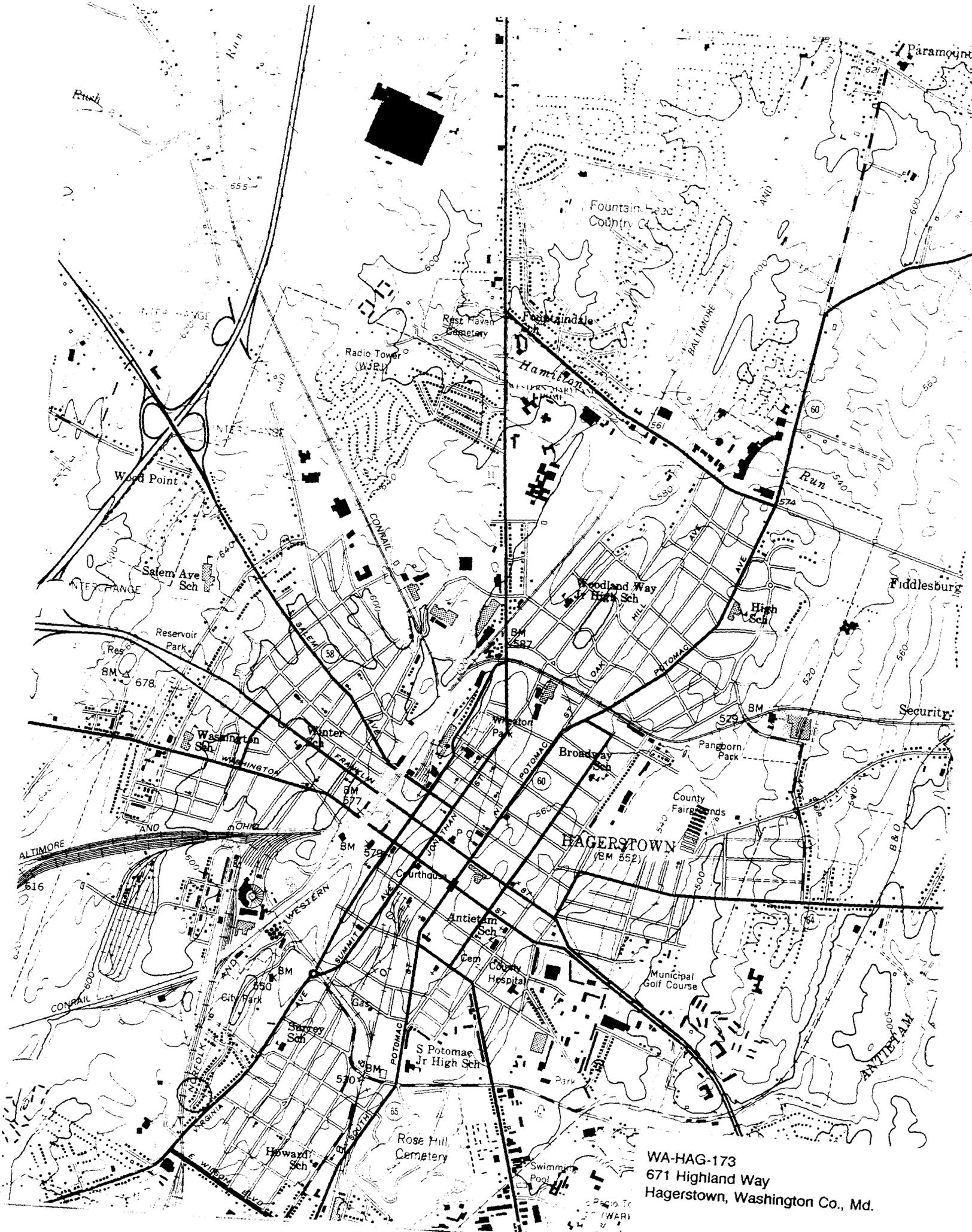
Property Name/Address: 671 Highland Way, Hagerstown, Maryland

Description/Significance: A large late 19th century Gothic influenced brick house, five bays wide and 2½ stories high. The entrance is located in the central bay of the east facade, with segmental-arched floor-to-ceiling windows in the flanking bays. A broad porch with unusual iron supports resembling lacework spans the facade; a similarly detailed one-bay porch shelters a secondary entrance on the north elevation. The steep hipped roof is capped with a balustrade; the front slope is marked by a central cross gable flanked by shed dormers. The house is located on an elevated site which evokes a sense of its historic setting within an area of dense 20th century suburban development.

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):
Industrial/Urban Dominance, 1870-1930
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):
Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning
- IV. Resource Type
 - Category: Building
 - Historic Environment: Urban
 - Historic Function(s) and Use(s):
DOMESTIC/single dwelling
 - Known Design Source: Unknown

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