

ABSTRACT

WA-I-383

Mid 19th Century

Part of "Resurvey on Salisbury" and  
"David's Contentment"

Williamsport Vicinity  
private

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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

WA-I-383  
District 26  
Map 56  
Parcel 262  
MAGI # 2205905535

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Part of "Resurvey on Salgibury" and "David's Contentment"

AND/OR COMMON

Mid 19th Century Farmstead

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

Doub Road

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF Williamsport

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Washington

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY

OWNERSHIP

STATUS

PRESENT USE

DISTRICT

PUBLIC

OCCUPIED

AGRICULTURE

MUSEUM

BUILDING(S)

PRIVATE

UNOCCUPIED

COMMERCIAL

PARK

STRUCTURE

BOTH

WORK IN PROGRESS

EDUCATIONAL

PRIVATE RESIDENCE

SITE

**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**

**ACCESSIBLE**

ENTERTAINMENT

RELIGIOUS

OBJECT

IN PROCESS

YES: RESTRICTED

GOVERNMENT

SCIENTIFIC

BEING CONSIDERED

YES: UNRESTRICTED

INDUSTRIAL

TRANSPORTATION

NO

MILITARY

OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Sunnyland Corporation

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

Route # 1

CITY, TOWN

Williamsport

\_\_\_ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21795

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Washington County Court House

Liber #: 514

Folio #: 577

STREET & NUMBER

West Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

Maryland Historical Trust Survey #4103

DATE

Summer 1967

FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR

SURVEY RECORDS Maryland Historical Trust

CITY, TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

Maryland 21401

**7 DESCRIPTION**

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|   |                                       |   |   |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <b>CONDITION</b>                              |                                       | <b>CHECK ONE</b>                                  | <b>CHECK ONE</b>                                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT | <input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED | <input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GOOD                 | <input type="checkbox"/> RUINS        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED < 50% | <input type="checkbox"/> MOVED    DATE _____      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FAIR                 | <input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED    |   |   |

**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

This farm is located at the end of a private lane which extends in a northwesterly direction from Doub Road, just south of I-70 and Hagerstown in Washington County, Maryland. The buildings are situated on an area of relatively level limestone ground with the house facing east and the barn south.

The house is a two story, three bay brick structure with a two story, four bay wing extending to the rear or west. The building rests on low fieldstone foundations. The entire house displays American or common bonding with eight courses of stretchers between header rows at the front elevation and five courses of stretchers at the other walls. Flat arches of brick are present above the openings. There is no evidence at the exterior of the house to indicate that the wing was not part of the original structure.

Openings are aligned with each other in the walls. They have narrow casings with mitered corners and are finished with a bead at the inside edge. Six over six pane double hung sashes are used consistently and hinge pins set in the frames indicate that shutters were once part of the window system. Full six over six sash windows are located in the gables as well as the two main stories.

The principal entrance is found in the south bay of the front elevation. The door is finished similarly to the windows with the opening including a transom with diamond shaped panes. The door has eight beveled panels, forming in relief pyramid shapes. Extending across the front elevation is a one story shed roof porch supported by square posts resting on concrete slab. The space between the posts is spanned by a series of three rails. Other entrances are located in the south and north elevations of the wing. A double porch included under the main roof span is constructed along the south wall of the wing. At its upper level, this porch, too, is enclosed by a series of three rails.

The roof of the house is sheathed with corrugated sheet metal and terminates with barge boards set directly against the end walls. Chimneys are numerous, there being double flues inside each gable wall of the front section, inside the end wall of the wing and another extending from the north wall of the wing. Of the double chimneys at the front of the house, the pair inside the north wall are larger. The eaves are finished with courses of cornice and bed moldings.

Behind the house is a large frame bank barn and a series of sheds and outbuildings. The buildings appear to be in excellent condition and stand on a tract containing 61.94 acres.

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**8 SIGNIFICANCE**

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| PERIOD  | AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW |   |   |  |
|---|--|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC          | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC  | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING     | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499            | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC     | <input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION           | <input type="checkbox"/> LAW                    | <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE             |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION              | <input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY               | <input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1900-                | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS          | <input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY               | <input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT    | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)     |
|   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION              |   |  |

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SPECIFIC DATES BUILDER/ARCHITECT

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Included in this group of rural buildings is a large two story L shaped brick house, a frame bank barn and related outbuildings. The house is three bays wide with a side entrance in the front elevation. It displays numerous construction and stylistic details which are associated with the mid 19th century in Washington County. These features include the entrance treatment with its beveled door panels and transom with diamond shaped panes, the use of common bond brickwork at all elevations, double chimneys inside the end walls and the relatively large windows. Greek Revival stylistic influence is suggested by the various decorative elements.

The farm includes parts of two land grants, "The Resurvey on Salisbury" and "David's Contentment." On 1859 and 1877 maps of the Williamsport district this farm is marked as owned by a J. Kendle. According to the former owner of the property the barn was built during the ownership of Peter Coffman who held the property from 1880 to 1911. (79/64, 135/701).

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

Washington County Land Records.

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 61.94 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

| STATE | COUNTY |
|-------|--------|
|       |        |
|       |        |

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

**Paula Stoner Dickey, Consultant**

ORGANIZATION

**Washington County Historical Sites Survey**

DATE

**November 1977**

STREET & NUMBER

**County Office Building, 33 West Washington Street**

TELEPHONE

**791-3065**

CITY OR TOWN

**Hagerstown**

STATE

**Maryland**

**21740**

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory 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.

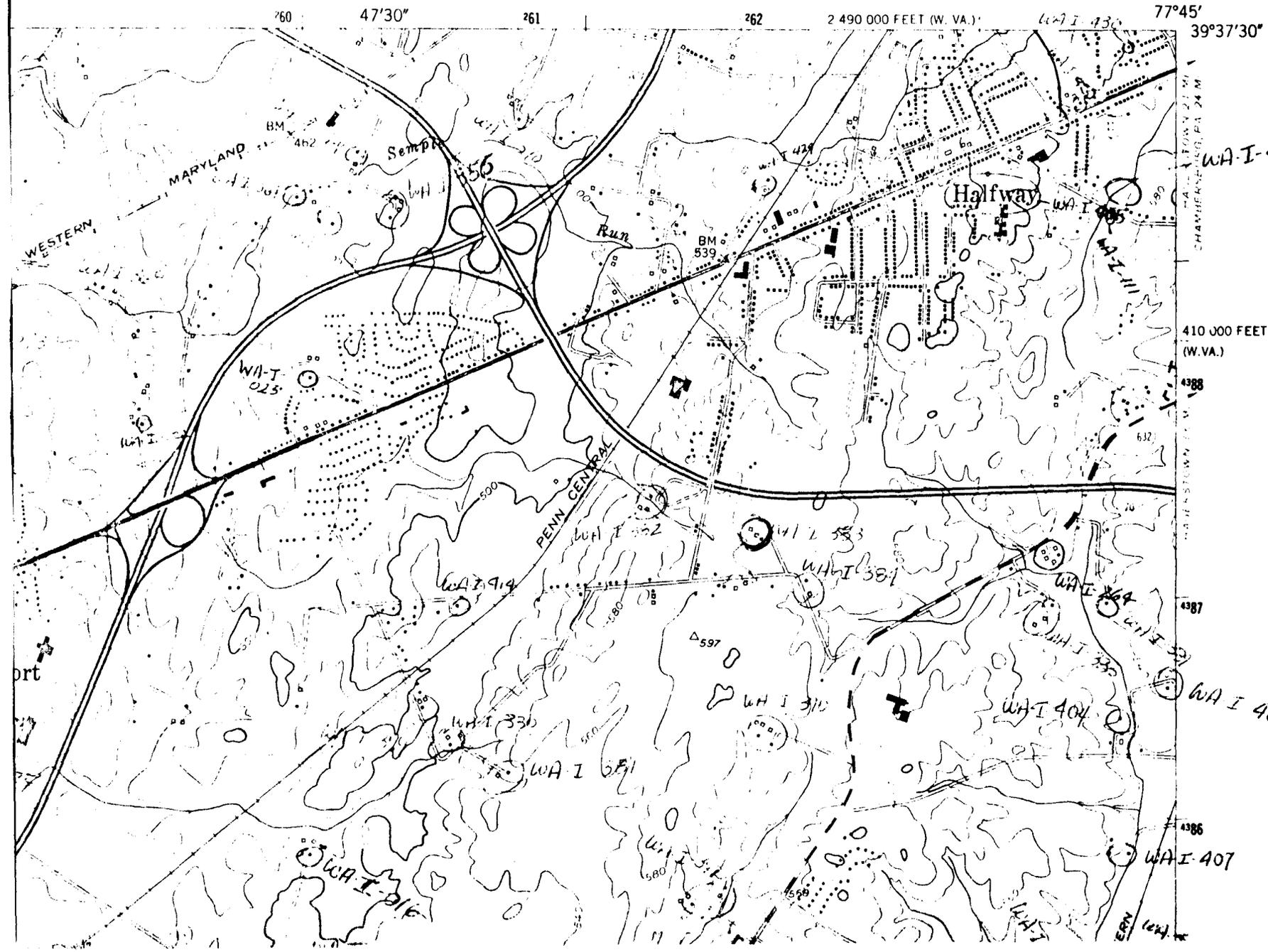
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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
 The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
 Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
 (301) 267-1438

TATES  
THE ARMY  
GINEERS

WILLIAMSPORT QUADRANGLE  
MARYLAND—WEST VIRGINIA  
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)  
SE/4 WILLIAMSPORT 15' QUADRANGLE

562 11 NW  
(HAGERSTOWN)



WA-I-452

410 000 FEET  
(W.VA.)

WA-I-383

WA-I-405

WA-I-407

WA-I-025

WA-I-319

PENN CENTRAL

WA-I-351

WA-I-310

WA-I-381

WA-I-404

WA-I-364

WA-I-330

WA-I-316

WA-I-352

WA-I-382

WA-I-383

4388

4387

4386

WESTERN

ort

MARYLAND

BM 462

BM 539

D 597

580

558

WA-I-430

77°45'

39°37'30"

2 490 000 FEET (W. VA.)

760

76°47'30"

761

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CHAMBERSBURG, PA

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HAGERSTOWN, PA

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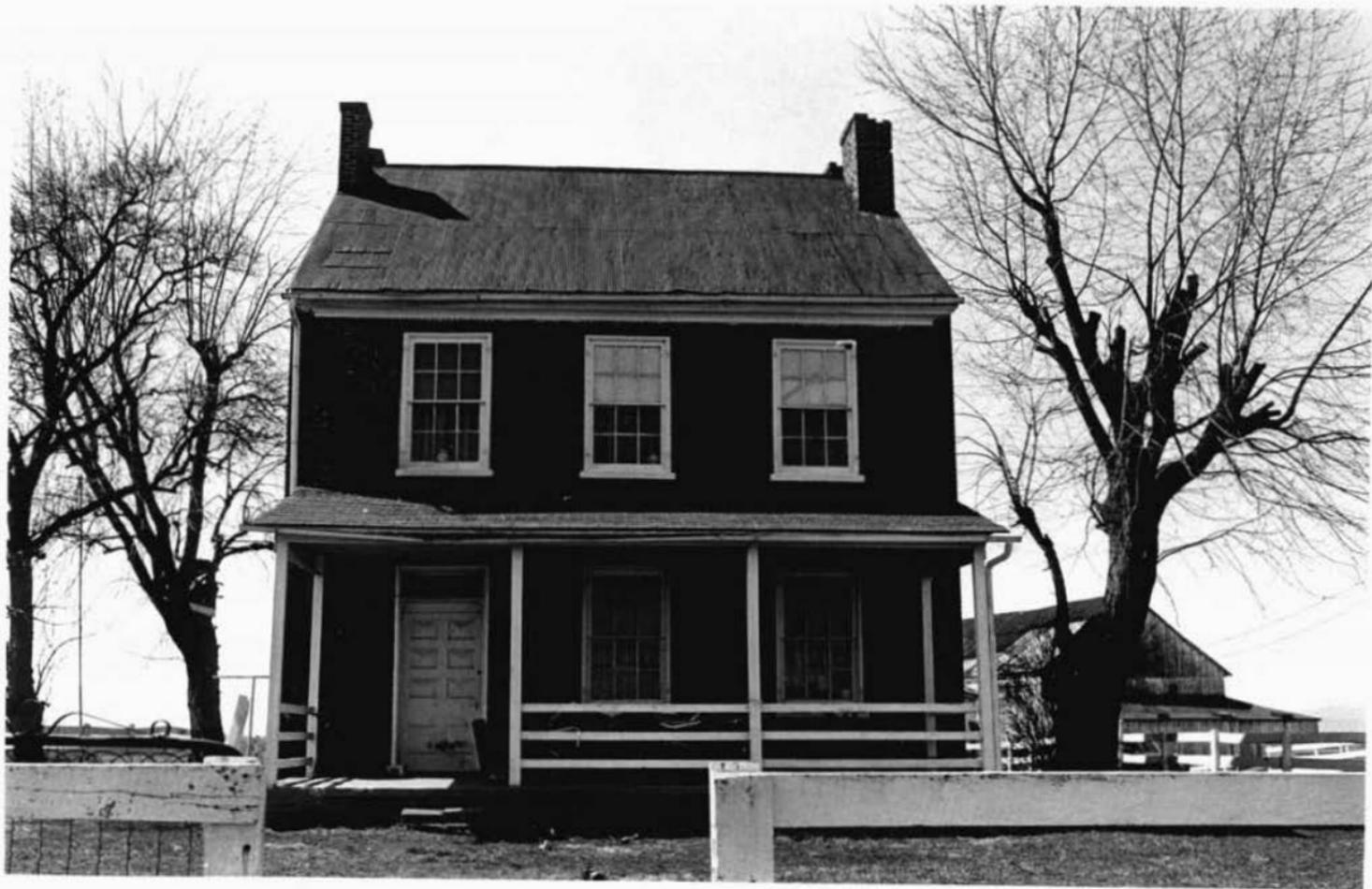
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