

ABSTRACT

WA-I-446

Mid 19th Century

Brick House, Long Meadow Road

Hagerstown Vicinity

private

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WA-I-446
District 27
Map 27
Parcel 564
MAGI # 2206685504

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Brick House, Longmeadow Road

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

2 Longmeadow Road, Paramount

CITY, TOWN

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF Hagerstown

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

Douglas A. Valentine

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

2 Longmeadow Road

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21740

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Washington County Court House

Liber #: 610

Folio #: 372

STREET & NUMBER

West Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___ FEDERAL ___ STATE ___ COUNTY ___ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

WA I-446

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<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 house is located on the south side of Long Meadow Road, west of Paramount and north of Hagerstown in Washington County, Maryland. It stands on a bluff above the road's edge and faces north. The house is a two story, four bay structure resting on low fieldstone foundations. The brick surface of the building displays only stretchers, suggesting that the bricks are a veneer over another form of construction such as log. Thickness of the walls as observable at the door and window jambs further suggests the possibility of log construction. Flat arches of brick are present above the windows and doors.

A two story, two bay frame addition extends to the rear.

Windows have narrow rounded frames, some holding six over six pane sashes and others two over two pane replacements. Evidence remains of a window in the second bay from the west end of the front wall which has been enclosed. Hinge pins for shutters remain in the frames.

The main entrance is located in the second bay from the east end of the front elevation. It has received modern neocolonial trim.

A course of brick dentil work appears at the eaves above which is corbeling. The roof is sheathed with modern asphalt shingles. Chimneys are located inside the end walls and from foundation to top they have been cased with composition stone veneer.

The house appears to be in excellent condition and stands on a lot containing .48 acre.

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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		
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		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION				

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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In 1849, this property, then containing slightly more than 10 acres was sold by Daniel Miller to John E. White for \$627. The low price for the property is an indication that a house may not have yet been built, (IN4/357). White retained the major portion of the property until 1901 when it was sold to William Hykes, (114/155). It changed hands numerous times during the 20th century, being purchased by the present owner in 1976.

(See deeds 118/369, 119/448, 125/737, 125/738, 198/272, 260/589, 481/138).

It would appear that the house was built during the ownership of John E. White.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY .48 acre

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

January 1978

STREET & NUMBER

County Office Building, 33 West Washington Street

TELEPHONE

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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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2 Longmeadow Road, Paramount
Hagerstown Vicinity

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