

WA-I-509      Brick House

Early-20th century

Hagerstown vicinity

Private

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# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

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DOE  yes  no

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common Brick house

## 2. Location

street & number east side of Rt. 65, .2 mile south of Reichard Road  not for publicationcity, town Hagerstown  vicinity of congressional district sixthstate Maryland county Washington

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial <input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment <input type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government <input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial <input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military <input type="checkbox"/> other:

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

name Blair

street &amp; number telephone no.:

city, town state and zip code

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Washington County Courthouse liberstreet & number Washington Street foliocity, town Hagerstown state Maryland

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date  federal  state  county  local

depository for survey records

city, town state

# 7. Description

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<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site	
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved	date of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed			

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

The brick house is a large square-shaped house built in the Colonial-revival style. It has a hipped roof covered with slate. At the top of the roof are two ornamental chimneys. On the front is a gable roof dormer with a small Palladian-style window. The main section of the house is square although on the north facade there is a projection of two bays. An L-shaped porch runs the full length of the main facade and along the bays on the north facade. On the south end the porch is enclosed by modern siding with windows. The property appears to have been constructed in the early 20th century.

The property is located on the east side of Rt. 65, .2 miles south of Reichard Road. It is located on the curve of the road and on a slight rise giving the site an imposing presence. The main facade faces west.

The house is two and one-half stories and five-bays by three-bays. It is constructed in brick laid in stretcher bond. The roof plays a major ornamental role in the house with its slate shingles, snow birds, ornamental chimney stacks, and dormer window. There is a dentil cornice on the eave of the roof. The main facade has a central entrance with an elliptical transom and side lights. The porch with its stick railing and large boxed posts is an important feature along the front and northern sides of the house. Windows on the front are larger than those on the side.

There are several small sheds of frame and wood siding on the property from the period.

# 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
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/ humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
<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		

### Specific dates

### Builder/Architect

check: Applicable Criteria:  A  B  C  D  
and/or

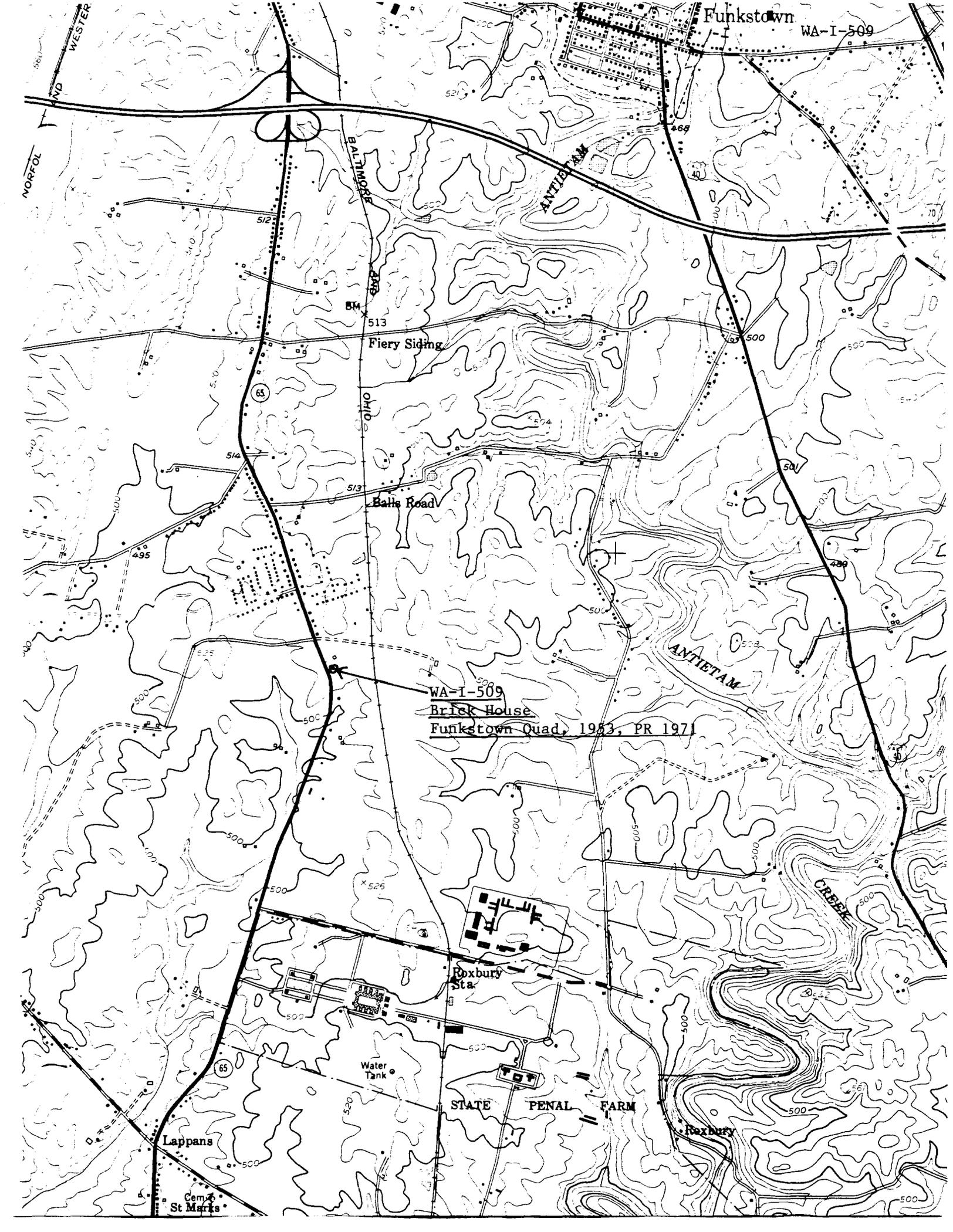
Applicable Exception:  A  B  C  D  E  F  G

Level of Significance:  national  state  local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

This site contains an excellent example of an early twentieth century farmhouse built by an affluent family. Its architecture reflects the influence of national trends on this region.





Funkstown WA-I-509

Fiery Siding

Balls Road

WA-I-509  
Brick House  
Funkstown Quad, 1953, PR 1971

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1. Brick House WA-I-509
2. Washington County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. May 1983
5. Maryland Hist. Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. North & West Elevations; camera facing southeast
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