

SITE NUMBER: WA-II-585

ADDRESS: 108 West Antietam Street, Sharpsburg, MD

OWNER/LOT NUMBER/ACCESS: Donald D. Kretzer, 674/182, private

BUILDING DATE: late 18th to mid 19th century

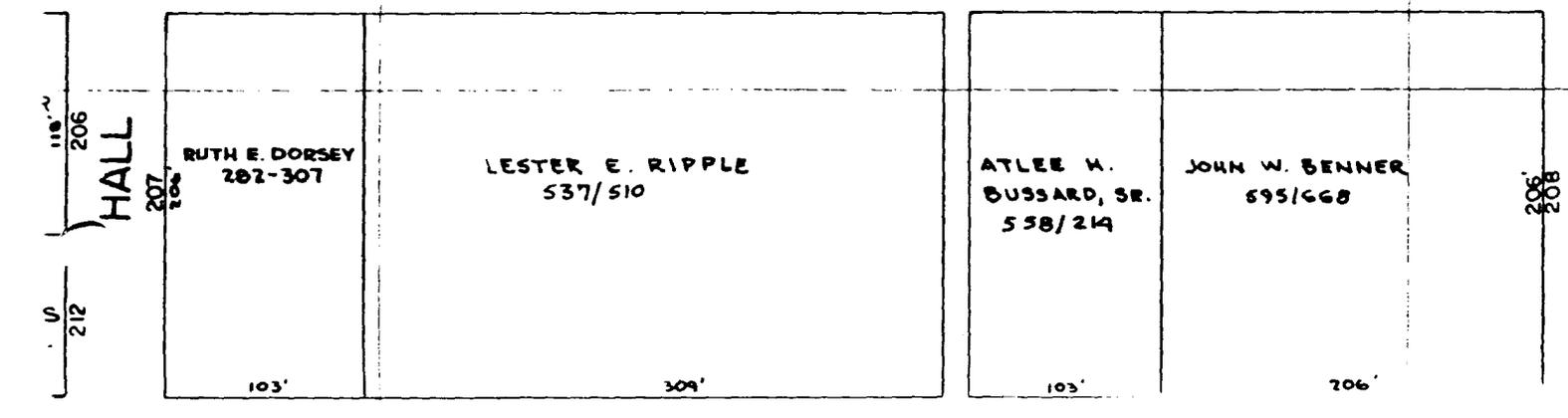
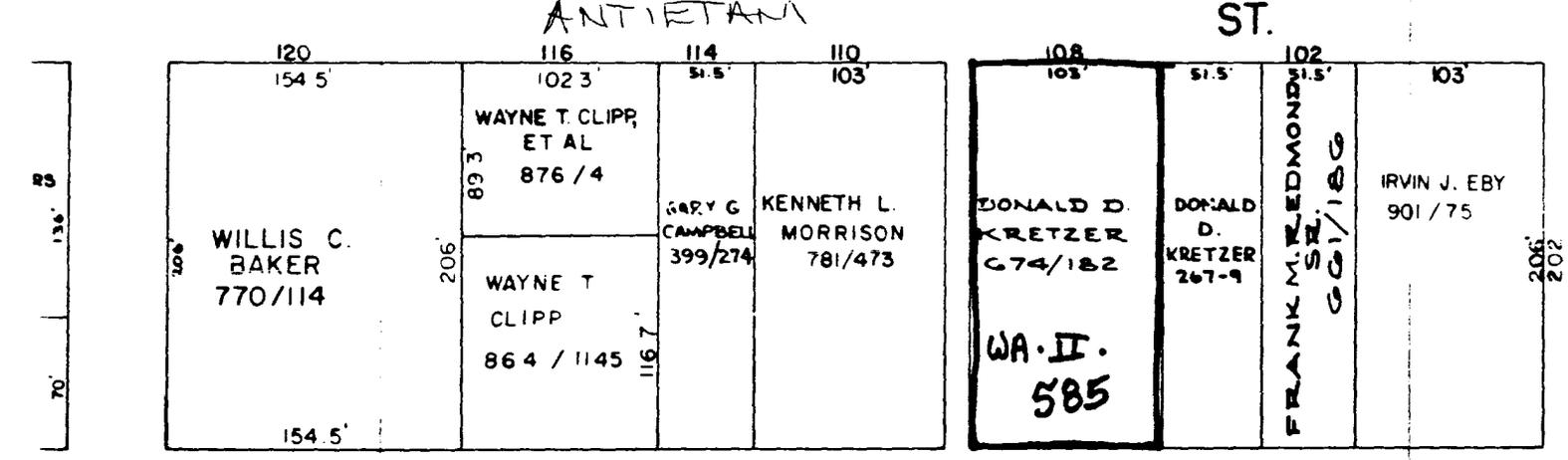
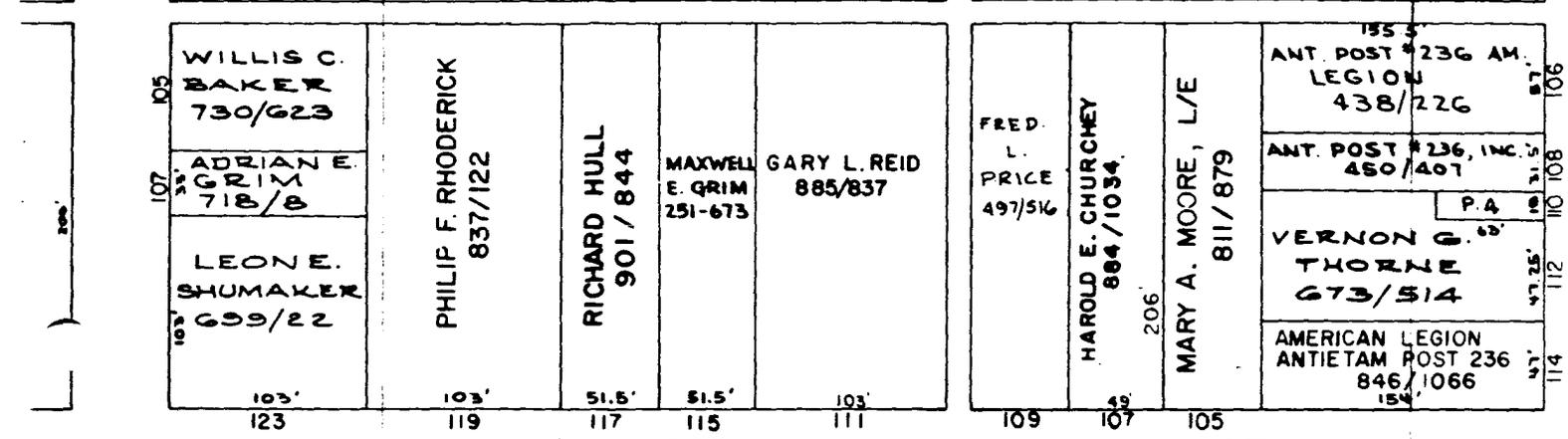
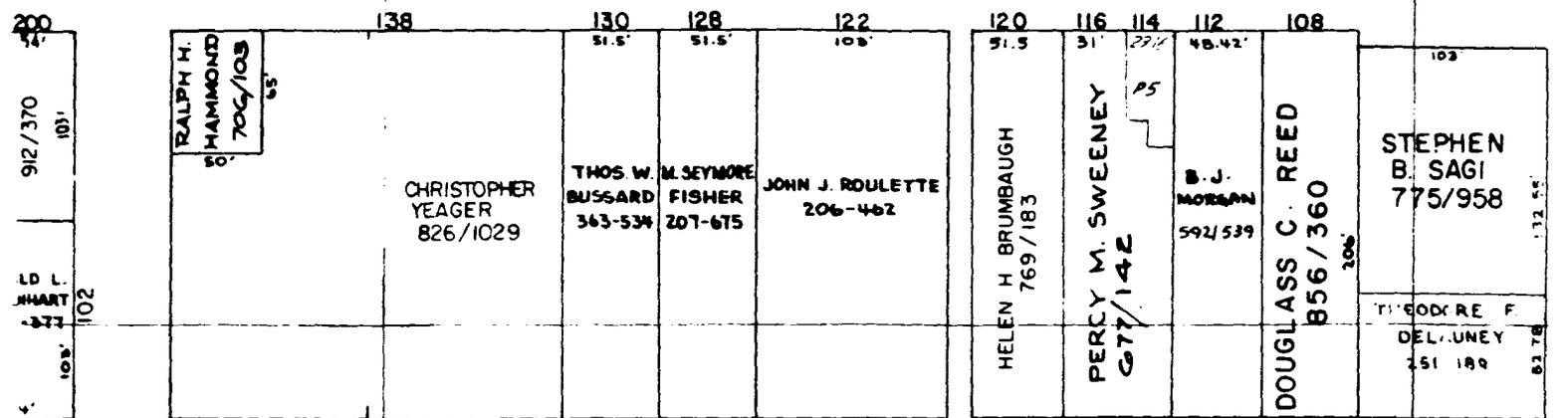
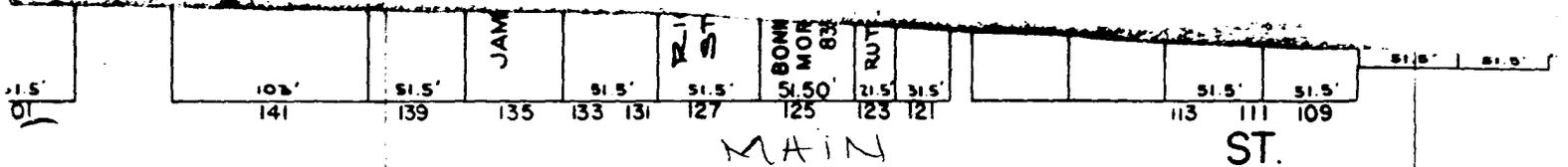
108 West Antietam Street is a north-facing, horizontally massed, two-and-a-half-story, multiple-bay, freestanding, residential structure raised above grade with a stone retaining wall at the right-of-way. Built in three components, the dwelling's eastern portion is constructed of stone. The center portion is log. And the western portion is built of brick. The entire composition is united by a common, side-gable roof covered with corrugated metal. Each section has its own chimney; the stone one being the most massive. The other two are built of brick. The main entrance is located in the frame section. A glass storm door protects the interior door which is an eight-light frame door topped by a four-light transom. The door and window frames in this section are wide with crown molding. The two windows on the first floor are double-hung, six-over-six sash. The two second floor windows, which are located directly below the eaves, are double casements with six lights each. The brick section has no entrance on the street elevation, but has a single window on the first and on the second floor that match in configuration those in the frame section. The stone section also does not have an entrance on the street facade. The windows are located lower than those in the other two sections, indicating that the floor levels do not match on the interior.

Although the building does not bear the commemorative 1862 plaque, portions of it pre-date the Civil War. According to the owner, the log section is the oldest and dates to the c.1790s. Two

sections of the building are indicated on the 1877 map of the town, although it is not clear which two sections. At the time it was owned by J. Marker. All three sections of the building are noted on the 1922 Sanborn as 224 West Antietam Street.

The building is within the Western Maryland Geographic Organization, the Development Period of Agricultural-Industrial Transition, and falls within the Historic Period Theme of Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning.

Prepared by Julie Mueller, June 1991





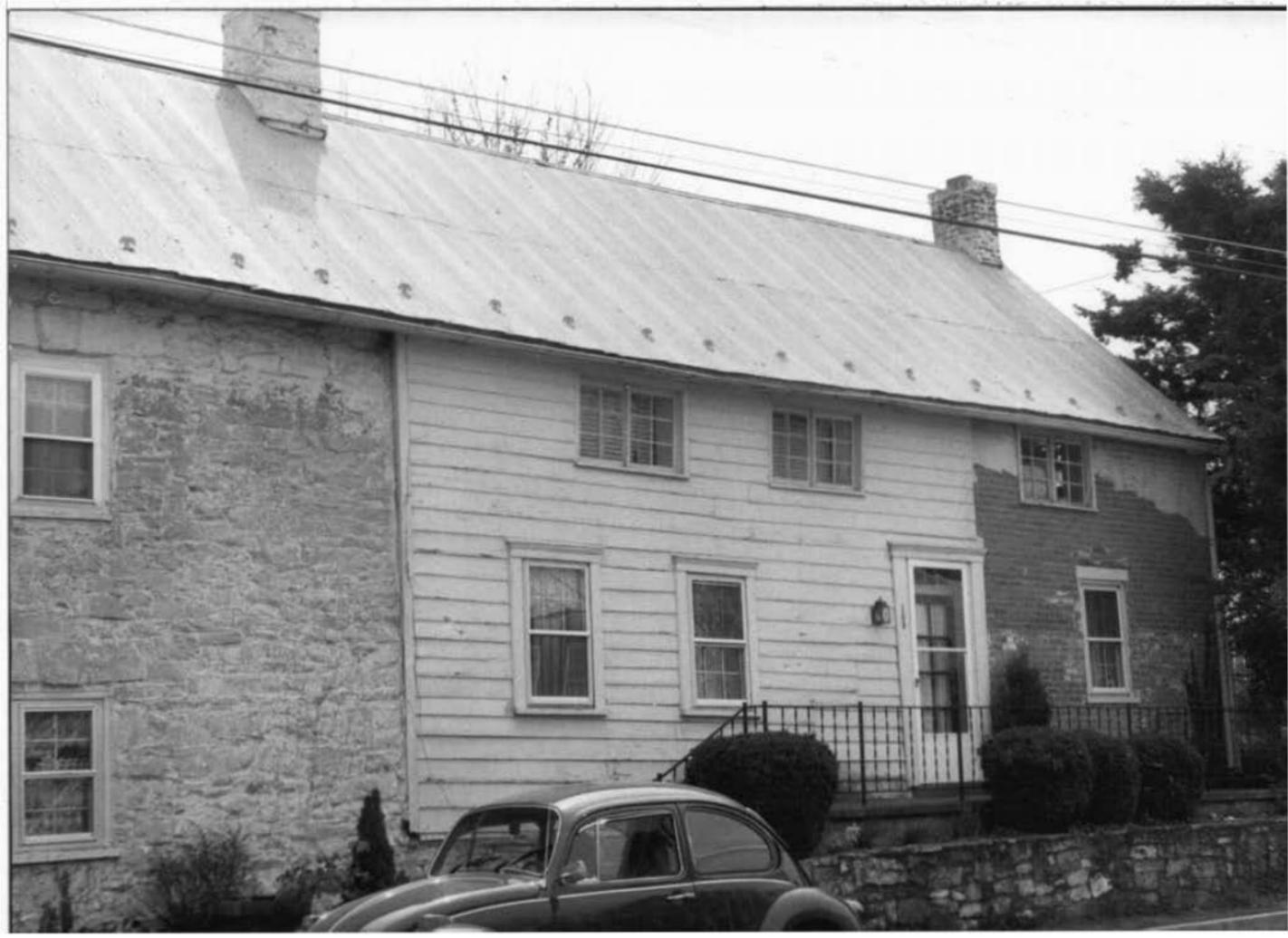
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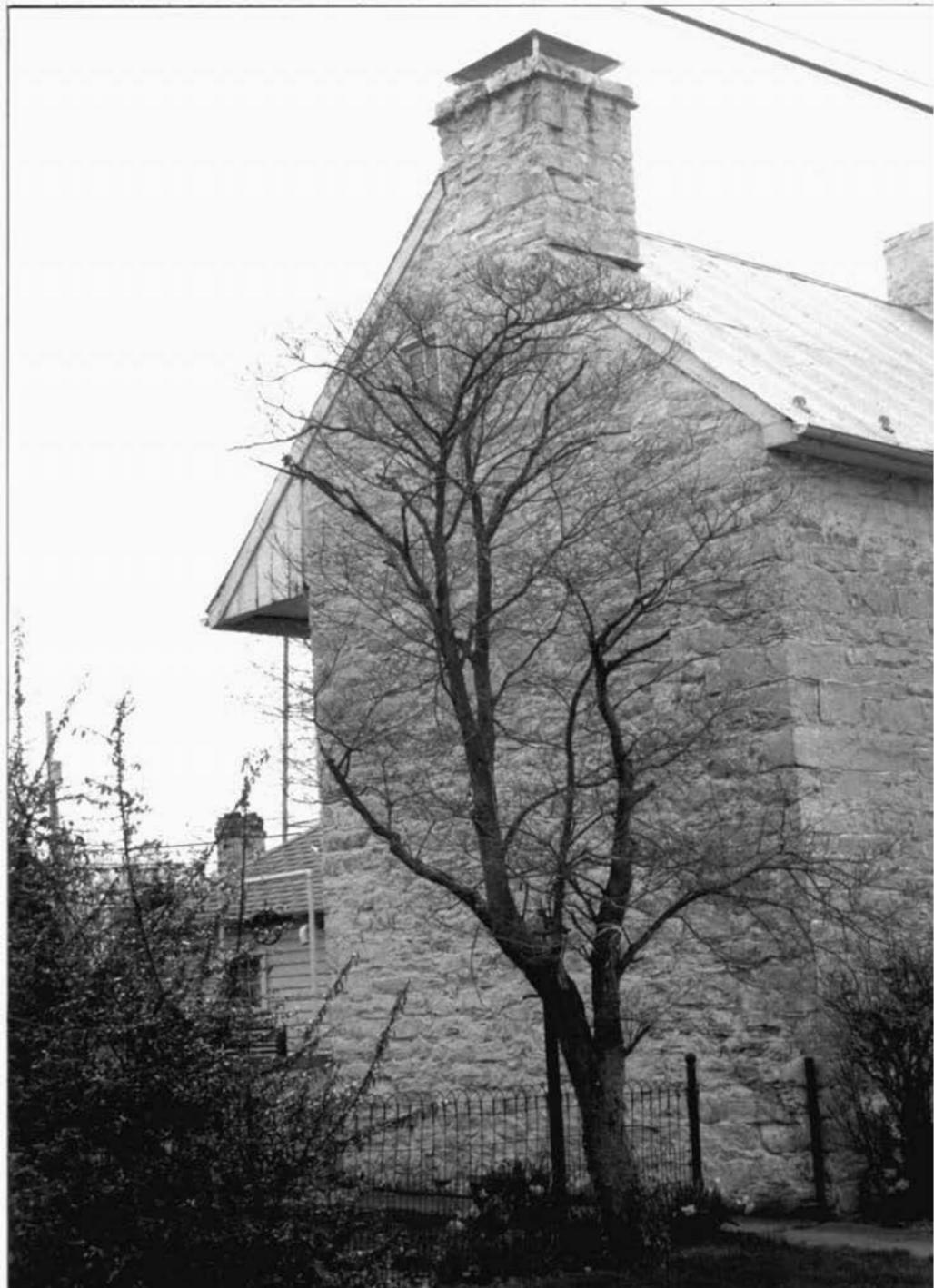
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