

SITE NUMBER: WA-II-610
ADDRESS: 229 West Main Street, Sharpsburg, MD
OWNER/LOT NUMBER/ACCESS: Robert W. James, 789/855, private
BUILDING DATE: mid 19th century

229 West Main Street is a south-facing, horizontally massed, asymmetrical, two-story, frame, freestanding, residential structure set directly at the public-right-of-way on a stone foundation. Based on window placement and configuration, the structure appears to have been built in two sections, at least one of which may be log. The building was remodeled over time and now has contiguous wood siding. The side gable roof is sheathed with standing-seam metal, is sagging, and has open and overhanging eaves. A one-story, hipped-roof, open porch extends across the facade of the building and is supported by chamfered posts connected by a slat railing. The entrance is located near the center of the facade composition. Fenestration consists of three-over-one, double-hung windows on the first floor (set in wide wood frames) and six-over-three attic windows. There is a two-story rear wing with a two-story open porch on the east elevation.

A building of the same configuration is noted on the 1877 map of the town as being owned by A. Knode. The 1922 Sanborn notes the extant dwelling with its wing, but without its two-story porch as 102 West Main. The back of the property includes a henhouse and a one-story shed.

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

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CHAS E ROULETTE
223-219

MARTIN
D
BUSSARD
502/98

GILBERT A. HOLMES
741/454

LEVING
BENNER
122-666

FRANCES C JAMISON
887/599

WILLIAM L.
MYERS
875/446

WELLS
K
SCOTT
312-711

NORAN
BOWERS
229-90

PATSY
POFFENBERGER
597/800

ELIZA J HILL
248-397

GEO R
GETRIDGE
274-508

CLARE
A
RIST

CHAPLINE

308
31.5'

306
31.5'

103

FRANK
W
BELL
711/327

MARTHAL
MILLER
333-498

DONALD L.
HUGHES
809/836

GARY M.
MUCK
715/288
752/539

ST

226
103'

224
103'

220
103'

216
103'

FRANK J.
GALVIN, ETAL
800/581

RALPH H.
HAMMOND
496/410

ARTHUR C BAKER
379-168

FLOYD KOONTZ
221-656

HENRY A POFFENBERGER
252-156

EARL E. BENNER
L/E
908/142

WM T DELAUNEY
211-510

MECHANIC

WILLIAM H. McCULLOUGH, JR.
812/567

ROBERT W. JAMES
789/855

GREGORY A.
WILLIAMS
835/1090

JOYCE Y.
QUINN
586/647

JOHN GAMPERL
257-298

MAIN

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316
51.5'

314
51.5'

312
51.5'

308
103'

302
51.5'

300
51.5'

236
51.5'

234
51.5'

232
51.5'

230
51.5'

228
51.5'

226
51.5'

224
51.5'

222
51.5'

VM J.
VAN
1/7/12

CALVIN R. FAIRBOURN
825/225

GEO. A. WATERS
246-438

DEBORAH A. COX
677/541

LLOYD
A.
KNAUFF
449/56

DAVID
EXLINE
430-351

RUSSEL E WEAVER
644/285

ELMER
STOCKSLAGER
236-788

WILLIAM E. BARRETT
905/24

WARREN
M.
DAVIS
352-154

WARREN
M.
DAVIS
702/636

MARY
BARKDOLL
241-201

JEFFREY
T.
WILSON
876/840

LEONARD G. JAMISON
297-387

AMMOND
22

HAMMONS
16

RALPH E
MONROE
386-488

ATRICH

CURLEY

TE

APBELL, JR
16

AKER



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229 W. MAIN, SHARPSBURG, MD.

APRIL 1991

P. S. CHRISMAN

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