

Survey # WA-III-140  
Street Address 4423 Main Street  
Town, State Rohrersville, Maryland 21779  
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Approximate date Ca. 1880s

This property at the north end of Rohrersville includes a two story frame house, a small hog barn, shed, privy and a concrete block garage. The house is of light frame construction covered with asbestos shingle siding. It is three bays wide and distinguished by a central cross gable, a first story semi-hexagonal projecting bay and an across-the-front porch supported by turned posts with decorative cut work brackets and a turned spindle "frieze." Windows have two over two pane sash with those at the first story elongated. The semi-hexagonal projecting bay is in the south bay of the front (west) elevation and is contained beneath the roof of the porch. Other windows are flanked with pairs of louvered shutters. The front entrance is located in the center bay of the front elevation and includes a two light transom over the door. The property is enclosed with a split rail fence and includes a full complement of domestic outbuildings, including a board and batten shed, small vertically sided hog barn and shed roofed privy. These buildings are located north and east of the house and are considered to be contributing to the character of the property. A non-contributing concrete block garage is located southeast of the house. The Ca. 1880 date estimate is based on the light frame construction, porch and trim features, cross gable and the fact that it is not shown on the 1877 Atlas Map.

#### MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s): Industrial/Urban Dominance 1870-1930
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning
- IV. Resource Type:

Category: Buildings

Historic Environment: Village

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Dwelling, hog barn, privy

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4423 Main St, SW view

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