

Survey # WA-III-150
Street Address 4334 Main Street
Town, State Rohrsersville, Maryland 21779
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Approximate date Ca. 1840-60

This log and frame house is built into sloping ground on the west side of Main Street in the village of Rohrsersville. It is one and a half stories high with stuccoed stone foundations that are exposed a full story at the front of the building. The southern two bays are of log construction with a door, window configuration. A shed roofed porch extends across the front of this part of the house. Attached to the north gable end is a frame addition, which is wider and includes within its walls, the width of the porch. It is entered from a door facing onto the porch in front of the log section. The entire building is covered with vinyl siding, except for an exposed log kitchen wing extending to the rear. Windows in the log section are six over six and those in the frame section are two over two. Above the door is a four light transom. The front porch has been restructured, but appears to follow essentially the same configuration as the original would have. The thickness of the door and window depth indicates the log construction of the older part of the house. The date attribution is based on the log construction, windows and transom and the overall settlement patterns of Rohrsersville. This house is shown on the 1877 Atlas map as belonging to J.I. Grimm. It contributes to the historic character of the community.

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s): Agricultural-Industrial Transition 1815-1870
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning
- IV. Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Village

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Dwelling

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