

7. Description

Survey No. WA-V-263

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site
<input checked="" 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 Stunkle/Keefer Farm is set back from the west side of Route 63, north of Huyett. The farm buildings include a brick house and large bank barn. The house is 2½ stories high, gable roofed, and faces east; it is of brick construction and is now painted white. The house has a main block with two interior end chimneys, and an ell is located to the rear. The main block is four bays wide, with a transomed doorway located in the second bay from the north end. Most windows have 6/6 double-hung sash. The house appears to be undergoing renovation.

The large bank barn to the north has a projecting forebay on its east elevation. The barn is painted white with door and window openings outlined by dark green paint in a manner characteristic of this area.

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
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
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<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: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D and/or Applicable Exception: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G	
Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local	

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

The Stunkle/Keefer Farm is significant architecturally for its house and barn which are important examples of regional vernacular building. The four-bay wide facade of the house reflects a Germanic building tradition from nearby Pennsylvania, while the two end chimneys and ordered facade show the influence of Georgian design. From the design, proportions, and size of window openings, the house may date from the first half of the 19th century. The barn is also a very good example of its type, and is decorated in a manner characteristic of the region. The property is shown on the 1859 Taggert atlas of the county as the Stunkle property, and on the 1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson atlas as the residence of S. Keefer.

9. Major Bibliographical References

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Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson, An Illustrated Atlas of Washington County, Maryland, Philadelphia, 1877.
Taggart, T., A Map of Washington County, Maryland, 1859.

10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

Quadrangle scale _____

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

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Verbal boundary description and justification

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

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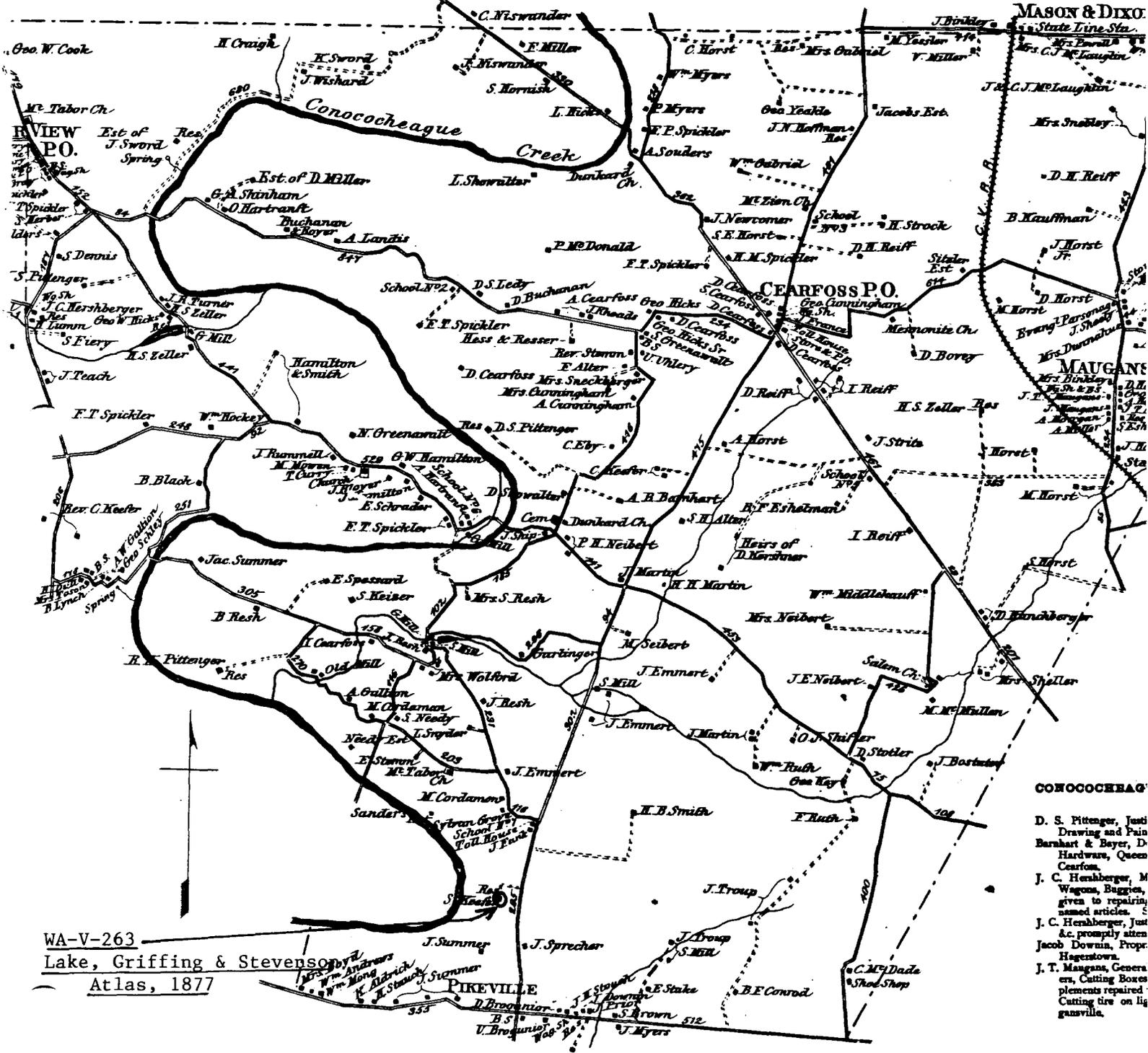
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DIST. No 13

Scale 2 inches to the Mile



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Lake, Griffing & Stevenson
Atlas, 1877

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- Barnhart & Beyer, Dr Hardware, Queen Cearfoss
- J. C. Hensberger, M Wagons, Buggies, given to repairing named articles.
- J. C. Hensberger, Just &c. promptly sizen Jacob Downin, Propr. Hagerstown
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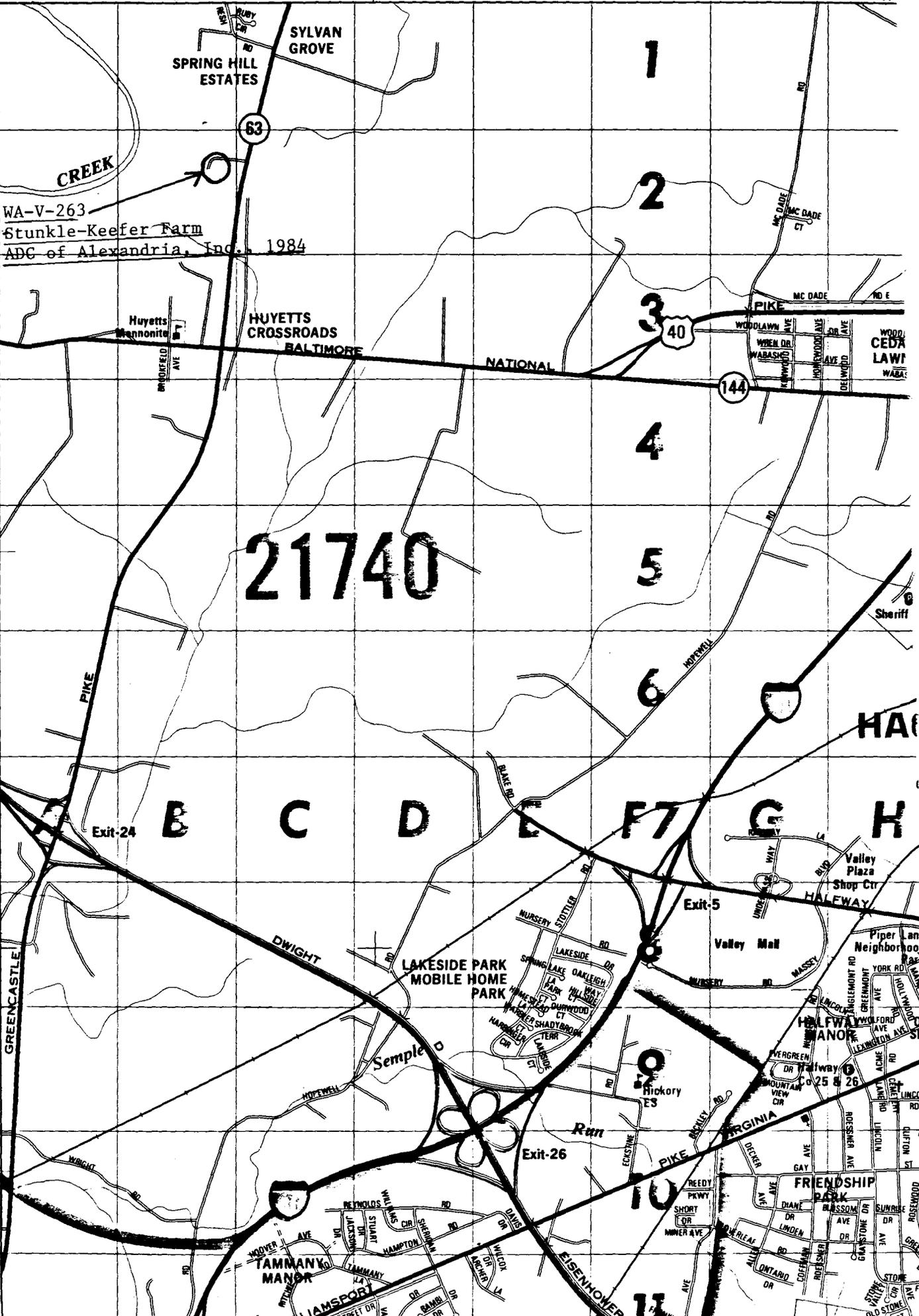
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 ADC of Alexandria, Inc. 1984

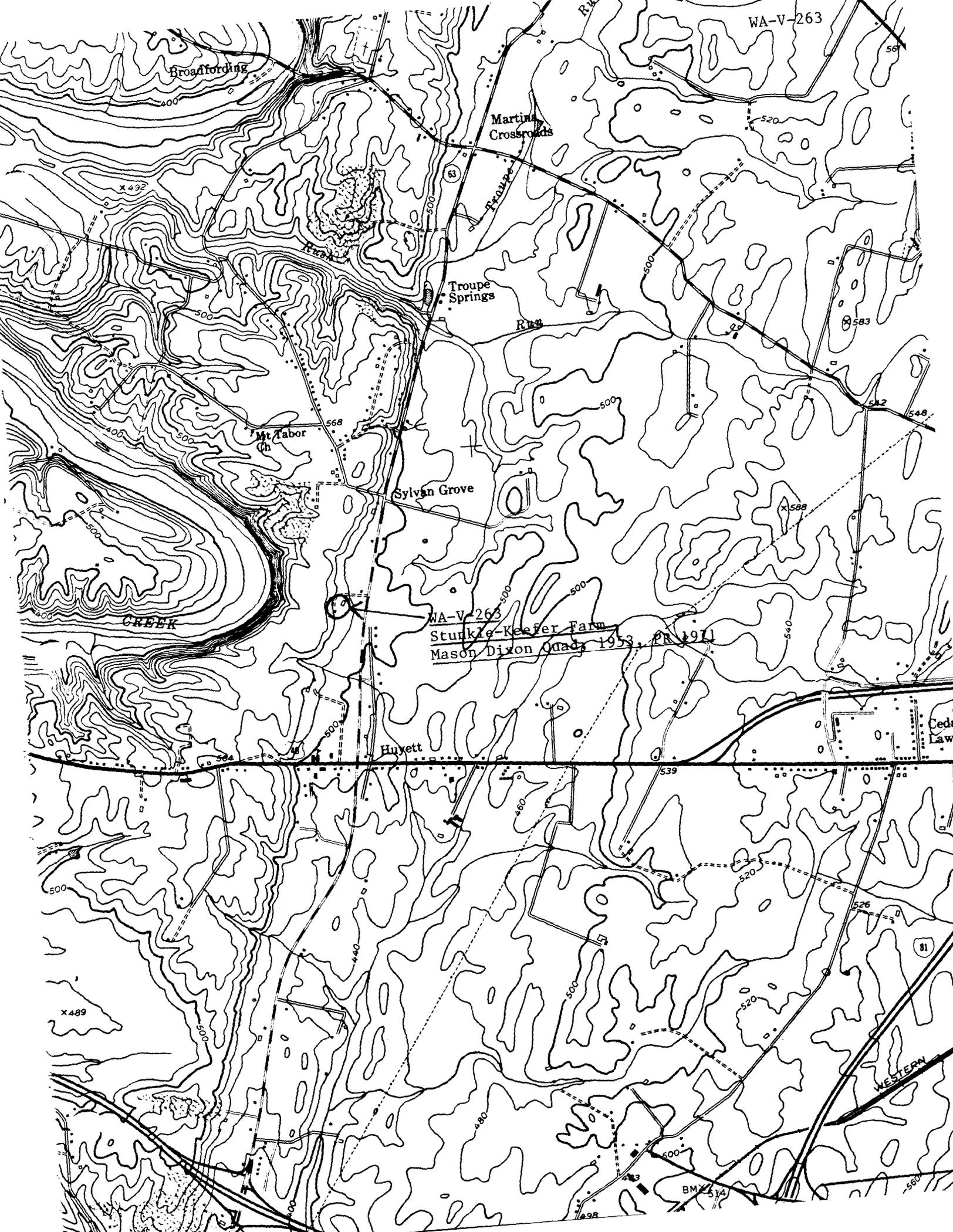
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Broadfording

Martins Crossroads

Troupe Springs

Mt. Tabor Ch.

Sylvan Grove

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Stunkle-Keefer Farm
Mason Dixon Quad, 1953, PR 1971

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