

WI-402  
Hebron Savings Bank  
Hebron  
Public

c. 1922

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MARYLAND HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN INFORMATION

RESOURCE NAME: Hebron Savings Bank

MHT INVENTORY NUMBER: WI-402

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN DATA

1. Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture
  
2. Geographic Orientation: Eastern Shore
  
3. Chronological/Development Period(s): Industrial/Urban Dominance  
1870-1930
  
4. Resource Type(s): Bank

**MARYLAND INVENTORY OF  
HISTORIC PROPERTIES**

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DOE  yes  no

**Maryland Historical Trust  
State Historic Sites Inventory Form**

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Hebron Savings Bank

and/or common Hebron Town Hall

## 2. Location

street & number 100 North Main Street \_\_\_ not for publication

city, town Hebron \_\_\_ vicinity of congressional district First

state Salisbury county Wicomico

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational	<input type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

## 4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name Town Commissoeners of Hebron

street & number 100 North Main Street telephone no.:

city, town Hebron state and zip code MD 21830

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Wicomico County Clerk of Court Map 27A. P. 315  
liber 911

street & number Wicomico County Courthouse folio 601

city, town Salisbury state MD 21801

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date \_\_\_ federal \_\_\_ state \_\_\_ county \_\_\_ local

depository for survey records

city, town state

## 7. Description

Survey No. WI-402

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input checked="" 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.

Hebron Town Hall, formerly the Hebron Savings Bank, is a single-story rectangular brick building that stands at 100 Main Street on the northeast corner of the intersection of Main Street and Railroad Avenue in the center of Hebron, Wicomico County, Maryland. The single-story brick bank building faces northwest.

Built around 1922, the single-story, three-bay by four-bay brick bank building is supported on an excavated cellar with an elevated foundation of Flemish bond brick capped by a concrete watertable. The Flemish bond walls rise on four sides and are topped by a parapet that disguises a flat roof. Attached to the back of the rectangular bank building is a shorter single story mid twentieth-century Flemish bond addition.

The northwest (main) elevation is a three-bay facade with a projecting entrance vestibule attached during the mid twentieth century. A neoclassical door surround of Tuscan pilasters and a plain entablature frame a modern glass and metal door assemblage. The entrance vestibule was built with a compatible, but slightly different brick than what is found in the main bank building. Flanking the entrance vestibule are narrow window openings topped by jack arches featuring a white keystone. The front corners of the bank are defined by brick pilasters accented with concrete bases and capitals. Stretching across the top of the building above the pilasters is a neoclassical entablature, which wraps around four sides of the building. A dentiled bed molding enriches the cornice. Rising above the entablature is a Flemish bond parapet wall finished with a concrete cap.

The southwest (Railroad Avenue) elevation is four bays across with five brick pilasters dividing the facade. Fixed within each bay is a paired single-pane sash replacement window significantly smaller than the original opening, which is defined by a brick jack arch and concrete window sill. Each jack arch has a concrete keystone. Fixed above the pilasters is the neoclassical entablature and brick parapet wall. The foundation is pierced by several three-pane windows.

The northeast side, on the other hand, is defined by five brick pilasters, but the wall is not pierced by as many windows. One window pierces the northeast bay and a smaller window opening is located in the southeast corner. A bulkhead entrance provides access to the excavated cellar.

The interior has been remodeled, and it currently serves as a town office. A bank vault remains intact.

# 8. Significance

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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Specific dates	Builder/Architect
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Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> local	

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

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<sup>1</sup> Wicomico County Land Record, JCK 124/45, 14 October 1921.

<sup>2</sup> Wicomico County Land Record, 911/601, 21 December 1978.

# 9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No. WI-402

# 10. Geographical Data

Acreage 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

state	code	county	code

state	code	county	code

# 11. Form Prepared By

name/title      Paul B. Touart, Architectural Historian

organization      Private Consultant      date      2/3/99

street & number      P. O. Box 5      telephone      410-651-1094

city or town      Westover      state      Maryland      21871

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

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(Hebron Town Hall)  
100 North Main Street  
Hebron, Wicomico County, Maryland

Map 27A, Parcel 315

911/601 Hebron Savings Bank

to

12/21/1978 Commissioners of Hebron

JCK 124/45 George M. Holliday  
Maggie M. Holliday

to

10/14/1921 Hebron Savings Bank

JTT 38/146 Joseph L. Nelson  
Sarah P. Nelson

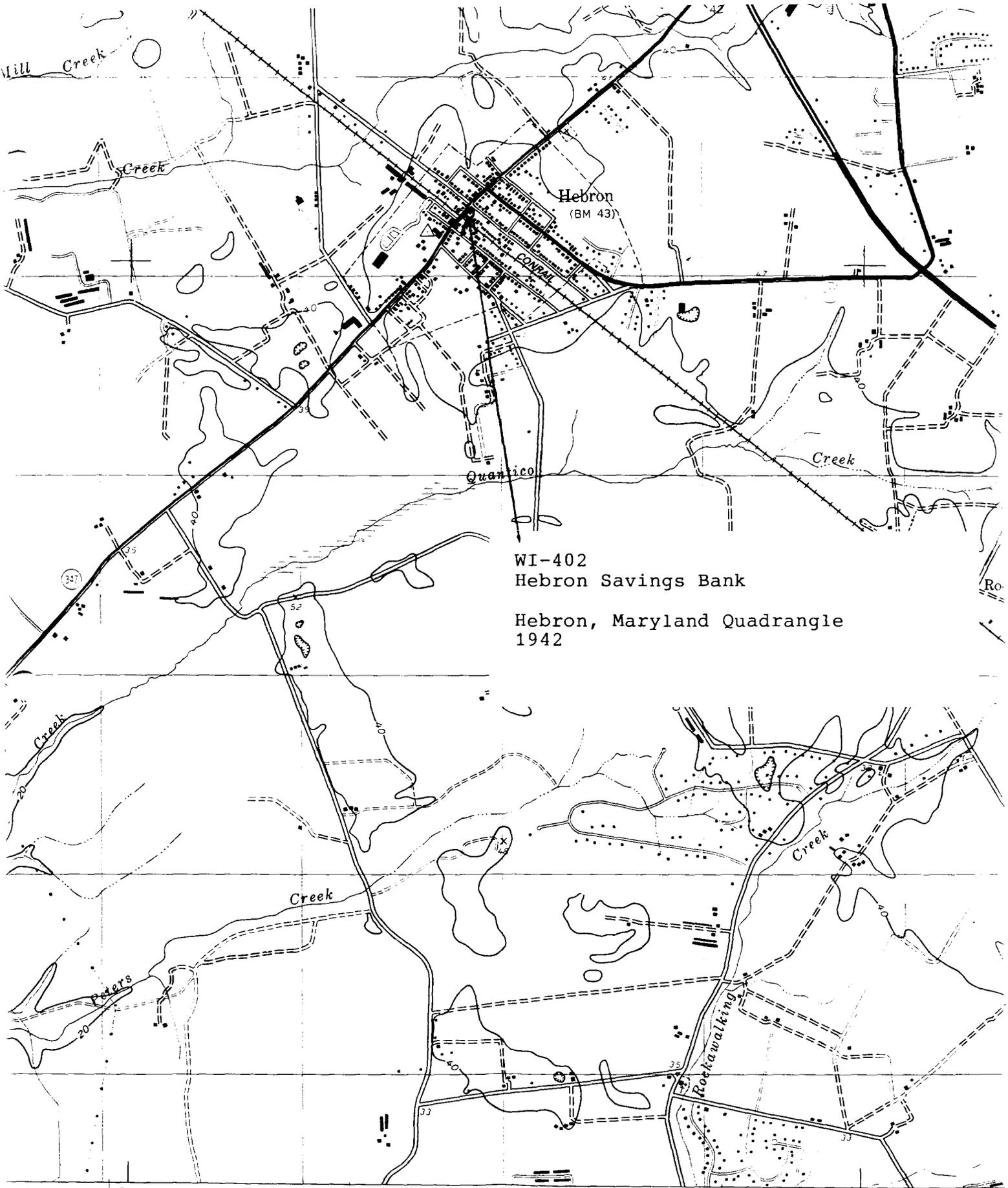
to

8/15/1903 George W. Holliday  
\$1,000

FMS 9/330 and JTT 11/335 Sallie J. Nelson

to

5/29/1891, and 11/26/1892 Joseph L. Nelson



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Hebron, Maryland Quadrangle  
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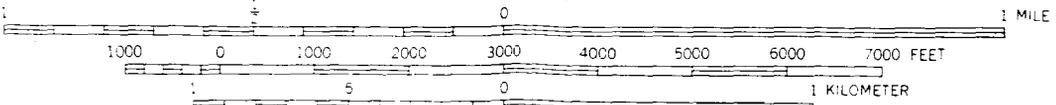
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CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 FEET  
 NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM OF 1929



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Hudson Square Park (Hudson Town Hall)

Hudson, Michigan, May, 2000

Northwest University

2/99, Park Town PHOTOGRAPHIC

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HERRIN TRAIN STATION (HERRIN TRAIN STATION)  
HERRIN, MISSOURI 63543

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