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1. STATE <i>Maryland</i> COUNTY <i>Worcester</i> TOWN <i>Girdletree</i> VICINITY STREET NO. <i>Boxiron Rd., 1/2 mile NE of</i> <i>Rt 671</i> ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE <i>dwelling</i> PRESENT OWNER <i>Ryton Enterprises</i> PRESENT USE <i>vacant - will be tenant house</i> WALL CONSTRUCTION <i>frame</i> NO. OF STORIES <i>1</i>	HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY <i>WO-47</i> 2. NAME <i>Ryton Enterprises Farm house</i> DATE OR PERIOD <i>c. 1800</i> STYLE <i>Colonial cottage</i> ARCHITECT BUILDER 3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE
4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC <i>NO</i> <p style="text-align: center;">This small house is like several others in Worcester County. Two small one-room-with-loft units connected by a lower hyphen. The two units are almost identical in size and shape, the one on the northwest having nine over six sash on first story and four over two sash on loft while the other unit has six over six sash on both stories. It is built of frame, covered with white clapboard, upon brick piers.</p> <p>Within are three small rooms, each with a simple molded surround. Two rooms have a plain chair rail. On the second story are wide yellow pine floor boards with several coats of paint.</p> <p>Cut nails and split yellow pine lath were used for the plaster base. (Carpenter had a sample in his automobile.)</p> <p>Presently the dwelling is undergoing some remodeling.</p>	
5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE <i>Endangered NO Interior fair Exterior good</i> <p>It is located close to a back road and near another fairly new house.</p>	
6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional) 8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.	7. PHOTOGRAPH 9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER <i>Michael Bourne</i> <i>Maryland Historical Trust</i> DATE OF RECORD <i>Oct, 1969</i>

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