

MARYLAND GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
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COUNTIES (MD/PA) HARFORD/YORK
M&D milestone no. 41 (44)
MHT-HSI no. HA-1550

PROTECTED/ENDANGERED/MISSING

FIELD SHEET: MASON & DIXON LINE, MARYLAND-PENNSYLVANIA BOUNDARY MARKER SURVEY

LOCATION: USGS 7.5' quadrangle Norrisville UTM 18.36620.439768
original site/~~M&D~~/date 1766 bench mark/datenone observed
Off E/S Leibs Rd, Wiley, MD-PA vicinity. Near S/S wire fencerow separating a cattle pasture (S/S) from farmed field (N/S); about 500' SE from old house at end of private lane, & about 50' E uphill from small stream/marshy area & board-fence cattle pens. Visible all seasons from nearby.

DIRECTIONS TO SITE:

From M&D 40 (42,43): follow MD 23-PA 24 N about 1.4 miles to junction of Leibs Rd; turn left (S) & follow about 0.3 mile to private lane on left (E/S); follow lane about 0.3 mile to end & old house; request permission to park & walk back to stone.

DESCRIPTION/MEASUREMENTS: original/~~replica/replacement~~/date 1766; squared ^(over)oolitic limestone post, standing about 1' above ground; P on N/S; M on S/S
N face (PA): 12" wide x 13" high; P intact & distinct; most of circle panel, fluting, & margins remain; small chips all edges & corners; mottled with lichen
E face: 12" wide x 13" high; most fluting & margins remain; small chips all edges & corners
S face (MD): 12" wide x 13" high; M intact & distinct; most of circle panel, fluting & margins remain; huge chunk SW top corner; small chips all edges
W face: 12" wide x 13" high; most fluting & N margin remain; huge chunk SW top corner
top: planes & some fluting discernible; large pit in apex; weatherworn
bench mark: none indicated on maps; none observed

CONDITION OF MARKER/FOUNDATION: ~~excellent/good/fair/deteriorated/ruins/unexposed~~

1900-03 Resurvey notes (order no. 44), as in MGS Vol. 7, 1908, p. 85

44. Milestone 41, M. & D., 1766, in a fence line in a valley just east of a marshy stream.

1950 Inspection notes (present order no. 42, photo no. 41) as in Bayliff, 1959, Appendix C, p. 98

44. Original monument in good condition.

1979-80 Inspection notes: order no. 41 (44); photos/negatives/slides no. 41 (44) 41 (44). Original M&D milestone of 1766 in fairly good condition, firmly set; letters, circle panels, fluting, & margins comparatively intact, though weather-worn & liberally sprinkled with lichen; huge chunk out of SW top corner. Protected by site.

SURROUNDING PROPERTY OWNERS (MD/PA): names, addresses, phones

MD: tax map 1, block , P. 9, deed 834 / 419, acres 121.52
Thomas Carter Parkinson, 3 Englewood Rd, Baltimore, MD 21210

PA: tax map AL, block , P. 39, deed 55W / 520, acres 50.0
T. Carter Parkinson, 11350 McCormick Rd., Hunt Valley, MD 21030

RECORDED BY: names, addresses, phones, dates Jean Ewing 2/21/80
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Also see: reverse side X, B&W photos X, negatives X, color slides X, maps X, MHT-HSI form, other X

DIRECTIONS TO SITE, continued

Follow along edge of field (E/S) & small stream/marshy area (W/S) in south-easterly direction to E-W wire fencerow & board fence cattle pens; walk uphill E/along N/S wire fence about 50' to stone (on S/S). Watch for cattle on S/S .

NOTES

This stone seemed most easily reached by directions from Leibs Rd, even though not on property belonging to tenants of old house. The main house on Parkinson property (Carter Manor Farm) is located on E/S of Long Corner Rd. There would be no problem with permission to cross through fields from that farmhouse, except for cattle in intervening fields.

B&W PHOTOS/NEGATIVES

5x7 NW corner (neg # 28), Jean Ewing 2/21/80
5x7 SE corner (neg # 25), " "
5x7 View S toward stone & fencerow (neg # 29), Jean Ewing 2/21/80
5x7 View ENE toward stone & fencerow (neg # 23), " "
5x7 View NE of stone & setting (neg # 24), " "

COLOR SLIDES

2x2 NW corner (# 6), Jean Ewing 2/21/80
2x2 SE corner (#3), " "
2x2 View S toward stone & fencerow (# 1), Jean Ewing 2/21/80
2x2 View NE toward stone & fencerow (# 2), " "
2x2 View ENE toward stone & fencerow (# 1980.5.31), Alice Martin 2/21/80

MAPS

USGS 7½' topographic quadrangle section
1900-03 Resurvey engineer's map (Plate XVIII), updated
MD tax map section

OTHER

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MASON & DIXON WEST LINE: MILESTONE 41 (44)

NORRISVILLE QUADRANGLE
MARYLAND-PENNSYLVANIA
USGS 7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)
1957 PHOTO REV. 1974 SCALE: 1" = 2000'

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS

5663 1 SE
(STEWARTSTOWN)



35'

365

367

32'30" 368

SHREWSBURY 9.2 M
STEWARTSTOWN 3.8 M





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1163

1007-436; MA-1550

South & East sides
(4)

Mason-Dixon west line: #41
1163-1162

Photo: J. D. A. N
15 wing 21 Feb 80 (1163-#20)



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MINT-HSI: HA-1550

Mason Dixon west line ^{MILESTONE} #41

North & West sides
(P)

Photo: JEAN
Ewing 21 Feb 80 (REC #25)



MBS

MHT-HSI: HA-1550

Mason & Dix on west line ^{stone} #1

looking south



View south in pasture - stone in ^{line} row of trees, center.

Photo: Jean Ewing 21 Feb 80 (Net #29)



1763

1007-1517 112-1580

Mason-Dixon west line # 41

looking NE

John Ewing 21 Feb 80 (1880 #24)



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MATASI: AA-1550

Looking ~~to~~ NE toward stage
L. ASPENVAULTICE

Mason & Dixon west line: #41 ^{MATASI}



Notes:
Jan Ewing 21 Feb 80 (AES # 23)