Hoopengardner Framehouse
AL-1-B-028
North of Route 40
near Bellegrove

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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON
Hoopengardner Frame House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
Route 40

CITY, TOWN
Belle Grove ___ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE
Maryland

COUNTY
Allegany

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE	
X DISTRICT	X PUBLIC	X OCCUPIED	AGRICULTURE	MUSEUM
BUILDING(S)	PRIVATE	UNOCCUPIED	COMMERCIAL	PARK
STRUCTURE	BOTH	WORK IN PROGRESS	EDUCATIONAL	X PRIVATE RESIDENCE
SITE	**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**	**ACCESSIBLE**	ENTERTAINMENT	RELIGIOUS
OBJECT	IN PROCESS	X YES: RESTRICTED	GOVERNMENT	SCIENTIFIC
	BEING CONSIDERED	YES: UNRESTRICTED	INDUSTRIAL	TRANSPORTATION
		NO	MILITARY	OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
Asbury F. Hoopengardner

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER
Route 1 Box 207

CITY, TOWN
Hancock ___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code
Maryland 21750

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Allegany County Courthouse

Liber #: 418
Folio #: 57

STREET & NUMBER
~~30 Washington Street~~

CITY, TOWN
Cumberland

STATE
Maryland 21502

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___FEDERAL ___STATE ___COUNTY ___LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
__EXCELLENT	__DETERIORATED	X UNALTERED	X ORIGINAL SITE
X GOOD	__RUINS	__ALTERED	__MOVED DATE_____
__FAIR	__UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Hoopengardner Frame House is located north of Route 40 near BelleGrove.

This building consists of a two story, five bays wide rectangular frame structure with clapboards and a covering of aluminum siding. The house rests on a high foundation of random rubble stone with a plain water table. The gable flank roof is covered with ribbed tin. Eaves consist of a cornice and fascia with a frieze on gable ends. Wall features include cornerboards. Two brick chimneys one corbeled, the other replaced, are located inside end and in the interior.

Of three entrances on the northeast two are original with original paneled doors and hardware. Two over two light nailed windows have plain wooden frames and lugsills. One light fixed windows are located in the gable ends. Part of the porch on the southwest has been enclosed. Shed roofed porches located on the southwest and the northeast have chamfered wooden posts.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
__PREHISTORIC	__ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	__COMMUNITY PLANNING	__LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	__RELIGION
__1400-1499	__ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	__CONSERVATION	__LAW	__SCIENCE
__1500-1599	X AGRICULTURE	__ECONOMICS	__LITERATURE	__SCULPTURE
__1600-1699	X ARCHITECTURE	__EDUCATION	__MILITARY	__SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
__1700-1799	__ART	__ENGINEERING	__MUSIC	__THEATER
X 1800-1899	__COMMERCE	__EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	__PHILOSOPHY	__TRANSPORTATION
__1900-	__COMMUNICATIONS	__INDUSTRY	__POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	__OTHER (SPECIFY)
		__INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Hoopengardner Frame House is located near Bellegrove in isolated eastern Allegany County. There are no major industries in the eastern part of the county so farming has long been the primary way of making a living for the people living there. The area is widely dispersed with farmers even though this occupation is a "a risky undertaking at best" because of the rugged rocky terrain.(1)

This house is a typical rural dwelling for Allegany County with its five bays wide structure. It was built around the turn of the century and stands as a reminder of the way of life experienced by 20th century farmers in the eastern section of the county.

(1) Harry Stegmaier, et al. Allegany County-A History (Parsons, W Va.: McClain Printing Co.) P-312

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 25 Acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

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DATE April 4, 1979

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CITY OR TOWN Cumberland

STATE Maryland 21502

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

INVENTORY NO: #31 DATE:

REMODELING: Drastic, moderate, minor

claude norris at other house AL-1-B 28

NAME OF PROPERTY: Hoopengardner

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: 9/3/78

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: 60° NE

NAME OF OWNER: TAX MAP 11 Asbury F. Hoopengardner L 418 F 57 25.00A p.5

ADDRESS: Rt 1 Box 207
Hancock Md. 21750 ph. #

STORIES: 1( ) 2(✓) 3( ) 4( ) 5( ) 6( ) BAYS: 1( ) 2( ) 3( ) 4( ) 5(✓) 6( ) 7( ) ( )

WINGS, ADDITIONS: enclosed porch s.w.

DWELLING SHAPE: (square, cross, rectangular)

WALL CONSTRUCTION:

(✓) FRAME: Bevel, clapboard, weatherboard, wood shingles, board & batten (type?)
( ) BRICK: Bond type - common, English, Flemish. Sketch variants.
( ) STONE: Bond type - rubble, ashlar (random or regular), quoins-plain, rusticated
( ) LOG
(✓) OTHER: Coverings Aluminum

WALL FEATURES: Belt Course, Pilasters, Others cornerboards

FOUNDATIONS: High, Low, Brick, Stone random rubble

WATER TABLE: None, Plain, Beveled, Moulded Brick

plain wooden trim wooden slipsills on sw logs elsewhere

WINDOWS, TRIM, SHUTTERS: 1/1( ) 2/2(✓) 6/6( ) 9/6( ) 9/9( ) other( )
pegged( ) nailed(✓) wide( ) narrow( ) mitred( ) pediment( )

ENTRANCE, DOORS: LOCATION: NE 3 panel 3 light 2 panel 4 light logsills one light casement in gable one 2 light casement
HARDWARE: ~~original(2)~~ replaced(1)
FAN LIGHT, TRANSOM, SIDE LIGHTS, PLAIN
Paneled, Vertical, Horizontal Boards 4 panels

SW 3 panel 3 light rep 2 panel 4 light original

shouldered frames

overhang

CORNICE, BARGE, EAVES: (crown, fascia, ~~soffit~~, bed)
original(✓) replaced( ) rafter ends, modillions, dentils, frieze, architrave

ROOF: Gable front, Gable flank, Hip, Shed, Mansard, Gambrel, Flat, Dormers #
MATERIAL: wood shingles, slate, tin, asphalt; original(✓) replaced( )

RIBBED

PORCHES: SHAPE OF ROOF - shed(✓) hip( ) gable( ) BOTH SIDES NE 5 chamfered posts RIBBED TIN ROOF 3 on SW

porch on posts

CHIMNEYS: Number: 2 Brick(✓) Stone( ) Corbeled(✓) original( ) replaced(✓) one NW
Location: Flush end( ) Inside end(✓) Outside end( ) Central( ) Interior(✓)

ARCHES: Door & Windows: Keystone, Flat, Segmental, Semicircular

COMMENTS:

USE:
SIGNIFICANCE:
DATE CONSTRUCTED: approx ~~[illegible]~~ turn of century
CONDITION:

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Hoopengardner Frame House
North of Route 40
Bellegrove
USGS Bellegrove Quad
1951
FULTON CO
MASON AND DIXON LINE
WASHINGTON CO
ALLEGANY CO
Bellegrove
Piney Plains Ch
Big Ridge Ch
Cem
Swain Hollow
Creek
NATIONAL PIKE
TELEPHONE LINE
WATSON ROAD
PRICE ROAD
DIVIDE ROAD
SWAIN ROAD
HOOP POLE ROAD
RISER
Ford
ORLEANS
MANN ROAD
HIGH
BM

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Hoopengardner Frame House
Route 40
Bellegrove, Md.
David A. Dorsey
9/3/78
~~South~~ North

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~~South~~
North

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Outbuilding
Route 40
Bellegrove, Md.
David A. Dorsey
9/3/78
west