

## JENKINS BRICK HOUSE

AL-VI-B-031

.3 mile south of Cabin Run Road

ca. 1830

The Jenkins Brick House is a two story, five bay wide, rectangular shaped brick structure of American Common Bond. The house is believed to have been built for John Winters in the late 1820's, soon after he had purchased the property from Jacob Winters in 1826. Although, of a subsistence nature, due to the size of the barn and the solid construction of the house, the Jenkin's farm was obviously a fine one in its day. In addition, the farm is located among an architecturally significant group of old farm houses in the upper George's Creek Valley.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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AL-VI-B-031

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Jenkins Brick House

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

.3 miles south of Cabin Run Road

CITY, TOWN

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF

Sixth

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Allegany

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input 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"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Maryland Coal & Realty Company

Telephone #: 689-8895

STREET & NUMBER

Depot Hill

CITY, TOWN

Frostburg

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code  
Maryland 21532

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Allegany County Courthouse

Liber #: 215

Folio #: 705

STREET & NUMBER

30 Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Cumberland,

STATE

Maryland

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL     STATE     COUNTY     LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

**7 DESCRIPTION**

<b>CONDITION</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>	<b>CHECK ONE</b>
<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 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Jenkins Brick House is a two story, five bay wide, rectangular brick structure located approximately .3 miles south of Cabin Run Road between the old and new Route 36. The facade faces southeast and is supported by a high stone foundation on the grade sloping basically south. Brick bonding consists of the American Common type and predominantly shows a characteristic pattern of five rows of stretchers between each row of headers. A beveled water table separates the brick from the stone. Double hung wooden sash frames featuring six over six lights comprise the windows in the structure; those in the rear of the house have brick jack arches over top. The facade has two entrances both with the original verticle paneled doors still intact. Transom lights are present over both doors. A unique corbeled brick frieze is found under the eaves on the front and rear of the structure. Rain gutter spoutings are set up to employ the cistern method of water storage. Replaced tin now sheathes the simple gabled roof. The facade has a five bay shed roofed porch supported by square columns and the rear of the structure has a one bay gabled roof porch. Two corbeled brick flush end chimneys also complement the house.

The Jenkins Brick House retains most all of its original fabric, currently stands in fair to good condition and is structurally sound.

**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
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<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                      ca. 1830                      BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Jenkins Farm House is a substantial building typical of rural brick architecture in Allegany County during the first half of the 19th century. In all probability the house was built for John Winters in the late 1820's. John Winters had purchased the property from Jacob Winters and family in September of 1826, and the house is believed to have been built soon after this date.<sup>1</sup>

Judging from the size of the barn and the solid construction of the house, the Jenkin's farm was obviously a prosperous one in its day. In addition, the farm is located in the upper George's Creek Valley and is among a significant group of old farm houses located in this area, all of which were built in the late 18th and early 19th century.

The farm is presently in good condition and is the residence of a care taker for the Maryland Coal and Realty Company, who continues some grazing activities on a small scale.

<sup>1</sup> Allegany County Land Records, Cumberland, Maryland

**MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

Allegany County Land Records, Cumberland, Maryland

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 250 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	COUNTY
STATE	COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

John Nelson, Joan Baldwin & Steve Beale

ORGANIZATION

Allegany County Historic Sites Survey

DATE

12/7/76

STREET &amp; NUMBER

507 National Highway

TELEPHONE

777-8991

CITY OR TOWN

LaVale,

STATE

Maryland

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.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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

TITLE SEARCH

Jenkins Brick House  
AL-VI-B-031

Allegany County Deed; Liber 215, Folio 705  
grantee: Maryland Coal & Realty Company  
grantor: Pittsburgh Consolidation Coal Company  
July 7, 1947  
Consideration: \$150,000

Allegany County Deed; Liber 198, Folio 170  
grantee: Consolidation Coal Company  
grantor: Allegany Real Estate  
December 17, 1943

Allegany County will; Liber H, Folio 164  
grantee: Elizabeth O'Donnell, (sister of Anne)  
grantor: Anne Humbertson  
December 2, 1902

Allegany County Deed; Liber 79, Folio 685  
grantee: Elizabeth O'Donnell & Anne Humbertson  
grantor: George Winter  
October 5, 1896  
Consideration: \$10,000.00

Allegany County Deed; Liber 27, Folio 232  
grantee: Hester Winter  
grantor: George Winter, et. al.  
April 15, 1868

Allegany County Deed; Liber W, Folio 300  
grantee: John Winters  
grantor: Jacob Winter, et. al.  
September 26, 1826

INVENTORY NO. AI-VI-B-031

DATE: 11/30/76

215/705

REMODELING: Drastic, moderate, minor

250 Acres

NAME OF PROPERTY: JENKINS BRICK HOUSE

LOCATION OF PROPERTY: 3 miles south of Cabin Run Rd. SOUTH OF CABIN RUN RD.

DIRECTION DWELLING FACES: (140°) Southeast

NAME OF OWNER: MARYLAND COAL + REALTY CO.

ADDRESS: DEPOT HILL, FROSTBURG 689-8895

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

WINGS, ADDITIONS:

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

WALL FEATURES: BELT COURSE, PILLASTERS, OTHERS

FOUNDATIONS: HIGH, LOW, BRICK, STONE

WATER TABLE: NONE, PLAIN, BEVELED, MOULD BRICK

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

ENTRANCE, DOORS: LOCATION: 2  
HARDWARE: original() replaced( )  
PAN LIGHT, TRANSOM, SIDE LIGHTS, PLAIN  
Paneled, Verticle, Horizontal Boards

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, TORMERS #  
MATERIAL: wood shingles, slate, tin, asphalt original( ) replaced()

PORCHES: SHAPE OF ROOF - shed() hip( ) gable( ) 5 BAY FRONT PORCH  
1 BAY GAB ED REAR

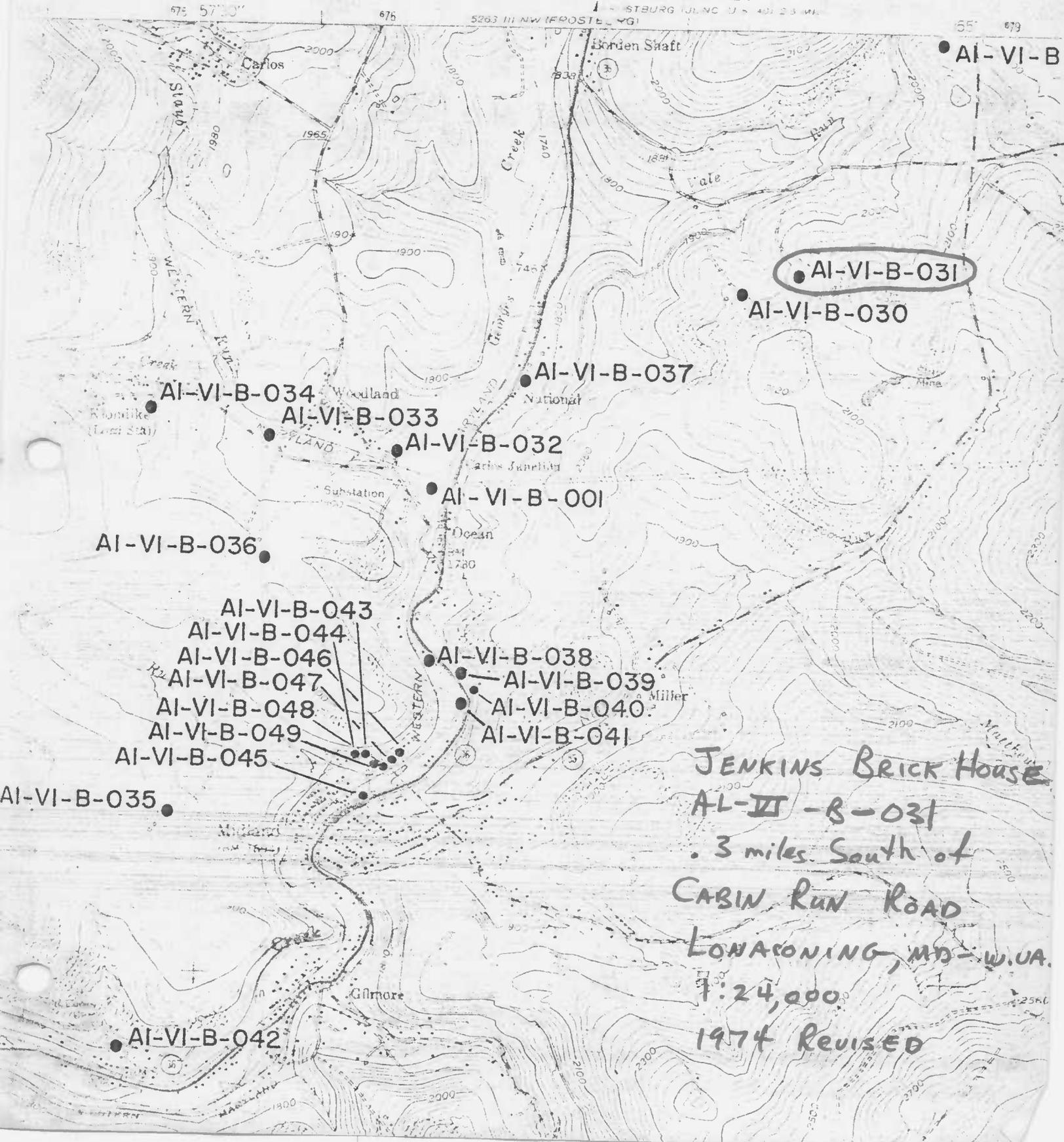
CHIMNEYS: NUMBER 2 BRICK() STONE( ) CORBELLED() original() replaced( )  
LOCATION: Flush end() Inside end( ) Outside end( ) Central( ) Interior( )

ARCHES: Door and window: Keystone, Flat, Segmental, Semicircular

COMMENTS:  
Use - Residence  
Significance - Arch  
Date Constructed - 1841  
Condition - Good

# SECTION VI QUADRANGLE B

STATE OF MARYLAND  
MARYLAND GEOLOGICAL SURVEY



JENKINS BRICK HOUSE  
AI-VI-B-031  
3 miles South of  
CABIN RUN ROAD  
LOWANONG, MD - W.U.A.  
1:24,000  
1974 Revised



Jenkins Brick House

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South of Cabin Run Road

11/30/76

John Nelson

North



Jenkins Brick House

AL-VI-B-031

South of Cabin Run Road

John Nelson

11/30/76

West