

(SEMMES)

(Sloan; Campbell)

(DEVECMON)

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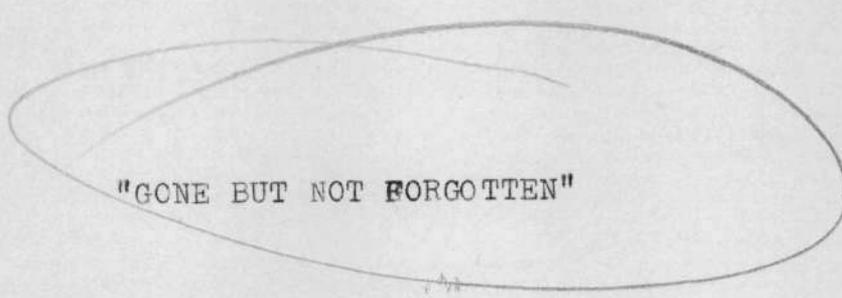
1. STATE Maryland COUNTY Allegany TOWN Cumberland VICINITY STREET NO. Washington Street ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE PRESENT OWNER PRESENT USE WALL CONSTRUCTION NO. OF STORIES	HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY AL-85
	2. NAME CHURCH HOUSE Church First Presbyterian House DATE OR PERIOD STYLE Colonial (SITE) ARCHITECT BUILDER
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4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC

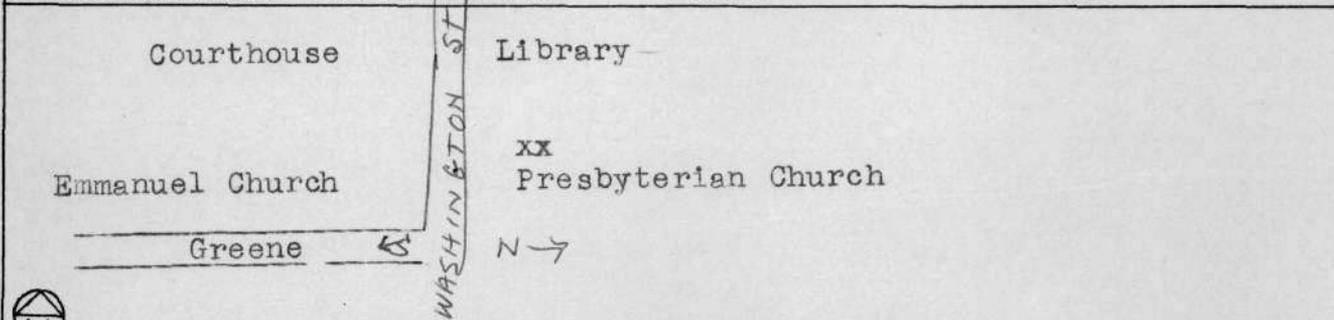
Semmes family once owned Church House of First Presbyterian Church--on site of Fort Cumberland. Later, the Devecmon family bought it.

Colonial with a circular driveway and an L on the west side. The basement had two large fireplaces, where the cooking was done. The stone steps and coping were brought from Scotland. Two rooms, a staircase and halls were added about 1880 making it a two-family house. David W. Sloan bought the side which had been the Church House and William Campbell bought the other side.

The above mentioned house was torn down in the 1950's to make way for an addition to the Washington Street Church and a parking lot.



5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered Interior Exterior



6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional) 7. PHOTOGRAPH

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Page)
 INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.
 Pauline McEvoy--interview with (MHT) "
 Eleanor Campbell Warfield

9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER
 Hazel Groves Hansrote, Chairman
 Maryland Historical Trust
 (5 yr. Trustee--History House)
 Mar. 25, 1970

 DATE OF RECORD

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND PHOTOGRAPHS MAY BE ADDED ON SHEET OF SAME SIZE

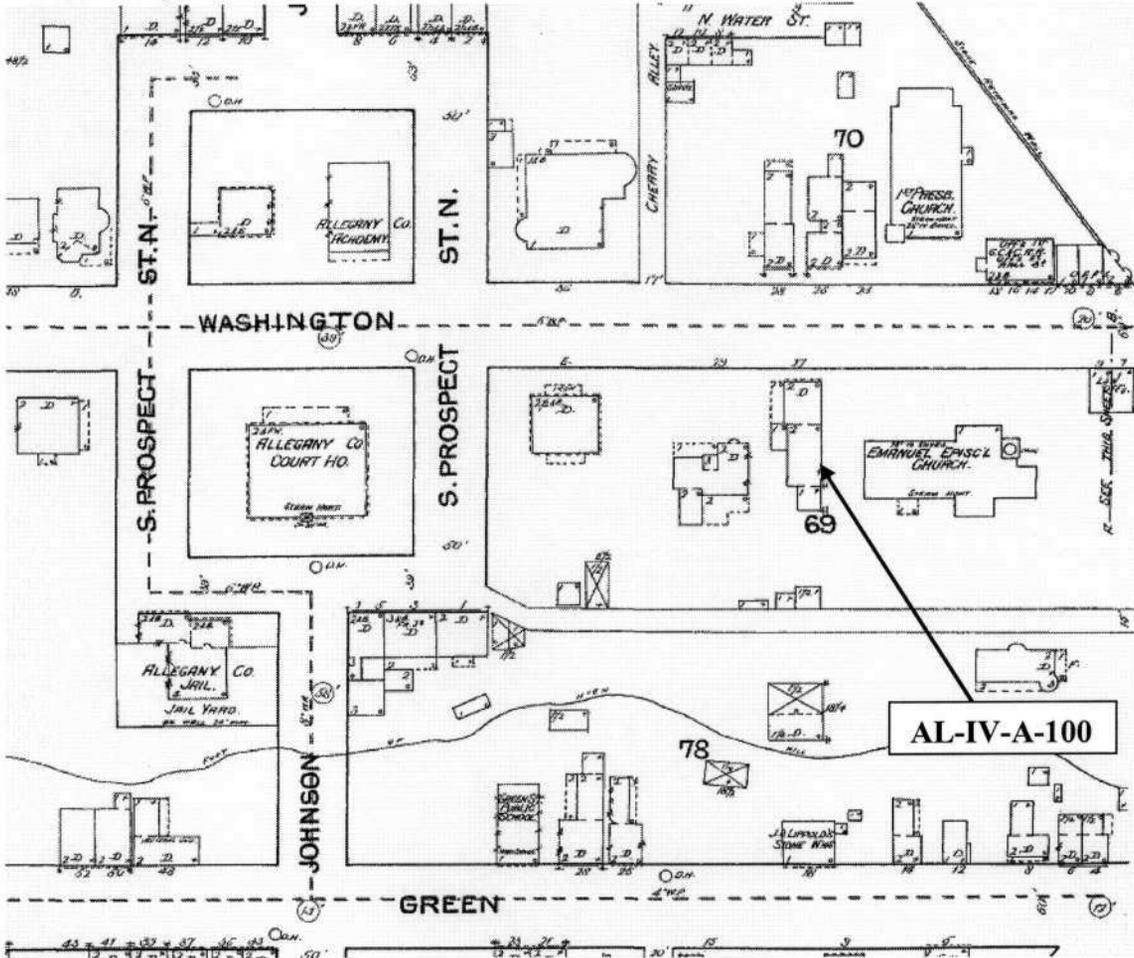
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First Presbyterian Church House

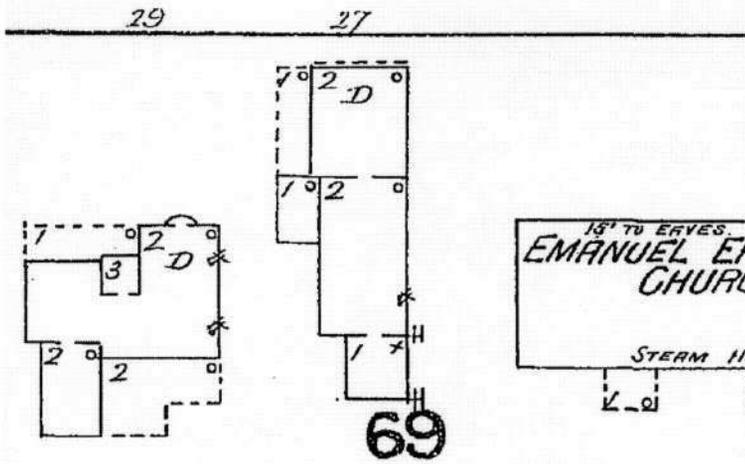
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South side of Washington Street (formerly # 27)

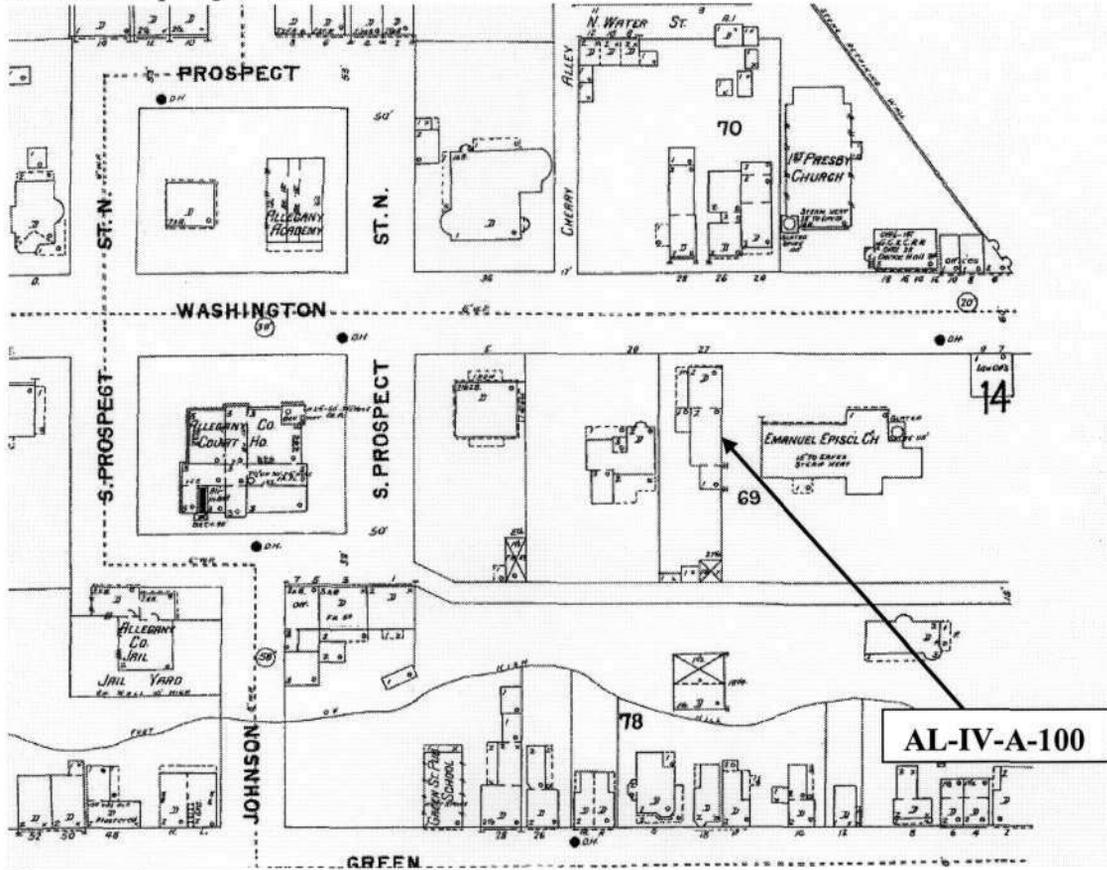
Sanborn Map, April 1892



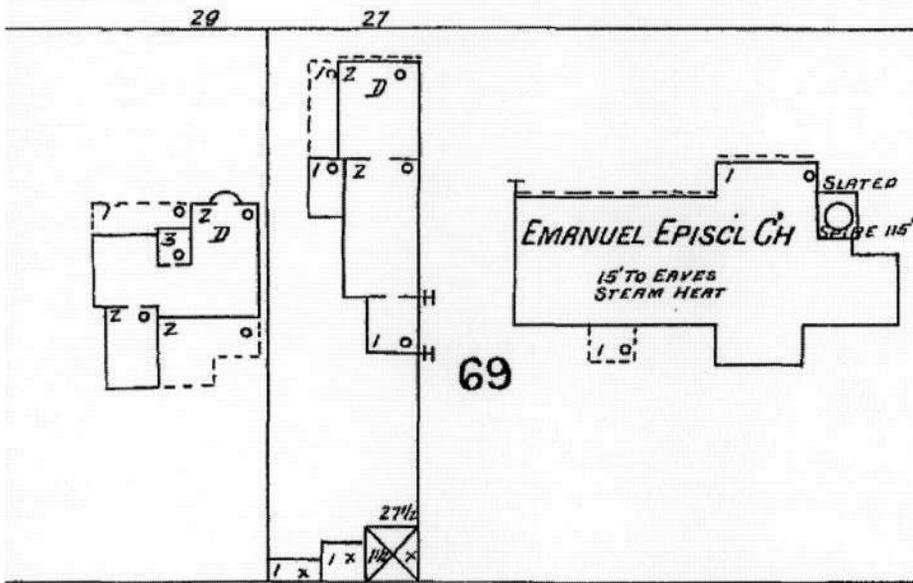
Close-up view



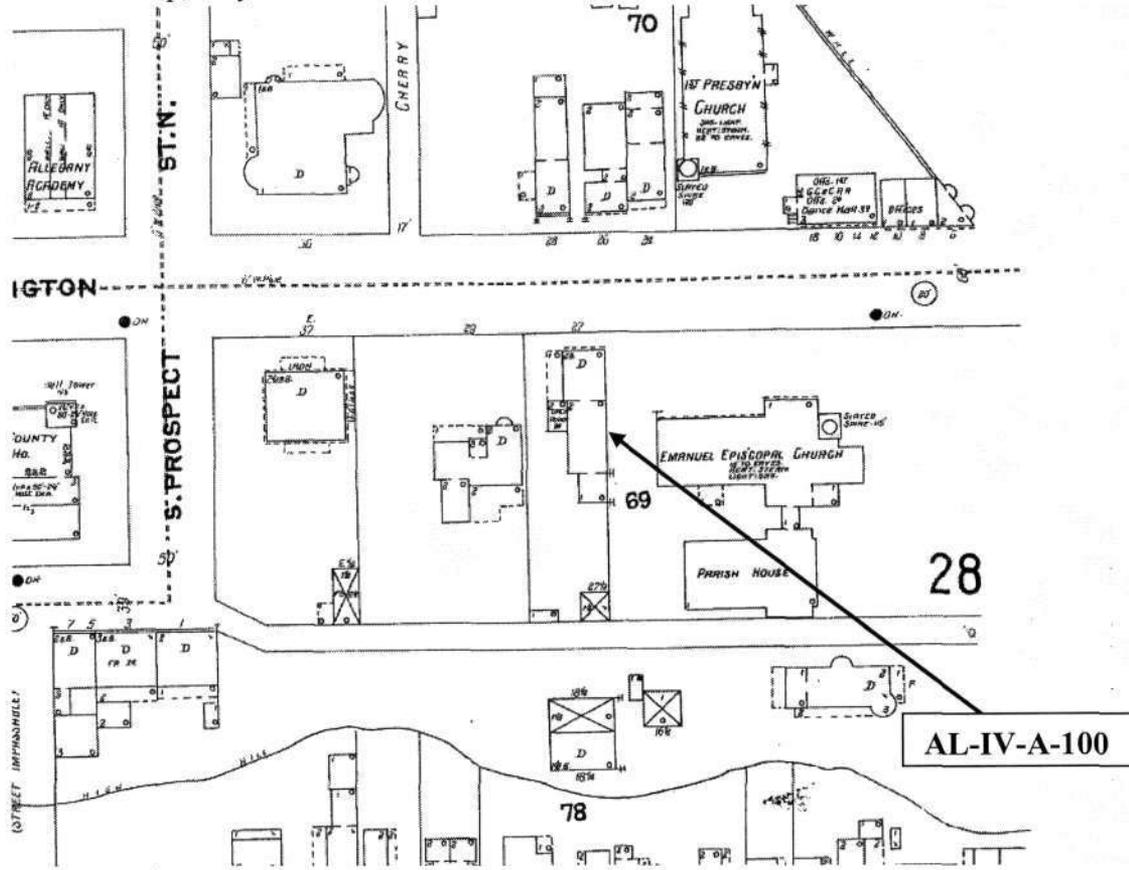
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 First Presbyterian Church House
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 South side of Washington Street (formerly # 27)
 Sanborn Map, April 1897



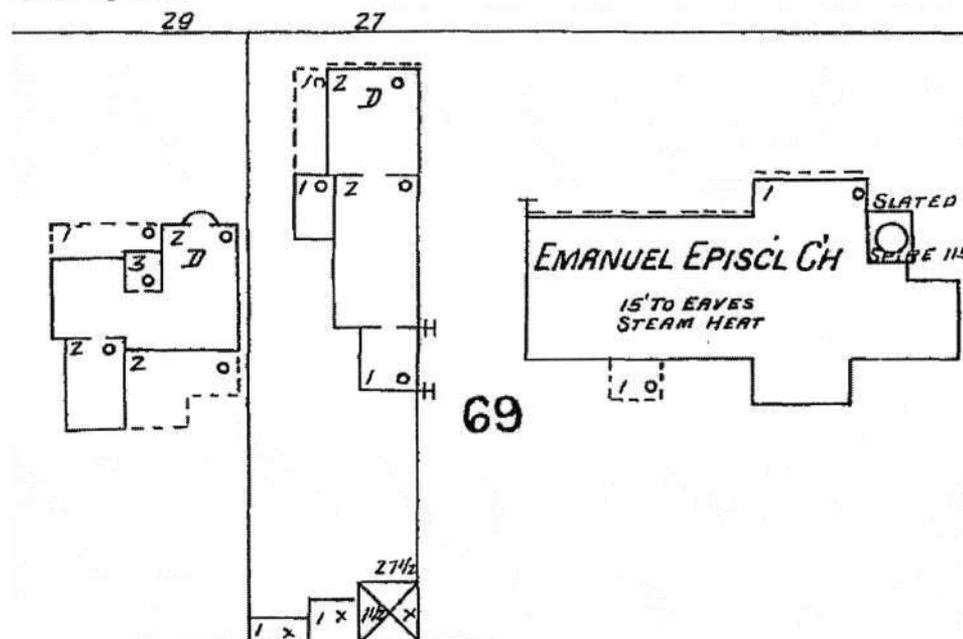
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 Sanborn Map, July 1904



Close-up view



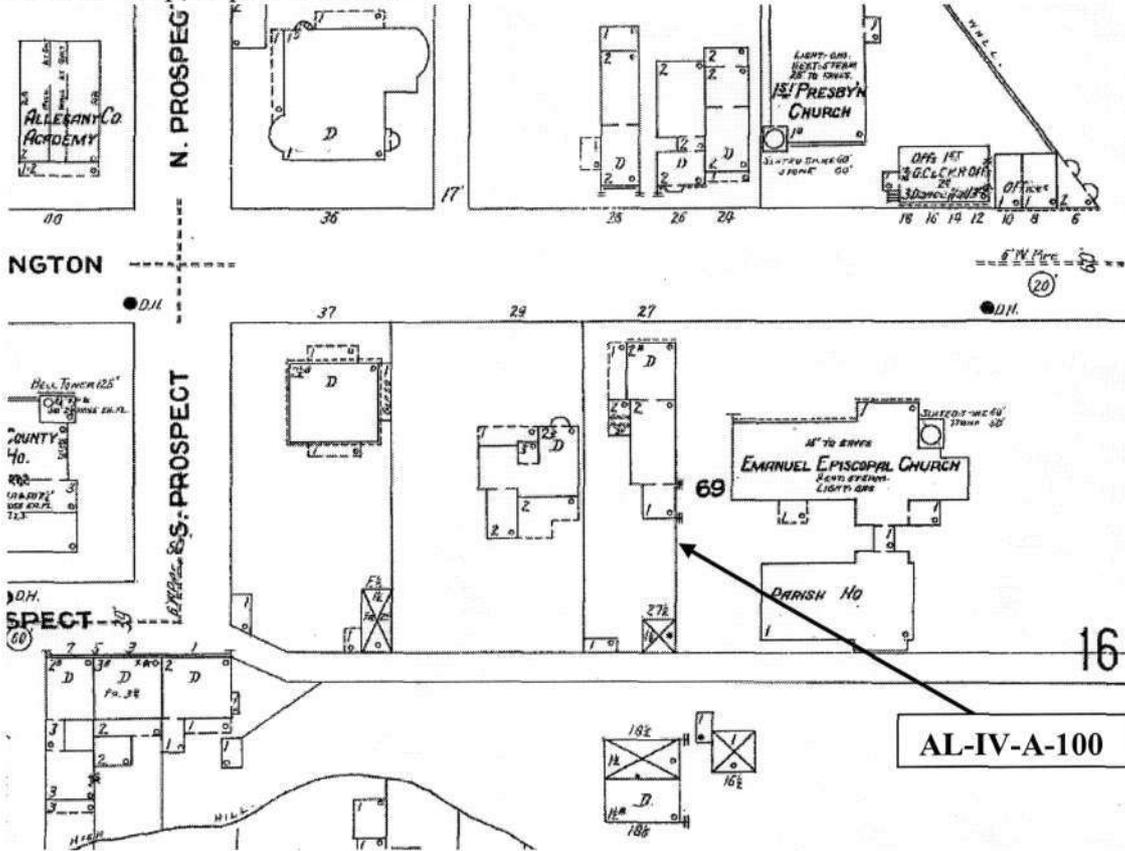
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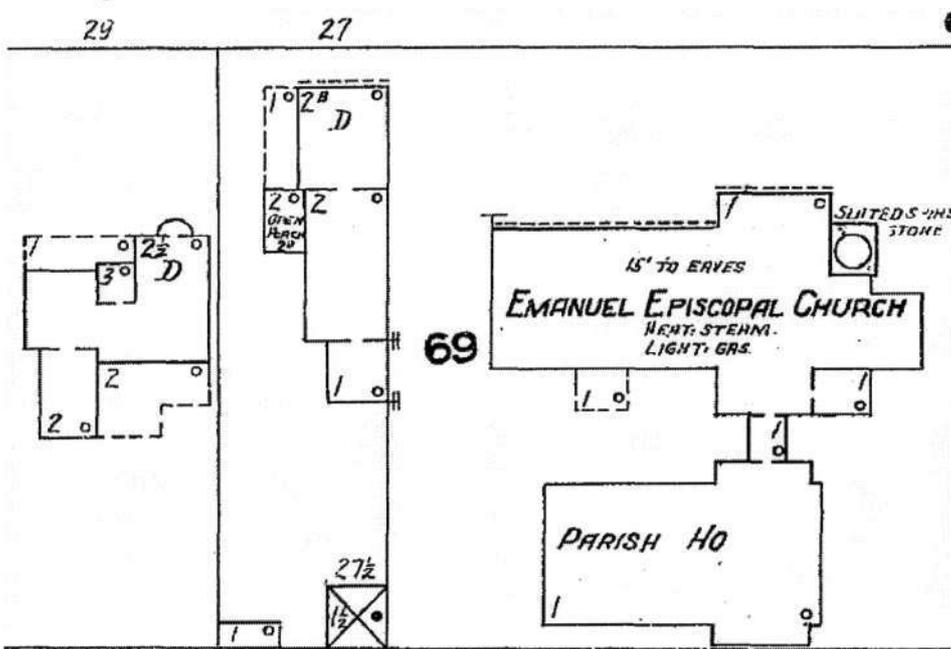
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South side of Washington Street (formerly # 27)

Sanborn Map, September 1910

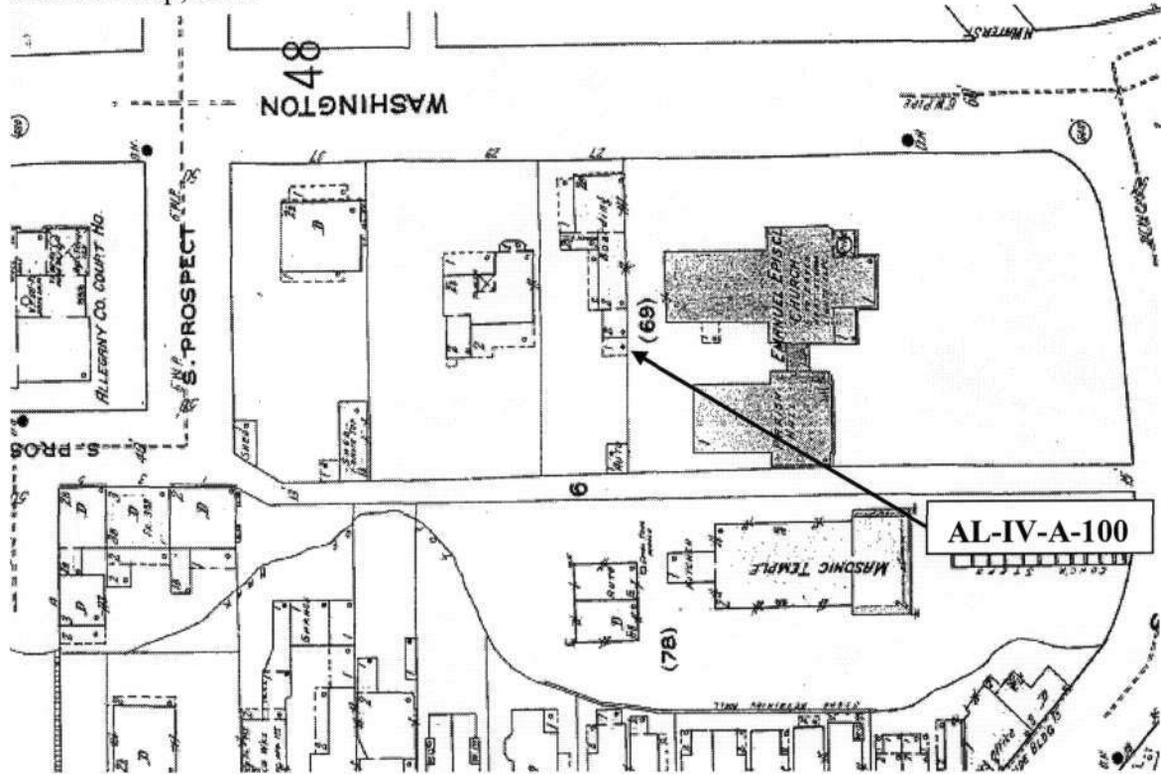


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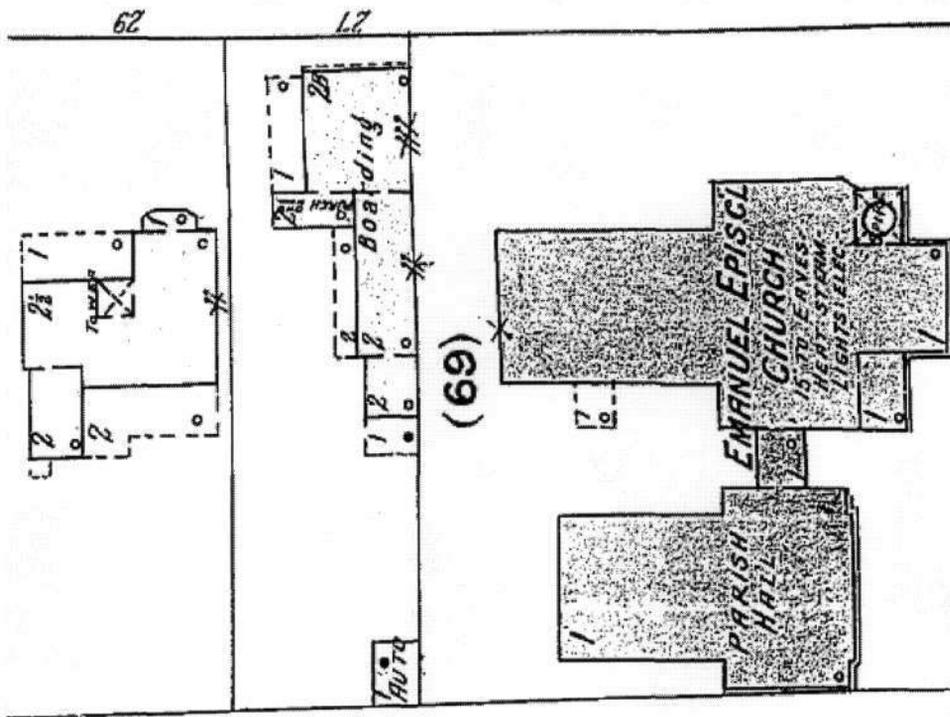


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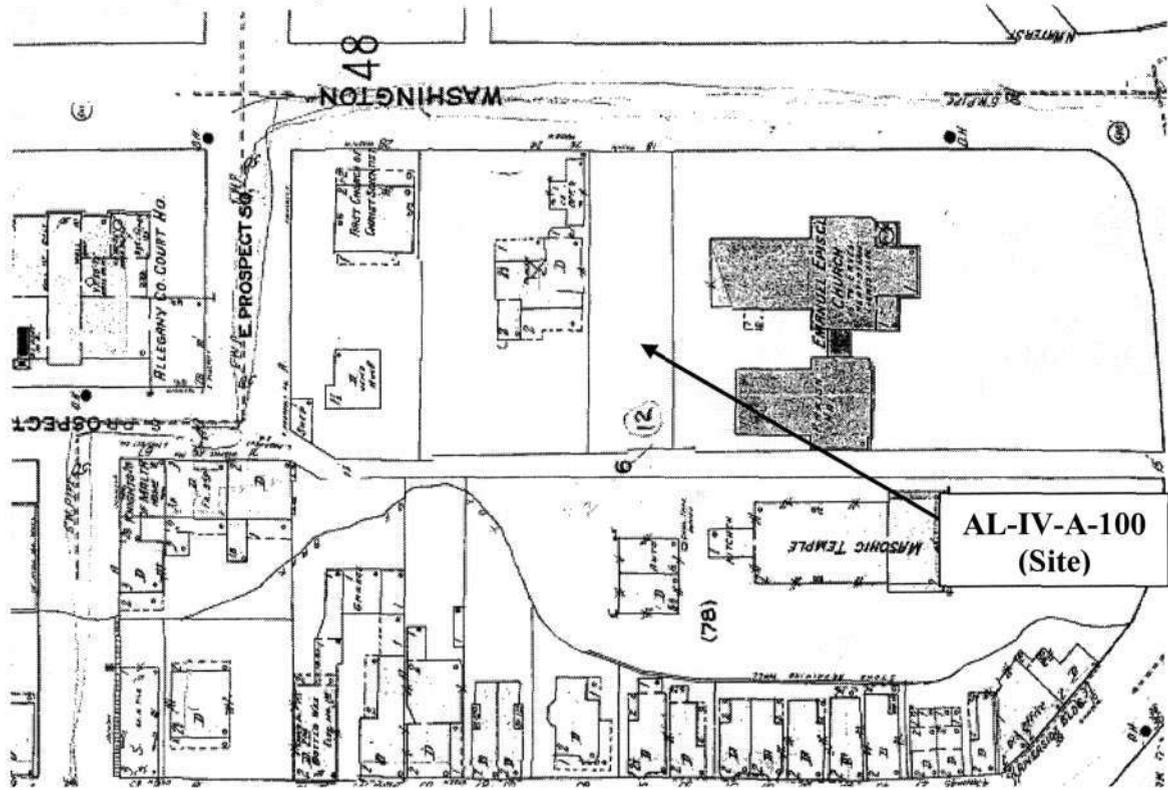
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 South side of Washington Street (formerly # 27)
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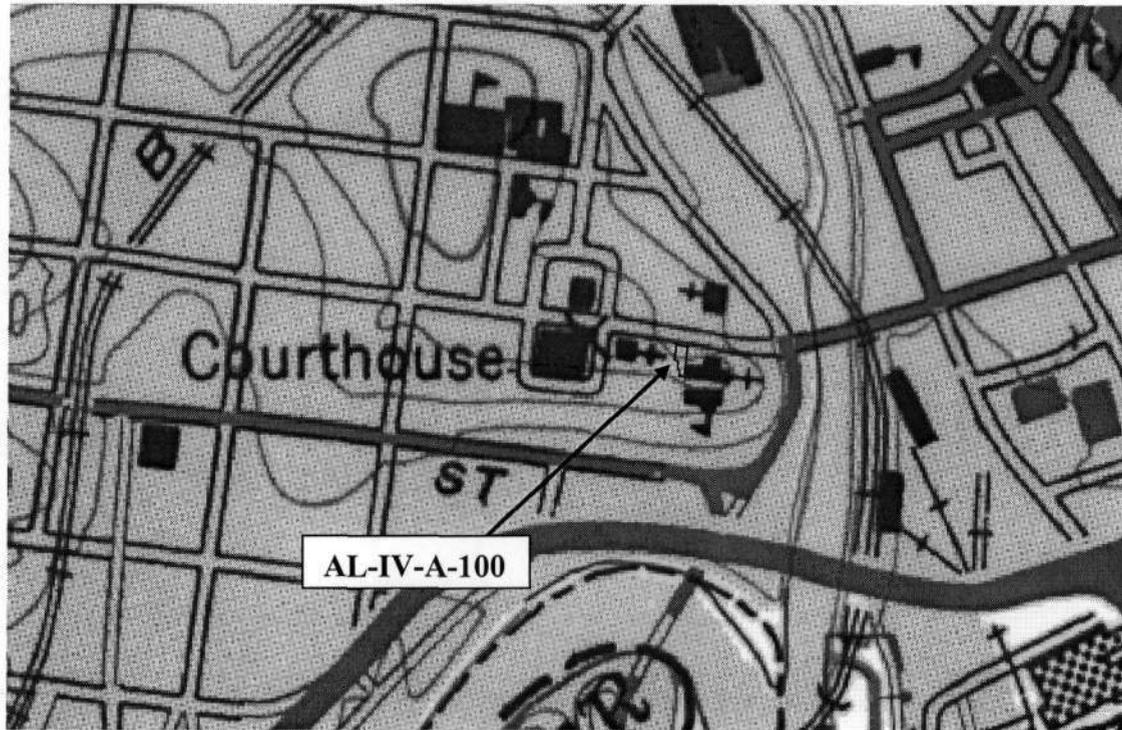
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First Presbyterian Church House
(Thomas House, Semmes-Devecmon House)
South side of Washington Street (formerly # 27)
Sanborn Map, 1921-July 1949



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First Presbyterian Church House
(Thomas House, Semmes-Devecmon House)
Cumberland Quadrangle



1993 Aerial Photo

