MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
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SHAW HOUSE
ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401

HISTORIC SITES SURVEY FIELD SHEET
Individual Structure Survey Form

SURVEY NUMBER: AA 378

NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:

UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing

U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP:

PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:

COUNTY: Anne Arundel
TOWN: Annapolis
LOCATION: 121 Cathedral (119-121)

COMMON NAME:

FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Comm Map 30 Par 560

OWNER: Reico 121 Associates
ADDRESS: c/o Louis Hyatt, Inc.
1919 West St., Annapolis, MD 21401

ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
Yes (X) No ( ) Restricted ( )

LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
Local (✓) State ( ) National ( )

PRESENT USE: Office
ORIGINAL USE: Retail/Office/Residence
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:

BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
Excellent ( ) Good (X)
Fair ( ) Poor: ( )

THEME:

STYLE: Italianate Commercial (Altered)

DATE BUILT: 1908-1913

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Structural System

1. Foundation: Stone( )Brick(X)Concrete( )Concrete Block( )
2. Wall Structure
   A. Wood Frame: Post and Beam( )Balloon( )
   B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick(X)Stone( )Concrete( )Concrete Block( )
   C. Iron( ) D. Steel( ) E. Other:
3. Wall Covering: Clapboard( )Board and Batten( )Wood Shingle( )Shiplap( )
   Novelty( )Stucco( )Sheet Metal( )Aluminum( )Asphalt Shingle( )
   Brick Veneer(X)Stone Veneer( )Asbestos Shingle( )
   Bonding Pattern: Common Other:
4. Roof Structure
   A. Truss: Wood(X)Iron( )Steel( )Concrete( )
   B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate( )Wood Shingle( )Asphalt Shingle(X)Sheet Metal( )
   Built Up( )Rolled( )Tile( )Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:

Appendages: Porches( )Towers( )Cupolas( )Dormers( )Chimneys( )Sheds( )Ells( )
Wings (X)Other:

Roof Style: Gable(X)Hip( )Shed( )Flat( )Mansard( )Gambrel( )Jerkinhead( )
Saw Tooth( )With Monitor( )With Bellcast( )With Parapet( )With False Front( )
Other:

Number of Stories: 3
Number of Bays: 6 x 4
Approximate Dimensions: 35 x 35 + rear 30 x 115

Entrance Location: Right

THREAT TO STRUCTURE:
No Threat(X)Zoning( )Roads( )
Development( )Deterioration( )
Alteration ( )Other:

LOCAL ATTITUDES:
Positive( )Negative( )
Mixed( ) Other:

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

Overhanging roof with good cornice enriched by flat mutules; segmental brick arches at second and third floor windows; first floor altered.

RELATED STRUCTURES: **(Describe)**

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

Good example of large scale vernacular commercial, one of a pair. While larger scale than neighboring buildings, still contributes to the streetscape-first floor alterations are reversible.

REFERENCES:

MAP: **(Indicate North In Circle)**

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
Open Lane( )Woodland( )Scattered Buildings( )
Moderately Built Up( )Densely Built Up(✓)
Residential( )Commercial( )
Agricultural( )Industrial( )
Roadside Strip Development( )
Other:

RECORDED BY: Russell Wright

ORGANIZATION: Historic Annapolis, Inc

DATE RECORDED: Aug. 1983

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HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY

1. STATE Annapolis, Maryland
COUNTY
TOWN VICINITY
STREET NO. 121 Cathedral Street

ORIGINAL OWNER
ORIGINAL USE residential &/or commerc
PRESENT OWNER Joseph Farrell, myers
PRESENT USE commercial - offices
WALL CONSTRUCTION brick
NO. OF STORIES three

2. NAME

DATE OR PERIOD 1870s +
STYLE Victorian
ARCHITECT
BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC yes

A good example of utilitarian Victorian architecture. 10 bays on 2 and 3rd storeys (1/1) windows with segmental brick arches and granite sills. Original projecting cornice with flat mutules on it. First floor has been altered. This building is a handsome, functional, well built 19th C. piece of architecture

5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered Interior Exterior good

6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

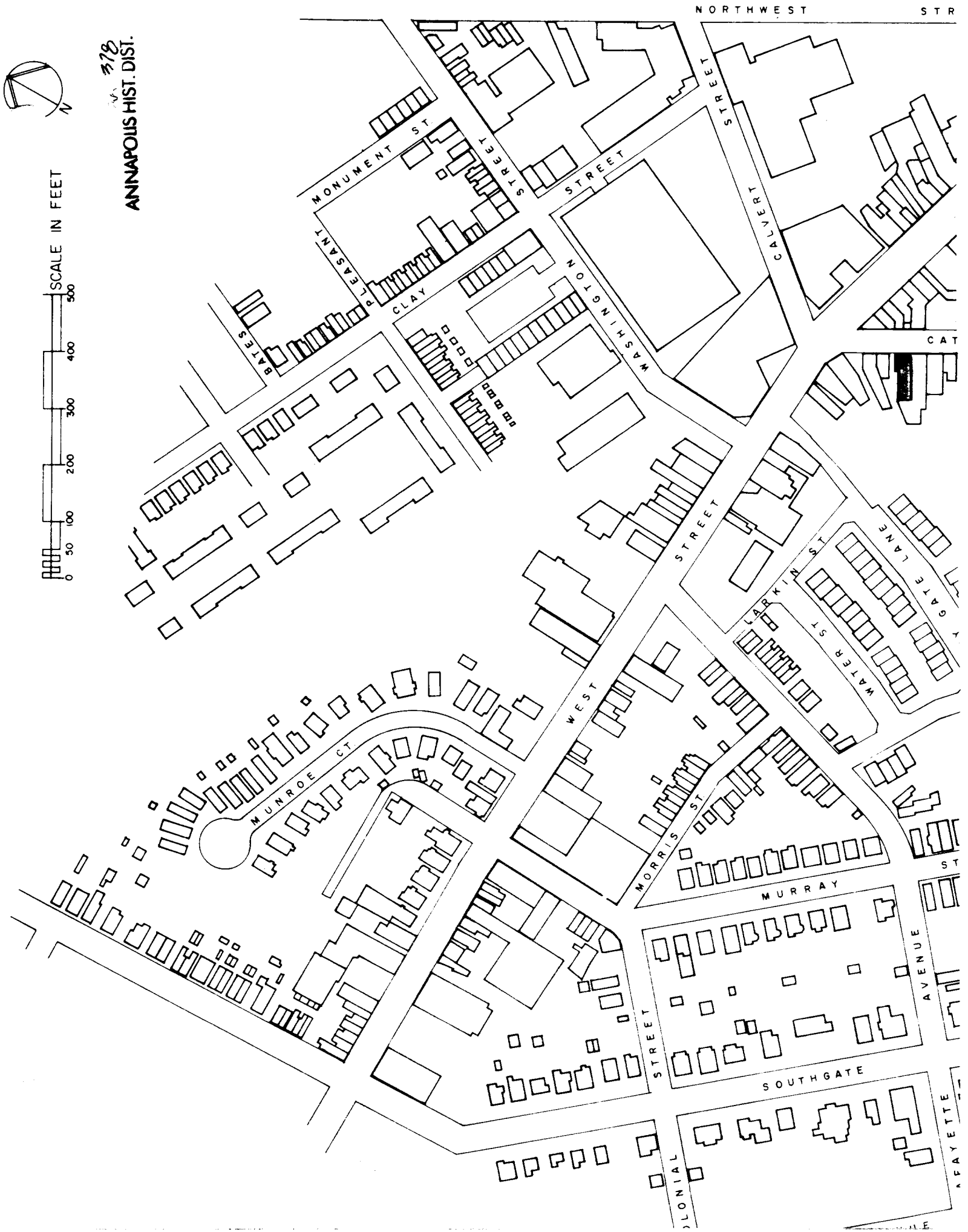
7. PHOTOGRAPH

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.

9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER
William D. Morgan
Columbia University
New York City

DATE OF RECORD June 21, 1967

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



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