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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

NOMINATION FORM for the NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

1. NAME

COMMON: **Donald B. Hebb House**

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: **Northwest side of Butler Road**

CITY OR TOWN: **Glyden**

STATE: **Maryland** COUNTY: **Baltimore**

3. CLASSIFICATION

| CATEGORY (Check One) | OWNERSHIP | STATUS | ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC |
|---|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure | <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both | Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

| | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agricultural | <input type="checkbox"/> Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Park | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> Comments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Educational | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Religious | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Museum | <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific | | |

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: **Donald B. Hebb**

STREET AND NUMBER: **Northwest Farm**

CITY OR TOWN: **Glyden** STATE: **Maryland**

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: **Baltimore County Courthouse**

STREET AND NUMBER: **Washington Avenue**

CITY OR TOWN: **Towson** STATE: **Maryland**

Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #): **2/83/80**

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY: **None**

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: STATE:

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7. DESCRIPTION

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|---|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| CONDITION | (Check One) | | | | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> Fair | <input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated | <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins | <input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed |
| | (Check One) | | | (Check One) | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered | <input type="checkbox"/> Uncltered | <input type="checkbox"/> Moved | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site | | |

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The HEBB HOUSE on Northwest Farms is a five bay, two and one-half storey stone house facing south, with a two bay, two storey stone kitchen wing at the east end, the small second storey windows of which are beneath the cornice and close to the second floor line. The gable roof of the main house terminates in a wide rake cornice, with returns at the eaves and the roofing slates are hexagonal. Slates of the wing's roof are rectangular and the gable terminates in a barge board against the wall. Flush end chimneys of stone rise from each gable of the main house, and from the east gable of the wing.

The basic traditional form, and the consistent detailing throughout, indicate a construction date of ca. 1830. A joint in the masonry between the main house and the wing indicates separate construction; the absence of a west wall in the wing indicates it to be structurally dependent upon the main house. The hexagonal slate roofing and wide gable overhangs are of the late nineteenth or early twentieth century.

The principal entrance is centered on the south facade, and is embellished with a wood surround consisting of pilasters supporting a pediment, correctly designed in an 18th century mode, probably added in the 20th century. Paneled jambs, a transem and the door, the latter altered by the addition of glazing, appear to be contemporary with the basic construction. The 6/6 windows have leuvred blinds. Masonry above the front windows is supported by a stone jack arch, while a rough stone lintel supports masonry above rear windows. A circular recess high in the west gable appears intended for a datestone, missing or never installed. Two large shed-roofed dormers on the rear roof slope provide light and space to the attic storey. A window at

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

| | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian | <input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century | |

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

| | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | | | |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Northwest Farm was part of several land patents: Caples' Habitation, Addition to Price's Hunting Ground, and Rockey Ridge. It was owned and farmed by both the Cole and the Shaul families during the mid-19th century. An 1881 newspaper ad for the sale of Samuel Shaul's real estate describes the farm near Butler, improved by a large two story house with kitchen and attic.....a large log barn, wagon house, stone dairy and smokehouse.⁽¹⁾

Samuel Shaul married Urith Cole, whose father, Joseph, had owned the property on which the Western Run Farm is now located. Their grandson was William P. Cole, sheriff of Baltimore County during the 1890's.

(1). Judicial Liber 75 folio 288.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Baltimore County Tax Assessments: 1876, 1911.
 Maryland Agriculture Census 1850
Distinguished Men of Baltimore and Maryland, Chapman Publishing Co.,
 (New York, 1890). pp.479, 685.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

| LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY | | | O R | LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------|---|-------------------------|--|
| CORNER | LATITUDE | LONGITUDE | | LATITUDE | LONGITUDE | |
| | Degrees Minutes Seconds | Degrees Minutes Seconds | | Degrees Minutes Seconds | Degrees Minutes Seconds | |
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APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: **138 acres**

Acreage Justification:

(This area is currently blank for justification.)

11. FORM PREPARED BY

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|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| NAME AND TITLE: Catherine F. Black and James T. Wellen, Jr., AIA | | DATE |
| ORGANIZATION Werthington Valley Historical District Project | | Jan. 1, 1976 |
| STREET AND NUMBER: 1114 Bellemere Road | | |
| CITY OR TOWN: Baltimore | STATE Maryland | |

12. State Liaison Officer Review: (Office Use Only)

Significance of this property is:
 National State Local

 Signature

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mid-storey height in the middle bay of the north facade indicates the stair landing inside. A one storey porch extends across the entire north facade. A gable-roofed stone-walled cellar entrance is centered on the west end.

A secondary front entrance is through the westerly bay of the wing. The second storey windows of the wing are six light casements.

Internally, a center hall is flanked by a single room on either side, and the wing houses a single room, the original kitchen. The open stair rises from the center hall, with intermediate landings, to the third floor. Its slim turned newel supports a round rail which is further supported by rectangular balusters; applied scrolls decorate the step ends. Architraves with corner blocks surround six panel doors with shallow raises. The west room has been refinished in wood paneling, and the fireplace has been eliminated in the east room; the kitchen retains its cooking fireplace.

The second floor plan is similar, but the east room is divided into two; the north (rear) one was accessible by its own short flight of steps up from the landing, now covered, although its soffit remains in the easterly room below. The westerly room retains its mantel, consisting of pilasters supporting a paneled frieze; original closets flank the chimney breast.

The attic and cellar are finished, covering structural elements, generally, although some log joists are visible from the cellar.

A one storey frame addition of twentieth century construction extends north behind the wing, housing a modern kitchen, with a garage beneath.

A log meat house with gable roof, and $1\frac{1}{2}$ storey stone spring house, also with gable roof, stand near the house, north of the kitchen wing. A bank barn probably contemporary with the house, stands some distance to the northeast; its

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low first storey, opening on grade to the south, is of stone; its south wall, with many windows and doors retaining original wood and iron elements, is recessed under the framed wall above. The large upper storey, framed in hewn timber, joined with pegged mortise and tenon, opens on grade to the north. The gabled roof is asymmetrical, the south slope being longer to cover the recessed space south of the ground floor. A tall dormer is on the south slope. In the upper storey, a central alley and flanking hay lofts are defined with log partitions. A two storey framed grainery stands immediately north of the barn, its timbers hewn and joined with mortise and tenon. Cut nails and straight-sawn boards indicate the first half of the nineteenth century as the date for these outbuildings.



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