

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

NR Eligible: yes ___
no ___

Property Name: Butler Store and Post Office (BA-838)
Address: East side of Falls Road at Butler Road City: Butler Zip Code: 21023
County: Baltimore County USGS Topographic Map: Hereford
Project: Butler Stone Quarry Agency: Federal Communications Commission

Is the property located within a historic district? yes no

If the property is within a district District Inventory Number: BA-2214
Name of District: Western Run - Belfast Road NR-listed district yes Eligible district yes
Preparer's Recommendation: Not a contributing resource

If the property is not within a district
Preparer's Recommendation: Not eligible

Documentation on the property/district is presented in:

Description of Property and Eligibility Determination: *(Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map and photo)*

The Butler Store and Post Office has been "modernized" through the addition of modern siding, windows, and miscellaneous detailing. It is a utilitarian structure of marginal interest in its original state; its design integrity has been lost in the interest of modernization. It is not eligible for registration under Criterion C: Design/construction. Nor is it known to be associated with historic events, persons, or archaeological significance (Criteria A, B, and D).

Prepared by: William C. Riggs, RA

Date Prepared: 5/19/2003

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST REVIEW	
Eligibility Not recommended <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Criteria A, C</u>	
MHT Comments <u>Contributes to NRHD</u>	
<u>[Signature]</u> Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services	<u>6/11/03</u> Date
<u>[Signature]</u> Reviewer, NR Program	<u>6/20/03</u> Date



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SITE VICINITY MAP
 Hereford Quadrangle, MD
 (Dated 1991)
 SCALE: As Shown



Determination of Eligibility
 Butler Store and Post Office (BA-838)
 Falls Road
 Butler, Baltimore Co., Maryland 21023



THE BUTLER STORE
AND LIQUORS, INC.

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BUTLER VILLAGE (BUTLER STORE AND POST OFFICE)

BA-838

BALTIMORE CO., MD

PHOTO BY: J SMITH

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NEGATIVE LOC: MD SHRO

Butler Village BA-838

Butler, MD 21136

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BUTLER-VILLAGE (BUTLER STORE AND POST OFFICE)

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BALTIMORE CO., MD

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NEGATIVE LOC: MD SHPO

Butler Village BA-838

Butler, MD 21136

02-03

Butler Store and Post Office
East side of Falls Rd. at
Butler Rd.
Accessible
1902

The Butler Store was erected in 1902 by Josoas Mallonee, a hotel keeper whose home and business adjoined it. This building has served continuously as a general store and the Butler Post Office has occupied space there for about fifty years. Prior to that time, the post office alternated between this location and the Gent store on the opposite side of Falls Road. As most general stores in rural communities, this one has always been a gathering place for the neighborhood.

BA-838

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

ANO/OR COMMON

Butler Store and Post Office

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

East side of Falls Road at Butler Road

CITY, TOWN

Butler

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

5

STATE

Maryland

VICINITY OF

COUNTY

Baltimore

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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Kenneth Riley

Telephone #: 771-4383

STREET & NUMBER

14921 Falls Road

CITY, TOWN

Butler

STATE, zip code

Maryland, 21023

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Baltimore County Courthouse

Liber #: 5480

Folio #: 616

STREET & NUMBER

Washington Avenue

CITY, TOWN

Towson

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

None

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" 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

Riley's Store is a one story frame structure, its gable end facing west, close to the Falls Road in the middle of Butler. A one-story shed-roofed porch extends across its west end and a similar, but lower, addition extends across its east end, joining it to the Butler Post Office, a smaller frame structure, three bays in width, facing the combined parking lot to the north. The store's west front is in three bays, consisting of a door flanked by 6/6 windows, the latter with louvered blinds. The store's depth is expressed as two long bays, each with a small, high window. Exterior walls are covered with German siding and the low-pitched roof extends over all of them in a moderate, plain overhang. The store is said to have been built in 1902, a date consistent with its apparent form and details.

Internally it is a single room, its walls lined with wooden shelving.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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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
400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input 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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) Post Office
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1902

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Butler Store was erected in 1902 by Josias Mallonee, a hotel keeper whose home and business adjoined it. (q.v.) This building has served continuously as a general store and the Butler Post Office has occupied space there for about fifty years. Prior to that time, the post office alternated between this location and the Gent Store on the opposite side of Falls Road.

In the early 1940's, a one-story addition was built in the rear to house the storekeeper. This has now been converted into additional commercial space.

As most general stores in rural communities, this one has always been a gathering place for the neighborhood.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with former storekeepers, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Adams, Jr.
Baltimore County Land Records.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 0.48 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

Catherine F. Black

ORGANIZATION

for Valleys Historical District Project

DATE

September 1, 1976

STREET & NUMBER

1114 Bellemore Road

TELEPHONE

323-3798

CITY OR TOWN

Baltimore

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

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Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation
BALTIMORE COUNTY
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Account Identifier: District - 05 Account Number - 0501013050

Owner Information

Owner Name: PARKS ANN A Use: COMMERCIAL
Principal Residence: NO
Mailing Address: 15025 FALLS RD Deed Reference: 1) /13045/ 193
BUTLER MD 21023 2)

Location & Structure Information

Premises Address: 14921 FALLS RD Zoning: BLRC4 Legal Description: .48 AC ES FALLS RD
14921 FALLS RD
600 N WESTERN RUN RD

Map	Grid	Parcel	Sub District	Subdivision	Section	Block	Lot	Group	Plat No:
33	8	32						80	Plat Ref:

Special Tax Areas: Town Ad Valorem Tax Class

Primary Structure Built	Enclosed Area	Property Land Area	County Use
1904	2,422 SF	20,900.00 SF	06
Stories	Basement	Type	Exterior

Value Information

	Base Value	Value		Phase-in Assessments	
		As Of	As Of	As Of	As Of
Land:	65,900	01/01/2001	07/01/2003	07/01/2004	
Improvements:	108,900				
Total:	174,800		174,800		NOT AVAIL
Preferential Land:	0		0		NOT AVAIL

Transfer Information

Seller: HARRISON T ROGERS Date: 07/31/1998 Price: \$175,000
Type: IMPROVED ARMS-LENGTH Deed1: /13045/ 193 Deed2:
Seller: RILEY KENNETH L Date: 01/31/1983 Price: \$100,000
Type: IMPROVED ARMS-LENGTH Deed1: / 6483/ 513 Deed2:
Seller: Date: Price:
Type: Deed1: Deed2:

Exemption Information

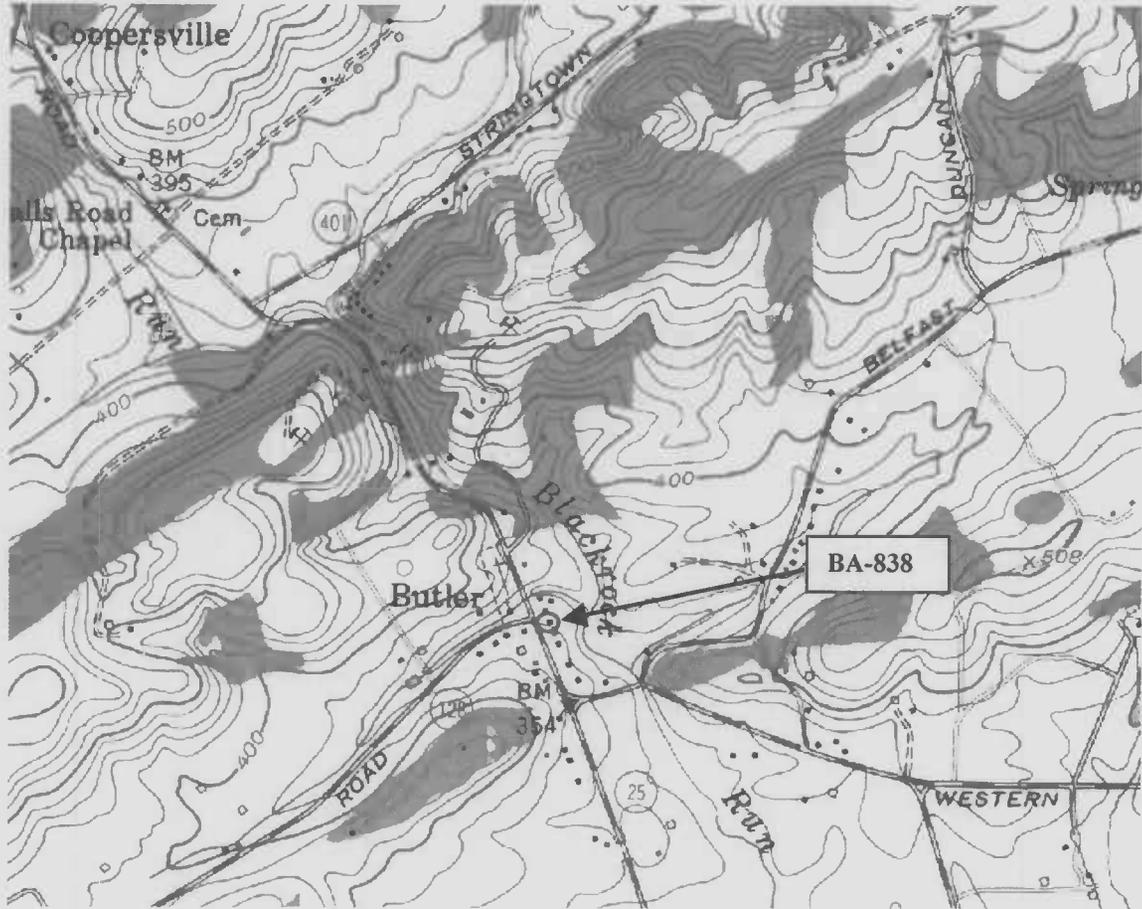
Partial Exempt Assessments	Class	07/01/2003	07/01/2004
County	000	0	0
State	000	0	0
Municipal	000	0	0

Tax Exempt: NO
Exempt Class:

Special Tax Recapture:

* NONE *

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Butler Store & Post Office (Rileys Store)
14921 Falls Road (MD 25), Butler
Hereford Quadrangle



1998 Aerial Photo with plane

Tax Map 33, p. 32

