

BA#916  
10901 Falls Road  
Maurice L. Long  
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private

This is an excellent example of Victorian architecture. Originally built in 1875, it was enlarged in 1900 to accommodate a growing family. This house is presently one of three consecutive Victorian era houses on east Falls Road that gives present day America a visual evidence of what a Victorian streetscape once looked like.

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Maurice Long House

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

10901 Falls Road

CITY, TOWN

Lutherville

\_\_\_ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Eighth

STATE

Maryland

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 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Mr. Maurice L Long

Telephone #: 296-4756

STREET & NUMBER

10901 Falls Road

CITY, TOWN

Lutherville

\_\_\_ VICINITY OF

Maryland

STATE, zip code

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE.  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Baltimore County Courthouse

Liber #: 3656

Folio #: 09

STREET & NUMBER

/ Courthouse Square

CITY, TOWN

Towson

Maryland

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

\_\_\_ FEDERAL \_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

**7 DESCRIPTION**

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<b>CONDITION</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>	<b>CHECK ONE</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		DATE <u>Jan., 1979</u>

## DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

10901 Falls Road is a two storey white frame gable roof house with a stone foundation and 2 corbelled interior chimnies. A finial tops each gable which in turn tops vergeboard. The windows have green shutters. The west facade, presently the front of the house is a later addition to the original house whose front facade faced south. The south facade of the original house is 3 bays wide with a first storey porch which has a door in the central bay flanked by a 2/2 light double hung window in the east bay and a modern replacement window in the west bay that originally housed a second door and a window. The 3 windows of the second storey have 2/2 lights and wood shutters.

The first and second stories of the east facade of the original house are windowless while there is one basement window.

The north facade of the original house has 2 basement windows and two 2/2 light double hung windows in the first storey. These windows have wood sills and wood pediments. The second storey is 3 bays wide, its 1/1 light double hung window in the central bay is surrounded by 2/2 light double hung windows in the east and west bays.

The west facade of the house is the 3 bay wide cross gable addition with a hipped roof porch with decorative brackets. The 2/2/2 light window encased in wood that occupy the north and south bays of the first story surround a wood paneled door with 3 sidelights and a 3 light glass transom. The second storey 2/2 light double hung windows have wood sills, and the central window also has a decorative wood pediment above it. There is a square 2/2 light window in the gable.

The addition's east facade is 2 stories high and 2 bays wide. Its windows have 2/2 lights, wood sills, and wooden decorative pediments above each window.

The north facade of the addition has 2 windows in the basement and two 2/2 light double hung windows in the first storey which have wood sills and wood pediments decorating the top of the window frame. The second storey is 3 bays wide, its 1/1 light double hung window in the central bay is surrounded by 2/2 light windows in the east and west bays.

To the south of the house located near the dwelling there is a small lattice work gazebo with a weathervane on its roof that houses a well pump and a storage bin.

To the northeast of the house there is a small wood flat roof garage that serves as the wood hobbyshop of the houses' owner, Mr. Maurice Long.

To the north of the house there is a gable-roofed board and batten stable that has been converted into a garage. It has a stone foundation and is two stories high and two bay wide. Its sash windows have 6/6 lights and are in wood frames. Many of them display wavy glass. This part of the stable exhibits post and beam construction and there is evidence of log joists. This stable appears on a Arnold family photograph dating from about 1875.

Attached to the west facade there is a one story shed roof addition with a cement block foundation.

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
<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 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 @ 1875

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

10901 Falls Road is an excellent example of Victorian architecture. The original house which was probably built in 1875, was enlarged 15 years later with an addition to accommodate the needs of a growing family. This house has many Victorian decorative elements such as finials, vergeboard, cross gables, and a lattice gazebo. The present owner, Maurice L. Long was born in this house in 1894. The original part of the house remains virtually unchanged with the exception of a window replacing a door and the removal of the chimney. This house is presently one of three consecutive Victorian era houses on east Falls Road between Joppa and primary roads that gives present day America a visual evidence of what Victorian streetscape once looked like.

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

Baltimore County Land Records

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

...near the center of Falls Road...the end of the south line of land mentioned in Liber 873 Folio 351...north 7 degrees 30 minutes west 158.29 feet north 3 degrees 26 minutes west 56.05 feet to end...north 24 degrees 55 minutes east 41.36 feet to east side of road... north 3 degrees 12 minutes west 7.63 feet...south 86.degrees 25 minutes east 151.58 feet to the inter-section of the land mentioned and recorded in Liber 1366 Folio435...

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

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

WAYNE L. NIELD, II  
HISTORIC TOWSON, INC.

Very Big Treisman

ORGANIZATION

Student Surveyor

DATE

January 1979

STREET & NUMBER

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TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

STATE

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.

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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 267-1438

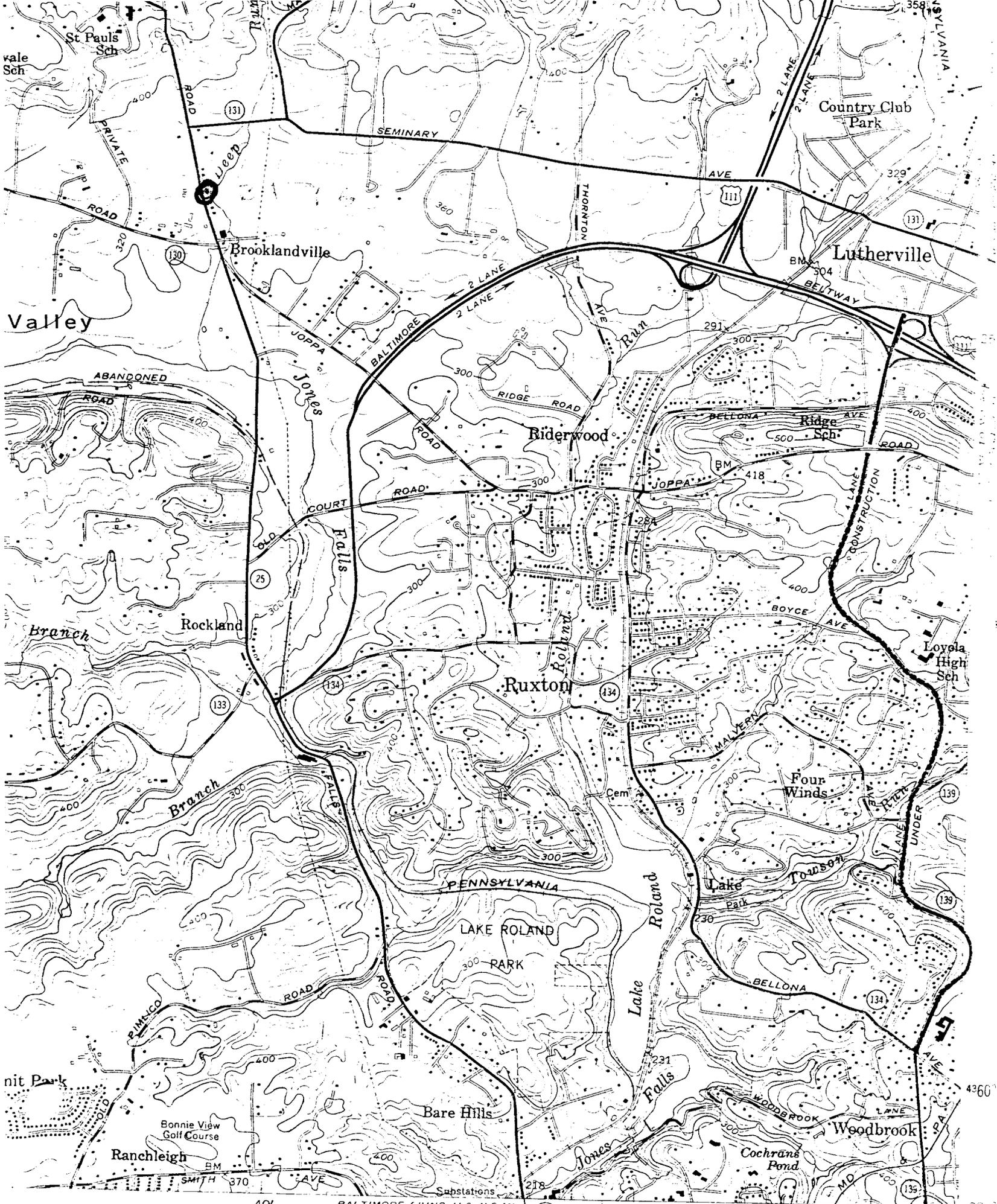
Verbal Boundary Description cont.

12# 410

..distance of 282.02 feet...south 20degrees 45 minutes west 30.31 feet to  
d...south 31 degrees 14 minutes west 256.28 feet to the beginning.  
Contains .53 of an acre more or less.

10901 Falls Road

iber/Folio	Date	Grantor	Grantee
3656/9	Dec.31,1959	Henry R Adams Marie Adams	Maurice L Long and Helen
1366/435	Jan.24,1945	Anne P Emerson	Maurice L Long and wife
873/351	June 10,1931	Roy P Smith	Maurice L Long and wife
423/187	Dec.13,1913	Safe Deposit and Trust Co. of Balt. trustee under the last will and testament of James Sloan	Isaac Emerson
230/448	Feb.23,1898	JFC Talbott	James Sloan Jr.
The land was sold for \$9309.37 ..Being also part of the land which under the will of John Cockey deceased recorded in the office of the register of wills OPM No.4/225			
107/367	May 25,1878	John Long Jr. and Henrietta	Levi Justus
93/203	June 4,1875	Samuel B Cockey	John Long Jr.
Being part of the land which was divided by John Cockey.			



40' BALTIMORE (JUNC. U.S.) 1/5 MI

INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY WASHINGTON, D. C. 1958-NS  
 359000m.F. MR 4867  
 BALTIMORE (JUNC. U.S.) 1/4.5 MI. 76°37'30"



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Maurice L. Long House  
~~JOHN LONG, JR. HSE~~  
1875

S. W. CORNER

W. NIELD  
3/79



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11201 Fall Rd

Fr. S.W. - JTW

2/10/80



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Maurice L. Long House

~~JOHN LONG, JR. HSE.~~

S.W. CORNER

W. NIELD

3/79



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Maurice L. Long House

STABLE

~~JOHN LONG, JR. HSE~~

S.E. CORNER

W. NIELD  
3/79



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Maurice L. Long House  
~~JOHN LONG, JR. HSE~~

N.W. CORNER

W. NIELD  
3/79



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Maurice L. Long House

~~JOHN LONG, JR. HSE~~

S. E.

W. NIELD

3/79



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MAURICE L. LONG

Present Owner

W. NIELD

3/79



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Maurice L. Long House

GAZEBO-

~~JOHN LONG, JR. Hse.~~

W. NIELD  
3/79