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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET MAGI #0311995404

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

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME

COMMON: Masimore Farm house (A) WASH HOUSE (B) BANK BARN (C) OTHER SMALL OUTBUILDINGS

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: North side of South Ruhl Road about 0.7 mi ✓ 3/1/78

CITY OR TOWN: ~~Ekto~~ RUHL VICINITY north of Keeney Mill Road

STATE: Maryland COUNTY: Baltimore

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
☐ District ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object	☐ Public ☑ Private ☐ Both	Public Acquisition: ☐ In Process ☐ Being Considered	☑ Occupied ☐ Unoccupied ☐ Preservation work in progress	Yes: ☑ Restricted ☐ Unrestricted ☑ No

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

☐ Agricultural ☐ Government ☐ Park ☐ Transportation ☐ Comments
☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☑ Private Residence ☐ Other (Specify)
☐ Educational ☐ Military ☐ Religious
☐ Entertainment ☐ Museum ☐ Scientific

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: [~~Mrs Henry~~] WALTER G. Masimore ✓ 3/1/78

STREET AND NUMBER: South Ruhl Road

CITY OR TOWN: Freeland STATE: Md

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION TAX MAP 6 PARCEL 66 & P. 19 ✓ 3/1/78

Map 6 P. 66

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: BALTIMORE COUNTY COURTS BUILDING ✓ 3/1/78

STREET AND NUMBER: BOSLEY AVE.

CITY OR TOWN: Towson STATE: Md 21204

Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #): (P. 66) 980/191 (P. 19) 980/191 ✓ 3/1/78

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY: BALTIMORE COUNTY HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY ✓ 3/1/78

DATE OF SURVEY: ~~ONGOING SINCE 1964~~ BA-1199 ENTERED 2/26/78 ☐ Federal ☑ State ☐ County ☐ Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

STREET AND NUMBER: 21 STATE CIRCLE

CITY OR TOWN: ANNAPOLIS STATE: MARYLAND 21401

field check for loc. + addenda; A. Hanson 3/1/78

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One) ☐ Excellent ☑ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Deteriorated ☐ Ruins ☐ Unexposed	
	(Check One) ☑ Altered ☐ Unaltered	(Check One) ☐ Moved ☑ Original Site

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL *(if known)* PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This house in two parts is of frame with gray asphalt shingles covering clapboard, white trim, over a bank-basement of stone open on the south. T-shaped, a two-story section 3 bays by 2 ~~two or taller two-story~~ faces south, the roof ridgeline running east-west while a taller 2 story section, 3 bays by 2, runs across the east end of the house, the roof ridgeline running north-south. This taller section added a "dormitory" for the many children of Mrs Masimore's father in about 1900.

The wing facing south is entered either at road level through the basement kitchen or through the upper level of a two-story porch at the first floor. Windows throughout are 2 lights over 2 except under the eaves of the second floor of this section, where there is a single sash of 3 lights at either side, presumably hinged at the bottom. There are 3 chimneys, one at each end of the "dormitory" and one at the east end of

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

- [ ] Pre-Columbian
- [ ] 15th Century
- [ ] 16th Century
- [ ] 17th Century
- [x] 18th Century part ?
- [x] 19th Century
- [ ] 20th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) *(If Applicable and Known)*

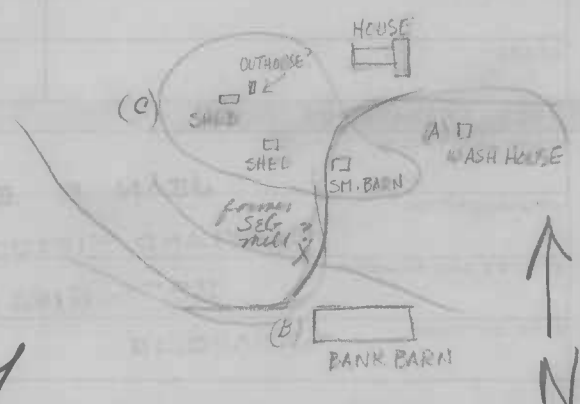
AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

- Aboriginal
  - [ ] Prehistoric
  - [ ] Historic
- [x] Agriculture
- [ ] Architecture
- [ ] Art
- [ ] Commerce
- [ ] Communicotions
- [ ] Conservotion
- [ ] Education
- [ ] Engineering
- [ ] Industry
- [ ] Invention
- [ ] Landscope Architecture
- [ ] Literature
- [ ] Military
- [ ] Music
- [ ] Political
- [ ] Religion/Philosophy
- [ ] Science
- [ ] Sculpture
- [ ] Social/Humanitorion
- [ ] Theater
- [ ] Transportation
- [ ] Urban Planning
- [ ] Other *(Specify)*

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The present owner's family have lived here for over a hundred years. She knows of no particular history of the place, except that the family ran a dairy and orchard.

This place seems to be the location of the P.A. & S. Small Grist & Saw mill on the 1877 map of D6 although the mill is no longer standing. Upstream close to the road is the PA & S. Small residence & another Sawmill (on the 1877 Hopkins map) — see MHT-HSI #1200



7. Description Continued

The section facing south.

(A) There is a stone wash house across the road, 1½ stories, about 15'x18'. A single door faces south. 2 windows are in each end wall facing east and west, 6/6, and 2 windows upstairs west, 3/6. (See photo)

(B) There is also a huge frame bank barn on stone foundation across the road & (C) several decorative small frame sheds & outbuildings

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY						OR	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES					
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APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: (P 66) 78.60 A house & part of farm E/S 3/1/78
(P 19) 110.0 A barn, washhouse & farmland W/S 3/1/78

Acreage Justification:

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

STATE:		COUNTY	
STATE:		COUNTY:	
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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: JEAN S EWING

ORGANIZATION: MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

DATE:

STREET AND NUMBER: 2525 RIVA ROAD

CITY OR TOWN: ANNAPOLIS

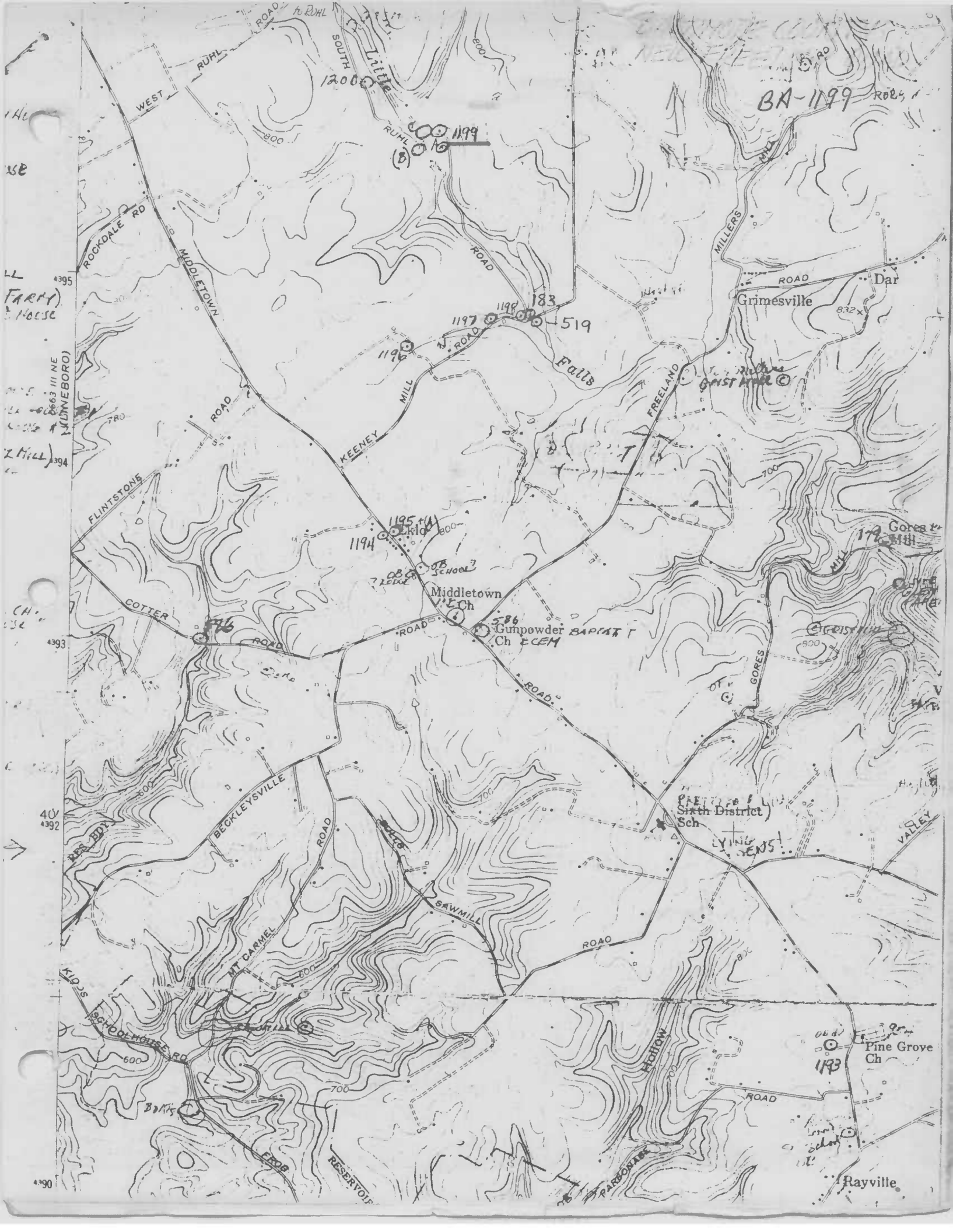
STATE: MARYLAND

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

Significance of this property is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Signature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MT CARMEL ROAD
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VI-NEW-1199 MASIMORE FARM HOUSE
SOUTH RUHL ROAD, RUHL VICINITY
view of front (S) elevation, looking NE

PHOTO: JEAN S. EWING (MHT) 1/73 (frame 20A)

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VI-NEW-1199A MASIMORE FARM, WASH HOUSE
SOUTH RUHL ROAD, RUHL VICINITY

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