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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

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

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME

COMMON: (Howard's Federal House)

AND/OR HISTORIC: Ben Price's Hotel

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: Northeast Corner Reggin and

CITY OR TOWN: Frederick town

STATE: Md

COUNTY: Ceil

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	Vacant Rental prop.	

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: P. Steele Howard

STREET AND NUMBER: "The Priory"

CITY OR TOWN: Frederick town

STATE: Md

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: Clerk of the Circuit Court

STREET AND NUMBER: Ceil County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN: Elkton

STATE: Md

Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #):

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

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

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

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

- ☐ Pre-Columbian
- ☐ 15th Century
- ☐ 16th Century
- ☐ 17th Century
- ☐ 18th Century
- ☐ 19th Century
- ☐ 20th Century

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

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

Aboriginal
- ☐ Prehistoric
- ☐ Historic

- ☐ Agriculture
- ☐ Architecture
- ☐ Art
- ☐ Commerce
- ☐ Communications
- ☐ Conservation
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Engineering
- ☐ Industry
- ☐ Invention
- ☐ Landscape Architecture
- ☐ Literature
- ☐ Military
- ☐ Music
- ☐ Political
- ☐ Religion/Philosophy
- ☐ Science
- ☐ Sculpture
- ☐ Social/Humanitarian
- ☐ Theater
- ☐ Transportation
- ☐ Urban Planning
- ☐ Other *(Specify)* _____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with Mr Riggin at site

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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NE	°	'	"	°	'	"									
SE	°	'	"	°	'	"									
SW	°	'	"	°	'	"									

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

Acreage Justification:

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

STATE:		COUNTY	
STATE:		COUNTY:	
STATE:		COUNTY:	
STATE:		COUNTY:	

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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Form 10-445
(5-62)

1. STATE Maryland
COUNTY Cecil County
TOWN Georgetown VICINITY Fredricktown
STREET NO.

ORIGINAL OWNER
ORIGINAL USE dwelling
PRESENT OWNER P. Steele Howard
PRESENT USE ~~dw~~ vacant
WALL CONSTRUCTION frame
NO. OF STORIES 2

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY
CE-3 INVENTORY

2. NAME

DATE OR PERIOD c. 1800
STYLE Federal
ARCHITECT
BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC NO

One of the finest buildings in Fredrick town is a two story frame house of beaded clapboard. It has a stone foundation. It is three bays wide and two bays deep and has a steeply pitched "A" roof. The front and back doors have six raised panels and are both surmounted by a transom with diamond panes. The front door, located in the center of the facade, is flanked by two 9 over 6 windows. On the second floor there are three windows, 6over 6. All windows and doors are trimmed with ovolo and bead moldings. There are louvered shutters throughout. On each gable-end in the attic there are two four-pane square casement windows. Both chimneys are built within the house and have a simple two brick projected cap. On the east end of the house there was a kitchen wing as there is now an exterior fireplace backed up to the one within the house. It is flanked by two doors. The interior is divided into a great room. To the east of this, there is a stair hall and a smaller room. The rooms have period window trim and chair rail and mantels.

5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered NO Interior poor Exterior fair

6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

7. PHOTOGRAPH 2082

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

9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER
Michael Bourne
Maryland Historical Trust

DATE OF RECORD Dec 5, 1967

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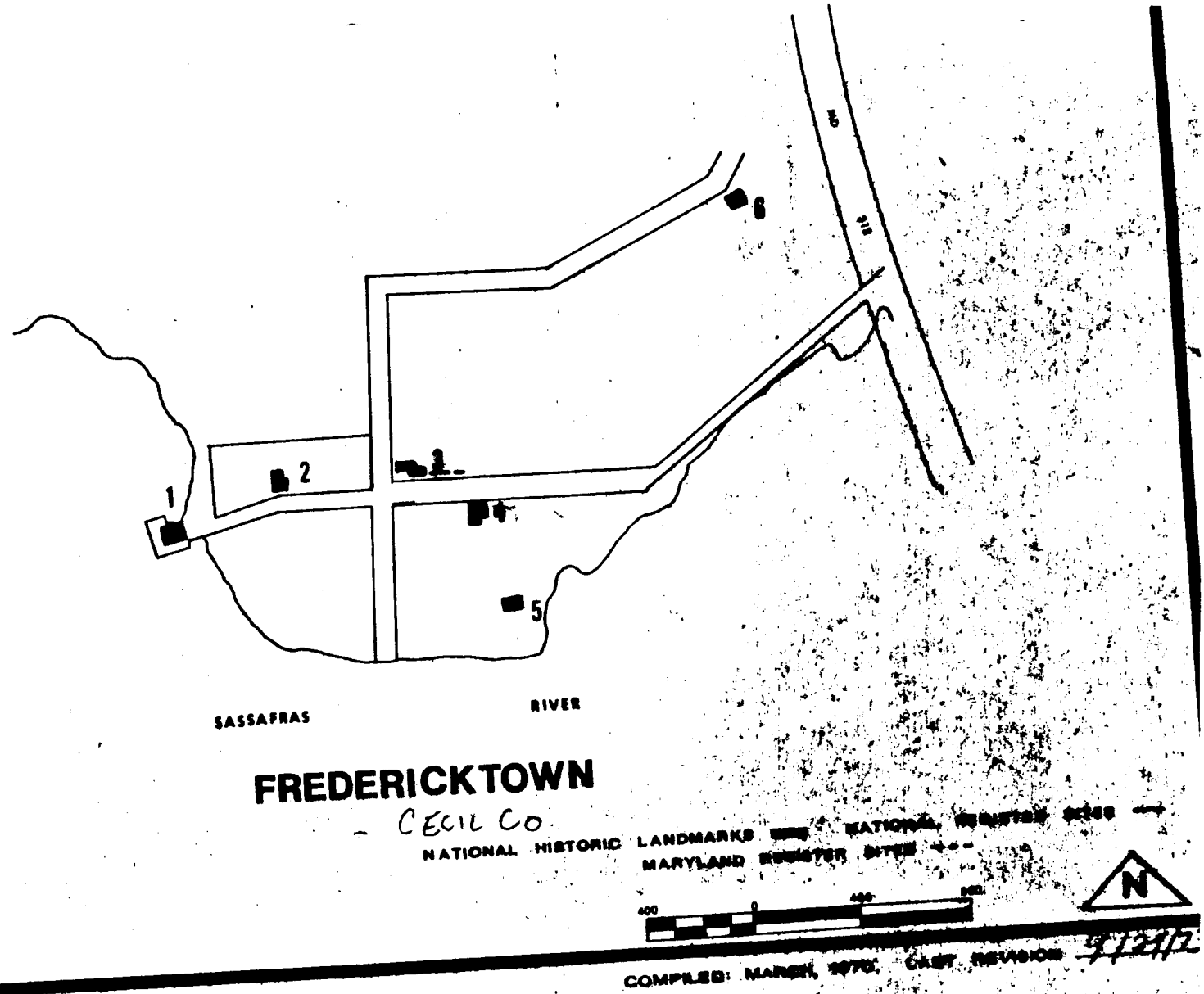

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CE-3 HOWARD FEDERAL HOUSE
Fredericktown, Md.
Jean S. Ewing 6/73

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Detail of Eave

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Mr. Howard's Federal House
Fredericktown, Cecil County
South Elevation
Photographer, Paul Touart, 1980
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Coffey House
S. Elevation
G. Henry 4/85 - Negatives at MHT

DIFFAY HOUSE
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House

Fredericktown
District 1