

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

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

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME

COMMON: ~~Bello~~ ^{BELLO} house

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: 157 E Main Street, north side

CITY OR TOWN: Elkton

STATE: Maryland COUNTY: Cecil

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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input 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 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		

Rental housing

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: Benjamin & Anne Bello

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Elkton STATE: Md 21921

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

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

STREET AND NUMBER: Cecil County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN: Elkton STATE: Maryland

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:

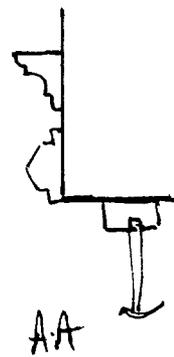
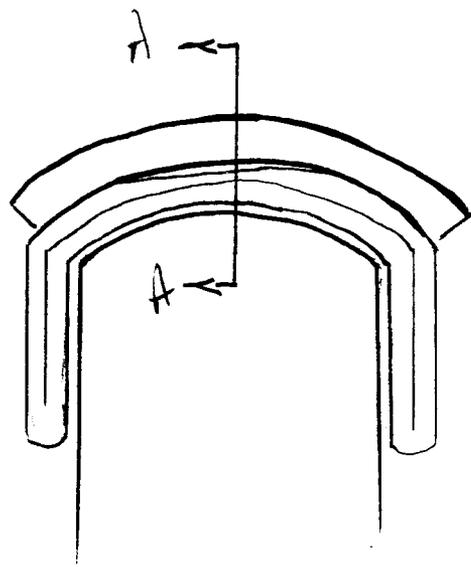
7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input checked="" 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"/> Unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This Victorian town house of stuccoed brick, side-hall in plan, is oblong, narrow end to street, 3 bays by 2. Three stories high, the mansard roof of slate has bracketted eaves. Window trim is a double set of mouldings as sketched below; windows have 4 lights over 4 on the first floor, 2/2 above.

The house faces south with a rear wing section of 2 stories under a gable roof with a lean-to beside it.



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4. 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"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Invention	<input type="checkbox"/> Science	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Literature	<input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Theater	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation			_____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This spacious house is made into four or five apartments.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

Acreage Justification:

Blank area for Acreage Justification.

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

STATE:		COUNTY:	

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: **JEAN S. EWING**

ORGANIZATION: **MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST** DATE: _____

STREET AND NUMBER: **2525 RIVA RD E**

CITY OR TOWN: **BALTIMORE** STATE: **MARYLAND**

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

Significance of this property is:

National State Local

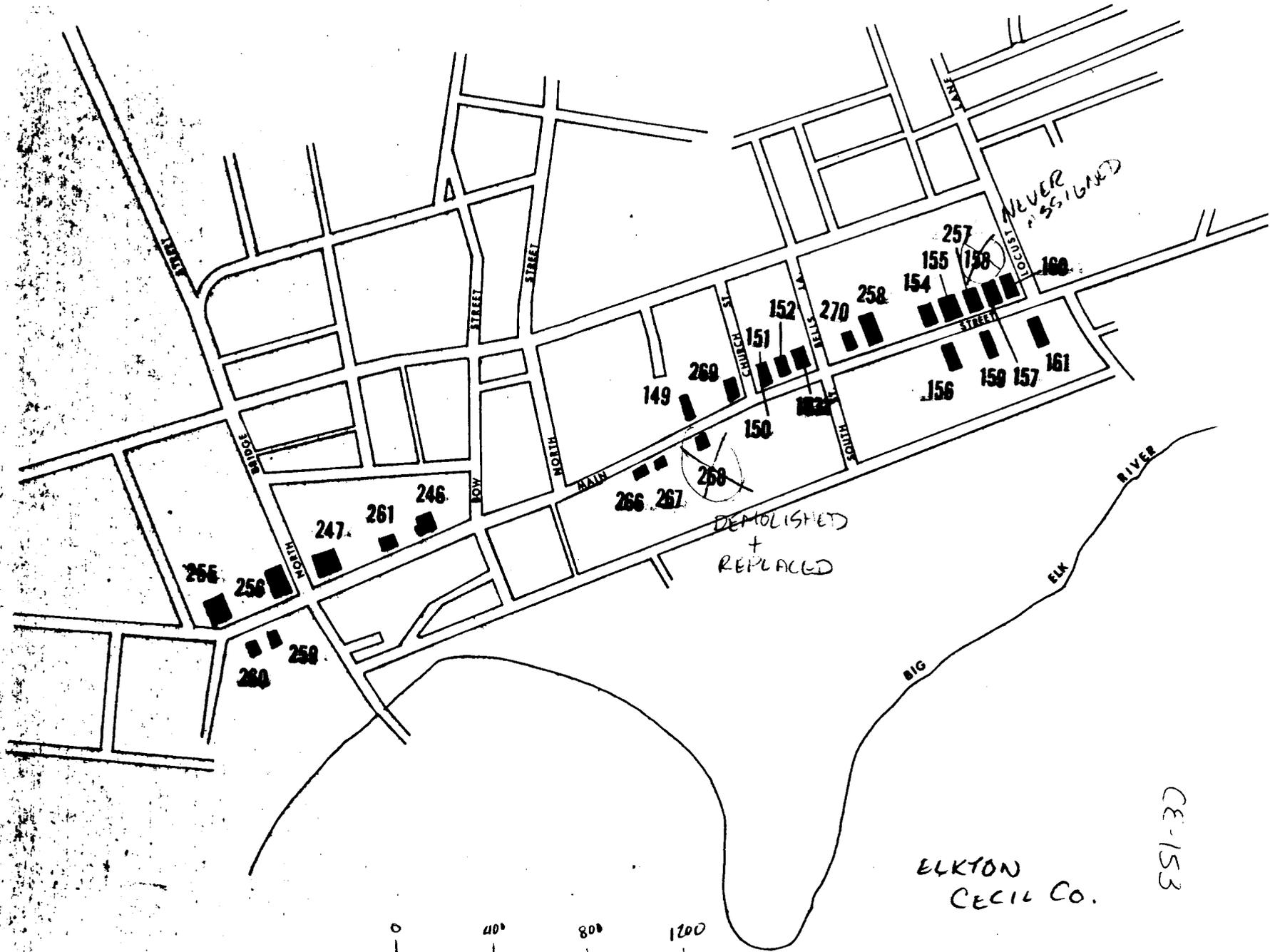
Signature _____

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND PHOTO CAPS MAY BE ADDED ON SHEET OF SAME SIZE

<p>1. STATE Maryland COUNTY Cecil TOWN Elkton VICINITY STREET NO. 157 E. Main St.</p> <p>ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE dwelling PRESENT OWNER Benny Bella PRESENT USE dwelling WALL CONSTRUCTION Stucco NO. OF STORIES 2 1/2</p>	<p>HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY CE-153</p> <p>2. NAME 157 E. Main St.</p> <p>DATE OR PERIOD 1860 - 1870 STYLE Italianate Victorian ARCHITECT BUILDER</p> <p>3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE</p>
<p>4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC NO</p> <p>157 E. Main St. is an Italianate Victorian dwelling which is three bays wide and two bays deep. The entrance is on the west side of the facade and has double doors with applied molding. The street(south) facade and part of the east side are covered by a one story porch which has a pediment above the entrance having dentils and modillions, doric columns and a granite basket-like wall on a granite foundation.</p> <p>There are quoins at the corners of the building; above the second story windows are segmental cornice-like moldings which drop about 1/3 the length of the window (like a swag). The same molding on the first floor is covered by an awning-like eave above the windows. Sash throughout is 2/2</p> <p>Modillion-like scrolled brackets form the cornice which houses the gutter. On each hip of the mansard roof is a double "A" roof dormer with crickets. Two chimneys flank the east dormer and are highlighted by recessed panels, bands, dentils and chimney pots.</p> <p>To the rear and rear side are additions which do not approach the elaboration of detail of the main structure. This is one of the finest Italianate houses in Elkton.</p>	
<p>5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered NO Interior Exterior fair</p>	
<p>6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)</p> <p>3. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.</p>	<p>7. PHOTOGRAPH CE 2224</p> <p>9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER</p> <p>Michael Bourne Maryland Historical Trust</p> <p>DATE OF RECORD May 27, 1968</p>

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~~James Building~~

157 Main Street

Elkton

Geoffrey Henry 3/85

Jones see, Elkton



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BELL HOUSE

157 MAIN STREET

ELKTON, MD.

C. WEEKS

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Jones-Torbert House
Detail of Fireplace Mantel
(Front Room)

G. Henry 4/85 - Negatives at MHT



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Jones-Torbert Hosue

Detail of Fireplace Mantel

(Back Room)

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Jones-Torbert House

Detail of Ceiling moulding

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Jones-Torbert House

Ceiling Medallion

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Jones-Torbert House

Elkton

Detail of front door

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Jones-torbert House

Fireplace Mantel (Back Room)

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Jones-Torbert House

Fireplace mantel (rear right room)

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