

The metes and bounds of this property include parts of several tracts; "Armory's Satisfaction", Harmon's Ramble", and "Love's Rocky Bottom." (WAS 192/492) The house c. 1796 is a two story side hall double parlor fieldstone structure which faces late 19th Century Pilot Town but was oriented to the Lancaster-Bald Friar Road long before Pilot Town developed.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY File # 823

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Fulton-Alexander House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Pilottown VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY

 DISTRICT BUILDING(S) STRUCTURE SITE OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

 PUBLIC PRIVATE BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

 IN PROCESS BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

 OCCUPIED UNOCCUPIED WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

 YES: RESTRICTED YES: UNRESTRICTED NO

PRESENT USE

 AGRICULTURE COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL ENTERTAINMENT GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL MILITARY MUSEUM PARK PRIVATE RESIDENCE RELIGIOUS SCIENTIFIC TRANSPORTATION OTHER:**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

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Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

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CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland21214**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.Clerk of the Circuit CourtLiber #: WAS 192Folio #: 492

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

 FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<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 DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Fulton-Alexander House c. 1796 is a 2¹/₂ story side hall/double parlor coursed fieldstone structure located just outside Pilot Town, Md. and on a knoll overlooking the Susquehanna River. The main facade faces east with the gable running north/south.

The main block is 3 bays across by two rooms deep. The main block rests on an uncoursed stone foundation and is covered with a medium pitched composition tile roof. A two story 2 bay by 1 room gabled stone and frame addition extends to the south. This section appears to have been originally a story and a half stone wing with a later frame second story added in the 19th century. Even later additions to the east and west were attached to the stone wing.

The eastern (main) facade is three bays across with the entrance in the southern bay. The front door and surround have been replaced. The fenestration is symmetrical with replaced 2/2 sash. The trim on the first floor has been replaced but the early second floor surrounds remain with their mortise and tenon frame. The molding consists of an ovolo backband and beaded inside corner. The stonework on this facade is coursed and laid in a more regular manner than the rest of the house and there are supporting cut quoins. Large stone lintels are found over the east facade windows. Located in the upper southern corner of the main facade is a date plack that has been set back from the main wall surface. It bears the date 1796 and the initials R^B L. The roof has been altered with the addition of gable end eaves and a composition tile sheathing. The boxed cornice and bed molding, however, remain intact.

The north gable end has symmetrical fenestration with two 2/2 sash on each floor and two 4 pane attic lights. A stone chimney pile rises out of the gable end and is capped with brick above the roofline.

The west facade has two 2/2 sash windows on each floor. The boxed cornice and bed molding are still intact.

The south gable end is primarily covered with the stone and frame wing. A single 2/2 sash window is found on the first floor for lighting the hall and another 2/2 sash lights the attic.

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The stone wing to the south has a 6/6 sash window on the east side. The frame second story appears to be of late 19th Century/date with 2/2 sash, extended eaves and sloped soffits, and a slate roof. The later additions are rather plain.

The interior could only be seen from the outside since the house is used for a vacation residence. Most of the 18th Century detailing could be evaluated. The corner fireplace in the east parlor has an overmantel with a dentiled cornice and keystone block. The mantel has a molded shelf and plain frieze. The fireplace surround is also molded. Chair rail also remains in the east parlor. The crossetted door architraves have an ovolo backband and beaded corners. The window reveals are paneled with a flat panel with inset molding around the inside edge.

The hall also retains 18th century woodwork with ~~stair~~ stair with turned balusters.

The rest of the structure could not be seen adequately, so a further visit should be made.

One outbuilding does remain directly behind the house. It is a 1½ story wagon shed with a second bay with shed roof to the west. The building rests on an uncoursed stone foundation and is sheathed with board and batten siding.

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input checked="" 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 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 1796

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Fulton-Alexander House is extremely significant since it retains a great deal of its 18th Century woodwork and exterior character. The changes that have been made have not altered the building much. The interior woodwork, especially the mantel, is ~~usually~~ ^{much simpler than what is usually} found in this area. This stone structure is undoubtedly one of the earliest structures still remaining in the general vicinity. It is oriented to the Bald Friar - Pennsylvania Road and not to Pilot Town. The property according to the 1858 Martenet Map was owned by Alexander Fulton. By 1877 it had changed owners and Ruben Alexander owned the property.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

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

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ORGANIZATION

Cecil County Committee

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

DATE

7/26/78

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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.

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Alexander Property

WAS 192/492

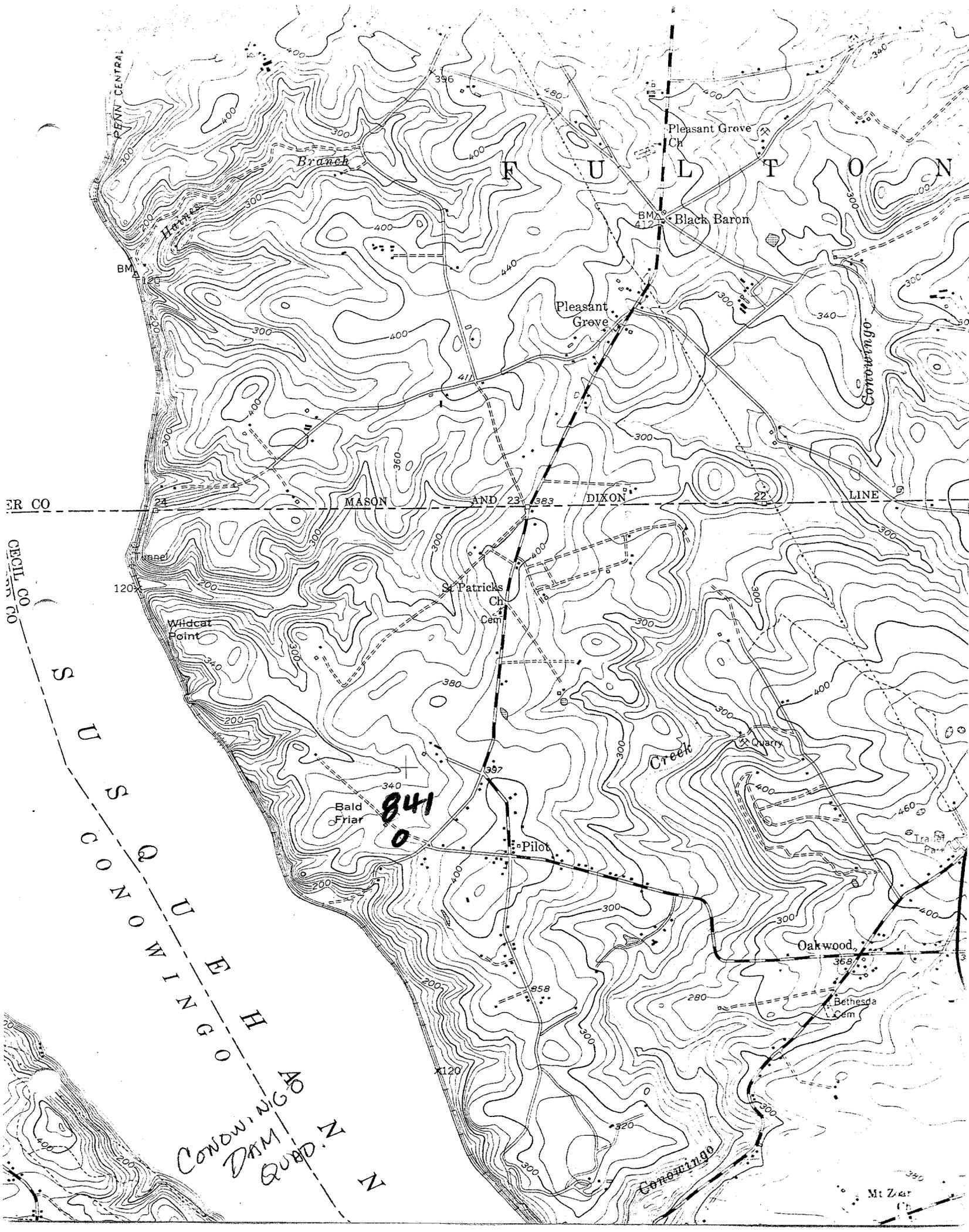
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George B. Underwood
to
Joseph Hanle

Part of tracts called:
"Armory's Satisfaction"
"Harmon's Ramble"
"Love's Rocky Bottom"

8/10/1847

Part of Pembroke described in G. McG 13/103
"Beginning at a stone set in the ground on
the northwest side of the road running from
Bald Friar towards Lancaster, at the original
beginning of "Armory's Satisfaction," also
the beginning of "Pembroke" and "Armory's
Satisfaction," north 45° west 100.8 perches
to the southeast corner of a watering place;
thence north 45° east $3\frac{1}{2}$ perches, running
into "Pembroke" that distance, thence north
 45° west 2 perches; thence south 45° west
 $3\frac{1}{2}$ perches to a large flint stone, fast in
the ground, supposed to be on the line
between "Pembroke" and "Armory's Satisfaction"
and from thence south 76° west 60.4 perches
to a small Hackleberry tree; then south 61°
west 24.5 perches to the north side of a
poplar tree; thence south 76° west 32.7 perches
to canal company's line; thence, along said
line, south 22° east 65 perches until it
comes to an iron bolt in the face of a large
rock and over which water falls, called
"Wetweather Run", being the end of the canal
company's line and from thence north 87°
east 22 perches; south $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ east 2 perches;
north 82° east 16 perches to a poplar stump,
the same being the beginning of a tract called
"Harmon's Ramble," and from thence, north 63°
east 44 perches to a simmon tree, thence south
 $67\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ east 69 perches; north 60° east 17 perches;
and from thence to the place of beginning.



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F U L T O N

BM 412

Pleasant Grove Ch

Black Baron

Pleasant Grove

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MASON AND DIXON LINE

CECIL CO

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Wildcat Point

St. Patrick's Ch Cem

S U C O N O W I N G O H

Bald Friar

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Pilot

Creek

Quarry

Oakwood

Bethesda Cem

CONOWINGO DAM QUAD. N

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Conowingo

Mt Zion



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EAST ELEVATION

PILOT TOWN, MD.

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SOUTHEAST ELEVATION

PILOTTOWN, MD.

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SOUTH ELEVATION OF BARN

PILOT TOWN, MD.

6/78

PBT

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