

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

File 681

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Cameron-Webb H0use

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Harrington Road 1 mile west of Farmington

CITY, TOWN

Farmington

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
- COMMERICAL
- EDUCATIONAL
- ENTERTAINMENT
- GOVERNMENT
- INDUSTRIAL
- MILITARY
- MUSEUM
- PARK
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- RELIGIOUS
- SCIENTIFIC
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Homer H. Webb

Telephone #: 658-6473

STREET & NUMBER

513 Harrington Road

CITY, TOWN

Rising Sun

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code
Maryland 21911

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Liber #: WAS 371

Folio #: 1

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION**CONDITION**

EXCELLENT
 GOOD
 FAIR

DETERIORATED
 RUINS
 UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

UNALTERED
 ALTERED

CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Cameron-Webb House c. 1850 is a two story three bay by one room house with rear kitchen ell on Harrington Road ½ mile southwest of Farmington. The house faces east with the main gable running north/south.

The front block rests on a full fieldstone foundation while the entire house is covered with asbestos shingle. The medium sloped corrugated tin roof has extended eaves that are left open.

The main elevation is three bays across with a central entrance and flanking 2/2 sash windows. The front door is a replacement. The second floor is lighted by three 2/2 sash that are all with the first floor openings. A shed roof front porch covers the first floor and extends around to the south side. The turned support posts have a small sawn decorative brackets.

The south gable end has two 2/2 sash on each floor and four pane attic lights. The south side of the kitchen ell is two bays across with a side entrance off the shed roof enclosed porch. The shed enclosure extends to also cover the single story gable end shed kitchen addition. The second floor of the kitchen wing is lighted by two 6/6 sash windows. Access to the cellar is gained through the porch floor. The earlier weatherboard is exposed under the porch. A simple boxed cornice covers the rafter ends.

The west end is primarily covered with a story and a half shed addition. Two windows light the first floor, one 2/2 sash and one 6/6 window. Two four pane attic lights flank the interior end brick chimney. A plain bargeboard covers the gable end.

The north gable end is similarly detailed with 4/4 sash flanking the interior end brick stack. The kitchen wing is the same as the rest of the kitchen wing with another entrance through the kitchen shed addition.

The main block interior consists of two rooms separated by a central stair that was originally enclosed and partially opened with a early 20th century handrail and stick balustrade.

The mantel is located on the north wall. The fireplace surround has a thumb and astragal backband with beaded inside corner. The frieze is plain and mantel shelf is a thick board. The same surround molding is found around an interior door. The window surrounds are a late 19th century molding that was probably altered when the windows were added. A large double door opening allows access to the previous kitchen with a large fireplace with simple shelf across the end wall. An adjacent window stair is enclosed with beaded board partitions and doors.

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The second floor is fairly plain with similar trim. An enclosed winder stair rises to the attic in the northeast bedroom.

Outbuildings include a large timber frame barn with narrow vertical board siding which rests on a fieldstone foundation. Wagon sheds, a meat house and a dairy are sited nearby.

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
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 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	BUILDER/ARCHITECT
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Cameron-Webb House is a typical two story three bay form with ell kitchen wing that are found throughout the county. Details remain fairly plain and illustrate typical interiors.

William Cameron appears on the 1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson Atlas.

Wm Cameron - 1858

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

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DATE

10/6/81

STREET & NUMBER

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CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

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