

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

File 760

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Taylor-Calary House

("Ash Lawn")

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

Perryville Road just north of town limits

CITY, TOWN

Perryville

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

MARYLAND

COUNTY

Cecil

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PARK
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<b>PUBLIC ACQUISITION</b>	<b>ACCESSIBLE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

J. Woodrow Calary

Telephone #: 378-3290

STREET & NUMBER

1632 Perryville Road

CITY, TOWN

Perryville

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21903

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Liber #: RRC 17/475

Folio #: WAS 153/334

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**

<b>CONDITION</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED	DATE _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED			
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED				

**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

The Taylor-Galary House c. 1850 is a two story three bay by one room center hall frame house with an ell kitchen. A supposed log house is attached to the gable end of the kitchen. The house faces Principio Road just north of Perryville, Md. The house faces west with a north/south gable orientation.

The house rests on a fieldstone foundation and is completely covered with asbestos shingle over weatherboard. A composition tile hipped roof covers the main block with extended eaves and sloped soffits. Plain gable roofs cover both the main kitchen and rear addition.

The main elevation has a central entrance with heavily molded and arched panels. The door is framed by a five light transom and five light sidelights with a panel below. Single 6/6 sash windows flank the entrance and have louvered shutters. Three identical sash light the second floor. A seamed tin hipped roof porch covers the first floor and is supported by squar tuscan columns which was added in the early 20th century (Colonial Revival).

The south gable end has had a larger picture window added on the first floor and two 6/6 sash light the second floor.

The north end has two 6/6 sash on each floor. The rear ell kitchen is flush with the north wall and is two bays across by one room deep. The supposed log section is also two bays across by one room and only a 1½ high. The walls are thicker than the main block.

The south side of the kitchen wing has a two story porch and the second floor is fully enclosed while the first floor has been left open. The side door has an adjacent 6/6 sash. The log section has a small stoop with adjacent 6/6 sash window. The gable end of the log section has an attached exterior fieldstone chimney with flanking six pane attic windows.

The interiors have been moderately remodeled. The interior hall wall was removed to make a larger room and a new stair balustrade was put in. Four panel doors are framed by plain door and window surrounds with plain corner blocks. The log house interior has been fully paneled. A tight winder has remained in the southeast corner but has been partially rebuilt.

The only 19th century building is the 1½ story box frame b with earthen ramp on the north side. A fieldstone foundation supports the frame.

**CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY**

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 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 type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" 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

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The owner possesses a mid 19th century hand drawn plat of the property and dated 1866. The surveyor was Ellis G. Chandlee. He mentions George Taylor's Property as being between E. Gosgrove's Mill to the north and Moutton's Smith Shop at the spot where Patterson's Parking lot is today. The house is a common three bay center hall form that is altered by a hipped roof and sturdy Colonial Revival front porch.

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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

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

Paul B. Touart

ORGANIZATION

Cecil Cuounty Committee

DATE

398-0200

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

TELEPHONE

11/05/81

CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

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.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
 The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
 Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
 (301) 267-1438



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HANRE DE GRACE QUAD

Charter Hall



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EAST ELEV.

NR PERRYVILLE

3/80 PBT

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TAYLOR - CALARY HSE  
WEST ELEVATION  
NR PERRYVILLE

3/80

PBT

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Taylor-CALARY House

NORTHEAST ELEV. OF BARN

NR PERRYVIEWE

3180 PBT

NEG. IMP. HIST. TRUST