

CARR - 732

1407 OLD MANCHESTER ROAD

mid-19th century

Westminster vicinity

private

1407 Old Manchester Road is a mid-nineteenth century house in the village of Mexico. It has been remodeled several times, including a Victorian period addition of a gabled dormer and a twentieth century addition of wood shingle exterior with a front and side porch. This house and 1405 Old Manchester Road were the Reese properties during the late nineteenth century.



DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

225 N. Center Street
Westminster, Maryland 21157

WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

SURVEY NUMBER: CARR-732
NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing
U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: Westminster
PRESENT FORMAL NAME:
ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
PRESENT USE: residence
ORIGINAL USE: residence
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE: Excellent ( ) Good (X) Fair ( ) Poor ( )
THEME:
STYLE:
DATE BUILT: mid-19th century

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Westminster vicinity
LOCATION: 1407 Old Manchester Road (MD 852)
TAX MAP 39 Block 12 P-18
COMMON NAME:
FUNCTIONAL TYPE:
OWNER: Raymond C. Blum
ADDRESS: 1407 Old Manchester Road Westminster MD 21157
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Yes ( ) No (X) Restricted ( )
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: Local ( ) State ( ) National ( )

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:
Structural System
1. Foundation: Stone (X) Brick ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
2. Wall Structure
A. Wood: Log ( ) Post and Beam (X) Balloon ( )
B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick ( ) Stone ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
C. Iron ( ) D. Steel ( ) E. Other
3. Wall Covering: Weatherboard ( ) German Siding ( ) Board and Batten ( )
Wood Shingle (X) Shiplap ( ) Novelty ( ) Stucco ( ) Sheet Metal ( )
Aluminum ( ) Asphalt Shingle ( ) Brick Veneer ( ) Stone Veneer ( )
Bonding Pattern: Other:
4. Roof Structure
A. Truss: Wood (X) Iron ( ) Steel ( ) Concrete ( )
B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate ( ) Wood Shingle ( ) Asphalt Shingle ( ) Sheet Metal (X)
Built Up ( ) Rolled ( ) Tile ( ) Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:
Appendages: Porches (X) Towers ( ) Cupolas ( ) Dormers ( ) Chimneys ( ) Sheds ( )
Ells (X) Wings ( ) Other:
Roof Style: Gable ( ) Hip ( ) Shed ( ) Flat ( ) Mansard ( ) Gambrel ( ) Jerkinhead ( )
Saw Tooth ( ) With Monitor ( ) With Bellcast ( ) With Parapet ( )
With False Front ( ) Other:
Number of Stories: 2 1/2
Number of Bays: 3 x 1
Approximate Dimensions:
Entrance Location: center

THREAT TO STRUCTURE: No Threat ( ) Zoning ( ) Roads ( ) Development ( ) Deterioration ( ) Alteration ( ) Other:
LOCAL ATTITUDES: Positive ( ) Negative ( ) Mixed ( ) Other:

## ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

regional style house - remodeled with wood shingles in mid-20th century

## RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

typical mid-19th cent. structure

## REFERENCES:

1862 Martenet's Map:

1877 LG & S Atlas: Mrs. Reese

## SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

Open Lane ( ) Woodland ( ) Scattered Buildings ( )  
 Moderately Built Up ( ) ~~Densely-Built Up~~ ( )  
 Residential ( ) Commercial ( )  
 Agricultural ( ) Industrial ( )  
 Roadside Strip Development ( )  
 Other:

## RECORDED BY:

Joe Getty

## ORGANIZATION:

## DATE RECORDED:

8/83

U.S.G.S. MAP  
WESTMINSTER, MD.  
1:24000 SCALE

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1. CARR-732 1407 OLD MANCHESTER ROAD
2. Carroll County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. August 1983
5. Md. Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. North and west elevations, (camera facing southeast)
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