DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
225. N. Center Street
Westminster, Maryland 21157

WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

SURVEY NUMBER: CARR-817

NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:

UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing

U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: New Windsor

PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:

PRESENT USE: Farm
ORIGINAL USE: Farm

ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:

BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
Excellent ( ) Good (X)
Fair ( ) Poor ( )

THEME:
STYLE: Pa. German
DATE BUILT:

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Westminster vic.
LOCATION: 1942 Uniontown Rd.

COMMON NAME: Roop-Thompson Farm
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Farm complex
OWNER: Harvey R. Thompson, Sr
ADDRESS: 1942 Uniontown Rd.
Westminster, Md 848-1056

ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
Yes ( ) No (X) Restricted ( )

LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
Local (X) State ( ) National ( )

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:
Structural System
1. Foundation: Stone (X) Brick ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
2. Wall Structure
   A. Wood: Log ( ) Post and Beam ( ) Balloon ( )
   B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick (X) Stone ( ) Concrete ( ) Concrete Block ( )
   C. Iron ( ) D. Steel ( ) E. Other
3. Wall Covering: Weatherboard ( ) German Siding ( ) Board and Batten ( )
   Wood Shingle ( ) Shiplap ( ) Novelty ( ) Stucco ( ) Sheet Metal ( )
   Aluminum ( ) Asphalt Shingle ( ) Brick Veneer ( ) Stone Veneer ( )
   Bonding Pattern: Flemish - main facade; common 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 (X) Hip ( ) Shed ( ) Flat ( ) Mansard ( ) Gambrel ( ) Jerkinhead ( )
Saw Tooth ( ) With Monitor ( ) With Bellcast ( ) With Parapet ( )
With False Front ( ) Other:

Number of Stories: 2
Number of Bays: 5 x 2
Approximate Dimensions:
Entrance Location: center

THREAT TO STRUCTURE:
No Threat ( ) Zoning ( ) Roads ( )
Development ( ) Deterioration ( )
Alteration ( ) Other:

LOCAL ATTITUDES:
Positive ( ) Negative ( )
Mixed ( ) Other:

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

The house contains some excellent Pa. German features including strap hinges, box locks and other hardware. Mantelpiece in the sw room has paneled overmantel of Pa. German design. Se room is long parlor that according to oral tradition served as a inn.

RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

Separate roofed bake-oven with rear chimney and gable roof.
Wagon-shed crib, tool shed, barn.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

According to oral tradition, this house was built by the Roop family and served for some time as a inn. Its preservation of Pa. German features and period outbldgs. make it a prominent farm complex in the county

REFERENCES:

1862 Martenet's Map: J. Morelock
1877 LG & S Atlas: J. Schafer

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: Cam. Co. Dept. of Planning

DATE RECORDED: August 1985

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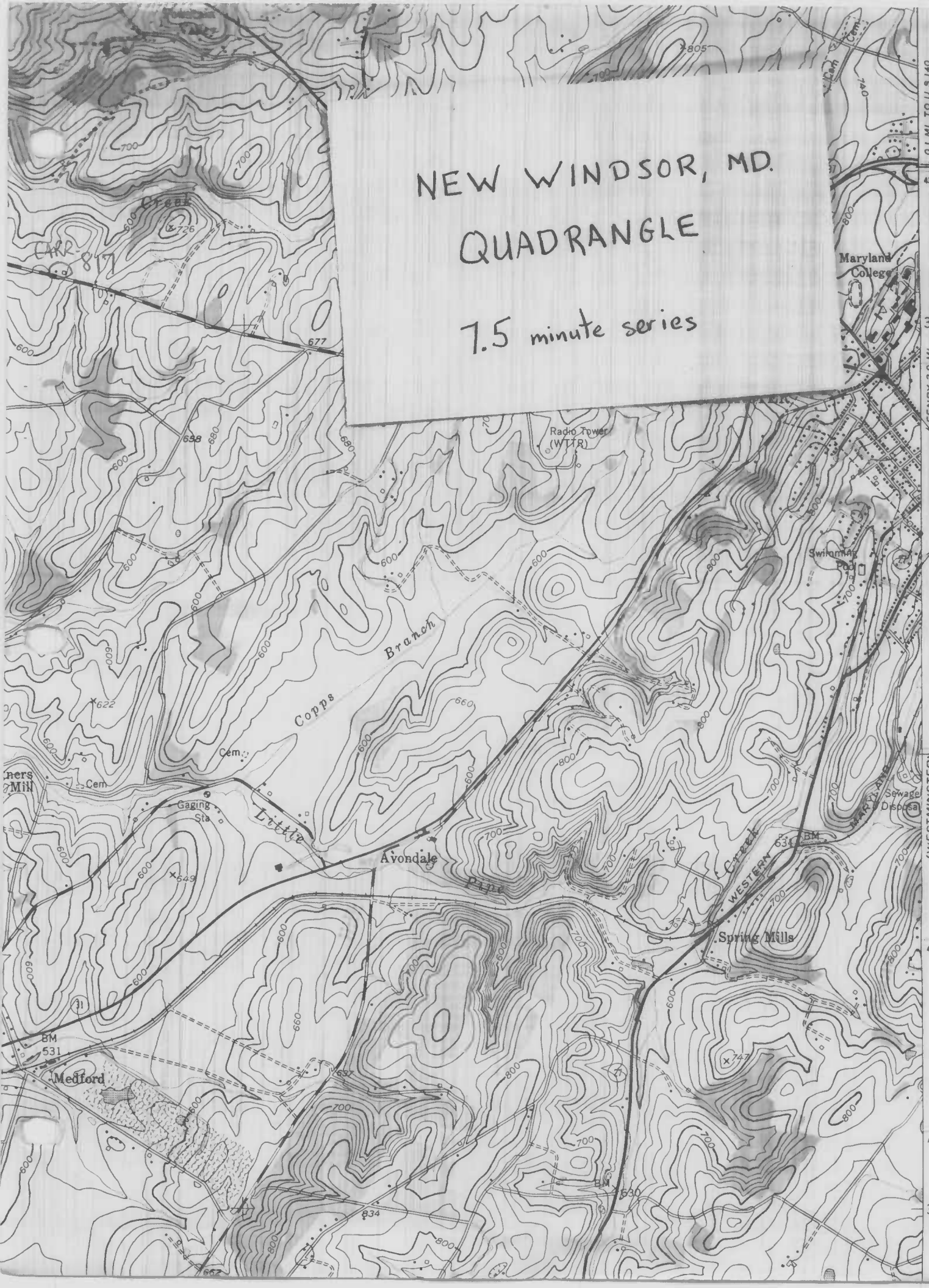

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