MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
21 STATE CIRCLE
SHAW HOUSE
ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401

HISTORIC SITES SURVEY FIELD SHEET
Individual Structure Survey Form

SURVEY NUMBER: T-677

NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:

UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing

U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP:

PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:

COUNTY: TALBOT

TOWN:

LOCATION: EASTSIDE ~~MAIN ST~~ BROADCREEK RD R 147

PRESENT USE: CHURCH

ORIGINAL USE: "

ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:

COMMON NAME:
NEAVITT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:

FUNCTIONAL TYPE: CHURCH

OWNER:
ADDRESS: GEORGE LEATHRUM RECTOR

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

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

THEME:

STYLE:

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

DATE BUILT: ABOUT 1856
MOVED TO PRESENT LOCATION 1924

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Structural System

1. Foundation: Stone(✓)Brick( )Concrete( )Concrete Block(X)
2. Wall Structure
   A. Wood Frame: Post and Beam(X)Balloon( )
   B. Load Bearing Masonry: Brick( )Stone( )Concrete( )Concrete Block( )
   C. Iron( ) D. Steel( ) E. Other:
3. Wall Covering: Clapboard( )Board and Batten( )Wood Shingle(X)Shiplap( ) 2nd STORY - WAVY
   Novelty( )Stucco( )Sheet Metal( )Aluminum( )Asphalt Shingle(X) OVER WOOD SIDING
   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(X)Sheet Metal( )
   Built Up( )Rolled( )Tile( )Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:

Appendages: Porches( )Towers(X)Cupolas( )Dormers( )Chimneys( )Sheds( )Ells( )
Wings ( )Other: VESTIBULE ENTRANCE

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: 1

Number of Bays:

Entrance Location: FRONT ON STREET

Approximate Dimensions: 40' WIDE 45' LONG

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

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

neg 36, 15, 16, 17

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

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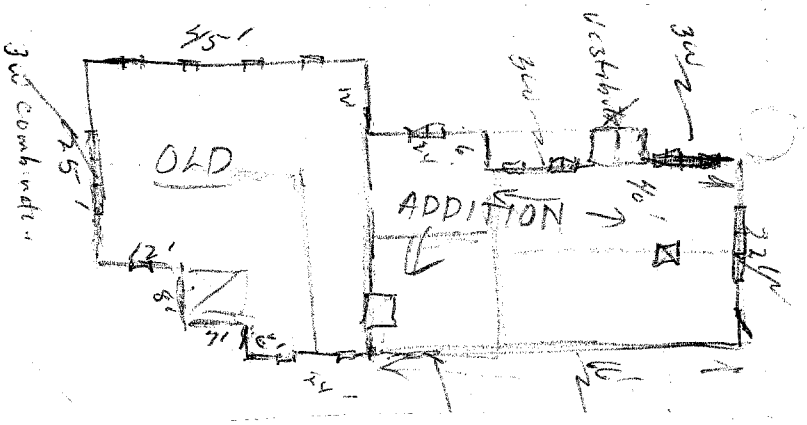
white
Bell Tower - louvered Belfry
1 Tracery window
1 round window
arch over entrance door



RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

Parish house and offices added to rear of original building when it was moved - 1921

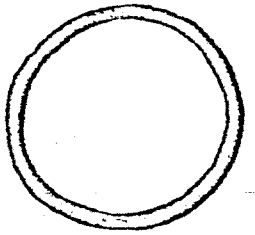
STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

1856 Edward Nearitt founder - called "Chatham Chapel"
Arthur W. Miller
1868 John Noddaway & Daniel Ball cut timber & began building
1888 - enlarged
1921 - moved to village from cemetary (east side 579 near school house) and large addition made

REFERENCES:

dates and history from Beulah Brelinger
Manor Rd. Nearitt

MAP: (Indicate North In Circle)



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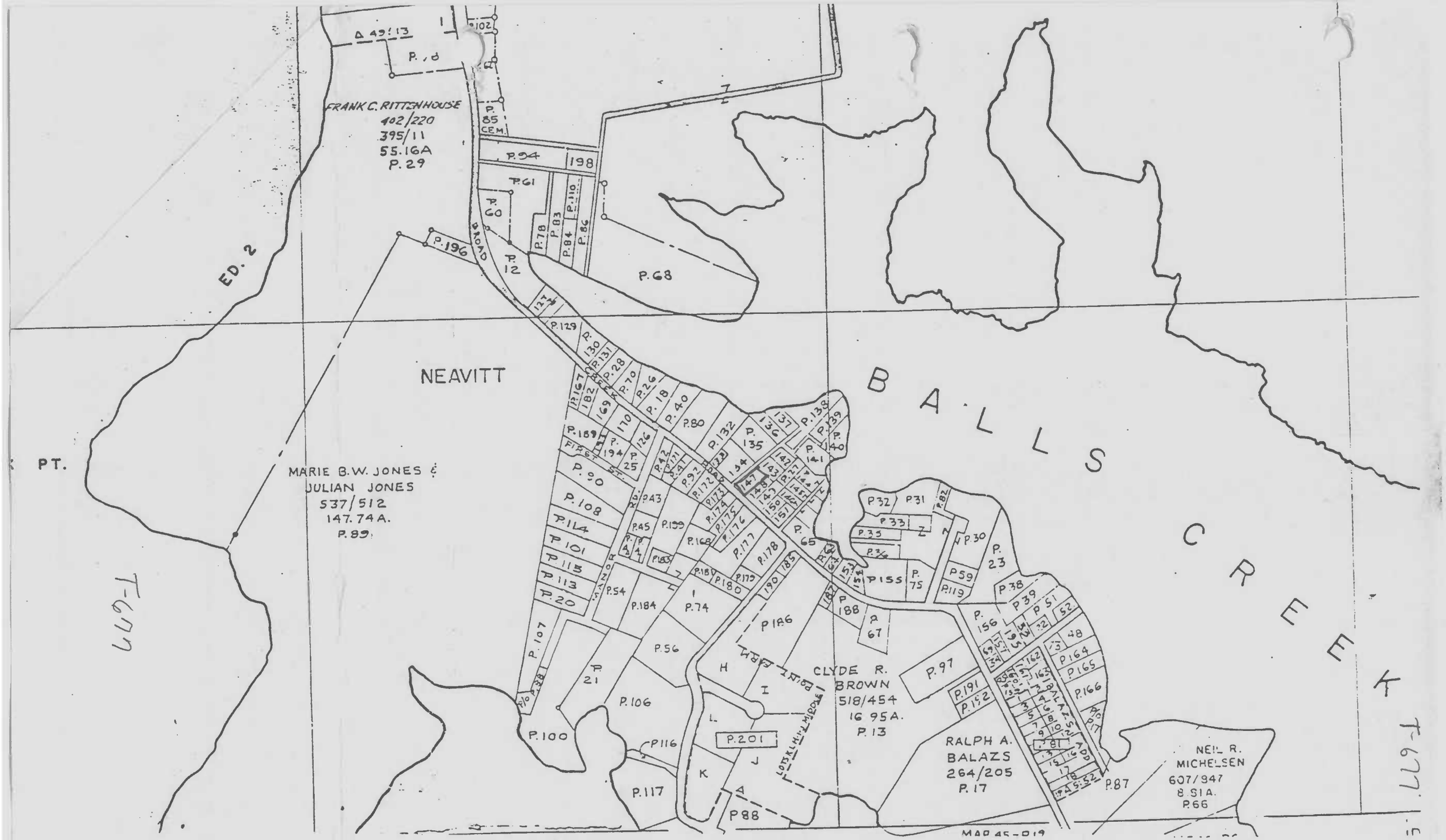
SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
Open Land( )Woodland( )Scattered Buildings(
Moderately Built Up( )Densely Built Up( )
Residential(X)Commercial( )
Agricultural( )Industrial( )
Roadside Strip Development( )
Other:

RECORDED BY: Jean K. Snyder

ORGANIZATION: Historic St. Michaels Bay Hundred Inc.

DATE RECORDED: Jan 15-87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