

G-V-A-051
Darrell H. Rohrbaugh House
Red House
Private

c.1905

The Darrell H. Rohrbaugh House is a rectangular, two-story, gable-roofed building of vertical plank construction. It rests on a stone foundation with a full basement and is sheathed with weatherboard siding. The facade consists of three irregularly spaced bays with two, four-panel doors at the center and full length, partially enclosed porch. The interior is divided into a two room plan by an enclosed, center staircase.

A frame bank barn on a poured concrete foundation is associated with the house.

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Darrell H. Rohrbaugh House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Ben Dewitt Rd. - Soute side, 1.3 miles West of US Rt. 219

CITY, TOWN

Redhouse

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6th

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Garrett County

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
- MUSEUM
- COMMERCIAL
- PARK
- EDUCATIONAL
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- ENTERTAINMENT
- RELIGIOUS
- GOVERNMENT
- SCIENTIFIC
- INDUSTRIAL
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER storage
- MILITARY

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Darrell H. Rohrbaugh

Telephone #: (301) 334-9782

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Garrett County Courthouse

Liber #: 329

Folio #: 435

STREET & NUMBER

Third and Alder Streets

CITY, TOWN

Oakland

STATE

Maryland 21550

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

None

DATE

___ FEDERAL ___ STATE ___ COUNTY ___ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Darrell H. Rohrbaugh House is located between U.S. Route 50 and Ben Dewitt Road approximately 1.3 miles west of U.S. Route 219. Access to the house is from a dirt lane off U.S. Route 50. The facade points north.

The house is a rectangular, two story, gable-roofed building of vertical plank construction. Its facade consists of three irregularly spaced bays with two, four-panel doors at the center, and a full length, partially enclosed porch.

The house rests on a coursed, roughly squared stone foundation with remaining traces of whitewash. The walls consist of three layers of board: a vertical plank structural layer, diagonal board on the interior, and weatherboard with cornerboards on the exterior. Its windows are two over two sash with plain board surrounds and drip moldings. The roof is covered with asphalt, has exposed rafter ends, and one interior brick chimney on the ridgeline.

A shed porch runs the full length of the facade and terminates in a small enclosed room, known as "the pantry," at the northwest end. This room has outside access only. The porch rests on stone footings, has three square posts with chamfered corners, and a rail running through the posts.

The interior is a two room, center stair plan. This stairway is an eleven tread, closed, straight run, enclosed at the bottom by a four panel door. Machine sawn ceiling joists are left exposed, and the walls are papered directly over the diagonal board. A square opening in the ceiling of the second floor northwest corner leads to the attic.

The house has a full basement of stone with a whitewashed interior and a bulkhead entrance on the east endwall.

Northeast of the house is a frame bank barn on a poured concrete foundation.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

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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		
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<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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION		
<input checked="" 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 c. 1905

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This typical vertical plank constructed house was constructed c. 1905. It was the birthplace of Albert Snyder, born 1907. According to the occupant of a nearby house, an older dwelling stood south of this house.

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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
STATE	COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

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ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust/Bureau of Mines

DATE

March 1981

STREET & NUMBER

Shaw House, 21 State Circle

TELEPHONE

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CITY OR TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

Maryland 21401

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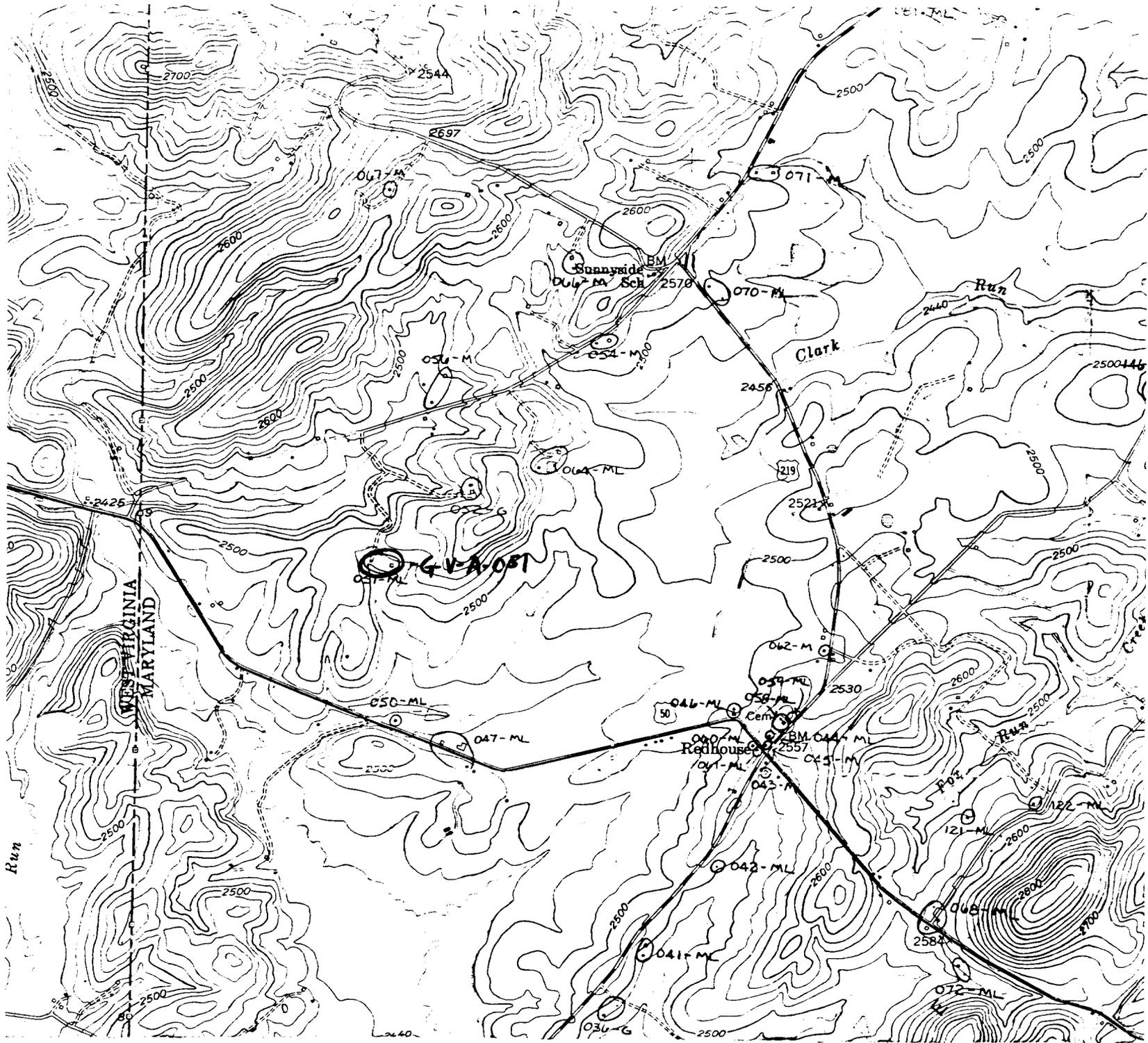


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Darrell H. Rohrbaugh Barn

Garrett County, MD

Donna Ware 9-8-80

N & E elevation



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Facade; N elevation