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TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC
WOODSIDE

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
400 Singer Road (north side of Singer Road, 100 yards west of Maryland Route 24)

CITY, TOWN
Abingdon

X VICINITY OF

__NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
First

STATE
Maryland

CODE
24

COUNTY
Harford

CODE
025

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE	
__DISTRICT	__PUBLIC	X OCCUPIED	__AGRICULTURE	__MUSEUM
X BUILDING(S)	X PRIVATE	__UNOCCUPIED	__COMMERCIAL	__PARK
__STRUCTURE	__BOTH	__WORK IN PROGRESS	__EDUCATIONAL	X PRIVATE RESIDENCE
__SITE	**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**	**ACCESSIBLE**	__ENTERTAINMENT	__RELIGIOUS
__OBJECT	__IN PROCESS	__YES: RESTRICTED	__GOVERNMENT	__SCIENTIFIC
	__BEING CONSIDERED	__YES: UNRESTRICTED	__INDUSTRIAL	__TRANSPORTATION
		__NO	__MILITARY	X OTHER: tree farm

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
Miss Eloise Wilson

STREET & NUMBER
Box 226

CITY, TOWN
Bel Air

__ VICINITY OF

STATE
Maryland 21014

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Harford County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER
Main Street

CITY, TOWN
Bel Air

STATE
Maryland 21014

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

__FEDERAL __STATE __COUNTY __LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

Received from N.R. 10-8-81

DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
X EXCELLENT	__DETERIORATED	__UNALTERED	X ORIGINAL SITE
__GOOD	__RUINS	X ALTERED	__MOVED DATE_____
__FAIR	__UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Woodside is situated on top of a small hill on the north side of Singer Road, approximately 100 yards west of Maryland Route 24 near Abingdon, Maryland.

The main section of the house, designed in 1823, is an excellent example of a Federal side hall, double parlor plan house. This section is 2½ stories tall, three bays wide, and two deep. The house is constructed of coursed fieldstone except the south front which is coursed ashlar. On the front (south) facade, the paneled front door with transom marks the western bay. Two windows with original paneled blinds light the southeast parlor. Upstairs, windows are aligned, also have 6/6 double-hung sash, but have louvered shutters. This fenestration is identical on the rear (north) facade. A massive interior brick chimney is located at the peak at the roof's east end. A simpler, smaller brick chimney with corbelled cap is located at the end of the roof.

A 1½-story fieldstone kitchen, also dating from 1823 is connected to the main block at the northeast end. On its north facade, a centrally located door leads into the work space. Original 6/6 double-hung sash windows with paneled blinds flank the door. A later dormer window pierces the roof at the eave line over the door. A brick interior chimney is centrally located in the northern slope of the slate-covered roof. A beehive over which once served the kitchen fireplace is now gone. Its approximate foundation diminsions are outlined by low fieldstone garden walls.

One of the most aesthetically pleasing decorative details of the house is the use of stone. The stonework was laid very carefully--the fieldstone coursed as much as possible and the main facade laid in coursed ashlar of the same stone. On both the main block and kitchen, beautifully dressed stone blocks form lintels over each window. Close inspection of the lintel over the basement door at the southwest corner of the house shows the initials IW, probably for the builder, Joshua Wilson. The name LLee is carved into the second step of the north entrance. Miss Eloise Wilson, the present owner of the house, believes the carved name refers to Lycurgus Lee, a 19th century family member.

In the second quarter of the 19th century, a frame, weatherboard sheathed structure was built at the southeast corner of the house. This addition, stretching three bays across its front (south) facade, was built to accommodate a growing Wilson household.[1] The addition has 6/6 double-hung sash windows, original paneled blinds on the first story (with louvered shutters on the second), and a gable roof. It was built over the stone kitchen wing, incorporating the slope of its gable roof.

The first floor of the main block consists of side hall and double parlors. The six panel front and rear doors and doors leading into the parlors are examples of Federal molded woodwork as is the chairrail. A simple four panel door with box lock, located under the stair, leads to the basement below. The finest details in the hall are the superb open-string staircase and marbleized baseboards. The cypress staircase has thin balusters, a rounded handrail with return, and step-ends decorated with a stylized wave pattern. The marbleized baseboards, surviving only in the hallway, were once also found in the north and south parlors.

SEE CONTINUATION SHEET #1.

(DESCRIPTION, continued)

The two parlors also display much Federally influenced woodwork. The front (south) parlor has molded door surrounds and a chairrail like those in the hall. The Federal mantel has fluted pilasters, recessed corner block, a plain raised central panel and simple shelf. The rear (north) parlor has identical woodwork in all details except the mantel. Here, pilasters consist simply of plain recessed panels. Corner blocks also are composed of recessed panels. The frieze is devoid of decoration, and the shelf is simple.

From the north parlor, access is gained into both the pantry and the original stone kitchen. A plain six-panel door at the southeast corner of the room leads to the pantry, which originally ran the entire length of the east wall but was shortened to accomodate a closet between the parlor and the kitchen. A door at the northeast corner of the parlor leads through a narrow hallway to the original kitchen. The closet mentioned above is entered through a door at the southeast corner of the hall.

A door of vertical beaded boards leads into the original stone kitchen where the outside doorway is centrally placed in the north wall, flanked on either side by an original window. A tight winder stair at the northeast corner, entered through a vertical board door with lift latch, leads to a bedroom above. A massive fireplace is centrally located along the east wall. A door which originally led to the exterior is located at the southwest corner of the room. A window, which also opened to the exterior before the frame addition to the southeast was built, is located in the south wall to the east of the door.

Walking through the pantry to the south one enters a narrow hall separating the original stone south wall of the old kitchen and a modern 1920's kitchen built in the southeast wing. Here the doorway and window mentioned above can be clearly seen. The hallway leads to a board and batten door to the east. A modern partition wall creates a doorway at the southwest corner to the 1920's kitchen.

The staircase in the main block leads to the second floor hall. In the southwest a modern bathroom has been added; at the end of the hall is a small bedroom. A paneled doorway at the northwest leads up a short stairway to the attic above. Federal doorways along the east wall of the hall lead into the southeast (front) and northeast (rear) bedrooms. A linen closet was added between the doors in the early 20th century. The identical mantels in the bedrooms are similar to the mantel in the northeast parlor, with recessed paneled pilasters, corner blocks, plain frieze and shelf. Double paneled closets also constructed in the early 20th century have been inserted above the original six-panel doors in the east wall of each bedroom.

SEE CONTINUATION SHEET #2.

(DESCRIPTION, continued)

To the northeast and northwest of the house are a number of important 19th and 20th century outbuildings. Their locations are noted on the enclosed sketch map. The group contains the following buildings:

"A" A stone house (HA-695) with overhanging gable roof. The roof covers a set of steps which lead to a root cellar with an opening into the well shaft below. A hand pump (HA-696) stands to the west of this building. This is a careful reproduction of the octagonal post which housed the original 19th century pump mechanism. About 40 inches tall, the post is fitted with pegs, its top capped by two wooden plates and a ball. The original pump fit into a log cabinet 60 feet long, consisting of three or four sections, which carried water. The entire mechanism was replaced in 1960 by this wood reproduction covering a modern pump, although the original handle is still used.

"B" This simple shed-roofed storage building acts as a wood storage area. The building , open on its south side, is crudely constructed. It is sheathed with vertical boards and has a shingled roof.

"C" This is a log, gable-roofed barn, now used primarily for storage. The dovetailed structure is chinked with mud. On its western facade a crudely scratched name is seen "----Wilson, 1848". A doorway and small window are found on its south facade. A small window also lights the north facade. Until recently, it also sheltered several horses and cows in interior stalls, under a hay mow.

"D" Built in 1928, this frame corn crib sits on log posts and is capped by a tin gable roof.

"E" An early 20th century frame garage, sheathed with weatherboarding and covered with a gable roof.

"F" Another early 20th century garage with a shed roof.

"G" This is a shingled, gable-roofed garage with shed roof addition. This also dates from the early 20th century.

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1 Oral interview, Miss Eloise Wilson, November, 1977.

2 Oral interview, Miss Wilson, November 1977. According to Miss Wilson, this decoration still exists in the parlors and bedrooms, and is only covered with a layer or two of paint.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
__PREHISTORIC	__ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	__COMMUNITY PLANNING	__LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	__RELIGION
__1400-1499	__ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	__CONSERVATION	__LAW	__SCIENCE
__1500-1599	__AGRICULTURE	__ECONOMICS	__LITERATURE	__SCULPTURE
__1600-1699	X ARCHITECTURE	__EDUCATION	__MILITARY	__SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
__1700-1799	__ART	__ENGINEERING	__MUSIC	__THEATER
X 1800-1899	__COMMERCE	__EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	__PHILOSOPHY	__TRANSPORTATION
__1900-	__COMMUNICATIONS	__INDUSTRY	__POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	__OTHER (SPECIFY)
		__INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1823 BUILDER/ARCHITECT Joshua Wilson

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Woodside is one of the finest examples of the Federal style hall and double parlor house plan in Harford County, Maryland, The house displays many fine architectural details, including a sensitive use of stone and a high caliber of carved woodwork as shown in the many fine mantels, the beautifully carved staircase, and other woodwork throughout the house. Another striking detail is the marbleized baseboard in the first floor hallway, a design feature once used in all the major rooms in the main block of the house. Woodside is also of interest as a property which has never left the ownership of the Wilson family who built it.

Woodside was the home of Joshua Wilson, a Harford County doctor and farmer. Wilson graduated from the University of Maryland Medical School in 1818. In 1823 he married and built this house. A civic minded man willing to share his wealth as he prospered, Wilson gave land for the construction of St. Mary's Episcopal Church between 1843 and 1846. He is buried at Mt. Carmel, a Methodist Church in Emmorton, Harford County, Maryland.

When Joshua Wilson died on September 6, 1880, his will read "To my daughter, Rebecca Barbara Wilson, I give in fee simple the dwelling house in which I now reside on my farm known as Woodside."[1] The house was then purchased by Robert L. Wilson at auction in 1928, to settle the estate of Rebecca Barbara Wilson who had died that year.[2] (Robert was the son of William Wilson, the son of Joshua Wilson). On his death in 1957, Robert Wilson willed the property to his daughter, Miss Eloise Wilson, the present owner, who splendidly maintains the house and grounds.[3]

This nomination also includes a number of important 19th and early 20th century outbuildings, which have been continuously used in Woodside's function as a working farm. These include a spring house with hand pump, an 1848 log barn, a corn crib and a number of later sheds and garage. These buildings are all currently used in the maintenance of the property, including well-kept lawns and woods which are tree farmed.

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[1] Hall of Records, Will WSR 10/101.

[2] Harford County Courthouse, Equity Docket 2887, 6-175.

[3] Hall of Records, Will TLA 2474 (dated November 16, 1956).

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Land and Probate Records of Harford County, Harford County Co)house, Bel Air, and Hall of Records, Annapolis.

Information from Miss Eloise Wilson, owner and direct descendant of builder, 11/77 and 5/78.

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 44 acres (approximately) UTM NOT VERIFIED

QUADRANGLE NAME Edgewood quadrangle QUADRANGLE SCALE 1:24000

UTM REFERENCES

	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING		ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING
A	18	386580	4370820	B	18	386580	4370500
C	18	385880	4370480	D	18	385860	4370740
E				F			
G				H			

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

SEE CONTINUATION SHEET #3.

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE
Mark R. Edwards, Historic Sites Survey Coordinator

ORGANIZATION
Maryland Historical Trust

DATE
May 29, 1978

STREET & NUMBER
John Shaw House, 21 State Circle

TELEPHONE
(301) 269-2438

CITY OR TOWN
Annapolis

STATE
Maryland 21401

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL ___ STATE XX LOCAL ___

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE [signature] 8-20-79

TITLE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER DATE

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

[signature] DATE 11-1-79

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

TEST: Emma Jane Saxe DATE 10-31-79

~~CHIEF OF REGISTRATION~~
Regional Coordinator

GPO 921-803

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

BEGINNING at a point on the north side of Singer Road, 100 yards west of Maryland Route 24; thence, north 900 feet to a point; thence, west 2200 feet to a point; thence, south 900 feet to a point on the north side of Singer Road; thence, east along the north side of Singer Road 2250 feet to the point of beginning, containing about 44 acres.

Harford County tax map #61, parcel 338.

ACREAGE JUSTIFICATION

The 44 acres included in this nomination have been with the house since its construction. The land has been continuously used from the early 19th century to the present day for a tree farm and cherry orchard. There is a field in front of the house running down to the road and another field to the east with cherry trees, most of the rest of the acreage is wooded.

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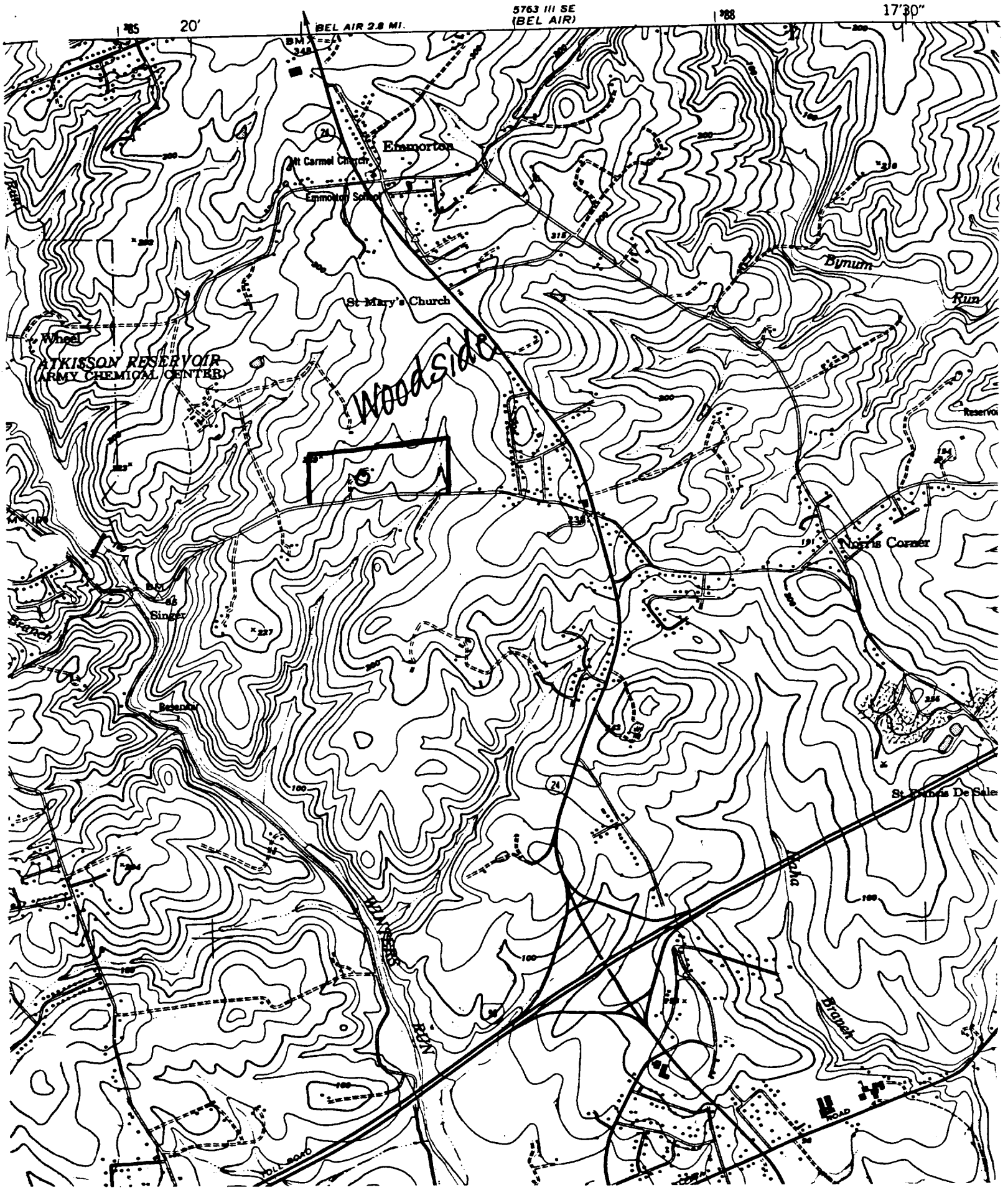
Edgewood quadrangle



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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY – NOMINATION FORM

MD. HISTORICAL TRUST
BOX 1704
ANNAPOLIS, MD. 21404

(Type all entries – complete applicable sections)

STATE:	
COUNTY:	
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE

1. NAME

COMMON: The Wilson house

AND/OR HISTORIC: "Woodside"

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 West Singer Road. Lane enters north of Singer Road

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon about 0.8 mi west of Md. 24

STATE: Md | CODE: | COUNTY: Harford | CODE:

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District ☐	Building ☐	Public ☐	Public Acquisition:	Occupied ☐	Yes:
Site ☐	Structure ☑	Private ☐	In Process ☐	Unoccupied ☐	Restricted ☐
Object ☐		Both ☐	Being Considered ☐	Preservation work in progress ☐	Unrestricted ☐
					No: ☐

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Agricultural	☐	Government	☐	Park	☐	Transportation	☐	Comments	☐
Commercial	☐	Industrial	☑	Private Residence	☐	Other (Specify)	☐		
Educational	☐	Military	☐	Religious	☐				
Entertainment	☐	Museum	☐	Scientific	☐				

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME: Miss Eloise H. Wilson

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 W. Singer Road

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon | STATE: Md 21009 | CODE:

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

STREET AND NUMBER: HARFORD COUNTY COURTHOUSE 40 S. MAIN ST.

CITY OR TOWN: BEL AIR | STATE: MARYLAND | CODE:

ACREAGE — APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal ☐ State ☐ County ☐ Local ☐

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: | STATE: | CODE:

STATE: COUNTY: FOR NPS USE ONLY ENTRY NUMBER DATE

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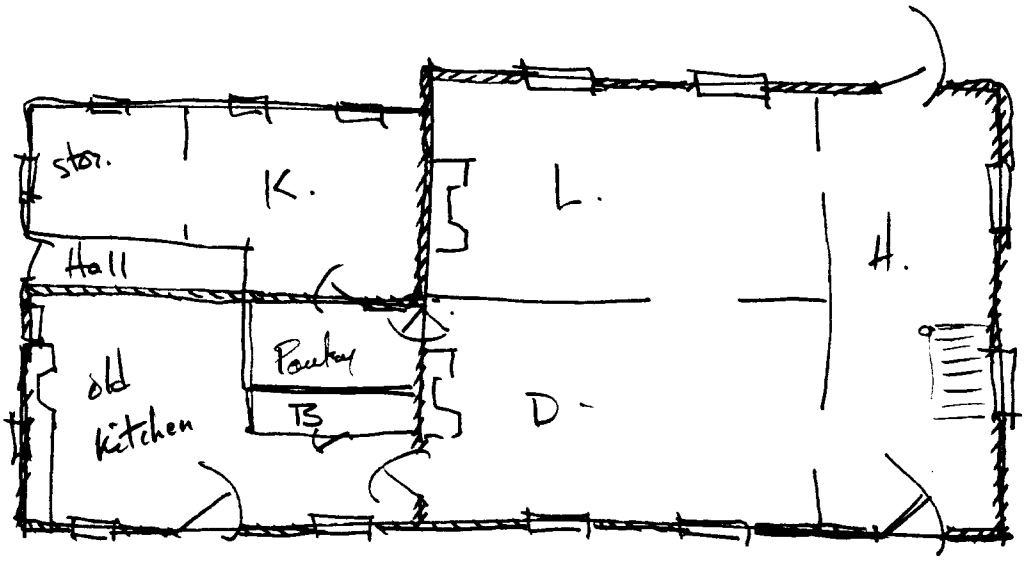
7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One) Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Deteriorated ☐ Ruins ☐ Unexposed ☐	
INTEGRITY	(Check One) Added to but otherwise Restored ~~Altered ☐ Unaltered ☐~~	(Check One) Moved ☐ Original Site ☐

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (*if known*) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Stone masonry house and wing, the wing enlarged with frame clapboard-covered addition. Oblong, once a telescope house, the enlarged kitchen area is almost as large in plan as the main house. The main house is 2 stories, 3 bays x 2, the wing 1½ stories on the north, 2 stories on the south side, 3 bays x 2 with 2 bays added to the east end of the house (see sketch) the house faces south although the present entrances are on the north; the roof ridgelines running east-west.



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Masonry walls indicated by hatched lines.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Pre-Columbian ☐	16th Century ☐	18th Century ☐	20th Century ☐
15th Century ☐	17th Century ☐	19th Century ☐	

SPECIFIC DATE(S) *(If Applicable and Known)*

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Aboriginal	Education ☐	Political ☐	Urban Planning ☐
Prehistoric ☐	Engineering ☐	Religion/Philosophy ☐	Other *(Specify)* ☐
Historic ☐	Industry ☐	Science ☐	
Agriculture ☐	Invention ☐	Sculpture ☐	
Art ☐	Landscape Architecture ☐	Social/Humanitarian ☐	
Commerce ☐	Literature ☐	Theater ☐	
Communications ☐	Military ☐	Transportation ☐	
Conservation ☐	Music ☐		
Architecture ☐			

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)*

Built in 1823. receipted bills for the stones and workmen are in the family files. Joshua Wilson M.D. built this five years after recieving his diploma in Medicine from the University of Maryland (1818) (the ledger of the store his father William Wilson kept in Abingdon is preserved also. See HA 71.)

Miss Wilson's father, Robert L. bought this place from cousins in 1940, retiring from his post as chief engineer at Westinghouse, after developing techniques for electrifying the New York Central railroad, switching mechanisms, and adaptation from alternating to direct current.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with E. H. Wilson at site April 1971. JSE.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY									OR	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE					
CORNER	LATITUDE			LONGITUDE						LATITUDE			LONGITUDE		
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LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: JEAN S. EWING

ORGANIZATION: MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST | DATE:

STREET AND NUMBER: 50 STATE CIRCLE

CITY OR TOWN: ANNAPOLIS | STATE: MARYLAND | CODE:

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Name _____

Title _____

Date _____

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

_____
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date _____

ATTEST:

_____
Keeper of The National Register

Date _____

7 Description - continuing:

The main house, 2 stories, 3 bays x 2, had three rooms, including the hall, upstairs and down (see sketch). Details of panelling, wainscoting, stairway and fireplace are of excellent quality in the Georgian manner. There are Random-width floorboards up to 9" wide.

The old wing, two shallow stone steps down from the living room, was once one large room rising to the peak, with dormers ventilating the high ceiling, as in at least one other kitchen in this area, Harford Glen (HA 699) and perhaps ~~the Graham Wilson~~ Park Farm house (HA 717) also. There are traces outdoors of an oven that extended east from the fireplace - stone & brick.

The expansion to the wing, with pegged framing, was undoubtedly completed within 10 or 12 years (before 1825) to accommodate Dr. Wilsons family of 12 children.

On the main house, south side, a two-story high porch has been added in recent years.

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MD. HISTORICAL TRUST
BOX 1704
ANNAPOLIS, MD. 21404

(Type all entries – complete applicable sections)

1. NAME

COMMON: "Woodside" log barn

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 Singer Road. Lane enters north of Singer Road about 0.8 mi west of Md. 24.

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon

STATE: Maryland | CODE: | COUNTY: Harford | CODE:

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District ☐ Building ☐	Public ☐	Public Acquisition:	Occupied ☐	Yes:
Site ☐ Structure ☑	Private ☐	In Process ☐	Unoccupied ☐	Restricted ☐
Object ☐	Both ☐	Being Considered ☐	Preservation work in progress ☐	Unrestricted ☐
				No: ☐

PRESENT USE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Agricultural	☐	Government	☐	Park	☐	Transportation	☐	Comments	☐
Commercial	☐	Industrial	☐	Private Residence	☐	Other *(Specify)*	☐		
Educational	☐	Military	☐	Religious	☐				
Entertainment	☐	Museum	☐	Scientific	☐				

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME: Miss S. H. Wilson

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 Singer Road

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon | STATE: Md. 21009 | CODE:

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

STREET AND NUMBER: HARFORD [illegible]

CITY OR TOWN: [illegible] | STATE: [illegible] | CODE:

ACREAGE — APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One) Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Deteriorated ☐ Ruins ☐ Unexposed ☐	
INTEGRITY	(Check One) Altered ☐ Unaltered ☐	(Check One) Moved ☐ Original Site ☐

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (*if known*) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Log building, 2 storied. about 20'x24'. Peaked roof ridgeline runs east-west. a large barn door opens south, with a window in each wall placed at random. Log walls extend about 8' high. The peak is framed and end walls have wide ~~[illegible]~~ sheaves of weatherboarding.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Pre-Columbian ☐	16th Century ☐	18th Century ☐	20th Century ☐
15th Century ☐	17th Century ☐	19th Century ☐	

SPECIFIC DATE(S) *(If Applicable and Known)* 1848

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Aboriginal	Education ☐	Politicol ☐	Urban Plonning ☐
Prehistoric ☐	Engineering ☐	Religion/Philasaphy ☐	Other *(Specify)* ☐
Historic ☐	Industry ☐	Science ☐	
Agriculture ☐	Inventian ☐	Sculpture ☐	
Art ☐	Landscape Architecture ☐	Social/Humonitarian ☐	
Commerce ☐	Literature ☐	Theater ☐	
Communications ☐	Military ☐	Transportotian ☐	
Conservatian ☐	Music ☐		
Architecture ☐			

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)*

Farm building, wagon shed and stalls for several horses and cows under a haymow. Plaster between logs bears a crudely scratched name — Wilson 1848.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview w. Miss Wilson April 1971 at site. JSE.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

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NAME AND TITLE:

ORGANIZATION | DATE

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Date _____

ATTEST:

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Keeper of The National Register

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY – NOMINATION FORM

MD. HISTORICAL TRUST
BOX 1704
ANNAPOLIS, MD. 21404

(Type all entries – complete applicable sections)

1. NAME

COMMON: "Woodside" ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ well house

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 W. Singer Road

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon

STATE: Md | CODE: | COUNTY: Harford | CODE:

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District ☐ Building ☐	Public ☐	Public Acquisition:	Occupied ☐	Yes:
Site ☐ Structure ☑	Private ☐	In Process ☐	Unoccupied ☐	Restricted ☐
Object ☐	Both ☐	Being Considered ☐	Preservation work in progress ☐	Unrestricted ☐
				No: ☐

PRESENT USE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Agricultural ☐	Government ☐	Park ☐	Transportation ☐	Comments ☐
Commercial ☐	Industrial ☐	Private Residence ☐	Other *(Specify)* ☐	
Educational ☐	Military ☐	Religious ☐	Household Utility	
Entertainment ☐	Museum ☐	Scientific ☐		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME: Miss E. H. Wilson

STREET AND NUMBER: 400 Singer Road

CITY OR TOWN: Abingdon | STATE: Md 21009 | CODE:

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

STREET AND NUMBER: HARFORD COUNTY COURTHOUSE 40 S. MAIN

CITY OR TOWN: BEL AIR | STATE: MARYLAND | CODE:

ACREAGE — APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal ☐ State ☐ County ☐ Local ☐

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: | STATE: | CODE:

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One) Excellent ☐	Good ☑	Fair ☐	Deteriorated ☐	Ruins ☐	Unexposed ☐
INTEGRITY	(Check One) Altered ☐	Unaltered ☑		(Check One) Moved ☐	Original Site ☑	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (*If known*) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Stone masonry milkhouse stands beside a well and pump used to supply cool refrigerant water for crocks of milk and other perishable foods. Walls about 12' x 12' are covered by an A-roof, the ridgeline running north-south, extending about 6' to the south to make a sheltered outdoor workspace.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Pre-Columbian ☐	16th Century ☐	18th Century ☐	20th Century ☐
15th Century ☐	17th Century ☐	19th Century ☐	

SPECIFIC DATE(S) *(If Applicable and Known)*

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Check One or More as Appropriate)*

Aboriginal	Education ☐	Political ☐	Urban Planning ☐
Prehistoric ☐	Engineering ☐	Religion/Philosophy ☐	Other *(Specify)* ☐
Historic ☐	Industry ☐		
Agriculture ☐	Invention ☐	Science ☐	Household utility
Art ☐	Landscape Architecture ☐	Sculpture ☐	
Commerce ☐		Social/Humanitarian ☐	
Communications ☐	Literature ☐		
Conservation ☐	Military ☐	Theater ☐	
Architecture ☐	Music ☐	Transportation ☐	

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE *(Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)*

Small ~~milkhouse~~ wellhouse wing well-water pumped into ~~[illegible]~~ troughs as refrigerant.

Milkhouse?

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NAME AND TITLE: JEAN S. EWING

ORGANIZATION: MARYLAND [illegible] TRUST | DATE:

STREET AND NUMBER: [illegible]

CITY OR TOWN: ANNAPOLIS | STATE: MARYLAND | CODE:

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1. NAME

COMMON: "Woodside" pump

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

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Their pump is a careful reproduction of the octagonal post ~~[illegible]~~ that housed the pump mechanism replaced by ~~[illegible]~~ cast iron pump about 1960.

About 40" tall, octagonal, fitted with pegs, the top is capped by two wooden plates and a ball. The original pump fitted into a log conduit 60 feet long in three or four pieces that carried water from the ~~[illegible]~~ well to the pump, hand fitted and hand bored.

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A replica of a hand-fitted housing for wooden pump ~~and~~ over a log pipe that supplied water for house, garden and farm animals from 1823 to 1960.

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