

# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common

## 2. Location

street & number 485 Paradise Road  not for publication

city, town Aberdeen 21001  vicinity of congressional district First

state Maryland county Harford

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial <input type="checkbox"/> park
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment <input type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government <input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial <input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military <input type="checkbox"/> other:

## 4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name Mr. Edward V. Somody

street & number 485 Paradise Road telephone no.: 272-0608

city, town Aberdeen, Md. 21001 state and zip code

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Harford County Court House liber 928

street & number Registry of Deeds folio 950

city, town Bel Air, Md. 21014 state

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title NONE KNOWN EXCEPT AS LISTED IN SUPRA 5

date  federal  state  county  local

pository for survey records

city, town state

# 7. Description

Survey No. HA-1729

### Condition

excellent  
 good  
 fair

deteriorated  
 ruins  
 unexposed

### Check one

unaltered  
 altered

### Check one

original site  
 moved      date of move \_\_\_\_\_

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

#### RESUME OF REGISTRY DEED RESEARCH:

15 June 1973 to Edw. V. Somody and wife from C. Curtis Morgan/Steve Karas.

Liber 928/309 dated 9 June 1972 to Morgan/Karas from A. Motsinger and wife.

Liber 292/270 dated 8 Dec. 1945 to A. Motsinger from Gertrude S. Thomas.

Liber 246/423 dated 12 Aug 1937 to Thomas from Elizabeth Coale and husband.

DWG 213/25 dated 18 June 1927 to Coale from Mary P.H. Smith.

JAR 160/349 dated 3 Aug. 1918 to M.P.H. Smith from J. Wilmer Cronin, Receiver.

Liber 160/349 to Smith from Melindia E. Reynolds.

WSF 117/306 14 Apr 1906 to M. Reynolds from Noble Mitchell.

WSF 102/64 dated 27 Feb. 1901 to Reynolds from Barnes.

Mtge. ALS 62/315 dated 29 Oct. 1888, count sale.

ALS 58/486 dated 13 May 1887.

ALJ 30/68 dated 15 Jan 1874 to Michael to Fulton from Henry C. Michael and Cornelius Michael.

WG 11/3 dated 7 May 1859 to Henry Michael from Aquila Bordley.

ALJ 4/295 dated 1 Feb 1853 Henry Nelson to A. Bordley by deed afore dated.

Judgement Liber E-Folio 241 dated second Mon. Mar. 1825 against Aquila Deaver awarded premises to Edward Hull who then sold same to Aquila Nelson et al (including Nelson).

# 8. Significance

Survey No. NA-1729

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
<input 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** \_\_\_\_\_ **Builder/Architect** \_\_\_\_\_

check: Applicable Criteria:  A  B  C  D  
and/or

Applicable Exception:  A  B  C  D  E  F  G

Level of Significance:  national  state  local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

A two-story frame on stone, off-centered T-plan house, i.e. single bay extension to North with chimney at intersection; 3 bay porch and ell, and scroll work (outbuildings on the property)

Research of title indicated building erected about 1850.

Form Prepared By \_\_\_\_\_

# 9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No. HA-1729

"HISTORY OF ABERDEEN, MARYLAND" by Richard F. Cronin, publ. by Bicentennial Comm., Aberdeen, 1976.

"OUR HARFORD HERITAGE" by C. Milton Wright, publ. French Bay Printing Co., 1980.

"HARFORD COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY BULLETIN" No. 8, Spring Edition, 1983.

# 10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property 6.65 acres

Quadrangle name \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle scale \_\_\_\_\_

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

A	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
	Zone	Easting	Northing

B	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
	Zone	Easting	Northing

C	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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D	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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E	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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F	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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G	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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H	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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## Verbal boundary description and justification

## List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	<u>MARYLAND</u>	code	county	<u>HARFORD</u>	code
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state		code	county		code
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# 11. Form Prepared By

name/title ABERDEEN HISTORIC SURVEY/RESTORATION COMMITTEE

organization ABERDEEN TOWN COUNCIL date July 12, 1983

street & number ABERDEEN, MD. 21001 telephone \_\_\_\_\_

city or town \_\_\_\_\_ state \_\_\_\_\_

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

The survey and inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

return to: Maryland Historical Trust  
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21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 269-2438



Survey # HA-1729

485 Paridise Rd.

Front and Side

North East

Gloria Kaminski

May 1983



Survey # HA-1729  
485 Paradise Rd.  
Back and Side  
South West  
Gloria Kaminski  
May 1983