

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Farmhouse and outbuildings

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

Wildlife Preserve, North side of Md. Rte. 214 (Central Avenue)

CITY, TOWN

Kolbes Corner

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Prince Georges 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
- COMMERCIAL
- EDUCATIONAL
- ENTERTAINMENT
- GOVERNMENT
- INDUSTRIAL
- MILITARY
- MUSEUM
- PARK
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- RELIGIOUS
- SCIENTIFIC
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

STATE

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

# 7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE  
 UNALTERED  
 ALTERED

CHECK ONE  
 ORIGINAL SITE  
 MOVED      DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This two story frame house is three bays wide by one bay deep, and faces south. A full-height ell extends to the rear, its east wall continuous with that of the main block. The house is clad in novelty siding, with asphalt shingles covering its gable roof. The principal (south) facade has a central entrance, with a 2/2 sash window in each of the flanking bays. A one-story, half-hipped porch featuring turned columns resting on concrete-block piers extends across the south and east facades; all but the northern third of this porch has been enclosed with screening. Three 2/2 windows are arrayed across the second story, aligned directly over the first-floor openings. The unusually broad central cross gable is not pierced. A brick chimney rises from the roof ridge to the left of center.

The gable facades have a single 2/2 window centered on each story.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

# 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
<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 checked="" 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

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This site is significant as an example of a 19th-century farmstead, which has maintained its integrity despite burgeoning development in its vicinity. The house has been altered only slightly, and several early outbuildings remain in excellent condition.

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF SURVEY AND LOCATION

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	COUNTY

STATE	COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

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DATE  
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21 State Circle - Shaw House

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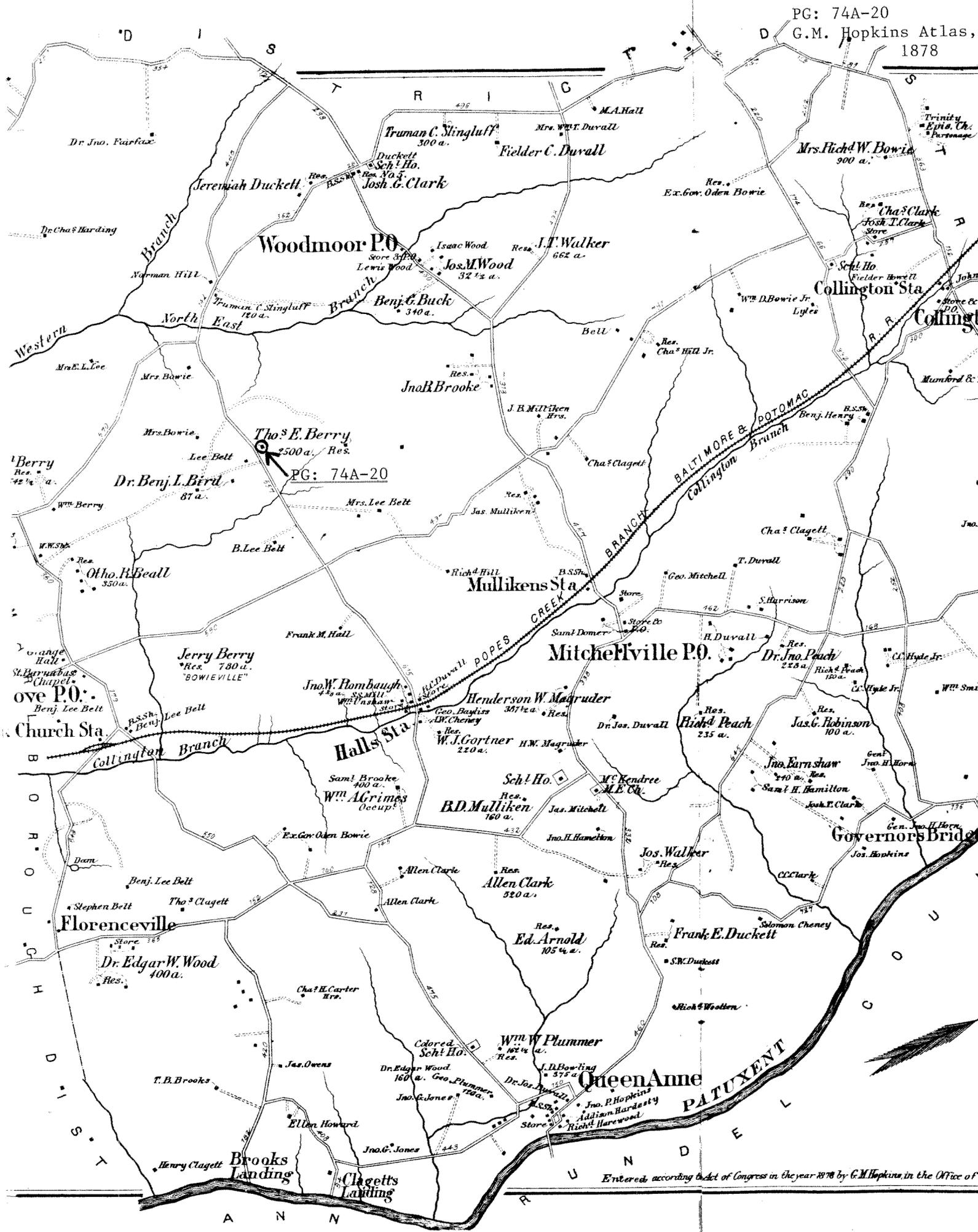
CITY OR TOWN  
Annapolis

STATE  
Maryland 21401

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.

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
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Woodmoor P.O.

Mitchellville P.O.

Halls Sta.

Florenceville

Queen Anne

Brooks Landing

Clagett's Landing

Thos E. Berry  
2500 a. Res.  
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Dr. Benj. L. Bird  
87 a.

Jerry Berry  
Res. 780 a.  
"BOWIEVILLE"

Dr. Edgar W. Wood  
400 a.

Henderson W. Magruder  
307 1/2 a. Res.

Allen Clark  
320 a.

Wm W Plummer  
Res. 62 1/2 a.

Mrs. Richd W. Bowie  
900 a.

Collington Sta.

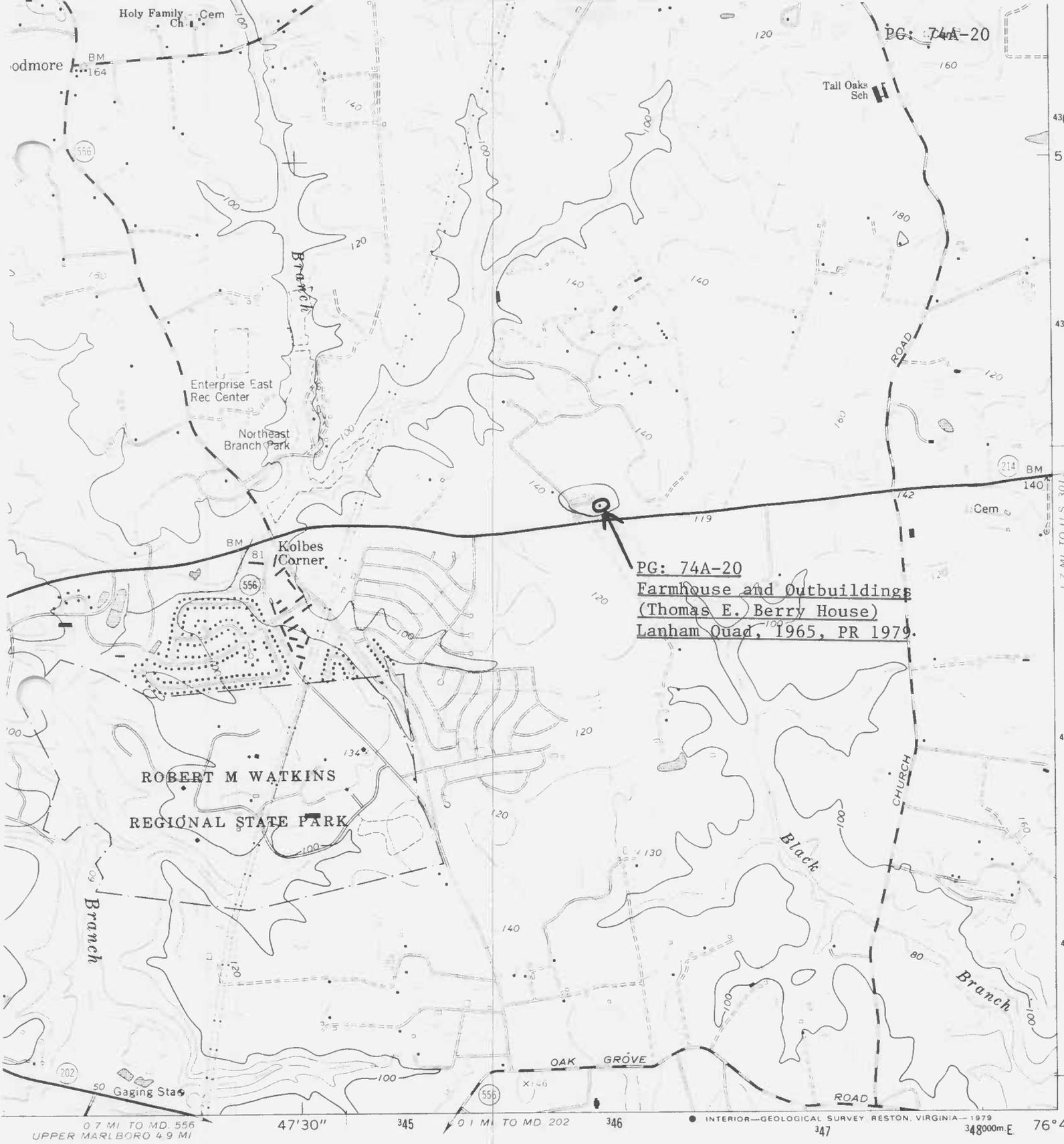
Mullikens Sta.

Richd Peach  
235 a.

Governors Bridge

Frank E. Duckett

Dr. Jos. Duvall



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 Farmhouse and Outbuildings  
 (Thomas E. Berry House)  
 Lanham Quad, 1965, PR 1979.



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	—————	Light duty	-----
Medium-duty	-----	Unimproved dirt	.....
○ Interstate Route	○ U. S. Route	○ State Route	



LANHAM, MD.



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