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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC
Welsh Farm
AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
Howell Point Road or U.S. Route 50, south

CITY, TOWN
Trappe
__ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE
Maryland

COUNTY
Talbot

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE	
__DISTRICT	__PUBLIC	__OCCUPIED	X AGRICULTURE	__MUSEUM
X BUILDING(S)	X PRIVATE	X 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
		X NO	__MILITARY	__OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
James C. Chilcott
Telephone #:(301) 476-3230

STREET & NUMBER
Middleville

CITY, TOWN
Trappe
__ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code
Maryland 21673

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Talbot County Courthouse

Liber #: 451
Folio #: 563

STREET & NUMBER
Washington Street

CITY, TOWN
Easton

STATE
Maryland 21601

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

__FEDERAL __STATE __COUNTY __LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
__EXCELLENT	__DETERIORATED	__UNALTERED	X ORIGINAL SITE
X GOOD	__RUINS	X ALTERED	__MOVED DATE_____
__FAIR	__UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

One of the well known landmarks in Talbot County is the Welsh Farm. It is a two part farmhouse composed of a three bay long, two story frame section with a three bay long, one story frame wing. Both parts are built upon a brick foundation. The largest part has a central door on both facades, a moderately pitched 'A' roof and chimneys on both gables. The wing has altered fenestration to accomodate a modern kitchen arrangement. On its gable is a newly constructed brick fireplace. A screened leanto porch is built on the south side of the wing. In the south corner of the yard is an early smokehouse.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

ERIOD	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
__1800-1899	__COMMERCE	__EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	__PHILOSOPHY	__TRANSPORTATION
X 1900-	__COMMUNICATIONS	__INDUSTRY	__POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	__OTHER (SPECIFY)
		__INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The importance lies chiefly in the significance which has arisen within the community. Undoubtedly it was the home of substantial farmers when it was constructed. Over the years it has lost much of its original architectural character. It, nevertheless, is an example of early nineteenth vernacular buildings in Talbot County. It resembles a building across Route 50, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wise, as well as the brick house on Reed's Creek Farm.

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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
Michael Bourne, Architectural Consultant

ORGANIZATION
Maryland Historical Trust

DATE
Nov., 1976

STREET & NUMBER
Shaw House, 21 State Circle

TELEPHONE

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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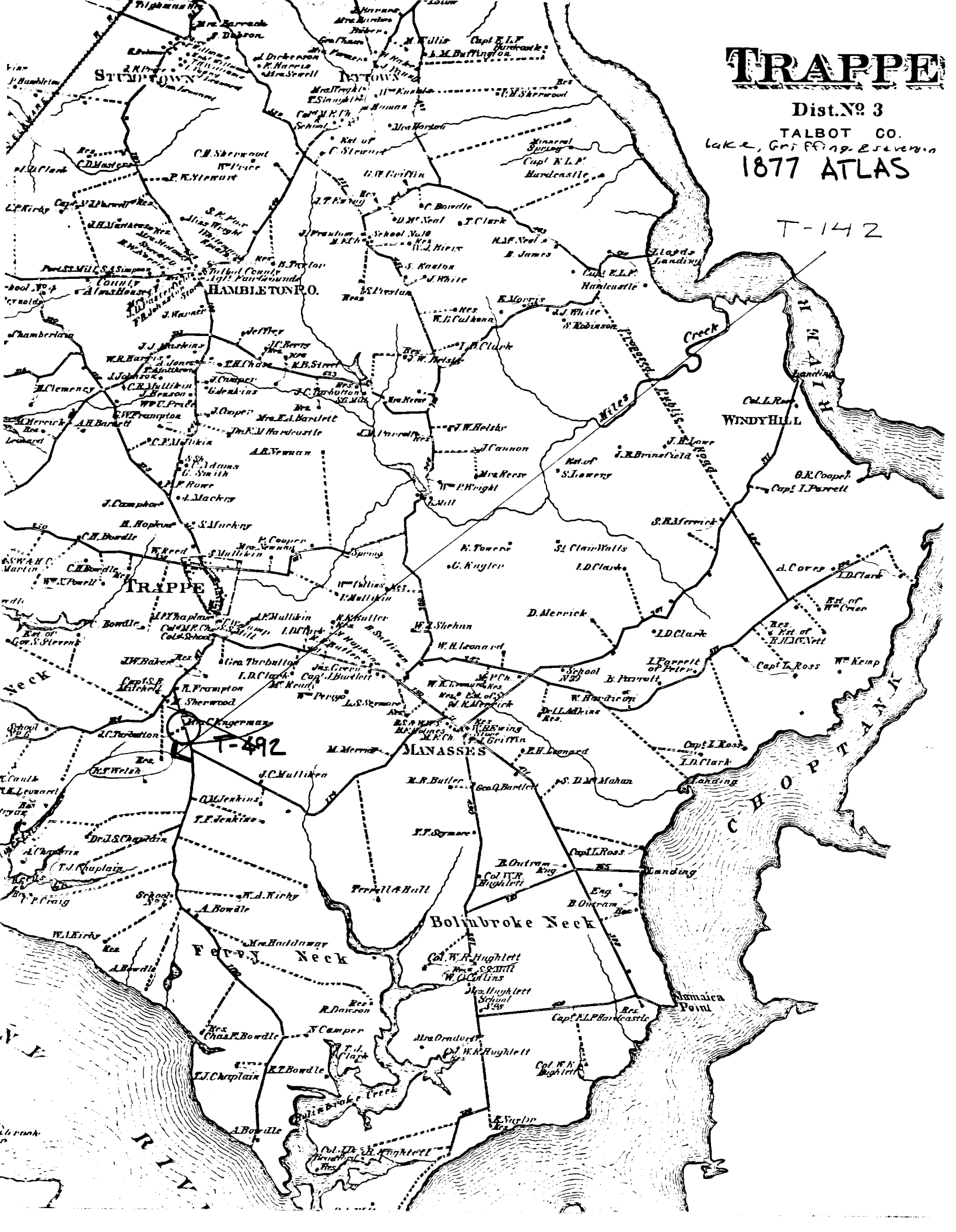
RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438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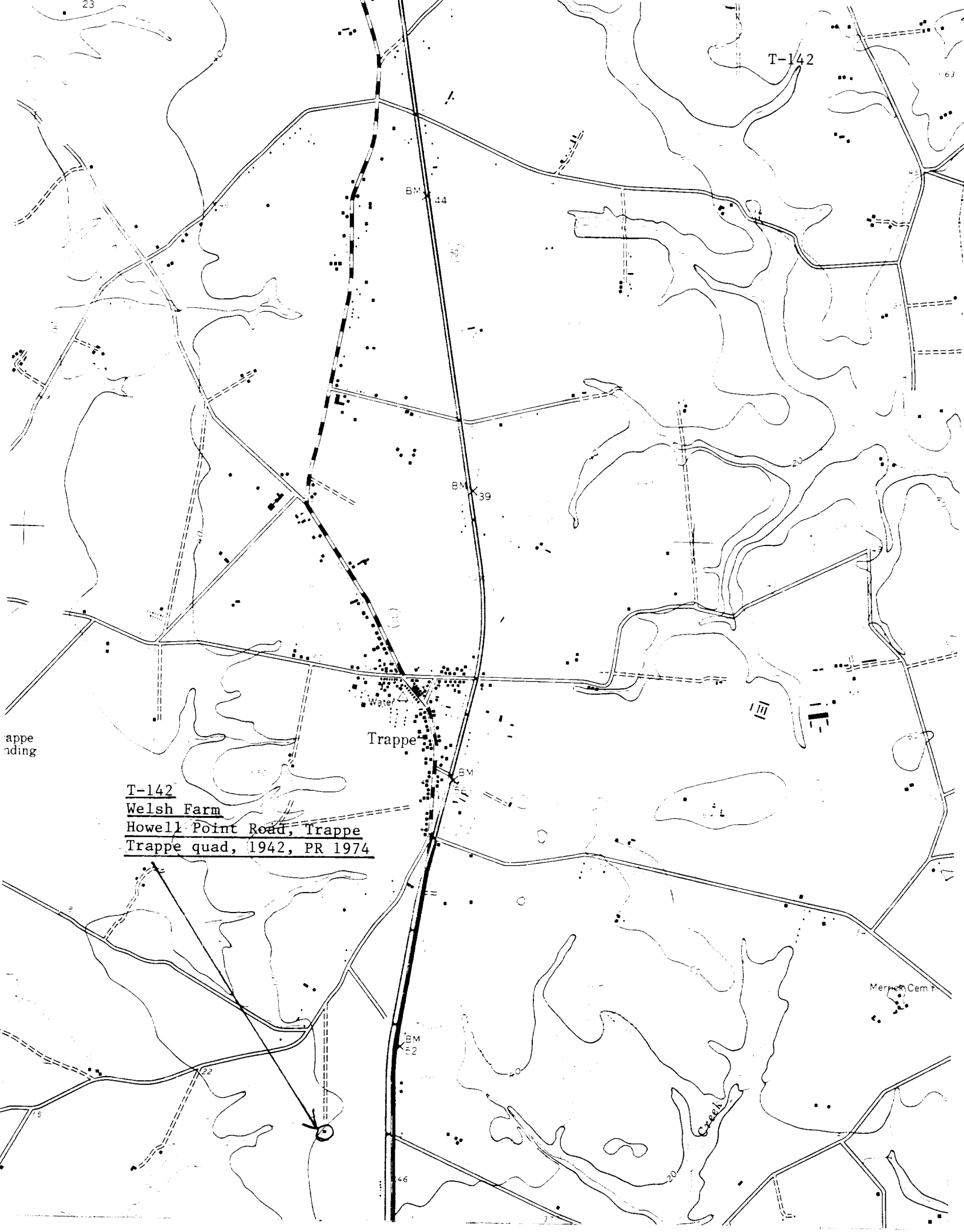
Dist. No 3
TALBOT CO.
Lake, Griffing & Severson
1877 ATLAS
T-142
T-492
STUMPTOWN
IVYTOWN
HAMBLETON P.O.
TRAPPE
MANASSES
WINDY HILL
Bolinbroke Neck
Ferry Neck
Jamaica Point
Miles Creek
Proposed Public Road
Bolinbroke Creek
CHOPTANK
RIVER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Trappe
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Creek
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Welsh Farm
Howell Point Road, Trappe
Trappe quad, 1942, PR 1974

12 x 1.53 75% 142

Welsh Farm

T- 142

South facade

M. Bourne

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