1977

S-183 c. 1860-1870
E.D. Long House and Store
Westover
Private

Centered in Westover, the E.D. Long House is the most prominent dwelling in size as well as architectural detail. Corner pilasters frame the large two-story center hall house and a bracketed eave stretches around the perimeter of the roof. Twin corbelled brick chimneys pierce the roofline and add further distinction to the well-built dwelling. The Tuscan columned front porch as well as the two-story bay windows were sympathetic additions.

William T. Tull is credited with the construction of the house around 1860-1877. His patron listing in the 1877 atlas as merchant is verified by a statement in the May 3, 1894 transfer of the property from Thomas J. and Sarah Dixon to E.D. Long (HFL 14/415),

> This property being the homestead of the late William T. Tull with all the buildings thereon consisting of a dwelling and store house combined, store house and large barn and a priveledge of a waterway to drain said property.

The Long family has owned this property since then and was known countywide for the Long Brothers' store, which until recently, stood next to the house. A large board and batten frame barn, formerly used as a livery stable stands behind the store site as does a small frame privy.

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NPS Form 10-900
(Oct. 1990)

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National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form* (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name TULL, WILLIAM T., HOUSE

other names/site number Long, E.D., House

2. Location

street & number West side of MD 413 N/A ☐ not for publication

city or town Westover N/A ☐ vicinity

state Maryland code MD county Somerset code 030 zip code 21871

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended, I hereby certify that this ☒ nomination ☐ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property ☒ meets ☐ does not meet the National Register criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant ☐ nationally ☐ statewide ☒ locally. (☐ See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER 2-2-96
Signature of certifying official/Title Date

State of Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property ☐ meets ☐ does not meet the National Register criteria. (☐ See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of certifying official/Title Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that the property is: Signature of the Keeper Date of Action

☐ entered in the National Register.
☐ See continuation sheet.

☐ determined eligible for the National Register
☐ See continuation sheet.

☐ determined not eligible for the National Register.

☐ removed from the National Register.

☐ other, (explain:) _____

TULL, WILLIAM T., HOUSE
Name of Property

Somerset County, MD
County and State

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5. Classification

Ownership of Property
(Check as many boxes as apply)

- [X] private
- [ ] public-local
- [ ] public-State
- [ ] public-Federal

Category of Property
(Check only one box)

- [X] building(s)
- [ ] district
- [ ] site
- [ ] structure
- [ ] object

Number of Resources within Property
(Do not include previously listed resources in the count.)

Contributing	Noncontributing	
2		buildings
		sites
		structures
		objects
2	0	Total

Name of related multiple property listing
(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

N/A

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register

0

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

DOMESTIC/single dwelling
COMMERCE/TRADE/department store

Current Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

DOMESTIC/single dwelling

7. Description

Architectural Classification
(Enter categories from instructions)

GREEK REVIVAL/ITALIANATE

Materials
(Enter categories from instructions)

foundation Brick
walls Weatherboard
roof Asbestos
other

Narrative Description
(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

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DESCRIPTION SUMMARY:

The William T. Tull House is a two-story, three-bay, center passage/double-pile plan dwelling, erected around 1860 in the village of Westover, Somerset County, Maryland. The frame house rests on a continuous brick foundation, and is sheathed with weatherboards and trimmed with corner pilasters and bracketed eaves. A Tuscan columned porch spans the south (main) facade, and a pair of two-story bay windows marks the east gable end. Two narrow brick interior chimneys with dentiled caps rise through the ridge of the steeply pitched gable roof. The exterior decorative detailing combines features associated with the Greek Revival and Italianate styles in a manner characteristic of the vernacular architecture of the Eastern Shore region in the mid-19th century. The interior is finished with woodwork typical of the period, including architraves with bull's-eye corner blocks, a turned baluster stair, and fireplace mantels. Also on the property is a small mid-19th century frame wash house.

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The William T. Tull house is located in the center of the village of Westover, Somerset County, Maryland. The house faces south; the east gable end faces MD Route 413.

The large rectangular house is a two-story, three-bay, double-pile frame building supported by a low brick foundation. The center-passage-plan dwelling is sheathed with plain weatherboards, and the steeply pitched roof is covered with asbestos shingles. Also on the lot is a small mid-19th century gable-roofed frame wash house.

The south (main) facade is a three-bay elevation with a center entrance sheltered by a single-story Tuscan columned porch (an early 20th century addition). The double front door is partially glazed and it is flanked by paired two-over-two sash windows to the east and a single six-over-six sash window to the west. The window openings are fitted with louvered shutters. The second floor is marked by three unevenly spaced six-over six sash windows that retain louvered shutters as well. A bracketed cornice defines the base of the roof, and plain pilasters highlight the corners of the main block. A pair of narrow brick chimneys rise through the center of the house and are finished with corbelled and dentiled caps.

The east gable end is dominated by a pair of two-story bay windows that were added around 1895-1900. The windows are fitted with Queen Anne style sash, with small lights bordering a large pane in the upper sash. Fixed in the upper gable end is a six-over-six sash window with louvered shutters. The extended eave at the gable end is fitted with decorative brackets.

The north (rear) elevation is detailed in a similar manner to the front of the house, with a central entrance flanked by six-over-six sash windows. The door is sheltered by a Colonial Revival single-bay covered stoop. Brackets embellish the eaves, and pilasters trim the corners.

The west side of the house is covered by a two-story, one-bay by one-room wide wing and a single-story pantry that once served as

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a kitchen. A single-story colonnade and a two-story kitchen was formerly attached to the west gable end, but these were torn down during the early part of the twentieth century.

The interior retains a substantial portion of its mid- to late nineteenth century woodwork. The configuration of the center hall has been modified with a turn in the passage at the south end. According to the current owners, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Long, Jr., the staircase was reworked to its present configuration during the late nineteenth century. A bold turned newel post and turned balusters support a molded handrail.

The building conforms to the center-passage, double-pile floor plan commonly associated with residential buildings in the region during the period; documentary sources indicate that a portion of the house was used for commercial purposes during the nineteenth century. East of the center hall are two large rooms lighted by three-sided bay windows. The door and window openings are framed by architraves with bull's-eye corner blocks. Fixed against the inner wall of the northeast dining room is a Victorian mantel with no fireplace, while a mid-twentieth century Colonial Revival mantel frames the fireplace in the southeast parlor. A wide opening in the partition wall, framed by a corner block surround, allows movement between the two rooms.

On the west side of the hall are two smaller rooms fitted with mid-nineteenth century mantels. Plain pilasters rise to a plain frieze that supports a thick board shelf. Four-panel doors are framed by plain surrounds. Closets have been added to the southwest room, while the northwest room was remodeled as a kitchen during the past fifteen years.

The second floor is divided into four bedrooms that open off a center hall. The open string staircase rises to a partially finished attic. On the west side of the hall, the rooms are finished with plain surrounds that frame four-panel doors. There is a mantel in the northwest bedroom, which has been partitioned to create an upstairs bathroom. On the east side of the hallway, bulls-eye block surrounds frame four-panel doors, and a molded baseboard trims the perimeter of the room.

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Directly southwest of the house, and contemporaneous with it, is a single-story, squarish frame wash house sheathed with plain weatherboards and covered by steeply pitched gable roof. The interior is finished in plaster on lath, and is divided into two rooms. A board-and-batten door opens into the larger of the two rooms. A shed addition extends the building to the west.

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TULL, WILLIAM T., HOUSE
Name of Property

Somerset County, MD
County and State

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria
(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

- ☐ **A** Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- ☐ **B** Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- ☒ **C** Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- ☐ **D** Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations
(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

Property is:

- ☐ **A** owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- ☐ **B** removed from its original location.
- ☐ **C** a birthplace or grave.
- ☐ **D** a cemetery.
- ☐ **E** a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- ☐ **F** a commemorative property.
- ☐ **G** less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance
(Enter categories from instructions)

Architecture

Period of Significance

c.1860-c.1920

Significant Dates

c.1860

Significant Person
(Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

N/A

Cultural Affiliation

N/A

Architect/Builder

Unknown

Narrative Statement of Significance
(Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.) SEE CONTINUATION SHEET NO. 6

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography SEE CONTINUATION SHEET NO. 10
(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- ☐ preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- ☐ previously listed in the National Register
- ☐ previously determined eligible by the National Register
- ☐ designated a National Historic Landmark
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary location of additional data:

- ☐ State Historic Preservation Office
- ☐ Other State agency
- ☐ Federal agency
- ☐ Local government
- ☐ University
- ☒ Other

Name of repository:

Somerset County Historical Trust

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SIGNIFICANCE SUMMARY:

The William T. Tull House is significant under Criterion C as an example of the mid-19th century transition from traditional building practice to popular architectural forms. The building's handcrafted heavy timber structural framing, essentially symmetrical elevations, and center passage/double-pile floor plan reflect longstanding vernacular traditions in the Eastern Shore region; other features of the house reflect popular architectural trends and changing construction technology of the mid-19th century. The bracketed eaves and corner pilasters illustrate the influence of picturesque architectural styles promulgated through mid-19th century pattern books and builders' manuals. Many of the architectural elements, including the eave brackets, six-over-six sash windows, louvered shutters, turned newel posts and balusters, reflect the increasing availability of machine-made, mass-produced building parts in the period.

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HISTORIC CONTEXT:

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

Geographic Organization: Eastern Shore

Chronological/Developmental Period(s):

Agricultural/industrial transition, A.D. 1815-1870

Industrial/urban dominance, A.D. 1870-1930

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Architecture/Landscape Architecture/Community Planning

Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Rural

Historic Function(s) and Use(s):

DOMESTIC/single dwelling
COMMERCE/TRADE/department store

Known Design Source: none

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RESOURCE HISTORY:

The house was constructed for William T. and Eleanor P. Tull around 1860 on land Eleanor had purchased in May 1854. Erected on part of the 540 acre plantation known as "Cedar Hill", the house was sited a distance from the eighteenth century plantation complex (S-195) at a new location that suggests the Tulls foresaw the economic and physical changes that would come to the area with the construction of the Eastern Shore Railroad to Crisfield. Although a Maryland connection to the Delaware Railroad only stretched as far as Salisbury in 1860, the surveyor's report for the route to the Annemessex had been completed by 1858. Clearly the Tulls anticipated the economic growth that would take place, and they took advantage of the situation by acquiring the land on which the new village would develop.

William T. Tull married Eleanor P. Stewart on December 11, 1845, and nine years later she is recorded as the grantee in the transaction to purchase the Cedar Hill plantation, comprising 540 acres along with a substantial 18th-century dwelling (S-195) and outbuildings. The Tulls probably occupied the Cedar Hill house until they erected a new dwelling on a section of the plantation near the path of the new railroad.

In the 1870 U.S. Census, William T. Tull, aged 50, is listed as a relatively well-off merchant with real estate and personal property valued at over $12,000. He is listed with Eleanor, aged 52. William T. Tull is designated at this location in Brinkley's District of the 1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson atlas, and he is listed as a merchant owning 400 acres.

Eleanor P. Tull died in 1885 and in her will she bequeathed all her real estate to her husband William, with the provision that after his death the property was to be divided between her nephew's daughter, Margaret Dixon and other heirs. William died around 1887, and the property was sold in May 1894 to Edwin D. Long for $2,500. The property was described as:

> . . . the homestead of the late William T. Tull with all the buildings thereon consisting of a dwelling and store combined, store house, and large barn and a privilege of

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a waterway to drain said property....

The Long family has owned the property continuously since that date. During the Longs' occupation, the pair of two-story bay windows was added on the east end, the front porch was reworked with Tuscan columns, and limited remodeling was carried out on the interior.

The period of significance, ca. 1860-ca. 1920, begins with the initial construction and ends with the date by which the building had substantially achieved its present appearance.

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Name of Property

Somerset County, MD
County and State

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property approximately .25 acre
USGS quad: Kingston, MD

UTM References
(Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet.)

	Zone	Easting	Northing
1	18	438100	4219780
2			
3			
4			

☐ See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description
(Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)
SEE CONTINUATION SHEET NO. 11

Boundary Justification SEE CONTINUATION SHEET NO. 11
(Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Paul B. Touart, Architectural Historian

organization Private Consultant date 25 April 1994

street & number P.O. Box 5 telephone (410) 651-1094

city or town Westover state MD zip code 21871

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

A **USGS map** (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A **Sketch map** for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative **black and white photographs** of the property.

Additional Items
(Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of SHPO or FPO.)

name Mr. & Mrs. E. D. Long, Jr.

street & number P.O. Box 157 telephone

city or town Westover state MD zip code 21871

Paperwork Reduction Act Statement: This information is being collected for applications to the National Register of Historic Places to nominate properties for listing or determine eligibility for listing, to list properties, and to amend existing listings. Response to this request is required to obtain a benefit in accordance with the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended (16 U.S.C. 470 *et seq.*).

Estimated Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 18.1 hours per response including time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this form to the Chief, Administrative Services Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127; and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reductions Projects (1024-0018), Washington, DC 20503.

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BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION:

Beginning at a point on the southeast corner of Parcel 142 as designated on Somerset County tax map 32, a point that joins MD Route 413 and the adjacent Parcel 199, thence by and with the line of MD Route 413 in a northeasterly direction for one hundred fifty (150) feet to a point northeast of the house, thence in a northwesterly direction parallel with the lot line of the property of or formerly of Guy Windsor for one hundred (100) feet to a point northwest of the house, and thence by and with the north boundary line of Parcel 199 to the place of beginning, containing a quarter of an acre more or less.

BOUNDARY JUSTIFICATION:

The nominated property, one quarter acre, includes the domestic yard immediately surrounding the house and wash house and provides an appropriate setting for the resource. The boundaries exclude adjacent open space which does not directly contribute to the significance of the resource.

See Continuation Sheet No. 12

Survey No. S-183

Magi No. 2001835504

DOE __yes __no

Maryland Historical Trust
State Historic Sites Inventory Form

1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic William T. Tull House

and/or common E. D. Long House and Store

2. Location

street & number Route 413 (Crisfield Westover Road) ___ not for publication

city, town Westover ___ vicinity of **congressional district** 1

state Maryland **county** 21871

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
___ district	___ public	___ occupied	___ agriculture	___ museum
_X_ building(s)	_X_ private	___ unoccupied	___ commercial	___ park
___ structure	___ both	___ work in progress	___ educational	___ private residence
___ site	**Public Acquisition**	**Accessible**	___ entertainment	___ religious
___ object	___ in process	___ yes: restricted	___ government	___ scientific
	___ being considered	___ yes: unrestricted	___ industrial	___ transportation
	_X_ not applicable	___ no	___ military	___ other:

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

name Edwin and Jean Long

street & number Route 413 telephone no.: 651-2484

city, town Westover, Md. state and zip code 21871

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Somerset County Clerk of Court liber

street & number Somerset County Courthouse folio

city, town Princess Anne, Maryland **state** 21853

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date ___ federal ___ state ___ county ___ local

depository for survey records

city, town **state**

7. Description

Survey No. S-183

Condition		Check one	Check one
X excellent	___ deteriorated	___ unaltered	X original site
___ good	___ ruins	X altered	___ moved date of move _____
___ fair	___ unexposed		

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

The E. D. Long House is situated in the center of Westover, Maryland and on the west side of Maryland Route 413. The east gable end faces the road, while the main facade faces southwest. Standing behind the house and facing 413 is the Long Brothers' store.

The large squarish frame house is two stories high, three bays across and two rooms deep. A steeply pitched asphalt tile roof covers the house, and it rests on a minimal brick foundation.

The southwest (main) facade is a symmetrical three bays with center entrance and flanking 6/6 sash windows. The window right of the entrance has been altered with a paired 2/2 window. All windows have louvered shutters. The front entrance has a glazed double door. Around 1900-1920 the front porch was rebuilt and extended to cover the entire facade instead of just the entrance bay. Tuscan columns replaced turned Victorian posts. Stretching above the second floor windows is a bracketed cornice that continues around the full perimeter of the roof. Framing the house on each corner are pilasters. A pair of corbelled brick chimmenys with a dentil row below the cap rise from the center of the house and on axis with the roof peak.

The east gable end is dominated by a pair of two-story three sided bay windows which were added around 1880-1900. Multi-pane windows occupy the upper sash while the lower sash is one large window. A 6/6 sash window lights the attic.

The northeast (rear) facade is simply detailed with a center entrance, gabled stoop, and flanking 6/6 sash windows. Brackets and corner pilasters remain the same. On the west gable end, a two story one-room plan addition and a pantry largely cover the side wall of the main house.

Inside, the house is divided into four rooms; two to either side of a center hall. A single run of stairs rises to the second floor and consists of a heavily turned newel post and turned balusters. Early 20th-century remodeling has removed original mantels except in the northwest room which is now used as a kitchen. A plain c. 1860 post and lintel type mantel remains on the interior wall surface.

Directly adjacent to the soutwest corner of the house is a single story frame wash house with gabled sides and a shed to the west. The interior is partitioned as well as lathed and plastered. A board and batten door opens into the larger of the two rooms.

Standing northwest of the house is a large board and batten frame livery stable with gabled sides. The mortise and tenon frame structure is diveded on the first floor for animals and wagon storage, but the second floor was used for hay.

A large opening in the north gable end has a projecting roof which protects the hay loft doors and hay rack mechanism. Behind the barn is a weatherboard frame two-seat privy with gabled front and back. Wooden shafts rise from each seat and pierce the for air circulation. Each side wall is pierced by a lattice covered window opening.

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	_X_ commerce	___ exploration/settlement	___ philosophy	___ transportation	
___ 1900–	___ communications	___ industry	___ politics/government	___ other (specify)	
		___ 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 _X_ local

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

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9. Major Bibliographical References

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name Kingston **Quadrangle scale** 1:24000

UTM **References** do NOT complete UTM references

A	Zone	Easting	Northing	B	Zone	Easting	Northing
C				D			
E				F			
G				H			

Verbal boundary description and justification

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

state	code	county	code
state	code	county	code

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Paul Touart

organization Somerset County Historical Trust **date** 9/27/83

street & number 424 North Somerset Avenue **telephone**

city or town Princess Anne, **state** Maryland

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.

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The final structures on the property are two old store buildings. One is in process of being dismanteled due to a fire which gutted the c. 1870 gable front structure. The second store building is located next door and is used as a warehouse. Both stores have recessed entrances and front porches.

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CHAIN OF TITLE

William T. Tull House

ITP 320/294	Myra T. Long
Jan. 15, 1980	To
	Edwin D. Long Jr.
ITP 287/674	Myra T. Long
June 25, 1975	To
	Edwin D. Long Jr. Myra T. Long 13½ acres - plat map made by Levin Hall 11/7/1933
250/380	Virginia B. Miles
Dec. 20, 1970	To
	E. Dennet Long 13½ acres
258/378	E. Dennet Long
	To
Dec. 29, 1970	Virginia B. Miles
105/411	William B. Long and others
	To
Sept. 12, 1933	E. Dennett Long

H.F.L.
14/415

May 3, 1894

Thomas J. Dixon
Sarah Dixon

To

Edwin D. Long
$2,500.00
This property being the homestead of the late William T. Tull with all the buildings thereon consisting of a dwelling and store house combined, store house and large barn c. and a priveledge of a waterway to drain said property.

Wm T. Tull - deceased 1887
Dr. Samuel L. Tull - Administrator

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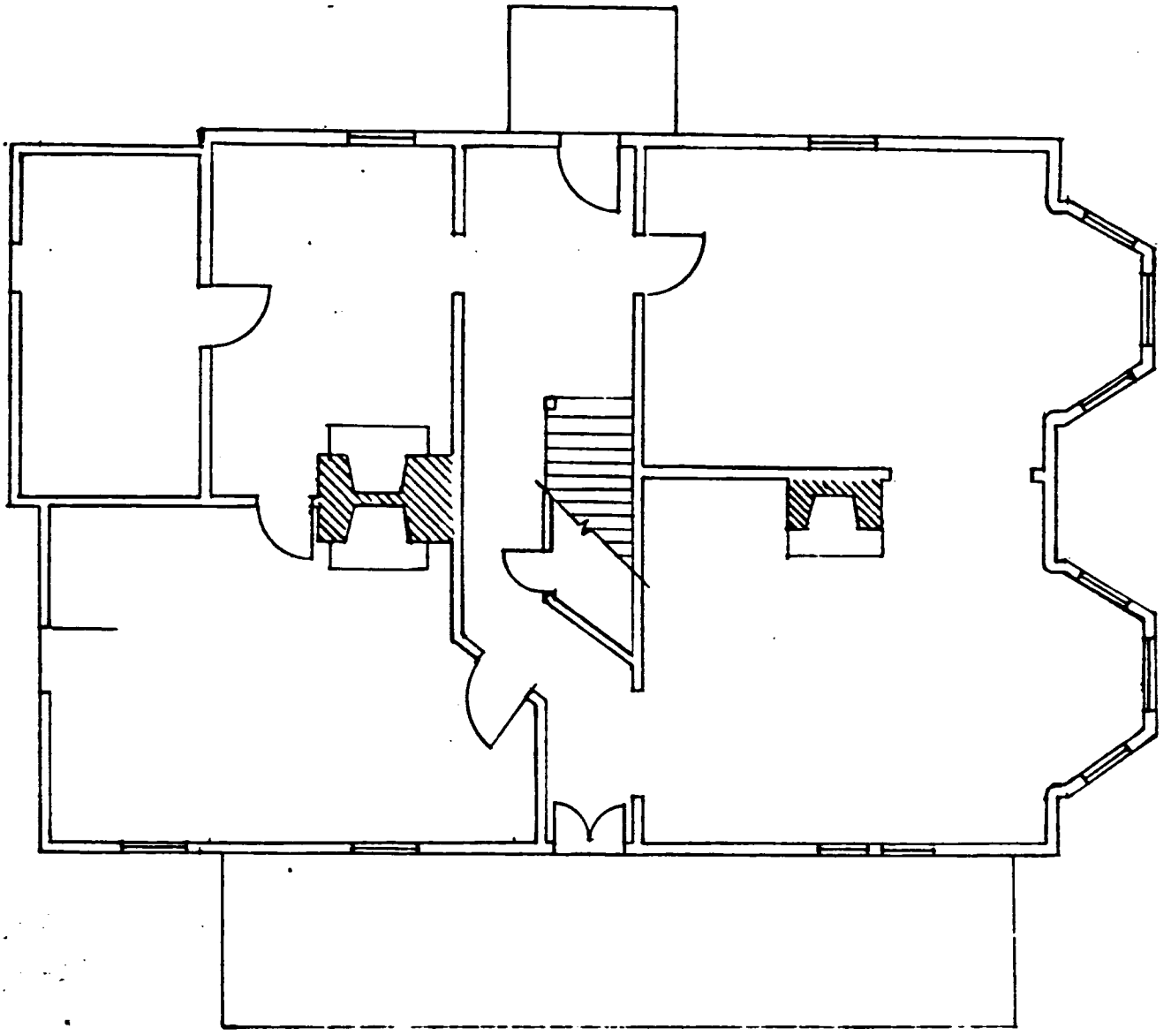

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1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson
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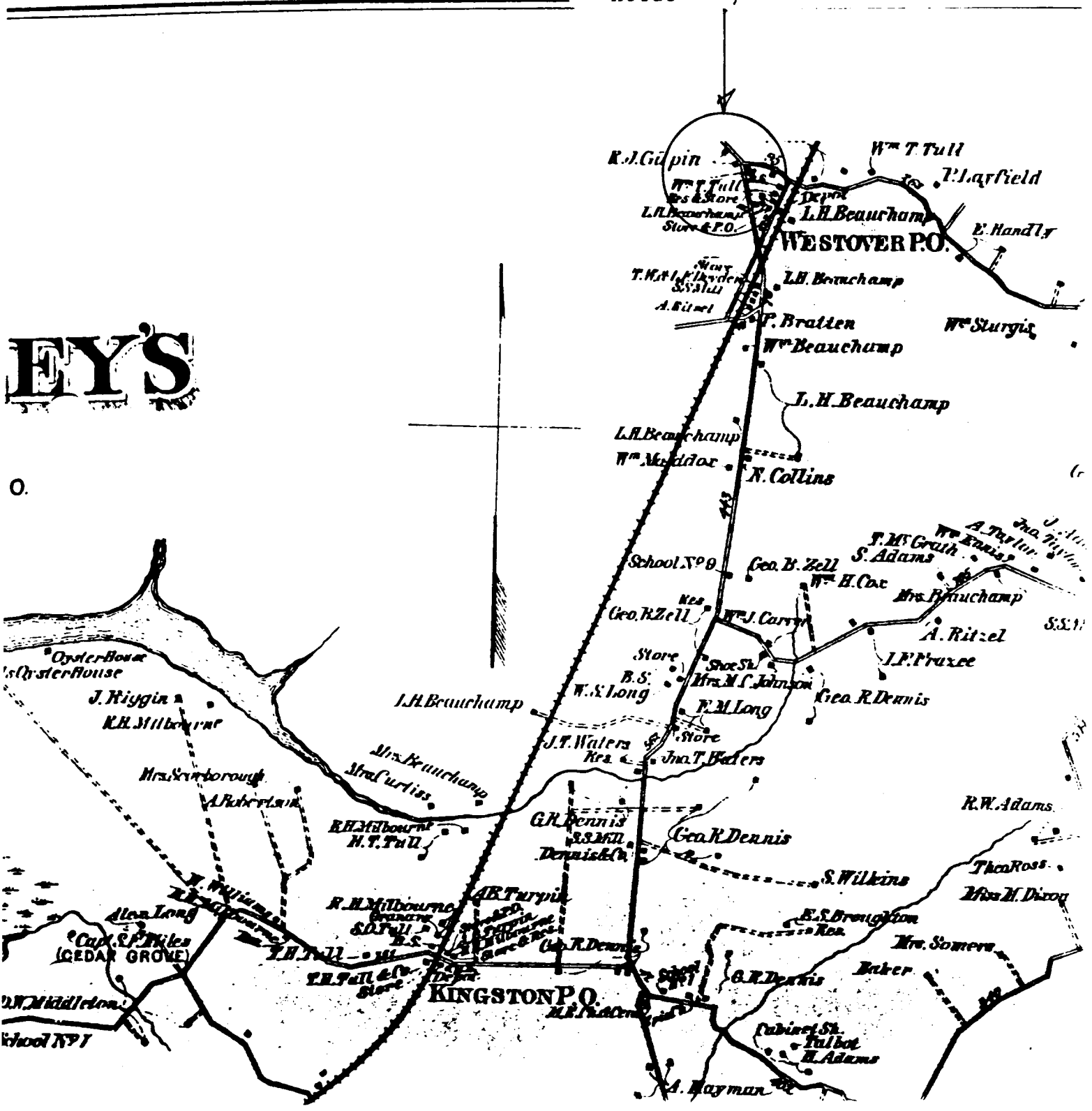

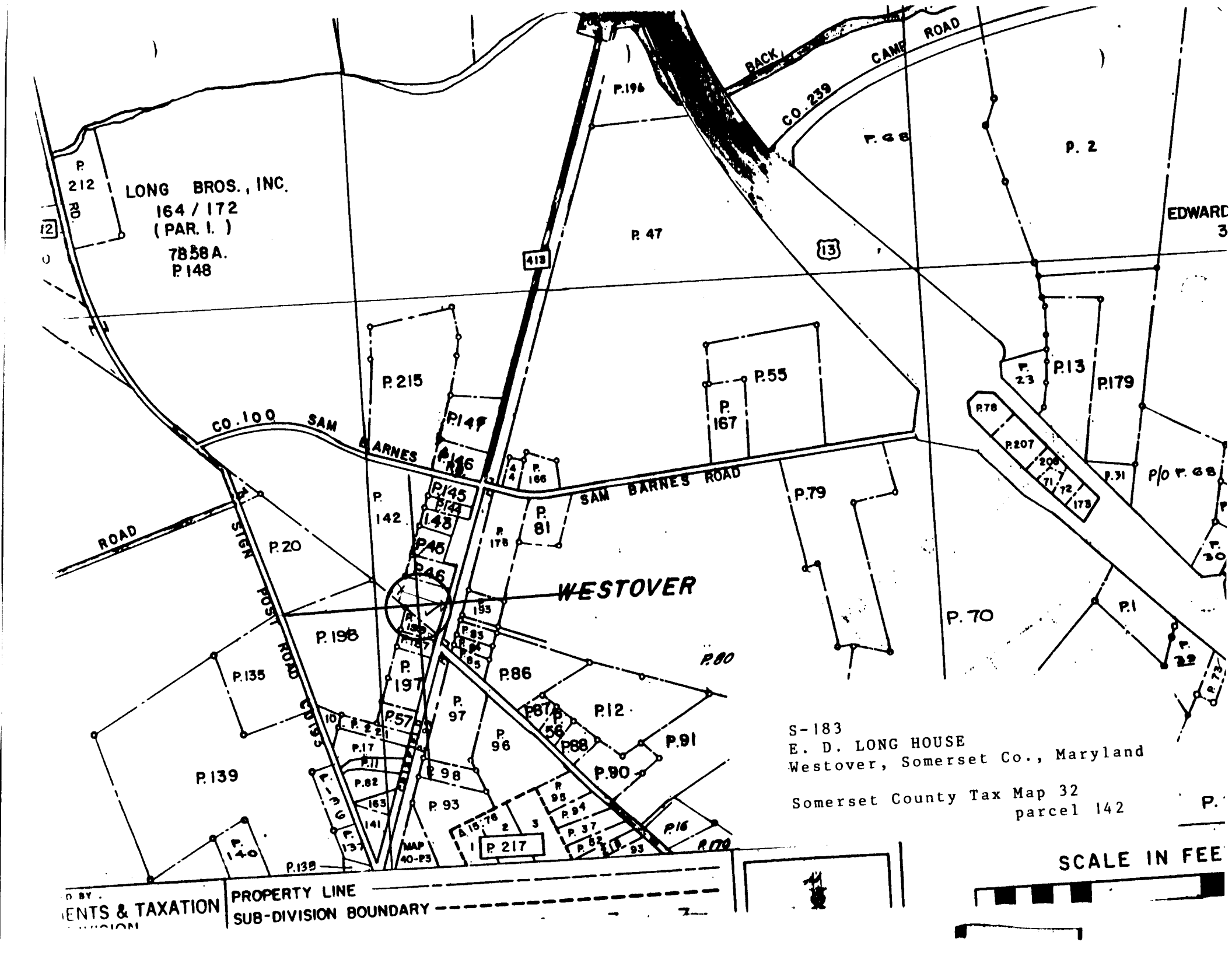

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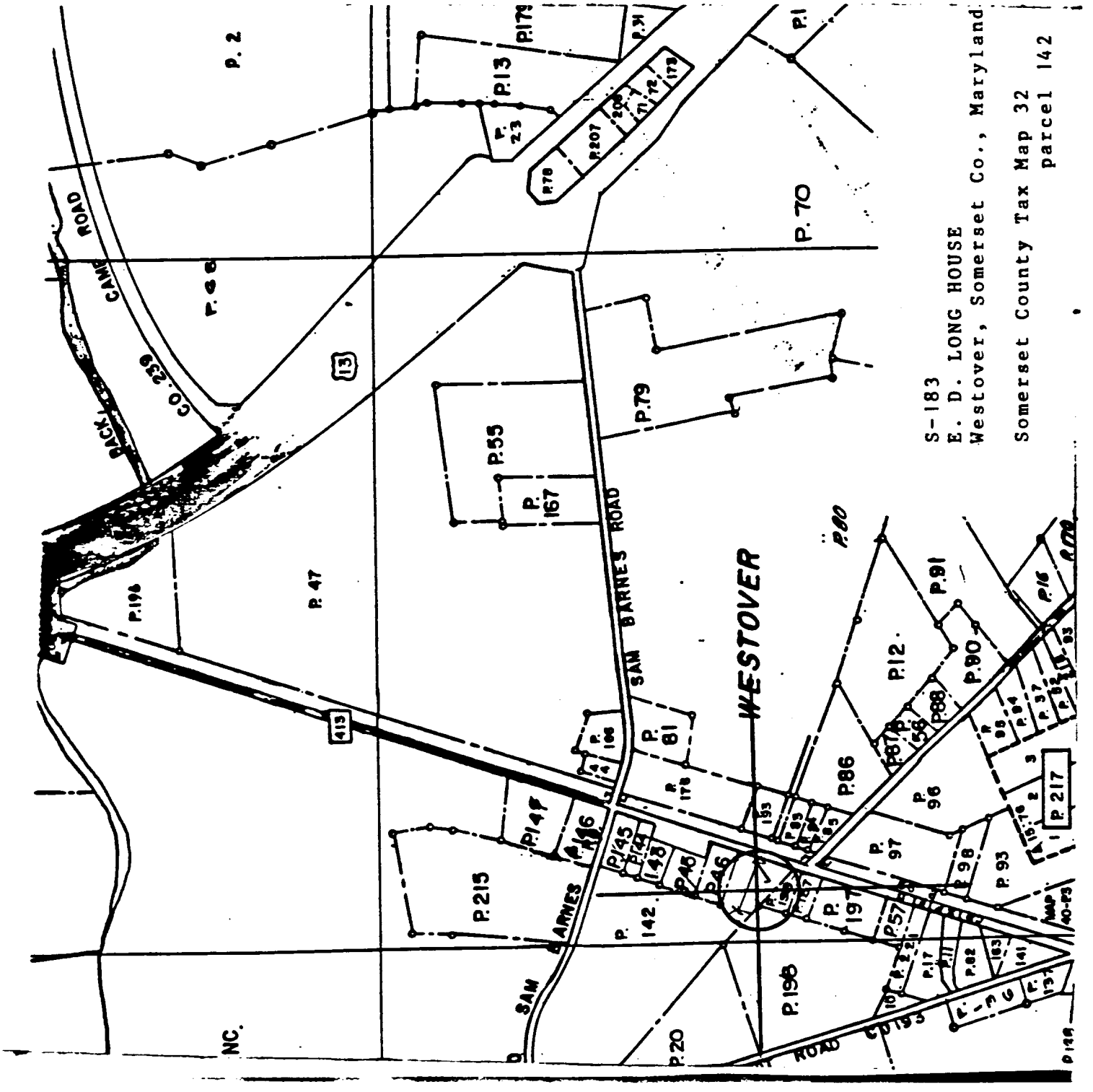

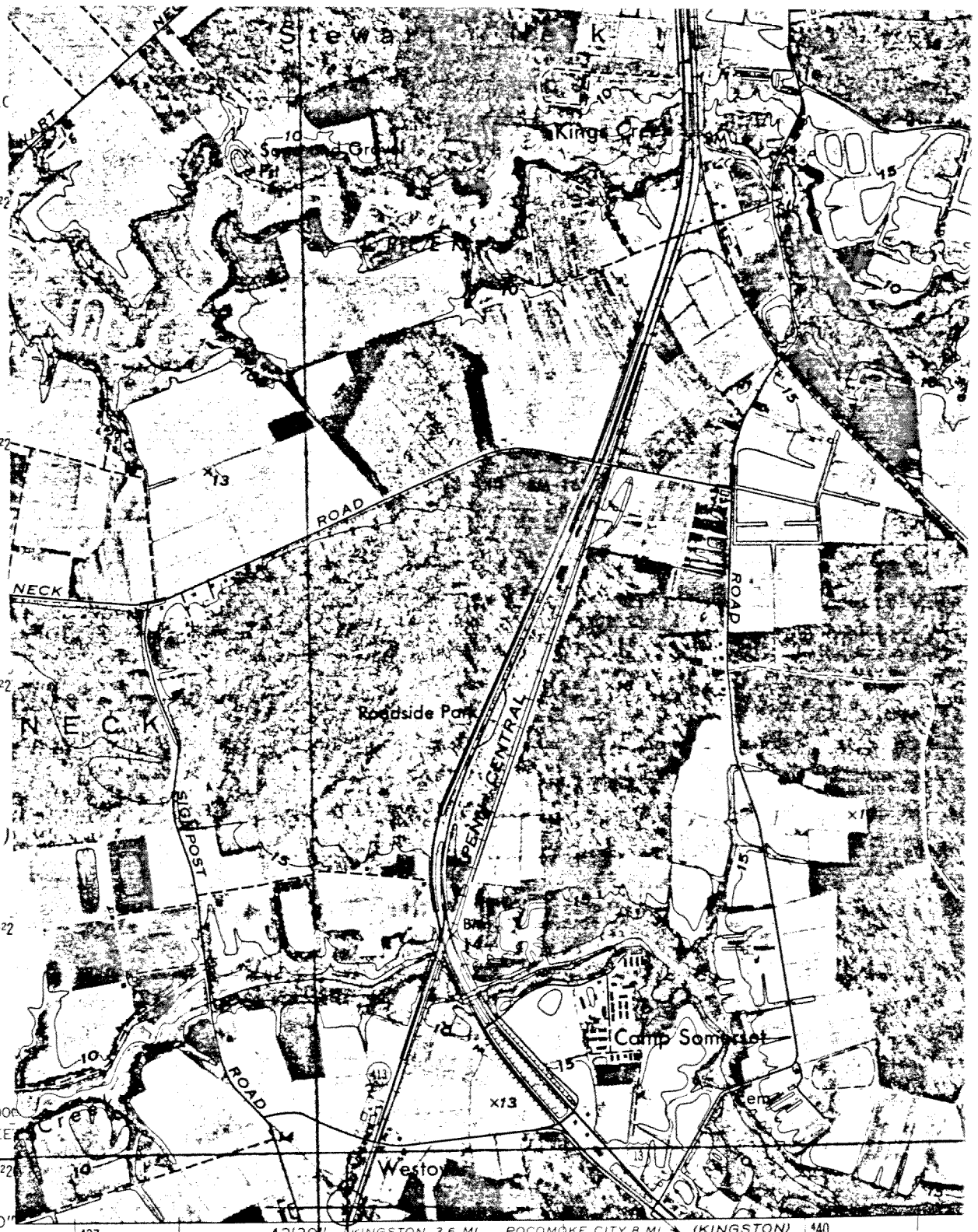

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T -, WILLIAM T., HOUSE

SOMERSET CO., MD

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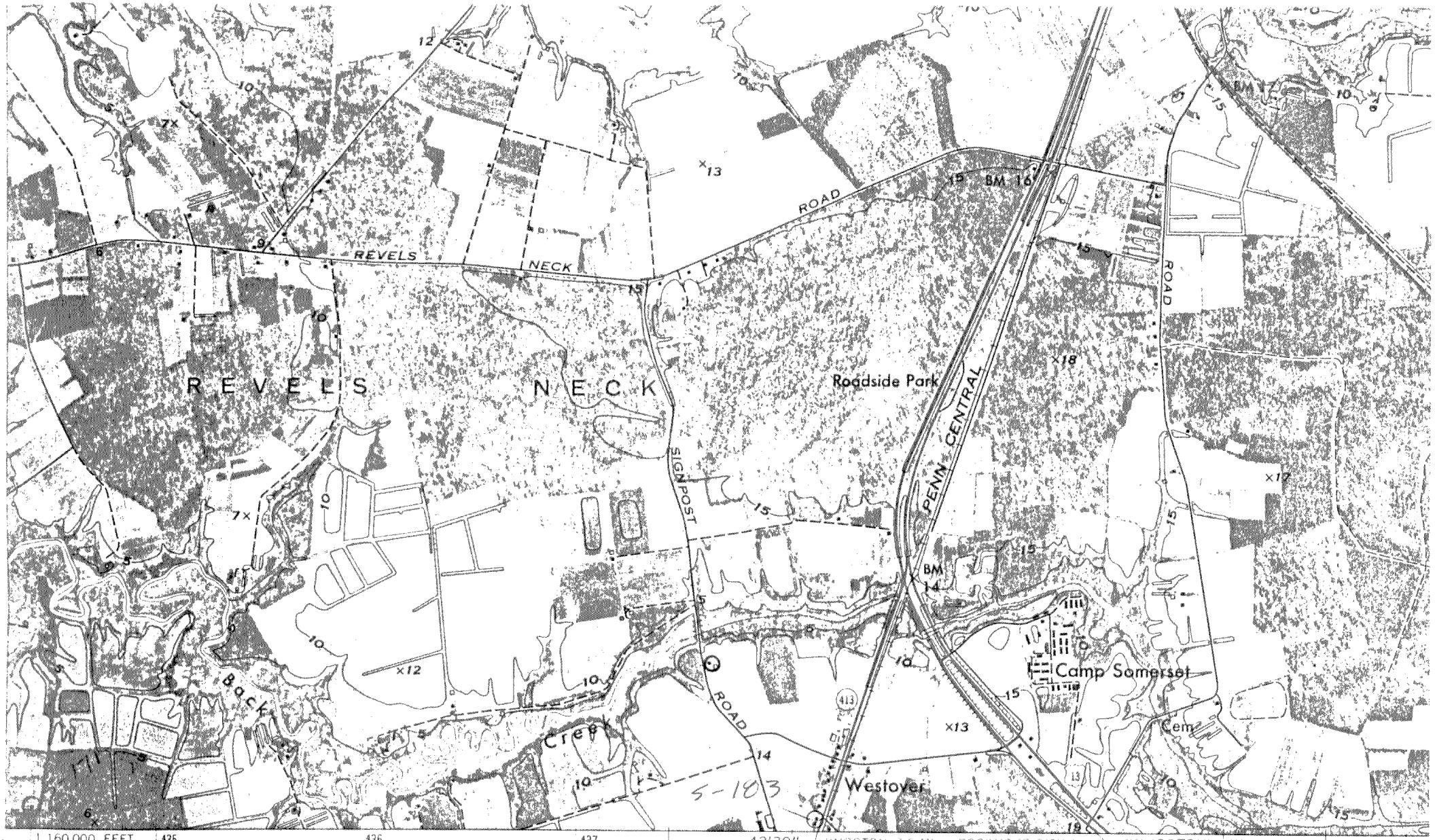

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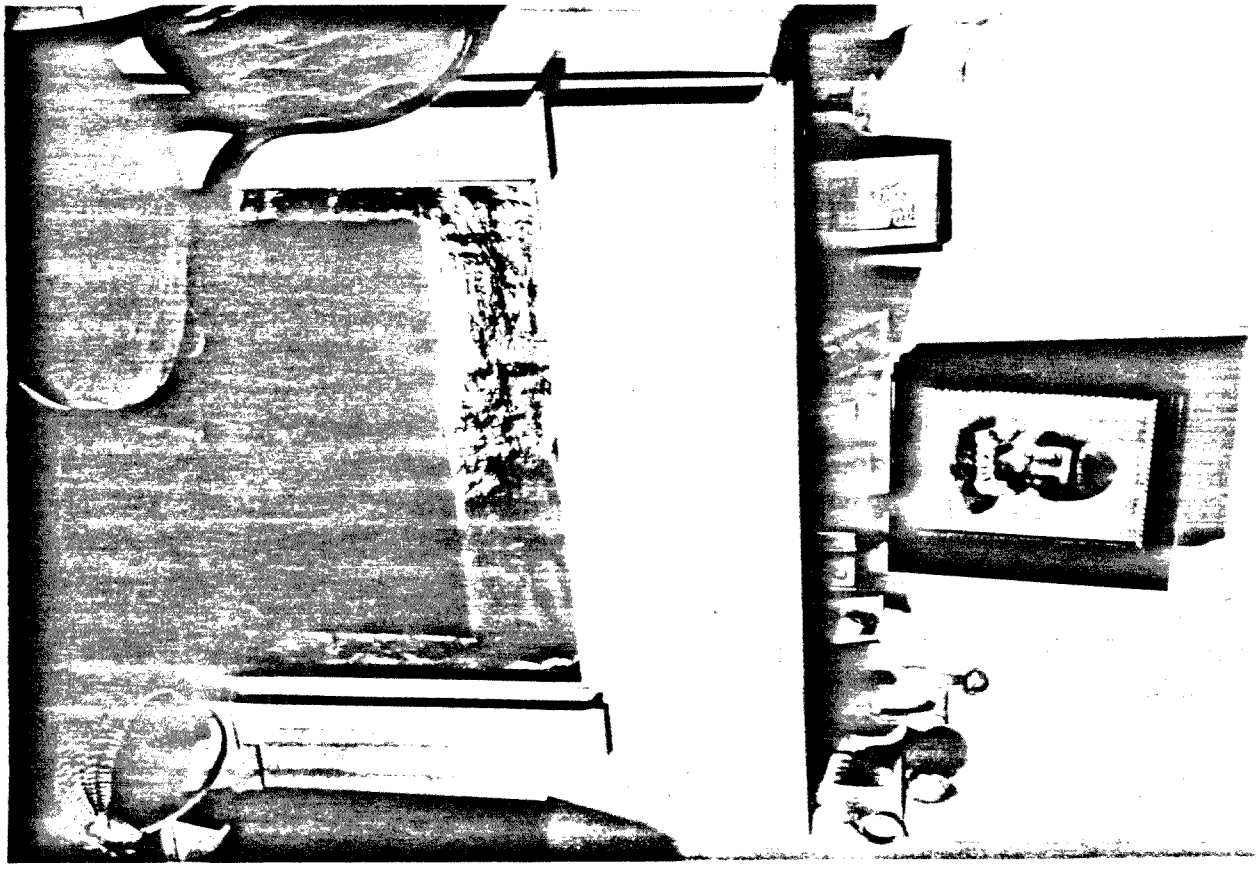

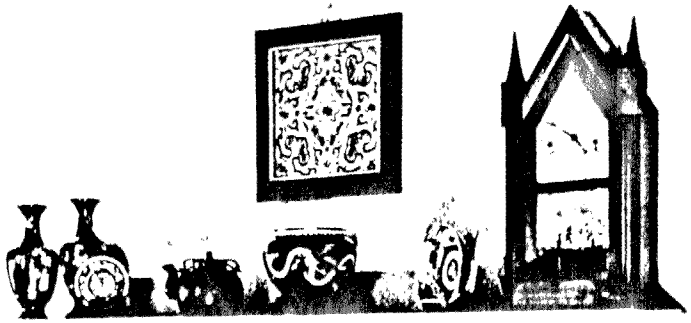

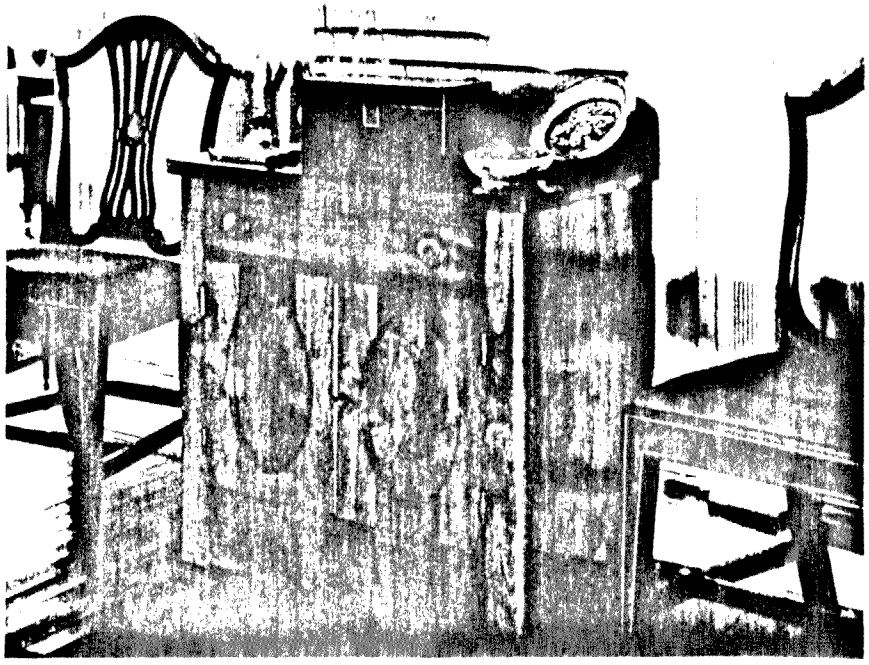

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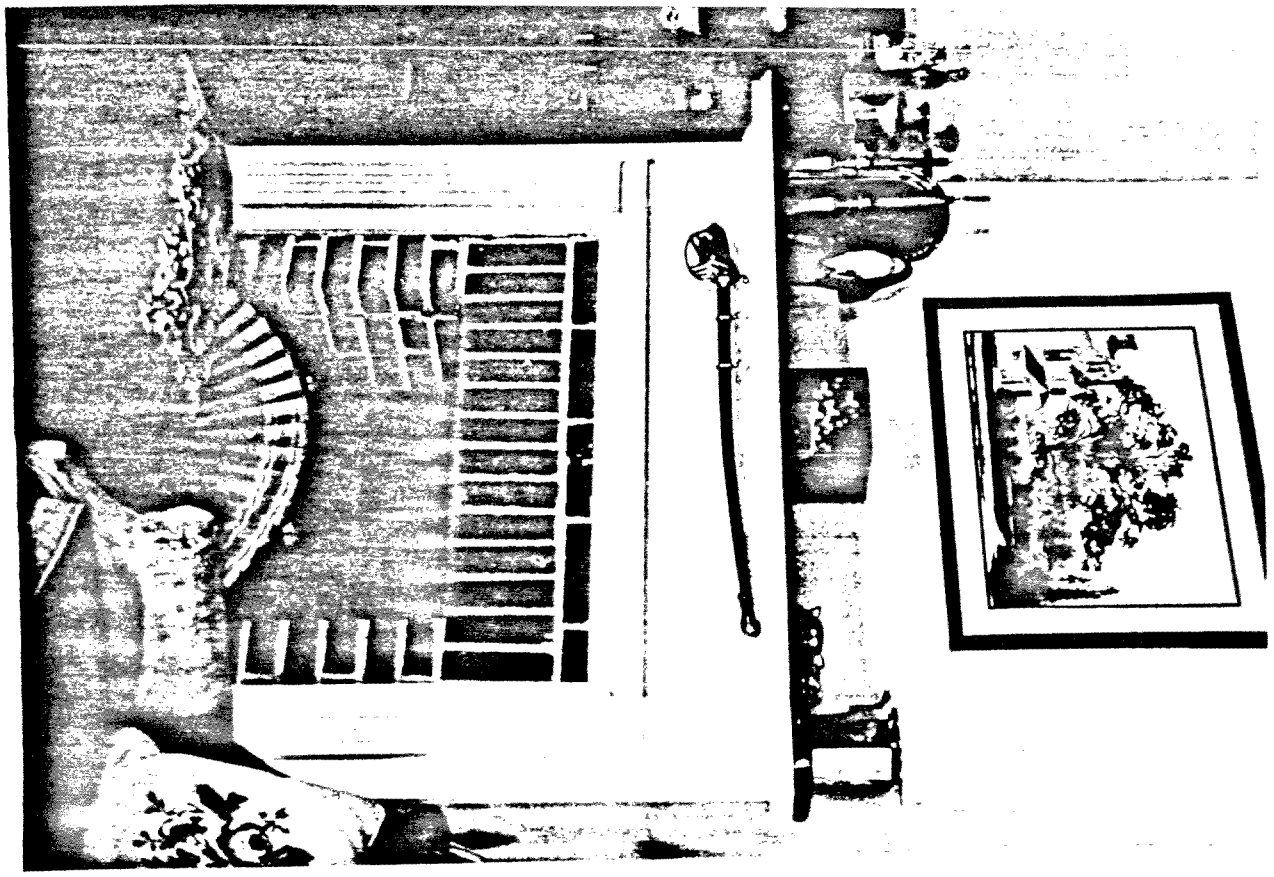

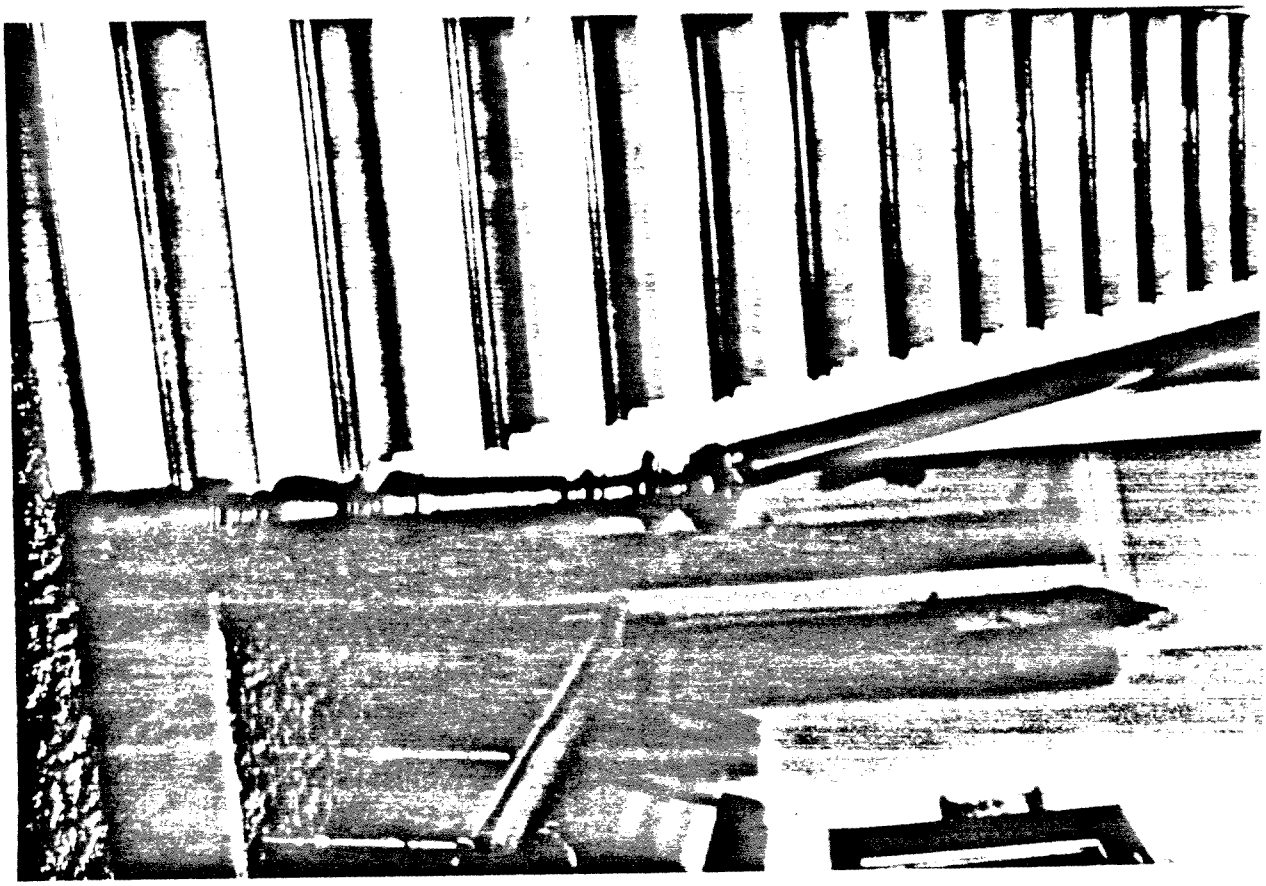

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Southeast Elevation
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Long's Store
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East Elevation
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E.D. Lung House and Store

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