

Site # WA-HAG-208

Date: 1887, 1920s

Property Name: (Historic) Hagerstown Lounge Company  
(Present) Beachley Furniture Company

Location: 227 North Prospect Street  
Hagerstown, Maryland

Access: private X, public \_\_\_

Description:

This factory building is a three story brick structure, 17 bays long on its North Prospect Street facade. After every two bays is a vertical brick pilaster, and several courses of brick corbeling finish the wall at the top. A glazed tile surface has been added to the first story at the south end of the building, probably in the 1960s. The north end may incorporate some of the original 1887 factory building.

Significance:

The Beachley Furniture Company (formerly known as the Beachley Reichard Furniture Company) was established in 1887 on this site as the Hagerstown Lounge Company which produced lounge chairs and parlor furniture. It was located along the Cumberland Valley, later Pennsylvania Railroad near that system's terminal and roundhouse. It is one of several furniture manufacturing concerns that flourished in Hagerstown in the early 20th century and gave the city a reputation as a center for manufacture of furniture. The Beachley Furniture Company continues to manufacture furniture today.

Historic Context:

Maryland Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan Data

Geographic Organization: Western Maryland

Chronological/Developmental Period(s):

Industrial/Urban Dominance

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Economic/Social/Cultural  
Architecture

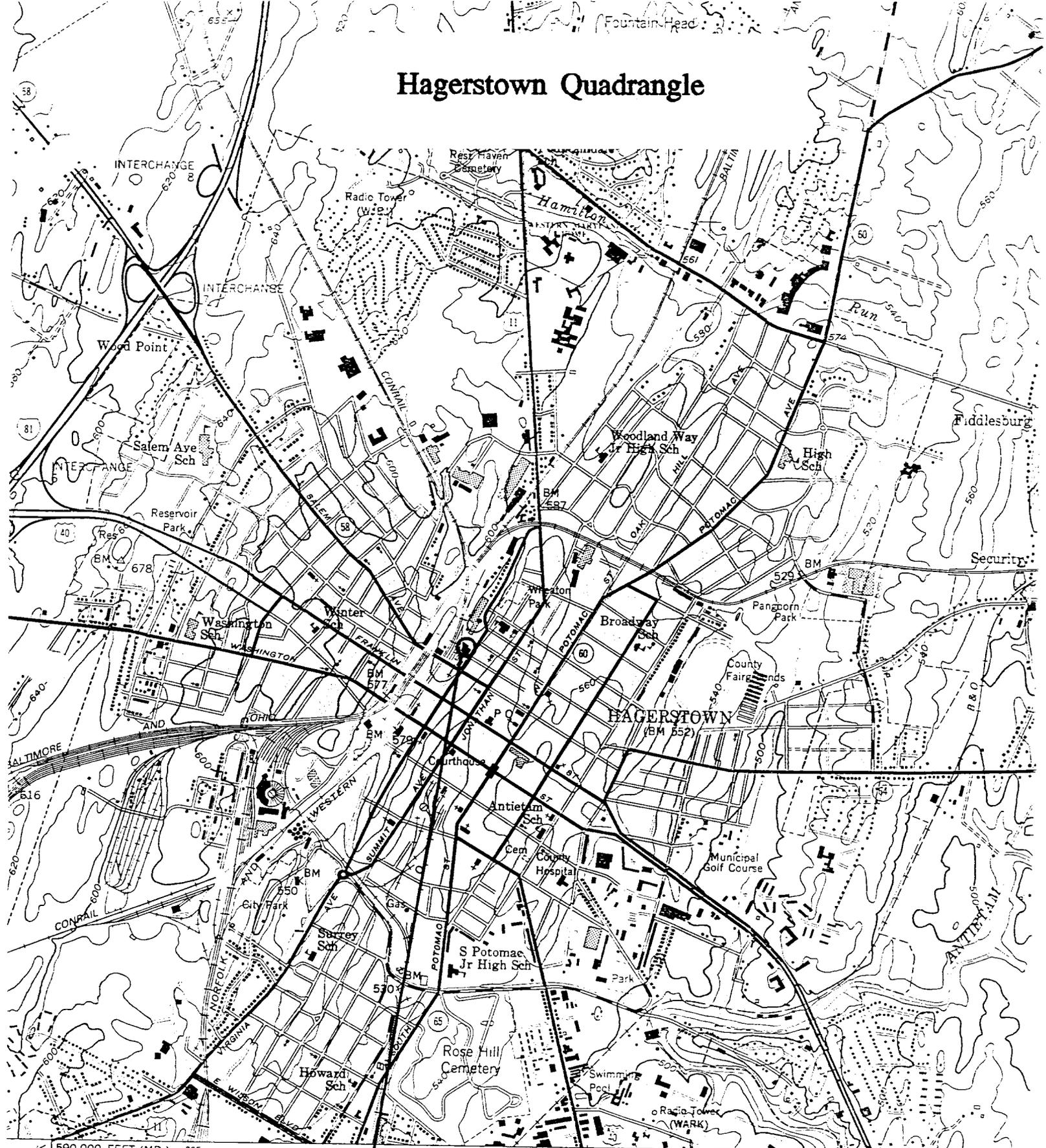
Resource Type: Rail-Related Resources

Category: Industrial

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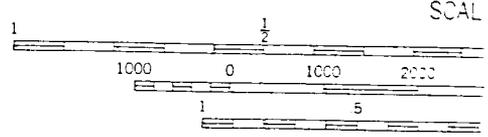
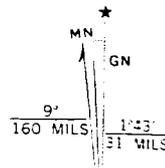
# Hagerstown Quadrangle



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