

WILLIAMSPORT, WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

Survey # * WA-WIL-015 Approximate date early 19th century
Street Address 14 South Conococheague Street
Town, State Williamsport, Maryland
private X, public

Description

Early 19th century two story, five bay brick house with a Flemish Bond facade and a central entrance. There is a large inside end chimney on the south wall. Illustrates the more substantial residential buildings of early 19th century Williamsport.

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):
Agricultural-Industrial Transition - A.D. 1815-1870
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):
Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning
- IV. Resource Type
Category: Building
Historic Environment: Urban
Historic Function(s) and Use(s):
DOMESTIC/single dwelling
Known Design Source: Unknown

Photo Reference: Photo # 3

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

House at 14 South Conococheague Street

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

14 South Conococheague Street

CITY, TOWN

Williamsport

___ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Washington

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PARK
<input 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	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Lester C. Davis, et al

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

14 South Conococheague Street

CITY, TOWN

Williamsport

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21795

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC

Washington County Court House

Liber #: 636

Folio #: 830

STREET & NUMBER

West Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___ FEDERAL ___ STATE ___ COUNTY ___ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

007-112-5

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This brick house probably dates from the mid 19th century. It stands on the west side of Conococheague Street, facing east. Its walls display Flemish bonding at the front elevation with common bonding with a 5:1 stretcher to header row ration used elsewhere. Flat arches of brick are present above the openings. The house is a two story, five bay structure with a central entrance. Windows have received two over two pane double hung sashes with arched topped upper panes. The entire surface of the house is painted grey.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

WA-011-15

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 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 mid	<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

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY Town lot # 88, 66' x 96'

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

Paula Stoner Reed, Architectural Historian

ORGANIZATION

Preservation Associates, Inc.

DATE

June 1980

STREET & NUMBER

109 West Main Street

TELEPHONE

301-432-5466

CITY OR TOWN

Sharpsburg

STATE

Maryland 21782

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
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

14 South Conococheague Street, lot # 88
Williamsport, Maryland

636/830	May 23, 1977
Present owner	Davis, Lester C. and Wanda A. and Johnnie O.
From	Davis, Lester C. and Wanda A.. and Faye Johnson
	\$8,500.00
291/608	January 18, 1955
To	Davis, Lester C. and Wanda A. and Faye Johnson
From	James L. Madison Exec. for James H. Madison
	\$3,000.00
160/493	June 28, 1921
To	James W. Long, Sr. and Ellen S. Long
From	James H. Madison
	\$1,200.00
	(2 story brick building occupied by Ralph Evans)
	Also: land in the rear of # 86 and northern part of # 85
93/126	March 20, 1889
To	James H. Madison
From	Catherine Liebold Assignee of Mortgage Isabele Reamer
	\$3,000.00
	(public sale February 2, 1889)
	Also: 2 story brick building occupied by Charles W. Embrey and wife
WmKK4/550	April 10, 1872
To	Isabele Reamer
From	Charles W. Embrey
LBN2/829-30	August 19, 1868
To	Jacob B. Masters and Sarah A. Masters
From	William Dickey of Matthew, attorney for Dickey heirs
	\$1,200.00
II/421	May 25, 1827
To	William Dickey
From	John Baker
	April 13, 1824 (deed of lease) 99 years from May 1, 1815
To	John Baker
From	Sarah Baker
	(Yearly payment due May 1 two bushels of good and merchantable wheat or the value thereof in cur- rent money paid to Edward J. Williams and his heirs)

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AA/628
To
From

October 23, 1815 99 years lease
Sarah Baker
Edward J. Williams

1. wheat payment as above
2. enclose lot of ground with a good post and rail fence or pole fence
3. before expiration of three years build on said lot or portion of ground a house of brick or stone, frame or hewed logs, at least 20' x 26' in the base with a good chimney of brick or stone
4. Williams or heirs may repossess if ground rent not paid within six months of May 1st

TREET

E. SALISBURY

STREET

210 209 208 207 206 205 204 203 202 201 200 199

192.5' 142.5'

FRANKLIN
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GIE/DIDD

017

FRANKLIN
TURNER
C/17/400

016

LESTER
DAVIS
G86/400

015

PHILLY
G.KIRK
G/G/315

014

WARREN M
SETYMOU
211/360

013

HARRY
BROWNE
G49/360

012

HARRY
BROWN
G20/170

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EVELYN
P
201/300

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FRANKLIN
TURNER
G15/524

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SYNDER
208/250

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EUGENE SINDER
250/423

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DONALD SHANK
351/600

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VICTOR
HARTIG
445/100

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ROBERT LEE
TIMMONS
325-640

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BETTY
JOELSH
G72/200

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SAM T. BRYAN
G74/100

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STAR OF MARE
CHAPPELL
G48/300

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ANNIE
KELLY
408/100

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RUTH M W
245/220

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ANNIE R. K
559/160

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