

WILLIAMSPORT, WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

Survey # WA-WIL-289                      Approximate date mid 19th century  
Street Address 26 South Artizan Street  
Town, State Williamsport, Maryland  
private X, public     

Description

Two story, three bay log house covered with aluminum siding.  
Mid 19th century.

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 # 30

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Log House at 26 South Artizan Street

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

26 South Artizan Street

CITY, TOWN

Williamsport

\_\_\_ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Washington

**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
- YES RESTRICTED
- YES UNRESTRICTED
- NO

**ACCESSIBLE**

**PRESENT USE**

- AGRICULTURE
- MUSEUM
- COMMERCIAL
- PARK
- EDUCATIONAL
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- ENTERTAINMENT
- RELIGIOUS
- GOVERNMENT
- SCIENTIFIC
- INDUSTRIAL
- TRANSPORTATION
- MILITARY
- OTHER

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Annie R. Kreps

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

31 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 #: 213

Folio #: 170

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

100-100-100

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" 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 house, located on the west side of South Artizan Street is a two story, three bay log structure covered with asbestos shingle siding. It would appear to date from the mid 19th century. Windows have six over one pane sashes with plain flat architraves. There are only two bays at the second story level. The main entrance is located in the central bay. It does not have a transom. The roof is covered with sheet metal. The house appears to be in good condition.

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# 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 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				

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SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY Town lot 22' x 70'

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

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Sharpsburg

STATE  
Maryland 21782

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STREET

E.

SALISBURY

STREET

210

209 208 207 206 205 204 203 202

201

200

199

FRANKLIN TURNER 615/510

FRANKLIN TURNER 617/400

LESTER C. DAVIS 696/83

PHILLY G. KIRT 669/366

WARREN M. SEYMOUR 241/366

HARRY BROWN 643/5

HARRY BROWN 626/178

EVELYN P. 201/305

4/400

STREET

ADAM J. HAKSH 310

FRANKLIN TURNER 615/524

ARDRELL 569/555

D. BOSSARD 5/471

ANNIE R. KREPS 481/517

CLARENCE S. BAKER 611/443

LEON R. STRALEY 316/438

U. B. PARSONAGE

JOSEPH E. WIDMYER 609/175

LARRY H. KREPS 467/548

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WILLIAMSPORT U. M. CHURCH

WILEN A. TAYLOR 483/267

FRANK M. BROWN 266/611

WILL CHURCH K. B. IN CHRIST 530/497

DAVID E. NEWLIN 520/261

EUGENE SNYDER 208/390

EUGENE SNYDER 258/423

DONALD SHAW 551/0

VICTOR HARKN 445/

ROBERT L. TIMMONS 325-64

BETTY VOELSK 672/2

SAM T. SHAW 674/18

STAR OF HOPE CHAPEL 648/30

ANNIE 213/

ELEN V. 408/

STREET

KE COLE 707

L. CLINE 8/89

DEAN M. BERRETT 3/110

DONALD SHANK 58/426

JOHN H. BAGLEY 3/207 176

R. CRIST, SR. 559/159

STREET

E.

CHURCH

STREET

228 227 226 225 224

EDW. L. SHAW 189/39

ELIZABETH W. SHAW 218/

GEORGE SANZONI 410/76

WAYNE L. BITNER 627/25

CHARLES N. HARRIS 211/58

JOHN H. TETZER 401/461

CHURCH 245/457

CALVARY TEMPLE, INC. 36/69

CALVARY TEMPLE, INC. 372/791

MARY S. WOLFINGER 584/520

MICHAEL D. FIORITA 630/60

RUTH M. WILSON 243/221

SAM WILLIAMS

AK KREPS 395/

ANNIE R. KREPS 559/163

JOHN E. BLOY 264/516

198/575

DEWEY BURKE

KE COOK 7/507 475

CHESTER M. METCALFE 605/548 150/

GAIL L. GRUBER 6/769

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East Elevation