

INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY/DISTRICT  
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST  
INTERNAL NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

Property/District Name: Ellic Bowen House Survey Number: CT-174

Project: MD 2/4 N of MD 765 to N of Stoakley Rd Agency: FHWA/SHA

Site visit by MHT Staff:  no  yes Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Eligibility recommended  Eligibility **not** recommended

Criteria:  A  B  C  D Considerations:  A  B  C  D  E  F  G  None

Justification for decision: (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map)

According to information prepared by SHA, the Ellic Bowen House, located n. of 983 German Chapel Road, Prince Frederick vicinity, does not meet any of the National Register Criteria for listing. The property consists of a simple frame house with a gable end entrance and longitudinal plan, probably constructed in the first decades of the 20th century, and a small frame tobacco barn which has been substantially altered to serve as an auto repair shop. The does not appear to embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period or method of construction or possess high artistic value. The property is not located in any known historic district.

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Maryland Inventory Form CT-174 and project file

Prepared by: Wayne Nield, Rita Suffness

Elizabeth Hannold July 8, 1994  
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services Date

NR program concurrence:  yes  no  not applicable  
R. Anderson 7.11.94  
Reviewer, NR program Date

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CT-174  
E. BOWEN HOUSE  
Prince Frederick  
Private

c. 1900

A small but comfortable frame dwelling with a gable-end entrance and longitudinal plan. The side stairs is lit by a distinctive diamond shaped window in the second story of the north wall.

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MAG-I # 0501745704

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC *Ellie* Bowen House  
AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER  
Off Route 4, on German Chapel Road  
CITY, TOWN Prince Frederick VICINITY OF  
STATE Maryland COUNTY Calvert

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	<b>PUBLIC ACQUISITION</b>	<b>ACCESSIBLE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME Gurley Hance Telephone #:  
STREET & NUMBER  
CITY, TOWN VICINITY OF STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.  
STREET & NUMBER  
CITY, TOWN STATE  
Liber #:  
Folio #:

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE  
DATE  
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS  
CITY, TOWN STATE  
\_FEDERAL \_STATE \_COUNTY \_LOCAL

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**7 DESCRIPTION**

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

**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

Mr. Gurley Hance is seventy-nine years old and has lived around Mutual and Prince Frederick all his life. He has lived in this house since 1946 and remembers the house being here in 1908. According to Mr. Hance, two brothers with the last name of Bowen built next to each other with this house and its neighbor to the south being the result.

Mr. Hance has added the two-sided porch and the two-story addition in the rear (West). Prior to then, this was obviously a smaller house with a longitudinal plan. The entrance is on the north side of the east gable end. The stairs to the second floor are located in the same corner and are lighted by an unusual diamond shape window on the second floor.

Underneath the asbestos shingles is the original clapboard siding. The gable-end roof probably had sheet metal roofing in its original state.

The original plan provided for a parlor and a dining room downstairs. Mr. Hance says that the house had a single story kitchen addition on the rear which was "falling down" when he bought the house. It was replaced by the modern addition. There are now three bedrooms upstairs where there once was two.

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# 8 SIGNIFICANCE

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## PERIOD

- PREHISTORIC
- 1400-1499
- 1500-1599
- 1600-1699
- 1700-1799
- 1800-1899
- 1900-

- ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC
- ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC
- AGRICULTURE
- ARCHITECTURE
- ART
- COMMERCE
- COMMUNICATIONS

## AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

- COMMUNITY PLANNING
- CONSERVATION
- ECONOMICS
- EDUCATION
- ENGINEERING
- EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT
- INDUSTRY
- INVENTION

- LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
- LAW
- LITERATURE
- MILITARY
- MUSIC
- PHILOSOPHY
- POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

- RELIGION
- SCIENCE
- SCULPTURE
- SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
- THEATER
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER (SPECIFY)

## 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 \_\_\_\_\_

## VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	COUNTY
STATE	COUNTY

# 11 FORM PREPARED BY

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 Broomes Island, Maryland 20615  
 583-2050

NAME / TITLE

ORGANIZATION

STREET & NUMBER

CITY OR TOWN

DATE Winter 76-77

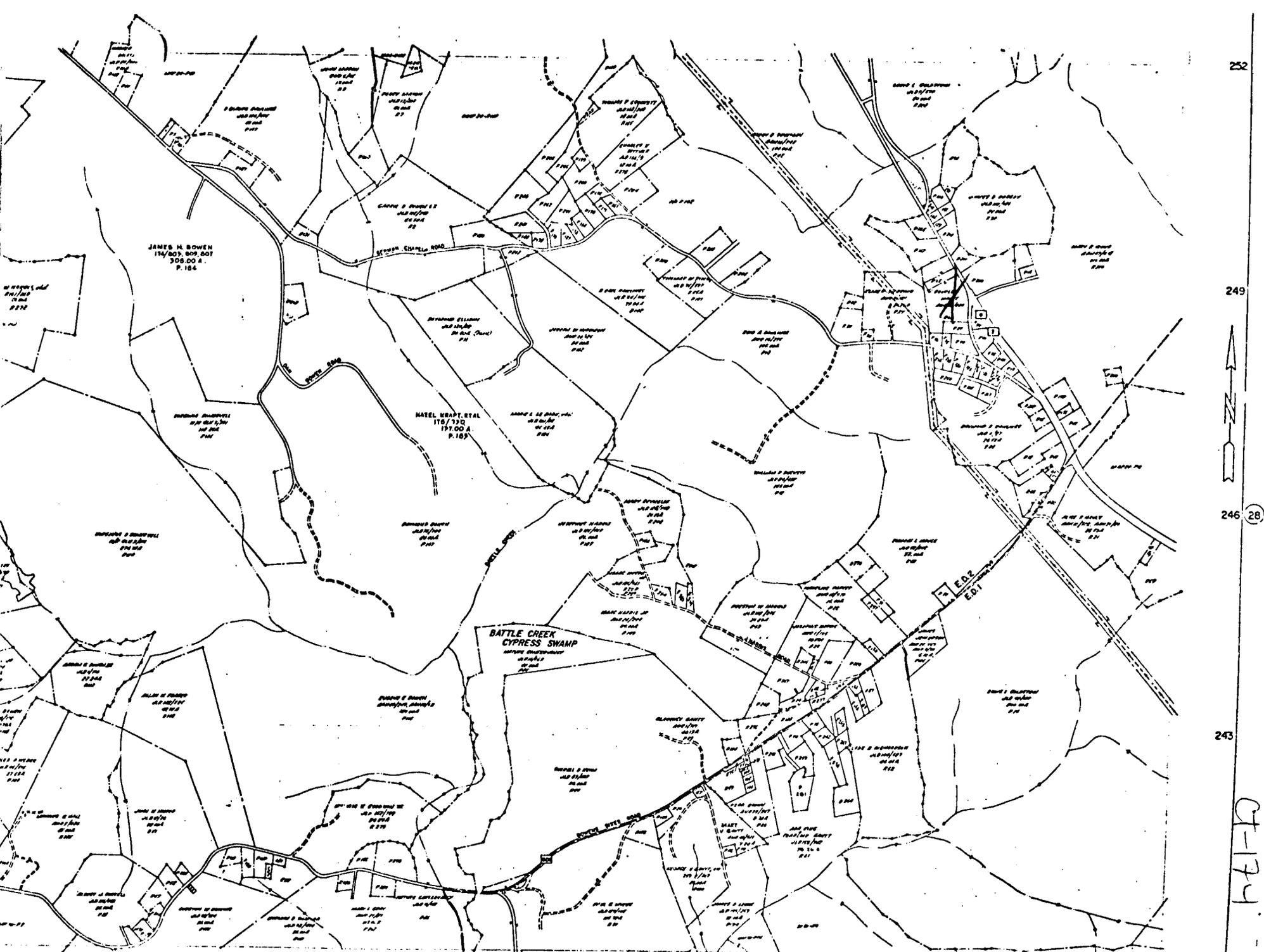
TELEPHONE

STATE

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



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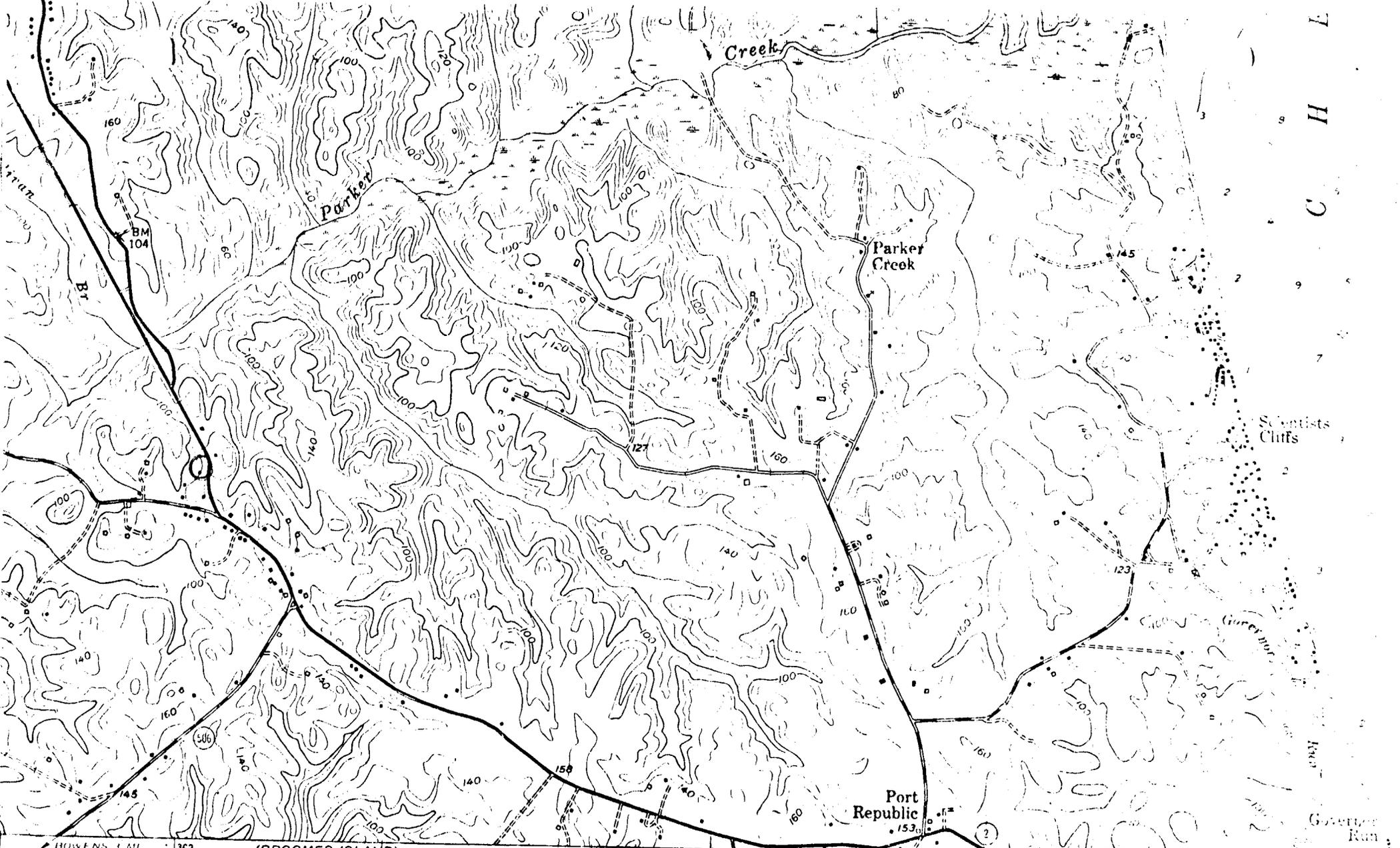
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PROPERTY LINE  
SUB-DIVISION BOUNDARY  
EXISTING CONVEYANCE  
PASTE IN PLACE OF THE ORIGINAL SURVEY  
SCALE 1" = 100'  
APR 15 1982



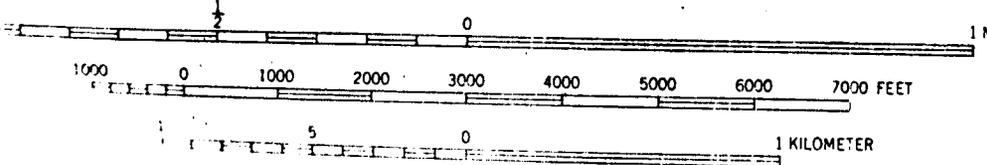
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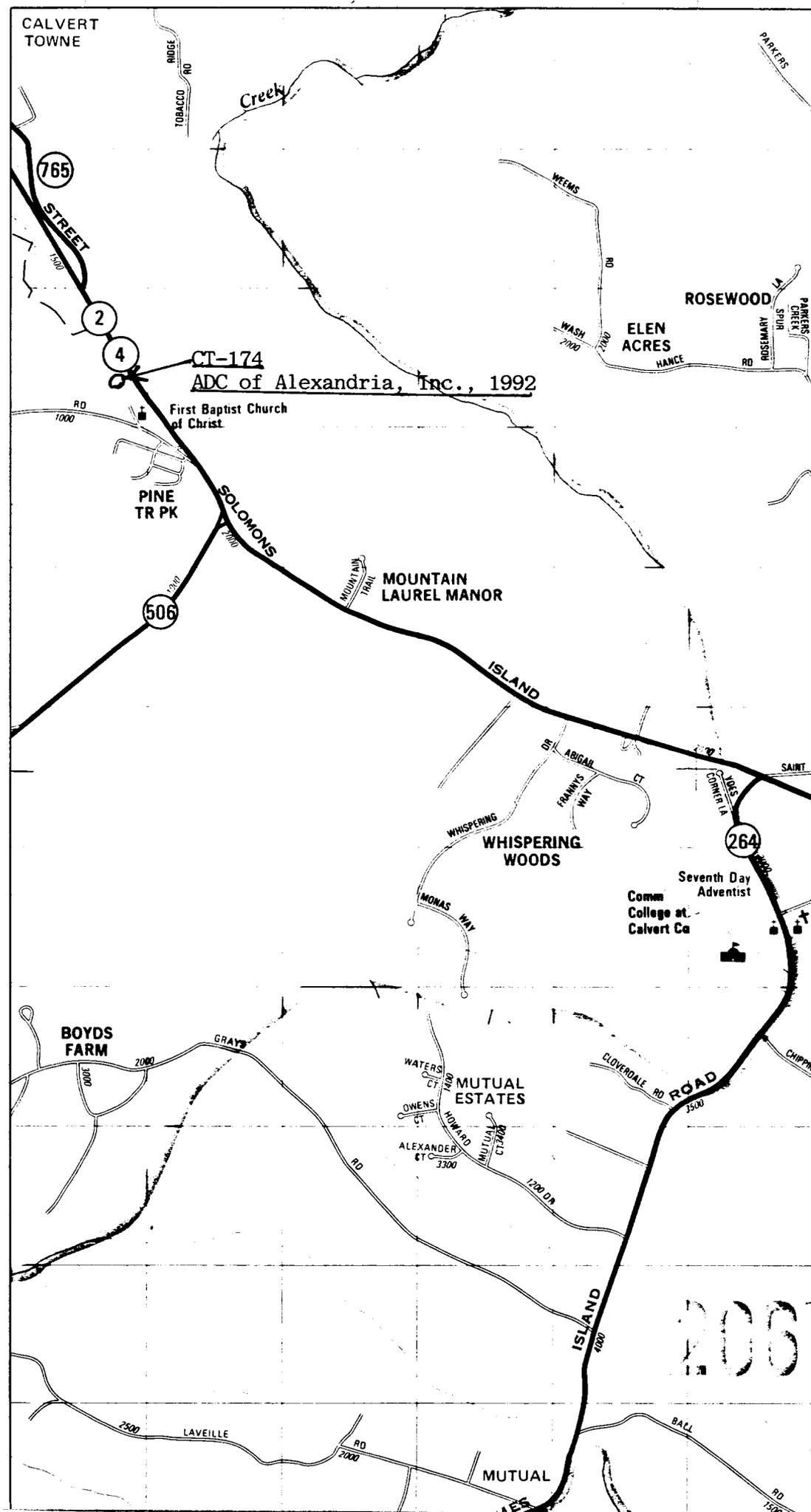
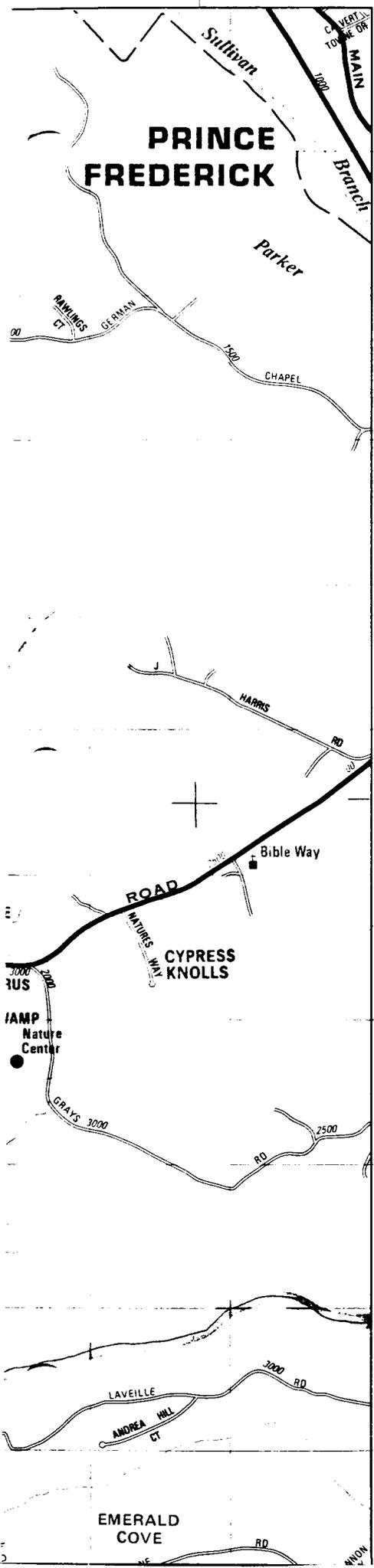


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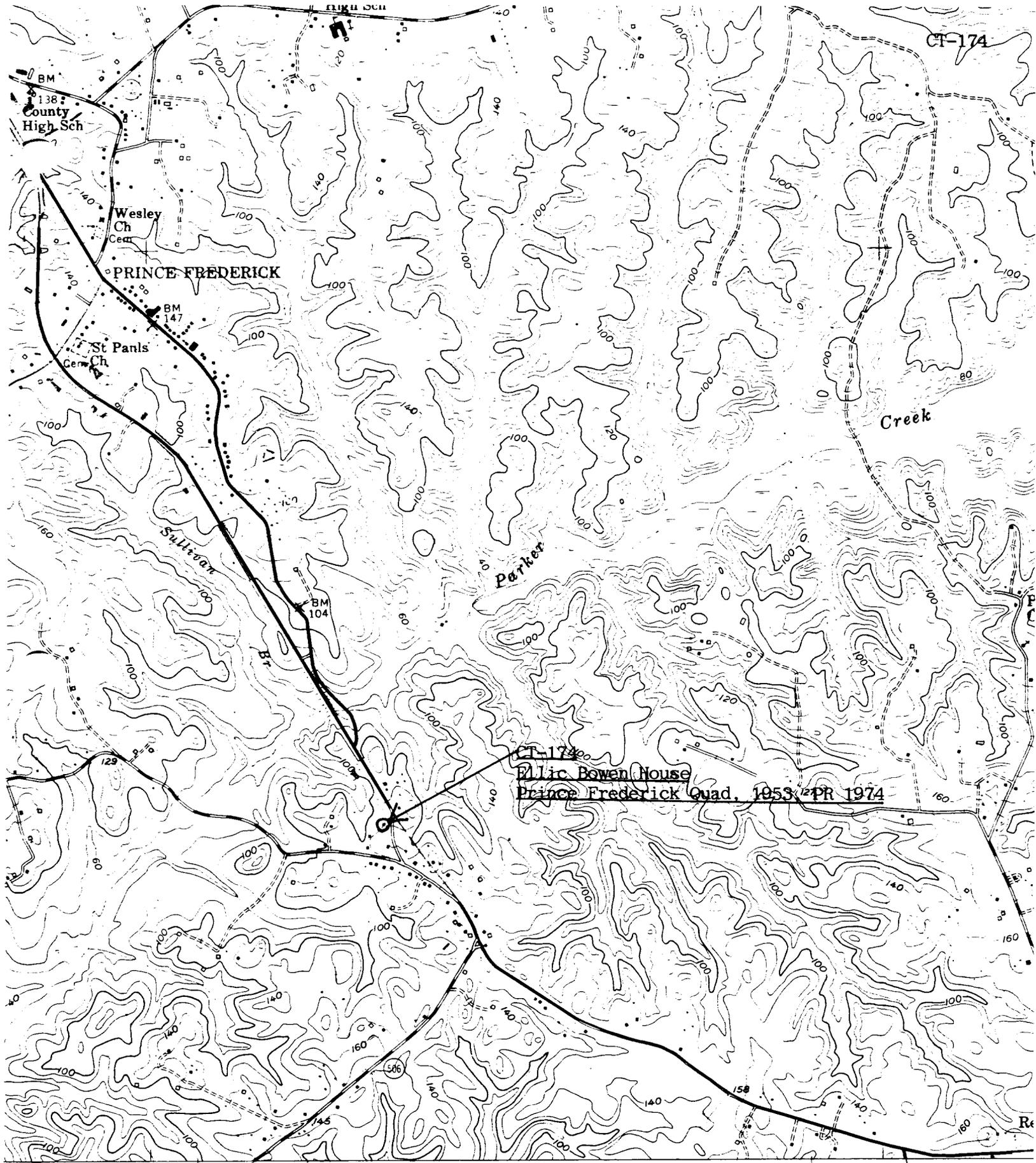
ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	—————	Light-duty	—————
Medium-duty	—————	Unimproved	—————
	⊡	U.S. Route	⊡

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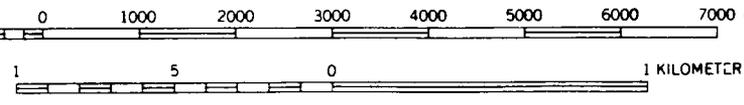
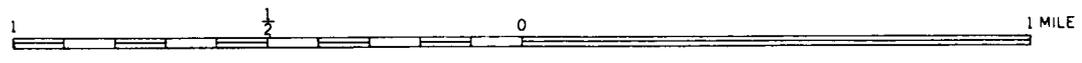
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 Public Bowen House  
 Prince Frederick Quad. 1953 2PR 1974

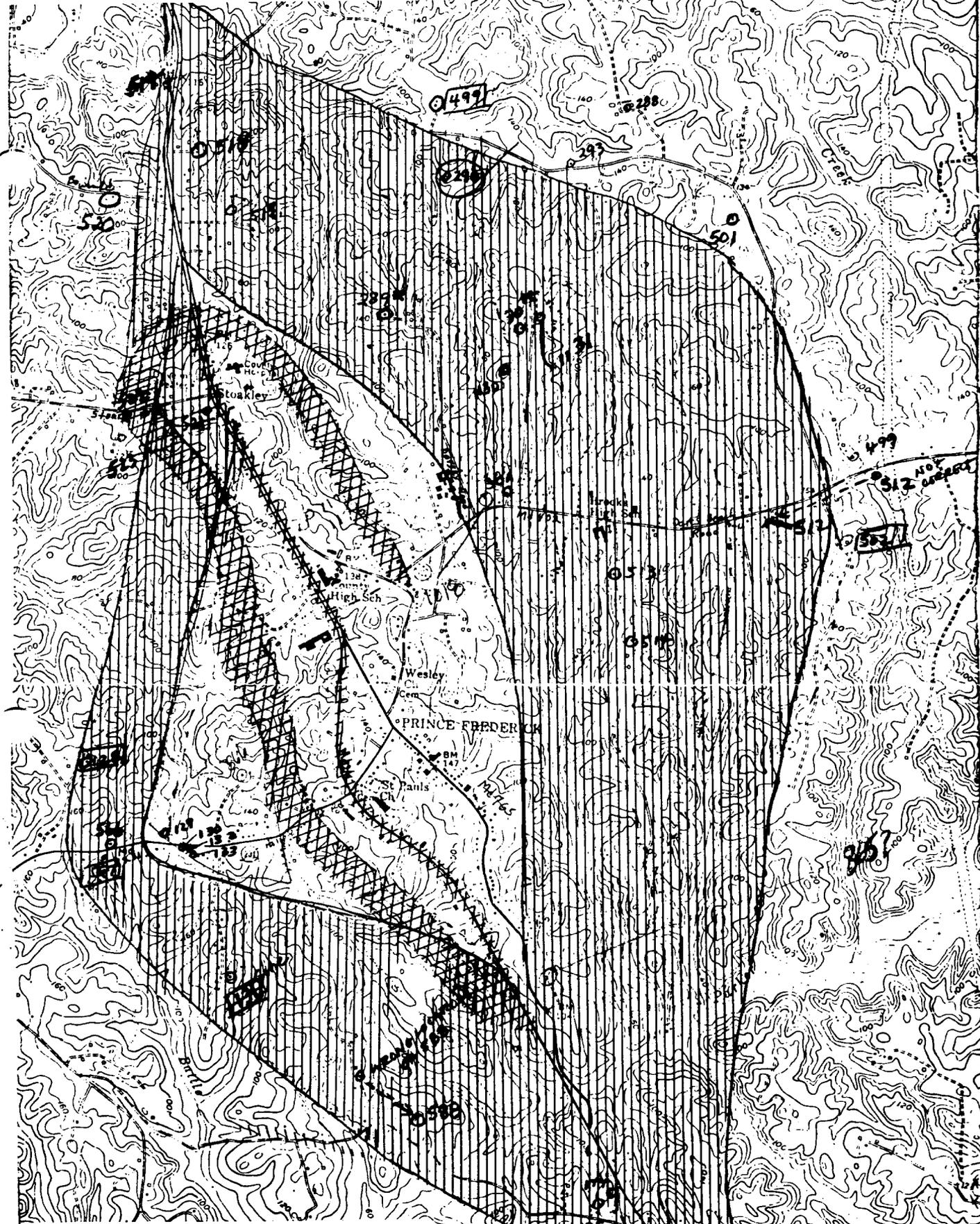
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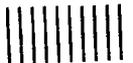


3N  
 0°58'  
 17 MILS

CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 FEET



LEGEND



Area of potential effect for additional bypass corridors



Area of potential effect for initial corridors



Historic Structures no longer extant



PNRE or NR

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Photographs  
Ellic Bowen House  
(CT 174)



Ellic Bowen House  
N.E. Corner



Dwelling  
South Elevation



Dwelling  
East Elevation



Dwelling  
West Elevation



Tobacco Barn, E. Elev.  
Converted to Autoshop



Tobacco Barn  
S.E. Corner



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