

Capsule Summary
SM-94
De La Brooke Manor
Oraville vicinity
Private

Circa 1830-35

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St. Mary's County
Maryland Comprehensive State Historic Preservation Plan Data

Historic Context

Geographic Organization: Western Shore

Chronological/Developmental Period: Agricultural-Industrial Transition, 1815-1870.

Historic Period Theme: Architecture

Resource Type

Category: Structure

Historic Environment: Rural

Historic Function and Use: Residence

Known Design Source: None

**Maryland Historical Trust
State Historic Sites Inventory Form**

MARYLAND INVENTORY OF
HISTORIC PROPERTIES

Survey No. SM-94

Magi No.

DOE yes no

1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common De La Brooke Manor

2. Location

street & number Delabrooke Road not for publication

city, town Oraville vicinity of congressional district 5

state Maryland county St. Mary's

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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military <input type="checkbox"/> other:

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

name Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart, et al.

street & number P.O.Box 548 telephone no.: 301-884-3450

city, town Alexandria state and zip code VA 22313

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. St. Mary's County Courthouse liber MRB 284

street & number folio 210

city, town Leonardtown state MD 20650

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date federal state county local

postitory for survey records

city, town state

7. Description

Survey No. SM-94

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 of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed			

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

Contributing Resource Count: 1

De La Brooke Manor is located at the end of an unpaved, tree-lined drive on the north side of Delabrooke Road near Oraville in St. Mary's County, Maryland. A grassy lawn and cultivated fields extend to the north, west, and south of the house. The Patuxent River is located on the east side of the dwelling. Here, the river bank is eroding. A sea wall has been erected to protect the house from the encroachment of the river. A pier extends from the sea wall out into the river. There are no original outbuildings located near the house. The house faces west with the principal gable oriented on a north/south axis.

Built around 1830, De La Brooke Manor is composed of a two-story, 5/1 bond brick main block and a slightly shorter southern two-story wing. Originally, the exterior of the house was covered with stucco scored to imitate ashlar masonry. The roof of the house is sheathed with slate. Both the north and south elevations of the main block are finished with a pair of bridged chimneys. A frame, two-story bathroom addition is located on the east side of the house.

The west (main) elevation is pierced by a six-panel entrance door with a central bead and a metal box lock. The door has paneled reveals. Surmounting the door is a rectangular, leaded-glass fanlight. This entry is sheltered by a hipped-roof portico supported by square posts and roofed with wood shingles. South of the entry are two six-over-six sash windows with beaded surrounds and louvered shutters that light the first floor of the house. Below these windows are two shuttered four-light windows that light the basement. Three six-over-six sash windows with beaded surrounds and louvered shutters light the second floor of the house. The roof is pierced by gable roof dormers lit with six-over-six sash windows. These windows are flanked by fluted pilasters. The south wing is pierced on the first floor by a central six-panel door with a four-light transom window. The entry is sheltered by a hipped-roof portico supported by square posts. Flanking the door on either side are six-over-six sash windows with louvered shutters. The second floor is pierced by three shuttered six-over-six sash windows. The roofline of both the main block and this wing is finished with a corbeled brick cornice.

The south elevation of the main block is largely obscured by the south wing. Two six-over-six sash windows pierce the second floor of the main block on either side of the wing. The eave is pierced by two four-over-four sash windows. The south gable end of the wing is blind. An interior brick chimney pierces the roof ridge line.

The east elevation of the south wing is pierced by a central six-panel door surmounted by a four-light transom. One shuttered six-over-six sash window pierces

8. Significance

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
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<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 None **Builder/Architect** Unknown

check: Applicable Criteria: A B C D
and/or

Applicable Exception: A B C D E F G

Level of Significance: national state local

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

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The current De La Brooke Manor house is the second dwelling that has stood on the property. According to an article published in the November 1953 issue of the Chronicles, the first house located on the property stood "...about a mile from the River and about 50 yards north of the road from De La Brook to the Three Notched Road. It was brick, 30' by 40,' 1 1/2 stories high with a steep roof and dormer windows." This building was apparently destroyed by fire around 1830 - 1835. George Thomas replaced the house soon after it burned, building a much larger two-and-a-half story, brick structure on a site closer to the river.

Following George Thomas' death in 1857, the property passed to his wife Mary. Mary then devised the house to their son James Thomas. In 1886, De La Brooke was sold outside of the Thomas family. Mary T. Smith purchased the house and 750 acres of "Della Brooke Farm" which she proceeded to rent out until 1893. In that year, it was exchanged for three lots located on Druid Hill Avenue in Baltimore, Maryland. Ormond Hammond, a resident of Talbot County, became the new owner of "De-la-brook."

From the Hammond family, the property was transferred to Clarence W. Thomas. Thomas sold off a large portion of the farm prior to selling 104.77 acres to Leander McCormick-Goodhart in 1927. An early nineteenth-century tobacco barn (SM-411), formerly part of the De La Brooke tract, remains standing on a parcel located west of the house and now owned by SMECO. The house has been sensitively maintained by the McCormick-Goodhart family who continue to own it today.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No. SM-94

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property 10 acres

Quadrangle name Mechanicsville

Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

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 Zone Easting Northing

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 Zone Easting Northing

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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

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organization St. Mary's County DPZ

date June 1995

street & number

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city or town Leonardtown

state MD 20650

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.

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the first floor. The entry is sheltered by a frame portico supported by Doric columns. The second floor of the wing is pierced by two six-over-six sash windows. A two-story, shed roof, frame wing with a concrete foundation projects from the east wall of the south wing. This addition is pierced on the first and second floors by one six-over-six sash window. A circular window also pierces the second floor. A screened, hipped-roof porch extends across the full width of the main block first floor. The porch has a wood floor and a wainscoted ceiling. The roof is supported by Doric columns. The first floor is pierced by a six-panel door surmounted by a rectangular, leaded-glass transom window. Two shuttered six-over-six sash windows light the first floor. The second floor is pierced by three shuttered six-over-six sash windows. Two gable roof dormers, like those on the west side of the house, pierce the east roof slope.

The north elevation is pierced on the first and second floors by two six-over-six sash windows. Below these window openings, two four-light windows pierce the foundation of the house, lighting the basement. The eave is pierced by two four-over-four sash windows.

The interior of the main block consists of a side hall, double pile plan. The door and window surrounds are molded and finished with bulls-eye corner blocks. The hall cornice features a reverse ogee and a bottom dentil course. The hall is fitted with an open string stair that rises from east to west against the north wall. The waist of the stair is finished with recessed panels. The newel post is a gracefully turned, slender post and the balusters are square. Underneath the stair, a six-panel door opens to provide access to the basement. Six-panel doors with rectangular-paneled reveals open to the east and west parlors. These rooms were originally separated by large, folding double doors. Both rooms feature fireplaces located against the south wall. The west mantel is a marble replacement of the original frame surround. The east mantel consists of columns that flank the firebox and support a plain frieze with a reeded center block. Slate now covers the original marble hearth. From the east parlor, a door opens to the south wing.

The basement consists of a side hall with a small room at either end, and two larger rooms located beneath the east and west first floor parlors. The larger east room is fitted with a firebox on the south wall surrounded by a plain Greek Revival style mantel. The west room is also fitted with a small fireplace against the south wall. The ceiling is covered with pressed metal. The only exposed framing members are located in the small room located off of the west end of the hall. Here, the exposed ceiling joists are hewn and pit sawn.

The second floor of the main block consists of four bedrooms. As in the basement, small rooms are located at both the east and west ends of the stair hall. Both bedrooms are fitted with fireplaces surrounded by Greek Revival style mantels.

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The master bedroom is located above the east parlor. The firebox located here has a beaded surround. The mantel consists of fluted pilasters that support a plain frieze. Below the mantel shelf is a complex Greek Revival bed molding. Above the west parlor is a hallway that leads to the second floor of the south wing. The fourth bedroom, fitted with a mantel similar to that of the master bedroom, opens off of this hall.

The first floor of the south wing consists of a kitchen and a pantry with a large hearth on the south wall. This fireplace measures four feet in height by six feet six inches in width. The door and window surrounds in the kitchen are plain with an interior bead. A dogleg stair provides access to the second floor of the south wing. One bedroom is located here.

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8.3 Significance

Chain of Title

TO: Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart

FROM: Richard L. Spire, II

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber MRB 284, folio 209.

DATE: May 6, 1977.

NOTES: Transfer of 12.68% undiv. interest in Parcel 1, being 4.0367 acres in Prince Georges County, to Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart and the remaining 87.32% undiv. interest to Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart, Armistead L. Boothe, Leander Paul Settle McCormick-Goodhart, Trustees under will of Leander McCormick-Goodhart and a 100% undiv. interest in Parcel II, being 104 acres of De La Brooke Farm containing the manor house and cottage, to Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart, Armistead L. Boothe, Leander Paul Settle McCormick-Goodhart.

TO: Richard L. Spire II

FROM: Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart, Nita Emma McCormick-Goodhart and Armistead L. Boothe, Trustees, and Leander Paul Settle McCormick-Goodhart, Trustee under the will of Leander McCormick-Goodhart.

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber MRB 284, folio 201.

DATE: May 5, 1977.

NOTES: Transfer of Parcel II being De La Brooke Farm. The will of Leander McCormick-Goodhart is filed in Prince Georges County.

TO: Leander McCormick-Goodhart

FROM: Clarence W. Thomas, widower

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber JMM 5, folio 58.

DATE: April 4, 1927.

NOTES: Transfer of 104.77 acres of Part of De La Brooke. See plat JMM 5/59.

TO: Clarence W. Thomas

FROM: George R. Gaither of Baltimore.

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber EBA 5, folio 335.

DATE: January 12, 1906.

NOTES: Sale of 750 acres of De La Brooke as the result of Howard Hammond's default on a mortgage dated February 24, 1900.

TO: Howard Hammond

FROM: Charlotte Hammond, individual, and as Trustee for Francis E. Hammond, Mary S. Hammond, Anna M. Hammond, Ormond Hammond, Annie E. Hammond, Charles P. Hammond, Maria A. Hammond, Harry H. Hammond, all heirs of Ormond Hammond.

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber EBA 1, folio 253.

DATE: February 21, 1900.

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NOTES: Transfer of 750 acres of the farm known by the name of "De-la-brook."
Hammond's will is on file in Talbot County.

TO: Ormond Hammond of Talbot County

FROM: Mary T. Smith

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber J.J.G. 1, folio 33.

DATE: February 18, 1893

NOTES: Exchange of three lots on Druid Hill Avenue in Baltimore for the farm "De-la-brook" being 750 acres.

TO: Mary T. Smith

FROM: Charles W. Kennard

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber JJG 1, folio 32.

DATE: June 30, 1891.

NOTES: Surrender of lease.

TO: Mary T. Smith

FROM: Robert C. Combs, Trustee

RECORD: St. Mary's County Land Record, Liber JFF 9, folio 340.

DATE: November 20, 1886.

NOTES: Transfer of 750 acres of Della Brooke Farm to Smith as the result of a decree in the case Mary T. Smith vs. James Thomas and Nannie E. N. Thomas (default on mortgage JFF 5/167).

TO: James Thomas

FROM: Mary Thomas, widow.

RECORD: St. Mary's County Estate #873.

DATE: 1872

NOTES: Mary Thomas died intestate.

TO: Mary Thomas

FROM: George Thomas

RECORD: St. Mary's County Testamentary Record, Liber JTMR 1, folio 1.

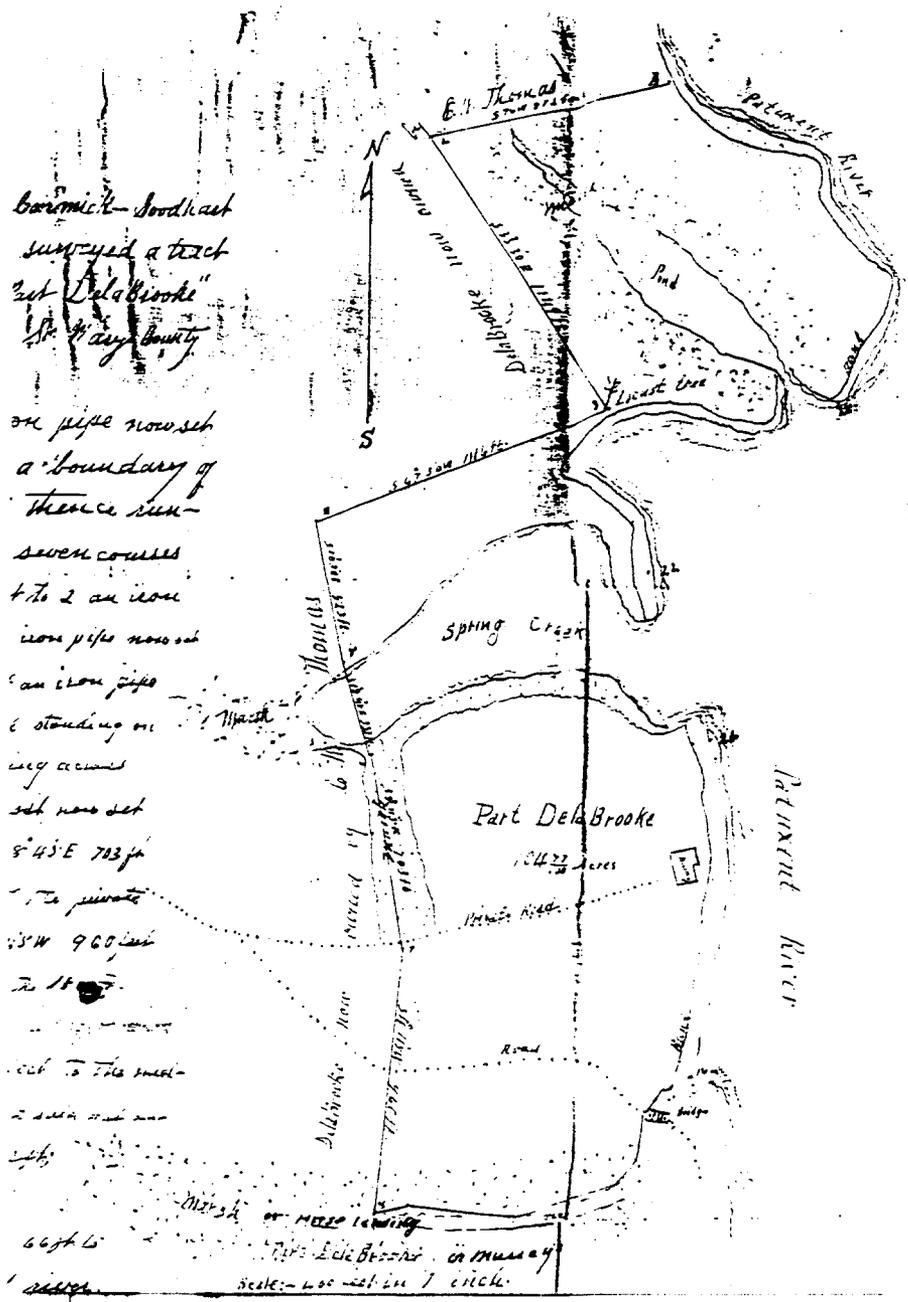
DATE: December 11, 1857.

NOTES: Devison to Mary Thomas "during her natural life the plantation whereon I now reside known as 'De La Brook'...and after her death to my son James Thomas and his heirs. Item, I give and bequeath unto my son James Thomas and his heirs from and after the death of my wife, the plantation whereon I now reside known as 'De La Brooke' containing 800 acres..."

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Plat of Part De la Brooke surveyed by Charles Heard dated March 23, 1927.

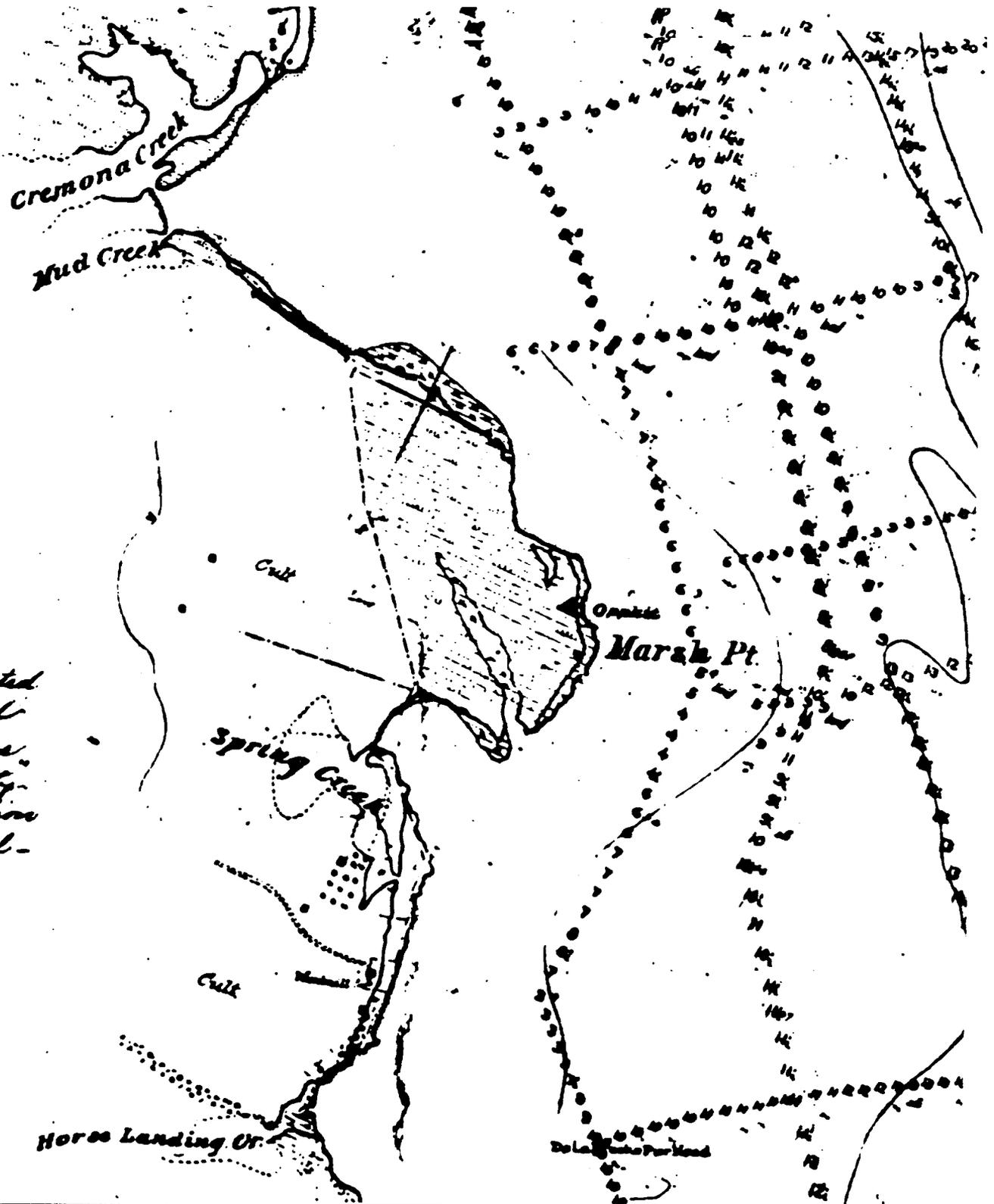
Source: St. Mary's County Land Records, Liber JMM 5, folio 59.



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8.2 Significance

Map showing site of De La Brooke Manor, circa 1858 - 1860.

Source: United States Coast and Geodetic Survey. Patuxent River from Battle Creek to Sotterley Point, 1860.



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DE LA BROOKE MANOR

circa 1835

Oraville

Private

This Federal house, with the usual end hall and double parlor floor plan, replaced the original Dela Brooke manor house which was destroyed in 1835. The present house is of stucco over brick, is two stories in height and three bays in length, and has pairs of bridged chimney stacks at each end. At one end is a two-story brick wing probably of later date.

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Form 10-300
(Dec. 1968)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

N. R. FIELD SHEET

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	
COUNTY:	
FOR NPS USE ONLY	
ENTRY NUMBER	DATE

1. NAME

COMMON: De La Brooke Manor

ANO/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: De La Brooke Road

CITY OR TOWN: Hollywood

STATE: Maryland

CODE: COUNTY: St. Mary's

CODE:

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/>	Public Acquisition:	Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/>
Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	In Process <input type="checkbox"/>	Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/>	Restricted <input type="checkbox"/>
Object <input type="checkbox"/>	Both <input type="checkbox"/>	Being Considered <input type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>	Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/>
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)				
Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>	Comments <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>		
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME: Leander M. Goodhart

STREET AND NUMBER: De La Brooke Manor

CITY OR TOWN: Hollywood

STATE: Md

CODE:

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: St. Marys Ct Court House

STREET AND NUMBER: Washington Street and Courthouse Drive

CITY OR TOWN: Leonardtown

STATE: Md

CODE:

ACREAGE APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: STATE: CODE:

STATE:
COUNTY:

ENTRY NUMBER
DATE

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>	Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	Altered <input type="checkbox"/>	Unaltered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Moved <input type="checkbox"/>	Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Dada Brooke, built ⁱⁿ ca. 1830s, is a Federal building with an end hall plan. It is ~~made~~ of stucco over brick, 2 stories in height, 3 bays in length. There are 2 bridged chimneys (int., flush gable) at each end. At the S. end. is a 2 story brick addn., stuccoed and possibly later.

8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian 16th Century 18th Century 20th Century
 15th Century 17th Century 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Abariginal	Education	Political	Urban Planning
Prehistoric <input type="checkbox"/>	Engineering <input type="checkbox"/>	Religion/Phi-	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
Historic <input type="checkbox"/>	Industry <input type="checkbox"/>	losophy <input type="checkbox"/>	_____
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Art <input type="checkbox"/>	Landscape <input type="checkbox"/>	Sculpture <input type="checkbox"/>	_____
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Communications <input type="checkbox"/>	Literature <input type="checkbox"/>	itarian <input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Conservation <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Theater <input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Architecture <input type="checkbox"/>	Music <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>	_____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

De La Brooke Manor is the site of a 17th C. ~~earlier~~ house of the same name. Robert Brooke, born in London in 1602, surveyed the site in 1650, but died before the house was completed. The Brooke was President of the Provincial Council and acting Governor of Md. in 1652, but apparently he died before De La Brooke was completed. The Council is mentioned as having met at De La Brooke in 1662. It was destroyed in 1835, ~~after~~ after which the present De La Brooke was built.

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

MECHANICSVILLE QUAD

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds	
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SW	0 ' "	0 ' "		0 ' "	0 ' "	

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

STATE:	COOE	COUNTY	COOE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Rivione

ORGANIZATION: MHT DATE: 4/72 Rev. 6/74 RBW

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: STATE: COOE:

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Name _____

Date _____

Title _____

ATTEST:

Keeper of The National Register

Date _____

Date _____

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