

*SITE OF OREM HOUSE
Chestertown, Maryland
(18th)*

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC *SITE OF OREM HOUSE*

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER *North side, Wallis Bros. Road* *First*

CITY, TOWN *Chestertown* CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT *Kent*
XX VICINITY OF

STATE *Maryland* COUNTY

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input 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 type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER site

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME *Joan Fry Smith, et al, c/o Edwin R. Fry*

Telephone #: *301-778-2372*

STREET & NUMBER
Box 390

CITY, TOWN *Chestertown* VICINITY OF STATE, zip code
Maryland 21620

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE
 REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. *Kent County Court House*

Liber #: *E H P 109*
 Folio #: *286*

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN *Chestertown, Maryland 21620* STATE

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE
Maryland Historical Trust, Survey of Kent County

DATE *January, 1969* FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
 SURVEY RECORDS *Maryland Historical Trust, The Shaw House, 21 State Circle*

CITY, TOWN *Annapolis, Maryland 21401* STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The following description was filed by Michael O. Bourne of the Maryland Historical Trust in January 1969.

"From the appearance of this pile of brick, the house which stood there was one-and-one-half stories tall. The brick was laid in Flemish band with glazed headers, and there was champhered water table. The cellar had two rooms separated by a brick wall; two wooden grilles with vertical bars remain. The flooring was yellow pine."

The bricks were removed by Mr. Bourne. Nothing remains above ground.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

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 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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<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

Orem House was an 18th Century farm house. Its builder is unknown, but its materials were typical of the middle of the century.

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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

NAME / TITLE *Marsha L. Fritz, Survey Consultant*

ORGANIZATION *Kent County Planning Commission*

DATE *778-4600 ext. 67*

STREET & NUMBER *Court House*

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN *Chestertown, Maryland 21620*

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.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

1. STATE Maryland
 COUNTY Kent
 TOWN Kennedyville VICINITY Morgues
 STREET NO. Wallis Bros. Rd. 1 mile N.W. of
Rt 447 (North)
 ORIGINAL OWNER
 ORIGINAL USE dwelling
 PRESENT OWNER Geo. Scheeler + others
 PRESENT USE ruins
 WALL CONSTRUCTION brick
 NO. OF STORIES 1 1/2

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY
 INVENTORY K-192
 2. NAME Site of (Orem House)
 DATE OR PERIOD 18th Century
 STYLE Colonial
 ARCHITECT
 BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC NO

From the appearance of this pile of brick, the house which stood there was 1 1/2 stories tall; the brick laid in Flemish bond with glazed headers, with a chamfered water table. The cellar had 2 rooms separated by a brick wall and 2 wood grilles remain with vertical bars. The flooring was yellow pine.

this farm is to be used for a proposed golf course (the bricks are being removed by the recorder)

5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered gone Interior Exterior

6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.

7. PHOTOGRAPH
 9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER

Michael Bourwe
 DATE OF RECORD January, 1969

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND PHOTOGRAPHS MAY BE ADDED ON SHEET OF SAME SIZE

Hepbron

PENNSYLVANIA

Stillpond Station

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Bigwoods

Cem Fountain Church

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MARCA

Morgnac

