

Capsule Summary

SM-775

Farmhouse near All Saints Hall

Oakley vicinity

Private

circa 1890

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Maryland Historical Trust

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No. SM-775

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

other Farmhouse near All Saints Hall

2. Location

street and number 21628 Oakley Road not for publication

city, town Oakley x vicinity

county St. Mary's

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

name William H. and Dorothy Guy

street and number PO Box 52 telephone N/a

city, town Clements state Md zip code 20624

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. St. Mary's County Courthouse tax map and parcel TM-38, P-54

city, town Leonardtown liber EWA 1281 folio 308

5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Contributing Resource in National Register District
 Contributing Resource in Local Historic District
 Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
 Determined Ineligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
 Recorded by HABS/HAER
 Historic Structure Report or Research Report at MHT
 Other: _____

6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function	Resource Count	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> agriculture	Contributing	Noncontributing
<input type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade	<u>2</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> buildings
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> defense	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> sites
<input type="checkbox"/> site		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> domestic	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> structures
<input type="checkbox"/> object		<input type="checkbox"/> education	<u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> objects
		<input type="checkbox"/> funerary	<u>2</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Total
		<input type="checkbox"/> government		
		<input type="checkbox"/> health care		
		<input type="checkbox"/> industry		
		<input type="checkbox"/> landscape		
		<input type="checkbox"/> recreation/culture		
		<input type="checkbox"/> religion		
		<input type="checkbox"/> social		
		<input type="checkbox"/> transportation		
		<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress		
		<input type="checkbox"/> unknown		
		<input type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use		
		<input type="checkbox"/> other:		
			Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the inventory	
			<u>0</u>	

7. Description

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Condition

excellent deteriorated
 good ruins
 fair altered

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

The farmhouse near All Saints Hall is located down a long farm lane that extends south from Oakley Road in the rural community of Oakley, Maryland. The property, consisting of 24.07 acres of which about 10 acres was surveyed, is bounded by the All Saints Rectory (SM-774) to the east, Canoe Neck Creek to the east, an agricultural and wooded tract to the south, and Oakley Road to the north. The farmhouse is oriented on an east/west axis and is accompanied by a contributing one story, frame outbuilding. Cultivated fields of grain virtually surround the modest farm house.

The farmhouse near All Saints Hall is a one-and-a-half story frame dwelling with a gable roof. Featuring a wing that lies on its north gable end, the farmhouse is sheathed with clapboard and the roof is clad with raised-seam metal. While the primary or west elevation is obscured by foliage and a porch, the one story wing is pierced by two bays. The gable end of the wing is pierced by a six-over-six, double-hung sash window on the first and attic story.

No other elevations were observed.

8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> invention	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 2000-	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> social history
	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning		<input type="checkbox"/> maritime history	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation		<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

Specific dates	Architect/Builder
Construction dates	

Evaluation for:

National Register Maryland Register not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

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9. Major Bibliographical References

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Hammett, Regina Combs. History of St. Mary's County, Maryland: 1634-1990. Ridge, Md: Self-published, 1994.

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 10 acres
Acreage of historical setting 24.07 acres
Quadrangle name Leonardtown Quadrangle scale: 1:24 000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The property is bounded by the All Saints Rectory (SM-774) to the east, Canoe Neck Creek to the east, an agricultural and wooded tract to the south, and Oakley Road to the north. A more specific description of the properties boundaries can be found in St. Mary's County Land Records Liber EWA 1281, Folio 308.

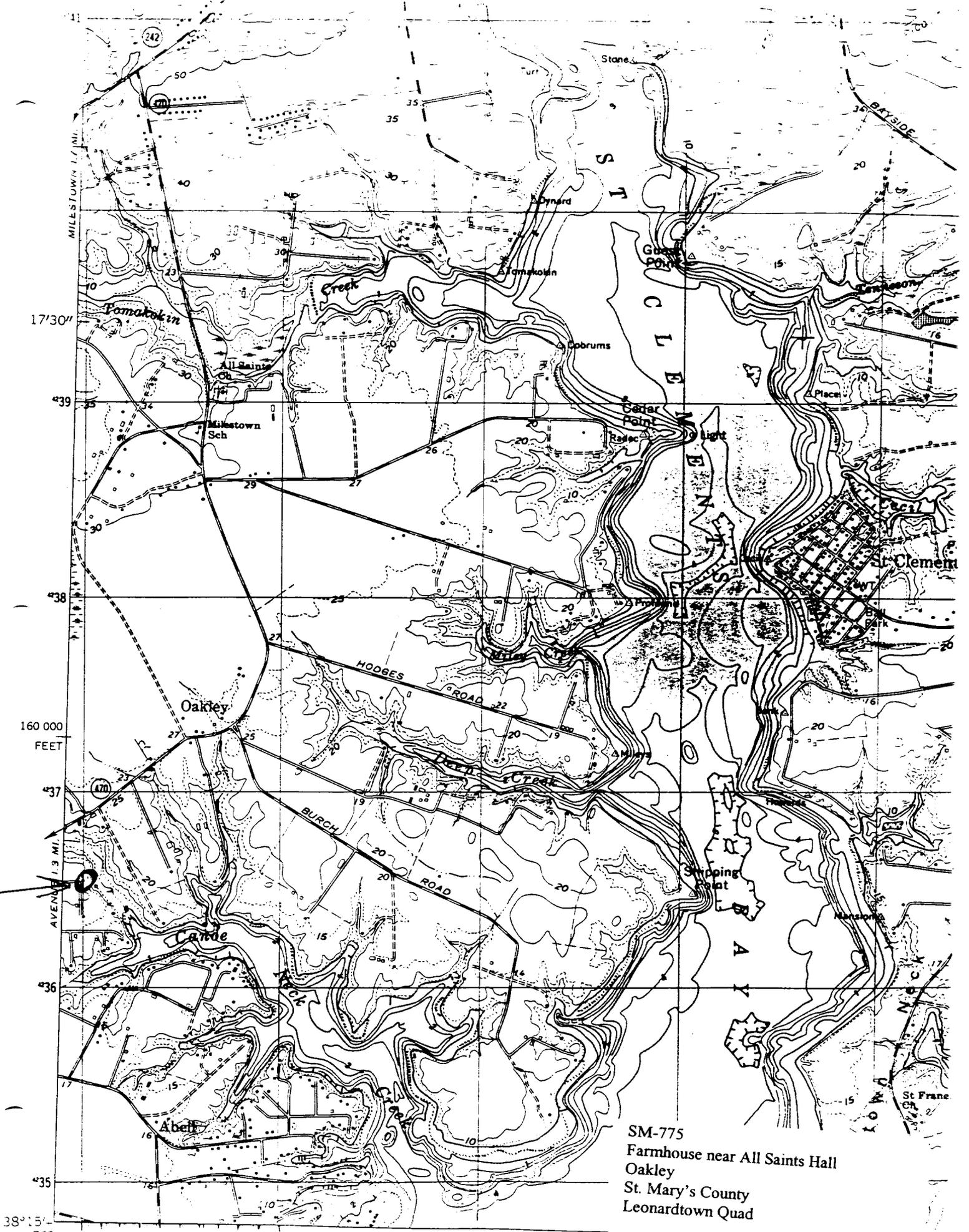
11. Form Prepared by

name/title	Kirk E. Ranzetta, Historic Sites Surveyor		
organization	St. Mary's County Department of Planning & Zoning	date	August, 2000
street & number	22740 Washington Street	telephone	301-475-4662
city or town	Leonardtown	state	Maryland

The Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties 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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 100 Community Place
 Crownsville, MD 21032-2023
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 Oakley
 St. Mary's County
 Leonardtown Quad



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Par. home near All Saints Hall - Oakley

St. Mary's County

Kirk Parrotta

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