

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

Property/District Name: Building E5422 (Change House) Survey Number: HA-2011

Project: Demolition of Bldg E5422 @ Aberdeen Proving Gd Agency: ARMY

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)

Building E5422, located in the Edgewood Area of Aberdeen Proving Ground is not eligible for individual listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

According to the information provided, Building E5422, currently administrative offices, was erected in 1942 as a Change House. It is a long, low-lying brick structure, covered with a gable roof, clad with a corrugated metal. It is divided into seven bays, the typical bay having two windows, originally 8/8 double-hung sash, now 1/1 double-hung. The building was erected as part of the general World War II construction expansion of the Army installation. According to the HABS documentation, Chemical Warfare Service is listed as the architect of the building.

The building lacks the architectural distinctiveness necessary to qualify it for individual listing on the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion C and is not located within an historic district. Further, it is not known to have any direct associations with persons or events significant to our past, to qualify it for listing under Criteria A or B.

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Project Review and Compliance

Prepared by: Mr. David Blick, Environmental Conservation and Restoration Division, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Maryland

Kim Prothro Williams April 10, 1996
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services Date

NR program concurrence: yes no not applicable

Alonso Padilla April 17, 1996
Reviewer, NR program Date

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA - HISTORIC CONTEXT

I. Geographic Region:

- Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)
- Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George's and St. Mary's)
- Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)
- Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

- Paleo-Indian 10000-7500 B.C.
- Early Archaic 7500-6000 B.C.
- Middle Archaic 6000-4000 B.C.
- Late Archaic 4000-2000 B.C.
- Early Woodland 2000-500 B.C.
- Middle Woodland 500 B.C. - A.D. 900
- Late Woodland/Archaic A.D. 900-1600
- Contact and Settlement A.D. 1570-1750
- Rural Agrarian Intensification A.D. 1680-1815
- Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870
- Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930
- Modern Period A.D. 1930-Present
- Unknown Period (prehistoric historic)

III. Prehistoric Period Themes:

- Subsistence
- Settlement
- Political
- Demographic
- Religion
- Technology
- Environmental Adaptation

IV. Historic Period Themes:

- Agriculture
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
- Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- Government/Law
- Military
- Religion
- Social/Educational/Cultural
- Transportation

V. Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: _____

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): _____

Known Design Source: Chemical Warfare Service

**ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND
INVENTORY CULTURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT FORM - 1993**

BLDG. NO.: E05422 BLDG. NAME: Change House

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: 1942 STATUS: Permanent PLAN NO.: UNKNOWN
ORIGINAL USE: Change House
CURRENT USE: Administration
PROPERTY TYPE: Change House**DESCRIPTION**STORIES: 1.0
FOUNDATION: Concrete
WALLS: Brick
ROOF: Cor. Transite

CONDITION: Good

SIGNIFICANT ALTERATIONS:
SEE BELOW, IF APPLICABLE**HISTORIC CONTEXT:**Modern Period 1930-Present
Military-WWII Permanent Construction
Utility

INTEGRITY: Yes

AR 420-40 CATEGORIZATION: 4
HABS/HAER CATEGORIZATION: 4**CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION:**

- A. Associated with World War II expansion
 - C. Illustrates building types and sub-types
- Does not possess individual significance

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT: Not Eligible

APPLICABLE PRESERVATION LEGISLATION AND REGULATIONS:
NOT APPLICABLE**RECOMMENDED TREATMENT:**

Routine Maintenance

PREVIOUS SURVEYS: HABS/HAER Inventory Card

CORRECTIONS/MODIFICATIONS TO HABS/HAER INVENTORY CARDS:

Metal security grates on windows. Windows have been replaced with one-over-one double hung aluminum sash. Two window openings at rear elevation bricked-in. Transom at front entrance has been modified to single pane of glass.

HAB HAER INVENTORY

U.S. Department of the Interior
National Park Service
Washington, DC 20240

1. SITE I.D. NO		2. NAME(S) OF STRUCTURE Building #E5422 Change House (Technical Escort Unit)		5. ORIGINAL USE Change House		7. CLASSIFICATION Military - Administration				9. RATING 4	
3. SITE ADDRESS (STREET & NO) Aberdeen Proving Ground Edgewood Area Edgewood, Maryland		6. PRESENT USE Technical Escort Unit						10. DATE 1942			
4. CITY/VICINITY EDGEWOOD		COUNTY HARFORD		STATE MD.		8. UTM ZONE		EASTING		NORTHING	
						SCALE 1:24		1:62.5		OUAD NAME	
						OTHER				11. REGION Mid-Atlantic	

12. OWNER/ADMIN ADDRESS
United States Department of the Army Administrator DARCOM/TECOM

13. DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND HISTORY INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION DATE(S), PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS, MATERIALS, MAJOR ALTERATIONS, EXTANT EQUIPMENT, AND IMPORTANT BUILDERS, ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, ETC.

Concrete foundation; steel frame, brick walls. Rectangular, 138'-3" x 42'. One story. Corrugated Transite gable roof, four vents at ridge. Three double paneled and glazed and single paneled and glazed doors, wood and metal; eight-over-eight-light windows, flat brick arches and brick lug sills. Roof ridge runs east by west, located on Hoadley Road. Chemical Warfare Service, architects.

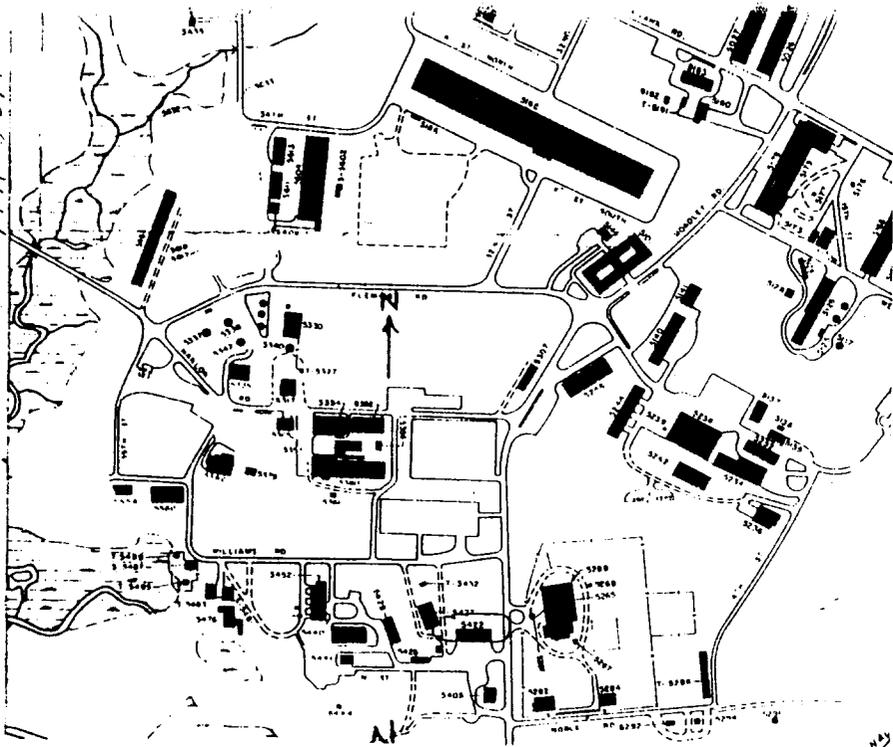
14. CONDITION EXCELLENT GOOD FAIR DETERIORATED RUINS

15. DANGER OF DEMOLITION? (SPECIFY THREAT) YES NO UNKNOWN

16. SIGNIFICANCE

Built as a part of the general WWII construction expansion, this building has little other architectural and/or historical significance at this time.

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18. LOCATED IN AN HISTORIC DISTRICT? YES NO NAME

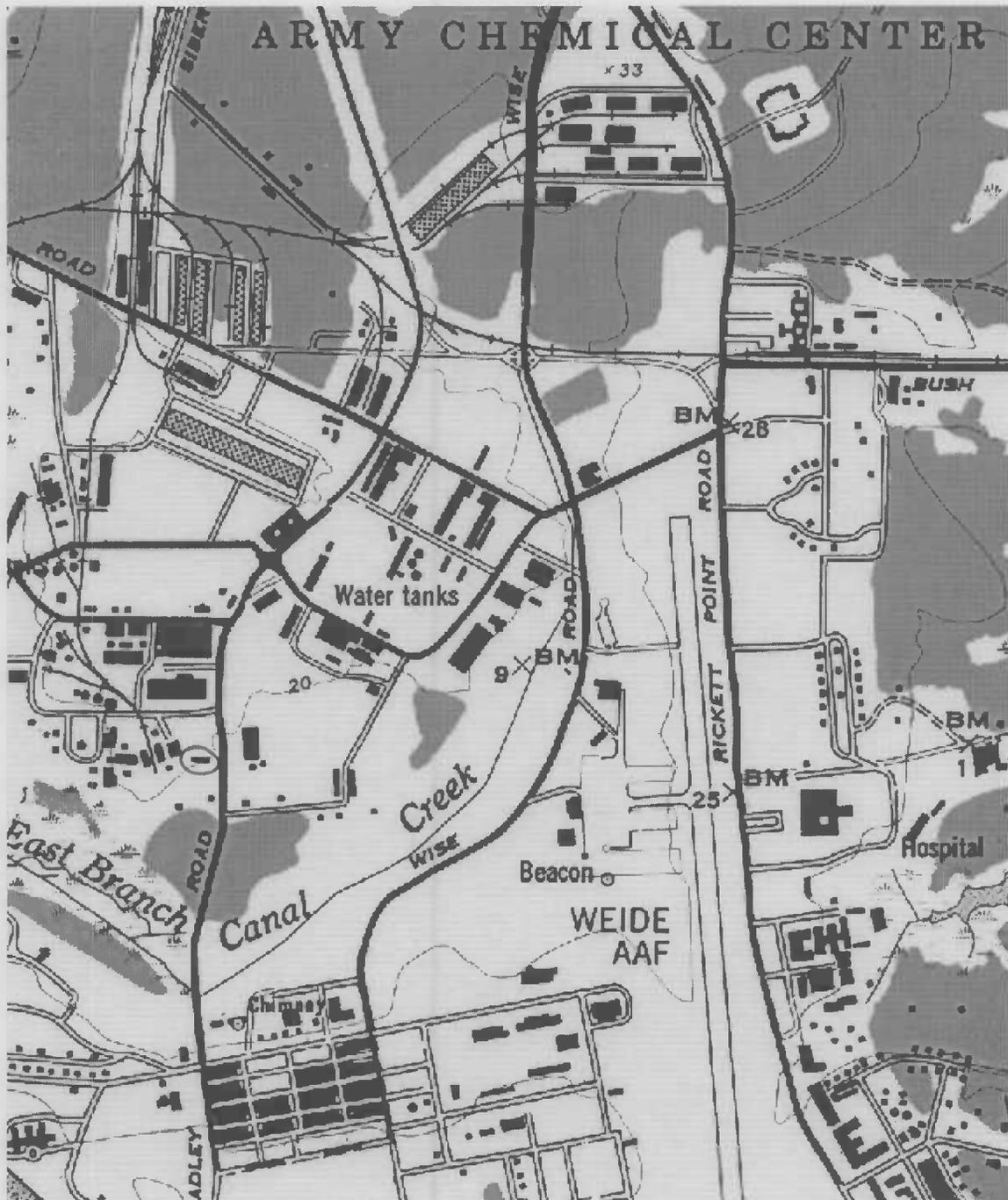
19. PUBLIC ACCESSIBILITY YES, LIMITED YES, UNLIMITED NO UNKNOWN

20. EXISTING SURVEYS NR NHL HABS HAER-1 HAER NPS STATE COUNTY LOCAL OTHER

21. REFERENCES—HISTORICAL REFERENCES, PERSONAL CONTACTS, AND/OR OTHER

APG Real Property Records, Real Estate Offices, APG
 Architectural Records: MF #22432, drawing #S-405, dated 23 October 1941

22. INVENTORIED BY **Irene Henry** AFFILIATION **Historic American Buildings Survey** DATE **August 1982**



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Building E5422 (Change House)

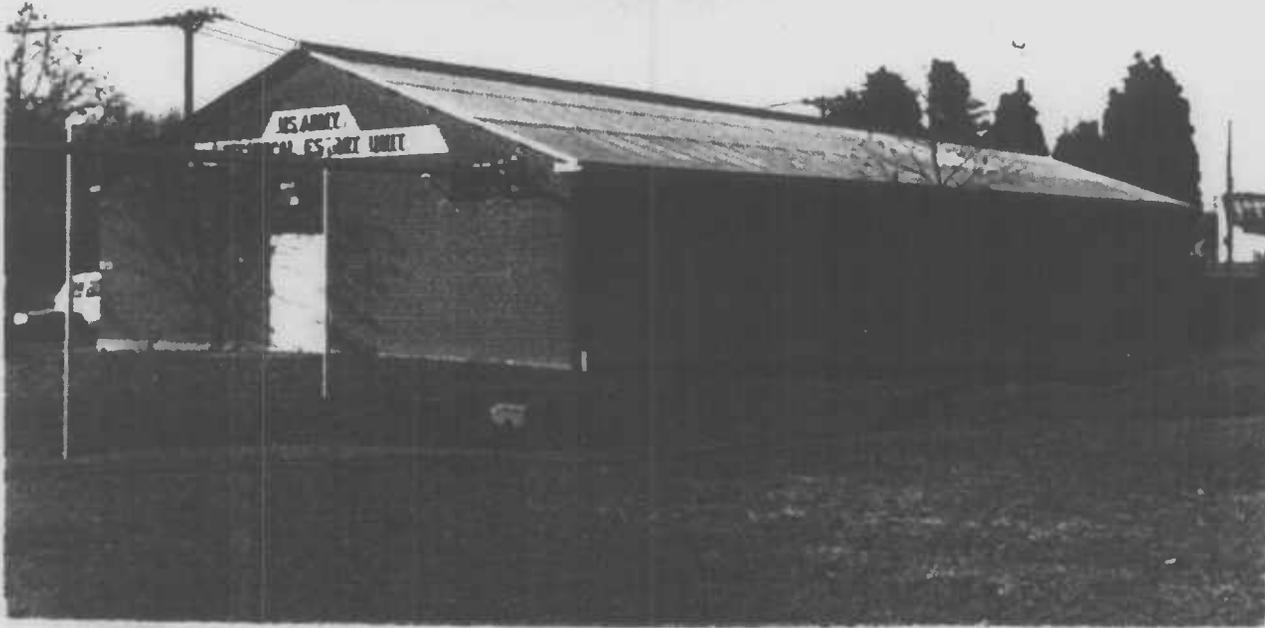
Edgewood Area of Aberdeen Proving Ground

Harford County

Edgewood Quad

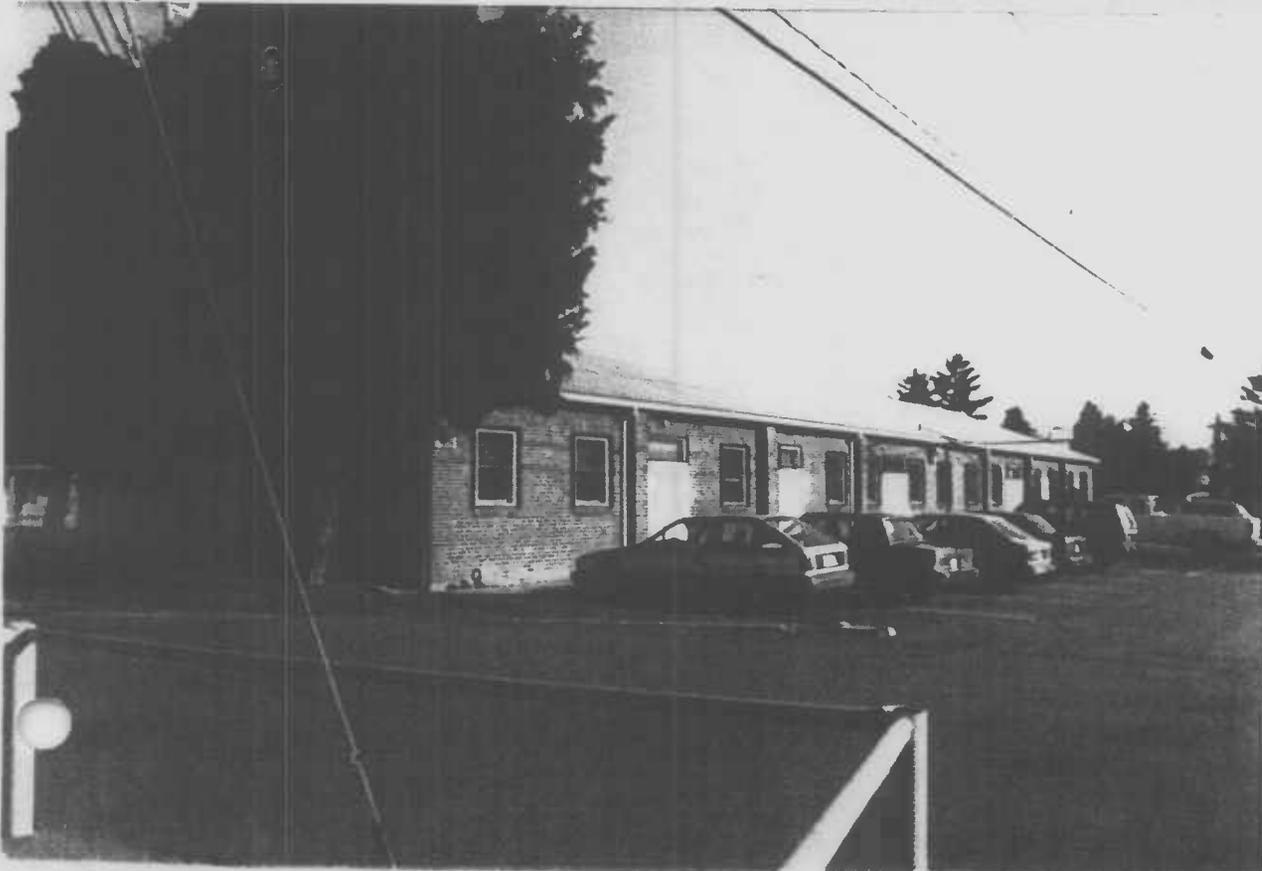
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