

Maryland Historical Trust Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Survey No CE - 301B

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

other Rental House at the Findley Compound

2. Location

street & number Fair Hill N.R.M.A. , within the Finley Compound, off of dirt access road not for publication

city, town Elkton vicinity

county Cecil

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

name Maryland Department of Natural Resources

street & number 580 Taylor Avenue, Tawes State Office Building telephone (410) 260-8186

city, town Annapolis state and zip code Maryland, 21401

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. tax map and parcel

city, town liber and folio

5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Individually Listed in the National Register/Maryland Register
- Contributing Resource in National Register District
- Contributing Resource in Local Historic District
- Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
- Recorded by HABS/HAER
- HSR or Research report at MHT
- Other:

6. Classification

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

7. Description

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Condition

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	excellent	<input type="checkbox"/>	deteriorated
<input type="checkbox"/>	good	<input type="checkbox"/>	ruins
<input type="checkbox"/>	fair	<input type="checkbox"/>	altered

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

*See Attached

8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
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
1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input checked="" 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 **Builder/Architect**

Evaluation for:

National Register Maryland Register not evaluated

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

*See Attached

Inventory Number: CE-301B
Rental House at the Finley Compound
Cecil County, MD
C. Mazurek
July 1998
Section 8.1

This house is significant in that it is a remaining architectural element of the Finley Compound. Original historic fabric may still remain within the interior of the structure.

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This Rental House at the Finley Compound is located in Cecil County, within the Fair Hill N.R.M.A., and off of the access road that crosses the Management Area. It is to the west of Big Elk Creek, to the east of Maryland route 213, to the south of the Mason-Dixon line, and to the north of Maryland route 273. The Finley Compound is near the Big Elk Creek Covered Bridge.

This House is covered from the foundation to the eaves with vinyl siding that obscures it's original construction material, which most likely is frame construction. It is built into the hillside with a stone retaining wall creating outside access to multiple levels of the house. In addition there is a frame screened in porch on the side (south) facade. The roof is covered with composition shingles, with a large central stone chimney. Storm windows cover the 6/6 sash windows. This house was owned by the DuPont family and may have undergone major renovations at the same time the main Finley House was remodeled, during the 1930's.

This Rental House at the Finley Compound is in excellent condition.

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HISTORIC CONTEXT:

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

Geographic Organization: Eastern Shore

Chronological/Developmental Period(s): Industrial/Urban Dominance

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Community Planning.

Resource Type:

Category: Buildings

Historic Environment Rural

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

Known Design Source: None

9. Major Bibliographical References

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property _____

Quadrangle name _____

Quadrangle scale _____

Verbal boundary description and justification

11. Form Prepared By

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organization Maryland Department of Natural Resources

date 9/28/98

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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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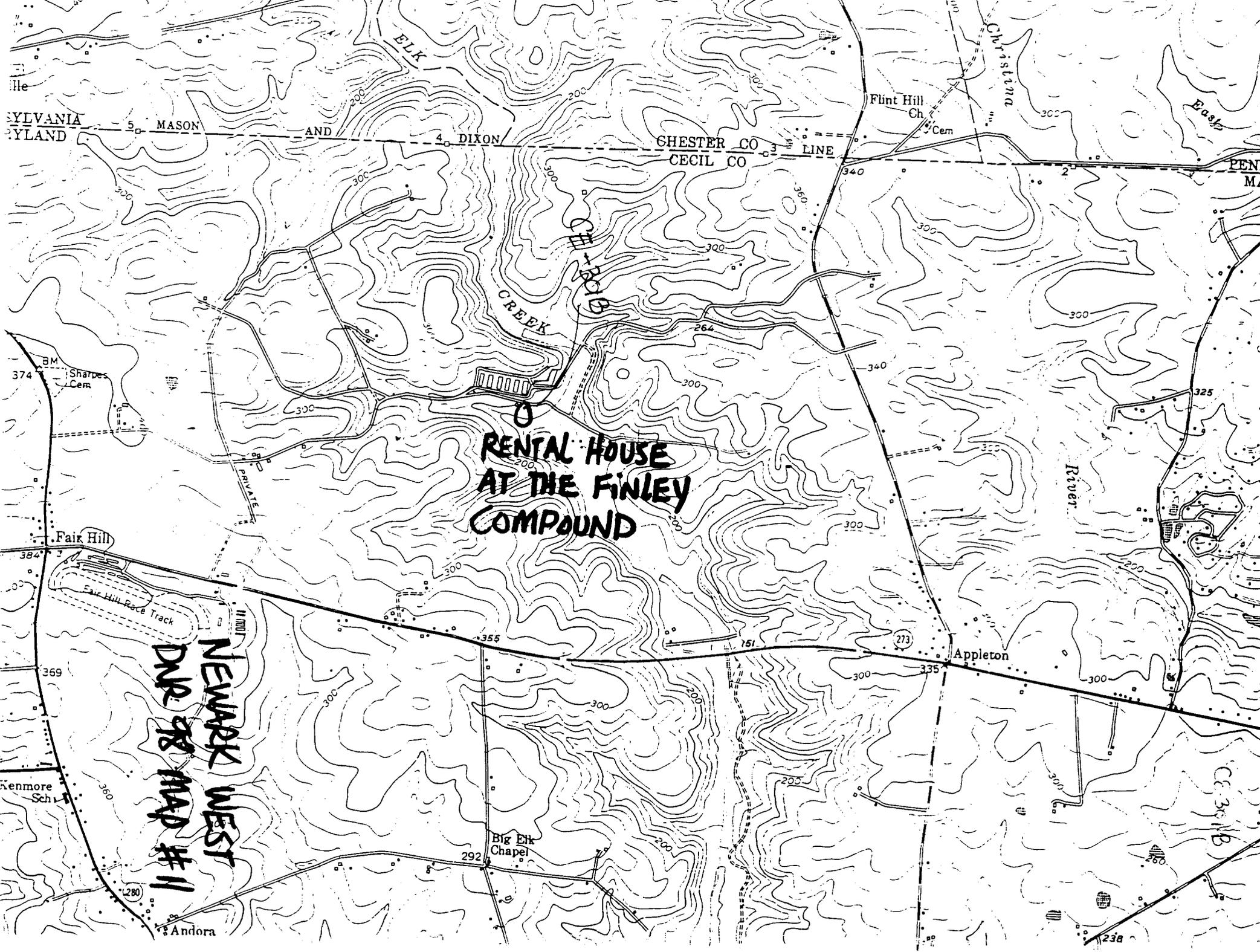
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**RENTAL HOUSE
AT THE FINLEY
COMPOUND**

**NEWARK WEST
DNR 98 MAP # 11**





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HOUSE, FINLEY COMPOUND, FAIR HILL N.R.M.A.

CECIL COUNTY, MD

C. MAZUREK

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