Note to the Reader:

Since the initial sections of this survey were completed, determinations of eligibility have been modified for certain properties. In order to find the most recent determination of eligibility, consult the "Sites List and Municipal Maps" section of the introductory narrative (Vol. 1). The determinations of eligibility on the survey forms are superceded by those on the list.
SITES LISTS AND MAPS

Below is a list of all sites included in the Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory. Sites location maps are also provided for each municipality. The sites lists are arranged by municipality and then alphabetically by street address or geographical location. Next to each site is a determination of its eligibility to the National Register of Historic Places.** Eligibility is notated by the following symbols:

Y = Yes
N = No
P = Possible
D = District

Sites which are located within eligible districts but which are also individually eligible are labeled "Y" instead of "P". The "Possible" category is limited to those properties which require additional research on construction date, quality of the interior (interiors generally were not examined), ownership history, and/or degree of alteration in order to determine eligibility.

The survey project followed federal standards for National Register eligibility which are set forth in "How to Apply the National Register Criteria for Evaluation" (National Park Service, Department of the Interior, 1982). National Register eligibility is subject to review and final approval by the Office of New Jersey Heritage and the New Jersey State Review Board of Historic Sites. Eligibility may change due to building alterations made subsequent to this survey. Since the initial field work for this project was completed during 1980-1982, determinations of eligibility on the survey forms are superceded by those on the below updated lists.

**The National Register is the official list of properties significant in American history, architecture, archeology, engineering, and culture. The National Register was established by the Historic Sites Act of 1935 and the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended. It is maintained and expanded by the National Park Service on behalf of the Secretary of the Interior. Properties listed on the National Register receive a limited form of protection and certain benefits. For information concerning the effects of listing, contact the Office of New Jersey Heritage in Trenton (609-292-2023).
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NEGATIVE FILE SHEET

ROLL NUMBER 7

COUNTY Monmouth

MUNICIPALITY Colts Neck

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PHOTO TAKEN BY: Gail Hunton
SURVEY Monmouth County
DATE: May 1982
DESCRIPTION: (General description of district as a whole and boundaries)

The Colts Neck District is a crossroads village located along a major Monmouth County thoroughfare, County Route 537, and on two smaller roads which intersect with it, Heyers Mill Road and New Road. The district includes a small commercial core, consisting of an inn/restaurant, general store, a former blacksmith shop, and a few office buildings (some in former residences). The remainder of the district is residential, houses intermingled with two churches (one converted to a residence), a modern firehouse and a large farm (now inactive).

Two structures establish the rural village character of the district: the Colts Neck Inn, a two-story six-bay traditional frame building with a variety of additions; and the Colts Neck General Store, an old general store built in a converted wagon shed with a large front porch and a variety of early 20th century signage on the exterior. Clustered around these buildings and extending up New Street and Heyers Mill Road on small lots are many simple one and two story residences and small shops, few exhibiting high-style architectural expression. To the west of New Street the lots become larger and the houses more complex and stylistically defined. The south side of Route 537 is primarily open space, dominated by a large farm set well back (ca. 400 yards) from the road. The architecture of the district is predominately 3 and 5 bay traditional houses, intermixed with good examples of Greek Revival and Gothic Revival styles, as well as some simple Italianate forms, and a Victorian Gothic church, (now a residence). Many of the residences have outbuildings, primarily moderate-sited barns and sheds. There are three significant intrusions in the district: the brick addition to the Colts Neck Inn, a wood-sided veterinary clinic, and a brick firehouse. Significant structures are noted on survey forms.

The district includes: the north and south sides of County Route 537 West from Yellow Brook to Millbrook Lane, including the large farm (1309-1-5) on the south side of the road; both sides of Heyers Mill Road from Route 537 to the intersection with New Road; and New Road, from Route 537 to Village Lane (see district map for specific boundaries). The area surrounding the district is marked by a highway and shopping center on the east, new residential subdivisions to the north and west, and naval munitions dump (Earle) to the south.

APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF BUILDINGS: 70

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURES: Excellent 15% Good 45% Fair 35% Poor 5%

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: □ Yes □ Possible □ No

THREATS TO DISTRICT/LOCAL ATTITUDES: See significance

COMMENTS:
The Colts Neck Village is an early Monmouth County crossroads community. Located along the old Burlington Path, a former Indian trail and early trans-Jersey road, it retains much of the character of a 19th century rural village, having undergone significant change only in the past couple of decades.

Activity in the village can be traced back to 1717 with the establishment of the Colts Neck Inn (sections of the original building may still exist in the present building) which served travelers on the old Burlington Path going between the eastern shore points and the early villages of Middletown, Shrewsbury, Tinton Falls, and West Jersey. The village was recognized on a number of 18th century maps of the county. By the time of Gordon's 1834 Gazetteer, 15 to 20 dwellings, 1 tavern, 2 stores, 3 grist mills, and 2 saw mills, making it roughly the same size as it is at the present, if not larger. While few of the buildings survive from the 1830's, the character of the village is largely unchanged, though the recent construction of residential subdivisions around it and the heavy traffic on Route 537 have compromised that character.

The only surviving applejack distillery in the country was started in the Colts Neck Inn; its first recorded sale of spirits was in 1780 by Robert Laird, and it remains in the Laird family to the present, though the distillery was moved two miles to the east to Scobeyville in 1851. General George Washington apparently liked the Laird applejack enough to write requesting a recipe for the brew.

The village was also the site of a certain amount of activity during the Revolutionary War. It was the home of Capt. Joshua Huddy a local patriot who was martyred during the war, hung by the British at Rumson Neck. Its location near a northern extremity of the Pine Barrens, (the area now occupied by the Naval Weapons Depot at Earle) left it prey to the various marauders who took advantage of the turmoil of the period and of the wilderness of the Pines to rob and loot villages. A variety of local legends have developed from that period.

REFERENCES: (Include representation in existing surveys)

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Gordon, Thomas, Gazetteer of the State of New Jersey (Philadelphia, 1834).
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Lightfoot, Jesse, "Map of Monmouth County, New Jersey" (1851).
New Jersey Historic Sites Inventory, "Colts Neck Reformed Church," and "Stoutenburg Barn"
Wolverton, Chester, Atlas of Monmouth County (New York, 1889).

ATTACHMENTS: (Indicate number)

MAPS: 1 PHOTOS: 16 SLIDES: 3

OTHER: (Specify)

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association

DATE: March 1981
Colts Neck Historic District Continuation Sheet

Historic Sites Inventory No. 1309-1

Significance

At the present, the district is one of a rapidly decreasing number of rural villages in Monmouth County. The simple unpretentious structures contrast sharply with the wealthy suburban construction which has come to characterize Colts Neck in the past decade. It remains a reminder of the towns agricultural past.

While there is some local appreciation of the qualities of the Colts Neck Village area, development pressures in the township as a whole are intense. Threats to the district directly are not likely, but the probability that it will become surrounded by subdivision is quite strong. The local historical society is small and has dealt only with the preservation of individual structures.
HISTORIC NAME: Colt's Neck General Store
LOCATION: N. Side of County Road
537 West, 2 E. of New Road
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: Colt's Neck General Store
BLOCK/LOT: 30-14
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 2nd half 19th century
Source of Date: Stylistic, date on building
Architect:
Builder:
Style: 5 bay
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, full front porch
Number of Stories: 1½
Foundation: Concrete veneer
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, 1 ridge chimney, a side wall chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
General form of building is very similar to the 3 bay wagon sheds which are common in the area. Has 2/2 sash windows with paneled shutters. Interior of building is open, supported by posts. Wide variety of advertising ephemera on windows and walls. Victorian porch with balustrade and turned posts.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-23* Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on small village lot, set close to road.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
- Urban □  
- Suburban □  
- Scattered Buildings □  
- Open Space □  
- Woodland □  
- Residential □  
- Agricultural □  
- Village □  
- Industrial □  
- Downtown Commercial □  
- Highway Commercial □  
- Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:  See Colts Neck District form #1309-1

ORIGINAL USE:  Store  
PRESENT USE:  Store  

PHYSICAL CONDITION:  
- Excellent □  
- Good □  
- Fair □  
- Poor □

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  
- Yes □  
- Possible □  
- No □  
- Part of District □

THREATS TO SITE:  
- Roads □  
- Development □  
- Zoning □  
- Deterioration □  
- No Threat □  
- Other □

COMMENTS:

County Route 537 is a heavily traveled road, and a possible candidate for expansion.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.  
2. Beers Map, 1860.  

RECORDED BY:  James C. McCabe  
DATE:  March 1981  
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Streetscape: County Rd. 537 West, E. from Millbrook Rd.

Streetscape: County Rd. 537 West, W. from Heyer's Mill Rd.

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**Description**

Construction Date: 1854–55

Style: Greek Revival

Number of Stories: 1½

Foundation: Brick

Exterior Wall Fabric: Flush siding; clapboard; natural wood shingle

Fenestration: 1 bay by 4 bays

Roof/Chimneys: Gable, with steeple

Additional Architectural Description:

Rural Greek Revival church, with Doric pilasters and Ionic columns. Full entablature with denticulated architrave, full pediment, and a circular light in the tympanum. Triple hung 16 light sash windows. Large recessed entry with large double doors. Additions and alterations include a natural wood shingle addition to the rear (early 20th c.?), and a later 19th century steeple with a shingled base, Italianate pilasters, and a short pyramidal roof.

**PHOTO**

Negative File No. 4–31, 32; 7–9, 10, 11, 12

Map (Indicate North)

See District map
FACES SOUTH ON A VILLAGE LOT, SITUATED ON A SMALL RISE.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
Urban [ ]  Suburban [ ]  Scattered Buildings [ ]  
Industrial [ ]  Downtown Commercial [ ]  Highway Commercial [ ]  Other [ ]

SIGNIFICANCE:

This well-conserved frame Greek Revival church is similar to three other examples of its form and style in Monmouth County: the Keyport Reformed Church (1322-3-30); the Englishtown Presbyterian Church (1312-1-1); and the original Red Bank Baptist Church, which is no longer standing. It is a key structure in the Colts Neck District.

See also Colts Neck District form 1309-1.

ORIGINAL USE:  Church

PRESENT USE:  Church

PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent [ ]  Good [X]  Fair [ ]  Poor [ ]

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes [X]  Possible [ ]  No [ ]  Part of District [X]

THREATS TO SITE:  Roads [ ]  Development [ ]  Zoning [ ]  Deterioration [ ]

No Threat [ ]  Other [ ]

COMMENTS:

This building is also individually eligible for the National Register.

REFERENCES:

2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. "100th Anniversary of the Colts Neck Reformed Church" (booklet, 1956).

RECORDED BY:  James McCabe  
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association  
DATE:  March 1981
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Colts Neck Inn
LOCATION: N.E. cr. County Road 537
West and Heyers Mill Road
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS: 

COMMON NAME: Colts Neck Inn
BLOCK/LOT: 31.01./5
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION

Construction Date: Early-mid 18th century w/ later additions
Architect:
Style: 6 bay
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Not visible
Exterior Wall Fabric: Shingle, clapboard
Fenestration: 6 bay, asymmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, 1 internal end chimney

Additional Architectural Description:

The original section of this inn reportedly built in 1717, though the specific section is not known. The building has been expanded and altered numerous times through the years. The main rectangular section appears to have been built in three parts; the central 3 bays may be earliest. First floor windows have been replaced with 2/2 sash. Large rear wing was originally a separate building which was later connected to the main building. Assorted ells have also been added to the rear to supplement the kitchen area. A large brick wing on the east side was added (1961-2); it is not sympathetic.

PHOTO 

Negative File No. 4-20, 21*

Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on corner lot, surrounded by parking lot, adjacent to brook

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1
The Inn has been the focal point of the Colts Neck Village area since the 18th century. It has served as a tavern, an inn, and a distillery (the distillery moved to Scobeyville in the 1840's). The Inn was in the Laird family until the late 19th century. The distillery at Scobeyville continues in the Laird family (see 1309-13).

ORIGINAL USE: Tavern/Inn/Distillery  PRESENT USE: Restaurant
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:
County Route 537 is a heavily traveled route, prone to expansion.

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McGabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
View to N.E.
**HISTORIC NAME:** S. side County Route 537 West, 0.2 mi. W. of State Route 34  
**MUNICIPALITY:** Colts Neck  
**LOCATION:** Marlboro  

**COMMON NAME:** Colts Neck Honey Store  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 46-12  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**OWNER/ADDRESS:**  
**UTM REFERENCES:** Zone/Easting/Northing

### DESCRIPTION

**Construction Date:** 1830-1850  
**Source of Date:** Ref. 1, stylistic  
**Architect:**  
**Builder:**  
**Style:** 3 Bay  
**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle  
**Number of Stories:** 2 and basement  
**Foundation:** Fieldstone  
**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Painted and natural wood shingle  
**Fenestration:** 3 bay symmetrical  
**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable, no visible chimneys

**Additional Architectural Description:**

The building was formerly a blacksmith shop. Has large double doors on front facade, and 6/6 sash windows with plain surrounds. Renovations made within the last ten years include a new foundation, some new structural members, the projecting bay above the front doorway, and the corrugated metal roof.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces north on village lot, set close to road

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
- Urban □
- Suburban □
- Scattered Buildings □
- Open Space □
- Woodland □
- Residential □
- Agricultural □
- Village □
- Industrial □
- Downtown Commercial □
- Highway Commercial □
- Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1

The building was a blacksmith shop throughout the second half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Blacksmith Shop
PRESENT USE: Store

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □
Good □
Fair □
Poor □

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □
Possible □
No □
Part of District □

THREATS TO SITE: Roads □
Development □
Zoning □
Deterioration □
No Threat □
Other □

COMMENTS:

County Route 537 is a heavily traveled road and a possible candidate for expansion.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/ Monmouth County Historical Association
HISTORIC NAME: S. side County Rd. 537 West, 0.4 mi. E. of Hominy Hill Rd.*
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS: *at the end of a long driveway

COMMON NAME: Shadow Isle Farm
BLOCK/LOT: 46/1
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: See below explanation
Source of Date: Stylistic; Refs. 2, 3
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Colonial Revival (present appearance)
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, w/ E. wing and lean-to
Number of Stories: 2 1/2

Foundation: Concrete
Exterior Wall Fabric: Wood shingle
Fenestration: 5 symmetrical bays + 1 bay wing
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 1 external end chimney; wood shingle roofing

Additional Architectural Description:
Because the surveyor did not have access to the interior of this house for a closer examination, the date of this enigmatic farmhouse is undetermined. The structure may either be: (1) a late 18th or early 19th century house, possibly only three bays originally, with substantial Colonial Revival additions and modifications OR (2) a Colonial Revival version of a five-bay Georgian/Federal house with Dutch influence. Indications of earlier construction are the irregular fenestration (spacing differences between the east and west bays on either side of the entry), narrow 9/6 windows, and the placement of the dormers. 20th century Colonial Revival elements include the Georgian Revival dormers with pilasters and round-headed windows; a Dutch Colonial Revival door enframedment with leaded tracery and shed overdoor; and sculptural downspouts, generally rusted away.
House faces south on a 415 acre parcel, set well back from the road at the end of a tree-lined lane. The lot also includes a 1 1/2 story farm manager's house and a number of large 20th century cattle barns. A small private airfield with three small service buildings is located on the southern portion of the property.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
- Urban [ ]  
- Suburban [ ]  
- Scattered Buildings [ ]  
- Open Space [X]  
- Woodland [ ]  
- Residential [ ]  
- Agricultural [X]  
- Village [X]  
- Industrial [ ]  
- Downtown Commercial [ ]  
- Highway Commercial [ ]  
- Other [ ]

SIGNIFICANCE: See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1.

This house exemplifies the character of the Colonial Revival Style in rural central Monmouth County, and some of the difficulties of stylistic analysis in the area. The design elements used in this house closely resemble those found in this section of the county in the late 18th and early 19th centuries, which makes differentiation between early buildings with alterations and bona fide Colonial Revival houses problematic. This particular site is an early one, owned by J. VanMater (a wealthy Dutch farmer) during the mid-19th century, so the possibility of this building being older than this century remains. Dr. Armand Hammer raised Black Angus cattle on this farm during the 1930s and 1940s.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm  
PRESENT USE: Vacant/Airfield

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent [ ]  
Good [ ]  
Fair [X]  
Poor [ ]

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [ ]  
Possible [ ]  
No [ ]  
Part of District [X]

THREATS TO SITE:  
- Roads [ ]  
- Development [X]  
- Zoning [ ]  
- Deterioration [ ]  
No Threat [ ]  
Other [ ]

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association

DATE: March 1981
HISTORIC NAME: Statesir House
LOCATION: 84 County Rd. 537 West
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT 29.01/11
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: C. 1780-1820
Source of Date: Stylistic
Builder:
Architect:
Style: 3 bay Traditional
Form/Plan Type: Square with side ell
Number of Stories: 2 1/2
Foundation: Fieldstone
Exterior Wall Fabric: Natural wood shingle, vertical siding
Fenestration: 3 bay + 2 over 3 bay wing
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 1 internal end chimney; center, ridge chimney on wing
Additional Architectural Description:

Date refers to main section. 6/6 sash windows with molding surrounds; first floor windows are slightly taller than 2nd floor windows. Narrow fascia board below eaves. Simple molded door surround; a trellis has been recently added around the doorway. The wing may predate the main section. The vertical siding of the second floor may reflect a recent roof raising.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-33
Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on village lot, situated near road.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☐ 
Open Space ☑  Woodland ☐  Residential ☑  Agricultural ☐  Village ☑ 
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE: See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1.

This may be one of the earlier houses in the district.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence 
PRESENT USE: Residence 

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☐  Good ☑  Fair ☐  Poor ☐ 

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☐  Possible ☐  No ☐  Part of District ☑

THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐

No Threat ☑  Other ☐

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association

DATE: March 1981
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

| HISTORIC NAME:       | Colts Neck Reformed Church Parish       |
| LOCATION:            | 92 County Rd. 537 West                  |
| MUNICIPALITY:        | Colts Neck                               |
| USGS QUAD:           | Marlboro                                  |

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<td>Roof/Chimneys:</td>
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Additional Architectural Description:

Gothic cottage with a projecting entryway pavilion. Side and transom lights frame doorway, sheltered by a small entryway porch with chamfered post and an X-braced balustrade. Paired Gothic windows in gable ends, which formerly had peaked hood with verge board. Eaves highlighted with verge board. A chimney was probably removed from opposite the existing one.

PHOTO

Negative File No. 4-34

Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on village lot, aligned off of square with road.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1

For Church, see #1309-1-2

This was the parsonage from its construction until 1969. The land for the parsonage was purchased from Tunis Statesir a member of the church.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. "100th Anniversary of the Colts Neck Reformed Church" (1956).

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**

**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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## DESCRIPTION

**Construction Date:** C. 1880

**Source of Date:** Ref. 1,2

**Architect:**

**Builder:**

**Style:** Victorian Gothic

**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle

**Number of Stories:** 1 1/2

**Foundation:** Brick

**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Brick

**Fenestration:** 3 by 4 symmetrical bays

**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; external rear chimney.

**Additional Architectural Description:**

Buttressed walls. Narrow pointed arch stained glass windows with highlighted brick surrounds. Steeply pitched roof. Roof vaulting in interior. Recently converted into a residence with the addition of a kitchen, skylights, and the large cedar deck at the rear.

**PHOTO**

Negative File No. 5-2

**Map (Indicate North)**

The District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south west on village lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☐  
Open Space ☐  Woodland ☑  Residential ☑  Agricultural ☐  Village ☑  
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:  See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1.

This church is very much like the St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Millstone Township.

ORIGINAL USE: Church  PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☐  Good ☑  Fair ☐  Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☐  Possible ☐  No ☐  Part of District ☑
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑  Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/ Monmouth County Historical Association
HISTORIC NAME: 1 New Street
LOCATION: 1 New Street
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT 29.13/14
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: C. 1860
Source of Date: Ref. 1,2
Architect: 
Builder: 
Style: Italianate
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with rear ell

Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Brick

Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard

Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical

Roof/Chimneys: Center gable; slate roofing; 2 internal end chimneys

Additional Architectural Description:
A simple Italianate residence with bracketed eaves, louvered quarter fans in gable end, and a louvered semi-circular fan in the center gable. 6/6 sash windows with projecting lintels. Side and transom lights with cranberry glass. Italianate paneling in door and below side lights. Bracketed 3 bay porch with square posts.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4,26, 27

Map (Indicate North)
See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces east on village lot, a variety of trees and shrubbery surround house.

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SIGNIFICANCE: See Colts Neck District Form #1309-1.

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REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME:  
LOCATION: 21 New Street
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:  
BLOCK/LOT 29.13/11
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1858
Source of Date: Deed search by owners
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Traditional cottage
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle w/ side ell
Number of Stories: 1½
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 1 bay by 3 bays
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; end wall chimney

Additional Architectural Description:

The two bays on the east end are the original section (A); the original entry was on the east facade. Shed (C) is a recent addition. 6/6 sash windows on first floor. Recently resided.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-28
Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on a small village lot, behind a hedgerow; small shed in rear.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban [ ] Suburban [x] Scattered Buildings [ ]
Open Space [ ] Woodland [ ] Residential [x] Agricultural [ ] Village [ ]
Industrial [ ] Downtown Commercial [ ] Highway Commercial [ ] Other [ ]

New subdivision recently built north of house.

SIGNIFICANCE:

See Colts Neck District form #1309-1.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent [x] Good [ ] Fair [ ] Poor [ ]
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [ ] Possible [ ] No [x] Part of District [x]
THREATS TO SITE: Roads [ ] Development [ ] Zoning [ ] Deterioration [ ]
No Threat [x] Other [ ]

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/ Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
HISTORIC DISTRICT SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309-2

DISTRICT NAME: Vanderburg Historic District
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
COUNTY: Monmouth
TYPE OF DISTRICT: Village
USGS QUAD: Marlboro

DESCRIPTION: (General description of district as a whole and boundaries)

The Vanderburg Historic District is a small village located around the intersection of Heyers Mill Rd. and Conover Rd. It contains roughly 35 residences and outbuildings, primarily 1 and 2 story traditional 19th century frame buildings, clustered irregularly around the intersection, and a large Italianate farmhouse (1309-2-2) which is separated from the rest of the village by a portion of a school lot. The district is surrounded by a combination of woodland, farmland, open space, and modern residential subdivisions, and bisected by a small stream, Fulling Mill Brook. Significant structures are recorded on individual forms, and intrusions consist of a one story brick fire house, and a variety of residential subdivisions which lie on the perimenter of the district.

The boundaries are based on the historic location of the village as determined through map research, and on existing construction. The district includes both sides of Heyers Mill Rd. from Conover Rd. at the north end to the bend in the road 1100' south of the intersection; and both sides of Conover Rd. from Woods End Rd. at the east, to Heyers Mill Rd., and on the north side only from Heyers Mill Rd. to the northern boundary of site #1309-2-2. (Note: The lot for the Conover Road School has been divided so as to include the open space, but not the school building which would be an intrusion.

APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF BUILDINGS: 35
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURES: Excellent 5 % Good 40 % Fair 40 % Poor 15 %
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: ☐ Yes ☐ Possible ☐ No

THREATS TO DISTRICT/LOCAL ATTITUDES: See "Significance" and #1309-1.

COMMENTS:
Vanderburg is one of a number of small rural centers in Colts Neck Township. It is notable because, like the village of Colts Neck (1309-1), it retains many of the qualities which typified these rural centers during the 19th century. The district includes a variety of small stylistically undefined buildings, clustered irregularly around the intersection of Heyer's Mill Road and Conover Road. It is a form of development that is quite common to rural areas in Monmouth County. The district also includes a substantial Italianate farmhouse, similar to several others in Colts Neck (see #1309-5, 1309-17, 1309-26, 1309-27).

The earliest mention of the village occurs in accounts of the march of the British army under General Clinton from Freehold to Sandy Hook following the Battle of Monmouth in 1778. A small skirmish occurred between local residents and the British forces; a casualty of that skirmish is buried in a marked grave on the edge of the village. During the 19th century the village was known as Edinburg and was the site of a couple of mills. Taylor's grist mill, which was built in 1822 was located a short distance to the north on Big Brook (no longer extant) and another was presumably on Fulling Mill Brook. A school was established in the village around 1814. The name of the village was changed in the late 19th century to Vanderburg when a post office was opened there. The village is surrounded by woodland, farmland, and open space and a few recent subdivisions. The undeveloped land contributes to the character of the district, but, as with all land in the township, pressures for its development are considerable.

REFERENCES: (Include representation in existing surveys)

See Colts Neck District #1309-1

ATTACHMENTS: (Indicate number)

MAPS: 1  PHOTOS: 8  SLIDES: 1

OTHER: (Specify)

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association

DATE: March 1981
Street: Heye's Mill Rd., S. from Conover Rd.

N. side Conover Rd. opposite Heye's Mill Rd.

S.W. cr. Heye's Mill Rd. and Conover Rd.
HISTORIC NAME: 33 Conover Rd.
LOCATION: Colts Neck
MUNICIPALITY: Marlboro
USGS QUAD: Monmouth
OWNER/ADDRESS: Zone/Northing/Easting

COMMON NAME: 14/4
BLOCK/LOT: Zone/Northing/Easting
COUNTY: UTM REFERENCES:

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: First half 19th C.
Source of Date: Stylistic; Ref. 1
Architect:
Builder:
Style: 3 bay Traditional
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, with rear ell
Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Wood shingle

Additional Architectural Description:
Small 1/1 sash windows. Gable returns. Rear ell is a later addition. Gabled portico is also an addition.

PHOTO Negative File No. 2-28, 29
Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces north on village lot, on small bluff above road.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
Urban ☐ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings ☐  
Open Space ☐ Woodland ☐ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☐ Village ☑  
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:  See Vanderburg District Form #1309-19

ORIGINAL USE: Residence  
PRESENT USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION:  
Excellent ☐ Good ☑  Fair ☐ Poor ☐

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  
Yes ☐ Possible ☐ No ☐ Part of District ☑

THREATS TO SITE:  
Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐  
No Threat ☑ Other ☐

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  
DATE: March 1981

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
HISTORIC NAME: Conover/Crine House
LOCATION: 60 Conover Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: Block/Lot 8/9
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Ell: late 18th-early 19th C. Main house: 1850-60
Source of Date: Stylistic
Builder:
Architect:
Style: Greek Revival/Italianate elements
Form/Plan Type: Rectangular, side ell
Number of Stories: 2 1/2
Foundation: Brick & fieldstone
Exterior Wall Fabric: Split Shingle
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical with 2 over 3 bay ell
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 4 internal end chimneys main block; 1 internal end chimney on ell

Additional Architectural Description:
Five-bay Greek Revival/Italianate residence, similar to those found in western Colts Neck, with Italianate scroll bracketing. North and south facades are identical. The doors have classical enframements, with transom lights and 2/3 length side lights of cranberry colored glass. 6/6 sash windows with large cornices, and gable returns with concealed gutters on eaves. The first floor of the ell is the original section of the house; the roof was raised around the time of construction of the main block.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

North-south orientation on wooded 2.18 acre lot. The site formerly included a number of outbuildings, all of which have been removed.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban X □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village X □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

Adjacent to modern school building.

SIGNIFICANCE: See Vanderburg District Form #1309-19.

Although the Vanderburg District as a whole is not eligible for the National Register, individually this house is. It is a good, and well maintained, example of a mid-19th century building type found in central Monmouth County. Without the brackets, it is similar to #1309-3 and #1309-27, which were built during the rapid expansion of Monmouth County agriculture in the mid-19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence & Farm
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good X □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes X □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat X □ Other □

COMMENTS:
Renovation/restoration of interior being undertaken by owners, who are also preparing a National Register Nomination.

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. "Crine House", New Jersey Historic Sites Inventory.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
October 22, 1982

Mrs. Meril A. Silipigni
60 Conover Road
Colts Neck, NJ 07722

Dear Mrs. Silipigni:

The staff has reviewed your application for the Crine House, and based on the information submitted and the level of documentation, the building does not appear eligible for nomination.

If you wish to pursue the project, the following additional information is needed:

a. A complete description of the building plus outbuildings.

b. A comparison of the property with other similar farm houses in Colts Neck.

c. An expanded statement of significance.

d. A description of the house’s interior including photographs.

Providing the above information does not guarantee eligibility. The information will again be carefully reviewed to see if it meets the criteria of the Secretary of the Interior.

Your interest in historic preservation is appreciated, and if you have any questions, please contact me at the above number.

Sincerely,

Terry Karchner
Historic Preservation Specialist

TK:tlm

cc: NR File
Harry Crine Home Has 17 Rooms

This house at the intersection of Crine and Conover Roads in Vanderburgh presents an enigma as far as age is concerned. To all purposes, the date of the dwelling's construction could be set at about 1875. But closer inspection creates doubt.

The scrollwork on both the house and porch roof cornices are true Victorian in design and handling. Interior details are of the same period. Beautiful marble mantels adorn the downstairs fireplaces. The shapes of these, as well as the subjects of the carvings on them, indicate post-Civil War taste. The banister and newell post on the stairs in the main hall, as well as the plaster work on the ceilings, date the structure from the Seventies.

But the general lines of the building, the balanced plan of the interior, the type of windows and the plain chimneys claim a much earlier date for the house; probably sometime between 1790 and 1810.

The deciding factor for the early date, and probably the one detail which is really reliable, is the shingling. Victorian builders used clapboards almost exclusively in the Seventies. When they did employ shingles, these were much smaller than those on this house.

This building is sheathed with hand-made shakes... and the give-away to their authenticity is that the shakes are nailed at both top and bottom. This is a construction device that builders stopped using at the beginning of Classic Revival. It was a practice outlawed for almost half a century when the Victorian details were added to this home. They must already have been in place, for no carpenter of the day would have made them.

From a detailed study of this structure, it would seem that it must have been erected during the boom right after the Revolution when Monmouth County broke out suddenly in a rush of rich, almost elegant new farmhouses. Some 80 years later, a new owner completely restored this dwelling to conform to the style of his day; but did it without altering basic construction. But the lavish addition of Gothic Revival details, the building was "modernized."

The home and its 100 acres were bought in 1929 by Harry Crine, the present owner. The house has 17 rooms and bath.
## NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION

Staff Review of NJ/National Register Applications

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Totals

If staff votes to disapprove, letter is sent to applicant with explanation.

If staff feels more info is needed to make a decision, a letter is sent so indicating. Site visit is optional.

If staff votes to recommend go to Step II.

### Step II - Fill out Evaluation/Return Sheet

### Step III - Substantive Staff Review

Circulate application one week before meeting.

Is the nomination ready to go before the State Review Board?

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Vanderberg District survey - not eligible

Typical bldg. - marginal

Suggest M.R. for Colts Neck

Based on information submitted, a level of documentation is low. This bldg. does not appear eligible.
April 16, 1981

Mrs. Meril A. Silipigni
60 Conover Road
Colts Neck, N.J. 07722

Dear Mrs. Silipigni:

Thank you for submitting a State and National Register nomination form for the Crine House, Colts Neck, Monmouth County. Preliminary review of the nomination will get underway within the next few weeks.

Nominations are reviewed by our Register staff for completeness and accuracy. Nominations are then prioritized for final review and presentation to the State Review Board. Factors considered for high priority review include National significance, contextual evaluation, underrepresented type or area, a threat to property, tax act and/or grant potential.

The National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 was amended in 1980 requiring that private owners be given the opportunity to concur in or object to National Register listings. Until regulations are promulgated by the Federal government, the National Register Office will review and list publically owned properties only. During this period the New Jersey Office of Cultural and Environmental Services will continue to review and process privately owned properties through to the New Jersey Register of Historic Places. However, highest priority will be given to the review and processing of public properties.

You will be notified if additional information is required to complete your Register submission. Should you have any questions concerning the Register programs or our other historic preservation programs, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Susanne C. Hand, Acting Supervisor
Historic Preservation Section
Office of Cultural and Environmental Services
FIRST FLOOR LAYOUT
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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| COMMON NAME: |                      |
| BLOCK/LOT:   | 14/1 |
| COUNTY:      | Monmouth |
| UTM REFERENCE: | Zone/Northing/Easting |

**DESCRIPTION**

| Construction Date: | 1865 |
| Architect:         |      |
| Style:             | Schoolhouse |
| Number of Stories: | 1 |
| Foundation:        | Brick |
| Exterior Wall Fabric: | Clapboard |
| Fenestration:      | 3 bay by 4 bay |
| Roof/Chimneys:     | Gable; shed; external cinderblock chimney |

**Additional Architectural Description:**

Typical schoolhouse details include narrow rectangular plan and tall windows with 9/9 sash. Has flat window surrounds and wide fascia boards. Alterations include an enclosed front porch, a side entry, a new roof with exposed rafter ends and a gable overdoor. Note removed belfry on south side of the house.

**PHOTO**

Negative File No. 2-22

**Map (Indicate North)**

See District map
SITTING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces west on small rise, on an open corner lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential ☑ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: See Vanderburg District Form #1309-19.

ORIGINAL USE: School □ Present Use: Residence □
EXCELLENT □ Good ☑ Poor □
Yes □ Possible □ No ☑ Part of District □
ROADS □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat ☑ Other □

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: 257 Heyers Mill Rd.
LOCATION: 257 Heyers Mill Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: 13/15
BLOCK/LOT
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 1860-1880
Source of Date: Stylistic
Architect:
Builder:
Style: 5 bay with Italianate elements
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with rear ell
Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Brick with concrete veneer
Exterior Wall Fabric: Asbestos shingles
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 2 internal end chimneys
Additional Architectural Description:
Traditional 5 bay form with late 19th century elements which include generally vertical massing, tall, slender 4/4 sash windows with cornices, and a small transom light above the door. Asbestos shingles are a 20th c. addition.

PHOTO Negative File No. 2-24
Map (Indicate North)

See District map
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces east on irregular 1 acre village lot. Small facade shed north of house.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban □  Suburban X  Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □  Woodland □  Residential X  Agricultural □  Village □
Industrial □  Downtown Commercial □  Highway Commercial □  Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:  See Vanderberg District Form #1309-2.

ORIGINAL USE:  Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent □  Good X  Fair □  Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes □  Possible □  No □  Part of District X
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads □  Development □  Zoning □  Deterioration □
No Threat X  Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY:  James C. McCabe
DATE:  March 1981
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
### Historic Preservation Section

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| COMMON NAME:  |                     |
| BLOCK/LOT     | 6/13                |
| COUNTY:       | Monmouth            |
| UTM REFERENCES:| Zone/Northing/Easting |

### Description

**Construction Date:** C. 1851-60  
**Architect:**  
**Style:** Greek Revival/Italianate  
**Number of Stories:** 2 1/2  
**Foundation:** Brick  
**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Wood shingle  
**Fenestration:** 5 bay symmetrical with 2 bay ell  
**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; 4 internal end chimneys  
**Additional Architectural Description:**  
Transitional Greek Revival/Italianate details include: 6/6 sash windows with large cornices; pronounced eaves with gable returns and a broad frieze; and a recessed double doorway with a classical enframement and rectangular transom light. Wing on north side is probably a later addition. New shingle siding. The house has a strong similarity to the Bray house on Hillsdale Rd., #1309-27.

| PHOTO | Negative File No. | 2-13,14 |

**Map (Indicate North)**
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces west on a 5 acre lot. Mature deciduous growth surrounds house.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
- Urban [ ]
- Suburban [ ]
- Scattered Buildings [ ]
- Open Space [X]
- Woodland [ ]
- Residential [X]
- Agricultural [X]
- Village [ ]
- Industrial [ ]
- Downtown Commercial [ ]
- Highway Commercial [ ]
- Other [ ]

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is one of a number of farms started in the north west section of Colts Neck during the 1850's (see also 1309-26 and 1309-27). This was a growth period for Monmouth County, based on the expansion of truck farming, particularly potatoes. The close proximity of the farm to the marl beds in Marlboro made the area particularly prosperous. The substantial proportions of the house and the dramatic quality of the architectural elements, reflects the prosperity of the farm and the area.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm & Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent [X]
Good [ ]
Fair [ ]
Poor [ ]
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [X]
Possible [ ]
No [ ]
Part of District [ ]
THREATS TO SITE: Roads [ ]
Development [ ]
Zoning [ ]
No Threat [X]
Other [ ]
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**

**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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| COMMON NAME:         | Phalanx Cottage       |
| BLOCK/LOT:           | 21.09/3               |
| COUNTY:              | Monmouth              |
| UTM REFERENCES:      | Zone/North/Easting   |

**DESCRIPTION**

- **Construction Date:** 1852
- **Source of Date:** Ref. 1
- **Architect:**
- **Style:** Gothic Revival
- **Builder:**
- **Form/Plan Type:** T-plan
- **Number of Stories:** 1 1/2
- **Foundation:** Brick
- **Exterior Wall Fabric:** Vertical board and batten
- **Fenestration:** 1 over 3 bay symmetrical
- **Roof/Chimneys:** Intersecting gable, steeply pitched, chimney in rear wing
- **Additional Architectural Description:**
  Gothic Cottage whose facade features floor-to-ceiling first floor windows, and paired second floor windows with pointed heads in a steeply pitched dormer. Building was moved to present site from original location next to Phalanstery building, south of Bucklin Road (now gone). Second floor of rear wing was added by current owners.

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Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on 2.6 acre wooded lot, small frame garage also located on site.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☑  Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☐  Woodland ☑  Residential ☑  Agricultural ☐  Village ☐
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commerical ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:

This cottage was built by Marcus Spring, one of the patrons of the North American Phalanx, a 19th century Fourierist Utopian community. Spring built the cottage because he desired some privacy from the general membership during his summer visits. The cottage was built a few years before the Phalanx community broke up, and to a certain extent, symbolizes the division that developed between the patrons and the general membership of the Phalanx over the direction the community should go. The cottage is the best example of the Gothic Revival in Colts Neck, and one of the best in the county.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑  Good ☐  Fair ☐  Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑  Possible ☐  No ☐  Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
1309-4 Marcus Spring Cottage


6.13 Diagram of central portion of Phalanx site, in 1854. Buildings existing before 1843 are shaded.

6.9 Central buildings on the Plaza, from east to west, clockwise: Spring, left to right, communal dwelling, 1844; Phalanstery, 1849-1852; and cottage built by Marcus Spring, 1851. Frame construction.

6.10 Communal dwelling, 1841, schematic plans of existing part of structure (now converted into barn).
6.6 "Map of the Domain of the North American Phalanx," divided into farms and lots for sale, 1855. Shows meadows and orchards, Brisbane Hill in lower center; marl pits to north; transpost to New York as inset.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

| HISTORIC NAME: | William C. Buck House |
| LOCATION: | E. side of Buck's Mill Rd. |
| MUNICIPALITY: | Colts Neck |
| USGS QUAD: | Marlboro |
| OWNER/ADDRESS: |  |

| COMMON NAME: |
| BLOCK/LOT | 29/12 |
| COUNTY: | Monmouth |
| UTM REFERENCES: | Zone/Northing/Easting |

| DESCRIPTION |
| Construction Date: | C. 1870 |
| Architect: |  |
| Style: | 5 bay |
| Number of Stories: | 2 1/2 |
| Foundation: | Brick |
| Exterior Wall Fabric: | Natural wood shingle |
| Fenestration: | 5 bay symmetrical |
| Roof/Chimneys: | Gable; internal end chimney |

Additional Architectural Description:
A simple 5 bay house with limited stylistic expression. 2/2 sash windows with plain surrounds. Paired round-headed windows in south gable end. Enclosed porch, with clapboard wall surface inside.

PHOTO Negative File No. 5-31, 32, 33, 34

Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces west on small lot. Situated immediately north of mill wheel, which marks the site of the former Buck's Mill, which burned in the 1970's.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □ Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □ Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This was the home of William C. Buck, a miller and operator of Buck's Mill which he acquired from Joseph P. Probasco in 1871. The mill formerly stood immediately south of the house on Yellow Brook, until it burned in the 1970's. A reconstructed mill wheel still stands at the spot. The mill site dated from the 18th century and was the last water powered mill standing in Colts Neck. The house characterizes much of the simple vernacular architecture found in Colts Neck and central Monmouth County from the second half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence □ PRESENT USE: Residence □
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □ No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Waterwheel, facing S.
### New Jersey Office of Cultural and Environmental Services

**Historic Preservation Section**

**Building Complex Survey Form**

**Historic Name:** Probasco House  
**Location:** West side Buck's Mill Rd.  
N. of Bucks Pond (Yellow Brook)  
**Municipality:** Colts Neck  
**USGS Quad:** Marlboro  
**Owner/Address:**

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**Additional Architectural Description:**

A. House consists of a 2/3 Georgian plan main section, with a smaller ell and lean-to which probably predates it. The main section has large windows with 12/12 and 12/8 sash and small drip moldings on the south facade. West facade has a 15/15 sash window and three (3) 6/6 sash windows. Wide side lights flank the main doorway, which is sheltered by a shed roofed portico. The ell has a large overhang over the first floor, and has small second floor windows. Other sash in the wing is 12/12 and 4/4. The house was restored/remodeled C. 1960.

B. Has English frame 4 bent plan. Cupola is similar to that on the barn at #1309-32.

The remainder of the buildings on the site were built during the 1960 remodeling. They include a store icehouse, a stove root cellar or smokehouse, a tenant house, and a number of other assorted outbuildings.

**Condition Comments:**

- [ ] Good
- [ ] Fair
- [ ] Poor
- [ ] Excellent
- [ ] Terrible

**Negative File No:** 6-2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8*
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: Farmstead is situated between two mill ponds; the house faces south over one of them. The site includes approximately 10 buildings.
Topography: Ground rises up from ponds and road.
Vegetation: Mature deciduous trees surround house. Pasture surrounds farmstead. Grounds are carefully maintained.
Water: The site is flanked on the north and south by mill ponds.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space ☑ Woodland □ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
The house is a good example of the combination of English and Dutch building traditions. The main section is a 2/3 Georgian plan, similar to other substantial houses built in Central Monmouth County during the late 18th century. The ell is characteristic of the small 1 1/2 story Dutch cottages built during the 18th century and generally added on to. The barn is a late example of the English type. Though the remaining buildings are new, they contribute to the architectural and historical character of the site, which is one of the more beautiful in the area. The house belonged to Joseph P. Probasco during the mid-19th century. He operated the grist mill across the street until it was sold to William C. Buck in 1871.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence, mill and farm  PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat ☑ Other □
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House (A), facing N.

Barn (B), facing N.W.

Barn (B), facing S.E.
Tenant House, facing S.

Ice House, facing E.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM
HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309-7

HISTORIC NAME: B.D. Sickles House
LOCATION: W. side Bucks Mill Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT 23/14
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northings/Eastings

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: C. 1860
Architect:
Style: 3 bay Traditional
Number of Stories: 2 1/2
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 3 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, with gable wing, 2 internal end chimneys
Additional Architectural Description:
A simple 3 bay traditional house with a minimum of ornamentation. Details include 6/6 sash windows with projecting lintels, a narrow paneled door with a small transom light, and a late 19th century bracketed porch with turned posts.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-2,3

Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces east on a 3.68 acre lot with a deciduous and coniferous windbreak; the site also includes a large wagon shed, a new horse barn and a small tool shed.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☑  Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☑  Woodland ☐  Residential ☑  Agricultural ☑  Village ☐
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
Like many other farms in western Colts Neck, this well maintained farm was built during the decade of the 1850's a period of rapid growth for Monmouth County agriculture. Although, it is situated on a small lot, the farmstead and its simple, unpretentious character serve to balance the expanding suburbanization which surrounds it.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑  Good ☐  Fair ☐  Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑  Possible ☐  No ☒  Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑  Other ☐

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
DATE: March 1981
Wagon Shed; facing N.W.
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**
**BUILDING COMPLEX SURVEY FORM**

**HISTORIC NAME:** J.C. Barkalow Farm  
**LOCATION:** 61 Cedar Dr.  
**MUNICIPALITY:** Colts Neck  
**USGS QUAD:** Marlboro  
**OWNER/ADDRESS:**  
**COMMON NAME:** Buckalew Farm  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 23/30  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**UTM REFERENCES:** Zoning/Northing/Easting  
**NEGATIVE FILE NO:** 5-4,5,6,7,8,

### SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURES

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### ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A. A 5 bay house with limited stylistic expression. 2/2 sash windows with projecting lintels; may have formerly been 6/6 windows. 2 light transom above doorway. Gable returns. Portico is a recent addition.

B. Side bays have been enclosed.

C. Interior has been converted into a 2 story workshop.

### CONDITION COMMENTS:

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- F
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- F
- P
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House faces north on 5 acre lot
Topography: Gently slopes up to west
Vegetation: Pasture, with a variety of mature trees scattered around the farmstead
Water: A branch of Yellow Brook is located across Cedar Drive from the farmstead.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban□ Suburban□ Scattered Buildings✓
Open Space ☑ Woodland ☑ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village ☑
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: This farmstead was first built during the 1850's, during a period of growth for Monmouth County agriculture. While the house and farm buildings are not individually notable, in combination they present a largely complete farm plan, typical of the area. The farmstead helps establish the agricultural character of the area, a quality which is being rapidly compromised by suburbanization.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm
PRESENT USE: Farm
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No ☑ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development ☑ Zoning □ Deterioration ☑
No Threat: □ Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
#1309-8  J.C. Barkalow Farm  Continuation Sheet

Map:

Site Plan:

Cedar Drive

A: House

B: Wagon Shed

C: Barn

Foundation

Stable

Not to Scale
House (A), facing S.

Wagon Shed (B), facing E.
Barn (C), facing S.

Barn (C), facing S.
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<td>Rainbow roof, with ventilators</td>
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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION**

A. House was built in three sections. The ell is the earliest (18th C., but exact date is undetermined), and the bay at the east end is the latest. 6/6 sash windows on main section, small attic windows on ell. Transom light and 2/3 length side lights around doorway. Wood shingled roof with wide overhanging eaves.

B. Originally built as a dairy barn.

C. Originally a wagon shed.

Site is a large multi-building complex, most of which are 20th century. There are two farms on the property, a total of approximately 27 buildings.
SITTING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: Two farms, situated on a 234 acre lot; house of surveyed farm faces north, 50 feet from road.

Topography: Gently rolling hills

Vegetation: Pasture, perimeter of lot is outlined with evergreens, scattered trees around house

Water: Big Brook flows through farm

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☑ Woodland ☐ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE: Although none of the buildings on this farmstead are individually outstanding, as a whole it illustrates a composite 19th and 20th century farmstead, and contributes in a major way to the agricultural character of the area north of Crine Rd. The farm was in the Taylor family through much of the 19th century. James J. Taylor and his brother William inherited the farm in 1835 and divided it between them. It was a dairy farm in the early 20th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm & Residence
PRESENT USE: Farm & Residence

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible ☐ No ☒ Part of District ☐

THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☐ Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

2. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe ☑ DATE: March 1981

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
House (A), facing S.

Barn (B), facing N.W.
Stalls (C), facing N.W.

Grainary, facing N.
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**BUILDING COMPLEX SURVEY FORM**

**HISTORIC NAME:** Covenhoven House  
**LOCATION:** 100 Conover Road  
**MUNICIPALITY:** Colts Neck  
**USGS QUAD:** Marlboro  
**OWNER/ADDRESS:**  

**COMMON NAME:** Holly Bush Manor  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 8/12  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**UIM REFERENCES:** Zoning/Northing/Easting  
**NEGATIVE FILE NO:** 2-36-37; 3-3,4,5,6*  

### SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURES

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### ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A: The house was built in a number of stages. A conjectural sequence would have the first floor section of the east side (the three closely-spaced windows) as the original house, a one-story Dutch framed cottage. The two-story west section, with a square side hall plan, was probably added in the 1750’s or 1760’s. The roof of the original section was raised in the late 18th or early 19th century, creating a symmetrical five-bay house. The 9/9 sash were probably added at the same time. The two eells on the east end were added during the 20th century. The sections on the rear were built at an undetermined date. The doorway is flanked by wide sidelights and surmounted by a rectangular transom light with a fan pattern in the tracery. Some 9/6 sash are found on the rear of the west section. "D.C. 1712" was formerly painted on a semicircle in the west gable end. Wood shingle roofing. Note variety of eaves trim in slides.

B: Has had few modifications; includes original hardware.

### CONDITION COMMENTS:

Some water damage to shingles immediately above porch roof on house.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: House faces south on 5.5 lot. Complex is set back from the road.

Topography: Lot is flat land, lying at the edge of a steep bluff which leads to Big Brook and State Route 34.

Vegetation: Windbreak of mature deciduous and coniferous trees forms western boundary of yard; fenced-in pasture area.

Water: Well is near house; Big Brook is approximately 1000' distant.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is among the earliest houses in Colts Neck and illustrates the characteristic expansion of Monmouth County dwellings from one-story Dutch framed cottages to two-story, five-bay symmetrical houses. The evolution of the Village Inn in Englishtown (1312-1-15) is similar. The house may be from the original farmstead of one branch of the ubiquitous Conover family, who were present in large numbers in Monmouth County during the early 18th century, and who continue to be numerous to the present day as Conover. Although the house has been expanded many times, evidence of the various stages of construction are still visible, such as round butt shingles, various types of eaves molding, and the fenestration. The outbuildings are in good condition, and the plan of the farm is typical of the area.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and Residence PRESENT USE: Horse Farm and Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Conversation with owner (Eleanor Padula), March 1981.

RECORDED BY: James McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/ Monmouth County Historical Association
Map:

Site Plan:

A: House

B: Wagon Shed

C: Shed

20th c. Dwelling

Fenced Pasture

Conover Road

Not to Scale

Well House

#1307-10 Covenhoven Farm Continuation Sheet
House; facing N.E.

Wagon shed; facing S.E.
Shed; facing S.E.

View; facing E.
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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION**

A. Late 19th century Victorian farmhouse with 1/1 sash windows, with plain surrounds; a scrolled modillion roof cornice; and a round headed gable window. The porch, now enclosed, has a central pediment which resembles the roof shape.

B. Center gable similar to that on house.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House and barn face south on a 13 acre lot, in a densely clustered complex, which includes several other smaller buildings.
Topography: Flat.
Vegetation: Yard in front of is landscaped with hedges and shrubbery.
Water: Yellow Brook flows to the north of the lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban□ Suburban□ Scattered Buildings□ Open Space□ Woodland□ Residential□ Agricultural□ Village□ Industrial□ Downtown Commercial□ Highway Commercial□ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: This is a good example of a late 19th century farmstead. The complex was built as a whole, and the general shape of the barn reflects that of the house.

ORIGINAL USE: House & Farm PRESENT USE: House & Farm
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No□ Part of District□
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □ No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
House; facing N.

Barn; facing N.
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**

**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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**Additional Architectural Description:**
A simple 5 bay house; irregular spacing in fenestration accentuates central bay. 2/2 sash window are later 19th century replacements; they have plain surrounds. Doorway and eaves are not highlighted. 3 bay Italianate porch is a later addition.

**PHOTO**
Negative File No. 5-28, 29, 30

**Map (Indicate North)**
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces south on an open 52 acre lot. The house has a modest setback, and is surrounded by a variety of mature trees. A brick smokehouse, and a late 19th or early 20th century frame barn are also on the lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☑ Open Space ☑ Woodland ☐ Residential ☐ Agricultural ☑ Village ☐ Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a good example of the simple architecture which characterized the majority of the construction in central Monmouth County, prior to 1830. It is somewhat unusual in that it utilized a 5 bay plan, but the simple design is typical of the area. The brick smokehouse and the barn contribute to the agricultural character of the site. The farm was owned by D. Polhemus during much of the second half of the 19th century; H. Polhemus owned it in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☐ Good ☑ Fair ☐ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible ☐ No ☐ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☑ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑ Other ☐

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Smokehouse; facing N.

Barn; facing N.E.
**HISTORIC NAME:** Laird's Apple Jack Distillery  
**LOCATION:** N.E. cr. County Rd. 537 East and Laird Rd.  
**MUNICIPALITY:** Colts Neck  
**USGS QUAD:** Marlboro  
**COMMON NAME:** Lairds & Co.  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 35/12  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**utm references:** Zoning/Northings/Easting  
**NEGATIVE FILE NO:** 6-16 to 27  

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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:**

A. Small one room office with portico over entry. Has large cinderblock addition to rear.

B. Has cinderblock addition to rear.

C. Built in two sections. Smaller lower section is original, larger upper section was built in the late 19th century. Built into bank.

D. Built into bank, has an extensive one story ell. Includes large sheet metal hopper, and framework for turbine.

**CONDITION COMMENTS:**

|                | E □ | C □ | F □ | P □ | E □ | G □ | F □ | P □ | E □ | G □ | F □ | P □ |
LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: Complex is situated around tributary to Hop Brook.

Topography: Built on banks which flank brook, surrounding area is generally flat.

Vegetation: Scattered trees throughout complex.

Water: Small brook and man-made pond are in middle of complex.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings X
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: Laird's Distillery is the last operating applejack distillery in the country. The first recorded sale of the product was in 1780 by Robert Laird, whose still was behind the inn and tavern he operated (now the Colts Neck Inn #1309-1-3). The distillery continued behind the inn until 1847 when it was destroyed by a fire and a new one was built on a branch of Yellow Brook in Scobeyville. It consisted of the cider mill, stillhouse, barrel warehouse, and office building recorded on this survey form, as well as a couple of other minor buildings. The distillery was expanded on a number of occasions over the years; the primary operations are now carried out at a still in Virginia (so located because of its proximity to apple supplies) and in the large brick bottling plant located immediately south of the original buildings. The distillery has been in the Laird family throughout its history; it stands today as the sole survivor of what was once a thriving industry in Monmouth County, and New Jersey in general.

ORIGINAL USE: Distillery
PRESENT USE: Distillery

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:


RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
HISTORIC NAME: Laird's Apple Jack Distillery  
COMMON NAME: Laird and Co.
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BLOCK/LOT: 35/12
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
COUNTY: Monmouth
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A. House was built in three sections. The eastern section is the earliest, built during the 18th century. The central section was built during the mid-19th century. The west wing was built during the 1930's. The 1930's addition appears to have been accompanied by a general renovation of the house, which includes the new shingle siding, the large portico, the door enframement on the north facade, and the denticulated cornice. 6/6 sash windows with plain surrounds.

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Site Plan:

NOTE: Labels pertain to original use.

Not to Scale
Map:

Still House (B) and Vat; View Northeast

Left to right:
Still House (B)
Barrel Warehouse (C)
Office (A)
View Northeast
Cider Mill (D)
View Southwest

Cider Mill, west ell (D)
View Northeast

Fermenting Tanks
View North
House (E)  
View Northeast

Barn  
View Northeast

Water Tower and Steam Lines  
View East
### Historic Sites Inventory No. 1309-14

**Historic Name:** Lin-z-Lane Farm  
**Location:** NW cr. County Rd. 537 and Lakeside Ave.

**Municipality:** Colts Neck  
**USGS Quad:** Long Branch

**Owner/Address:**

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### Description

**Construction Date:** Early to mid 18th century

**Architect:**

**Style:** Traditional/Georgian

**Number of Stories:** 2 1/2

**Foundation:** Brown sandstone; fieldstone

**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Shingle  
**Fenestration:** 2 plus 3 bay

**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; 2 sets of twin end chimneys

**Additional Architectural Description:**

The house was built in four major sections. The earliest, section A (see above plan), consists of one room with a large kitchen fireplace and is believed to have been built in the early 18th century. Two front bays (Section B) were then added, and the roof may have been raised at the same time. A 2/3 Georgian plan (section C) was added about 1760-80. It has a denticulated cornice and 8/8 and 12/12 sash windows. The lean-to (section D) was enclosed in the last twenty years. Sidelights flank the doorway; the enframement may be a later alteration. Considerable early hardware exists inside the house. 6/6 sash windows are found on the early sections. The house was insulated in 1980 by applying insulating material to the exterior and covering it with another layer of wood shingles.

**Photo:** Negative File No. 5-15, 16, 17*  
**Map (Indicate North):**

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1. Plan A
2. Plan B
3. Plan C

SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on a 20 acre horse farm. The house is surrounded by a variety of mature trees. Outbuildings associated with the horse farm are modern and are not noteworthy.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban X Scattered Buildings □
Open Space X Woodland □ Residential X Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This site exhibits the characteristic manner in which Monmouth County farmhouses expanded during the eighteenth century. Beginning with a one or two room cabin, the house was gradually enlarged, and eventually was adapted to a Georgian plan and formal arrangement. This house is notable for the detailing on the Georgian section (C), the large kitchen fireplace, and the various early hardware which remains in parts of the house. The site was owned by E. Hance in 1851 and 1860, and by B.C. Wyckoff in 1873 and 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent X Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat X Other □
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
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**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**U/M REFERENCES:** Zoning/Northing/Easting  
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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:**  

A. 2/3 Georgian plan main section, with 3 bay and 2 bay sections to the east. The three sections appear roughly contemporary. Decorative elements are concentrated in main section which has a modillion and dentil cornice, a full triangular pediment in the west gable, a round headed sash window with tracery on the south facade, wide side lights and a transom lights with Gothic tracery frame at the doorway of the north facade. 12/12 sash windows with molded surrounds and paneled shutters on all 3 sections. The house was modernized in 1933, though the extent of the changes is not known.  

B. Converted from 3 to 5 bays.  

C. Long ell on east side is on concrete piers, probably of later construction than the main section.  

D. Simple 5 bay house with transom light above double doorway.  

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House is aligned north-south, with an ample setback from the road. Situated with 13 other buildings on a 253 acre lot.
Topography: Flat.
Vegetation: Pasture; a variety of mature trees surround house.
Water: Small, man-made pond in front of lot, Hockhockson Brook forms rear line of lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: This complex includes a very good example of Georgian architecture in Monmouth County, as well as a large complement of later 19th century and early 20th century farm buildings. The stylistic expression of the house is unusually well developed for the Georgian Style in central Monmouth County, which is generally characterized by rather simple design. The wide side lights are similar to those found on the Covenhoven House (1309-10) in Colts Neck, and the Gothic tracery is also found on the Longstreet Farm in Holmdel. The complex of farm buildings is among the largest in the county, and is comprised of buildings primarily from the 19th century. The original owner and builder are undetermined. The farm was purchased from a Mr. Bennet in 1830 by Dr. Robert W. Cooke, a noted allergist. It has been in the Cooke family ever since, operating as a gentleman's farm, as Dr. Cooke's descendants continued to be physicians. The current owner, Robert Cooke, has broken with this tradition by becoming a full time farmer, raising Angus cattle. Another Cooke farm is on Middletown Rd. in Holmdel.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS: This is among the most important sites in the county.

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
3. "Hockhockson Farm", New Jersey Historic Sites Inventory.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Map:

Site Plan:

Scale: 1" = 200'
Barn (C); facing N.

View; facing S.E.

Tenant House (D)
facing S.W.
House (A); facing N.E.

Wagon Shed (B)
facing N.

Barn (C) facing S.
HISTORIC NAME: Charles Haight House
LOCATION: S. side County Rd. 537 E., 0.7 ml. E. of State Rt. 34
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309-16
COMMON NAME: 
BLOCK/LOT 48/21
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Late 18th C.
Source of Date: Ref. 1
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Georgian
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, with rear wing and side ell
Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Fieldstone; brick; cinderblock
Exterior Wall Fabric: Shingle
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 2 ridge chimneys
Additional Architectural Description:

Full Georgian plan. The house may have been built in two sections, the eastern 3 bays the earlier side. Doorway enframement has Doric order pilasters surmounted by a full entablature and a triangular pediment. Broad side lights and a semicircular fanlight with tracery frame the door. Has a new, unsympathetic metal door. Clapboard section below the side lights may also be an alteration. 6/6 sash windows with simple molded surrounds. Has gable returns on the front wall only. Rear of house has been extended beneath a flaring eave.

PHOTO Negative File No. 6-12,13*
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

House faces north, set well back from road. It is part of a large beef cattle farm, which includes nine (9) other structures, all modern.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:   Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space ☑  Woodland ☐  Residential ☐  Agricultural ☑  Village ☐
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
This substantial Georgian house was a country home and farm for Charles Haight, a Philadelphia merchant involved in the China trade during the late 18th century. The building reflects the high style influences of the Philadelphia area, the door embrasure in particular is unusual for Colts Neck. The house remained in the Haight family during the 19th century as a number from the family took up permanent residence in the area. Members of the Haight family operated the General Store in the village of Colts Neck prior to 1864. Two Chinese porcelain vases brought by Haight from China are in the collection at the Monmouth County Historical Association in Freehold.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑  Good ☐  Fair ☐  Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑  Possible ☐  No ☐  Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑  Other ☐
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
### HISTORIC NAME:

291 County Road 537 E.

### LOCATION:

Colts Neck

Long Branch

### MUNICIPALITY:

### USGS QUAD:

### OWNER/ADDRESS:

### COMMON NAME:

### BLOCK/LOT:

40/5.01

### COUNTY:

Monmouth

### UTM REFERENCES:

Zone/Northing/Easting

### DESCRIPTION

**Construction Date:** 1855-1865

**Source of Date:** Stylistic

**Architect:**

**Builder:**

**Style:** Italianate

**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle, with rear ell

**Number of Stories:** 2½

**Foundation:** Brick

**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard

**Fenestration:** 5 bay symmetrical

**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; slate roofing, 2 sets twin end chimneys, ell chimney

**Additional Architectural Description:**

An Italianate farmhouse, similar to two others in Colts Neck. Paired brackets in eaves, gable returns. 6/6 sash windows with pronounced gabled cornices. Side and transom lights frame recessed doorway, with a robust columned portico. If the rear ell is an earlier section, it has been obscured by later changes.

### PHOTO

Negative File No. 5-13,14

### Map (Indicate North)
Faces south on small rise on four acre lot, set well back from road. Mature trees dot the yard in front of the house. Two small frame sheds are in the rear.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban X Scattered Buildings □ Open Space X Woodland □ Residential X Agricultural X Village □ Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: This is typical of the substantial farmhouses that were built in Colts Neck during the 1850's and '60's, a growth period of Monmouth County agriculture. Similar buildings include #1309-2-2, and 1309-26. The house is well situated on a small rise with mature trees, and an ample setback. It was owned by F. Johnson during the 2nd half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good X Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible X No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat X Other □

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

**HISTORIC NAME:**
LOCATION: 157 County Rd. 537 West
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

**COMMON NAME:**
BLOCK/LOT: 45/1
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

**DESCRIPTION**
Construction Date: See below
Architect:
Style: 5 bay with Colonial Revival details
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Not visible on main section, concrete ell
Exterior Wall Fabric: Wood shingle
Fenestration: 5 bay, symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 2 external end chimneys

Additional Architectural Description:
If this is a 19th century house as map research would indicate, it has undergone a substantial Colonial Revival alteration and general remodeling. Changes would include the addition of the ell on the west side, the replacement of the windows with 6/1 sash, the addition of a Georgian Revival door enframement with a broken pediment, and the external chimneys. While it is possible that the building was built entirely in the 20th century, the asymmetrical fenestration, the unusual placement of the doorway, and the split shingles indicate earlier construction.

**PHOTO**
Negative File No. 6-9, 10, 11

**Map (Indicate North)**
The house faces north, with a substantial setback from the road, on an agricultural lot of 134.5 acres. A large, 20th century barn complex is behind the house. The approach to the house is lined with mature sycamores, and marked at the road by 2 large stone gate posts.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings □ Open Space ☑ Woodland □ Residential ☑ Agricultural ✗ Village □ Industrial □ Downtown Commerical □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: Because the house is either a Colonial Revival building, or a substantially altered 19th century house, its significance rests primarily in its siting. The large setback and the tree-lined drive, make the house and barns a dramatic presence along County Rd. 537. The agricultural land which surrounds it, primarily in truck crops, extends the entire stretch between Hominy Hill Rd. and Mercer Rd. and establishes the agricultural character of that section of the heavily traveled county road. The farm was owned by J.P. Conover in 1851 and 1860. J. Van Mater owned it in 1873 and C. Van Mater in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence ☑ PRESENT USE: Vacant
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good ☑ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No ☑ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development ☑ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS: The land surrounding the house has been subdivided and roads constructed in the year since the initial field notes were taken in March of 1981. No other houses have been built as yet. The house itself appears to be unthreatened, and has recently been renovated.

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Assoc.
House; facing S.E.

Barns; facing S.E.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: T.W. Ryall House
LOCATION: 204 County Rd. West
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT: 27/22
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 1865-1875
Architect:
Style: Italianate
Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Not visible
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Hip; 2 sets twin end chimneys with terra cotta chimney pots

Additional Architectural Description:
Italianate detailing includes: wide bracketed eaves above a paneled frieze; 2/2 sash windows on the second floor, with a paired central window, all with bracketed cornices; full length first floor windows; a double doorway with a segmental head transom light; and a bracketed porch with slotted posts. The third floor and an iron balustrade were removed in 1951 and replaced with the existing hip roof.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-6.7

Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on a large lot, with substantial setback from the road. The front of the lot is marked by an ornate cast iron Victorian fence, in poor condition.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space X Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: Although it was altered in 1951 with the removal of the third floor and the balustrade, the house is a very good example of the residence of a wealthy land owner, and a somewhat unusual variation of the Italianate Style for Colts Neck. The cast iron fence was probably considered remarkable when it was built, and is one of only a very few in the county at the present. The original owner, Judge T.W. Ryall, owned 200-300 acres with the house and raised vegetables. Much of the produce was sold to the Brakely cannery in Freehold (#1315-34). The house adjacent to this house (#1309-20) may have been a service residence for the estate.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good X Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes X Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration X
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS: The fence is deteriorating rapidly; the house is well maintained.

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
DATE: March 1981
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: 
LOCATION: 208 County Rd. 537 West
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: 
BLOCK/LOT 23/21
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: C. 1870
Architect:
Style: Victorian Vernacular
Number of Stories: 2 1/2
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 3 bay asymmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Intersecting gable; 1 internal ridge chimney
Additional Architectural Description:

General characteristics include a picturesque plan with steeply pitched roofs of patterned slate. Terra cotta chimney caps. 2/2 sash windows with gabled cornices and peaked drip moldings. Full porch with "punched" millwork trim. Enclosure of the sections of the porch along the sides of the house a later alteration.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4 - 8

Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south, with substantial setback from road. Approach is flanked by an assortment of large deciduous trees.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings □ Open Space ☑ Woodland □ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village □ Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE: This is a good example of pattern book Victorian architecture. The house may have been service quarters for the large T.W. Ryall estate on the adjacent lot (1309-19). The generous setback, and the mature tree growth do much to enhance the setting.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good ☑ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No ☑ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development ☑ Zoning □ Deterioration □ No Threat ☑ Other □

REFERENCES:
1. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: [Blank]
LOCATION: 309 County Rd. 537 West
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS: [Blank]

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309-21
COMMON NAME: [Blank]
BLOCK/LOT: 41/3
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: See below
Architect: [Blank]
Style: Italianate, with Colonial Revival modifications
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Brick, painted
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; internal end chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
The design of the house presents a number of contradictory statements. The general proportions, and the window size and shape, suggest early 19th century construction. The bracketed eaves and round arch window in the east gable end reflect Italianate design. The door enframement and Colonial Revival portico, and the general lack of chimneys indicate early 20th century alterations.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-9,10*

Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces north west, with ample setback, on a 17.51 acre lot. The approach to the house is framed by a variety of deciduous and coniferous growth. Four deteriorating barns are in the rear of the lot, more are noteworthy.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban □  Suburban □  Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space ☑  Woodland □  Residential □  Agricultural □  Village □
Industrial □  Downtown Commercial □  Highway Commercial □  Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is an elegant, if stylistically perplexing, house. Setback from the road on a small rise, the house is framed by mature deciduous and coniferous growth, which enhances its formal appearance. If it was built during the early or middle 19th century, it was one of the most substantial residences in the area, since brick was an uncommon building material in central Monmouth County. The widespread activity of Colonial Revival architects working in the Colts Neck area, on both new buildings and alterations of earlier building, makes the dating of this building, and others in the area, rather difficult without examination of the interior. The house on the site was owned by A.V. Marcellus throughout the 2nd half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □  Good ☑  Fair □  Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □  Possible ☑  No □  Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☑  Development □  Zoning □  Deterioration □
No Threat ☑  Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309–22

HISTORIC NAME: Creamery Rd., over Yellow Brook
LOCATION: Creamery Rd., right of way

COMMON NAME: Creamery Rd. Bridge
BLOCK/LOT

MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
COUNTY: Monmouth
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing
OWNER/ADDRESS:

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Early 20th c.
Source of Date: Visual
Architect:
Builder:

Style:
Form/Plan Type:

Number of Stories:
Foundation:
Exterior Wall Fabric:
Fenestration:
Roof/Chimneys:

Additional Architectural Description:

Single span, Warren pony truss bridge with a wooden deck and riveted construction. Abutments are wooden frames with loose fill, with supplemental support from concrete pilings. Span receives additional support from wooden pilings.
ON a lightly traveled lane, over a small brook.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☒
Open Space ☒ Woodland ☒ Residential ☒ Agricultural ☒ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is typical of the small steel truss bridges that could be purchased by
by highway departments from a catalog. Bridges of this type were once fairly
common in Monmouth County, but they have become increasingly rare as the
population and the traffic flow have expanded. The bridge is unusual in that
it still retains its wooden deck.

ORIGINAL USE: Bridge
PRESENT USE: Bridge

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☒ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☒ Possible ☐ No ☒ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☒ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☒ Other ☐
COMMENTS: Some rusting, the bridge has auxiliary support systems.

REFERENCES:


RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
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Additional Architectural Description:

West side ell is probably the earliest section of the house. It has an exposed hearth back, now cemented over, and small, knee wall, 2nd floor windows. Large block is 2 full stories, with 6/6 sash windows. Entry was originally on the south side of the house, and is now obscured by an enclosed porch.

PHOTO Negative File No. 2-34, 35* Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces north on open, 5½ acre lot, down a light grade from the road. Two derelict outbuildings are also on the lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban  □ Suburban  ☑ Scattered Buildings  □  
 Open Space  □ Woodland  □ Residential  ☑ Agricultural  ☑ Village  □  
 Industrial  □  Downtown Commercial  □ Highway Commercial  □  Other  □  

SIGNIFICANCE:

The house is typical of the size and form of farmhouses in central Monmouth County during the late 18th and early 19th century. It is unusual in that it has not been incorporated into a larger house. It was owned by H.W. Sickles in 1851 and 1860, and by G. Archibald in 1873, and by J. Bucklin in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence  PRESENT USE: Residence  
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent  □ Good  ☑ Fair  □  Poor  □  
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes  □ Possible  ☑ No  □ Part of District  □  
THREATS TO SITE: Roads  □ Development  □ Zoning  □ Deterioration  □  
No Threat  ☑ Other  □  
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.  
2. Beers map, 1860.  

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981  
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
**HISTORIC NAME:** Bil-Mar Farm  
**LOCATION:** S.E. cr. Heyers Mill Rd. and Lenape Terrace  
**MUNICIPALITY:** Colts Neck  
**USGS QUAD:** Marlboro  
**OWNER/ADDRESS:**  

**COMMON NAME:** Bil-Mar Farm  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 17/17  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**UTM REFERENCES:** Zoning/Northing/Easting  
**NEGATIVE FILE NO:** 3-14,15,16,17*  

### SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURES

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### ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A. 5 bay "I" house with Greek Revival details including a classical cornice with a plain frieze and gable returns, louvered quarter fans in gable end, 6/6 sash windows with cornices, a transom light above the doorway and a classical, 3 bay enclosed porch. The ell predates the main section. It is 1½ stories, with a partially enclosed porch and small attic windows.

B. Large central entryway. Built into bank with smaller barn connected to east side.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House and farmstead are situated on a small rise on a lot of 3.64 acres
Topography: Slightly rolling hills, generally flat
Vegetation: Scattered deciduous trees in yard
Water: A branch of Big Brook flows 1000' to the north

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban□ Suburban□ Scattered Buildings□
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential□ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a well maintained, generally complete 19th century farmstead. The house is a good example of a Greek Revival farmhouse with a 1½ story original section, a fairly common combination in central Monmouth County. Although the current acreage of the site is small, it is free from intrusions and provides some balance to the creeping suburbanization which surrounds it. The farmstead is in the courtyard plan common to central Monmouth County.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and residence
PRESENT USE: Horse farm and residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible□ No□ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat□ Other □
COMMENTS:
REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House (A); facing N.E.

Work Shed and Smokehouse; facing S.W.
Barn (B) and sheds; facing N.E.

Barn (B); facing S.W.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
BUILDING COMPLEX SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Smock Family Farm
LOCATION: E. side Hillsdale Rd., 2500' N. of Crine Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1309-25
COMMON NAME: 
BLOCK/LOT: 7/3
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zoning/Northing/Easting
NEGATIVE FILE NO: 2-3,4,5,6,7 *

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A. House was built in three sections. The large cooking fireplace (now cabinets) faces into the lean-to section (A), indicating that it was the original section, or replaced the original section of the house, which could have been built as early as the late 17th century. The 1½ story section (B) was added during the early 18th century; the fenestration has been altered to accommodate larger 6/6 sash windows. The second floor has sliding 2-light windows. The main block (C) was built during the mid-18th century, and features a two-thirds Georgian Plan. It has an enclosed stairway, 9/6 sash windows with plain surrounds, eaves flush with the end wall, and a small four light transom above the door. A cement block stove chimney has been built adjacent to the door on the front facade.

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B. The barn is built on a Dutch, H-type frame, and has an English plan. Has a new concrete foundation. The barn which intersects with it has stalls and a hay loft, it was built during the middle or late 19th century.

CONDITION CONTENTS: E□ G□ F□ P□ E□ C□ F□ P□ E□ G□ F□ P□ E□ G□ F□ P□
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House faces south on a 96 acre lot; it faces into the farmyard.

Topography: Flat or gently rolling, drops steeply on north to Big Brook

Vegetation: Deciduous windbreak forms west side of yard, complex is surrounded by pasture and grasses. Woodland along east side of lot

Water: Big Brook flows approximately 20 yard behind the house

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a very important Colts Neck farmstead. It is the earliest, or one of the earliest farms of the Smock Family, Dutch settlers from Long Island who came to Monmouth County in the late 17th century, and remained in that family until the 20th century. The house and barn illustrate the mixing of Dutch and English building traditions that occurred in Monmouth County during the 18th century. The house combines a Dutch-framed ell section with a 2/3 Georgian, side hall plan main section. The barn, which appears in overall form to be an English barn, utilizes a Dutch H-type framing system. The complex itself illustrates the evolutionary character of farmstead development. The barn is a general purpose type, which under 18th century farming practices contained most farm functions. The corn crib and other later buildings in the complex reflect the specialization of building function that accompanied changes in farm practices. The balloon frame tenant house illustrates the type of construction that occurred after the development of inexpensive nails and dimension lumber in the mid 19th century. The building complex, the surrounding agricultural lands, and the Crine/Hillsdale Roads area comprise one of the more unspoiled agricultural landscapes in Monmouth County.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and residence
PRESENT USE: Farm and residence

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □

THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development X □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS: The Hillsdale Road area is seriously threatened by encroaching suburbanization from the northeast

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
3. F.D. Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 676.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Histoical Association
Map:

Site Plan:

A: House

Wagon Shed

D: Tenant House

C: Corn Crib

1 Story Frame Shed

2 Story Frame Barn

1 Story Concrete Block Bldg.

B: Barn

To Hillsdale Rd.

To Crine Rd.
House (A), looking north

Tenant House and Corn Crib (C), looking east
Barns, looking southeast

Complex, looking east
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Rev. Garrett Conover Schanck House
LOCATION: 78 Hillsdale Road
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS: 

COMMON NAME: 
BLOCK/LOT: 6/9
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 1850-1860
Source of Date: Stylistic, Red. 1-3
Architect: 
Builder: 
Style: 5 bay with Italianate details
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with 2 rear wings
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Wood shingle
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, 1 internal end chimney, 2 ridge chimneys east wing

Additional Architectural Description:
Large, deteriorating, 5 bay farmhouse, which may pre-date its Italianate phase. Italianate details include pronounced eaves with brackets and gable returns; 6/6 windows with large cornices; and a recessed, carved double doorway. Walls are brick lined. Porches on the south and east sides have been removed. Twin end chimneys have been removed.

PHOTO Negative File No. 1-31 to 34
Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

House faces south, overlooking gently rolling farmland, situated on a 71.81 acre lot. Outbuildings include 2 corn cribs, a 3 bay wagon shed, and a concrete utility shed, all severely deteriorated. Yard is overgrown.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is a good example of a substantial farmhouse with Italianate detailing, similar to many found throughout central Monmouth County. The severe deterioration of the house and outbuildings has compromised it, though it has had few alterations. The site contributes to the rural agricultural quality of the Hillsdale Road area. The farm was purchased from Holmes Van Mater by Rev. Garrett Conover Schanck in March of 1853, at which point the activities of the farm are documented in detail through his diaries.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence and farm
PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:

All buildings on the site are poor condition and deteriorating. Development pressures in the area are great.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.
3. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (Philadelphia, 1885), pp. 672-673.
4. "Diary of Rev. Garret Conover Schanck", Schanck Family Papers, Collection 27, Monmouth County Historical Association, Freehold, New Jersey

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
DATE: March 1981
View to southwest
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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION**

A. Five bay house; 3 bay section possibly earlier (note fenestration). Late Greek Revival detailing includes bold projecting window cornices abutting molded frieze; gable returns; and classical door enframement. 3 bay porch with square end posts and octagonal center columns. 6/6 sash on 2nd story; 6/1 sash on 1st floor are replacements. Doorway is covered by wooden insert. House has strong similarity to #1309-3, nearly on Boundary Road. One end chimney has been removed.

B. Has metal roof. Entry on east side is at corner, off-center, which is atypical for barns of this type.

**CONDITION COMMENTS:**

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: Faces east on 10 acre lot, on top of hill
Topography: Gently rolling hills
Vegetation: Pasture and agricultural land, a few trees around the house
Water: A branch of Big Brook flows behind complex

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
- Urban □
- Suburban □
- Scattered Buildings X
- Open Space X
- Woodland X
- Residential X
- Agricultural X
- Village □
- Industrial □
- Downtown Commercial □
- Highway Commercial □
- Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is one of a number of farms built in the north-western section of Colts Neck in the period just prior to the Civil War (see also #1309-3, #1309-26). This period was one of considerable growth for Monmouth County agriculture, based on the development of truck farming, particularly potatoes. The division of the larger farms reflects the change to more intensive agriculture. The substantial size and visual dominance of the house reflect the prosperity of that area at that time. The farmstead contributes to the agricultural character of the Hillsdale Road and Crine Road area.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm
PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes X Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development X Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS: Development pressures in area are strong

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
# 1309-27 Continuation Sheet

Map:

Site Plan:

Hillsdale Road

Not to Scale
House (A); facing W.

Barn (B) and shed; facing W.
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**DESCRIPTION**

- **Construction Date:** 1865
- **Source of Date:** Ref. 3
- **Architect:**
- **Style:** Schoolhouse with Colonial Revival alterations
- **Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle
- **Number of Stories:** 1
- **Foundation:** Brick
- **Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard
- **Fenestration:** Front facade altered, 3 side bays
- **Roof/Chimneys:** Gable, internal end chimney
- **Additional Architectural Description:** Enclosed porch on south facade and Colonial Revival fans over the windows are later alterations. 12/12 light double hung sash windows.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on small irregular lot near the intersection of Laird Road and Phalanx Road. Considerable vegetation, both trees and bushes, around house.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☐  
Open Space ☒  Woodland ☒  Residential ☒  Agricultural ☒  Village ☐  
Industrial ☐  Downtown Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is one of three remaining schoolhouse buildings in Colts Neck. This replaced the school that was at the North American Phalanx community, which continued to operate for about ten years after the N.A.P. disbanded. Many buildings in the Colts Neck area were the subjects of Colonial Revival alterations.

ORIGINAL USE:  School ☐  PRESENT USE:  Residence ☐  
PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent ☐  Good ☒  Fair ☐  Poor ☐  
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes ☒  Possible ☐  No ☒  Part of District ☐  
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads ☐  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐  
No Threat ☒  Other ☐

COMMENTS:

Development pressures in the area are strong.

REFERENCES:

1. Beers map, 1860.  

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981  
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
HISTORIC NAME: N.W. cr. Laird Rd. and Longbridge Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS:

LOCATION:

COMMON NAME:

BLOCK/LOT: 10/29
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION

Construction Date: First half 19th century
Source of Date: Stylistic
Architect:

Builder:

Style: 5 bay cottage
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with porch on north side
Number of Stories: 1½
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Shingle
Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, 1 ridge chimney, 1 internal end chimney

Additional Architectural Description:

House appears to have been built in two sections, though it is difficult to determine which is the earlier section from an analysis of the exterior. 6/6 sash windows with small drip moldings, small three-pane attic windows. Simple door frame. Full porch on north side with balustrade, is a later addition.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Faces south on two acre lot, situated close to road. A large horse farm surrounds it.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☑ Woodland ☐ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:

This house is typical of the small cottages that were built in Colts Neck and Monmouth county until the mid-19th century. It is somewhat unusual in that it did not become part of a larger house, as many of these cottages have. It may have originally been a farmer's home on the large Van Mater farm "Locust Grove" (not surveyed) during the first half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE:  PRESENT USE:
PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent ☐ Good ☑ Good ☑ Fair ☐ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes ☐ Possible Cox ☑ No ☐ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads ☑ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑ Other ☐

COMMENTS:

Condition of roof is questionable, as there is a sag in it. There is no immediate threat to the building, but development pressures in the area are considerable.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
View to northeast
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: S.W. corner Mercer and Mathews Road
LOCATION: Colts Neck
MUNICIPALITY: Marlboro
USGS QUAD:
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT 44/12
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Northing/Easting

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1860
Source of Date: Ref. 1, 2
Architect:
Builder:

Style: 5 bay Traditional
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, with 2 story addition north side, and shed lean-to on west side

Number of Stories: 2½

Foundation: Brick

Exterior Wall Fabric: Asbestos shingle

Fenestration: 5 bay symmetrical, with 1 over 2 bay wing

Roof/Chimneys: Gable; 3 internal end chimneys; 1 external end chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
Generally restrained design includes 6/6 sash windows with plain surrounds, gable returns on the roof, and a plain door enframement. Additions and alterations include the side and rear ells, the projecting bay on the north side, entrance portico, and the asbestos shingles. Small porch area is east of north ell.

PHOTO Negative File No. 4-4, 5
Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

House faces east on 82 acre horse farm; the site also includes four large 20th century barns.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☒  
                                Open Space ☒  Woodland ☐  Residential ☐  Agricultural ☒  Village ☐  
                                Industrial ☐  Downtown Commerical ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:

This house is typical of the popular five-bay farmhouse built in Colts Neck during the 1850's, a period of rapid growth in agriculture in the area. The wing on the north side with its flat roof and recessed understory strongly resembles the type of addition found on houses in Upper Freehold Township. This site contributes to the agricultural character of the Mathews/Mercer Road.

ORIGINAL USE:  Residence and farm  PRESENT USE:  Residence and farm
PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent ☐  Good ☒  Fair ☐  Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes ☐  Possible ☐  No ☒  Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads ☒  Development ☐  Zoning ☐  Deterioration ☐
                  No Threat ☐  Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.

RECORDED BY:  James C. McCabe  DATE:  March 1981
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House and Barns; facing S.W.
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**DESCRIPTION**

Construction Date: c. 1860

Architect:

Style: One Room School House

Number of Stories: 1½

Foundation: Brick

Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard

Fenestration: 1 by 3 bay

Roof/Chimneys: Gable, internal end chimney, wood shingle roofing

Additional Architectural Description: Tall side windows, covered by shutters. Opening in gable and above door way, may have opened to a storage area at one time. Eaves flush with end walls.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Situated on small triangular lot at intersection.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban □  Suburban □  Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □  Woodland □  Residential □  Agricultural □  Village □
Industrial □  Downtown Commercial □  Highway Commercial □  Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is one of three one-room school houses extant in Colts Neck Township, which had six at one time. The two other schools have been converted to homes; this is the only one which is essentially unchanged. There are approximately fifteen one room school houses remaining in Monmouth County, a number of which belong to organizations. This was built in the mid 19th century, a period of growth in Colts Neck (then Atlantic) Township.

ORIGINAL USE: Schoolhouse
PRESENT USE: Historical Association

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □  Good □  Fair □  Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □  Possible □  No □  Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □  Development □  Zoning □  Deterioration □
No Threat □  Other □

COMMENTS:
Recently rehabilitated by the Colts Neck Historical Society.

REFERENCES:
3. Colts Neck Historical Commission "History of Colts Neck" p. 36, in Monmouth County Historical Association: Vertical File "Colts Neck".

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/ Monmouth County Historical Association
# Historic Preservation Section

**Building Complex Survey Form**

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## Additional Architectural Description

A. 4 over 5 bay house with restrained ornamentation. 6/6 sash windows with plain surrounds. Plain door surrounds. Eaves are flush with end walls. Ell is later 19th century addition, as is the porch with turned posts.

B. Cross gable cupola with round head louvered ventilators. Rear section is later addition. Small structure formerly stood on south end.

C. 3 bay, 2 corn crib plan. Center gable roof is unusual for this building type.

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House faces south, surrounded by picket fence on 4.79 acre lot, located at end of tree-lined lane
Topography: Flat
Vegetation: Tree-lined lane to house, scattered trees around complex, generally very mature. Lot surrounded by nursery.
Water: Yellow Brook flows 1000' south of the complex

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☐ Open Space ☒ Woodland ☐ Residential ☒ Agricultural ☒ Village ☐ Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a good example of the typical Monmouth County farm plan, with a barn, wagon shed, house, and accumulated later structures. The differentiation between house and farm is particularly strong because of the picket fence around the house lot. The house is a good example of the stylistically simple houses which were built in Colts Neck during the early 19th century. The farm was in the Schanck family throughout the second half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm
PRESENT USE: Farm
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☐ Possible ☐ No ☒ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☒ Other ☐
COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
DATE: March 1981
House (A), facing N.

Barn (B), facing N.W.

Wagon Shed (C), facing N.
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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

Spans moderate sized brook, on a major county road

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban □  Suburban □  Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space ☑  Woodland ☑  Residential □  Agricultural ☑  Village □
Industrial □  Downtown Commercial □  Highway Commercial □  Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is typical of the steel truss bridges which could be bought through a catalogue by highway departments. Bridges such as this were common in Monmouth County, but have become increasingly rare as the population and traffic volume have expanded in the area. This is one of two remaining steel truss bridges in Colts Neck Township (see also 1309-22).

ORIGINAL USE: Bridge
PRESENT USE: Bridge

PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent □  Good □  Fair □  Poor ☑
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □  Possible □  No ☑  Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☑  Development □  Zoning □  Deterioration □
No Threat □  Other □

COMMENTS:
The truss is no longer the major supporting element, as its strength has been compromised by rust and corrosion. Newman Springs Road is expected to be widened in the near future, which would require removal of the bridge.

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**

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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION**

A. The east 3 bays of the main block are the original section. Substantial alterations were made to the house in the 1930's, which included the addition of the large Colonial Revival portico, and the external chimney on the west end, which replaced 2 internal end chimneys. Doorway has a small transom light, and is flanked by slender pilasters. 6/6 sash windows. The ell includes a garage and is a recent addition.

B. Built into bank, underwent substantial renovation in the 1930's including new foundation and new siding.

**CONDITION COMMENTS:**

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: Faces south on 88 acre lot; site includes four other outbuildings, all built since the 1930's

Topography: On gentle slope which rises from Trout Brook south of building to Sugar-Loaf Hill to the north

Vegetation: Row of trees and hedges along road, with considerable deciduous growth in front of house; remaining open space is pasture

Water: Well house near barn; Trout Brook flows along front of lot

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

Although substantially altered in the 1930's, this remains an important late 18th century farm, with 19th and 20th century expansion. The house, with its simple doorway enforcement and lack of other ornamentation, is typical of construction in Colts Neck from that time period. The accompanying outbuildings, vegetation and open space contribute significantly to the character of the Phalanx Road area. The farm was in the hands of the Polhemus Family until the 1930's, when it was purchased by the current owners, who made the alterations.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm
PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS:
Subdivision pressures in area are considerable.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Site Plan:

A: House

Chicken House

B: Barn

Well House

Not to Scale

Shed

Shed

Shed

Phalanx Rd.

Trout Brook
House (A), facing N.

Barn (B), facing N.
**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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**Map (Indicate North)**
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces north, standing alone in open plowed field with small windbreak; outbuildings have been removed.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban □  Suburban □  Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space □  Woodland □  Residential □  Agricultural ☑  Village □
Industrial □  Downtown Commercial □  Highway Commercial □  Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This house, standing alone amidst a large expanse of agricultural land, plays a major role in establishing the agricultural character of the Phalanx Rd. area. The house, with its center gable and simple design, is typical of modest mid, and late 19th century farmhouses found in central Monmouth County.

ORIGINAL USE:  Residence
PRESENT USE:  Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION:  Excellent □  Good ☑  Fair □  Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes ☑  Possible □  No ☑  Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads □  Development □  Zoning □  Deterioration □
No Threat ☑  Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY:  James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
BUILDING COMPLEX SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: W.G. Graff Farm
LOCATION: S. side Phalanx Rd., 0.4 mi. W. of Muhlenbrink Rd. at end of gravel road
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro

COMMON NAME: 33/32
COUNTY: Monmouth
COUNTY REFERENCES: Zoning/Northing/Easting
NEGATIVE FILE NO: 3-25,25,27,28,29

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A. House was built in two major sections; the rear ell was built first, then the roof was raised and the front section was added. The two small lean-to sections are also additions. House has a variety of different sash types including 6/6, 2/2, and 1/1, with small drip moldings above window. No special treatment to roof and door.

B. Barn is connected to row of farm buildings; has large central bay. Shed and lean-to have been built off north and west sides.

CONDITION COMMENTS: E□ G□ F□ P□ E□ G□ F□ P□ E□ G□ F□ P□ E□ G□ F□ P□
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House faces east over bluff leading down to Yellow Brook, situated on 44.78 acre lot.
Topography: Gently rolling hills, with steep banks leading to Yellow Brook
Vegetation: Scattered woodland around brook, windbreak around house; pasture surrounds farmstead
Water: Yellow Brook located at base of bluff near farmstead

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
- Urban
- Suburban
- Scattered Buildings
- Open Space
- Woodland
- Residential
- Agricultural
- Village
- Industrial
- Downtown
- Commercial
- Highway Commercial
- Other

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a typical 19th century Monmouth County farmstead consisting of a simple farmhouse and a number of outbuildings, in a plan similar to others found around the county. Its most notable characteristic is its setting, located well off the road, and surrounded by woodland, rolling pasture, and fields. With the exception of a cinderblock building which is part of the farmstead, nothing of the 20th century can be seen from the site.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence and farm
PRESENT USE: Residence and farm
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☐ Possible ☐ No ☒ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☐ Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.
5. Interview with owners (Mr. & Mrs. Otto Einsiedler).

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
#1309-36 W.G. Graff Farm
Continuation Sheet

House (A); facing W.

House (A); facing S.

Barn (B); facing W.
Wagon Shed; facing N.

View; facing S.E.
**New Jersey Office of Cultural and Environmental Services**  
**Historic Preservation Section**  
**Building Complex Survey Form**

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### Additional Architectural Description

A. The 1 1/2 story ell, a Dutch-framed cottage, is the earliest section. The main block, with a 2/3 Georgian plan, was built in the mid-18th century. 6/6 and 9/6 sash windows. Colonial Revival remodeling in 1941 (Francis A. Nelson, arch.), primarily on the interior. Shed and gable overdoors, and the stoop, are Colonial Revival additions. Utilizes considerable early and reproduction hardware.

B. Includes two sections, both built into a bank. Overhang similar to Swiss/Germanic-influenced barns found in Pennsylvania. Early hardware on both barns. Central doorway. The large section has a pent roof at foundation height.

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: Faces south on 98 acre lot
Topography: Gently rolling hills, farmstead is situated on top of rise
Vegetation: Carefully maintained yard, with broad lawn, shrubbery, and mature trees, both deciduous and coniferous. Surrounding land is agricultural
Water: Situated between Trout Brook and Yellow Brook (now Swimming River Reservoir) approximately 1000' from each

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban□ Suburban☒ Scattered Buildings☐
Open Space ☐ Woodland ☐ Residential☒ Agricultural ☒ Village☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown ☐ Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
The house is an excellent example of the combination of Dutch and English building traditions in Monmouth County. The 1½ story is of Dutch construction, while the main section utilizes an English plan, with details which are more Dutch. This synthesis characterized much of the construction in the second half of the 18th century in Monmouth County. The barns utilize an overhang which is uncharacteristic of bank barns in Monmouth County. The general plan of the farm is fairly complete, as it includes the major buildings of most Monmouth County farms, including barn, smokehouse and wagon shed. The site contributes substantially to the agricultural character of the Phalanx Road area.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm
PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☒ Possible☐ No☐ Part of District☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads☐ Development☐ Zoning☐ Deterioration☐
No Threat ☐ Other☐
COMMENTS: Some of the surrounding land has been subdivided and built upon.

REFERENCES:
2. "Daniel Polhemus Farm House", N.J. Historic Sites Inventory.
3. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Map:

Site Plan:

Not to Scale

A: House
B: Smokehouse
C: Barn
House (A); facing N.W.

Smokehouse (B); facing N.

Barn (C); facing N.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

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DESCRIPTION

| Construction Date: | 1830-1850 | Source of Date: | Stylistic, ref. 1. |
| Architect:         |           | Builder:        |                   |
| Style:             | Greek Revival elements | Form/Plan Type: | Rectangle with side ell. |
| Number of Stories: | 2½        |                |                   |
| Foundation:        | Brick      |                |                   |
| Exterior Wall Fabric: | Clapboard, natural wood shingle | | |
| Fenestration:      | 4 over 4 bay symmetrical, 1 bay wing | | |
| Roof/Chimneys:     | Gable, 3 internal end chimneys | | |
| Additional Architectural Description: | Simple farmhouse with 6/6 sash windows, plain surrounds, and small drip moldings; gable returns on eaves; small transom light over door. Porch and shingle siding are later alterations. Wing was built after main block. Hearth back on northeast chimney has been recently exposed; it is not known if that was its original state. |

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Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north, situated near road on 2 acre lot. Site includes three sheds, at least one of which was built on an older foundation. Scattered deciduous trees throughout the site.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space ☑ Woodland ☐ Residential ☐ Agricultural ☑ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
The scale and design of this farmhouse are typical of mid-19th century housing stock in Colts Neck. The use of the natural wood siding and clapboard in combination is the late 19th and early 20th century expression of the Colonial Revival in central Monmouth County. The site contributes to the overall rural character of the Phalanx Rd. area, in spite of being situated on a small lot.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence PRESENT USE: Residence
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible ☐ No ☑ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☑ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☐ Other ☐

COMMENTS:
Considerable development pressure exists in the area.

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Barns; facing S.W.
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**ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION**

A. "I" house with projecting transom light over door and broad fascia board under eaves. 6/6 and 2/2 sash windows with projecting cornices.

B. English type plan, built into bank, timbers were cut by circular saw.

**CONDITION COMMENTS:**

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:  SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting:  Faces north on 4½ acre lot, surrounded by subdivision

Topography:  On rise above Phalanx Road, rolling hills surround site

Vegetation:  Scattered conifers and deciduous trees around house, large garden on lot

Water:  Trout Brook is immediately across Phalanx Road

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban□ Suburban□ Scattered Buildings□
Open Space □ Woodland□ Residential□ Agricultural□ Village□
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial□ Highway Commercial□ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This farm is typical of the mid-19th century farm complexes found in this area. It has been greatly reduced in size as the surrounding land has been subdivided and developed. Many of the buildings in the complex remain, though a number of them are unused. The farm most likely provided produce for the Bucklin Cannery, which was located across Phalanx Road.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm  PRESENT USE: Farm

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:  Yes □ Possible□ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE:  Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

COMMENTS:  Development pressures in Colts Neck are strong.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1981

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House (A), facing S.E.

Barn (B), facing S.E.

Barns (B, C), facing N.W.
# NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
## HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
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## DESCRIPTION

**Construction Date:** ca. 1850-1870  
**Source of Date:** Ref. 1  
**Architect:**  
**Style:** 6 over 5 bays  
**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle  
**Number of Stories:** 2  
**Foundation:** Fieldstone, concrete block  
**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard  
**Fenestration:** 6 over 5 bays  
**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; shed roof on ell  
**Additional Architectural Description:**  
Built in three sections, as numbered above, the earliest being (1). 6/6 sash windows on first story. Note second floor opening on east end for hoist. It is a converted apple storage barn from Richdale Orchards. Earliest residential use unknown.

## PHOTO
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## Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north on wooded lot overlooking Swimming River reservoir.
Site includes small shed.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☒ Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☐ Woodland ☒ Residential ☒ Agricultural ☐ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

SIGNIFICANCE:
This building survives from the large truck farm operated by Charles Bucklin following the dispersal of the Phalanx Community. It was originally used for storage purposes. Although altered for residential use, it still retains much of its 19th century building character.

ORIGINAL USE: Storage Building
PRESENT USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☒ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☐ Possible ☐ No ☒ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☒ Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
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**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
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### ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

A. This symmetrical 5-bay traditional house was built in two sections. The western 3 bays, which sit on a fieldstone foundation, were built in the mid 18th century. The matching eastern 2 bays rest on a brick foundation and were added in the mid 19th century. The door enframe- ment may be a recent replacement. 6/6 sash windows and shed overdoor appear to be early 20th century modifications.

B. English modifications of Dutch barn: Dutch "H" frame with English flanking gable plan; beams tenoned through, planked central bay, new roof, rear foundation concrete block.

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LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: House faces south on gentle rise on 107 acre lot.

Topography: Generally flat with gradual rise to house.

Vegetation: Surrounded by plowed fields, young growth around house.

Water: Yellow Brook flows through lot.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings 3
Open Space 3 Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:

This well situated farmstead includes a well conserved house which illustrates the typical form of expansion of Monmouth County houses in the 19th century, and also a barn which exemplifies the synthesis of Dutch and English culture in the county that began to occur during the second half of the 18th century. The original section of the house, with a square, two-story 2/3 Georgian Style plan, represents the type of substantial dwelling built in central Monmouth County following the construction of Tennent Church (1326-1-5), the first Georgian Style building in the county when it was constructed in 1751-53. The house was expanded some 80 or so years later to create a rectangular, five bay symmetrical facade, which was the dominant house form in Monmouth County in the 19th century. The barn is a graphic example of the combination of Dutch and English building traditions. It makes use of the H-type frame with a heavy anchor beam spanning a large central bay found in Dutch barns, within the context of an English plan, with the roofline running perpendicular to the central bay. The site thus provides insight into the inter-cultural dynamics of the time.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and residence
PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes 3 Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat 3 Other □

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House (A), facing N.W.

Barn (B), facing N.E.
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**Additional Architectural Description**

A. Square, 3 bay main block with side hall entry; rectangular 3 bay wing. Dates refer to main section; wing is possibly older. Sash is 9/9 on the first floor of the main block, 6/6 elsewhere. Alterations include enclosed front porch on main block, large bay window and ell on wing. Eaves are flush with end walls.

B. Ell and open shed have been added. Currently used as horse barn.

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SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: House faces south with barns at rear, on 41 acre lot.

Topography: Generally flat on lot, steep bluffs descend to Big Brook, the branches of which surround the south and east sides of farmstead.

Vegetation: Mature deciduous growth provides windbreak for house, pasture in rear of lot.

Water: Big Brook flows south and east of farmstead.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban [x] Suburban [x] Scattered Buildings [x]
Open Space [ ] Woodland [ ] Residential [x] Agricultural [x] Village [ ]
Industrial [ ] Downtown Commercial [x] Highway Commercial [ ] Other [ ]

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is a good example of the 3 bay plus wing farmhouse which was a popular house form in central Monmouth County up to the mid-19th century, when 5 bay houses begin to predominate. Although altered, much of the original design and form are visible. The general plan of the farmstead is typical of the area, though one of the buildings is modern. The farm was in the hands of the Taylor family during the second half of the 19th century. The Taylors also operated a mill on Big Brook at the base of the mill in front of this farm. It is no longer standing.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and residence
PRESENT USE: Horse farm
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [ ] Possible [ ] No [ ] Part of District [ ]
THREATS TO SITE: Roads [ ] Development [ ] Zoning [ ] Deterioration [ ]
No Threat [x] Other [ ]

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
2. Beers Map, 1860.

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DATE: March 1981

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
1309-42 Continuation Sheet

Map:

Site Plan:

Willowbrook Rd.

B: Barn

Shed

A: House

Not to Scale
House (A), facing N.W.

Barn (B), facing S.W.
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: La Fayette Schanck House
LOCATION: 300 State Rt. 34
MUNICIPALITY: Colts Neck
USGS QUAD: Marlboro
OWNER/ADDRESS: Marlboro

COMMON NAME: 7,30/3
BLOCK/LOT: Monmouth
COUNTY: Zone/Northing/Easting
UTM REFERENCES:

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 1860-1875
Source of Date: Stylistic
Builder:
Architect:
Style: Italianate
Form/Plan Type: T-plan with rim ell
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 2 bay by 5 bay asymmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Intersecting gable, 1 internal ridge chimney
Additional Architectural Description:
Energetic Italianate detailing includes elaborate verge board in the eaves, a heavy carved doorway, a projecting bay on the east side, segmental arch windows crowned by pronounced cornices, and porches with denticulated molding and brackets.

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Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Situated on small rise above Rt. 34 on a 117 acre lot, the site includes an assortment of deteriorated outbuildings, none of which are noteworthy, and a small 20th century cottage.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
- Urban [ ]
- Suburban [ ]
- Scattered Buildings [x]
- Open Space [x]
- Woodland [ ]
- Residential [ ]
- Agricultural [x]
- Village [ ]
- Industrial [ ]
- Downtown Commercial [ ]
- Highway Commercial [ ]
- Other [ ]

SIGNIFICANCE:
Though in deteriorating condition, this is a good example of the substantial Italianate residences built for some of the more wealthy farmers in central Monmouth County. This house was probably built for La Fayette Schanck, a member of the locally prominent Schanck family. The house reflects the aspirations of a wealthy and socially conscious farmer. The house is similar to the Issac G. Smock House (1509-45) on Willowbrook Road. I.G. Smock was a close associate and friend of the Schancks.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent [ ]
Good [ ]
Fair [x]
Poor [ ]

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [ ]
Possible [x]
No [ ]
Part of District [ ]

THREATS TO SITE:
- Roads [ ]
- Development [x]
- Zoning [ ]
- Deterioration [x]
- No Threat [ ]
- Other [ ]

COMMENTS:
Development pressures in this area are intense.

REFERENCES:
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**NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION**
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

**HISTORIC NAME:** W. side Tinton Ave., 0.25 mi. S. of County Rd. 537 E., at end of long drive  
**COMMON NAME:**  
**LOCATION:** Colts Neck  
**BLOCK/LOT:** 51/3  
**MUNICIPALITY:**  
**COUNTY:** Monmouth  
**USGS QUAD:** Long Branch  
**UTM REFERENCES:** Zone/Northing/Easting  
**OWNER/ADDRESS:**  

### DESCRIPTION

**Construction Date:** c. 1820-40  
**Source of Date:** Stylistic  
**Architect:**  
**Builder:**  
**Style:** Greek Revival  
**Form/Plan Type:** Square with flanking wings  
**Number of Stories:** 2½  
**Foundation:** Brick, concrete  
**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard  
**Fenestration:** 7 bay symmetrical in 2-3-2 configuration  
**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable, 1 internal end chimney on main section; 1 internal end chimney on south wing  
**Additional Architectural Description:**

A Greek Revival house with narrow eaves, 6/6 sash windows with simple surrounds, 3/3 sash on small second floor windows of wings. Side and transom lights frame doorway which has an entry portico. The south wing has a small screened in porch off of it. The main section and the south wing are probably the earliest sections.  

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**Map (Indicate North)**
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces east on a 78.5 acre horse farm. A 19th century frame barn, a small frame privy or smokehouse, and an open shed are in the immediate vicinity. A modern horse farm complex is also on the lot, with modern metal-sided buildings and a track.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban ☐ Suburban ☑ Scattered Buildings ☐
Open Space ☑ Woodland ☐ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☐ Village ☑
Industrial ☐ Downtown Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☐

Located on the outskirts of the village of Tinton Falls

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a good example in Monmouth County of a Greek Revival residence with expansion that is sympathetic with the original section. The 5-bay plan which comprises the central section is characteristic of farm houses from the early 19th century. It was replaced by the 5 bay plan as the century progressed. The compliment of farm buildings and open space serves to balance the suburbanization that exists across Tinton Avenue. The farm was owned by D. Valentine during the second half of the 19th century.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence
PRESENT USE: Residence/Horse Farm

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible ☐ No ☐ Part of District ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☐ Development ☐ Zoning ☐ Deterioration ☐
No Threat ☑ Other ☐

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

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DATE: March 1981
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Parks System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Barn; facing S.W.
### Historic Preservation Section

**New Jersey Office of Cultural and Environmental Services**

**Historic Sites Inventory No.: 1309-45**

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### Additional Architectural Description

A. Italianate elements include vertical picturesque massing, round-headed gable windows, octagonal attic windows in frieze, and full-story first floor windows. Sash is 4/4. Alterations have been made to fenestration with the addition of a large bay window, and to the general plan with addition of the 2 story section at the junction of the north and west wings. The external chimney on the north end is an unsympathetic alteration.

B. Outside bay sections have probably been expanded, changing roof line.

C. Undulating trim along eaves.

### Condition Comments:

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SITTING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: Faces north, set back approximately 100' on 3.6 acre lot
Topography: Flat
Vegetation: Mature deciduous growth around house, farmstead is surrounded by pasture land.
Water: Big Brook flows 1800' south of farmstead.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Urban □ Suburban □ Scattered Buildings □
Open Space □ Woodland □ Residential □ Agricultural □ Village □
Industrial □ Downtown Commercial □ Highway Commercial □ Other □

SIGNIFICANCE:
This is a good example of the large mid to late 19th century houses built in Monmouth County by wealthy farmers. It was built on the site of an earlier farm, and demonstrates the evolution of residences and outbuildings on a single farm site, with older structures being replaced with newer structures. Issac C. Smock acquired the land through inheritance and purchase following the death of his father in 1836. He was a member of the Monmouth County Agricultural Society, and on the Board of Directors of the Monmouth Plank-Road Company. A site with a similar house and history is the Lafayette Schank House (1309-43) on the west side of Route 34, opposite Willow Brook Road.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm and residence
PRESENT USE: Horse farm and residence

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration □
No Threat □ Other □

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Site Plan:

Not to Scale

A: House
C: Summer Kitchen
□ Smokehouse

Barn
B: Wagon Shed
House (A), facing S.E.

Summer Kitchen (C), and Smokehouse, facing E.

Wagon Shed (B), and Barn, facing S.