HISTORIC NAME: Thomas Baird House
LOCATION: 24 Baird Road
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
COMMON NAME: 24/15
COUNTY: Monmouth
OWNER/ADDRESS: Karl Wagner, Jr./same

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1830
Source of Date: Stylistic; Ref. 1
Style: Greek Revival
Architect:
Number of Stories: 2-1/2
Builder:
Foundation: Brick (above grade) and fieldstone (below grade)
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with side lean-to
Exterior Wall Fabric: Vinyl siding
Fenestration: 5 symmetrical bay facade
Roof/Chimneys: Gable with close eaves and slate tiles; interior end chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
Five bay center-hall plan farmhouse, originally clapboard sided with three bay entry porch and twin interior end chimneys. Windows are 6/6 replacement sash with new shutters; Palladian window over doorway. Retains original Greek Revival door enframing with pilasters, four-light transom, and sidelights.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces south on an 81 acre agricultural parcel and is well set back from the road. 19th century farm buildings are no longer standing.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This well-maintained Greek Revival farmhouse is one of the best of its type remaining in Millstone Township. The house was built about 1830 by Thomas Baird (b. 1802), who resided on this farm for the rest of his life. He is shown as owner on the 1851, 1860, and 1873 maps; by 1889 the property belonged to his estate. The Baird family owned land in the vicinity in the 18th century and were prominent early settlers in the area, which is historically known as Baird or Bairdsville. The Bairds were in the nursery business (see also the David Baird Farm, 37 Baird Road, #1332-34), employing a number of the African Americans who lived in the nearby settlement known at one time as Woodville (crossroads of Woodville Road, Baird Road, and Roberts Road).

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
4. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885).

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**  
**OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE**  
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

**HISTORIC NAME:**

**LOCATION:** 39 Baird Road

**MUNICIPALITY:** Millstone Township

**USGS QUAD:** Roosevelt

**COMMON NAME:**

**BLOCK/LOT:** 26/2

**COUNTY:** Monmouth

**OWNER/ADDRESS:** Mary Ann Kierych/same

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**Additional Architectural Description:**
Gable-front dwelling built on a 2 - 1/2 story L-plan with wraparound porch. Windows have original 2/2 sash with replacement shutters. Straight posts and covered base on porch appear to be later alterations simple glazed and paneled door.

**PHOTO** Negative File No.

**MAP** (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north on 1.76 acre lot.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This gable-front dwelling is taken from popular pattern-book plans of the period, and is more typically found in the late 19th century neighborhoods of the county's towns rather than in rural areas such as Millstone. The original owner and construction date have not been established, although the house may have been related to the adjoining Baird property (see #1332-32).

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse
PRESENT USE: Residence

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: David Baird House/Baird Nursery
LOCATION: 37 Baird Road (opposite Conover Road)
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt

COMMON NAME: Waters Nursery
BLOCK/LOT: 26/3
COUNTY: Monmouth
OWNER/ADDRESS: Howard & Patricia Waters/same

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1855
Source of Date: Ref. 1-4; stylistic
Style: Gothic Revival elements
Architect:
Number of Stories: 2-1/2
Builder:
Foundation: Plastered brick above grade; fieldstone below grade
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with rear wing
Exterior Wall Fabric: Vinyl siding

Fenestration: 5 bay facade

Additional Architectural Description:
Five bay center-hall plan farmhouse with cross gable roof and rear wing. Originally clapboard-sided, now covered with vinyl siding. Character-defining features include the 6/6 sash windows, paired pointed-arch windows in gable, three bay front porch with chamfered posts and cut-out millwork trim, and intact door enframement with five-light transom and sidelights.

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

Faces north on a 66.5 acre qualified farm parcel (Waters Nursery). Behind the house are two moderate-sized 19th century barns with fieldstone foundations; one has wood shingle siding and the other has vertical board siding (interiors not examined).

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:

This site is significant for its association with the Baird family, who were prominent early settlers in this area known as Baird or Bairdsville, and for its association with the development of early commercial nurseries in western Monmouth County. David Baird, born in 1829, appears to have built this house and farm on a portion of the family homestead shortly after his marriage to Mary E. Pullen in 1852. He was the son of Thomas Baird, whose farm was located east of this site (see #1332-32). After several years in general farming and growing small fruit, David Baird embarked in the nursery business in 1869. Baird's nursery, one of the earliest commercial nurseries in western Monmouth County, specialized in fruit and ornamental trees but also cultivated flowering plants. According to Ellis' 1885 account, Baird found "a ready market for the production of the nursery, the principal shipments being made to Maryland and Delaware." (Ellis, p. 662) The Bairds' sizable nursery business employed a number of African Americans who lived in the nearby settlement known as Woodville.

In addition to his own business pursuits, David Baird was active in related organizations such as the New Jersey State Horticultural Society, the American Horticultural Society, and the American Pomological Society. He also served for three years as chosen freeholder.

The property is now owned by Waters Nursery, which continues the historical use of the site as a commercial nursery.

ORIGINAL USE:  Farmhouse
PRESENT USE:  Farmhouse

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Interview with Howard Waters (owner).
2. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 661-663.
3. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Beers atlas, 1873.
6. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY:  Gail Hunton
DATE:  1992
SURVEY:  Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System
# HISTORIC NAME: Samuel Wetherill House & Farm

| LOCATION: | 54 Baird Road |
| MUNICIPALITY: | Millstone Township |
| USGS QUAD: | Roosevelt |

| COMMON NAME: |
| BLOCK/LOT: | 23/24 |
| COUNTY: | Monmouth |
| OWNER/ADDRESS: | David Oldham & Allen Sauer |

## DESCRIPTION

| Construction Date: | Early 19th century |
| Style: | Federal |
| Number of Stories: | 2-1/2 main block; 1-1/2 story wing |
| Foundation: | Plastered (over fieldstone?) |
| Exterior Wall Fabric: | Clapboard with partial stucco |
| Fenestration: | 3 bay main block; 2 bay wing |
| Roof/Chimneys: | Gable with close eaves; two interior end chimneys |

### Additional Architectural Description:

Three bay side-hall plan farmhouse with lateral kitchen wing and lean-to. Originally the house had twin interior end chimneys and was clapboard-sided, then later stuccoed. Windows are predominantly 6/6 sash (most are now missing); there are quarter-round lights in the west gable end and knee wall windows on the wing. There appears to have been a porch at one time, and the elliptical door enframement may be a later replacement. Simple doorways on the north (rear) elevation of both the main block and the wing.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House is situated on a pleasant knoll and faces south on a 53.5 acre qualified farm parcel. The Millstone River runs east of the house and through the property. There are three vinyl-sided late 19th/early 20th century barns directly behind the house.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
Despite its now-deteriorated condition, this is a good local example of the larger farmhouses constructed in Millstone during the early 19th century. Most of the area's substantial dwellings of the period are differentiated by their size and plan rather than stylistic or decorative elements. This house retains its early form and a number of its original or early features, and the 53-acre site contributes to the historic rural landscape which survives in the Baird Road/Conover Road/Stillhouse Road area of Millstone.

Samuel Wetherill (alt. spelling Wetherell), who is listed as head of household on the 1850 federal census, may have been the original owner and builder of the house, and is shown as owner of the property on the 1851, 1860 and 1873 maps; the farm belonged to C.A. Wetherill by 1889.

NOTE: Due to the age and construction features of this house, additional structural and documentary research of this site is recommended in case the building can not be preserved.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse  PRESENT USE: Vacant

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY:  Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY:  Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE  
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM  
HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-36

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**DESCRIPTION**

- **Construction Date:** Original section 2nd half 18th c.; later additions  
  - **Source of Date:** Stylistic
- **Style:** Vernacular  
  - **Architect:**
- **Number of Stories:** 2  
  - **Builder:**
- **Foundation:** Fieldstone and concrete  
  - **Form/Plan Type:** Side-hall plan with lateral wing and lean-to
- **Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard
- **Fenestration:** 5 asymmetrical bay south facade
- **Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; interior end chimney and exterior end chimney

**Additional Architectural Description:**
The main block was constructed in at least three major sections. The east 3 bays (section A) is a 2 story Dutch framed house consisting of 7 bents (44"- 46" o.c.) with a side-hall plan. The framing was exposed when a previous owner removed the older plaster walls and some brick infill, on the 2nd story the roof plate is lower than the ceiling and the anchorbent framing is also visible. The foundation under this section has been rebuilt in concrete, so the original hearth is gone, but some of the hand-hewn floor joists remain. The windows in this section are 6/6 replacement sash in older mortised window frames. Other early features include wide plank pine floors, 5 panel doors on HL hinges, and corner stairwell with early square posts and railing. The west 2 bays (section B) consists of 2 rooms, a dining room and kitchen. The original fieldstone foundation and floor framing are intact under this section; hand-hewn joists run N/S in the kitchen, and log joists run E/W in the dining room, indicating two different builds. There is evidence of a former corner stairwell in the NE corner of the kitchen. **SEE CONTINUATION SHEET.**

PHOTO Negative File No. 8-17 to 24

MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on a 1/6 acre parcel, sited close to the road.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This is one of the best conserved early farmhouses remaining in Millstone Township. Its two-story Dutch frame is rare for western Monmouth County, and despite modifications over the years the house retains early wood siding and trim, window frames and interior features such as doors, floors, and hardware. If its 18th century origins can be verified, the site is also one of fewer than ten 18th century structures still standing in the Township.

Local historians have attributed a c.1750 date to this house, but further documentary research and structural analysis is necessary to substantiate that date. The site was associated during the early 19th century with the Perrine family, who were among the early settlers in the area and whose homestead farm was located adjacent to this property. (See also Perrine Farm, #1332-6.) Joseph Perrine (d. 1821) lived at this house in 1805 with his wife, Elizabeth (d. 1866) and they raised nine children: David, Mary, Elizabeth, Hannah, Stephen, John, William, Peter and Matthew. Joseph left the property to his wife Elizabeth and his son David according to his will written in 1818. His inventory indicates the presence of a two-story house (Monmouth County Will B 260; Inventory E 519). David died in 1831 without a will and apparently ownership of the property fell to Elizabeth.

Elizabeth Perrine, who is listed on the 1850 federal census for Millstone Township is shown as owner of this site on the 1855 and 1860 maps. After her death in 1866 the property (at that time 197⁺ acres) was sold to William D. Reid, who sold 116 acres two years later to Urias Reid, the owner on the 1873 and 1889 maps. The Reid family owned the property until 1911 (Monmouth County Deeds 195 314, 214 436; 903 91). Significance and integrity of site warrant additional research on construction chronology and ownership history.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent [X] Good [ ] Fair [ ] 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.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. U.S. Census, Schedule of Population, 1850.
8. Primary sources as cited in text.

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SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
DATE: 1992; updated 2002
Architectural Description (continued):

Windows in section B include 2/2 sash and a projecting bay on the south facade, and older 9/6 sash on the north elevation and the gable end. Paneled shutters on the 1st story and louvered shutters on the 2nd story. Simple glazed and paneled doors and entry porches on both the north and south elevations. The lean-to on the west end (section C) is contemporaneous with the kitchen; it shares the same fieldstone foundation wall on the north elevation, and contains a cellar stairs with an early board and batten door. A modern garage has been built under the eastern end of the house in the basement, which is accessed by a garage door and driveway on the north side of the house.
CONTINUATION SHEET

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-36

Perrine House

Main elevation, view NW. 1992 photo.

Rear elevation, view SW. 1992 photo.
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Additional Architectural Description:
Substantial five bay center-hall plan farmhouse with Greek Revival doorway. Early 4/4 sash windows are set in simple surrounds, and the six-panel door is framed with a tripartite transom light and sidelights. The classical gabled portico has a broken pediment and is supported by square posts with capitals; the brick base is a later modification.

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MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces southeast on a six-acre lot subdivided from former farm parcel.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This sizable mid-19th century farmhouse is significant for its largely intact form and design. According to historical maps, the farm was owned by W.H. Mount Jr. in 1860, W.H. Mount in 1873, and F. Mount in 1889. Additional property research is necessary to specify the construction date and original owner.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse
PRESENT USE: Residence

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □
Good □
Fair X
Poor □

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

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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HISTORIC NAME: Danser Farm
COMMON NAME: Sinha Farm
LOCATION: 26 Rising Sun Tavern Road
BLOCK/LOT: 31/25
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township
COUNTY: Monmouth
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
OWNER/ADDRESS: Sailendra Sinha

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 2nd qtr. 19th century
Source of Date: Stylistic; Ref. 1-2
Style: Vernacular
Architect: 
Number of Stories: 2-1/2
Builder: 
Foundation: Plastered
Form/Plan Type: I-house with lateral wing

Exterior Wall Fabric: Vinyl siding

Fenestration: 5 bays by 2 bays

Roof/Chimneys: Cross gable; interior end chimney on east end and replacement exterior end chimney on west end

Additional Architectural Description:
I-house with cross gable roof, symmetrical five bay center-door facade, full porch and lateral wing on east end. Original wood-clad exterior has been re-sided with vinyl siding; 1/1 sash windows and vinyl inoperable shutters are also recent replacements of earlier divided-light sash and operable wood shutters.

See reverse side for descriptions of barns on site.

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MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House and farm face southwest, toward the road, on a 61.69 qualified farm parcel. The complex also includes three contributing structures: a long general purpose barn with clapboard siding and fieldstone and concrete foundation; a three bay wagon shed with wood shingle siding and fieldstone foundation (converted to dwelling and garage); and a stable or equipment shed behind the main barn that has vertical board siding, light sawn framing memebers, and concrete block foundation.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: [X] Scattered Buildings  

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This site is one of the best remaining 19th century farmsteads in Millstone Township due to the number and condition of the barns still standing and the survival of farmsite acreage and setting. Clark Danser, who is listed as a head of household in Millstone Township on the 1850 U.S. Census, is the probable original owner of the farm. C. Danser (alt. spelling Dancer) is shown at this location on the 1851 and 1860 maps, although Rising Sun Tavern Road does not appear until 1860. Thompson and Dancer are indicated as owners in 1873; by 1889, the property belonged to G. Foster.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm  PRESENT USE: Farm

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. U.S. Census, Schedule of Population, 1850.

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SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
Farmstead, view north.

General purpose barn, view northwest.
Wagon Shed, view north.

Stable/Equipment Shed, view northeast.
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OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME:  
LOCATION: 530 Stagecoach Road  
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township  
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt  
COMMON NAME:  
BLOCK/LOT: 34/15  
COUNTY: Monmouth  
OWNER/ ADDRESS: Lawrence & Marzocca/same

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Possibly late 18th century; later alterations  
Style: Vernacular  
Number of Stories: 2-1/2  
Foundation: Plastered fieldstone  
Architect:  
Source of Date: Stylistic; Ref. 1  
Builder:  
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle  
Exterior Wall Fabric: Vinyl siding  
Fenestration: 5 bay main facade; 2 bays deep  
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; two interior end chimneys  

Additional Architectural Description: 
Interior structural inspection necessary to clarify building date and construction chronology. Exterior analysis suggests that the house dates from the late 18th or early 19th century. Built on center-hall Georgian plan; owner reports that hand-hewn beams are visible in the basement and that the first floor framing appears to have been constructed in one build. The north facade has three bays with a central entry. One older 6/6 sash window remains on the upper story; all the rest have been replaced with 1/1 sash. The enclosed front porch and small middle window on second story of main facade are 20th century alterations.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on a qualified farm parcel of approximately 15 acres; substantial setback from road. A two bay wood shingled wagon shed dating from the 19th century stands northeast of the house and is the only older farm building remaining. Rear of former farm property is now part of Assunpink Wildlife Management Area.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
Urban ☐  Suburban ☐  Scattered Buildings ☑  
Open Space ☑  Woodland ☑  Residential ☑  Agricultural ☑  Village ☑  
Industrial ☐  Commercial ☐  Highway Commercial ☐  Other ☑  Assunpink Wildlife Management Area

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
According to the owner, this property dates from about 1780; if that date can be substantiated by deed research and interior structural analysis, this site may be the largest 18th century dwelling still standing in Millstone Township.

The original owner has not been determined; historical maps indicate that C. Thompson owned the property in 1851 and 1860, followed by C.P. Messler (or C.W. Meslor) in 1873 and H. Riley in 1889. The 1850 federal census lists both a Charles Thompson and a Charles S. Thompson as heads of households in Millstone Township; one of these may be associated with this site.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse
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. Interview with Lawrence Marzocca (owner).
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
HISTORIC NAME: Bowman Farm
LOCATION: 528 Stagecoach Road
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-40

COMMON NAME: Stagecoach Farm
BLOCK/LOT: 34/14
COUNTY: Monmouth
OWNER/ADDRESS: Lois Groendyke

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Mid-19th century
Source of Date: Stylistic; Ref. 1-3
Style: Vernacular
Architect:
Number of Stories: 2-1/2
Builder:
Foundation: Stuccoed
Form/Plan Type: I-house
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard
Fenestration: 5 symmetrical bays
Roof/Chimneys: Gable with return eaves; two interior end chimneys

Additional Architectural Description:
Mid-19th century I-house with symmetrical five bay center-door facade, lateral two story wing and lean-to. Retains early millwork trim at cornices and window surrounds, and 2/2 sash windows. Three bay front porch was enclosed in the 20th century.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on 5.25 acre parcel. A barn dating from the second half of the 19th century with vertical board siding, garage and shed wings stands northwest of the house. Rear of former farm property is now part of Assunpink Wildlife Management Area.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  
Urban [ ] Suburban [ ] Scattered Buildings [x]  
Industrial [ ] Commercial [ ] Highway Commercial [ ] Other [x] Assunpink Wildlife Management Area

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This is a relatively intact example of the simple I-house dwellings characteristic of Millstone Township's 19th century housing stock. Many have lost historic integrity due to later alterations, but this site retains much of its early form and design. (See similar nearby dwelling without enclosed porch at 506 Stagecoach Road, #1332-42.)

David Bowman is indicated as owner of the property on the 1873 atlas; by 1889 the farm belonged to L. Bowman.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse  
PRESENT USE: Residence

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

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

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory  
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System  
DATE: 1992
Barn, view north.
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<td>One-room schoolhouse with characteristic one story rectangular plan, central entry, and front porch. Early surviving features include the half-round gable light, 4/4 and 6/6 sash windows and doorway transom. Building was formerly sided with clapboard and had a square belfry on the front of the roof ridge.</td>
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**MAP (Indicate North)**
SITTING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces southeast on 1/2 acre lot next to the Clarksburg M.E. Church.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
The Clarksburg School is one of the earliest surviving school buildings in western Monmouth County. Although the building is believed to date from about 1850, the lot was not deeded to the Trustees of School District #9 until 1874 by David Bowman. The building functioned as a school until 1925, when the Clarksburg School was built in the village of Clarksburg (see #1332-12). Subsequently the old schoolhouse became the property of the Clarksburg M.E. Church and was used as a caretaker's residence. It is now a private residence.

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 ☐

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

RECORDED BY:  Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY:  Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System
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HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-42

HISTORIC NAME:  
LOCATION:  506 Stagecoach Road  
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township  
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt  

COMMON NAME:  
BLOCK/LOT:  34/12  
COUNTY: Monmouth  
OWNER/ADDRESS:  

DESCRIPTION

Construction Date: Mid 19th century  
Source of Date: Stylistic  

Style: Vernacular  
Architect:  

Number of Stories: 2  
Builder:  

Foundation: Brick  
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle with rear ell  

Exterior Wall Fabric: Composition shingle  

Fenestration: 5 bay facade  

Roof/Chimneys: Gable; one interior end chimney and one exterior chimney on main block; interior chimney on kitchen ell  

Additional Architectural Description:
Mid-19th century dwelling built on I-house plan with symmetrical five bay center-door facade and two story rear ell. Retains original exterior features such as wood trim at cornices with return eaves, 2/2 sash windows with projecting cornices and louvered shutters, and three bay front porch (slender square posts appear to be replacements). Early 20th century glazed and paneled door set in simple enframement. Exterior was originally sided with clapboard and has been re-sided with composition shingles.

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MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces southeast on 3.3 acre parcel. A small barn with vertical board siding stands to the side of the house.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☐
Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other [x] Adjacent to Assunpink Wildlife Management Area.

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This site exemplifies the modest I-house dwellings that comprise a significant portion of Millstone Township's 19th century housing stock. Many of these houses have lost historic integrity due to later changes, but this one preserves much of its early form and design. As such, the site strongly contributes to the 19th century historic character of the Clarksburg village area.

The construction date and early ownership of this site can not be ascertained from the 19th century maps, although it appears that the property may have belonged to the Gravatt family during the mid 19th century: stylistically the building would date from the 1840-1870 period.

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
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**Additional Architectural Description:**
Main block has I-house plan with cross gable roof, symmetrically arranged five bay facade and central entry; large two story rear ell addition. Retains patterned wood shingles and small four-pane windows in gable ends, and wood trim at cornices and windows. Main body of structure was originally clapboard and has been re-sided with asbestos shingles; other changes include 1/1 replacement sash windows and removal of front porch. The front doorway has a simple enframement with early 20th century glazed and paneled door.

PHOTO Negative File No.

MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on 111 acre qualified farm parcel that is part of Halka Brothers Nursery.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This is a relatively intact example of the modest I-house farm dwellings that are characteristic of Millstone Township's 19th century housing stock. This variation of the I-house form features a cross gable roof with patterned shingles in the gable ends.

Original ownership has not been determined; in 1873 and 1889 the farm belonged to Charles Allen, a prominent local citizen who had several other landholdings in the area at the time.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse
PRESENT USE: Farmhouse (for farm workers)

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
DATE: 1992
**HISTORIC NAME:** St. Paul's M.E. Church

**LOCATION:** 137 Stagecoach Road

**MUNICIPALITY:** Millstone Township

**USGS QUAD:** Roosevelt

**COMMON NAME:**

**BLOCK/LOT:** 62/5

**COUNTY:** Monmouth

**OWNER/ADDRESS:** Raymond & Georgann Coslick

**DESCRIPTION**

**Construction Date:** 1906

**Style:** Vernacular

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

**Foundation:** Concrete veneer (over brick?)

**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard

**Fenestration:** 3 bay by 4 bay main block

**Roof/Chimneys:** End-facing gable with pyramidal roof belfry; new ridge chimney

**Source of Date:** Cornerstone; Ref. 1

**Architect:**

**Builder:**

**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle with corner belfry and rear wing

**Additional Architectural Description:**

Main block retains old 2/2 sash windows in gable end; others are 1/1 replacements. A paneled doorway with transom light is at the northwest corner of the building under a gabled portico with brackets, turned posts and patterned shingles in the gable end. A square open belfry rises above the northwest corner; its pyramidal roof is supported by bracketed square posts.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north on a one acre parcel.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This is a good local example of a simple rural church adapted to a new use. Stylistically it resembles earlier structures with its use of Victorian wood trim.

The congregation formed in 1902 as St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church at Ely. In 1904 one acre of land for a church was purchased from C. Allen Ely and his wife Sadie M. Ely. The edifice was dedicated on August 26, 1906 and the bell was mounted in the belfry on October 13, 1910. According to Mount, Mr. and Mrs. Willards Ivins gave the rear wing to the church about 1956; it was attached to the church and used for Sunday School and social functions. The church was converted to residential use after 1982.

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: Gail Hunton
DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
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**DESCRIPTION**

**Construction Date:** Early 19th century  
**Source of Date:** Stylistic; Ref. 1, 2  
**Style:** Vernacular  
**Architect:**  
**Number of Stories:** 2-1/2  
**Builder:**  
**Foundation:** Plastered  
**Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle with lateral wing  

**Exterior Wall Fabric:** Vinyl siding  
**Fenestration:** 5 bay main block; 2 bay wing  
**Roof/Chimneys:** Gable; two interior end chimneys  

**Additional Architectural Description:**

The main block is constructed on 1-house plan with symmetrical five bay facade and central entry; the lateral east wing appears to be a fairly recent addition. The gable roof has return eaves; a pair of small four-pane square windows remain on the west gable end. 20th century changes include vinyl siding (originally clapboard), 6/1 replacement sash windows, the door enframement with fanlight, and the east wing addition.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
House faces south and is sited close to the road; property is bound on the east by Manalapan Brook. No remaining 19th century outbuildings.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This early 19th century residence is one of the few structures still standing from the settlement of Charleston Springs, which clustered near the corner of Stagecoach and Charleston Springs Roads and at one time included a hotel, store, distillery, saw mill, wintergreen oil factory, in addition to a number of houses. The settlement was originally known as Burnt Tavern, after an inn by the same name that stood on the south side of Stagecoach Road near Manalapan Brook until some time in the mid 19th century. (See Refs. 5 & 6.)

Although additional research is required to define the site's history, this house appears to have been originally owned and built by the Thompson family, who were early settlers in the vicinity and had several other early landholdings nearby. The house stands next to a former mill pond on the Manalapan Brook; at the north end of the pond there was a saw mill (no longer extant) that operated for an undetermined period during the 19th century and was associated with this property. James Thompson or Thomas D. Thompson may have built and resided in this house. Historical maps show that Thompson was owner in 1851, J.W. Thompson in 1860, Mrs. Thompson in 1873, and W. Parker in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence  PRESENT USE: Residence

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

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 658.

RECORDED BY:  Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY:  Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION:  Monmouth County Park System
HISTORIC NAME: 32 Olde Noah Hunt Road
COMMON NAME: 53.01/1.02
LOCATION: 53.01/1.02
BLOCK/LOT: Millstone Township
COUNTY: Roy & Margaret Archer/same
MUNICIPALITY: Monmouth
OWNER/ADDRESS:
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Early to mid 19th century with later additions
Source of Date: Stylistic; Refs. 2-4
Style: Vernacular
Architect:
Number of Stories: 2
Builder:
Foundation: Fieldstone (original section)
Form/Plan Type: L-plan
Exterior Wall Fabric: Stucco over clapboard
Fenestration: 4 bay east elevation; 2 over 4 bay north elevation
Roof/Chimneys: Intersecting gable with return eaves; interior end chimney and internal chimney
Additional Architectural Description:
The original core of this house was, according to the owner, a two story two room house with hand hewn beams and a fieldstone foundation; multiple additions were made during the 19th century, the last being the one story kitchen ell. Original clapboard siding was stuccoed in the early 20th century. Windows include older 6/6 sash and well as 2/2 and 1/1 sash; there is a low porch, partially enclosed, on the north side and an enclosed porch on the east side.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces SE on 10 acre qualified farm parcel, subdivided from former 60-acre farm. Ice house and old trees enhance property; other barns are gone.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This is a intact example of the small vernacular dwellings which were the predominant housing in 19th century Millstone. The historic qualities of the site are enhanced by the older trees on the property and the surrounding open land. The origins of the farm are not documented, although William H. Pullen is known to have owned the farm in the latter 19th century. W.H. Pullen is indicated as owner on the 1889 Wolverton map, but earlier maps are ambiguous. (William H. Pullen is also listed as a head of household for the 1850 federal census in Millstone.) The current owners, Roy and Margaret Archer, purchased the property from Rose and Fred Pullen, the grandson of William Pullen.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence  PRESENT USE: Residence

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Interview with Margaret (Peg) Archer, owner.
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton
DATE: 1992; 1994
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
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**DESCRIPTION**

- **Construction Date:** 2nd qtr. 19th century
- **Source of Date:** Stylistic; Ref. 1, 2
- **Style:** Vernacular
- **Architect:**
- **Number of Stories:** 2-1/2
- **Builder:**
- **Foundation:** Plastered
- **Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle
- **Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard
- **Fenestration:** 3 bays by 2 bays
- **Roof/Chimneys:** Cross gable; interior ridge chimney
- **Additional Architectural Description:**
  Constructed on an I-house plan with cross gable roof and symmetrical three bay facade. 1/1 replacement sash windows, three bay front porch with square posts, and paneled front door with narrow sidelights.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces south on parcel surrounded by beautiful nursery lands. Major farm buildings no longer standing.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This site was the residence and farm of William P. Forman (1807- c.1886), a lifelong resident of Millstone Township who was land surveyor, teacher, member of the State Legislature, and a judge of the Monmouth Court of Common Pleas for twenty years (1843-1848; 1852-1867). He married Evelina Baird, daughter of David Baird. William P. Forman is shown as owner of this property on the 1851, 1860 and 1873 maps; by 1889 he has passed away and his son Peter Forman had inherited the homestead. A biographical sketch of William P. Forman is given in Ellis (Ref. 5).

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse  PRESENT USE: Residence

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 660-661.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
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**DESCRIPTION**

Construction Date: 1884  
Source of Date: Facade inscription; Ref. 1

Style: Stick Style elements  
Architect:  
Builder:  
Form/Plan Type: Rectangular (center-aisle nave plan)

Number of Stories: 2  
Exterior Wall Fabric: Clapboard; vinyl siding on upper tower

Foundation: Plastered brick  
Fenestration: 3 bays by 4 bays

Roof/Chimneys: Gable w/ pyramidal roof tower

Additional Architectural Description:
The distinguishing features of this rectangular nave plan church are its simple classic form, decorative wood trim and windows. The white clapboard siding is highlighted by vertical and horizontal boards ("stick work") as well as brackets at the cornice. The windows on the main facade include bordered lights with art glass in the upper sash and four lights below, while the windows on the side elevations have 16/16 sash with colored glass. The square projecting front tower rises to a pyramidal roof which has been altered (once had an open belfry and a steeple) and re-sided with vinyl siding. The main entrance is through a small vestibule with tall double-leaf paneled doors and bracketed hood; the concrete steps with wrought iron railing are a later alteration. Plaque on facade reads "Founded 1786 – Burned and Rebuilt 1884."

**PHOTO** Negative File No. 7-6 through 16

**MAP** (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Church faces south and is sited on a hill, on axis with Millstone Road. The church property also includes a cemetery with 18th century headstones dating to the early years of the congregation. Surrounded on north and east by open farmlands.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
This site is a good local representative of the rural and village churches constructed in Monmouth County during the mid to late 19th century. It is the most prominent structure in the village of Perrineville, which was settled chiefly by Scots Presbyterians in the 18th century and grew up around a grist and saw mill on Rocky Brook (near the present Perrineville Lake dam).

Although the existing edifice dates from 1884, the congregation originated in the 1780's as a mission of Tennent Presbyterian Church (see HSI #1326-1-5, Manalapan Township). The present lot was purchased in 1796 and the construction of a church began, but due to insufficient funds, the building remained unfinished for many years. The original church was built in the traditional meetinghouse form, reportedly patterned after Tennent Church, with the pulpit on the north end. In 1826 the congregation was organized officially as The Second Presbyterian Church of Upper Freehold [Millstone Township was not formed until 1844], and the church was remodelled, enlarged and completed. Then, in 1849, it was incorporated as The First Presbyterian Church of Millstone. The church was again remodelled and enlarged in 1856, and remained in use until destroyed by fire in 1884. That same year the congregation erected the church that stands today. In 1953, after the merger of the Millstone and Manalapan Presbyterian congregations, the name became The United Presbyterian Church of Millstone Township.

For additional narration of the congregation's history, see references 1 and 2 cited below.

ORIGINAL USE: Church
PRESENT USE: Church

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

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton
DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
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**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**  
Office of New Jersey Heritage  
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**DESCRIPTION**

| Construction Date: | 1925 |
| Style: | Vernacular |
| Number of Stories: | 1 |
| Foundation: | Plastered brick |
| Exterior Wall Fabric: | Wood shingles |
| Fenestration: | 5 bay main facade |
| Roof/Chimneys: | Hip with cupola; internal chimney |
| Source of Date: | Ref. 1 |
| Architect: | |
| Builder: | |
| Form/Plan Type: | Square |

Additional Architectural Description:

Four-room square plan schoolhouse with hipped roof, louvered cupola, and symmetrical five bay facade with central recessed doorway. Side elevations have original grouped 6/6 sash windows; smaller 6/6 sash remain on front of building. Rear wing addition.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north on a 6.3 acre parcel.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:  Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Scattered Buildings ☑
Open Space ☐ Woodland ☐ Residential ☑ Agricultural ☑ Village ☐
Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Highway Commercial ☐ Other ☑ Commercial and public buildings at crossroads nearby

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
The Perrineville School served as the area elementary school from its construction in 1925 until its closure in the mid-1980's. Prior to 1925, pupils in the Perrineville area attended a school that, according to the 1889 Wolverton atlas, was located on the east side of Millstone Road near Rocky Brook, south of the intersection with Perrineville Road. Perrineville School is a good local example of an adaptive use of a former school, retaining the architectural character of the former school's exterior while modernizing the interior spaces for contemporary new uses. The building is almost identical to the Clarksburg School (#1332-12-5), also constructed in 1925.

ORIGINAL USE: Elementary school
PRESENT USE: Office building

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: Good adaptive re-use

REFERENCES:
2. Millstone Township Board of Education.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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DATE: 1992
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ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
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**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**  

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**Additional Architectural Description:**

Built on a three bay side-hall plan main block with wraparound porch supported by simple square posts; two story wing on rear and later one story wing on east side. Retains 4/4 sash windows and transomed entry. Original window trim and much of cornice trim (with return eaves) was lost when the original clapboard exterior was re-sided with vinyl.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces north on a 32 acre qualified farm parcel. Major 19th century farm buildings no longer standing.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
Although its original character has been diminished by later alterations, this sizable mid-19th century farmhouse retains its essential plan and form as well as some of its early design features. According to historical maps, the property was owned by G. W. Davison until at least 1860, then by G.M. Davison in 1873 and 1889. The 1840 and 1850 federal census lists George W. Davison as a head of household in Millstone Township; deed research would verify whether he was the original owner and builder of this house.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse  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.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. U.S. Census, Schedule of Population, 1840 & 1850.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Hooper General Store
LOCATION: 26 Trenton-Lakewood Road
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone Township
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-51
COMMON NAME: 
BLOCK/LOT: 60.02/20.02
COUNTY: Monmouth
OWNER/ ADDRESS: Harold & Dorann Weber/ same

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: Late 19th century
Style: Vernacular
Number of Stories: 2-1/2
Foundation: Brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Vinyl siding
Fenestration: 4 bay facade
Roof/Chimneys: Intersecting gable; two ridge chimneys

Additional Architectural Description:
Interior inspection necessary to clarify building date and construction chronology. The building has new 6/1 sash windows and vinyl siding. On the main (west) elevation, there are two entrances with separate porches; the porch on the south end retains its turned posts and the double-leaf doorway.

PHOTO Negative File No. 5-7,8,9,10

MAP (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
Faces west on a .37 corner parcel bound by Squan Road on the south. Behind the house is a sizable clapboard-sided wagon shed, which appears to be roughly contemporaneous with the main structure.

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

SIGNIFICANCE EVALUATION:
Although its origins remain unclear, this site is locally significant as a former general store and for its association with the small community at this crossroads known as Holmeson (formerly called Carr's Tavern). The place name Carr's Tavern originated from an 18th or early 19th century inn by the same name that once stood on the west side of Route 526 (Trenton-Lakewood Road) just north of Burnt Tavern Road.

Charles E. Hooper operated a general store and post office out of this building in the early 20th century, and also maintained the area feed mill located across the road. It is known that a hotel occupied this site prior to the general store. The 1873 Beers atlas gives W. Holman as owner of the property but does not indicate its use as a hotel; the 1889 Wolverton atlas shows a hotel on the site but no owner. According to Mount, Holmes Patterson was the proprietor at the time, and reportedly the area name was changed to Holmeson in his honor. Research to date has not revealed whether the existing structure is also the former hotel or whether it is a later building erected on the same site.

ORIGINAL USE: General Store  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.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. Franklin Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 658.

RECORDED BY: Gail Hunton  DATE: 1992
SURVEY: Monmouth County Historic Sites Inventory
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

55 PARKSIDE WAY. Block 4, Lot 3. Allentown USGS Quad.

Mid-19th century Greek Revival residence built on an I-house plan with rear kitchen ell, gable roof with return eaves, plastered brick foundation, clapboard siding, and 3 bay porch with turned posts. The door is set in a Greek Revival paneled enframement with transom light and sidelights; the windows are boarded up (probably originally 6/6 sash).

SIGNIFICANCE:


REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Millstone Township
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

335 PERRINEVILLE ROAD. Block 11, Lot 19. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Early 19th century farmhouse built on I-house plan with 4 bay facade; east wing and enclosed front porch are later additions. Gable roof has close eaves and interior end chimney. Plastered foundation, asbestos shingle siding, and small 6/6 sash windows. 19th century wagon shed east of the house, along with a well house and other deteriorated outbuildings.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Documented for historical record — severely deteriorated and vacant. Appears to have been part of the farm belonging to B. Gordon on the 1851, 1873 and 1889 maps. Located on 39 acre parcel now occupied by the National Irrigation Company; parcel borders Rocky Brook on the east.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

1071 WINDSOR ROAD. Block 9, Lot 9.02. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Greek Revival farmhouse constructed on a 5 bay center-hall plan; later additions on east and west ends. The brick foundation has been plastered, the original clapboard siding is covered with vinyl siding, and the wood trim at the cornice and windows has been removed; the exterior chimney is a replacement of original interior end wall chimneys. Remaining early features include the 6/6 sash windows and the Greek Revival door enframement with transom light and sidelights. Ruinous barns on the site.

SIGNIFICANCE:

W. Still constructed this substantial farmhouse during the second quarter of the 19th century, and it is shown as his property on the 1851, 1873 and 1889 maps. In 1851, Perrineville Road ran south to Windsor Road just west of Still's farm; the remnant of this former road can still be seen on the USGS map. The surrounding 85 acre parcel is now fallow farmland; future development may threaten this site.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

11 HUNECKE WAY. Block 16, Lot 6. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Mid-19th century I-house with 3 bay facade, gable roof, asbestos shingle siding, and 1/1 sash windows.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Representative common 19th century vernacular house type in Millstone Township. J. Dey (alt. spelling Dyc) owned the property in 1851 and 1873, followed by T. Conover in 1889. Situated on 29 acre qualified farm parcel.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Millstone Township
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

759 PERRINEVILLE ROAD. Block 12, Lot 4. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Victorian vernacular farmhouse built in 1890's. Complex plan with intersecting gable roof, 4/4 sash windows, vinyl siding (originally clapboard and wood shingles), and double-leaf transomed door.

SIGNIFICANCE:

REFERENCES:

1. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Monmouth County
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

MANALAPAN CEMETERY. East side Conover Road, 200 feet south of State Hwy 33. Block 24, Lot 17. Jamesburg USGS Quad.

Consisting of a little over two and a half acres, this cemetery contains headstones of older Millstone families such as Andersons, Bairds, Cooks, Conovers, Davises, Jamisons, Mounts, Perrines, Reids, and Rues. The oldest gravestone is reportedly that of Joseph Perrine, who died in 1821.

SIGNIFICANCE:

The Manalapan Cemetery was associated for many years with The Manalapan Presbyterian Church, which formerly stood next to the cemetery on the corner. The church was constructed in 1856 and demolished in 1969.

REFERENCES:

1. Jean E. Mount, History of the Township of Millstone, p.18-19.

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Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

82 MILLSTONE ROAD. Block 23, Lot 15.01. Jamesburg USGS Quad.

Mid-19th century farmhouse built on a 2-1/2 story side-hall plan, 3 bays by 3 bays. Rear ell may predate main block. 4/4 sash windows appear to be the originals. The plastered foundation, composition shingle siding, front door and front porch are alterations dating from the early 20th century. There is an old shed on the property, but none of the main barns are still standing.

SIGNIFICANCE:

J.G. Reid may have been the original owner and builder of this farmhouse, which was sizable for its time though very simple in design. Reid is shown as owner of the property on the 1851, 1873 and 1889 maps.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

174 SWEETMAN'S LANE. Block 43, Lot 16.01. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Early 19th century I-house with seven bay facade, built in multiple sections. The original house was five bays, with a later two bay addition on east end; the rear rooms were added about 1938. Gable roof with interior end chimney on east end and exterior chimney on west end wall. Clapboard sided exterior and fieldstone foundation (mud floor in basement; hand hewn floor joists visible). 2/2 sash windows with cornices; porch with chamfered posts spans front of house, which faces southeast at the end of a long tree-lined lane. No remaining older barns or outbuildings on this property (but see below).

SIGNIFICANCE:

This house exhibits exemplary preservation by its appreciative 20th century owners. Though essentially similar in construction to many other contemporaneous vernacular dwellings in Millstone, the historic materials and character-defining features have been maintained as the house changed and grew over the years. David D. Craig, who is listed as a head of household on the 1850 federal census for Millstone Township, may have been the original owner of the property. D.D. Craig's name appears at this location on the 1851, 1860, and 1873 maps; by the time of the 1889 atlas, the property had passed into J. Chamberlain's ownership. According to the present owner, the farm was purchased about 1938 by the Rockafellow family, who constructed the rear additions to the house and made many other improvements. At the time the farm included the adjoining land where a large gambrel roof barn still stands. The property was subsequently divided and now encompasses 25 acres.

REFERENCES:

1. Interview with owner (Carol Marshall).
3. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Beers atlas, 1873.
6. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Monmouth County/Millstone Tp
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

183 SWEETMAN'S LANE. Block 44, Lot 4. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Mid-19th century I-house with three bay asymmetrical facade, rear ell, gable roof, and composition shingle siding. Windows include old 2/2 sash and some replacement 1/1 sash; glazed and paneled front door under a porch with simple square posts.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Representative common 19th century vernacular house type in Millstone Township. Owners indicated on 19th century maps include D.A. Craig in 1860, F. Reid in 1873, and the Estate of W. Parker in 1889.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightoof map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:
207 SWEETMAN'S LANE. Block 44, Lot 6. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Five bay I-house built 2nd quarter 19th century. Gable roof with stuccoed brick exterior chimney on east end wall, rubble (?) foundation, wood shingle siding, and 1/1 sash windows. There is a paneled door with pedimented Colonial Revival enframement on the north elevation, and a Colonial Revival doorway with colored glass in sidelights on the south elevation; both are early 20th century alterations.

SIGNIFICANCE:
I-house dwellings similar to this one were the predominant 19th century house type in rural Millstone Township. The building's construction indicates it was erected during the second quarter of the 19th century, before 1850. John I. Ely, who is listed as a head of household in Millstone on the 1850 federal census and is shown as owner of this property on the 1851 Lightfoot map, may have been the original owner. Maps indicate that the property belonged to J.I. and J.P. Ely in 1860 and 1873, and to A. Ely in 1889. In the mid 20th century, the 216 acre tract became Bobbink Nurseries, which was acquired by Monmouth County Park System in 1990 for recreational use.

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
5. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:
293 SWEETMAN’S LANE. Block 40, Lot 1. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Mid-19th century I-house with two over three bay asymmetrical facade, gable roof with 20th century exterior end chimney, composition shingle siding, 1/1 sash windows, and small porches on the north and south sides.

SIGNIFICANCE:
Representative vernacular 19th century house type in Millstone Township. A.P. Clark is indicated owner on the 1873 and 1889 atlases.

REFERENCES:
1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:


Small two story vernacular dwelling, probably dating from the early 19th century. The rectangular main block may have been built in two sections and features a gable roof, central ridge chimney (stuccoed brick), stuccoed exterior (over unknown original wall fabric), and early 6/6 and 2/2 sash windows. The south elevation has a three over five bay asymmetrical arrangement with two doors (one steps up) and a porch with turned posts. The north elevation is three bays with no doors. Small one story wings on the west end are later additions.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Small modest vernacular dwellings similar to this one comprised the majority of the local housing stock up until the middle of the 19th century. Exterior analysis suggests an early 19th century construction date (interior not accessible; house is vacant). On the 1835 map, the property belonged to E. Thomas, who also owned several other properties in the Carr's Tavern vicinity. Ezekial Thomas is listed in the 1850 federal census. Within ten years this was the home of Vincent Messler, a local Methodist minister who reportedly was known as "Uncle Vince" and "the marrying parson" because of all the young people who came from the area to be married by him (Mount, pg. 41). Messler appears to have resided here during the 1860's and 1870's; by the time of the 1889 atlas, the property had passed into J.J. Holman's ownership.

REFERENCES:

2. Lightfoot map, 1851.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.
5. Jean E. Mount, History of the Township of Millstone (1982), pg. 41.

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY:

☐ Meets NR Criteria as: ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Part of District
☐ Already Listed - Date
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OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE
LISTING SURVEY FORM

Survey: Monmouth County/Millstone Tp
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

111 STAGECOACH ROAD. Block 62, Lot 13.01. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Mid 19th century I-house, possibly built in two sections, with four over four asymmetrical bay facade and rear ell. Gable roof, internal ridge chimney (roughly in the center of the house), concrete veneer foundation, wood shingle siding, and 6/6 replacement sash windows with wide surrounds. Recently renovated.

SIGNIFICANCE:

This well-maintained 19th century dwelling is associated with the community known as Charleston Springs, later called Ely, at the intersection of Route 524 and Charleston Springs Road. During the mid to late 19th century the community included a saw mill, hotel, school, distillery, wintergreen oil factory, and store in addition to a number of simple houses such as this one. Ownership of this property on the historical maps is ambiguous; A. James may have been owner during the 1880's, but deed research is necessary to clarify the building date and ownership history.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Monmouth County/Millstone Tp
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

150 TRENTON LAKEWOOD ROAD. Block 55, Lot 2. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

1860's farmhouse built on a symmetrical five bay I-house plan with large two story rear ell. Gable roof, stuccoed brick interior end chimney, brick foundation, and vinyl siding (over original clapboard). Windows are early 6/6 sash; the paneled central doorway retains original classical enframentment with transom light and sidelights. Front porch has been removed; other character-defining wood trim may have been lost when the house was re-sided.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Representative of the substantial farmhouses constructed in Millstone during its period of agricultural growth in the mid-19th century. The farm site retains its agricultural setting, although the older barns and outbuildings are no longer standing. R. Bruere (also spelled Brewer) owned the farm in 1873 and 1889, but the original owner has not been established.

Property owned by developer and may be threatened.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers map, 1860.
4. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Monmouth County/Millstone Tp  
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

28 TRENTON-LAKEWOOD ROAD. Block 60.02, Lot 20.01. Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Two story vernacular house dating from 3rd quarter 19th century, with four bay by two bay rectangular main block that appears to have been built in multiple sections. Gable roof with hip on one end, two internal chimneys, vinyl siding, and 1/1 sash windows. Doorway and bowed bay window on the main facade among the many 20th century changes to the structure.

SIGNIFICANCE:

This site is associated with the small community at this crossroads known as Holmeson (earlier called Carr's Tavern). Holmes Patterson, after whom the place is reportedly named, is indicated as owner of this property on the 1889 Wolverton atlas; the house does not appear on earlier maps. See also Hooper General Store next door (#1332-51).

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey: Monmouth County/Millstone Tp
Date: 1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

41 BROOKSIDE ROAD.  Block 48, Lot 15.05.  Roosevelt USGS Quad.

Vernacular house built between 1873 and 1889, with two and a half story irregular plan, intersecting gable roof with central ridge chimney, concrete veneer foundation, and vinyl siding. The five bay east elevation (facing Brookside Road) carries a long columned porch and two doorways with glazed and paneled doors. Windows are mainly new 1/1 sash; the narrow one bay south elevation (facing Paint Island Springs Road) includes a 20th century projecting bay on the first story and paired 6/6 sash above.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Representative late 19th century dwelling in Millstone Township. Owned by L. Childs in 1889. Paint Island Spring, shown on the 1851 Lightfoot map, is located just west of this site beside an upper tributary of the Toms River.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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Survey:  Monmouth County/Millstone Tp
Date:  1992
ADDRESS/DESCRIPTION:

6 STAGECOACH ROAD. Block 64, Lot 21. Adelphia USGS Quad.

Mid 19th century I-house with 3 bay facade, gable roof and two interior end chimneys, wood shingle siding, 6/1 sash windows (replacements), and an enclosed front porch (later addition).

SIGNIFICANCE:

Representative common 19th century house type in Millstone Township. Located on an early east-west route (Stagecoach Road), this dwelling first appears on the 1873 Beers atlas. J.M. Smith is shown as owner in 1873 and 1889.

REFERENCES:

1. Lightfoot map, 1851.
2. Beers atlas, 1873.
3. Wolverton atlas, 1889.

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OFFICE OF NEW JERSEY HERITAGE
LISTING SURVEY FORM

Survey: Millstone Township
Date: 1992
REVISION TO THE MONMOUTH COUNTY SURVEY

Monmouth County is currently in the midst of updating and revising the 1980-1985 county survey of historic sites.

Updates are located in a separate volume at the end of the original Monmouth County survey.
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:

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\begin{align*}
Y &= \text{Yes} \\
N &= \text{No} \\
P &= \text{Possible} \\
D &= \text{District}
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Sites which are located within eligible districts but which are also individually eligible are labeled "Y" instead of "D". 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).**
**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**
**OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION**
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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**Additional Architectural Description:**

The house is composed of a 3 story main block with an I-house form and a 2 story rear wing. The roof of the main block is moderately pitched and has overhanging eaves and gable returns. The third story knee-wall windows have been shuttered closed. First and second floor windows have 6/6 sash and small projecting lintels. The door is in a Greek Revival enframement with sidelights and a five-light transom. The 3 bay porch is supported by square columns. The 2 story rear wing has an enclosed porch on the south side.

**PHOTO**

Negative File No. 3-18 to 22*

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

The house faces east on a 141 acre lot, setback a short distance from Stillhouse Rd. Mature yard trees frame the view of the house from the road. Farm buildings, including a 2nd half of the 19th century frame barn, several small sheds, and covered planting beds are behind the house.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is an unusual 3 story example of the 5 bay I-house form. The Greek Revival elements, found in the roof, windows, and door enframement are typical of the county. The door enframement is similar to that on the Gordon Rd. house (1332-5). The farmstead, and the agricultural lot of 141 acres is an important component of the agricultural character of the area, which is rapidly being encroached upon by residential subdivision. Lewis L. Combs, from Philadelphia, was the original owner of the house, which was part of a 300 acre farm. He is indicated as owner in 1851, 1860, and his estate is indicated as owner in 1873. His relationship to Ezekiel Combs of Upper Freehold (1351-14) and the other Combs of the area is not known. M. Nolan, one of a number of Irish immigrant farmers to settle in Millstone during the second half of the 19th century (see also 1332-20) is indicated as the owner in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse PRESENT USE: Farmhouse
PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent □ Good □ Fair □ Poor □
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration X □
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS: Frame farm buildings are in deteriorating condition.

REFERENCES:

1. "Millstone Folk of the Past", Freehold Transcript (1906).
3. Lightfoot Map, 1851.
5. Beers Map, 1873.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
1332-17
E. side Stillhouse Rd., 0.5 mi. S. of Baird Rd.; Block 24, Lot 4; Roosevelt Quad;
Neg. File # 3-24, 25.
Mid-19th century frame residence. 2 story, 3 sections, all roughly square in plan,
2 over 3 bay, 2 bay and 3 bay from west to east. Gable roofs, 3 internal end wall
chimneys. Vinyl siding, 6/6 sash windows. Replacement doorways. Foundation
not visible. Owned by J.I. Rue in 1851, H.P. Rue in 1860, and J.B. Conover in 1873 and
1889. View to NR.

1332-20
St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church
N.E. cr. Sweetman's Lane and Stillhouse Rd.; Block 42, Lot 12; Roosevelt Quad;
Neg. File # 1-25
1879 brick vernacular Victorian Gothic church. 1½ story, 3 bay by 3 bay rectangle
with ell. Steeply pitched gable roof with small belfry. Stucco siding added after 1955
Buttressed side walls. Narrow lancet arch stained glass windows. Double front door
has steeply pitched gable overdoor. Concrete veneer on foundation. Congregation
was organized in 1871 by Irish immigrants that had recently settled in Millstone.
Land for church was donated by Micheal and Mary Bierne.
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SURVEY: Monmouth County

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ROLL NUMBER 4
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SURVEY Monmouth County
DATE: March 1984
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-1

HISTORIC NAME: E. side Conover Rd., 0.4 mi. N. of Baird Rd.
LOCATION:
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: BLOCK/LOT 24/11
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1785
Source of Date: Historic marker, stylistic
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Traditional
Form/Plan Type:
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Fieldstone
Exterior Wall Fabric: Natural wood shingle
Fenestration: 5 over 7 bay asymmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, shed; 1 internal end chimney, 1 external end chimney
Additional Architectural Description:

The house was built in three sections. The earliest section A is square in plan and has a long gable roof with gable returns. The fenestration in this section is 2 over 3 bays, with 2/2 sash. The large, central, 1/1 sash window probably replaced the original doorway. Section B has a 2 bay, 1-house form, and also has a gable roof with gable returns. Windows have 2/2 sash. The main doorway now enters through the west side of section A, from the enclosed porch on section B. Section C is a shed roof service wing and also has 2/2 sash windows.

PHOTO Negative File No. 3-26 to 31*

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

The house faces south on an open, 70 acre lot, set back from the road approximately 300'. It shares the lot with a small frame barn and frame shed, both with weatherboard siding. They are to the west of the house.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

Although altered on both the interior and exterior, the house utilizes three traditional western Monmouth County building forms in its construction. The central section A can be found on a number of 18th century buildings in Millstone and Upper Freehold. The I-house form of section B is one of the dominant traditional 19th century building types in the rural sections of Monmouth County, as is the service wing, which is found in a variety of forms, usually having a different roof type from the main block. The lateral expansion of the house is also typical of rural Monmouth County. The open agricultural land and the 19th century outbuildings also contribute to the site and surrounding area. The house was owned by D. Jones in 1851, by the heirs of D. Chamberlain in 1860, by J. Taylor in 1873, and by J.G. Taylor in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse

PRESENT USE: Residence

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

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes [ ] Possible [ ] No [x] 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 1982

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Barn, view to w.
HISTORIC NAME: S. side Disbrow Hill Rd., 0.6 mi. W. of Battleground Road
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Jamesburg/Roosevelt
OWNER/ADDRESS:

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

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 4th quarter 18th c.
Source of Date: Stylistic
Architect:
Style: Traditional, with Greek Revival alterations
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Fieldstone, concrete veneer
Exterior Wall Fabric: Weatherboard
Fenestration: 6 bay, with 1 bay wing
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, shed; 2 internal end chimneys, external chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
Based on pattern in the fenestration of the main block of this house, it appears to have been built in 2 sections, each three bays. It is difficult to determine, from external analysis, which section is earlier. The roof is moderately pitched and has a milled cornice with gable returns. The south facade is 6 bays across; the western 3 bays are spaced wider than the eastern bays. All have 6/6 sash. Windows on the north and west facades have 12/12, 12/8, and 9/6 sash indicating that the sash on the front are probably replacements. An exposed hearth back is on the west end of the house. The west front doorway has classical enframement with side and transom lights. The adjacent east doorway is surmounted by a simple classical cornice. They are under a two-bay porch. The east end service wing has a shed roof with false front on the north and south facades. A small lean-to has been added to the south side of the wing.

PHOTO Negative File No. 3-38, 39, 40, 41* Map (Indicate North)

[Map Diagram]
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

The house faces south, set back 1000' feet from Disbrow Hill Road, on an open agricultural lot. Two large trees are on the south side of the house. A 1 story shed is to the southeast of the house.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

Although the house is in poor condition, it is important in its use of later 18th and early and mid 19th century construction and design elements. The exposed hearth back, and the 12/12, 12/8, and 9/6 sash on the north and west sides of the house are features from the 4th quarter of the 18th century. The gable returns, roof details, 6/6 sash and classical enframement of the south facade are elements that reflect a renovation dating from the 1st half of the 19th century. The east side service wing is another traditional 19th c. feature of western Monmouth County farmhouses. The property is part of a tract of 1000 acres purchased in 1725 by Richard Mount from William Dockwra. It was owned by J. Norton in 1851, 1860, 1873, and 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse

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. William Davison Perrine, "Perrineville in Millstone was one of the Earliest Settlements in Monmouth County," Freehold Transcript (July 19, 26, 1956).
2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

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

DATE: March 1982
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION
BUILDING COMPLEX SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: W. side Forman Rd., 0.2 mi. N of Sweetman's Lk.
LOCATION:
MONOPOLICITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
OWNER/ADDRESS:

COMMON NAME: 42/5
BLOCK/LOT:
COUNTY: Monmouth
UIM REFERENCES: Zoning/North/Lon Easting
NEGATIVE FILE NO: 1-18 to 2

SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURES

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| ROOF/CHIMNEYS | A. The house consists of a 2 story, 5 bay symmetrical main block with an I-house plan, and a 1 story, 2 bay rear ell and lean-to which may be the original section of the house. The main block has a moderately pitched roof with overhanging eaves and a simple box cornice. Windows have Colonial Revival 6/1 sash on the front facade and 9/6 and 6/6 sash on the side walls. Both chimneys of the main block have exposed hearthbacks. The doorway is flanked by fluted pilasters and 6-light sidelights with sliding sash, and it is surmounted by a small transom light. The hip roof porch with scroll brackets is an addition from the second half of the 19th century. The one room rear wing has a 6/6 sash window adjacent to the doorway. A hip roof porch supported by smooth Doric order columns spans the east side of the house.  
B. The shed has a single corn crib and a second floor loading door.  
C. The barn is built on an English plan and has a central threshing bay. The smaller barn on the west side and the lean-to on the east side are later additions. |
| ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION |   |     |     |     |
| CONDITION | E C F P | E C F P | E G F P | E G F P |
| COMMENTS: |     |     |     |     |
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: The house faces south on a 36 acre lot. The farm buildings are east of the house, between it and the road.

Topography: Gently rolling hills surround the lot which is basically flat.

Vegetation: Deciduous yard trees surround the house. The farmstead is surrounded by pasture.

Water: The Millstone River flows 1000' to the west of the farmstead.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is a good example of the traditional Freehold area farmhouses that date from the late 18th and early 19th century. The rear ell may be the earliest section and probably has 18th century origins. The main block is simply styled, and has exposed hearth backs on both the east and west sides, a notable feature. Stylistic expression on the house is limited to the simple Federal style doorway enframement. Most of the outbuildings on the farm date from the 19th century and include early examples of the wagon shed and general purpose barn types. The plan of the farm is unusual in that the driveway passes the farm buildings before it reaches the house. The farm was owned by William Johnston in 1851, 1860, and 1873. The Johnston family was part of the early Scottish settlement of the county. C. Forman was the owner in 1889.

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

REFERENCES:

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

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe  DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Map:

Site Plan:

Not to Scale
House A, view to NW.

Wagon Shed B and Barn C view to NE.
Barn C, view to NW.

Farmstead, view to NW.
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### Additional Architectural Description

A. The house is composed of a 2 story, 5 bay symmetrical main block with an I-house form and a 2 story, 3 bay rear wing. The details of each section are similar. The slate roof is moderately pitched and has narrow eaves and a simple box cornice that is now enclosed in aluminum siding. All windows have replacement 1/1 sash. The door is in a Greek Revival entablature with side and transom lights. The small hip roof porch is supported by square classical columns. A 1 story section is enclosed off the rear wing.

B. Windows on the second floor have 3/3 sash, and 6/6 sash on the first floor. The vertical board door is closely flanked by the windows. The chimney was most recently set up for use with a stove.

C. This is a 4 bent English frame barn with a central threshing bay, with doors on both sides. The large double doors are secured with strap iron hinges. Later additions to the barn have been removed, a roofline is still visible in the siding.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES: SEE ATTACHED PLAN

LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
Siting: The house faces south and the complex spans both sides of Gordon Rd.; the house and summer kitchen are on the west side and the farm buildings are on the east side.
Topography: Flat.
Vegetation: Grass and a variety of mature yard trees surround the farmstead, which is in turn surrounded by agricultural lands.
Water: A well is located in front of the house.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:
This farmstead includes several notable structures. The house utilizes the I-house form, a traditional 19th century rural Monmouth County house form, in both the main block and in the rear wing. The aluminum siding and 1/1 sash windows are unfortunate alterations. The summer kitchen, located behind and to the east of the house, is a very good example of that building type for Monmouth County. It utilizes a smaller version of the 2 story, 2 over 3 bay, 1 room plan that is found on small 18th and 19th century houses in the county. The barn is a good example of the English barn type, the predominant 18th and 19th century Monmouth County barn, outside of the areas settled by the Dutch. Gordon Rd. bisects the farm, separating the house lot from the farm lot. The farmstead formerly included a smokehouse and a chicken house. Poultry farming was very important in Millstone during the 20th century, dying out in the 1950's and 1960's. The farm was originally part of a large tract of 1300 or 1400 acres in both Monmouth and Middlesex (now Mercer) Counties purchased by John Ely in 1728. His descendants continued to occupy many of the farms that were part of the tract through the 18th and 19th centuries. This farm was owned by T. Thomas in 1851, by Perrine in 1860, by Capt. Jefferson Wright in 1873 and T.L. Davison in 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farm  PRESENT USE: Residence
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes □ Possible X □ No □ Part of District □
THREATS TO SITE: Roads □ Development □ Zoning □ Deterioration X
No Threat □ Other □
COMMENTS: Register eligibility would require the restoration of the house, and rehabilitation of the barn.

REFERENCES:
2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
House A, view to NW.

Summer Kitchen B, view to NW.
1352-5  W. side Gordon Rd., 0.2 mi. N. of Nurko Rd.  Continuation Sheet

Barn C, view to E.

Farmstead, view to N.
Site Plan:

Not to Scale

Summer B Kitchen

Open Shed

Barn C

House A

Gordon Rd.

to Nurko Rd.
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Nathaniel Cox House
LOCATION: W. side Millstone Rd., 0.1
mi. S. of State Highway 33
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Jamesburg
OWNER/ADDRESS:

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-7
COMMON NAME:  
BLOCK/LOT 17/10
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: 1821
Source of Date: Date found on beam in attic
Builder:
Architect:
Style: Federal
Form/Plan Type: Square, with west side wing and lean-to
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Fieldstone/concrete
Exterior Wall Fabric: Asbestos shingle
Fenestration: 3 bay symmetrical main block, with 2 over 3 bay wing
Roof/Chimneys: Gable; twin end wall chimneys
Additional Architectural Description:
The house is composed of a 2½ story, 3 bay, Federal style main block with a deep, side hall plan, and a smaller, 2 story, 2 over 3 bay traditionally styled wing with a lean-to. The main block has a moderately pitched roof, which is probably a 20th century replacement. Large quarter fans flank a round headed window in the east gable end. The windows of the main block have 6/6 sash. The door, which has a glass upper section is in a Federal enframement. A shed roof porch, supported by smooth classical columns spans the entire wing and the doorway bay of the main block.

PHOTO Negative File No. 1-34 to 40
Map (Indicate North)
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:
The house faces south, at an oblique angle to the road, set back approximately 100'. It is part of a vegetable farm, with greenhouses as the major structures. A late 19th century, 2 story frame barn is west of the house.

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 popular 3 bay, 2/3 Georgian plan house in Monmouth County. Federal style elements are extant in the twin end wall chimneys and the door enframement. Other original details have been obscured by the new roof and the asbestos shingle siding. The formal 2/3 Georgian plan with side wing and lean-to is a common pattern of development of farmhouses, especially in central Monmouth County. The house continues as part of a farm. It was built by Nathaniel Cox (1803-1852), a blacksmith and a member of the Universalist Church (the Cox family of the Upper Freehold area were traditionally Baptists). He married Matilda Fowler (1800-1890) a Quaker, in 1825, a few years after building the house. The farm passed to his son George R. Cox (1829-died after 1912) and his wife Sarah J. Conover. He is indicated as owner in 1860 and 1873, and he subsequently moved to Asbury Park. The estate of H.W. Parker owned it in 1889. William C. Mount was a later owner of the farm. It is now a vegetable farm, owned by Chong Hom.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse
PRESENT USE: Farmhouse
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:
3. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Doorway detail

Farmstead, view to NW.
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION
INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM

HISTORIC NAME: Parker/Smithburg Hotel
LOCATION: W. cr. Monmouth Rd. and Smithburg Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Adelphia
OWNER/ADDRESS:

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-8
COMMON NAME:
BLOCK/LOT 64/23
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1800, c. 1824, c. 1870's
Source of Date: Ref. 1, 2, 3, stylistic
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Traditional
Form/Plan Type:
Number of Stories: 2½
Foundation: Fieldstone, brick
Exterior Wall Fabric: Beaded clapboard, weatherboard
Fenestration: 5 over 7 bay main block
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, shed; external rear chimney

Additional Architectural Description:
This former hotel is composed of 4 major sections. The southwest half of the main block (left in photo) is the earliest section (A), and was built c. 1800. It has a 2/3 Georgian side hall plan that is two rooms deep. The asphalt shingle roof was placed over an existing wood shingle roof. It has eaves that are close to the end wall and terminates in a simple box cornice. Sash in this section is 2/2; replacements of earlier sash, probably 9/6. A pair of 8/1 sash windows are on the rear wall. The Federal Revival door enframe- ment is a 20th century alteration. It is composed of 4-light sidelights, surmounted by a carved elliptical fan and over door. The heavy timber frame has sawn lumber, and is brick lined. Two corner fireplaces are back to back in this section and share a common chimney that has been dismantled above the roofline. The original three flight staircase is intact. The 2½ story section (B) is set back from section (A) and is 2 bays across. It was built in c. 1824. The roof is similarly pitched and also has a simple box cornice. (See Continuation Sheet)

PHOTO
Photo File No. 1-12, 13, 14; 4-3, 4, 5, 6

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

This building is situated on a corner, 4.3 acre lot with minimal set back from both Monmouth and Smithburg Roads. A 1 story frame building, with Colonial Revival design elements shares the lot. It was built in the late 1920's to early 1930's.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This building is significant as one of the few remaining inns along the old route from Burlington/Bordentown to Long Branch. Other existing inns along this route include the Colts Neck Inn (1309-1-3) the American Hotel in Freehold Borough, Mount's Tavern (1316-10) and the Clarksburg Hotel (1332-12-1). Rural inns such as the Parker/Smithburg Hotel were particularly important to the development of Millstone township because it was roughly the midpoint for trans-Jersey travelers. Since the township was so sparsely settled, there were no villages of any size to accommodate them. In 1851, Millstone had at least nine hotels, while having a population of under 2000. Only two of these hotels remain, and the Parker/Smithburg Hotel is the earliest of the two, the other is the Clarksburg Hotel, noted above.

The original tavern at this location reportedly dates from the 1760's or 1770's, though it is no longer extant. Thomas Parker purchased a large tract of land in the vicinity in 1760, and opened a tavern on this site which was known as Locust Corner. Charles Parker, the son of Thomas Parker and Sarah Stout Bills purchased the site in 1807 and probably built the earliest existing section (A). Charles Parker was prominent in local and state politics, having served as county Sherif, and later as an Assemblyman, State Treasurer, and a State Prison (See Continuation Sheet).

ORIGINAL USE: Tavern Hotel
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 building is in the process of extensive renovation, with the intention of being eligible for tax credits.

REFERENCES:
1. T.A. Smith, Untitled Recollections (1948, Monmouth County Historical Association Vertical File: Freehold).
3. Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885) p. 105-7.
4. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe           DATE: March, 1982; March, 1984
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Description:

The sash on this section is 2/2, though oriented horizontally. The doorway is in a simple frame. Both sections A and B have beaded clapboard and are on fieldstone foundations. Section C is a 1 story ell with a low pitched shed roof and a false front. It has 6/1 sash windows. A shed roof porch, added after the house was stuccoed in the 1920's is supported by slotted posts. It spans sections B and C. Section D is on a brick foundation, and with section A, comprises the main block. It is 2½ stories, 2 over 3 bays with a central doorway. It was built in the 1870's or 1880's, based on physical evidence. It has clapboard siding. A Colonial Revival porch was added to the rear of the house, also after the stucco was applied. A full front porch, which spanned sections A and D, was removed prior to the application of the stucco. The location of the original building has not been determined; it may have been where section D is now.

Significance:

Commissioner. Although some of the details are missing from the section he built, it is significant in that it retains the original form and room division, and some original details, including the stairway and the beaded clapboard siding. Although he owned the tavern, he does not appear to have operated it, as he was responsible for several large stores in what is now Ocean County, New Egypt, Toms River, and Forked River. Charles Parker and his wife Sarah Coward did live at the site long enough for their son Joel T. Parker to be born there. Joel T. Parker was a prominent in both New Jersey and national politics. He was Governor of New Jersey from 1863 to 1866 and from 1872 to 1875, and sought the Democratic nomination for President in 1868. Charles Parker sold the Tavern in 1827 to Asher Smith, an innkeeper from Eatontown, who had been leasing the building since 1823. He added the 2½ story section (B) as a dining room shortly after purchasing the building. He also was involved in the formation of the stagecoach line from Bordentown to Long Branch, which passed by the Smithburg Hotel, the mid point of the journey. Joseph Bonapate, of Bordentown the deposed King of Spain was reportedly among the regular visitors to the tavern, traveling with Smith's brother-in-law Issac Pierson. Smith also owned the woolen mill on Manalapan Brook and Smithburg Rd. in 1844. Asher Smith died in 1855, and the hotel was taken over by his son William M. Smith. The stage coach line ceased operation at the same time. William M. Smith sold the hotel in 1865 to Lewis F. Chamberlain of Howell, beginning a succession of owners that included Richard Van Horn in 1869, John Jefferson, Richard Van Horn again in 1875, Morris Robbins in 1884, and Mary L. Gravatt in 1887. It was subsequently kept by the distiller Joseph Hendrickson, by his wife in 1891, and from 1894 to 1908 by his son Theodore Hendrickson. Tom Southard acquired it in 1911 and sold it to Herman Shtier in 1919, at the time the tavern closed for prohibition. When re-opened after prohibition was repealed, Shtier moved the tavern to the adjacent house and the old tavern became a residence. Herman Shtier is probably responsible for the addition of the Federal Revival door enframement, the rear Colonial Revival porch, and the stucco exterior that was recently removed.
View to N.

View to W.
Detail, showing framing, and brick fill on south corner of Section A.

Appearance prior to restoration work begun 1984; view to NW.
HISTORIC NAME: Addison Mount Farm
LOCATION: N. side Perrineville Rd., 0.5 mi. W. of Disbrow Hill Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
USGS QUAD: Roosevelt
OWNER/ADDRESS:

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO. 1332-11
COMMON NAME: 12/5
BLOCK/LOT
COUNTY: Monmouth
UTM REFERENCES: Zone/Easting/Northing

DESCRIPTION
Construction Date: c. 1845
Source of Date: Ref. 1, stylistic
Architect:
Builder:
Style: Traditional
Form/Plan Type: Rectangle, with rear wing
Number of Stories: 2
Foundation: Concrete veneer
Exterior Wall Fabric: Aluminum siding
Fenestration: 5 bay, slightly asymmetrical
Roof/Chimneys: Gable, 3 internal end chimneys on main block and wing; slate roofing

Additional Architectural Description:
The house is composed of a 2 story, 5 bay main block with an I-house form and a 2 story, 2 over 3 bay rear wing that is square in plan. The main block appears to have been built in two sections, the western three bays (left in photo) comprise the earlier section. The roof is moderately pitched and has gable returns. The larger first floor windows have 2/2 sash and the second floor windows have 6/6 sash. The doorway is in a simple enframement. It appears that the small transom light that surmounts it is now obscured by the aluminum siding. A three bay porch is supported by turned posts. The rear wing has a low pitched roof and appears to have been expanded to the east side. It has a variety of replacement sash in the windows. This section is the kitchen wing of the house.

PHOTO Negative File No. 3-32 to 37

Map (Indicate North)
The house faces south on a 170 acre lot, set back 1,300' from the road. It is part of a farmstead that includes a 1 story, frame summer kitchen, located behind the house, and 3 frame farm buildings, located west of the house, which appear to date from the late 19th or early 20th century. The house yard is defined by a picket fence. The farmstead is surrounded by plowed fields.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This house is a representative example of the 5-bay I-house form in western Monmouth County, which incorporates some classical elements in its design. The house on Gordon Rd. (1332-5) has a similar form and design. The summer kitchen behind the house is a notable feature of the farmstead; it is an increasingly rare building type in Monmouth County. The farmstead, which has a substantial setback, and is surrounded by agricultural land, is a significant component of the agricultural character of the Perrineville area. The farm was originally part of the 1,000 acre tract purchased by Richard Mount, Jr. from William Dockwra in 1725. The original farmhouse was built on this site and was replaced by the existing building in 1845. Addison Mount is indicated as the owner in 1851, 1860, 1873, and 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse

PHYSICAL CONDITION: Excellent ☑ Good ☐
REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ☑ Possible ☐
THREATS TO SITE: Roads ☑ Development ☐
No Threat ☒ Other ☐

PRESENT USE: Farmhouse

COMMENTS:

REFERENCES:

1. William Davison Perrine, "Perrineville, Presbyterian Church and Early Settlers, 1786-1936" (Pamphlet, in "Perrineville" vertical file, Monmouth County Historical Association, Freehold, 1936).
2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe
DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
NEW JERSEY OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION
HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY NO.: 1332-12

STREETSCAPE SURVEY FORM

STREET NAME: Clarksburg (Stage Coach Rd.) CROSS STREETS: Red Valley Rd.; Clarksburg Rd.
MUNICIPALITY: Millstone
COUNTY: Monmouth

DESCRIPTION/SIGNIFICANCE:
The Clarksburg Streetscape is located along Stage Coach Rd. between Clarksburg Rd. and Red Valley Rd. The majority of the buildings are 19th and early 20th century frame, vernacular structures, irregularly spaced along the road and having modest setbacks. Most of the buildings are 2 stories with gable and cross gable roofs and most have synthetic siding, asbestos, asphalt, aluminum or vinyl. The most visually dominant building is the Clarksburg Inn (1332-12-1), which has a long, 7 over 10 bay facade and full front porch, and is located close to the street. The masonry firehouse adjacent to the Inn is also visually dominant; it is an intrusion of terms of both scale and materials. A 1 story hip roof school is on the east side of the road, near the Inn. Most of the remainder of the buildings in the streetscape are residences and assorted outbuildings.

Like many of the small villages in western Monmouth County, Clarksburg formed around an inn and a business, in this case a tannery. The streetscape is located along a major 18th and 19th century trans-Jersey route that skirts just south of the high ridge of hills that divide the Delaware and Raritan River watersheds. Clarksburg coalesced around a tavern and Inn that was in operation as early as 1781, (then known as the Sun or Rising Sun Tavern and later as the Willow Tree Tavern) and a tannery, run in the 18th century by a man named Clark (a possible origin of the village name), located on the upper reaches of Doctors Creek. Neither of the structures remain. The earliest extant building, and probably the only 18th century structure in the streetscape, is the residence (1332-12-3), located two doors north of the Clarksburg Inn, owned by Charles Allen during the 2nd half of the 19th century. He was a shopkeeper and County Sheriff and built a Greek Revival store in the village that was destroyed by fire in 1972. The Clarksburg Inn was built by John Clayton in 1834, and it replaced the Willow Tree as the major inn in the village. It is a vernacular structure that has some architectural significance in the unusual 20th century (See Continuation Sheet)

APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF BUILDINGS: 20

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF BUILDINGS: Excellent ___ % Good 50 ___ % Fair 50 ___ % Poor ___ %

REGISTER ELIGIBILITY: Yes ___ Possible ___ No _ Part of Larger District ___

THREATS TO STREET: Roads ___ Development ___ Zoning ___ Deterioration ___ No Threat ___ Other ___

COMMENTS:

MAP: 3
SLIDES: 0

REFERENCES:
2. Ellis, History of Monmouth County (1885), p. 657.
3. John Hills, Map of Monmouth County (1781).
4. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1982

ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Description/Significance:

Egyptian Revival porch columns that resemble bound clusters of papyrus. The streetscape boundaries are delineated on the streetscape map.
Property Map:

USGS Map (1957, photo-revised 1970)
Millstone Business Notices

Allen Clark, Farmer, Clarksburg
Boorman Hotel, Farmer, Clarksburg
Chapman & H. M. Lewis, Clarksburg Hotel
Clark A. R. Farmer
D B. J. Jr., General Agent
Dewitt,Петер, Surveyor and Conveyancer, near Pennington
Herbert B. Farmer
Rockey, Rev. J. L., Pastor Mushroom Preston, Ch
Lucy V., Hotel, Silver and Jolster, Mushroom
MacGray, C. P. Farmer
Martin W. & Son, Dealers in Horses and Mules, Mushroom and Pennington, New Brunswick
Pannett P. E. Farmer and Merchants
Polish J. J., Farmer and General
Rohner S. G., Farmer and Stock Dealer
Shahan Joe & Son, Dealers in Iron, Mules, Clarksburg
Thompson John J. Farmer

From Beers Atlas, 1873.

CLARKSBURG
MILLSTONE TSP.
Scale 1/2 Rods to the inch
1332-12-1
Clarksburg Inn (John Clayton, original owner)
W. side Stage Coach Rd., 0.2 mi. N. of Red Valley Rd.; Block 35, Lot 17; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File #2-19.20
1834 vernacular frame inn. 2 story, 7 over 10 bay, I-house form with rear lean-to. Center gable roof with gable returns. Asbestos shingle siding. 1/1 sash windows. 3 doorways in simple frames. Full front porch supported by Egyptian Revival columns on rusticated stone piers. Fieldstone foundation. Inn proprietors have included John Clayton, Aaron Eldridge, Stephen Clayton, Paul M. Gravatt, Charles H. Clayton and W.H. Britton. View to NW.

1332-12-2
W. side Stage Coach Rd., 0.2 mi. N. of Red Valley Rd.; Block 35, Lot 15; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 2-21
c. 1821 frame residence. 2 story, 6 bay rectangle built in two sections, with rear lean-to. South side (left in photo) is earlier. Gable roof, internal end chimney. Aluminum siding. 6/6 sash windows. Simple doorway in south section, surmounted by 4 light transom. Fieldstone foundation. 1 story frame garage in rear of lot. Owned by A. Eldridge in 1860, by A. Napp in 1873 and by C. Allen in 1889. View to NW.
1332-12-3
W. side Stage Coach Rd.; 0.3 mi. N. of Red Valley Rd.; Block 35, Lot 13; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 2-22 to 25.
Late 18th-early 19th c. frame residence. 2½ story, 4 bay square main block with rear wing. May have been built in 2 sections, 2 bays each. Center gable roof, external end wall chimney. Aluminum siding. 6/6 sash windows with Gothic arch window in center gable. Center gable and window are 19th century alterations. Door is in a simple frame beneath a hip roof portico. Foundation is not visible. Outbuildings include 2 story frame barn and 1 story chicken house. Owned by Charles Allen in 1857, 1860, 1873 and 1889. View to SW.

1332-12-4
NW cr. Stage Coach Rd. and Red Valley Rd.; Block 35, Lot 19A; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 2-26, 27
C. 1832 frame residence. 2 story, 5 bay I-house main block with 2 bay intersecting gable section. Main block has 2 internal end chimneys. Roof on addition has gable returns. Asbestos shingle siding. 1/1 sash windows, and 2 large picture windows. Doorway is in a simple frame and has a heavy Greek Revival portico. Fieldstone foundation. Owned by James Hulse in 1851, 1860, and 1873 and by C. Hopner in 1889.
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**DESCRIPTION**

- **Construction Date:** c. 1860's
- **Source of Date:** Stylistic
- **Architect:**
- **Style:** Italianate
- **Builder:**
- **Number of Stories:** 2½
- **Form/Plan Type:** Rectangle, with enclosed east side porch and rear wing.
- **Foundation:** Concrete veneer
- **Exterior Wall Fabric:** Clapboard
- **Fenestration:** 5 bay symmetrical
- **Roof/Chimneys:** Center gable; 1 internal end chimney
- **Additional Architectural Description:** This substantial Italianate house features a milled cornice with paired brackets in the eaves. Paired round headed windows are in the front and side gable peaks. Windows have 2/2 sash and large projecting lintels. The door has round headed panels and is surmounted by a large segmental arch transom light. The porch has paired brackets in the eaves and is supported by squared columns on brick piers. The porch originally spanned the south and east sides of the house; the east side section has since been enclosed.

**PHOTO** Negative File No. 1-26*
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

The house faces south on a corner lot, set back approximately 250' from the road. Farm buildings, and a restaurant share the lot to the east of the house. The view of the house from the road is framed by large deciduous trees.

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This is one of the few buildings in Millstone Township that incorporates any degree of high style design in its construction. Most buildings in the township that date before 1920 are built in traditional forms and designs. The robust moldings, brackets, and Picturesque form are elements more likely to be found in buildings in Freehold or Hightstown. The house was built for N.W. Morris, a dealer in horses and mules in Manalapan village, and on Peace St. in New Brunswick. He appears to have had a large scale operation, as he is indicated as owning 390 acres on five separate farms in the vicinity in 1873. He is indicated as owner in 1851 (probably an earlier building on the same site), 1860, and 1873. His estate is indicated as owner in 1889. N.W. Morris was the owner and developer of Manasquan's earliest development "Sea View" in the 1870's.

ORIGINAL USE: Residence  PRESENT USE: Rest home
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 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**
**OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION**
**INDIVIDUAL STRUCTURE SURVEY FORM**

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**Additional Architectural Description:**
The main block of this house appears to have been built as a unit, with a later salt-box type extension added off the rear of the eastern (right in photo) two bays. The roof has narrow eaves and terminates in a simple box cornice and a paneled frieze. Windows have 6/6 sash on the second floor and 9/6 sash on the first floor, all in simple surrounds. The five horizontal panel door is in a Federal enframement composed of four fluted pilasters, and sidelights, surmounted by a frieze and milled cornice. It is under a hip roof portico that is supported by smooth classical columns. The one-story east end ell is under a hip roof and has multiple 1/1 sash windows. It is probably a 20th century addition, or an earlier wing that was substantially altered.
SITING, BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION, AND RELATED STRUCTURES:

The house faces south on a corner lot, and is setback a short distance from the road; a short 2 lane section by passed by Highway 33. A 19th century, 2 story frame barn is located east of the house. A stand of mature locusts is located on the west side of the house.

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 traditional, 2 story, 5 bay farmhouse that incorporates Federal design elements in its construction. The paneled frieze and the doorway enframed in particular are notable features. The enframed is similar to that on the Nathaniel Cox House (1332-7) which is located a short distance to the southwest. These two houses are the best examples of the Federal Style in Millstone Township. Peter C. Bergen, who owned Bergen's Grist Mill which operated across the street from the house until 1912, appears to be the owner in 1851. He sold the mill in 1852 to John Pelty. A.A. Wilson is indicated as the owner of the house in 1860, 1873, and 1889.

ORIGINAL USE: Farmhouse 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: The chimney is beginning to pull away from the house.

REFERENCES:

2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

RECORDED BY: James C. McCabe DATE: March 1982
ORGANIZATION: Monmouth County Park System/Monmouth County Historical Association
Barn, view to E.
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### Additional Architectural Description

A. This vernacular Victorian house has vergeboard and round headed windows in the gable ends. The roof has overhanging eaves. 2/2 sash are in the windows, which are arranged in 4 over 5 bay asymmetrical fenestration. The simple door is surmounted by a small transom light. The three bay porch is supported by wrought iron posts.

B. This simple building is now vacant. It has 3 over 2 fenestration on the west facade, which faces Charleston Springs Rd. The doorway enters through the rear of the building. The original doorway may have been located between the two first floor windows of the west facade. The windows are boarded up; where evidence remains of the sash, it is 6/6. The rear ell is one story. An early gas pump is adjacent to this building.

C. The large livestock barn was built in several sections and utilizes both sawn and hewn lumber in its construction. Hay doors and trolleys are in the gable peaks. Four sliding doors open to the ground floor. Another barn abuts this barn at its northeast end.
LANDSCAPE FEATURES:

Siting: The complex is located at the intersection of Sweetmans La. and Charleston Spring Rd. The house and large barn face Sweetmans La. and the post office faces Charleston Spring Rd. The lot is 29 acres. Gently rolling hills surround the complex, which itself is flat.

Topography: Mature deciduous yard trees are scattered around the complex which is in turn surrounded by pasture.

Vegetation: The Millstone River flows a short distance to the west.

Water:

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

SIGNIFICANCE:

This late 19th century farmstead occupies the site of an earlier farm. The house is representative of the vernacular Victorian farmhouse built in western Monmouth County. This style of building makes up only a small percentage of the residences of rural western Monmouth County. The post office/store is an important surviving example of that building type; it is the only remaining evidence of the small hamlet of Sweetman that occupied the crossroads during the 19th and early 20th century. The farm was owned by William Pittenger in 1851, 1860, and 1873. J.J. Pittenger owned the blacksmith and wheelwright shops across the street in 1873. J.A. Gulick was the owner of the farm in 1889, and was possibly the original owner of the house. The post office was in operation from 1899 to 1905, William D. Gravatt was the post master.

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:
2. Lightfoot Map, 1851.

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Map:

Site Plan:

Not to Scale
House A, view to SE.

Post Office B, view to E.

Barn C, view to SW.
1332-3
E. side Forman Rd., 0.4 mi. N. of Sweetman's Lane; Block 43, Lot 11; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 1-22,23,24
1st quarter 19th century frame farmhouse, with Federal elements. 2½ story, 2/3 Georgian plan main block with a 2 story 2 bay east wing with lean-to. The roof of the main block is steeply pitched with narrow eaves, and terminates in an overhanging cornice. Twin end wall chimneys have been removed, though the two exposed hearthbacks remain. The east wing has an end wall chimney. Sash on the main block is 1/1 and 6/1 on the wing. The door is in a simple frame. Both porches are supported by turned posts. Concrete veneer on foundation. The east wing may be earlier than the main block. The house was owned by G. Sanford in 1851, by J. Perron (probably Perrine) in 1860, and by W. Pittenger in 1873 and 1889. View to NE.

Barn, 20th century. View to NW.
1332-6
John Perrine (?) Farm
W. side Millstone Rd., 0.8 mi. N. of Baird Rd.; Block 17, Lot 14; Roosevelt Quad;
Neg. File # 1-41,42, 2-12,13
Possibly 18th century frame residence with later alterations. 2½ story, 5 bay
rectangle with side lean-to. Gable roof with box cornice and internal and external
chimney. Asbestos shingle siding. Windows have a variety of replacement sash,
primarily 2/2. Door is set in an enframement with 4-light side lights; it is probably
a 20th century alteration. Hip roof portico is supported by wrought iron posts.
Fieldstone foundation with concrete veneer. This is reportedly the John (1690-1779)
and Cathrine (1708-1792) Perrine House built c. 1720. They were from Staten Island
and from a French Huguenot background. The farm was owned by F. Perrine in 1851,
by Mrs S. Perrine in 1860, and by P.F. Perrine in 1873 and 1889. View to N.

English plan bank barn, probably dating from the 1st half of the 19th century.
View to NW.
1332-9
Noah H. Hunt House
E. side Olde Noah Hunt Rd., 0.4 mi. S. of Trenton-Lakewood Rd.; Block 57, Lot 26;
Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 2-31,32
c. 1840's Greek Revival frame farmhouse. 2½ story, 5 bay rectangle with 1 bay
side wing. Gable roof with returns, 2 internal end chimneys (formerly 2 sets twin end
wall chimneys). Aluminum siding. 6/6 sash windows with projecting lintels. Door is
flanked by side panels and surmounted by a wide transom light. Kitchen wing has shed
roof and false front. Porch has been enclosed to exapnd kitchen. Owned by Noah H.
Hunt in 1851, 1860, 1873, and 1889. View to N.

1332-10
Perrineville Synagogue
N. side Perrineville Rd., opposite Agress Rd.; Block 29, Lot 26; Roosevelt Quad;
Neg. file #2-15
1926 frame synagogue. 1 story, 3 bay rectangle with vestibule. Gable roof with false
front. Aluminum siding. Pointed head stained glass windows. Double doorway surmounted
by pointed head transom. Jews began settling in Millstone c. 1900, and formed the
Hebrew Farmers Assn. in 1910. Poultry farming was the major livelyhood.
1332-13
Clarksburg Methodist Episcopal Church
N. side Stagecoach Rd., 0.3 mi. W. of Rising Sun Tavern Rd.; Block 34, Lot 13B; Roosevelt Quad; Neg. File # 2-30.
1845 frame church. 1½ story, 3 bay by 3 bay rectangle with steeple tower. Gable and flared pyramidal roofs, with slate roofing. Clapboard siding. Stained glass windows. Double doors are recessed in a roundheaded enframement. The foundation has a concrete veneer. The building is similar in design and form to the Emley's Hill Methodist Episcopal Church, (1351-68) which was built in 1855. View to NW.

1332-16
S. side State Highway 33, opposite Dugans Grove Rd.; Block 23, Lot 53B; Jamesburg Quad; Neg. File # 1-27,28.
Mid-18th century frame residence. 2 story, 4 bay rectangle with side lean-to, built in two sections, the east side (left in photo) is earlier. Gable roof with box cornice, and two internal end chimneys. Division between sections is visible in ripple in roof between second and third bays. Aluminum siding. 6/6 sash windows. Doorway enters early section and is enclosed in a vestibule. Foundation is not visible. Mapping of area is ambiguous, but appears to have been owned by R. Dey in 1851 and 1860, F.R. Perrine in 1873 and W. Hancock in 1889. View to SW.
1332-21
N. side Windsor Rd., 0.3 mi W. of Feldsher Rd.; Block 8, Lot 1; Allentown Quad; Neg. File # 2-40 to 43.
c. 1830's Greek Revival frame farmhouse. 2 story, 5 bay rectangle with rear ell. Low pitched hip roof has 2 internal end wall chimneys and a milled, overhanging cornice. Squared pilasters ascend the corners to a denticulated frieze. Windows have 6/6 sash with projecting lintels. Stucco has been applied over clapboard siding. The door is in a Greek Revival enframement with art glass side and transom lights. Full front porch is supported by smooth classical columns and has a central pediment. Foundation is brick and concrete veneer. The farmstead also includes two frame sheds, and metal windmill behind the house, and a barn (see below) north west of the house, just over the line in Mercer County. The farm was owned by R. Holman in 1851 and by J.S. Ely in 1860, 1873 and 1889. View to N.

Barn, 20th century, with corrugated metal siding. View to NW.