



**VIRGINIA
HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION**

File no. 76-224
Negative no(s). 4925

SURVEY FORM

Historic name Hixson and Lutheran Cemeteries Common name
 County/Town/City Prince William County
 Street address or route number vic. 8000 Buckhall Road, Manassas, VA 22110

USGS Quad Independent Hill	Date or period N/A
Original owner Unknown---Hixsons?	Architect/builder/craftsmen N/A
Original use Cemetery	
Present owner Hixson heirs	Source of name N/A
Present owner address	Source of date N/A
Present use Cemetery	Stories N/A
Acreage c2 acres	Foundation and wall const'n N/A
	Roof type N/A

State condition of structure and environs Cemeteries are in good condition.

State potential threats to structure
 Note any archaeological interest

Should be investigated for possible register potential? yes ___ no ___

Architectural description (Note significant features of plan, structural system and interior and exterior decoration, taking care to point out aspects not visible or clear from photographs. Explain nature and period of all alterations and additions. List any outbuildings and their approximate ages, cemeteries, etc.)

The Hixson and Lutheran Cemeteries are two separate burying grounds, opposite each other on Buckhall Road, south of Manassas. The Hixson Cemetery, as can be seen on the gatepost, had its origin in 1798. This cemetery contains about 94 marked graves in its 1 acre. In a far corner there are about 20 unmarked graves. The oldest marker is for William H. Hixson, who died in 1858. Besides the Hixsons, the burials include the Molairs, Robinsons, Austins, Lawsons, Sullivans, Larsens, Muddimans, Carters, Hottles, and Lathams.

The 1 acre for the Lutheran Cemetery on the north side of Buckhall Road across from the Hixson Cemetery, was acquired in 1901 by the trustees of Bethel Lutheran Church in Manassas. This cemetery contains about 47 markers, with such family names as Cupp, Stauffer, Pickett, Fogle, Lefever, Wenrich, Crouch, Grady, May, Bauserman, Whitmer, Evans, Schaeffer and Hettinger. The earliest known burial dates to 1890.

Interior inspected?

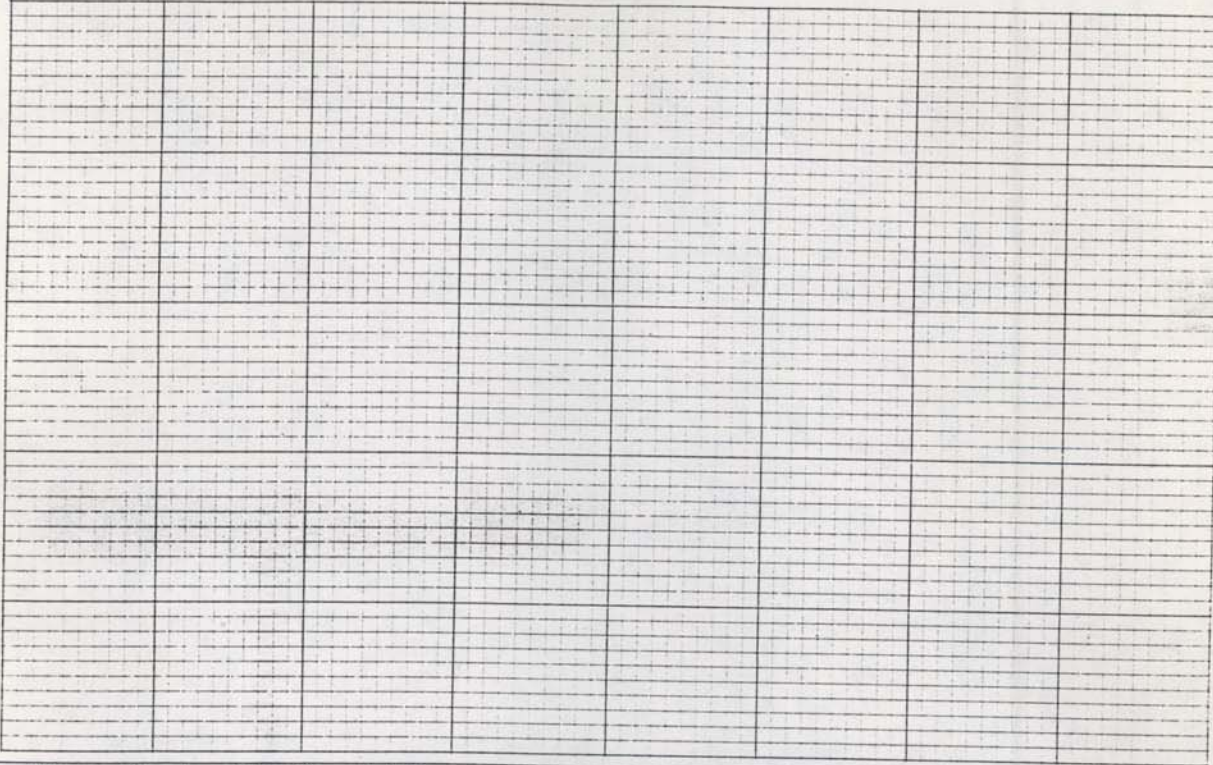
Historical significance (Chain of title; individuals, families, events, etc., associated with the property.)

Sources and bibliography
Published sources (Books, articles, etc., with bibliographic data.)

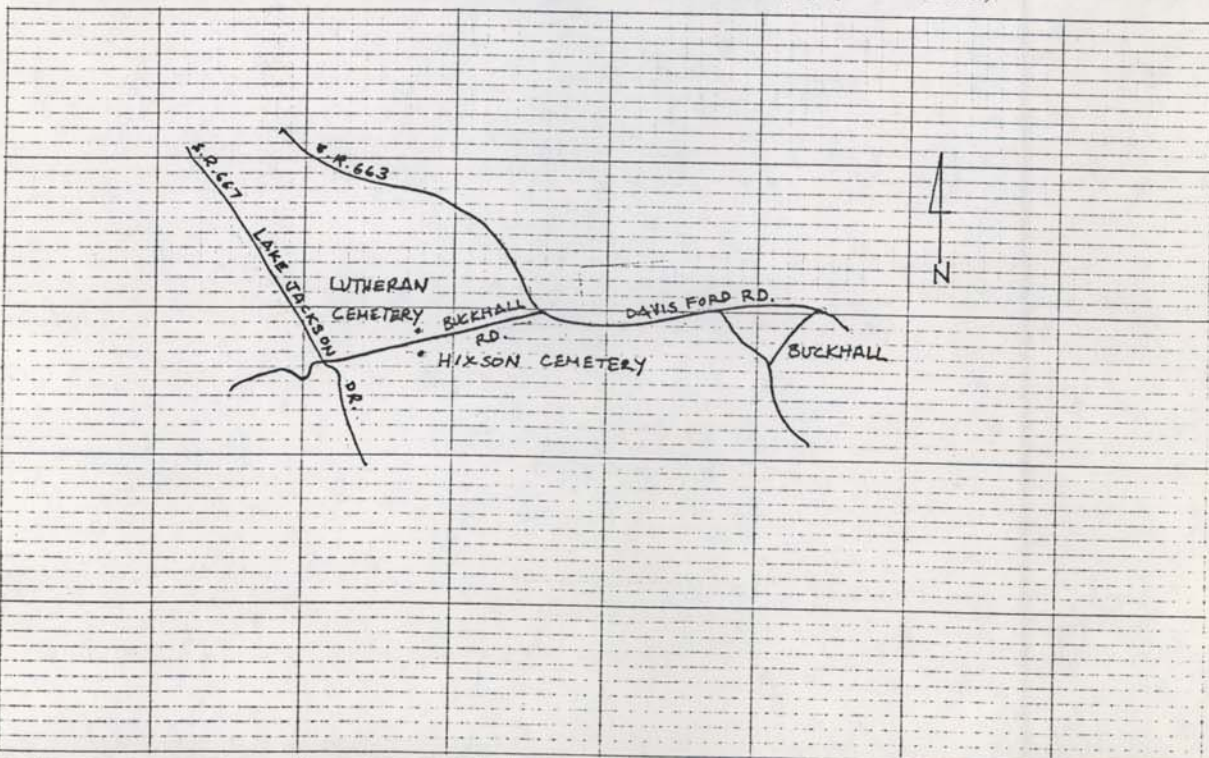
Primary sources (Manuscript documentary or graphic materials; give location.)

Names and addresses of persons interviewed

Plan (Indicate locations of rooms, doorways, windows, alterations, etc.)



Site plan (Locate and identify outbuildings, dependencies and significant topographical features.)



Name, address and title of recorder Frances Jones, Architectural
Historian - Surveyor, NVPDC

Date SEP 1980

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