



VIRGINIA
HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION

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SURVEY FORM

Historic name House ruins	Common name
County/Town/City Prince William County	
Street address or route number vic. 3000 Mountain Rd., Haymarket, Va.	
USGS Quad Middleburg	Date or period 18th-19th C.
Original owner	Architect/builder/craftsmen
Original use Residence	
Present owner	Source of name
Present owner address	Source of date Surveyor estimate.
	Stories Unknown; probably 1½.
Present use Not in use.	Foundation and wall const'n Stone foundation only, but possibly for a log house.
Acreage	Roof type Unknown, probably gable.

State condition of structure and environs Chimney only left, along with a suggestion of the stone foundation. 20th c. shed west of house site. Site used as a dumping grounds.
State potential threats to structure Site could be developed.
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.)

Chimney consists of a large (4' x 4'9") squarish stack on a rubble foundation estimated to be about 18 feet by 30 feet. Chimney is stone (quartz and sandstone) from base to 13' and brick the rest of the way. Damper hole approximately ½ way up.

Lintel is 1"-thick cast iron plate spanning whole width of stack (4'9").

May have had a hearth on both sides.

Outbuildings: 20th century frame shed, partly burned, southwest of foundation.

Interior inspected? N/A

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

Probably the foundation and chimney of one of the many log cabins known to have existed in the Bull Run Mountains beside Mountain Road, known as Rogue's Road because of the area's lawlessness:

In the frontier days, which continued well past the middle of the eighteenth century, pioneers bought or leased small parcels of land, built cabins among the hills, and plowed the fields with the crudest of implements. These were the days when fierce creatures of the woods struck terror to the bravest white man, when Indians still gave trouble, and when no officers were handy to enforce the law.

¹ Prince William; The Story of Its People and Its Places, p. 184.

Sources and bibliography

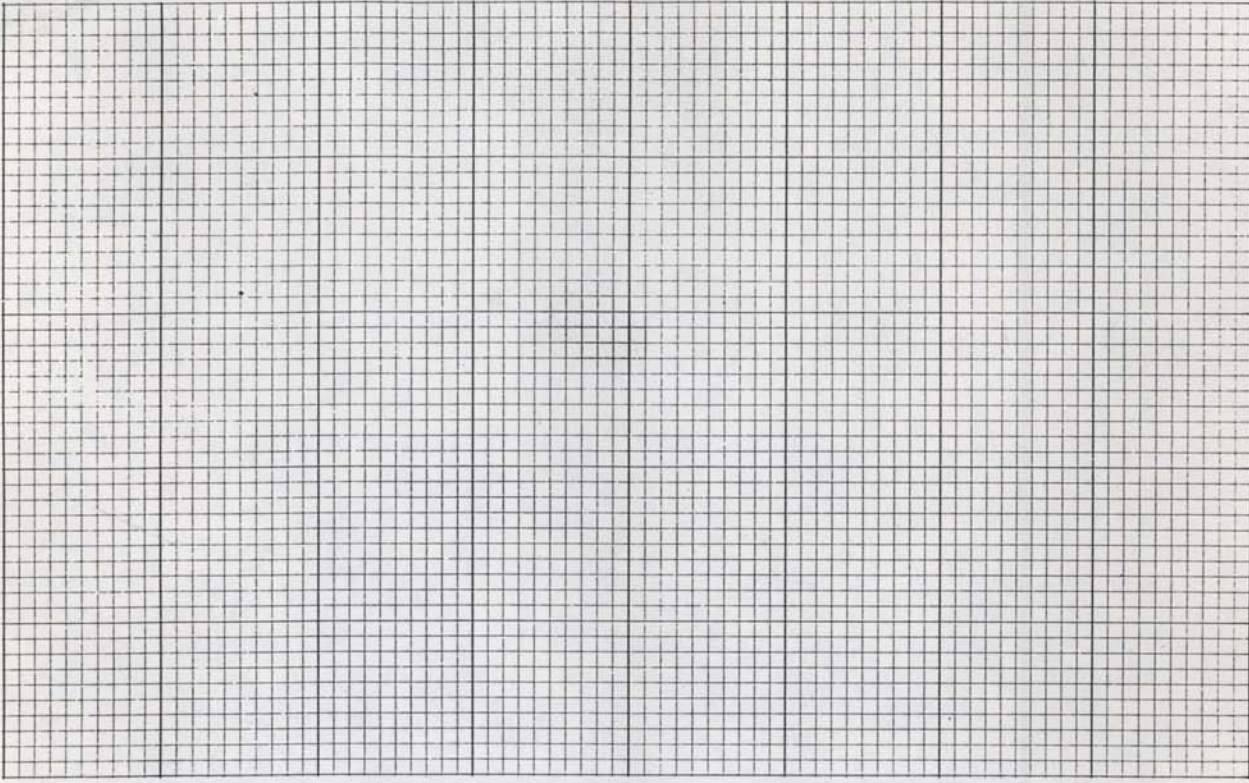
Published sources (Books, articles, etc., with bibliographic data.)

- Prince William; The Story of Its People and Its Places (1941,1961), p. 184.

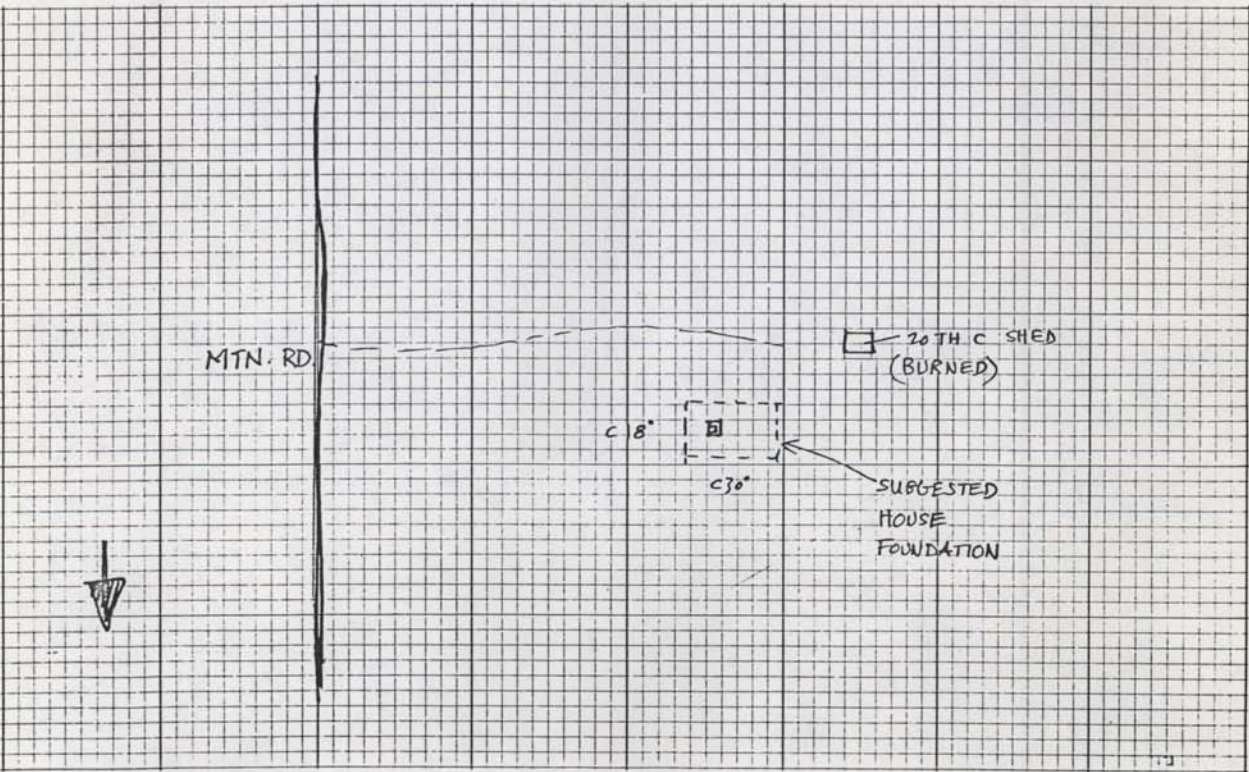
Primary sources (Manuscript documentary or graphic materials; give location.)

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

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Date

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