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DIRECTION PHOTOGRAPHER FACING: northwest

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II. cont.: surrounded by cleared floodplain fields except for trees along creek; good condition.

IV. cont.: In terms of landscape architecture, the property is significant for its setting, including the large trees and lawn around the house, surrounded by cleared floodplain fields, which is representative of the character and appearance of the historic rural landscape in the outlying reaches of the multiple-resource area. The location of the house in such close proximity to the creek is unusual, however; most early houses were situated on higher, drier ground.

Agriculturally, the property is significant in that it represents the kind of plantation first established in this part of the state during the early- to mid-19th century. This property was originally much larger, and assumed its present proportions during the 19th century, when these large early landholdings were broken down into more workable sizes.

In terms of exploration and settlement, the property is significant for representing the kind of development that occurred throughout the countryside after this land was opened to white settlement in 1832.