

Bought by Cousin Col. ¹⁷ Richards Dec. 1938



Built our brick house.

where John Richards lived when he

John Richards born 17...
son of David & James Richards who lived



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: M.R. Loockerman, copied by T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1938, copied 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south (front) elevation

Photograph Number: 1 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south (front) elevation

Photograph Number: 2 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of south and
east elevation

Photograph Number: 3 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of south and
west elevation

Photograph Number: 4 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of west section of south elevation

Photograph Number: 5 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of south entrance

Photograph Number: 6 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: west elevation

Photograph Number: 7 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of formerly exposed brick
chimney on west gable end

Photograph Number: 8 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of north and west
elevation

Photograph Number: 9 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of north and east
elevation

Photograph Number: 10 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

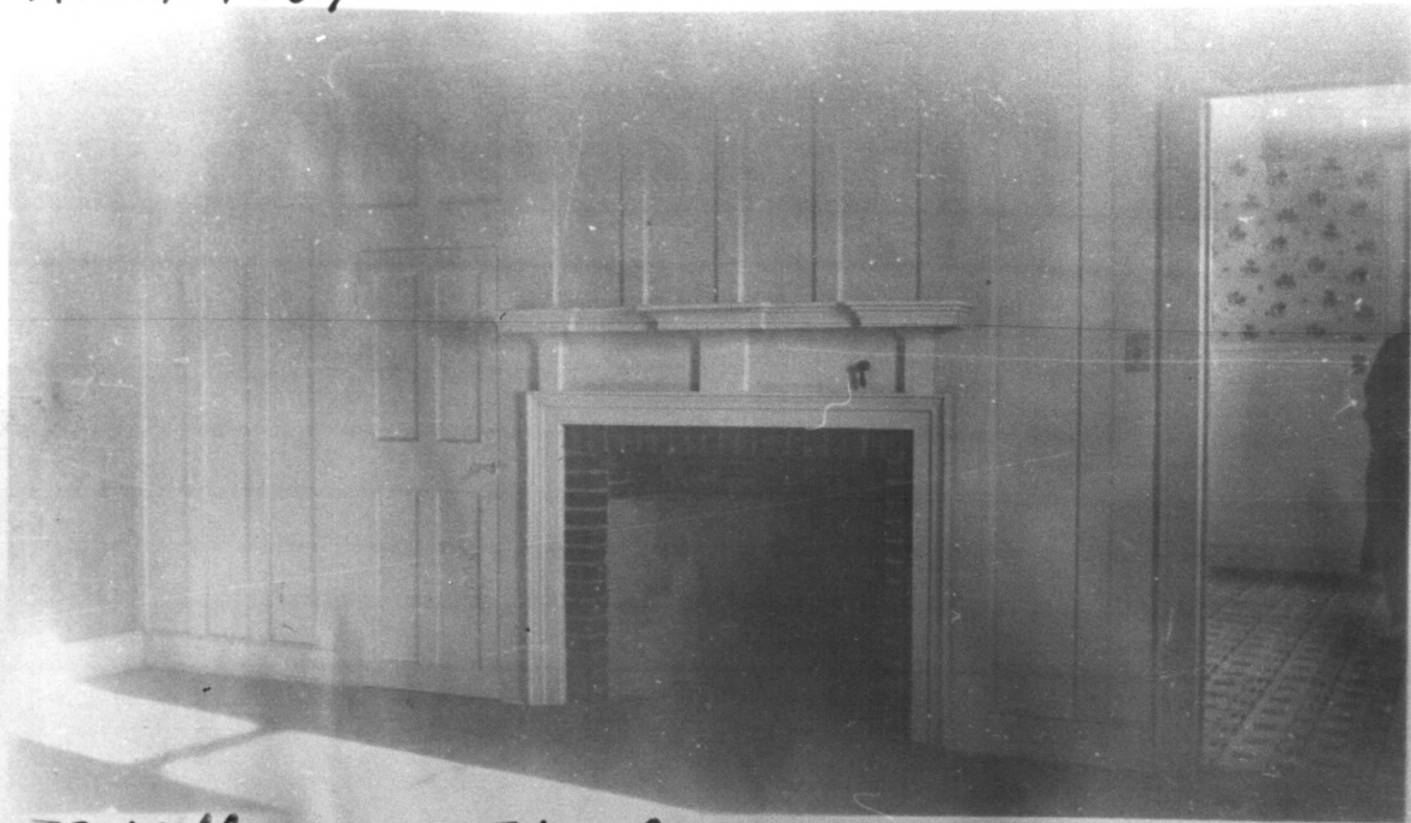
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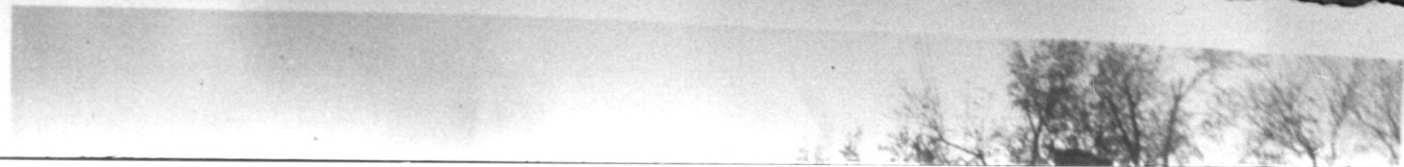
Description: detail of north entrance, west section

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Nov. 1. 1939



Middle room fireplace



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

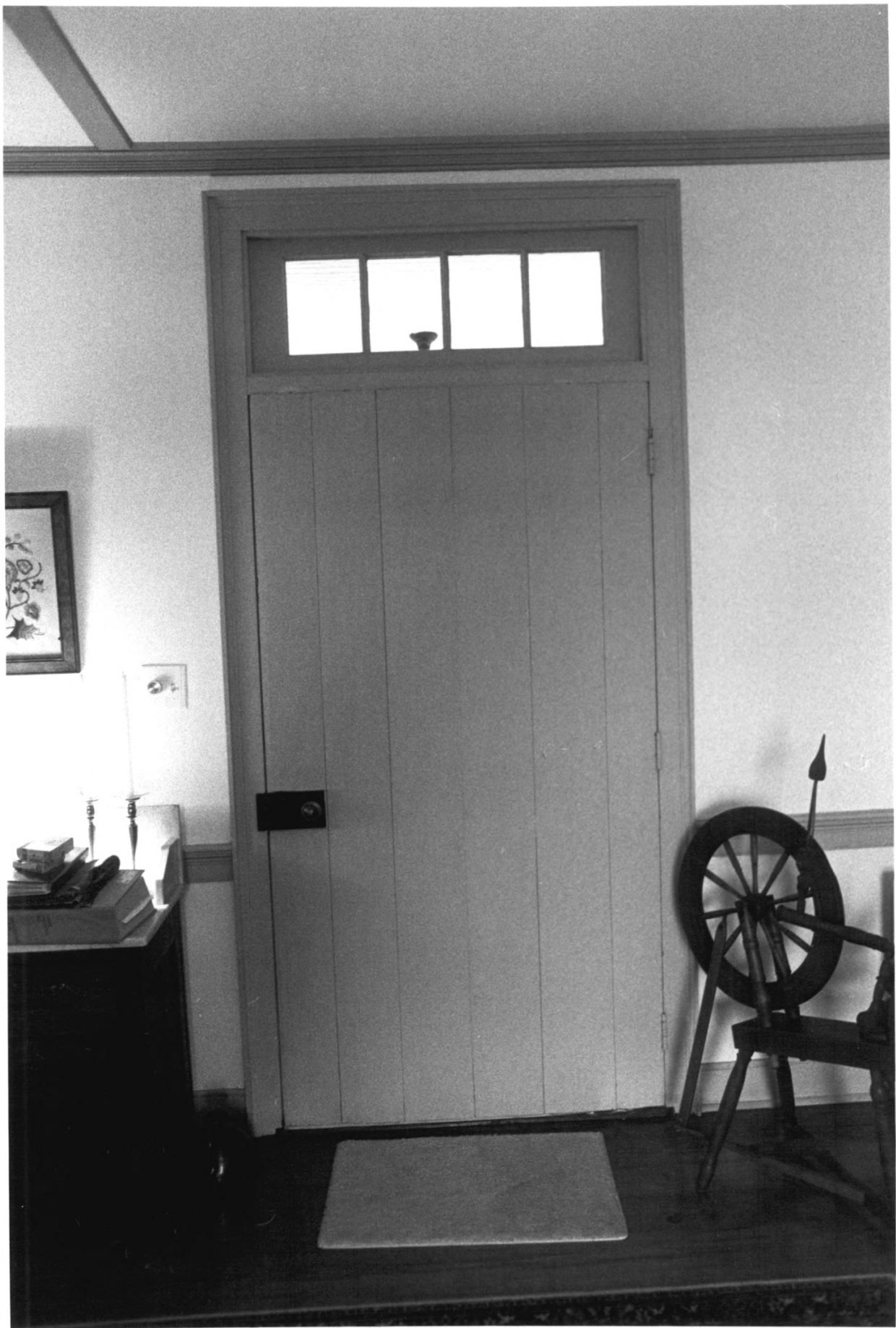
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Date of Photograph: 1938, copied 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of sitting room (east wall)

Photograph Number: 12 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail interior side of entrance doorway
on south elevation, three-bay section

Photograph Number: 14 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail entrance hall stairway (east wall,
three-bay section of house)

Photograph Number: 13 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

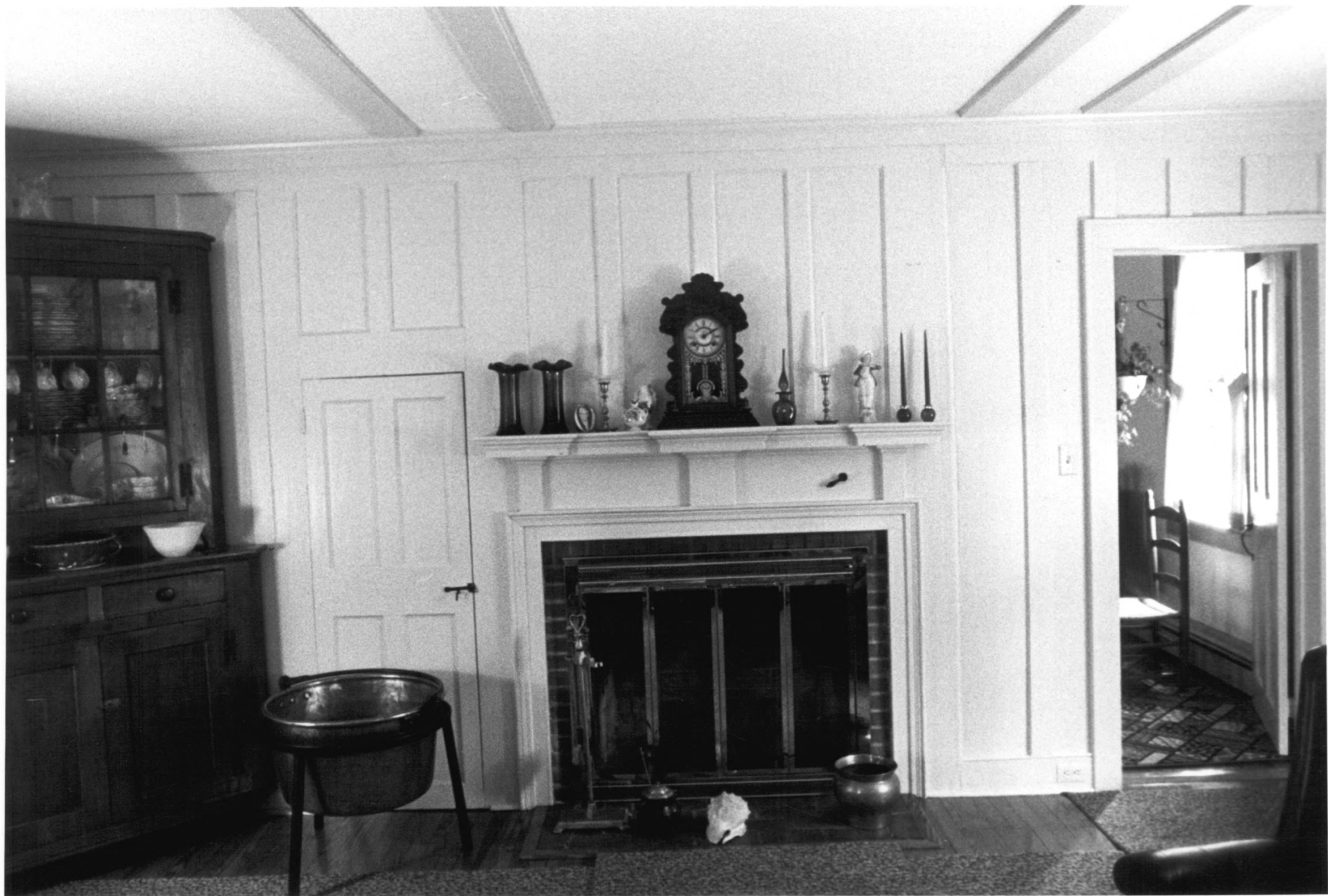
Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of parlor mantelpiece (west wall,
three-bay section)

Photograph Number: 15 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T. C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail of sitting room, late 18th
century panelling (east wall, two-bay section)

Photograph Number: 16 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: M.R. Loockerman, copied by T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1939, copied 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: north elevation

Photograph Number: 17 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: west elevation of concrib (northeast
of house)

Photograph Number: 18 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T. C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south elevations of outbuildings,
north of house (from left: corncrib, barn,
machine, shed, barn)

Photograph Number: 19 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of south and east
elevations of outbuildings, northwest of house
(from left: machine sheds, pigpen, corncrib, barn)

Photograph Number: 20 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T. C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of south and east
elevations, machine shed, northwest of house

Photograph Number: 21 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of east and north
elevation of chicken house, west of house

Photograph Number: 22 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Poplar Level

Location: roads 32 and 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of east and north
elevation of chicken and brooder house

Photograph Number: 23 of 23



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: unidentified; copied by T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: c. 1912, copied 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

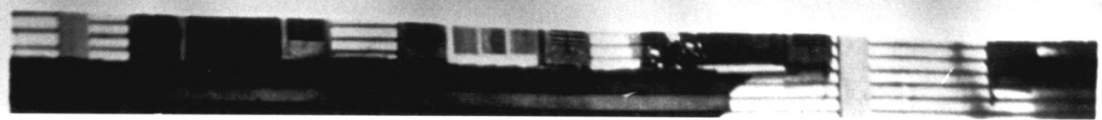
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Middle Street Farm.



Mary Coyle & Katherine. June 2, 1941.



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: M.R. Loockerman; copied by T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1941

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south (front) elevation

Photograph Number: 2 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarter view of property, south and
east elevations

Photograph Number: 3 of 18



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RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

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Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

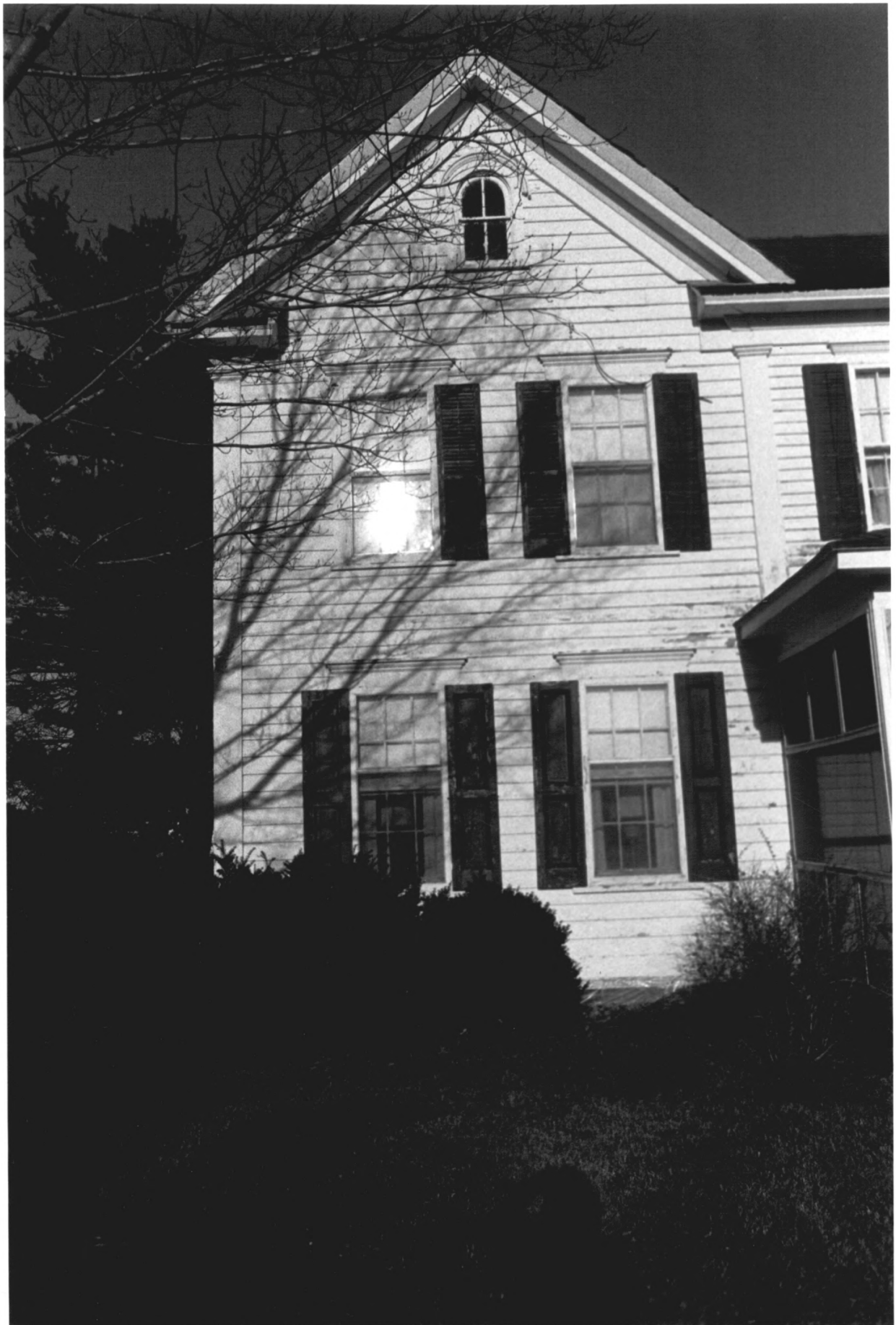
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Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south elevations, house and barn

Photograph Number: 4 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, south elevation, west (1870's) section

Photograph Number: 5 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, south entrance, colored transom lights

Photograph Number: 6 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, south elevation window

Photograph Number: 7 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads, 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarters view of south and east
elevations

Photograph Number: 8 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads, 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: east elevation

Photograph Number: 9 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: north (rear) elevation

Photograph Number: 10 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: west elevation

Photograph Number: 11 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: north wall of kitchen

Photograph Number: 12 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, west wall of sitting room

Photograph Number: 13 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: east and north elevations, dairy, north
of house

Photograph Number: 14 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: Private collection

Description: south and east elevations of machine repair
shop (left) and machine shed

Photograph Number: 15 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south and west elevations of granary

Photograph Number: 16 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: main barn, west elevation

Photograph Number: 17 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Middle Space

Location: northwest corner county roads 34 and 32,
southwest of Greenwood, Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: north elevations of outbuildings, (from
left, main barn, granary, machine shop, machine shed)

Photograph Number: 18 of 18



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south (front) elevation

Photograph Number: 1 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, south entrance

Photograph Number: 2 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, 9/6 sash window, south
elevation

Photograph Number: 3 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: three-quarters view of south and
east elevations

Photograph Number: 4 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: porch on east elevation

Photograph Number: 5 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICTS

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1980

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: north (rear) elevation

Photograph Number: 6 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, entrance on north elevation

Photograph Number: 7 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

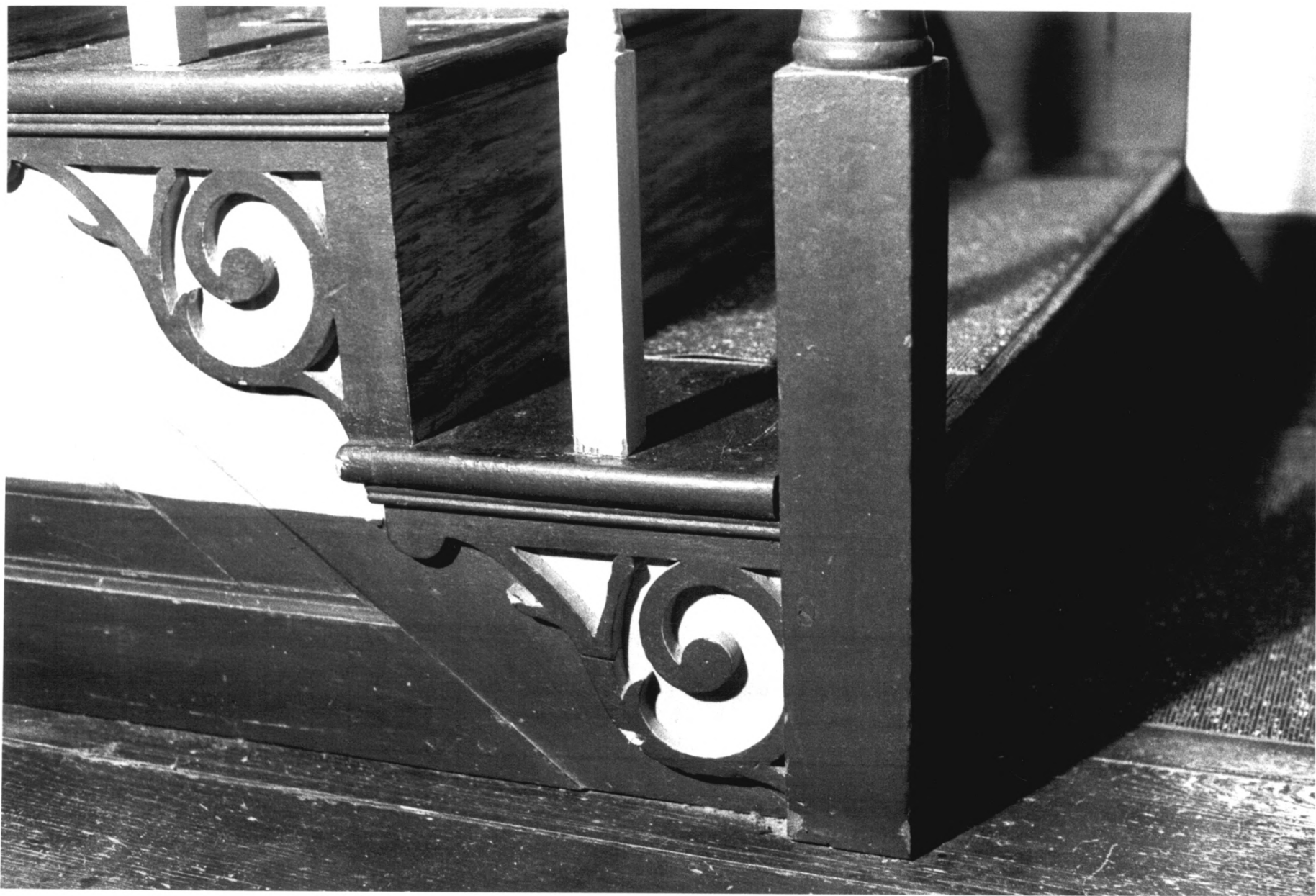
Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, interior of south elevation
entrance, brick section

Photograph Number: 8 of 19



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Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

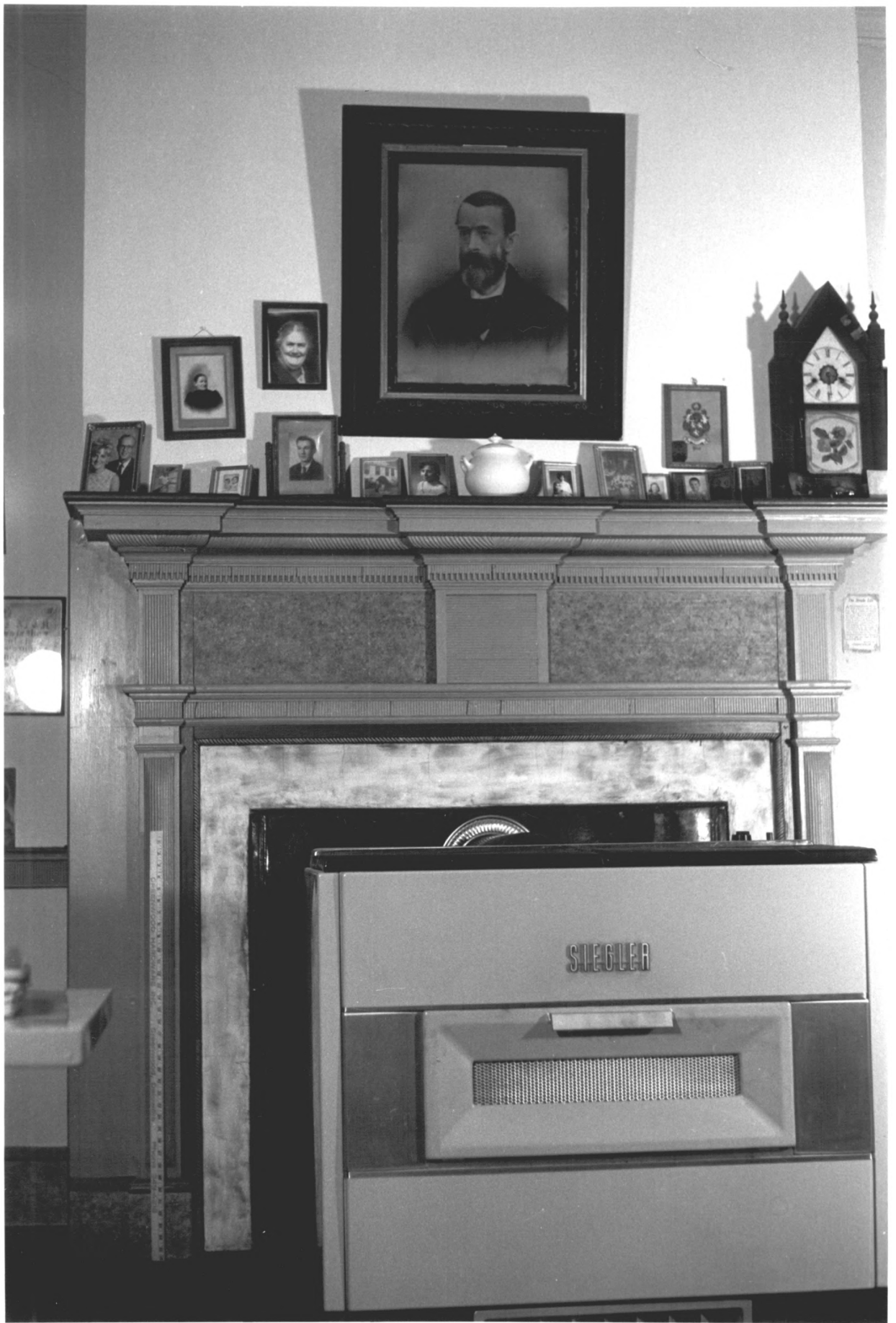
Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, entrance hall stairway, brick section

Photograph Number: 9 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, parlor mantelpiece, west wall,
brick section

Photograph Number: 10 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, parlor window enframement,
brick section

Photograph Number: 11 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, hand-painted fireboard for
parlor fireplace, photographed on grounds

Photograph Number: 12 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, mantelpiece and hand-painted
fireboard, second story, west wall, brick section

Photograph Number: 13 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

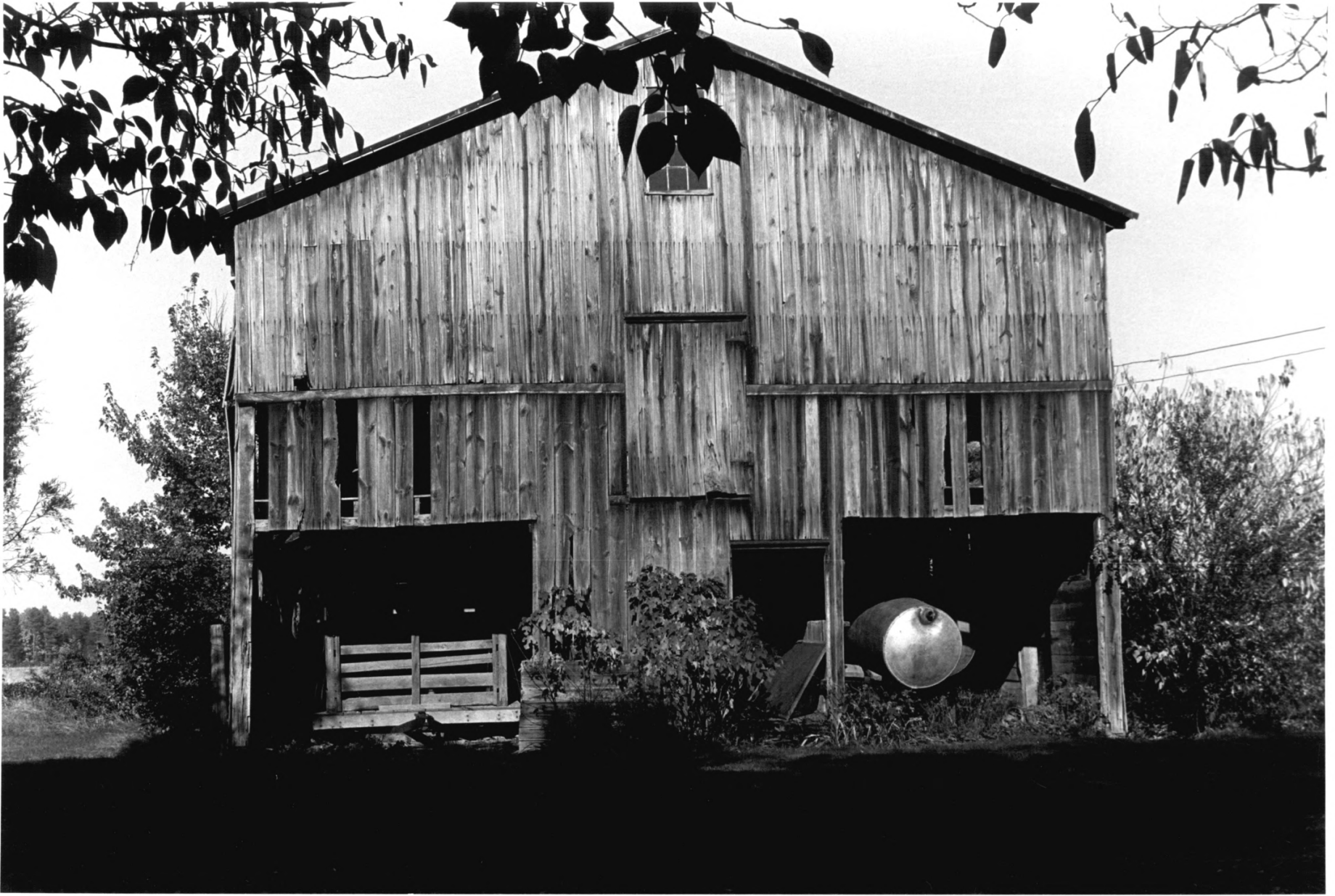
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Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, attic level, east brick gable
end windows

Photograph Number: 14 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: south elevation of frame barn,
north of house

Photograph Number: 15 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: east elevation of corner, north of house

Photograph Number: 16 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1978

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: east elevation of machine shed, north of house

Photograph Number: 17 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood,
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: detail, wrought iron entrance gate, family
cemetery, northwest of house

Photograph Number: 18 of 19



RICHARDS HISTORIC DISTRICT

Name: Locust Grove

Location: county road 34 southwest of Greenwood
Sussex County, Delaware

Photographer: unidentified; copied by T.C. Adams

Date of Photograph: c. 1916, copied 1979

Location of Negative: private collection

Description: M.R. Loockerman in front of south
elevation of Locust Grove

Photograph Number: 19 of 19