

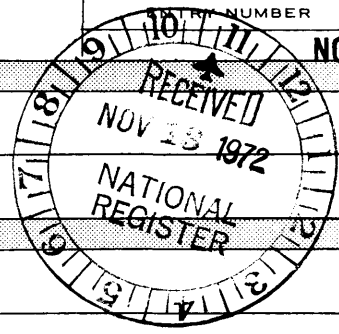
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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	Maryland
COUNTY:	Prince George's
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE
	NOV 29 1972



1. NAME

COMMON: Mount Pleasant

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: Mount Pleasant Road

CITY OR TOWN: Upper Marlboro

STATE: Maryland

CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
24	Prince George's	033

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure	<input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agricultural	<input type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious		
<input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: Ellis J. and Frances Snowden Hill Parker

STREET AND NUMBER: Mount Pleasant, P.O. Box 2188

CITY OR TOWN: Upper Marlboro

STATE: Maryland

CODE: 24

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Prince George's County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER: 14735 Main Street

CITY OR TOWN: Upper Marlboro

STATE: Maryland

CODE: 24

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY: Historic American Buildings Survey, Md. 17

DATE OF SURVEY: 1936

Federal  State  County  Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: Library of Congress

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Washington

STATE: District of Columbia

CODE: 11

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7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

A small, one-and-one-half-story, brick structure with a gambrel roof, Mount Pleasant is about two-thirds its original length. The eastern section, east of the central hallway, was later removed; the present doorway would have originally been the center bay of a five-bay facade. The house is built of brick laid in Flemish bond with occasional glazed headers, and sits on a high, three-foot, common bond brick base.

The building has twin flush chimneys with two flues in each chimney on the southwest end. There is a four-over-four pent window between the chimneys, high in the loft. In 1967, there were three small windows of the same size as the pent window on the first floor of the southwest side of the house. The northernmost window was removed and replaced with a French door allowing access to a new patio. In a 1936 photograph from the southwest, belonging to the Historic American Buildings Survey, there is no stucco on the gambreled ends and the six windows are very prominent. Both these ends were stuccoed in 1945 to prevent the exterior walls from further deterioration.

A photograph by Henry Chandlee Forman of the same southwest view shows a Victorian one-story, four-columned porch that has since been removed. It has been replaced with a dual approach staircase coming from the east and the west and meeting at a landing to be bordered by an iron rail. A similar new staircase is on the northern end of the same central hall. From the southern side, a clear view of the plastered entrance highlighted by an original fanlight can be obtained.

In addition to these doorways and staircases, the north and south elevations have two narrow nine-over-nine windows with splayed brick lintels and some early sashes. There are two dormers in each side of the English gambrel roof.

The house is undergoing extensive restoration.

SEE INSTRUCTIONS





9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Forman, Henry Chandlee, Early Manor and Plantation Houses of Maryland. 1934. p. 95.

Rinn, David F., B.A., A Survey of Existing Seventeenth and Eighteenth Century Buildings in Prince George, Maryland. D.C. 1968. This is in Maryland Historical Trust Library.

Bowie, Effie Gwynn, Across the Years in Prince George's County.

Lib. 3497, fol. 118 Land Records, Prince George's County.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	° ' "	° ' "		38 °	50 ' 42.0 "	76 ° 42 ' 55.8 "
NE	° ' "	° ' "		38	50 42.0	76 42 38.2
SE	° ' "	° ' "		38	50 28.0	76 42 38.2
SW	° ' "	° ' "		38	50 28.0	76 42 55.8

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: **49 acres**

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:  
**William Morgan and Ellis J. Parker**

ORGANIZATION: **Maryland Historical Trust** DATE: **August 16, 1972**

STREET AND NUMBER:  
**2525 Riva Road**

CITY OR TOWN: **Annapolis** STATE: **Maryland 21401** CODE: **24**

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National  State  Local

Name Orlando Ridout IV  
**Orlando Ridout IV**

Title State Liaison Officer for the State of Maryland

Date Sept. 20, 1972

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Robert M. Utley  
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date 11/29/72

ATTEST  
William J. Smutney  
Keeper of The National Register

Date 11-28-72

S E E I N S T R U C T I O N S

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(July 1969)

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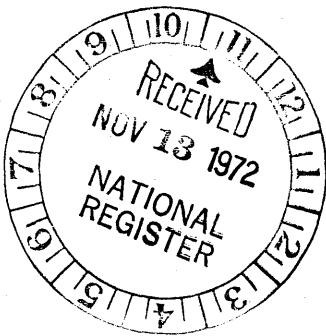
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#6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS continued

Maryland Register of Historic Sites and Landmarks  
1970 State x

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2525 Riva Road  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401 Code 24



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GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

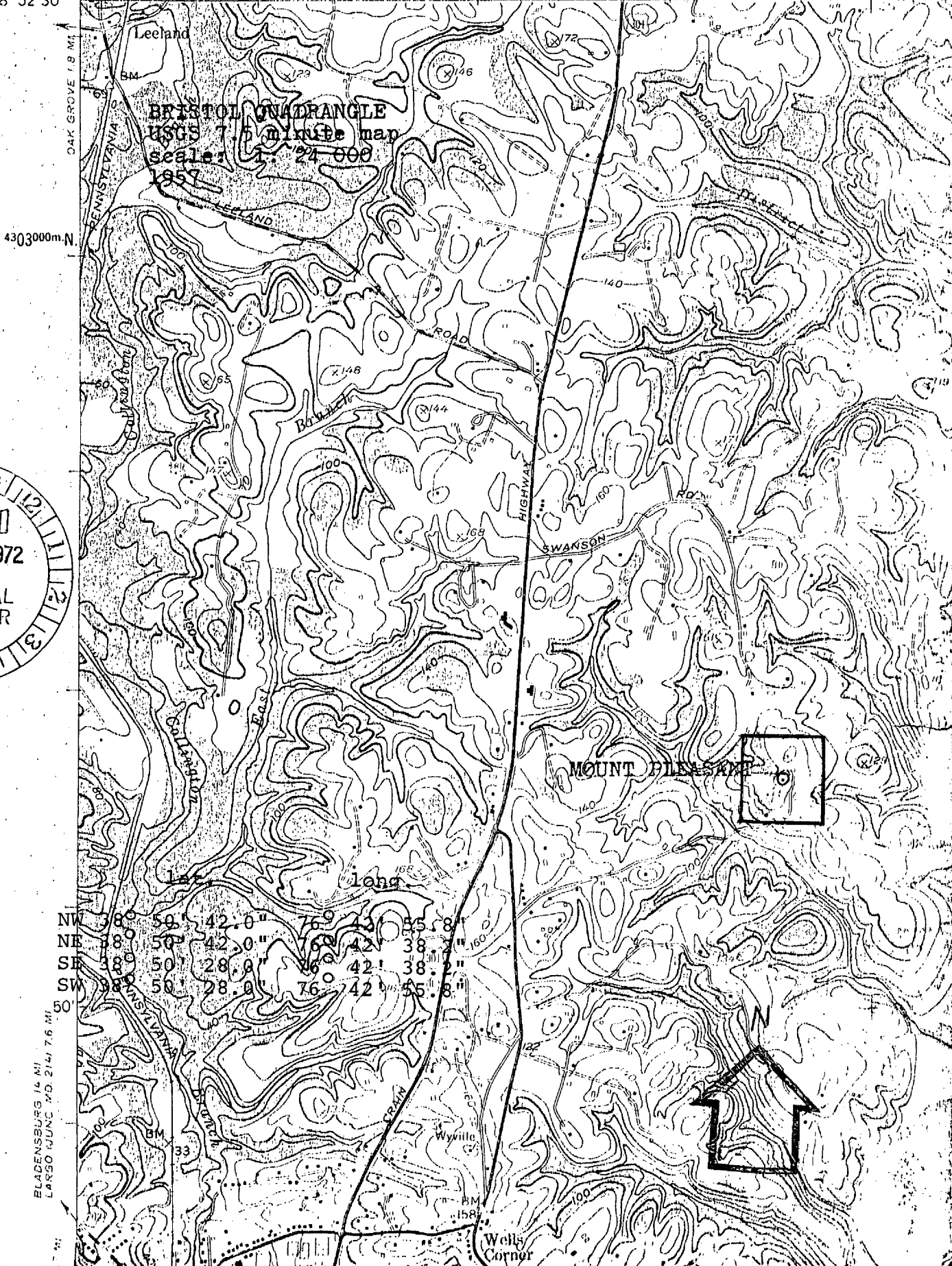
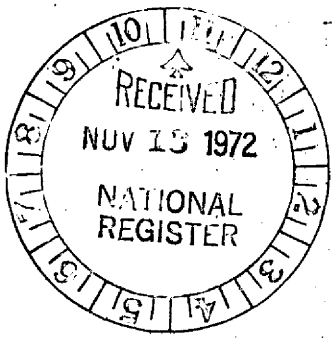
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KIDWELLS CORNER 1.5 MI

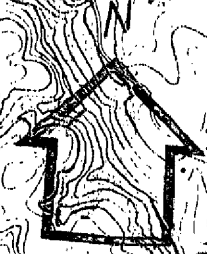
42' 30"

BRISTOL QUADRANGLE  
USGS 7.5 minute map  
scale: 1:24,000  
1954



NW	38°	50'	42.0"	76°	42'	55.8"
NE	38°	50'	42.0"	76°	42'	38.2"
SE	38°	50'	28.0"	76°	42'	38.2"
SW	38°	50'	28.0"	76°	42'	55.8"

50'  
ELADENSBURG 1.4 MI  
LARGO CORNER 7.9, 21.4, 7.6 MI



Form 10-301  
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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
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STATE: Maryland	CODE 24	COUNTY: Prince George's	CODE 033
<b>3. MAP REFERENCE</b>			
SOURCE: USGS 7.5 minute map; Bristol Quadrangle			
SCALE: 1: 24 000			
DATE: 1957			
<b>4. REQUIREMENTS</b>			
TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Property boundaries where required.</li> <li>2. North arrow.</li> <li>3. Latitude and longitude reference.</li> </ol>			

