

PENNSYLVANIA HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM PHOTO/SITE PLAN SHEET

Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission
Bureau of Historic Preservation
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Survey Code/Tax Parcel/Other No.: 097 / 66 00 05479 00 8 Block-Unit #015-034

County: Montgomery

Municipality: Whitpain Township

Address: 520 Plymouth Road

Historic Name/Other Name:

SITE PLAN

PHOTO INFORMATION



Number	Description of View	Direction of Camera
1	House – façade (left)	
2	House – façade (right)	
3	Barn	
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Photographer Name: Robert Wise		Date: 1999
Negative Location: Robert Wise Consulting, Station Square 1, Suite 104, 37 N. Valley Road, Paoli PA 19301		

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NARRATIVE SHEET 89C

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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

This is a late Federal house with a date stone of 1850. It is a three story, three bay house with end gables and contains a modern, one story addition on the rear. An exterior end chimney cuts through the molded cornice in the west gable but is not centered in the gable. The roof is end gabled and clad in asphalt shingles, and framed in a molded cornice. The walls of the 30 x 30 house are stone and covered with stucco. Each of the windows on the second and third floors is supplied with louvered shutters, and those on the first floor have paneled shutters. The door is centered on the façade under a one-story wrap-around porch supported by square columns. A rear one-story addition to the house accommodates a tripartite window and a small bay. This addition has a hipped roof.

Associated Resource (Barn): This large stone bank barn has an end gabled roof clad in asphalt shingles, stonewalls, and a rear bank and bridge entrance. Attached to the end are a shed and a two story gabled frame addition.

Classification. This large property with an intact house and barn is a Class II resource.

HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Year Built: ca. 1850 Additions/Alterations Dates: ca. ca.
Basis for Dating: x Documentary Physical
Explain: Tax records

Cultural/Ethnic Affiliation: 1. _____ 2. _____ Associated Individuals: 1. _____ 2.
Associated Events: 1. _____ 2. _____ Architects/Engineers: 1. _____ 2.
Builders: 1. _____ 2.

MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

PREVIOUS SURVEY, DETERMINATIONS

EVALUATION (Survey Director/Consultants Only)

Individual NR Potential: x Yes No Context(s): _____
Contributes to Potential District Yes No District Name/Status: _____

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THREATS

Threats: x 1. None 2. Public Development 3. Private Development 4. Neglect 5. Other

Explain:

SURVEYOR INFORMATION

Surveyor Name/Title: Robert Wise Date: 6/16/2000
Project Name: Whitpain Township Historic Resource Survey
Organization: Robert Wise Consulting/Whitpain Township Telephone: (610) 722-5818
Street and No.: Station Square 1, Suite 104, 37 North Valley Road
City, State: Paoli, Pa Zip Code: 19301
Additional Survey Documentation: n/a
Associated Survey Codes: n/a



