

HISTORIC PROPERTIES INVENTORY FORM

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION UNIT
DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE & HISTORY
THE CULTURAL CENTER
CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA 25305

RATING CHD
CONTEXT Romney

File No:
Themed:
Neg No(s):
USGS Quad:
UTM Ref:

DISTRICT...SITE...BUILDING...STRUCTURE...OBJECT

1. NAME(S), historic/common: Captain Christian Streit White
"White Home Place"

2. LOCATION, street/road: 332 Main Street

city/town: Romney
(incorporated/unincorporated)

3. USE/FUNCTION, present: Private Residence

(public/private,
restricted)

original: Private Residence

4. OWNER/ADDRESS, present: Christian S. White, III
1563 Quarrier Street
Charleston

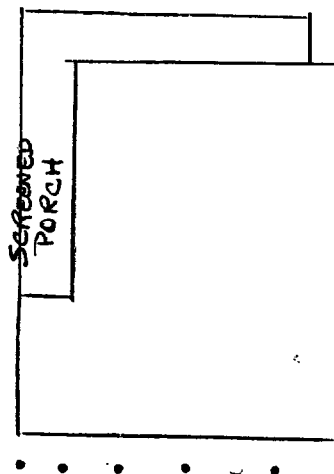
(public/private)

original:

5. PHOTO/SKETCH OF:

7. PLAN (include approx. dimensions):

ATTACHED



6. LOCALE/ENVIRONMENT(map):

8. ACREAGE (approx):

Lot Size:

146' X 325' X 70' X 955'
X 260'

ST. STEPHENS
EPISCOPAL CHURCH



MAIN STREET

WEST VIRGINIA
SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND

Survey Region: _____
Planning District: _____

COUNTY: Hampshire

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9. DESCRIPTION (clarify as appropriate):

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a. Exterior Fabric

stone _____
brick X _____
concrete _____
stucco _____
weatherboard _____
clapboard _____
board & batten _____
shingle _____
other _____

b. Structural System

masonry X _____
frame _____
log _____
metal _____
other _____
foundation Stone _____

c. Roofing Material

wood _____
metal _____
slate _____
tile _____
asphalt _____
composition _____
other _____

d. Associated Structures (use/type):

outbuildings _____
dependencies _____
other _____

e. Integrity (include dates):

original site/relocated _____
alterations _____
additions one story addition -
see plan.

f. Condition:

excellent X _____
good _____
fair _____
deteriorated _____
abandoned _____

g. Threats: None.

10. SIGNIFICANCE (use additional sheet if necessary):

a. Architect/Builder/Engineer:

b. Style/Period:

c. Date(s):

Creek Revival
1911-1910

See attached

11. BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Pugh, Mary, Interview - September 6, 1984.

Maxwell and Swisher, History of Hampshire County, Copyright 1897, pages 272, 739, 743.

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12. FORM PREPARED BY

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a. Address

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b. Organization

Region VIII Planning and Development Council

The property, once known as the "White Home Place" was once the home of Captain C.S. White. Born in Romney, March 10, 1840, he was the son of John Baker White, who was Clerk of Hampshire County Courts and an officer in the War of 1812.

Captain C.S. White entered the army of Virginia as a private in the Thirteen Virginia Infantry on April 19, 1861. He served with that regiment in the Confederate Army more than a year until disabled and discharged, being promoted by successive steps to sergeant-major, and acting adjutant. Captain White returned home June 1, 1865. He was then an unpardoned and unparoled rebel, debarred by the then existing laws of his State from practicing law, a profession of which he had been educated.

Captain White was married to Miss Bessie J. Schultze in 1867. She was the mother of one son, John Baker White, and died in 1869. In 1873, he was again married to Miss Chaterine Steele.

At the time of the publication of the History of Hampshire by Maxwell and Swisher in 1897, Captain White was a Mason, a member of Clinton Lodge at Romney, and a Past Master, as well as a member of the Presbyterian Church. Additional information in attached.

In 1881, Captain White deeded the property to S.L. Flournoy and in turn Flournoy deeded the property to Catherine Steele White. A copy of this deed is attached. A subsequent deed (1932) indicates Mrs. White had passed away in 1911. At this time, Captain C.S. White was deceased and the property was in urgent need of repair.

The two story brick home painted white has a hip roof with an interior brick chimney that is slightly off center. Second story windows are double hung vertical sashes with ten panes each. The back section of the home is topped with a gabled roof.

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Captain C.S. White - White Home Place

