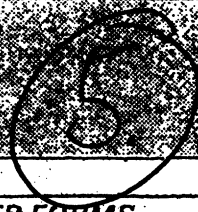


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# NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS  
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

**1 NAME** Myers House

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

## 2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

CITY, TOWN

Martinsburg

VICINITY OF Berkeley Station

STATE

West Virginia

CODE

54

COUNTY

Berkeley

CODE

003

## 3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PARK
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC ACQUISITION	<input type="checkbox"/> ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

## 4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME Mr. & Mrs. Richard A. Salzer

STREET & NUMBER

Berkeley Station

CITY, TOWN

Martinsburg, WV 25401

STATE

## 5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, Berkeley County  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Martinsburg, WV 25401

STATE

## 6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE H-109, Berkeley County Historical Society & Berkeley County Historical  
Landmarks Commission Survey.

DATE

1973-78

FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

Berkeley County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Martinsburg, WV 25401

STATE

# DESCRIPTION

## CONDITION

EXCELLENT  
 GOOD  
 FAIR

DETERIORATED  
 RUINS  
 UNEXPOSED

## CHECK ONE

UNALTERED  
 ALTERED

## CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE  
 MOVED DATE \_\_\_\_\_

### DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

A 5 bay, gable roofed, 2 story house, with inside end chimneys, the house is built of brick in Flemish bond and three row common bond. The entrance door has a beautiful Chines Chippendale transom. The one bay, one story entrance porch has a flat roof on 4 round posts of 2 like pilasters (not original). The layout is central block with one wing. The wing, 1 1/2 story, 2 bays, predates the house by only a few years and has a large fireplace on both floors. The main house has a central hall plan, two rooms each side. Three fireplaces are on the ground floor and two are on the second, one being in a large double size room, the ballroom. The ballroom and parlor have like mantels. The single paneled frieze is flanked by paneled end blocks supporting a shelf with molded edge and square cornered projections over the blocks. Pilasters are half round fluted columns on plain bases. Some rooms have small 2 tiered, paneled door cupboards next to the fireplace. Other mantels have a plain, single paneled frieze on paneled pilasters. In most of the rooms, the trim consists of short lintel construction, with a large astragal and an architrave backband. Other rooms have rosette corner blocks on pedestaled facings that relate to the paneled mantel pilasters. The main open string stairway reaches the third floor in 4 flights. There is only one starting newel, a very slender round and tapered post with a neck molding. The handrail is also round in section and very small. The stairway curves gracefully at each flight of steps. Two round and tapered balusters are on each step and the step end decoration consists of a "double comma" scroll. All rooms have a chair rail, much of it identical in section to the paneled pilasters. Door jambs are also single paneled. Windows are 9/6 on the 1st floor and 6/6 on the 2nd and most have splayed, paneled reveals. The mantels and trim relate through the different rooms, one of the special features of this fine Federal period house, ca. 1813.

RIOD AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

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| <input type="checkbox"/> HISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC  | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING     | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION            |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 10-      | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS          | <input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY               | <input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT    | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)     |
|                                   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION              |   |  |

CIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Myers House is significant for its architectural type and economics. The Myers family settled on the Opequon Creek and acquired larger holdings. They built the brick house ca. 1817. The Myers family were of Pennsylvania Dutch origin.

# 9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

## 10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 1 A.

QUADRANGLE NAME Hedgesville

QUADRANGLE SCALE \_\_\_\_\_

UTM REFERENCES

A 18 | 248630 | 4376670

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### VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Beginning at the railroad crossing thence N along the road 200 ft., thence ENE 300 ft. S 200 ft, WSW along the railroad 300 ft. to the beginning.

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

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## 11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME/TITLE Don C. Wood, Genealogist, Historian, Historic Archeologist

ORGANIZATION President, Berkeley County Historical Society DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman, Berkeley County Historical Landmarks Commission

STREET & NUMBER Route 3, Box 79 TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY OR TOWN Martinsburg, WV 25401 STATE \_\_\_\_\_

## 12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL      STATE      LOCAL     

As the designated State Historic Preservation 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.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

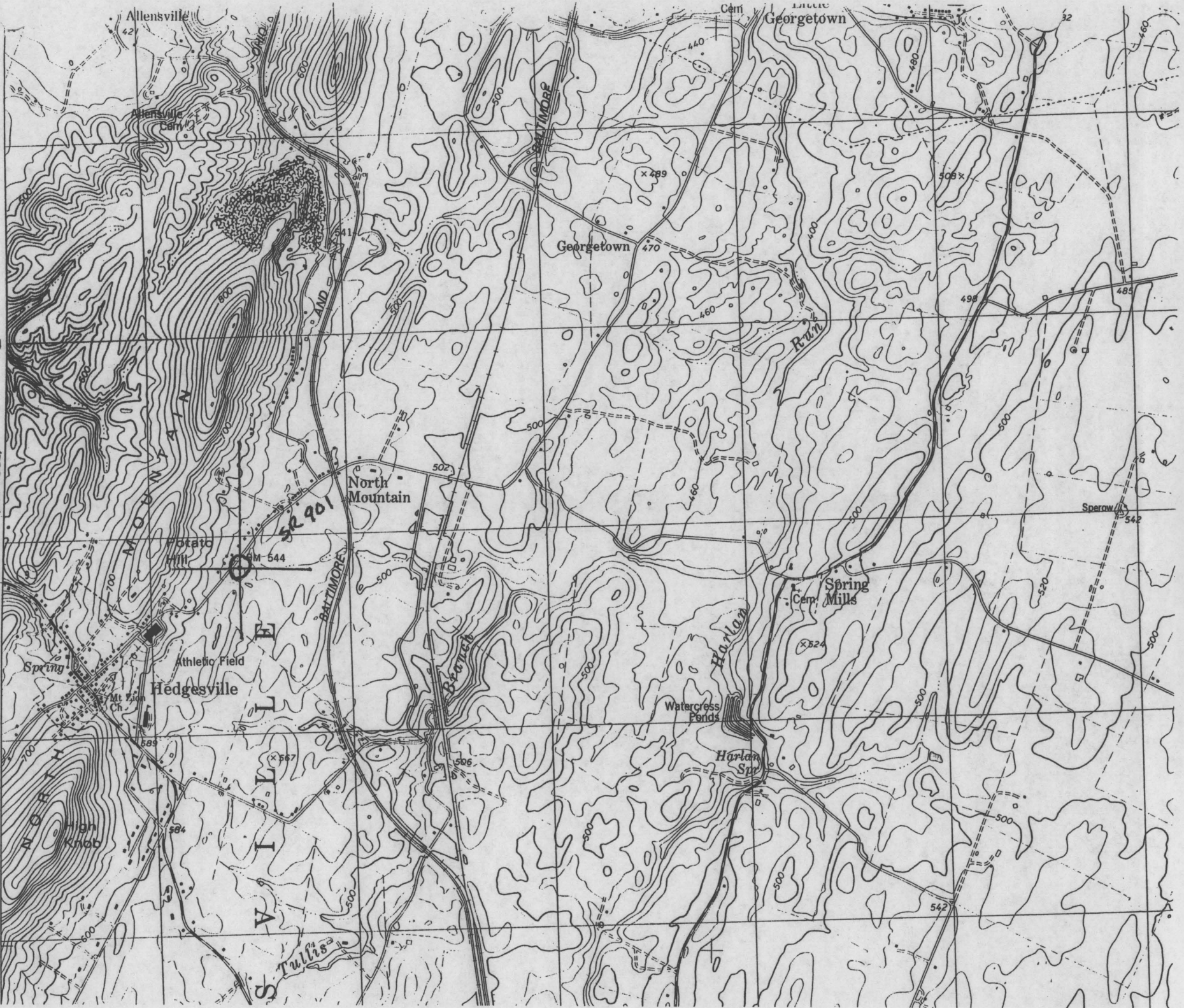
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ATTEST: KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CHIEF OF REGISTRATION

35'  
4385  
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5363 II SE (BIG POOL)  
BERKELEY SPRINGS (U.S. 522) 17 MI.  
32'30"



Myers House

Berkeley Springs Quad

Allensville

Georgetown

Georgetown

North Mountain

Hedgesville

Spring Mills

Harlan Sp.

High Knob

S. Tullis

Potato Mill

Athletic Field

Watercress Ponds

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