

DELAWARE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE
15 THE GREEN, DOVER, DE 19901

CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION FORM

CRS # K-7380
SPO Map 10-11-15
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Quad Harrington
Other _____

1. HISTORIC NAME/FUNCTION: Taylor Hardware Shed Property
2. ADDRESS/LOCATION: Northeast Corner of Commerce Street and Reese Avenue, Harrington
3. TOWN/NEAREST TOWN: Harrington vicinity?
4. MAIN TYPE OF RESOURCE: building landscape structure district site object
5. MAIN FUNCTION OF PROPERTY: Storage for hardware store
6. PROJECT TITLE/ REASON FOR SURVEY (if applicable): Harrington truck route study

7. ADDITIONAL FORMS USED:

#:	Form:	List property types:
1	CRS 2 Main Building Form	Storage shed
0	CRS 3 Secondary Building Form	
0	CRS 4 Archaeological Site Form	
0	CRS 5 Structure (Building-Like) Form	
0	CRS 6 Structure (Land Feature) Form	
0	CRS 7 Object Form	
0	CRS 8 Landscape Elements Form	
	CRS 9 Map Form	N/A
0	CRS 14 Potential District Form	

8. SURVEYOR INFORMATION:

Surveyor name: Christine Tate

Principal Investigator name: Lauren C. Archibald

Principal Investigator signature: *Lauren C. Archibald*

Organization: A.D. Marble & Company Date: 7/22/2005

10. STATE HISTORIC CONTEXT FRAMEWORK (check all appropriate boxes; refer to state management plan(s)):

a) Time period(s)

- Pre-European Contact
- Paleo-Indian
- Archaic
- Woodland I
- Woodland II

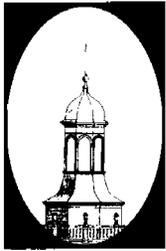
- 1600-1750∇ Contact Period (Native American)
- 1630-1730∇ Exploration and Frontier Settlement
- 1730-1770∇ Intensified and Durable Occupation
- 1770-1830∇ Early Industrialization
- 1830-1880∇ Industrialization and Early Urbanization
- 1880-1940∇ Urbanization and Early Suburbanization
- 1940-1960∇ Suburbanization and Early Ex-urbanization

b) Geographical zone

- Piedmont
- Upper Peninsula
- Lower Peninsula/Cypress Swamp
- Coastal
- Urban (City of Wilmington)

c) Historic period theme(s)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation and Communication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Forestry | <input type="checkbox"/> Settlement Patterns and Demographic Changes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trapping/Hunting | <input type="checkbox"/> Architecture, Engineering and Decorative Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mining/Quarrying | <input type="checkbox"/> Government |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing/Oystering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing | <input type="checkbox"/> Education |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Retailing/Wholesaling | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Organizations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Organizations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Major Families, Individuals and Events |



CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
MAIN BUILDING FORM

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1. ADDRESS/LOCATION: Northeast Corner of Commerce Street and Reese Avenue, Harrington
2. FUNCTION(S): historic Storage shed current Storage shed
3. YEAR BUILT: 1930 CIRCA?: ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Taylor Hardware
4. STYLE OR FLOOR PLAN: Vernacular
5. INTEGRITY: original site moved
 if moved, from where _____ other location's CRS # _____ year _____

list major alterations and additions with years (if known) year

- a. _____
 b. _____

6. CURRENT CONDITION: excellent good fair poor
7. DESCRIPTION: (Describe the resource as completely as possible. Use N/A for not applicable; leave no blanks.)
- a. Overall shape: Rectangular Stories: 1
 Additions: N/A
- b. Structural system (if known): Concrete block
- c. Foundation: materials: Concrete block
 basement: full partial not visible no basement
- d. Exterior walls (original if visible& any subsequent coverings): Concrete block
- e. Roof: shape: End gable
 materials: Corrugated metal
 cornice: Wood
 dormers: N/A
 chimney: location(s): N/A

8. DESCRIPTION OF ELEVATIONS:

- a. Facade: Direction: S
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|--------------|-----|
| 1) Bays | 1 |
| 2) Windows | N/A |
| fenestration | N/A |
| type | N/A |
| trim | N/A |
| shutters | N/A |

Facade (cont'd)

- 3) Door(s) 1
 - location Center
 - type Hanging metal-clad vertical-plank door
 - trim Wood
- 4) Porch(es) N/A

b. Side: Direction: W

- 1) Bays 5
- 2) Windows 4
 - fenestration Regular
 - type 6/6 wood sash
 - trim Wood
 - shutters N/A
- 3) Door(s) 1
 - location Center
 - type Hanging vertical-plank door
 - trim Wood
- 4) Porch(es) N/A

c. Side: Direction: E

- 1) Bays 3
- 2) Windows 3
 - fenestration Irregular
 - type 6/6 wooden sash
 - trim Wood
 - shutters N/A
- 3) Door(s) N/A
 - location N/A
 - type N/A
 - trim N/A
- 4) Porch(es) N/A

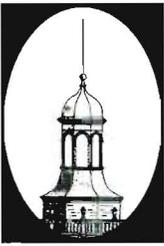
d. Rear: Direction: N

- 1) Bays 1
- 2) Windows N/A
 - fenestration N/A
 - type N/A
 - trim N/A
 - shutters N/A
- 3) Door(s) N/A
 - location N/A
 - type N/A
 - trim N/A
- 4) Porch(es) N/A

9. INTERIOR: N/A

10. LANDSCAPING: Grassed lot

11. OTHER COMMENTS: This is a one-story, concrete block storage shed with a gable roof with hanging vertical plank doors.



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CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
MAP FORM

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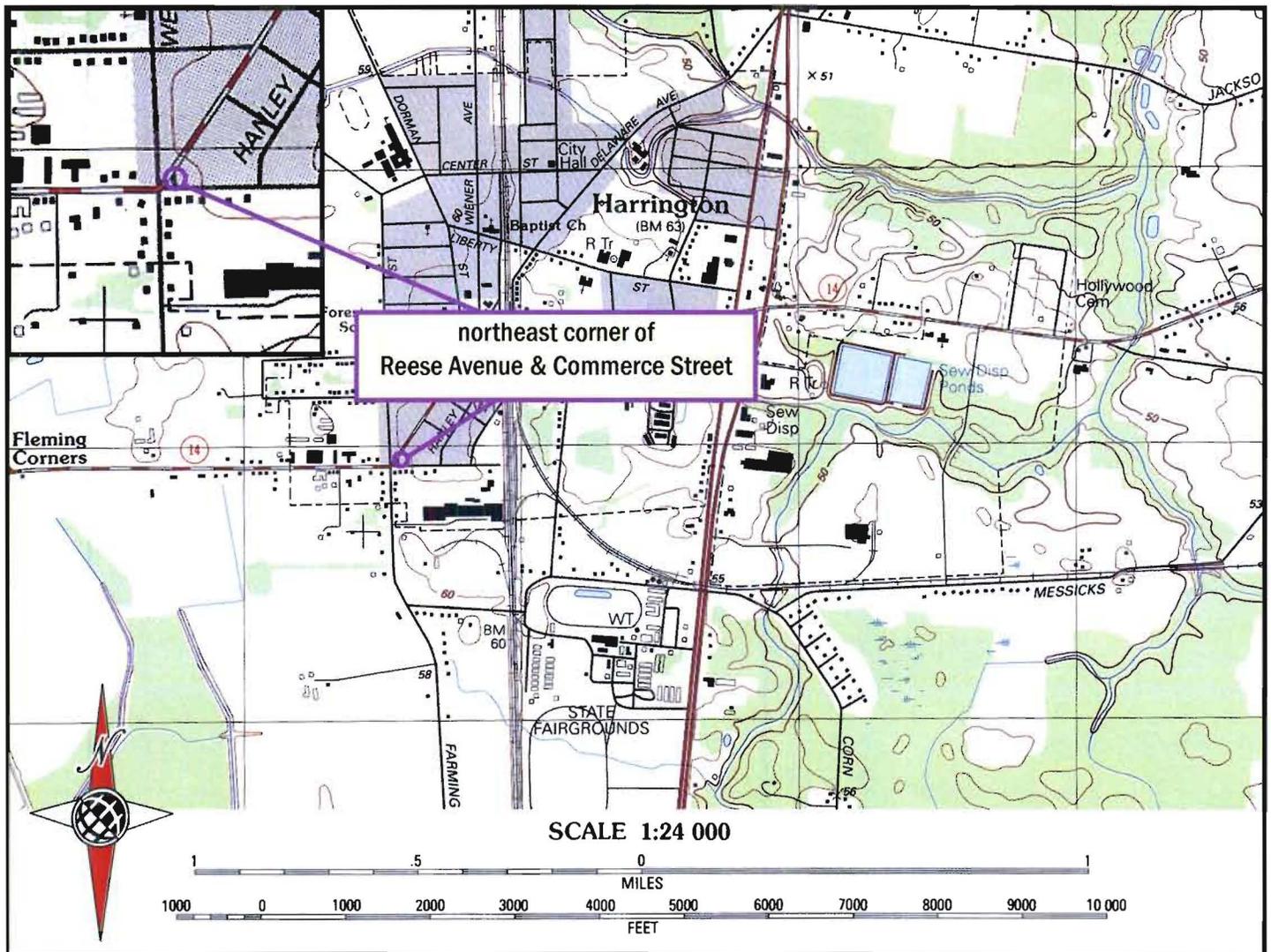
2. NOT FOR PUBLICATION reason: _____

3. LOCATION MAP:

Indicate position of resource in relation to geographical landmarks such as streams and crossroads.

(attach section of USGS quad map with location marked or draw location map)

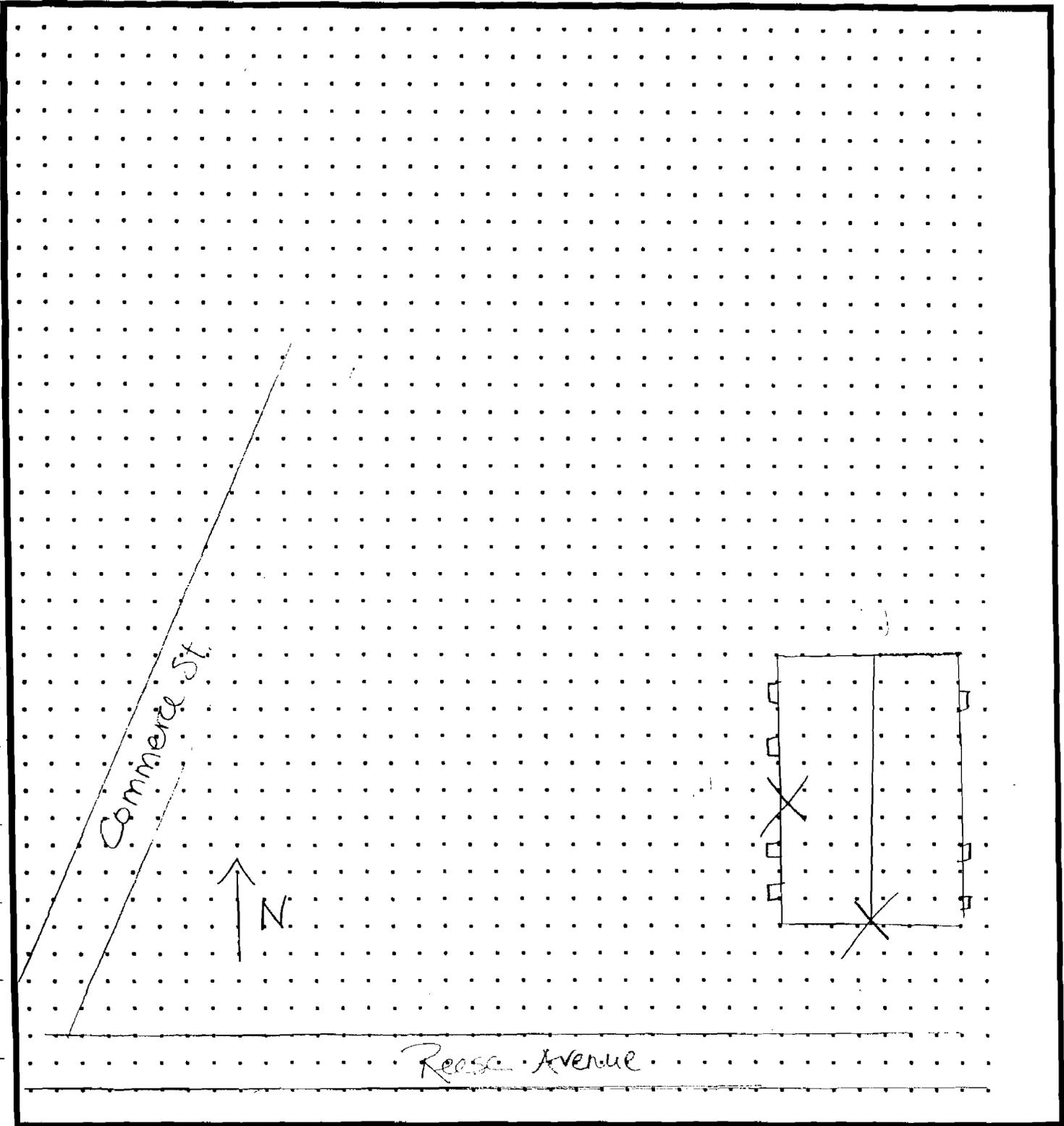
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4. SITE PLAN:

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INDICATE NORTH ON PLAN



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Description. This is a one-story, concrete block shed with a gable roof and hanging vertical plank doors. The building appears to date to the 1930s.

Historical Background. At an unknown date, Solomon L. Sarp conveyed the land on which this building stands to Lillian S. Vinyard. On August 8, 1957, Wilson S. Vinyard, a widower, sold the property containing the "...improvements of a two story frame, hardware store building, and a one story frame warehouse, sheds and other buildings thereon erected" to J. Edward and Lela P. Taylor for \$17,000 (Kent County Deed Books [KCDB] R21:4). On January 27, 1983, J. Edward and Lela P. Taylor conveyed two parcels of land along with "...the improvements thereon erected" to Robert E. and Betty H. Taylor (KCDB U37:294). The storage building on this parcel now serves as a storage shed for the Taylor Hardware Store.

Bibliography

Kent County Deed Books (KCDB), Kent County Courthouse, Dover, Delaware.