

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Bowie Mansion/Glenview

AND/OR COMMON

City of Rockville Civic Center

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore Road & Edmonston Ave.

CITY, TOWN

Rockville

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Montgomery

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☒ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☒ PUBLIC
☐ PRIVATE
☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED
☐ UNOCCUPIED
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE
☐ COMMERCIAL
☐ EDUCATIONAL
☐ ENTERTAINMENT
☒ GOVERNMENT
☐ INDUSTRIAL
☐ MILITARY
☐ MUSEUM
☒ PARK
☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ RELIGIOUS
☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

City of Rockville

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Rockville

VICINITY OF

Maryland

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Montgomery County Courthouse

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Rockville

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 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

This is an old house, that was extensively remodelled to its present appearance in the 1920's. Reportedly, the original building was a two-story, frame, Greek Revival structure-built in 1835. (A photo of the original house appeared in the BAL-TIMORE SUN in 1904). This early building forms the main (central) part of the present house. It has a tall, three-bay facade that faces south. There is a central door, flanked by two of the original-style windows. A massive, two-story, pedimented portico, supported by four large columns, spans the entire front. The central portion was encased with a stone veneer in the 1920's, and two gable-facade wings (joined by short hyphens) were added at this time on both sides. All of these sections are two stories in height, and of stone construction. There are a number of Palladian-style windows in the wings and main house that date from the period of remodelling. The present structure was built, with the best of materials, in the Colonial Revival style during the estate era of the 1920's. It is somewhat similar to other Rockville area estates, such as the Peter home (now on the N.I.H. grounds.)

B SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<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"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES _____ BUILDER/ARCHITECT _____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This was the home of one of Montgomery County's most influential citizens, Judge Richard John Bowie (1807-1881). While the original, early-19th Century building has been mostly obscured, the present structure is an excellent example of the opulent estate-era architecture that was popular in the Rockville-Bethesda area in the 1920's. This was the estate of Dr. James Lyons, of "Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder" fame, until the 1950's.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

- 1) Abbe, Leslie Morgan. CITY OF ROCKVILLE NEWSLETTER, July 16, 1975, article and original research notes stored at Montgomery County Historical Society-Rockville, Md.
- 2) Article in MONTGOMERY COUNTY STORY, February 1972, published by Montgomery County Historical Society.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

BIBLIOGRAPHY (CON'T.)

- 3) Thompson, Noma. WESTERN GATEWAY TO THE NATION'S CAPITAL, (1950) pp. 110-112.

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Michael F. Dwyer, Senior Park Historian

ORGANIZATION

M-NCPPC

DATE

Summer, 1975

STREET & NUMBER

8787 Georgia Ave.

TELEPHONE

589-1480

CITY OR TOWN

Silver Spring

STATE

Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

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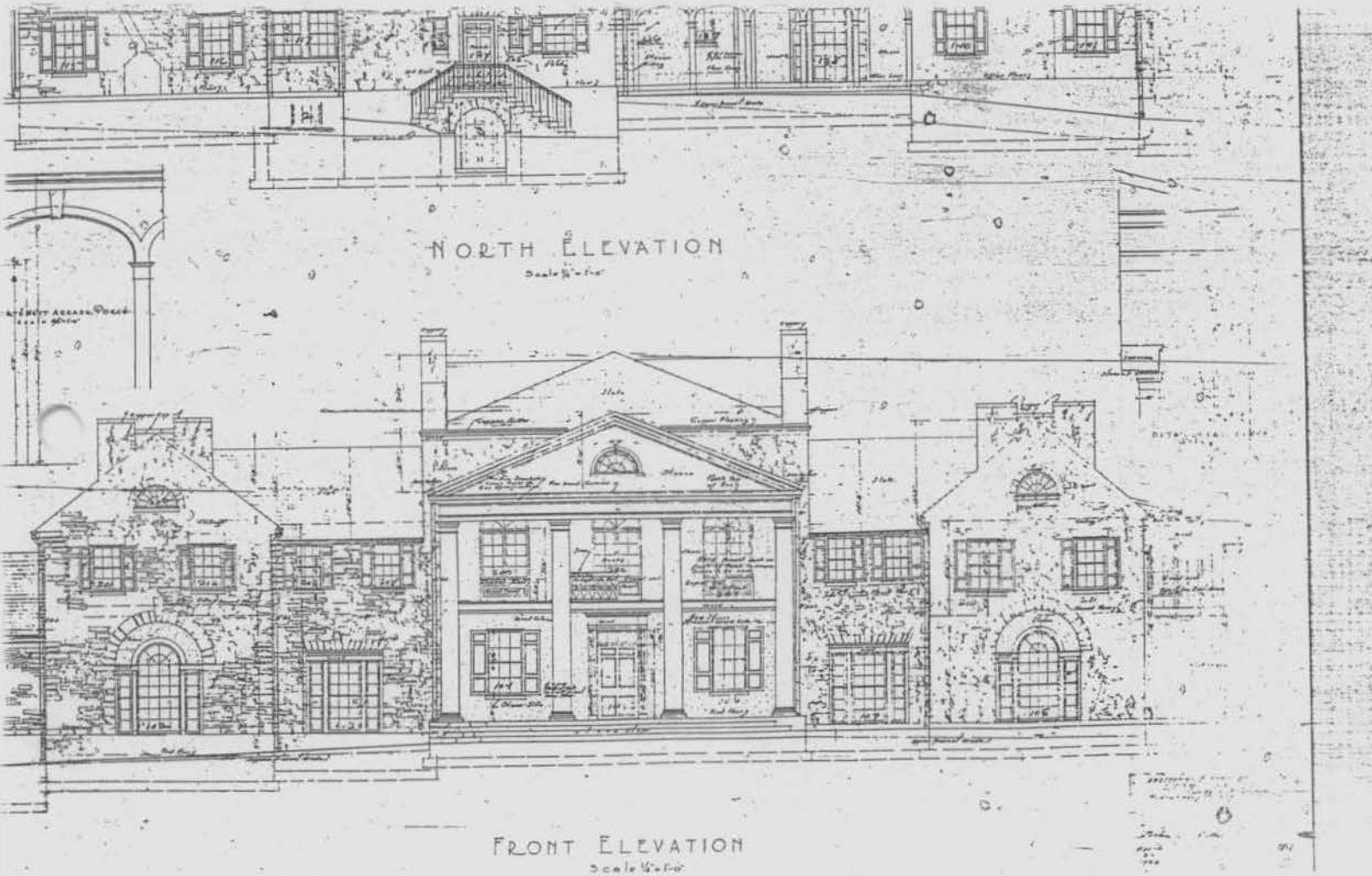
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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

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Glen View / Civic Center

Attachment 7.14

Plans for Glen View : Architects Porter & Lochie
Front Elevation -

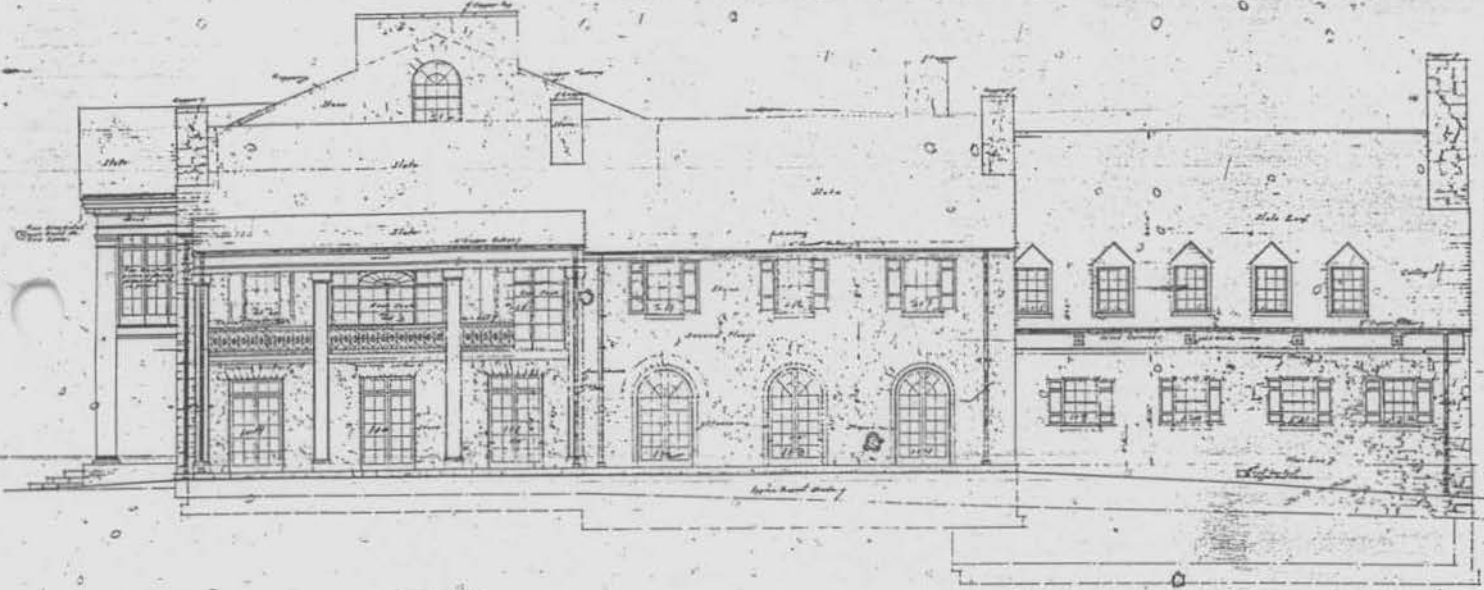


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Plans for Glen View: Architects Porter & Lochie
East Elevation



EAST ELEVATION

Scale 1/4" = 1'-0"

Proposed



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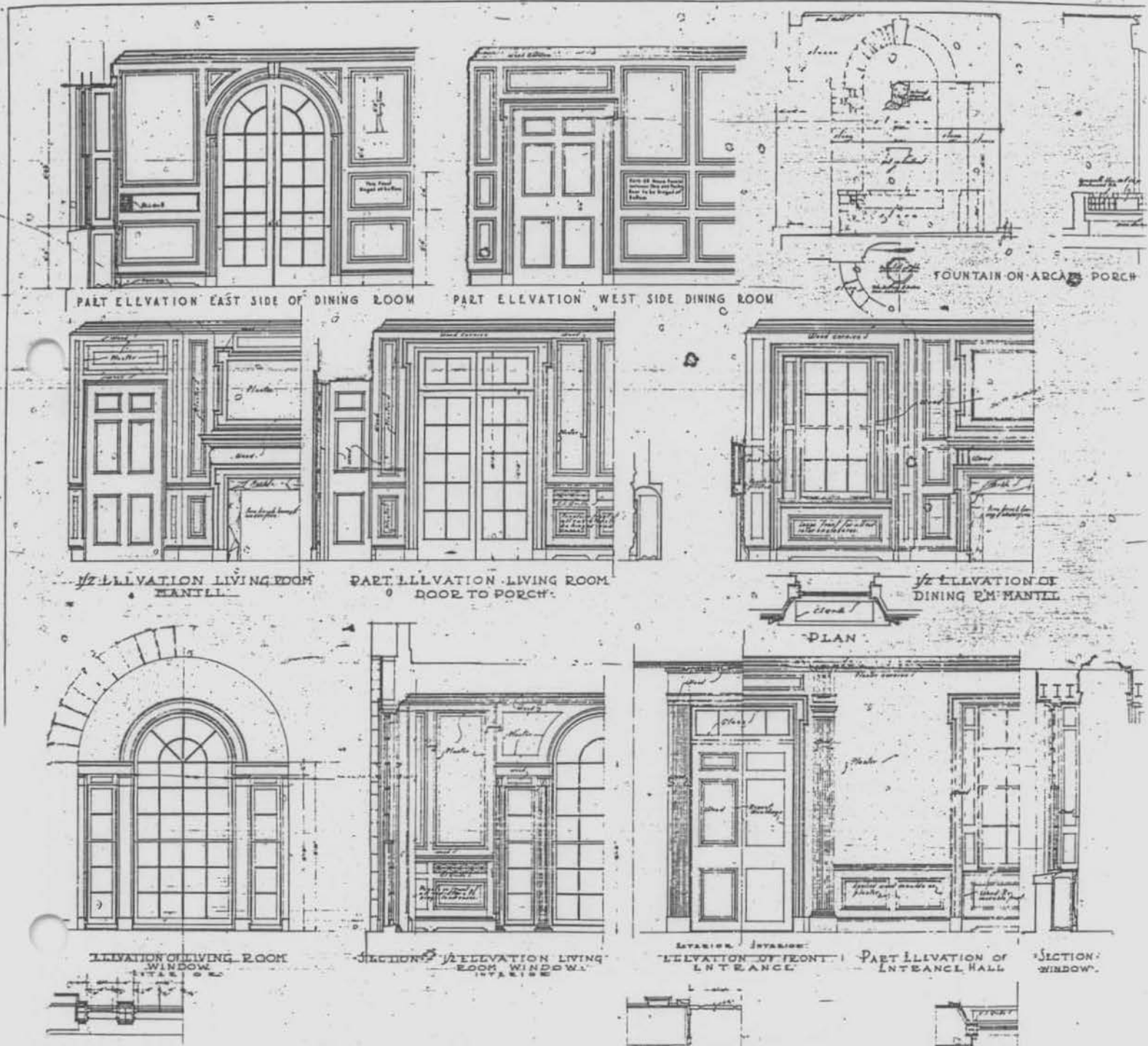
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West Elevation

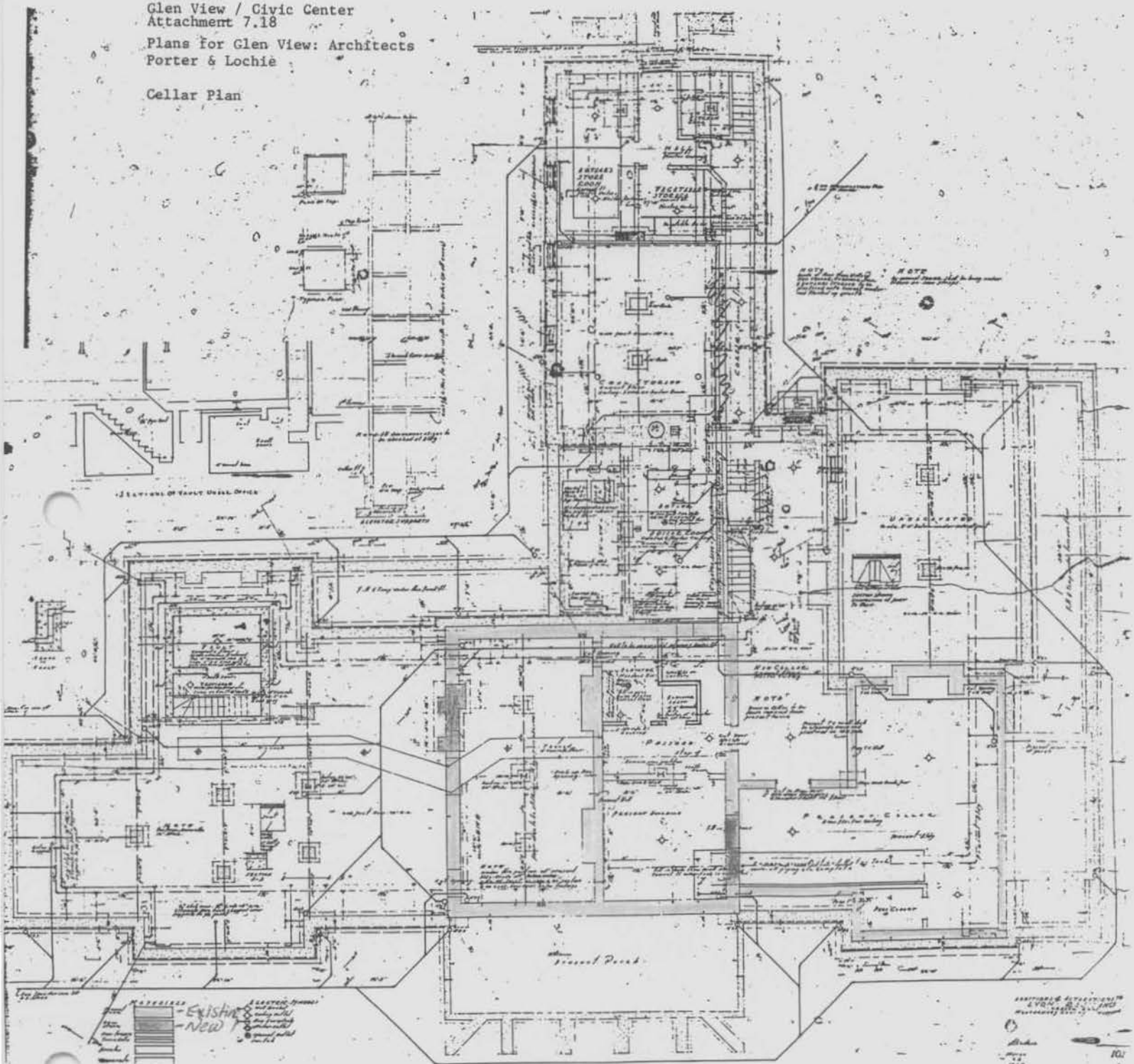


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Plans for Glen View: Architects Porter & Lochie
Interior Details

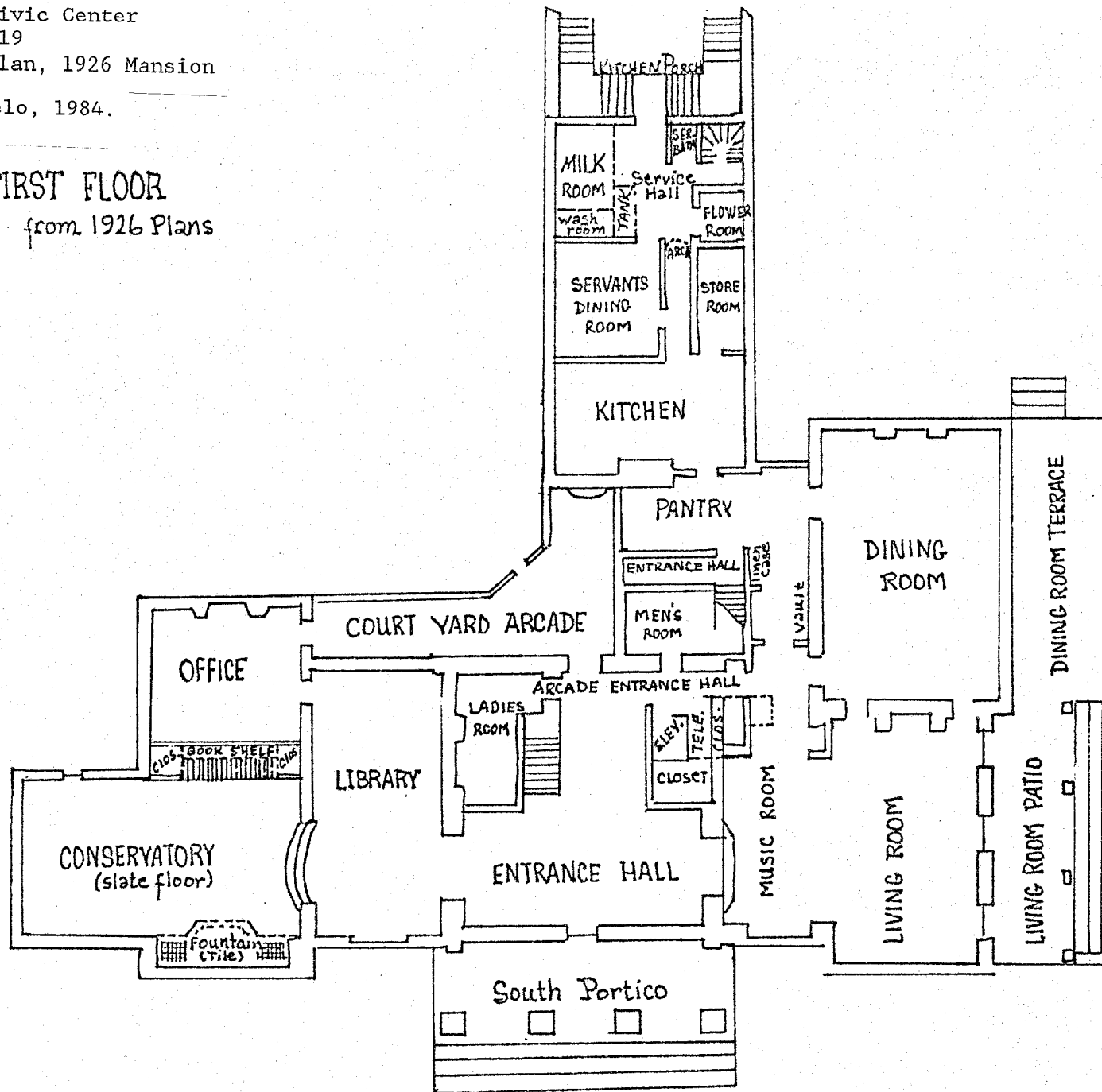


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First Floor Plan, 1926 Mansion
by Pat D'Angelo, 1984.

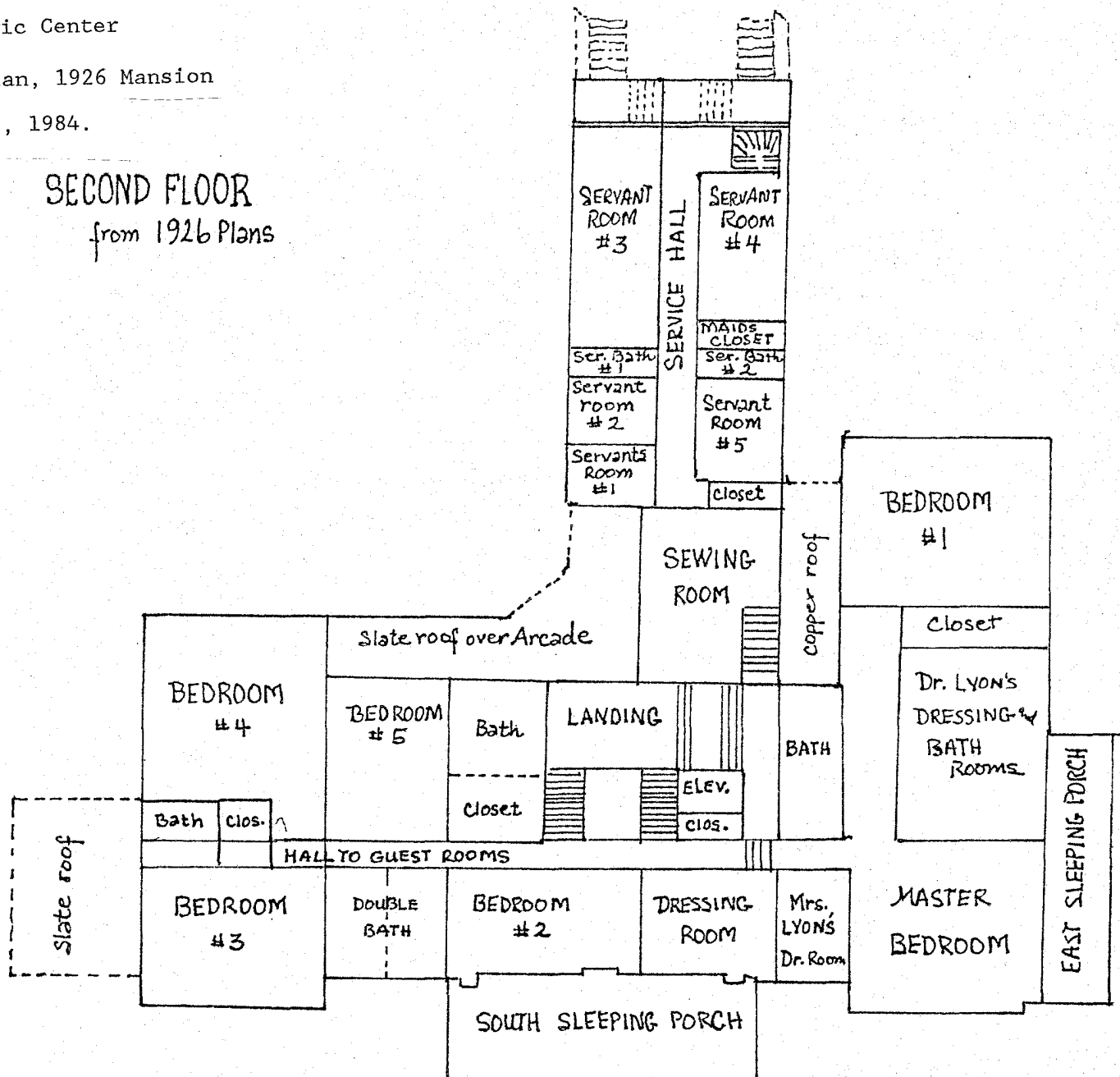
FIRST FLOOR
from 1926 Plans



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Glen View / Civic Center
Attachment 7.20
Second Floor Plan, 1926 Mansion

by Pat D'Angelo, 1984.

SECOND FLOOR from 1926 Plans



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Glen View / Civic Center
Attachment 7.21
1957 map of Civic Center
showing garden layout



City of Rockville

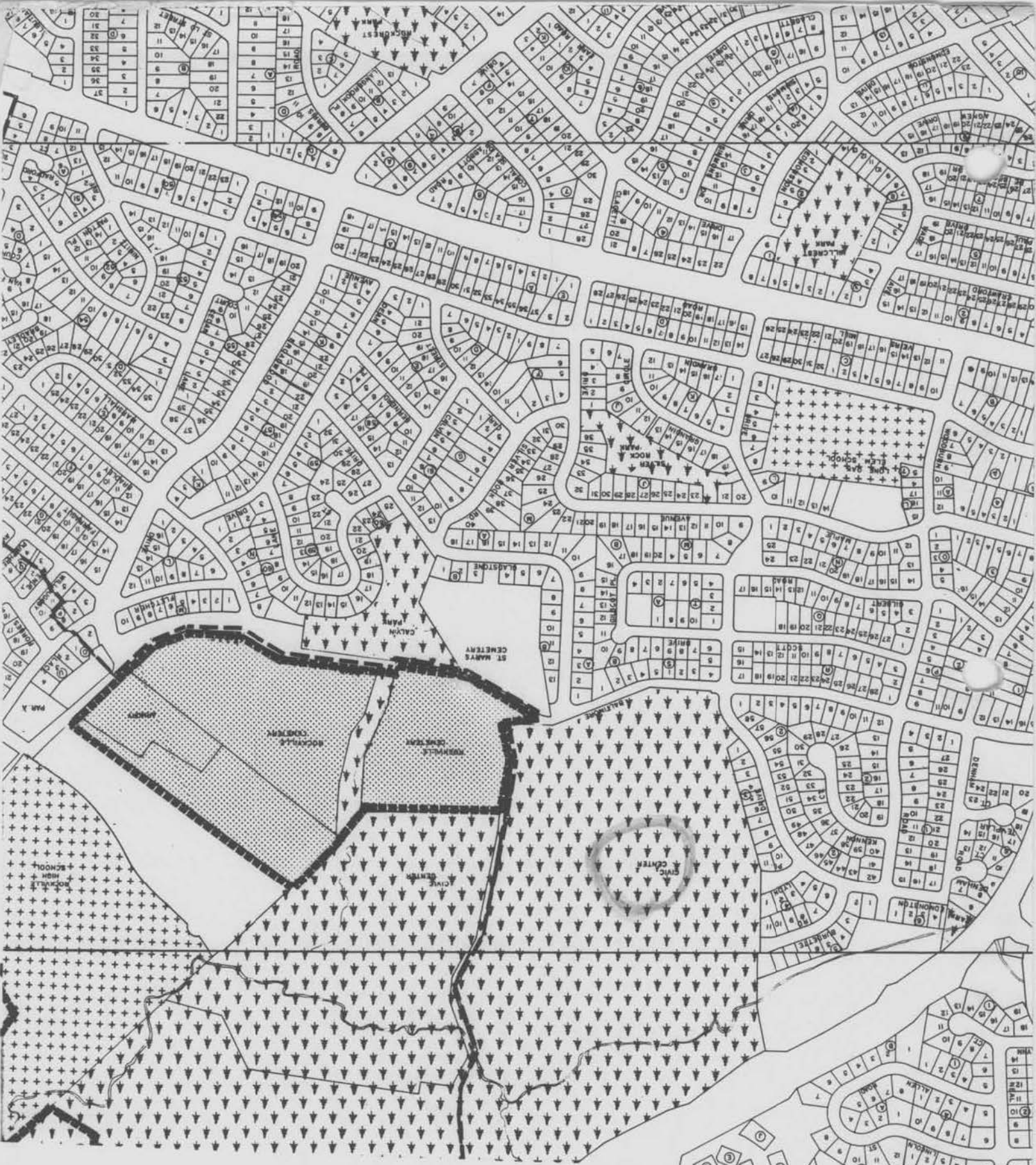
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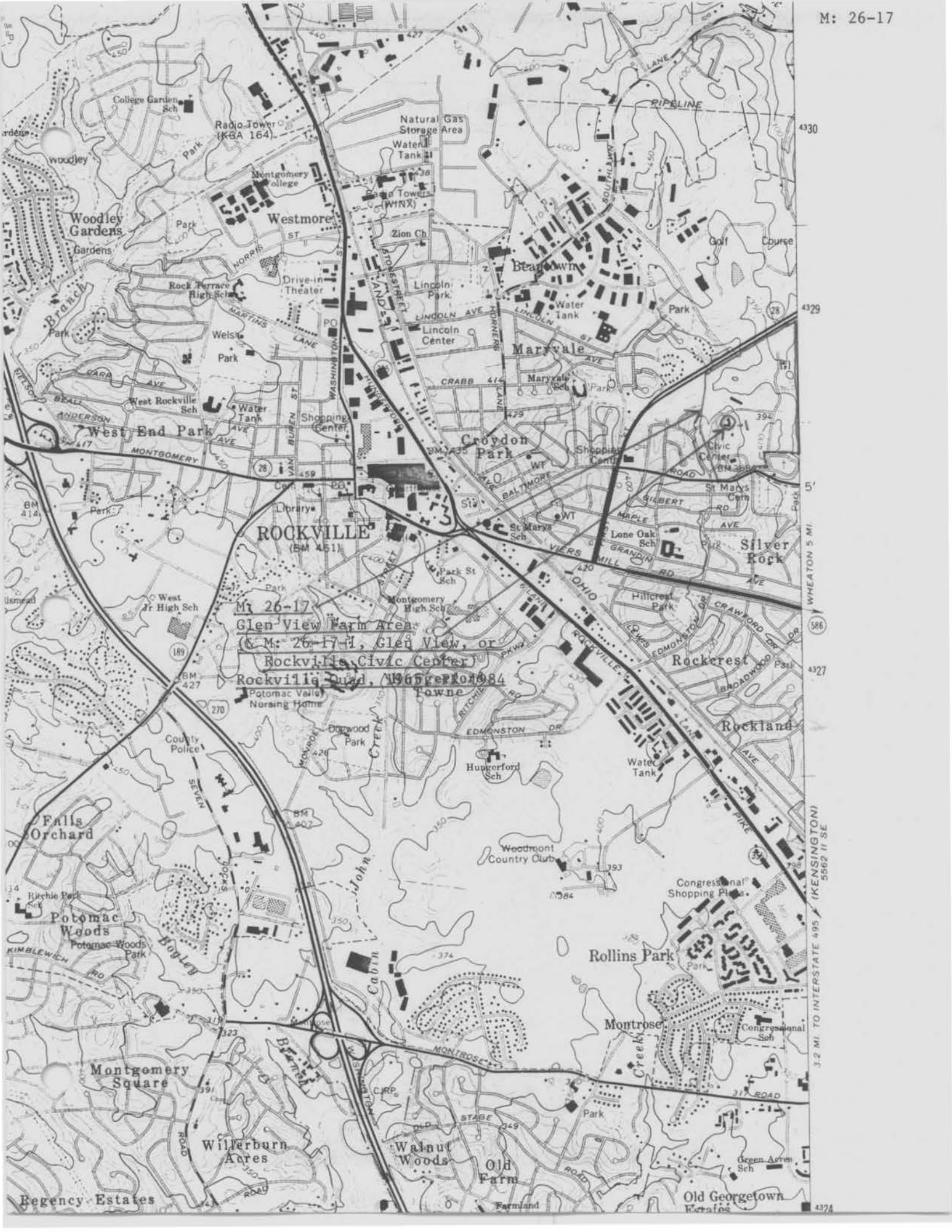
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Glenview Farm/
Civic Center

603 Edmonston Dr.







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Rockville

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LOCATION OLD BALTO. RD ROCKVILLE, MD

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