

HISTORIC PROPERTIES INVENTORY FORM

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION UNIT  
DEPARTMENT of CULTURE & HISTORY  
SCIENCE & CULTURE CENTER  
CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA 25305

File No: 11  
Theme (s):  
Neg No (s):  
USGS Quad: Charleston West, WV  
UTM Ref: 17/443550/4244400

DISTRICT: SITE: BUILDING: STRUCTURE: OBJECT

1. NAME(S), historic/common: Danner, George/Fletcher,  
Robert M., House

2. LOCATION, street/road: 626 Holley Road

city/town: Charleston  
(incorporated/unincorporated)

3. USE/FUNCTION, present: residence

(public/private,  
restricted)

original: residence

4. OWNER/ADDRESS, present: Robert M. Fletcher

(public/private)

original: Captain George Danner

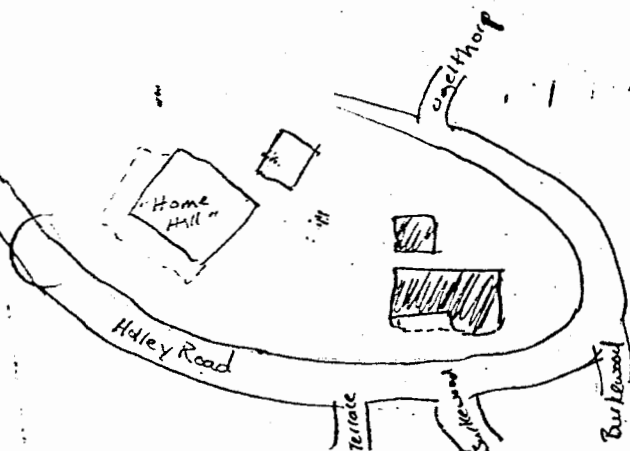
5. PHOTO/SKETCH OF:

7. PLAN (include approx. dimensions):

6. LOCALE/ENVIRONMENT (map):

8. ACREAGE (approx):

1/2 ACRE



COUNTY: Kanawha  
Survey Region: \_\_\_\_\_  
Planning District: \_\_\_\_\_

9. DESCRIPTION (clarify as appropriate):

a. Exterior Fabric

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

b. Structural System

masonry \_\_\_\_\_  
 frame X \_\_\_\_\_  
 log \_\_\_\_\_  
 metal \_\_\_\_\_  
 other \_\_\_\_\_  
 foundation \_\_\_\_\_

c. Roofing Material

wood \_\_\_\_\_  
 metal X (standing seam) \_\_\_\_\_  
 slate \_\_\_\_\_  
 tile \_\_\_\_\_  
 asphalt \_\_\_\_\_  
 composition \_\_\_\_\_  
 other \_\_\_\_\_

d. Associated Structures (use/type):

outbuilding garage/shed \_\_\_\_\_  
 dependencies N/A \_\_\_\_\_  
 other N/A \_\_\_\_\_

e. Integrity (include dates):

original site/relocated \_\_\_\_\_  
 alterations NONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 additions NONE \_\_\_\_\_

f. Condition:

excellent \_\_\_\_\_  
 good X \_\_\_\_\_  
 fair \_\_\_\_\_  
 deteriorated \_\_\_\_\_  
 abandoned \_\_\_\_\_

g. Threats:

10. SIGNIFICANCE (use additional sheet if necessary):

a. Architect/Builder/Engineer:

UNKNOWN

b. Style/Period:

Late Victorian farmhouse

c. Date(s):

c1896

The Danner/Fletcher house is a significant Charleston house in its age and style. Older than most homes in South Hills, it is a fine, unspoiled example of the Late Victorian farmhouse, and is the only house of this style in the area.

Captain George Danner (1826-1897) immigrated to the United States from Baden-Baden, Germany in 1856 and came to Charleston after three years of service in the West Virginia Volunteer Infantry in the Civil War. William S. Laidley, in his History of Charleston and Kanawha County, writes of Danner and his home: "after the war he spent his life at Charleston owning property on which he carried on farming

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12. FORM PREPARED BY Alice Carter, DATE Sept. 30 1983

a. Address 4011 Kanawha Ave. Charleston Wv 25394

b. Organization \_\_\_\_\_

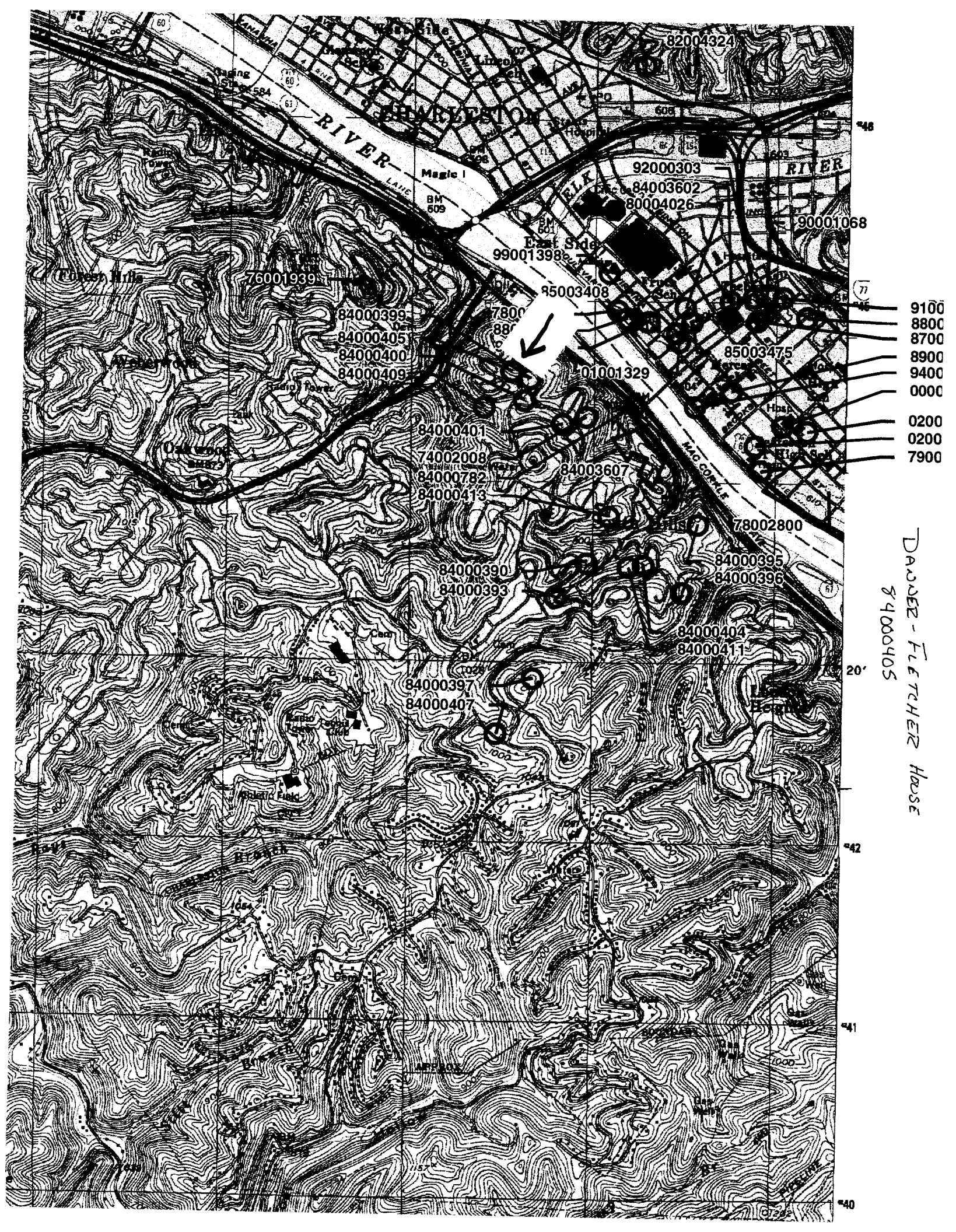
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gardening and fruit culture . There,amid peaceful surrounging, Captain Danner died..."Delbert E. Lloyd,secretary-treasurer of Middle Fork Black Coal Co.,purchased the home from Danner's widow in 1917,and H.H.Fletcher,whose family still resides in the house,bought it in 1933.

13. Verbal Boundary Description

The Danner/Fletcher House is situated on an approximatly one-half acre rectangular lot, 150' by 150', on the south side of Myrtle Road across from where Burkewood Road terminates on the north side of Myrtle Road.



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DADDER - FLETCHER HOUSE  
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20'

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