

APPENDIX D:

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDING SURVEY DOCUMENTATION

THE WILLIAM ELLIOT HOUSE

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE Delaware	COUNTY New Castle County	TOWN OR VICINITY Wilmington
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) (New Castle County deeds and tax records) William Elliot House		HABS NO.
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE John M. Connor House		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 2206 Newport Gap Pike (State Route 41)		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) (New Castle County deeds ca. 1870s and tax records)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) The William Elliot house documents the growth of the Greenbank area from a predominantly rural agricultural landscape into an industrial/manufacturing community. It is a rural private home built for a middle-class family.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Gothic Revival/Greek Revival		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) The dwelling is a frame structure entirely sheathed with German siding and has a foundation of stuccoed concrete blocks and fieldstone.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) See the enclosed floor plans.		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE The Elliot house possesses a center-gable facade penetrated by a pointed arch window in the attic and projecting cornices reminiscent of Gothic Revival. It also has a colonnaded porch often found in Greek Revival houses.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) See the enclosed floor plans.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES There are two one-story shed additions. The southwest addition dated from the late nineteenth century to the early twentieth century. The southeast one dates from the mid- to late twentieth century.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Recent vandalism has removed many of its' architectural features. The house is in direct line of a proposed road improvement and will be demolished.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) The Delaware Statewide Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan, Delaware Cultural Resource Survey, New Castle County Deeds/Tax Assessments for Christiana Hundred		
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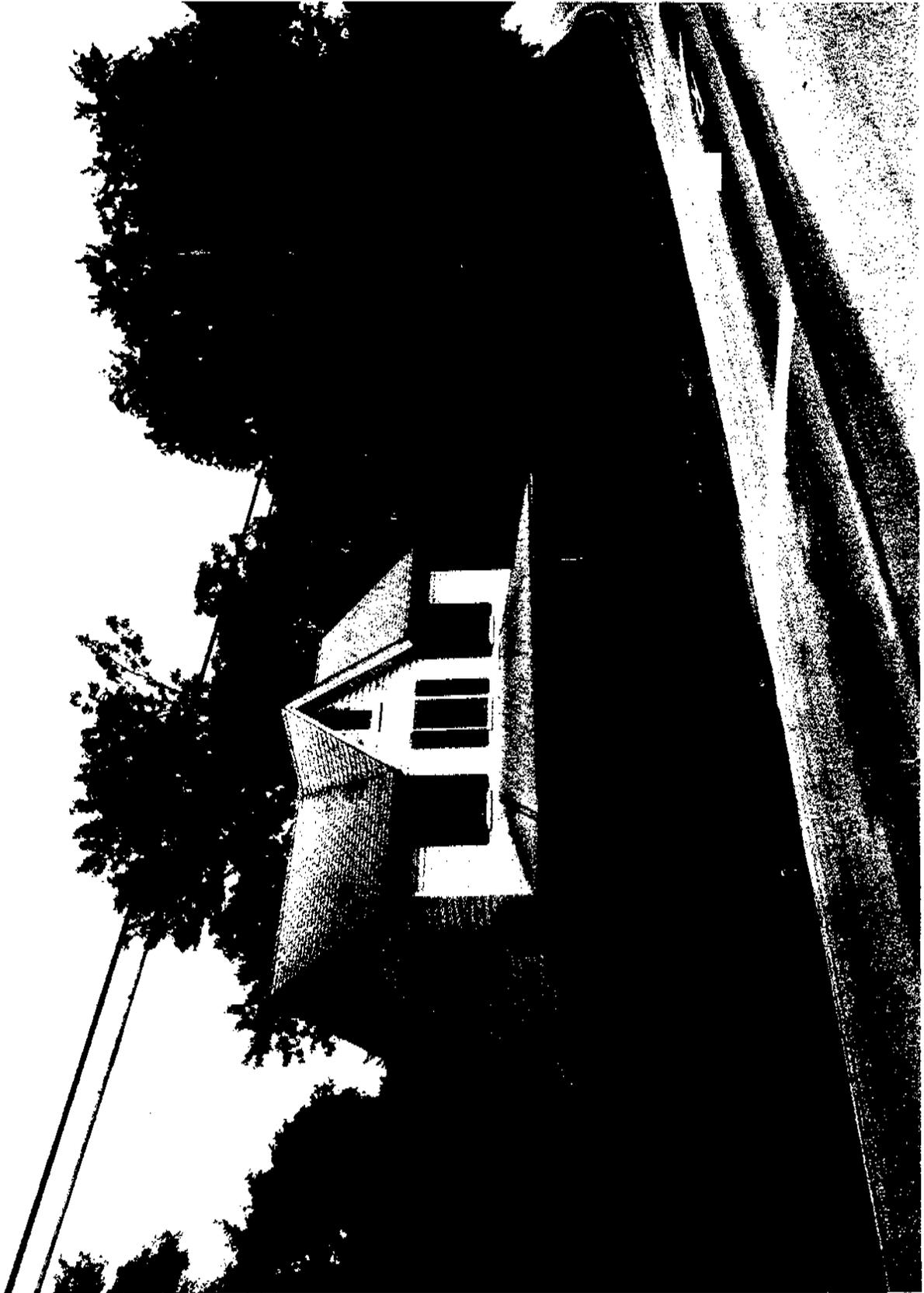
William Elliot House (John M. Conner House)  
2206 Newport Gap Pike (State Route 41)  
South side of Newport Gap Pike approximately  
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(State Route 2)  
Prices Corner vicinity  
Wilmington  
Christiana Hundred  
New Castle County  
Delaware

HABS No. DE-

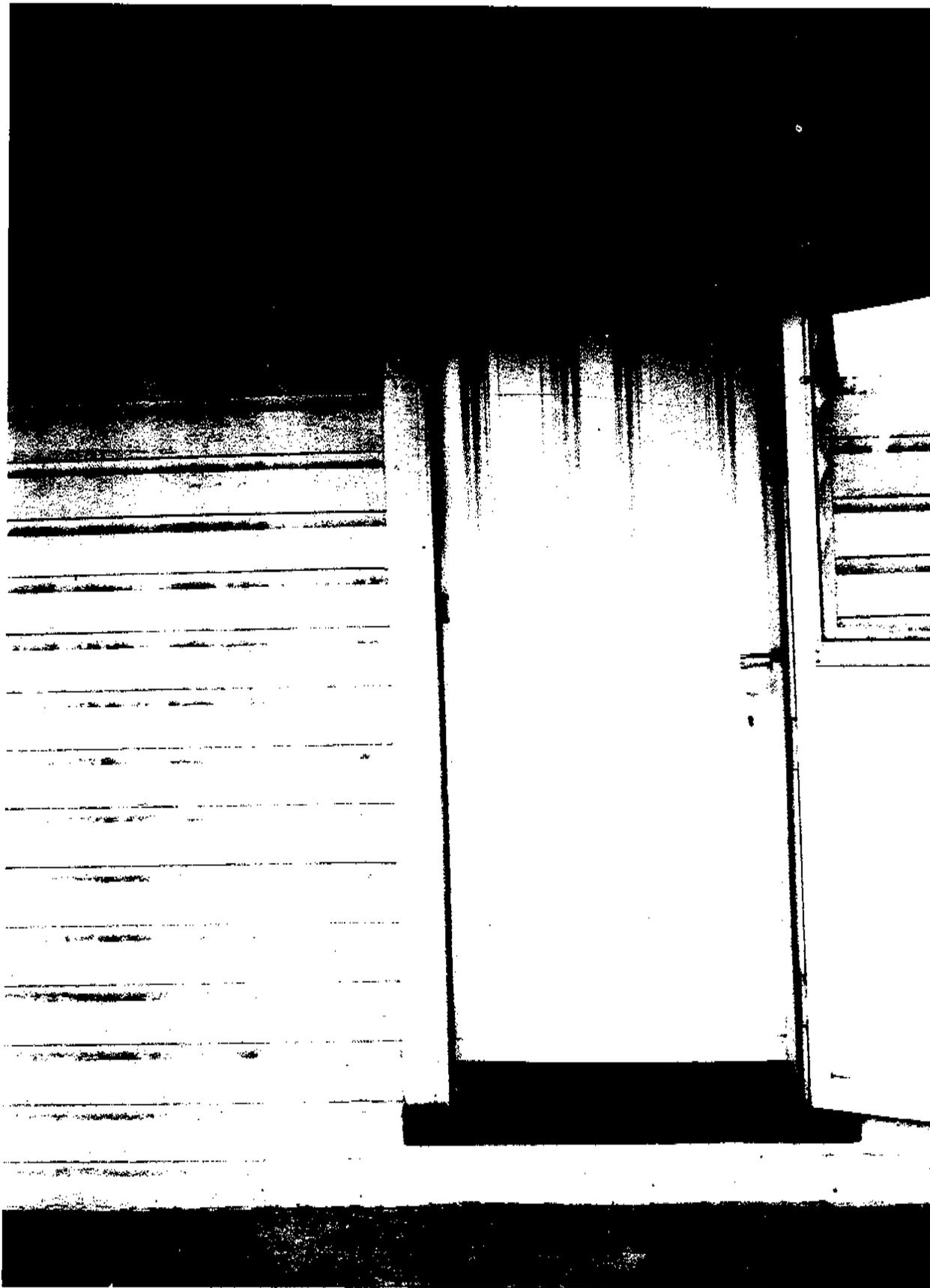
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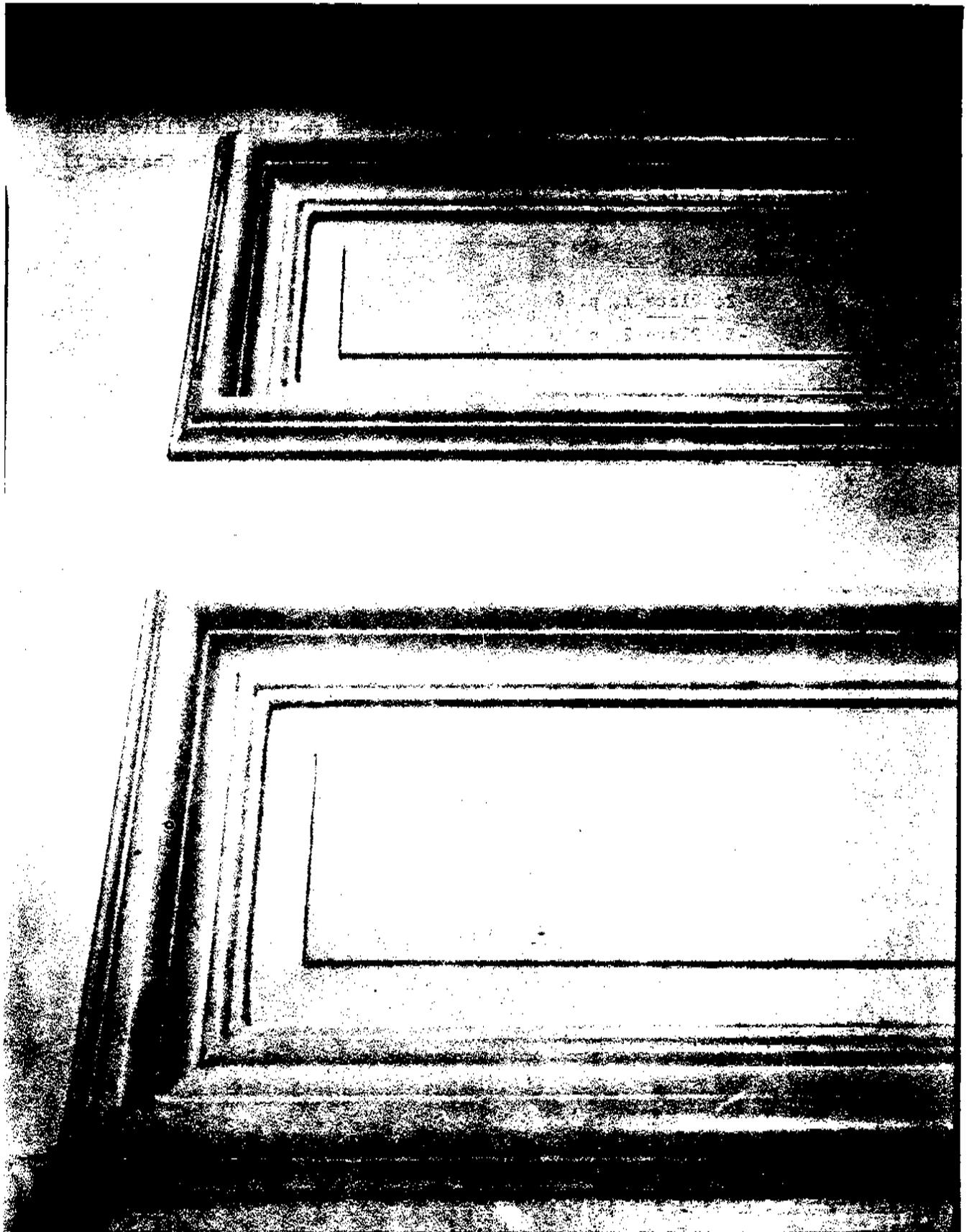
DE- -1      NORTHEAST (FRONT) AND SOUTHEAST ELEVATIONS LOOKING WEST  
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