HO-362 Ida Holzweig's Double Stone House #2 (State Farm Insurance & Antiques, Etc.) 8345 Main Street Ellicott City Private

Facing north on the southwest corner of Main Street and Merryman Street in Ellicott City, Maryland, this five bay wide stone house has three 6/6 sash windowed gable dormers on the south side of the roof. The upper sashes have curved tops and the dormers have pilasters. A two-story porch with second floor balustrade and Tuscan columns covers the front of the house. The second floor of the front of the house has a door in the second (from left) bay. The other four bays have 6/6 windows. The first floor of this porch is enclosed and now holds a central entrance with 1-light transom and sidelights, flanked by tripartite windows of three sets of 10 lights each. This porch wraps around to cover the west gable end of the house. Here, the first floor has a balustrade, square columns, corner brackets, and pendants.

The east gable end of the house has two 6/6 windows on the first floor, one on the second floor in the north bay, and two small 6/6 windows in the attic, flanking the flush chimney, the brick stack of which continues above the roofline. There is a shed-roofed frame addition to the rear of the building. The first floor of the addition has a 6/6 sash window on the east facade, and is covered with asphalt shingles. The second floor of this facade was once covered with wooden shingles, and had three Queen Anne windows. These have been removed, and the whole addition covered with clapboard.

The west facade of the building has a 6/6 sash window in the north bay of the enclosed porch mentioned above. The west facade of the main block has an exterior stairway within the 2-story porch, leading to its second floor. This stairway covers the north half of the first floor of this facade. The south half has a polygonal bay window. This window has narrow 2/2 sash windows with horizontal muntins in the outer two bays, while the central bay has a narrow 12-light french door with screen.

The second floor of the west facade has a 9-light door in the south bay and stairs in the north bay, leading to a third floor door in the attic gable.

This facade of the 2-story 2-bay shed-roofed frame addition has a door in the south bay, and 6/6 sash windows to its left and in both bays of the second floor.

The rear (south) facade is uneven, with the west bay projecting farther than the right two. The east facade of the projection has one 6/6 sash window on each floor. The remainder of the rear facade (the two east bays) has two 6/6 sash windows on the first floor, and a row of six Queen Anne windows on the second floor (14 small lights around one central light, over 1).

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