

**PH 002 1423**

STATE: Delaware	
COUNTY: New Castle	
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ENTRY NUMBER 71.4.10.0011	DATE 9/16/71

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM**

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

<b>1. NAME</b>			
COMMON: Buena Vista			
AND/OR HISTORIC: Buena Vista			
<b>2. LOCATION</b>			
STREET AND NUMBER: duPont Highway (U.S. 13), west side, 1.5 miles south of junction of U.S. Route 13 and 40			
CITY OR TOWN: New Castle Hundred			
STATE Delaware	CODE 10	COUNTY: New Castle	CODE 003

<b>3. CLASSIFICATION</b>			
CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS
District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/>	Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/>	Public Acquisition: In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>
			ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

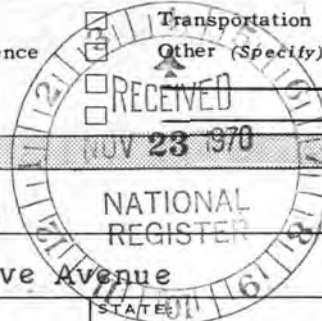
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Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	Government-Related <input type="checkbox"/>
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>		State guests <input type="checkbox"/>
Entertainment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>		

<b>4. OWNER OF PROPERTY</b>			
OWNERS NAME: Public Archives Commission			
STREET AND NUMBER: Hall of Records, Legislative Avenue			
CITY OR TOWN: Dover	STATE: Delaware	CODE: 10	19901

<b>5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION</b>			
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC: Recorder of Deeds, New Castle County			
STREET AND NUMBER: Public Building, Rodney Square			
CITY OR TOWN: Wilmington	STATE: Delaware	CODE: 10	
APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 51.9			

<b>6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS</b>			
TITLE OF SURVEY: A List Of Delaware Heritage Buildings And Areas In New Castle Co.			
DATE OF SURVEY: 1964 Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/>			
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: Public Archives Commission			
STREET AND NUMBER: Hall of Records			
CITY OR TOWN: Dover	STATE: Delaware	CODE: 10	

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## 7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)				
	Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Good <input type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)		(Check One)		
	Altered <input type="checkbox"/>	Unaltered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moved <input type="checkbox"/>	Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The house at Buena Vista is a five bay, two storey brick dwelling erected about 1845-1847. It is in the Greek Revival style, somewhat modified by a skillful but unidentified architect. A verandah across the front features correct Doric columns. Double chimneys at the ends are connected by balustrades. A service wing extends to the west from the north end of the building. In the present century a long wing was added to the south side to provide a large hall and library downstairs and several bedrooms upstairs without alteration of the earlier portion. The original house is now furnished with pieces appropriate to its period, including many possessions of John M. Clayton. It is open for exhibit. The newer portion, furnished basically as Governor Buck left it, is used for meetings of State agencies and for the entertainment of distinguished guests.

The house standing several hundred yards west of the southbound lane of U.S. 13, is approached by a lane shaded by a double line of trees. Immediately about it are lawns and dependencies, and surrounding all, well-tilled fields. As transferred by John M. Clayton shortly before his death to his nephew James C. Douglass, Buena Vista comprised 324 acres, of which 51.9 are now the property of the State of Delaware; the rest is held by the Buck family.

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# 8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian ☐

16th Century ☐

18th Century ☐

20th Century ☒

15th Century ☐

17th Century ☐

19th Century ☒

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) 1845-47

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal ☐

Education ☐

Political ☒

Urban Planning ☐

Prehistoric ☐

Engineering ☐

Religion/Philosophy ☐

Other (Specify) ☐

Historic ☐

Industry ☐

Science ☐

Agriculture ☒

Invention ☐

Sculpture ☐

Art ☐

Landscape ☐

Social/Humanitarian ☐

Commerce ☐

Architecture ☒

Theater ☐

Communications ☐

Literature ☐

Transportation ☐

Conservation ☐

Military ☐

Music ☐

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

Buena Vista is significant primarily as the home of John M. Clayton (1796-1856), its builder, but it also has value as the site of a mid nineteenth century demonstration of the effects of scientific methods of agriculture, and as the home of C. Douglass Buck (1890-1965). John M. Clayton was Secretary of State to President Zachary Taylor 1849-1850, and United States Senator from Delaware 1828-1836, 1845-1849 and 1852-1856. His most notable achievement was negotiation of the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty, but he was also an active, nationally-minded Senator influential in evolving the National Republican and Whig positions on all major issues of those years. He was likewise a distinguished lawyer and judge, and an influential supporter of scientific agriculture after his purchase of the farm he named Buena Vista, which he brought from exhaustion to showplace condition in a few years. His guests there included many of the national figures of the period 1847-1856. Clayton's great-grandnephew, C. Douglass Buck, was Governor of Delaware 1929-1937, and United States Senator 1943-1949. He was importantly connected with the development of the State Highway system. He bequeathed the house at Buena Vista, with sufficient acreage to preserve its setting, to the State of Delaware

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## 9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Historic Houses And Buildings Of Delaware, by Harold Donaldson Eberlein and Cortlandt V.D. Hubbard, published at Dover in 1962, pp. 146-147

Delaware: A History Of The First State, edited by Jeannette Eckman and others, published at New York in 1955, p.331

"Memoir Of John M. Clayton", by Joseph P. Comegys, published as Papers Of The Historical Society of Delaware IV, at Wilmington in 1882, pp.139-141

Dictionary Of American Biography, edited by Allen Johnson and Dumas Malone, published at New York in 1953, Vol.IV pp.185-186

## 10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE			
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	39° 38' 08"	75° 38' 24"			
NE	39° 37' 59"	75° 38' 00"			
SE	39° 37' 51"	75° 38' 06"			
SW	39° 38' 00"	75° 38' 29"			

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

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE

## 11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Leon deValinger, Jr., State Archivist		
ORGANIZATION Public Archives Commission	DATE January 1970	
STREET AND NUMBER: Hall of Records, Legislative Avenue		
CITY OR TOWN: Dover	STATE Delaware 19901	CODE 10

## 12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

## NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☒ State ☒ Local ☐

Name

*Leon deValinger*

Title

State Liaison Officer

Date

January 29, 1971

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

*Robert A. Connolly*  
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

APR 16 1971

Date

ATTEST:

*William J. Burdette*  
Keeper of The National Register

Date

MAR 12 1971

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(Continuation Sheet)

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COUNTY	
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(Number all entries)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Biographical Directory Of The American Congress, 1774-1961,  
... published by United States Government Printing Office,  
1961, pp. 705 [Clayton] and 619 [Buck]



NAME OF PROPERTY BUENA VISTA

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

The attached National Register Inventory-Nomination form (2) is (///) being returned to your office because the information checked below is lacking or has been incorrectly supplied.

Insufficient locational information.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Geographical location codes missing or incorrect.

Classification (Item #3) incomplete.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of property/location of legal description necessary.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

No Bibliography.

Acreage of nomination is not given.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Longitude and latitude coordinates lacking, incorrect, or in wrong place.

~~XX~~ Form is not signed by State Liaison Officer (Item #12),

Photograph/map form(s) (10-301) required for each photograph/map).

Insufficient map coverage of property.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Description (Item #7).

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of Significance (Item #8).

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_



Xerox forms unacceptable.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Other

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

The inadequacies noted above must be rectified prior to the initiation of our professional review process. Correction of these technical errors does not necessarily indicate that the nomination will then meet all other National Register criteria.

*Madford*

71000228

RECEIPT

PROPERTY

Buena Vista

STATE

Del.

REGISTER NUMBER

71.4.10.0011 4/16/71

DATE OF RECEIPT 11/23/70 YES

NO

NUMBER

4

DATA PAGE

PHOTO (S)

PHOTO DESCRIP (S)

MAP (S)

MAP DESCRIPTION (S)

LOGGED

ACKNOWLEDGE

RESUBMIT

11/24/70

2/8/71

NEW CASTLE CO.

REVIEW

OK

5 Marston

2/26/71

HISTORIAN

OK

Levy

3/9/71

HISTORIAN

ARCHITECT

There's not much of 1845-47 vintage in the parlor! In fact, the windows show this to be in the new wing. Guess they wanted to impress us.

OK

Chambers

3-9-71

ASST. KEEPER

KEEPER

OK

Wm

3/12/71

ENTRY

CHIEF, OABP

OK

Wm

4-16-71

EDITORIAL PROCESSING, EDITOR

Very interesting!

OK

CD 3/11/71

Federal Register Entry

6/1/71

Date

Annual Edition Entry

Logged

4/16/71

Card

4/16/71

WORKING NUMBER

11.23.70.1

COMMENTS:

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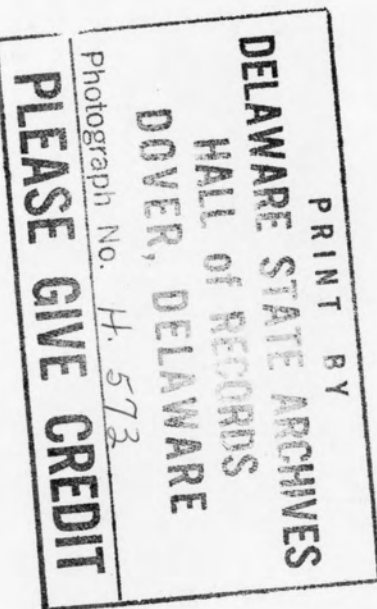
Title: Buena Vista

Loc. New Castle Co.

Interior: entrance

hallway and stairway

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PLEASE GIVE CREDIT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES

PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPH FORM

(Type all entries - attach to or enclose with photograph)

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CITY OR TOWN: New Castle Hundred			
STATE: Delaware	CODE 10	COUNTY:	CODE 003
3. PHOTO REFERENCE			
PHOTO CREDIT: Delaware State Archives #H-573			
DATE OF PHOTO: February 24, 1965			
NEGATIVE FILED AT: Hall of Records, Dover, Delaware			
4. IDENTIFICATION			
DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.			
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NPS Number 71-4-~~8~~ 10-0011

title: Buena Vista

loc. New Castle Co.  
interior - parlor

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DELAWARE STATE ARCHIVES  
HALL of RECORDS  
DOVER, DELAWARE

Photograph No. H. 591

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DATE OF PHOTO: February 24, 1965			
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4. IDENTIFICATION			
DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. Interior view of southwest parlor looking southwest.			

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NPS Number 71.4.10.0011  
Title: Buena Vista  
Loc. New Castle Co.  
parlor

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Interior view of parlor looking south			

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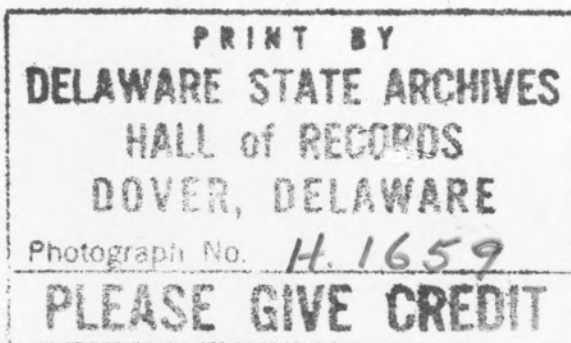




NPS Number April 14, 1971

Title: Buena Vista

Loc. New Castle, Delaware  
View of facade taken  
from the East



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New Castle Hundred

STATE:

Delaware

CODE

10

COUNTY:

CODE

003

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DATE OF PHOTO: February 24, 1965

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4. IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

View of facade taken from the East

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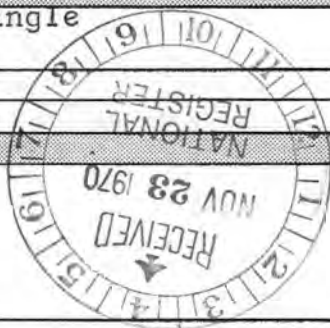
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PROPERTY MAP FORM

(Type all entries - attach to or enclose with map)

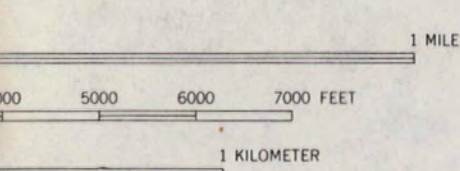
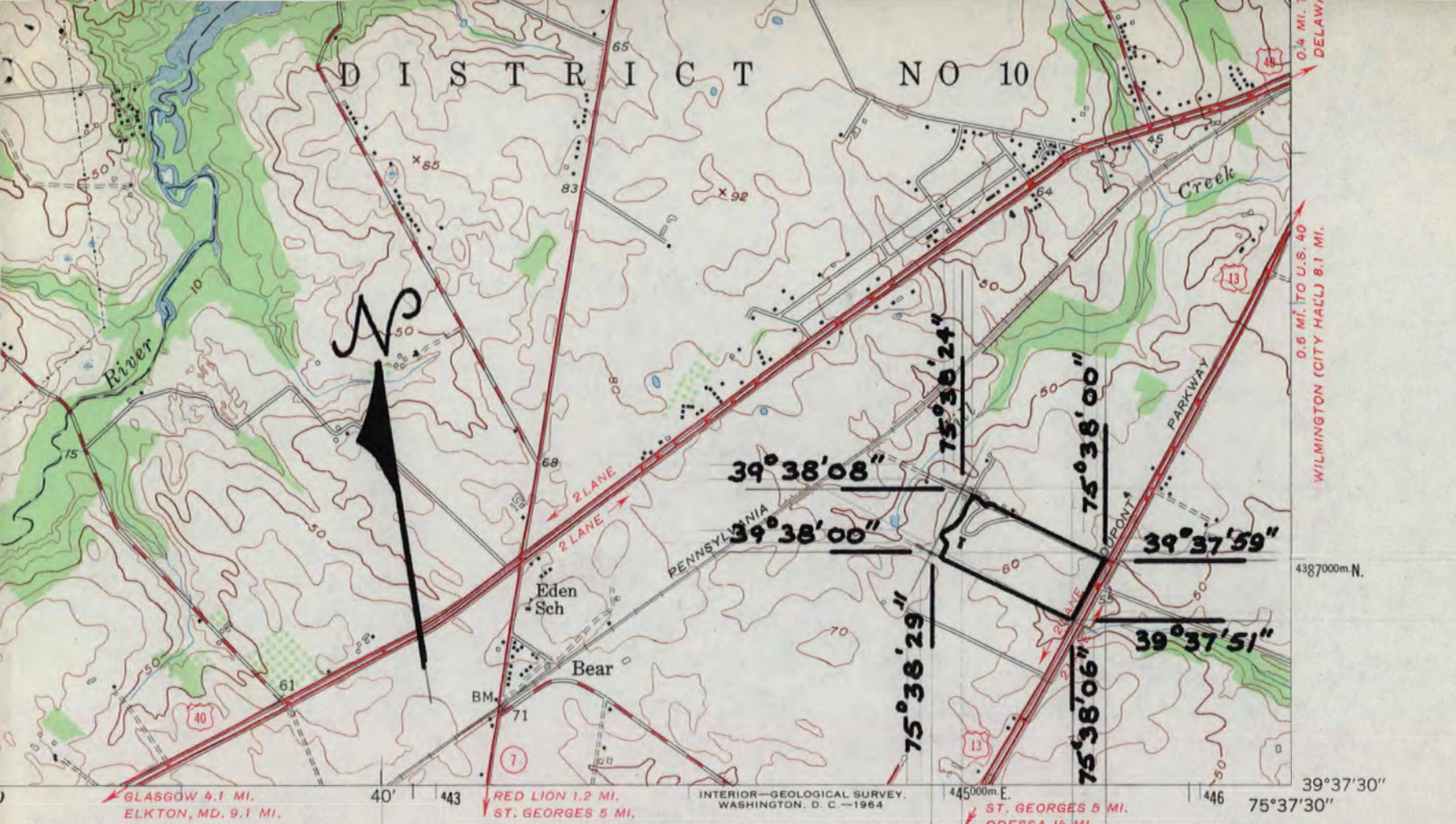
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Delaware	10		003
3. MAP REFERENCE			
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SCALE: 1:24,000			
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TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS			
1. Property boundaries where required.			
2. North arrow.			
3. Latitude and longitude reference.			

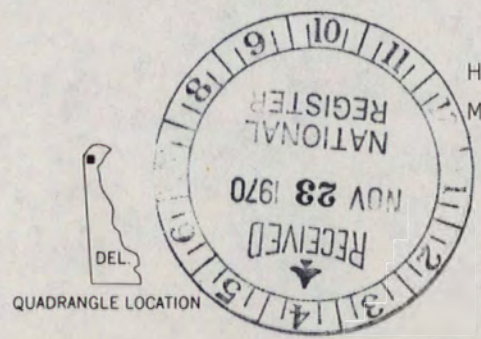


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 ACCURACY STANDARDS  
 WASHINGTON 25, D. C.  
 SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST



ROAD CLASSIFICATION  
 1964  
 Heavy-duty —————  
 Medium-duty —————  
 U.S. Route State Route

NEWARK EAST, DEL.  
 NW/4 WILMINGTON 15' QUADRANGLE  
 N 3937.5—W 7537.5/7.5

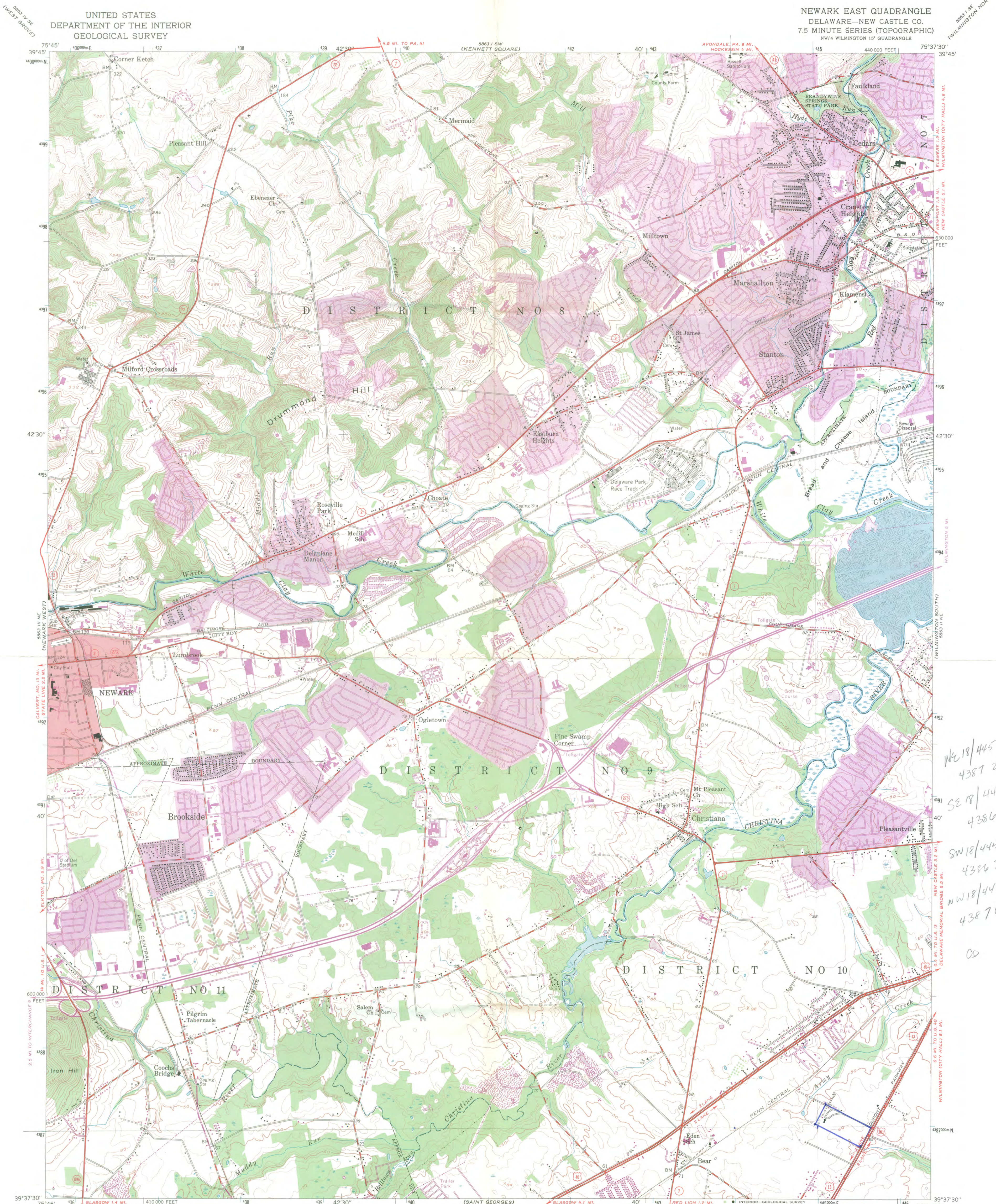
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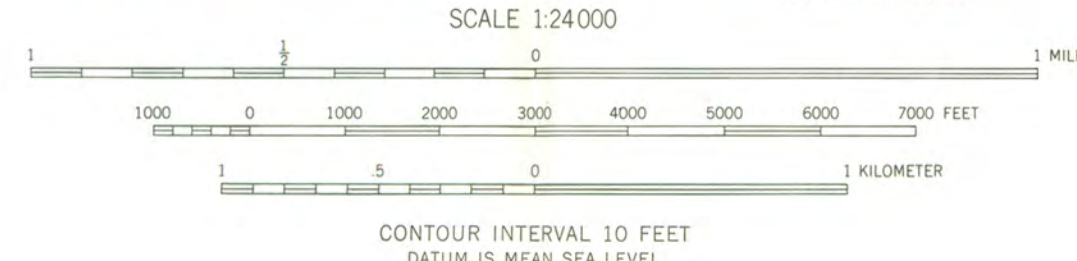
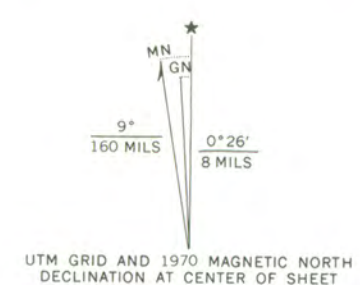


UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

NEWARK EAST QUADRANGLE  
DELAWARE—NEW CASTLE CO.  
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)  
NW/4 WILMINGTON 15' QUADRANGLE



Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey  
Control by USGS, USC&GS, and Delaware Geodetic Survey  
Topography from aerial photographs by multiplex methods  
Aerial photographs taken 1951. Field check 1953  
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum  
10,000-foot grid based on Delaware coordinate system  
Red tint indicates area in which only  
landmark buildings are shown  
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,  
zone 18, shown in blue  
Revisions shown in purple compiled from aerial photographs  
taken 1970. This information not field checked  
Purple tint indicates extension of urban areas



ROAD CLASSIFICATION	
Heavy-duty	Light-duty
Medium-duty	Unimproved dirt
U.S. Route	State Route

NEWARK EAST, DEL.  
NW/4 WILMINGTON 15' QUADRANGLE  
N 3937.5—W 7537.5/7.5  
1953  
PHOTOREVISED 1970  
AMS 5863 II NW—SERIES V832

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS  
FOR SALE BY U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST





STATE OF DELAWARE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DIVISION OF ARCHIVES AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Eugene Bunting  
Secretary

Hall of Records  
Dover, Delaware, 19901

November 17, 1970  
Project #07-71-00001

Dr. William J. Murtagh  
Keeper of The National Register  
National Park Service  
801 19th Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20006

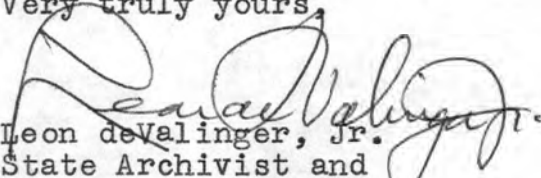
Dear Dr. Murtagh:

Under the terms of Grants Guide, 2.9 Advance  
Nominations, we are sending a nomination form for  
Buena Vista.

This nomination has been approved by our  
State Review Board and is accordingly being transmitted  
to your office.

We hope your office will find this nomination  
acceptable.

Very truly yours,

  
Leon deValinger, Jr.  
State Archivist and  
State Liaison Officer

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Enclosure

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STATE OF DELAWARE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DIVISION OF ARCHIVES AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Eugene Bunting  
Secretary

Hall of Records  
Dover, Delaware 19901

January 29, 1971

Dr. William J. Murtagh  
Keeper of National Register  
National Park Service  
801 19th Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20006

Dear Dr. Murtagh:

We are resubmitting under the terms of 2.9 advanced nominations the nomination forms for Buena Vista.

We have made the following corrections and additions:

1. Item #12 has been corrected as well as changing the coding.

I hope this form meets your approval and this project will be considered for inclusion on the National Register.

Best regards,

Rea Wilkie  
Historic Registrar,  
S.L.O. for the  
National Register

RW:pf  
Enclosures





APR 16 1971

H30-HR

Hon. William V. Roth, Jr.  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Roth:

We are pleased to inform you that the historic properties listed on the enclosure have been nominated by the State Liaison Officer appointed by the Governor for the implementation of the National Historic Preservation Program in Delaware and have been entered into the National Register of Historic Places. Senator J. Caleb Boggs and Representative Pierre S. duPont, IV, have also been provided with this information. By copy of this letter, the State Liaison Officer, Mr. Rea Wilkie, Historic Registrar, Division of Archives and Cultural Affairs, Hall of Records, Dover, Delaware 19901, has likewise been notified. A leaflet explaining the National Register is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

*[Signature]*

Director

Enclosures

Entered in the National Register

APR 16 1971

cc: Mr. Rea Wilkie, Historic Registrar, Division of Archives and Cultural Affairs, Hall of Records, Dover, Delaware 19901

Also notified: Hon. J. Caleb Boggs  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

Hon. Pierre S. duPont, IV  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

BASIC FILE RETAINED IN HR

PDHerrick:naf

cc: Director, Northeast Region

4/14/71

HR

Properties added to the National Register of Historic Places

DELAWARE

Matthew Lowber House

Kent County  
Magnolia, South Murderkill Hundred,  
Delaware

Buena Vista

New Castle County  
New Castle Hundred, Delaware

APR 16 1971

H30-HR

Mr. Rea Wilkie  
Historic Registrar  
Division of Archives and Cultural Affairs  
Hall of Records  
Dover, Delaware 19901

Dear Mr. Wilkie:

We are pleased to inform you that the historic properties listed on the enclosure have been placed on the National Register of Historic Places. Senators William V. Roth, Jr., and J. Caleb Boggs and Representative Pierre S. duPont, IV, are being informed. A leaflet explaining the National Register is enclosed for each of the property owners. Please withhold any publicity on this until you have received a carbon copy of the Congressional correspondence.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed)

Director

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Entered in the National Register APR 16 1971

CC:  
HR

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Magnolia, South Murderkill Hundred,  
Delaware

Buena Vista

New Castle County  
New Castle Hundred, Delaware