

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

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YOUR NAME: Town of Islip/SPLIA DATE: March 1990
Town Hall, 655 Main St.
YOUR ADDRESS: Islip, L.I., N.Y. 11751 TELEPHONE: 516.224.5450
ORGANIZATION (if any): Dept. of Planning, Housing, and Development

IDENTIFICATION

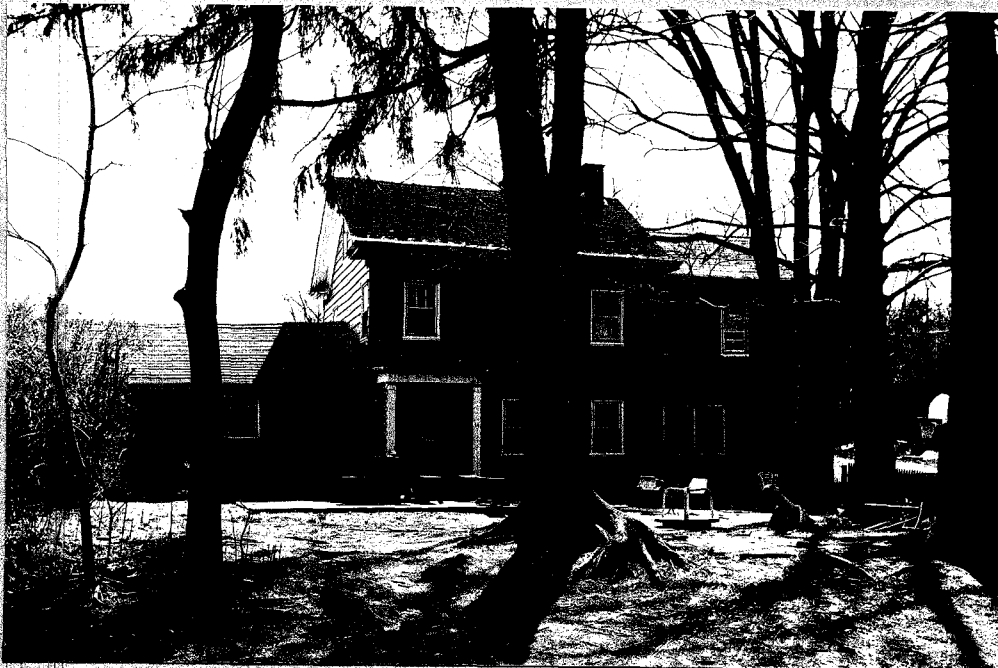
1. BUILDING NAME(S): Blydenburgh/Codling House (?)
2. COUNTY: Suffolk TOWN/CITY: Islip VILLAGE: Hauppauge
3. STREET LOCATION: 14 Old Town Line Rd.
4. OWNERSHIP: a. public ☐ b. private ☒
5. PRESENT OWNER: _____ ADDRESS: _____
6. USE: Original: residence Present: residence
7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes ☒ No ☐
Interior accessible: Explain private residence

DESCRIPTION

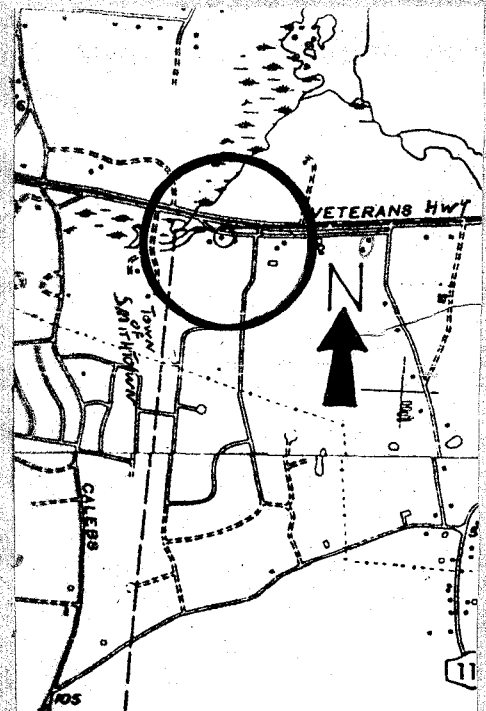
8. BUILDING MATERIAL: a. clapboard ☐ b. stone ☐ c. brick ☐ d. board and batten ☐
e. cobblestone ☐ f. shingles ☐ g. stucco ☐ other modern cladding
9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM: a. wood frame with interlocking joints ☒
(if known) b. wood frame with light members ☐
c. masonry load bearing walls ☐
d. metal (explain) _____
e. other _____
10. CONDITION: a. excellent ☒ b. good ☐ c. fair ☐ d. deteriorated ☐
11. INTEGRITY: a. original site ☒ b. moved ☐ if so, when? _____
c. list major alterations and dates (if known):
modern cladding added, west wing added

12. PHOTO: Neg. KK XVI-11, fm N

13. MAP: NYS DOT Central Islip Quad



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14. THREATS TO BUILDING: a. none known ☒ b. zoning ☐ c. roads ☐
 d. developers ☐ e. deterioration ☐
 f. other: _____
15. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS AND PROPERTY:
 a. barn ☐ b. carriage house ☐ c. garage ☐
 d. privy ☐ e. shed ☐ f. greenhouse ☐
 g. shop ☐ h. gardens ☐
 i. landscape features: _____
 j. other: _____
16. SURROUNDINGS OF THE BUILDING (check more than one if necessary):
 a. open land ☐ b. woodland ☒ light
 c. scattered buildings ☐
 d. densely built-up ☐ e. commercial ☐
 f. industrial ☐ g. residential ☒
 h. other: Veterans Memorial Highway to the north

17. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS:
 (Indicate if building or structure is in an historic district)

14 Old Town Line Road is located on the south side of a narrow street that has been bypassed by the Veterans Memorial Highway, leaving this residential section hidden behind a wooded buffer. Only about one half dozen houses stand on this lane, three of which are historic.

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):
 14 Old Town Line Rd. is a 2½ story, three bay, side entrance plan, gable roof house with a 1½ story, low gable roof wing on the east and a large, 2½ story gable roof wing on the west. The entrance contains sidelights and pilasters under a shed roof entrance porch.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: early 19th century

ARCHITECT: _____

BUILDER: _____

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:

The house was owned by William Blydenburgh in 1858.

This is a fine example of a classic Long Island house type of the Colonial and Federal periods, referred to as a "half house."
 In spite of modern alterations, it retains its form and proportions.

21. SOURCES:

Marr, Jack. History of Hauppauge, Long Island, 1981. (edited edition)
 Chace, Map of Suffolk County, 1858.

22. THEME:

Research by the Society for the Preservation of Long Island Antiquities - KEK