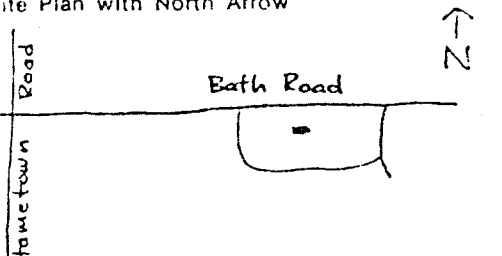


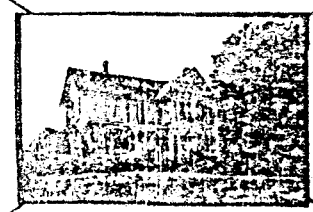
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No. SUM - 123	4. Present Name(s) Larson, M.J. Residence	<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> ENTERED 6/11/79 </div>	1. No. SUM-123
County Summit	5. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence		
Location of Negatives WRHS	REFNUM 7 9002804		2. County Summit

Specific Location 4270 Bath Road	16. Thematic Category C	28. No. of Stories 2	4. Present Name(s) Larson Residence
City or Town If Rural, Township & Vicinity Bath Twp., Bath Center	17. Date(s) or Period ca. 1875	29. Base ment? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Site Plan with North Arrow 	18. Style or Design Lakelake	30. Foundation Material stone	5. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
Coordinates West Richfield Lat. _____ Long. _____	19. Architect or Engineer	31. Wall Construction wood frame	
U.T.M. Reference 7 4 4 5 3 10 4 5 5 7 4 6 2	20. Contractor or Builder	32. Roof Type & Material gable/shingle	6. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
Site Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/>	21. Original Use, if apparent Residence	33. No. of Bays Front 5 Side 2	
On National Register? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22. Present Use Residence	34. Wall Treatment clapboard	7. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
Part of Estab. Hist. Dist.? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	23. Ownership Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	35. Plan Shape rectangular	
Name of Established District	24. Owner's Name & Address, If known Mr. & Mrs. David Bowman 4270 W. Bath Road	36. Changes (Explain in #42) Addition <input type="checkbox"/> Altered <input type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/>	8. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
	25. Open to Public? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	37. Condition Interior _____ Exterior very good	
	26. Local Contact Person or Organization	38. Preservation Underway? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	9. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
	27. Other Surveys in Which Included	39. Endangered? By What? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		40. Visible from Public Road? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	10. Other Name(s) Harshey, John, Residence
		41. Distance from and Frontage on Road 75'	

Further Description of Important Features
Long wood frame house with steeply gabled roof, "ginger-bread" and vertical, saw-tooth siding in each gable, gabled architraves with carvings, tall vertical windows that are full height on lower level, a narrow paneled door, and a bracketed front porch with paired spindle columns and saw-tooth frieze.



History and Significance
John Harshey moved with his family to Bath in 1849. This house stands on an 148 acre lot which Harshey owned in 1874. Harshey owned property elsewhere in Bath totalling 345 acres. He raised good stock and was one of the leading agriculturalists in the county. His family owned property scattered through the township. By 1891 Harshey had sold the lot.

Description of Environment and Outbuildings
The house stands on a hillside with a new housing development behind and open land across the road.

Sources of Information Ferrin, History of Summit Co., 1891. Summit County Atlases - 1874, 1891.	46. Prepared by Word/Fisher
	47. Organization WRHS
	48. Date 6/77
	49. Revision Date(s)

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*new owner:
Mrs. F. Warren Yawney*

June 22, 1979

~~Mr. & Mrs. David Bowman~~
4270 W. Bath Road
Akron, Ohio 44313

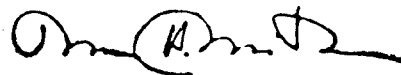
Dear Mr. & Mrs. Bowman:

I am pleased to inform you that the Bath Township Multiple Resource Area, Bath Township, has been entered in the National Register of Historic Places by the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service, United States Department of the Interior.

The nomination was made in connection with a state plan to identify and document prehistoric and historic places in Ohio which qualify for National Register status under provisions of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966. All nominations are approved by the Ohio Historic Site Preservation Advisory Board.

Enclosed is information explaining the purposes and goals of the National Register of Historic Places.

Sincerely,



Thomas H. Smith
State Historic Preservation Officer
Director, Ohio Historical Society

THS:cw

X. c: Bath Twp. Trustees
Summit County Commissioners
NEFCO
Eric Johannesen, Regional Preservationist

Ohio Historic Preservation Office

National Register of Historic Places File Checklist

The following materials are contained in this file of the National Register form for:

Name: Harshey, John, Residence

County: Summit

MPD Cover Form: Bath Township MRA

County Filed In: Summit

Original National Register of Historic Places nomination form

Ohio Historic Inventory form

Photograph(s)

Photograph(s) (copies)

USGS map(s)

USGS map(s) (copies)

Sketch map(s)/figure(s)/exhibit(s)

Correspondence

Other _____
