



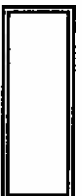
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## WEST VIRGINIA HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY FORM

<b>Street Address</b> S side Melvin Road along railroad tracks	<b>Common/Historic Property Name/ Both</b> Duffields Depot	<b>Field Survey #</b> Jefferson County 2005- 2006 Survey No. 274	<b>Site # (SHPO Only)</b> JF-0706
<b>Town or Community</b> Duffields	<b>County</b> Jefferson	<b>Negative No.</b> Jefferson County 2005-2006 Survey Roll 20, Negative 8	<b>NR Listed Date</b> n/a
<b>Architect/Builder</b> unidentified	<b>Date of Construction</b> c. 1835	<b>Style</b> other: railroad depot	
<b>Exterior Siding/Materials</b> stone; stucco	<b>Roofing Material</b> standing-seam metal	<b>Foundation</b> stone	
<b>Property Use or Function</b> Residence Commercial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other [vacant]	<b>UTM #</b> 18/256556/236556		
<b>Survey Organization &amp; Date</b>  Taylor & Taylor Associates, for the Jefferson County Historic Landmarks Commis- sion, 2005-2006	<b>Quadrangle Name</b> Charles Town, WV		
	<b>Part of What Survey/FR#</b>  Jefferson County 2005-2006 Survey		

Sketch Map of Property  
or Attach Copy of USGS Map

See Survey Report



Present Owners	Owner's Mailing Address
Phone #	
Describe Setting	_____ Acres
This property is located in rural Jefferson County, southwest of Shepherdstown, along the B & O tracks in the unincorporated village of Duffields	
_____ Archaeological Artifacts Present	
Description of Buildings or Site (Original and Present)	_____ 1 _____ Stories      _____ 4 _____ Front Bays
This property is significantly deteriorated, and appears to be in a state of collapse, although a closer inspection was not possible because of no trespassing signs. The building incorporates two distinct sections, one of stone, and one of stuccoed wood. The entire building incorporates an laterally-oriented gable roof of standing-seam metal. The stone portion is two bays in width as is the wood section. Fenestration is flat-topped, with all sash removed.	
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Alterations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, describe      In active state of collapse from apparent demolition by neglect. Yes      No
Additions	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, describe Yes      No
Describe All Outbuildings	
<i>(Use Continuation Sheets)</i>	
Statement of Significance	
Duffields is a tiny settlement which developed along the B & O Railroad. In 1864 Duffields was the site of a skirmish between Confederate Col. John Mosby and federal troops stationed at Duffields. Mosby destroyed the Union headquarters and captured about 50 prisoners. This building was the train depot for the community. However, its advanced state of deterioration seems to preclude its eligibility for listing in the National Register, although archaeological examinations could establish a Criterion D eligibility.	
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Bibliographical References	
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