



Internal Rating: _____

WEST VIRGINIA HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY FORM

Street Address 5011 Kearneysville Pike	Common/Historic Property Name/ Both "Leeland" Edmund Lee House	Field Survey # Jefferson County 2007 Survey No. 223	Site # (SHPO Only) JF-1042
Town or Community vic. Shepherdstown	County Jefferson	Negative No. Jefferson County 2007 Survey CID Image No. 7658-7660	NR Listed Date n/a
Architect/Builder unidentified	Date of Construction c. 1865	Style central-passage	
Exterior Siding/Materials brick	Roofing Material asphalt shingles	Foundation stone	
Property Use or Function Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial Other	UTM # 18/257867/4368138		
Survey Organization & Date Taylor & Taylor Associates, for the Jefferson County Historic Landmarks Commission, 2007	Quadrangle Name Shepherdstown, WV		
	Part of What Survey/FR# Jefferson County 2007 Survey		

Sketch Map of Property
or Attach Copy of USGS Map



Present Owners	Owner's Mailing Address
Phone #	
Describe Setting	_____ Acres
This property is located immediately south of the Shepherdstown municipal line along Kearneysville Pike.	
	_____ Archaeological Artifacts Present
Description of Buildings or Site (Original and Present)	___ 2 ___ Stories ___ 5 ___ Front Bays
5-bay central-passage house atop a rise overlooking Kearneysville Pike, with a 1-story wood porch which appears to date from the 1920s, with replacement wood spindle balusters. Centered entry door with transom. Fenestration flat-topped, 2/2, with shutter hinges retained. Interior gable-end brick chimneys. 1-story wing on south elevation.	
(Use Continuation Sheets)	
Alterations <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, describe Appear minimal
Additions <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, describe
Describe All Outbuildings	
Behind the main house is a gambrel-roofed stone-finished house which appears to date from the 20th century. Also a stone barn of 1 story, with an oversized door in the center.	
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Statement of Significance	
This property appears eligible for the National Register under Criterion for <i>architecture</i> as a well-preserved mid-nineteenth-century residence however, this preliminary evaluation would have to be confirmed by an inspection of the interior of the house and the concurrence of the SHPO. The original house on the site was erected ca. 1820 by Edmund Lee, whose father-in-law was Abraham Shepherd. Lee's first wife died and he married Henrietta Bedinger. In 1856 the house burned and was not reconstructed until after the Civil War, using bricks from the older house and from "Bedford," a Bedinger family home burned by federal Gen. David Hunter. In 1915 the house was acquired by Lee Goldsborough, Edmund Lee's grandson.	
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State Historic Preservation Office

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CONTINUATION SHEET**

NAME "Leeland;" Edmund Lee House, 5011 Kearneysville Pike

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