

RETURN OF LAB. SERVICES REQUESTED

Complaint# 78-5906 Complaint Type Suicide Tag#

For Officer: Det. Quarles

EVIDENCE SEIZED (cont'd):

One .22 Cal shell case from the bedroom floor near the bed.

One .22 Cal shell case from the rifle. This shell case was caught by the bolt and front chamber and did not eject from the rifle.

One .22 Cal shell case from the top of desk in bedroom.

One .22 Cal shell case from the wast basket in bedroom.

One fired bullet removed from the brain of the victim by Dr. Sillery.

LATENT PRINTS:

The following latent prints were identified as being made by CHRISTOPHER BUSCH on the CROWN RUSSE BOTTLE. #1-#2-#2-#3-#4-#5-#5-#5-#5-#6.

One latent print from the FEDERAL .22 Cal cartridge box has been identified as being made by the #3 (right middle finger) of CHRISTOPHER BUSCH.

Officer Paul Brabant *PP*

Date 2-13-79

BLK 00440

CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION

Type of Crime: SUICIDE Page 1 of 1

Address: _____

Day of Week: S M T W T F S Unk.

Type of Scene: Residence 1 Story _____ 2 Story Other _____

Latent Prints: NO Camera Used: NIKON

Film: 35W

M.O. In Detail: SUBJECT LYING IN BED SHOT HIMSELF ONCE IN HEAD WITH A 22 CAL RIFLE. BODY FOUND SEVERAL DAYS LATER

Evidence: PHOTOS TAKEN.

SEVERAL ITEMS BROUGHT TO STATION FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION. INCLUDING RIFLE, 3 SPENT CASINGS, ONE BOX OF BULLETS, A VODKA BOTTLE, 2 CASSETTE TAPE CARTRIDGES, SEVERAL PIECES OF ~~THE~~ ROPE, A DRAWING AND SOME MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS. A VERY SMALL QUANTITY OF MARIJUANA WAS FOUND AND WAS DESTROYED.

Date 11-20-78

Time Arrived 0900

Time Completed 1330

Officer JL Spencer

Comp. # 78-59041

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BLK 00442

County : Oakland
Twp. :
Village :
City :



Complaint : 78-101480
File class : 32.15 33.30
 Closed : Service rendered.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
OAKLAND COUNTY

"Michigan's Largest"
1201 N. TELEGRAPH PONTIAC, MICHIGAN 48053
TELEPHONE 858-5018

Crime Detection Laboratory

Laboratory No. : 78-1855
Received by : Larry Presley
Delivered by : James L. Speicher
Complainant : Bloomfield Township, P.D.

Date received : 11-20-78
Time received : 1330 hours
Nature of exam : Atomic Absorption
Date reported : 12-06-78

REFERENCE:

Alleged Suicide (Ref: Your Complaint #78-5906)

VICTIM:

Christopher Busch

EVIDENCE RECEIVED:

One sealed plastic box containing:

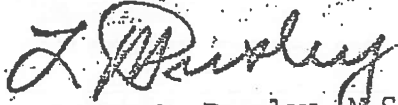
- #1. One sealed test tube labelled "control" containing cotton swabs.
- #2. One sealed test tube labelled "right back" containing cotton swabs.
- #3. One sealed test tube labelled "right palm" containing cotton swabs.
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RESULTS:

Levels of antimony found in items #2 through #5 (swabs) were insufficient to indicate the presence of gunshot residue; therefore, no testing for barium was conducted.

From these findings no conclusion can be made as to whether the subject did or did not handle or discharge a firearm.

Submitted by,


Lawrence A. Presley, M.S.
Crime Laboratory Scientist

LAP/pj

copy sent to Bloomfield Township Police Department

BLK 00443

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Comp. #: 78-590

BLK 00444

City: Oakland
City



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OAKLAND COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF PATHOLOGIST

AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

GENERAL INFORMATION

NAME OF DECEASED: CHRISTOPHER BUSCH

CASE NUMBER: 78-2221

AUTOPSY NUMBER: 555

AGE: 27

RACE: White

SEX: Male

D.A.S., ~~XXXXXX~~ (Check One)

DATE OF DEATH: November 20, 1978

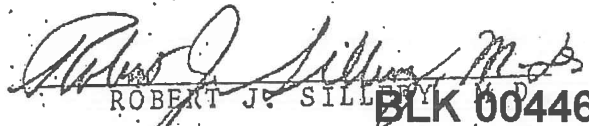
TIME OF DEATH: 9:30 a.m.

DATE OF AUTOPSY: November 20, 1978

TIME OF AUTOPSY: 1:00 p.m.

CAUSE OF DEATH: GUNSHOT WOUND OF HEAD

MANNER OF DEATH: SUICIDE


ROBERT J. SILBERMAN, M.D.
BLK 00446

#78-555

LABORATORY FINDINGS

TOXICOLOGY:

BLOOD: Alcohol - 0.41%. NOTE: Specimen was decomposed.

Drug Screen - None detected. NOTE: Specimen was decomposed.

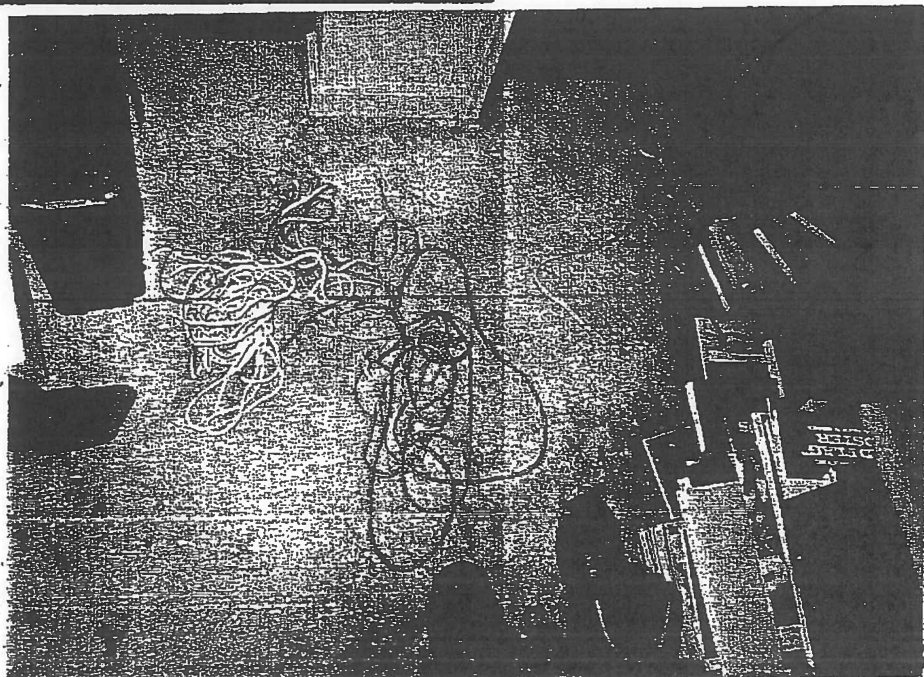
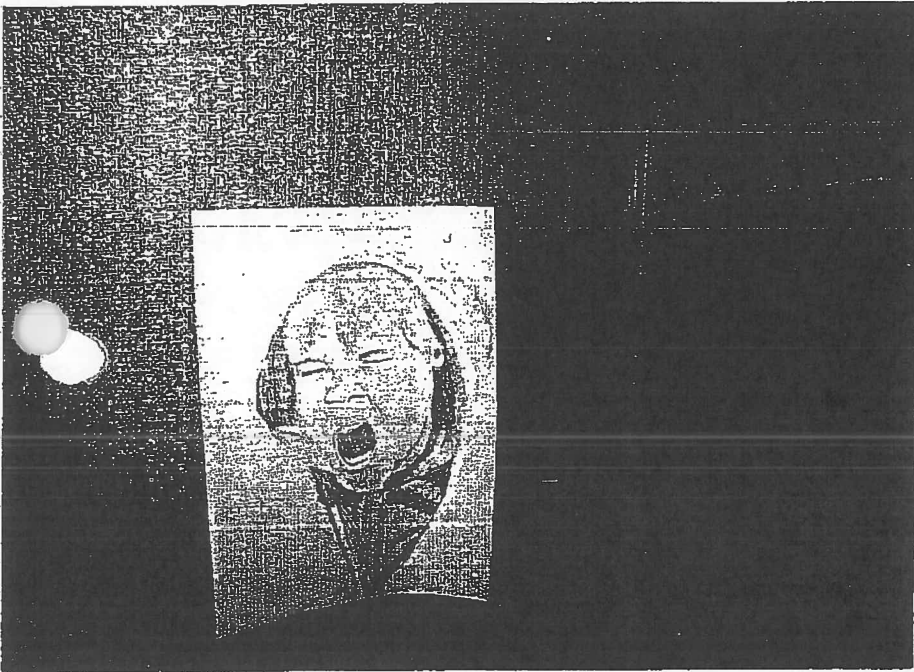
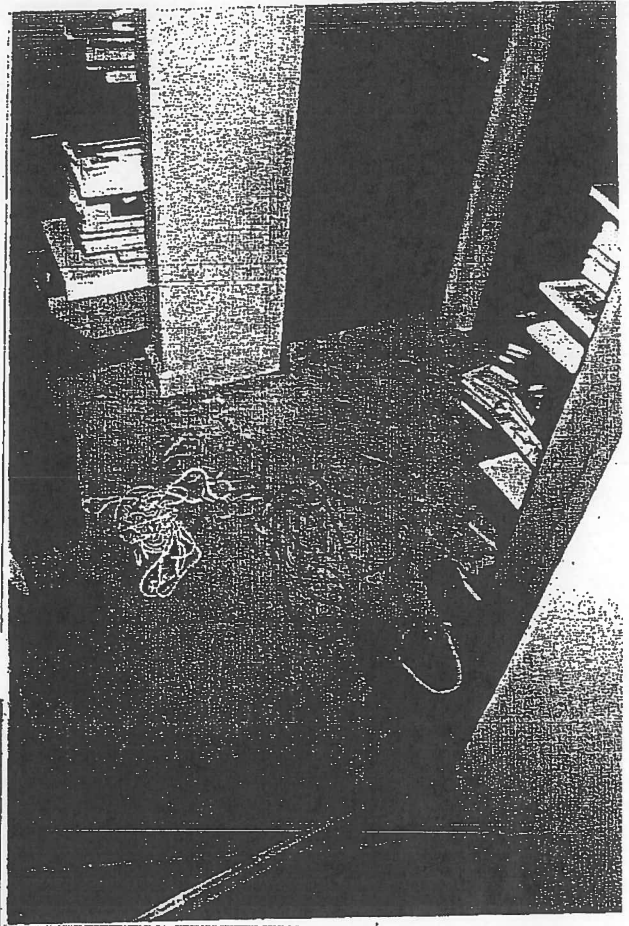
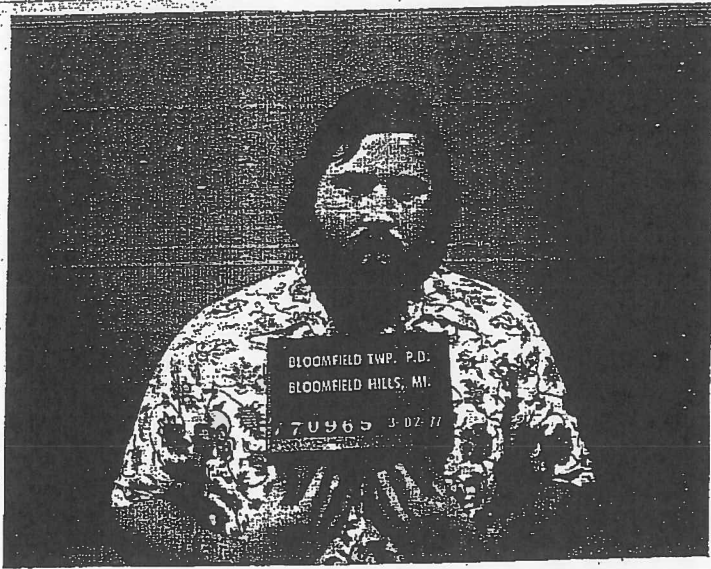
BLOOD TYPE:

SMEARS:

CULTURES:

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LK 00448

STATE OF MICHIGAN



WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN, GOVERNOR

DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE

COL. GERALD L. HOUGH, DIRECTOR

Complaint : 14402-78
File Class : 9900-9 526

FORENSIC SCIENCE DIVISION
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42145 WEST SEVEN MILE ROAD
NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN 48167
TELEPHONE (313) 348-1404

LABORATORY REPORT

Laboratory No. : 14402-78
Received By : David A. Metzger (Evid. Locker)
Delivered By : I.D. Brabant
Complainant : Bloomfield Township Police Department

Date Received : 12/12/78
Time Received : 10:30 A.M.
Nature of Exam : Trace
Date Reported : 1/11/79

Reference:

Suicide - Christopher Busch (78-5906)

Evidence Received:

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Results of Examination:

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ABOVE ITEMS RECEIVED BY:

SIGNED

AGENCY

Bloomfield Twp

DATE

5-18-82



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STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

STATE FILE NUMBER

0105483 B

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DECEDENT NAME 1. Christopher R Busch			SEX 2. Male	DATE OF DEATH (Mo., Day) 3. 11-20-78
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RACE - (a) White, Black, American Indian, etc. (Specify) 4. White	AGE - Last Birthday (Yrs.) 5a. 27	UNDER 1 YEAR 5b. MO. DAYS	UNDER 1 DAY 5c. HOURS MINS	DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.) 6. 11-23-51	COUNTY OF DEATH 7a. OAKLAND
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LOCATION OF DEATH (Check one and specify) 7b. <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TWP. OF: Bloomfield	HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION - Name (if not so enter, give street and no.) 7c.
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IF DEATH OCCURRED IN INSTITUTION, SEE MANUAL REGARDING COMPLETION OF RESIDENCE ITEMS

STATE OF BIRTH (if not in U.S.A. name country) 8. Michigan	CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY 9. U.S.A.	MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) 10. N. Married	SURVIVING SPOUSE (if wife, give maiden name) 11.	WAS DECEDENT EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Specify Yes or No) 12. N
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SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 13. 4-112418	USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, over (if retired)) 14a. Franklin Club, Nuts	KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY 14b. Food Service Manager
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CURRENT RESIDENCE - STATE 15a. Michigan	COUNTY 15b. Oakland	LOCALITY (Check one and specify) 15c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INSIDE CITY LIMITS OF <input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE VILLAGE LIMITS OF <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TWP. OF: Bloomfield	STREET AND NUMBER 15d.
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PARENTS

FATHER - NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST 16.	MOTHER - MAIDEN NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST 17.
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CONDITIONS IF ANY WHICH GAVE RISE TO IMMEDIATE CAUSE STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST.

INFORMANT 18a. (Signature) [Signature]	MAILING ADDRESS STREET OR RFD NO CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP 18b.
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19. IMMEDIATE CAUSE (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c).) PART I (a) Gunshot Wound of Head DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset & death: second	
(b) _____ DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset & death: _____	
(c) _____ DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF: Interval between onset & death: _____	

CAUSE OF DEATH

PART II OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS - Conditions contributing to death but not related to cause given in PART I	AUTOPSY (Specify Yes or No) 20. Yes	WAS CASE REFERRED TO MEDICAL EXAMINER? (Specify Yes or No) 21. Yes
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PLACE OF DEATH (Home, Nursing Home, Hospital, Ambulance) (Specify) 22a. Home	F HOSP. OR INST. Indicate DOA, Cr., Emer. Rm., Inpatient (Specify) 22b.	24a. <input type="checkbox"/> The case favored and determined not to file a medical examiner's case 100% () 24b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On the basis of investigation and/or investigation, in my opinion death occurred at home and place and date of death are as reported (Specify) 100% ()
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CERTIFIER

23a. To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date and place and due to the cause(s) stated. (Signature and Title) [Signature]	DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.) 23b.	HOUR OF DEATH 23c. M	24c. 9:30
NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER (Type or Print) 23d.	24b. 11-20-78	24d. 11-20-78	24e. 9:30

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER (PHYSICIAN OR MEDICAL EXAMINER) (Type or Print) 25. Robert J. Sillery, M.D., 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, Mich. 48306
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ACC. SUICIDE, HON. NATURAL OR PENDING INVEST (Specify) 26a. SUICIDE	DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.) 26b. Unknown	HOUR OF INJURY 26c. Unk.	DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED 26d. Self-inflicted gunshot wound
INJURY AT WORK (Specify Yes or No) 26e. No	PLACE OF INJURY (Home, farm, street, factory, office, building, etc. (Specify)) 26f. Home	26g.	26e. Self-inflicted gunshot wound

DISPOSITION

BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL, OTHER (Specify) 27a. Crementation	CEMETERY OR CREMATORY NAME 27b. Evergreen	LOCATION CITY, VILLAGE, OR TOWNSHIP STATE 27c. Detroit, Michigan 48011
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DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.) 27d. 11-22-1978	NAME OF FACILITY 27e. Wm. R. Hamilton Co.	ADDRESS OF FACILITY 27f. 820 E. Maple Ave. B'Ham Mich
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B-38b (78)

FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE (Signature) 28a. Donald W. Patton	REGISTRAR (Signature) 28b. Narmin J. Busch	DATE RECEIVED BY REGISTRAR (Mo., Day, Yr.) 28c. 11-22-78
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TAB # 3

3310 Morningview

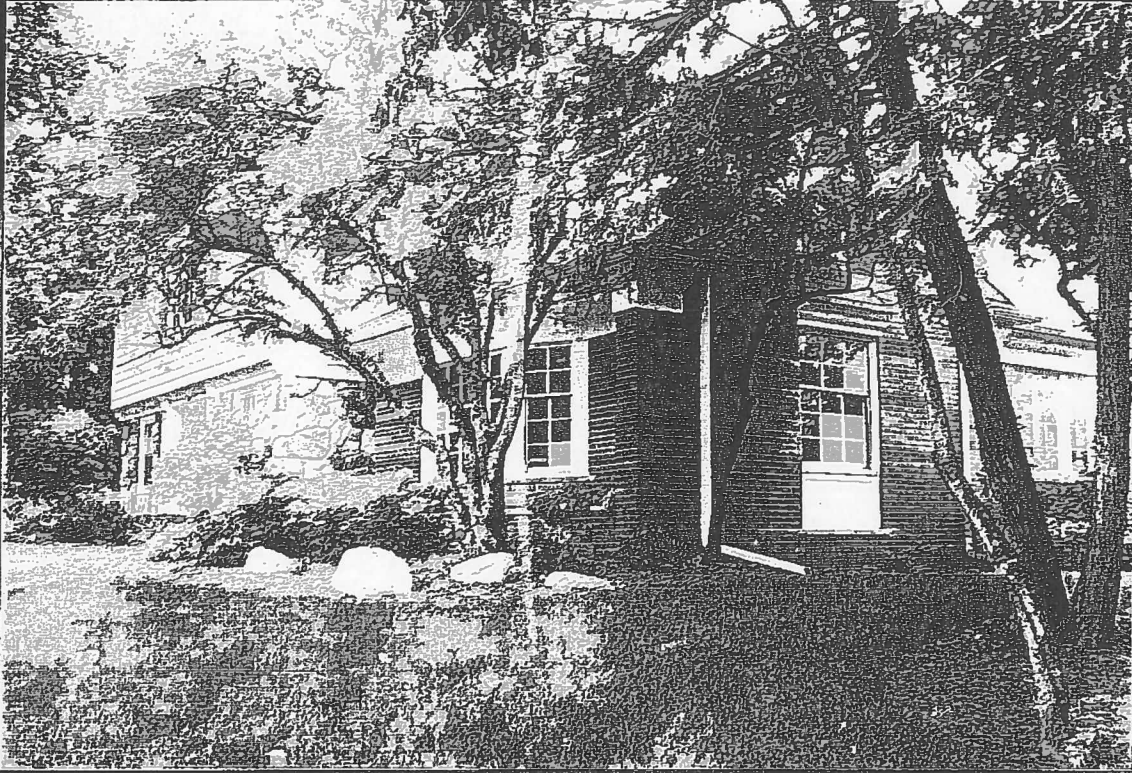
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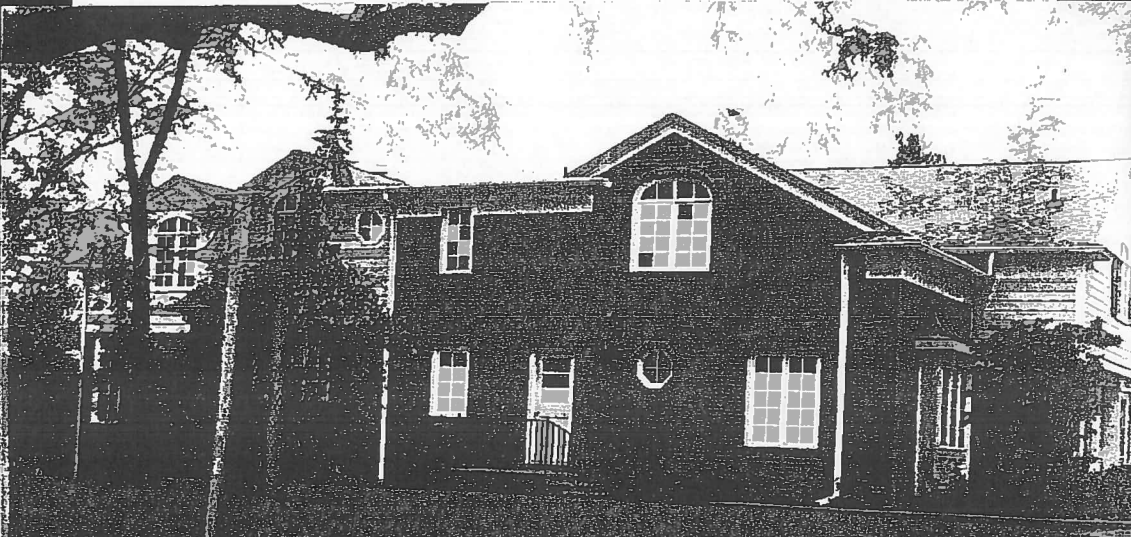
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BOOK # 2

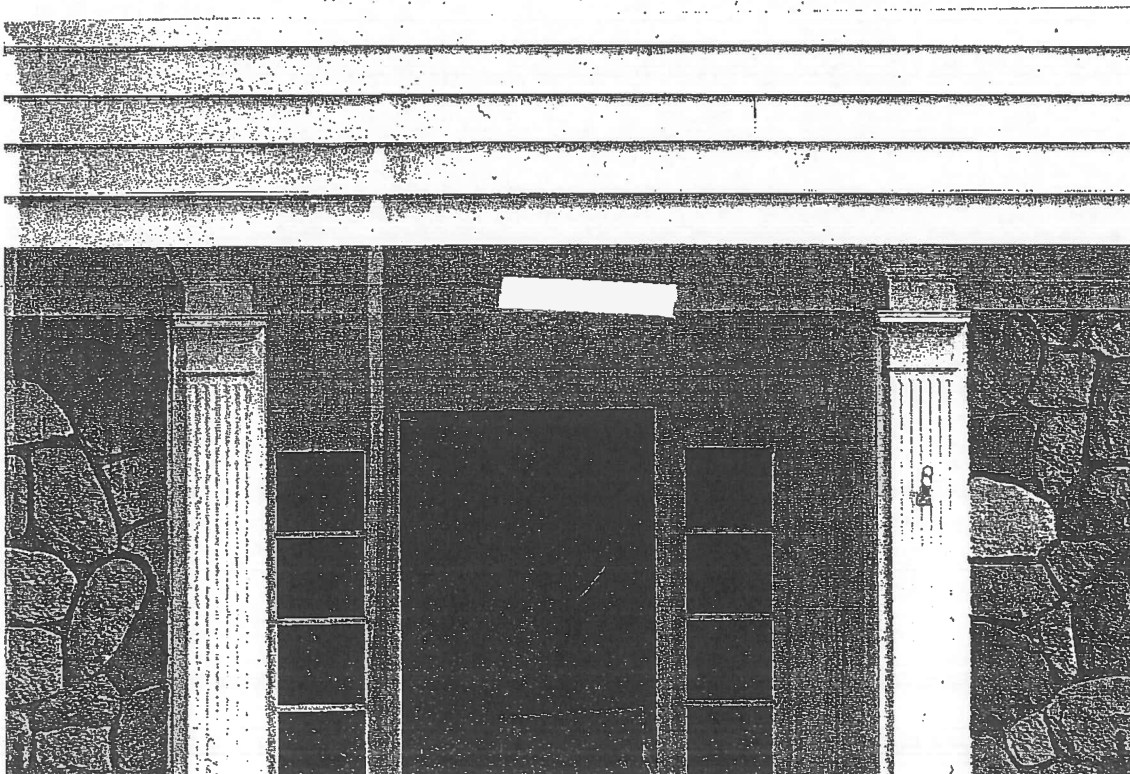
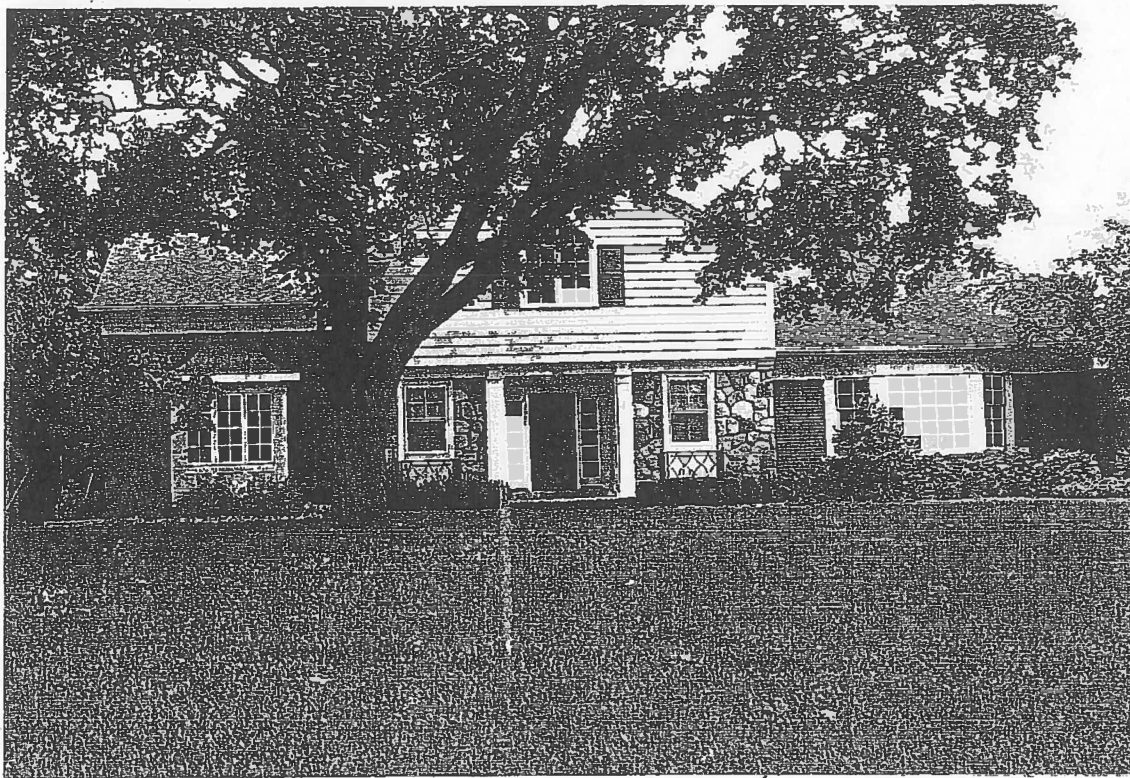
Front & east side of residence



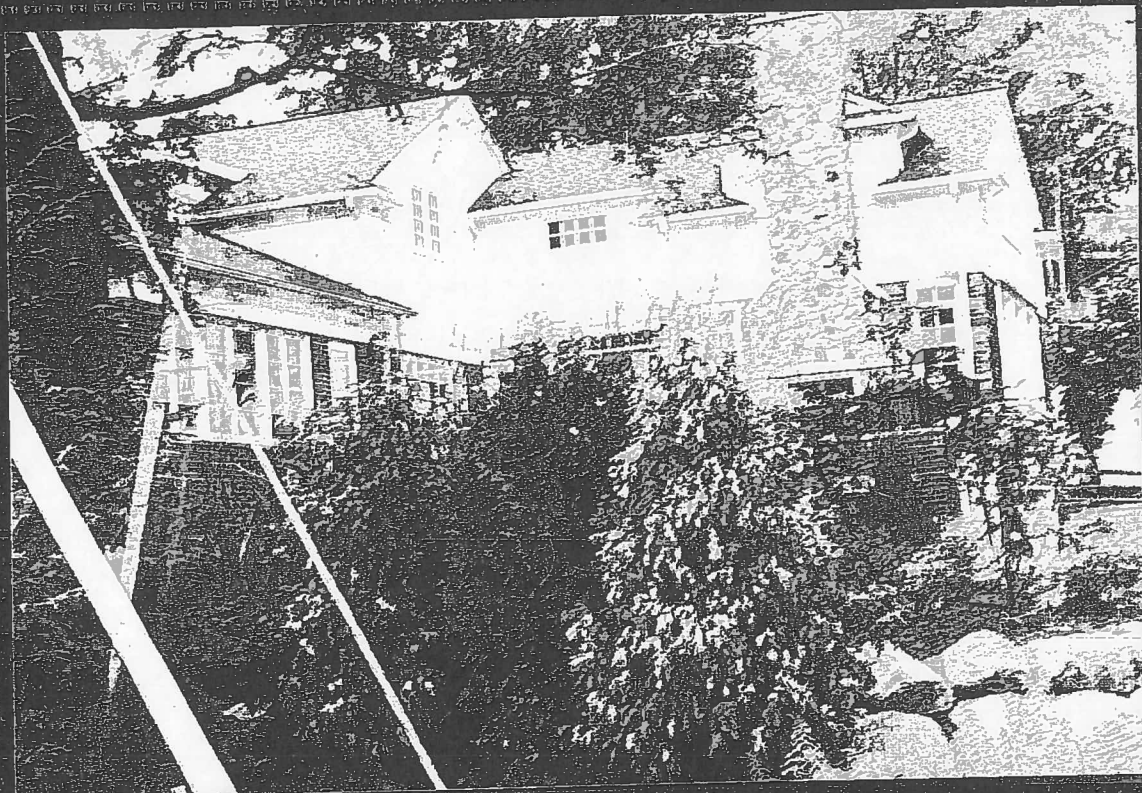
Front & west side of residence



Front view of
(Busch residence in 1976-77)



BLK 00454



From: David Robertson
To: Day, Kevin
Subject: Request for Information

REF: 21-1854-05, 0900-1 (Homicide from late 1970's)

Morning Kevin,

Could you have Pat Pullum or Chuck Collier from Lewiston team check with Montmorency County records for information related to the ownership of property on Ess Lake. Below is the names of the parties involved.

This is part of a cold case homicide we're working on.

We would like to know;

1. Can you identify the property?
2. Who owns the property now?
3. Has anything changed in the last 30 years, i.e., building changed, etc.?
4. Where the current owner resides?

(attached E-mail)

Dave, All I have is...**Christopher Busch w/m**.....Cottage was on Ess Lake n/w of Hillman in Montmorency County...Unknown if the cottage was their families name or not..I hope it was in their name..The dad wasTheir address in Terrace.....I'm hoping it wasn't a friends cottage that he had access to...Might make it tough....Thnx..Cory.....

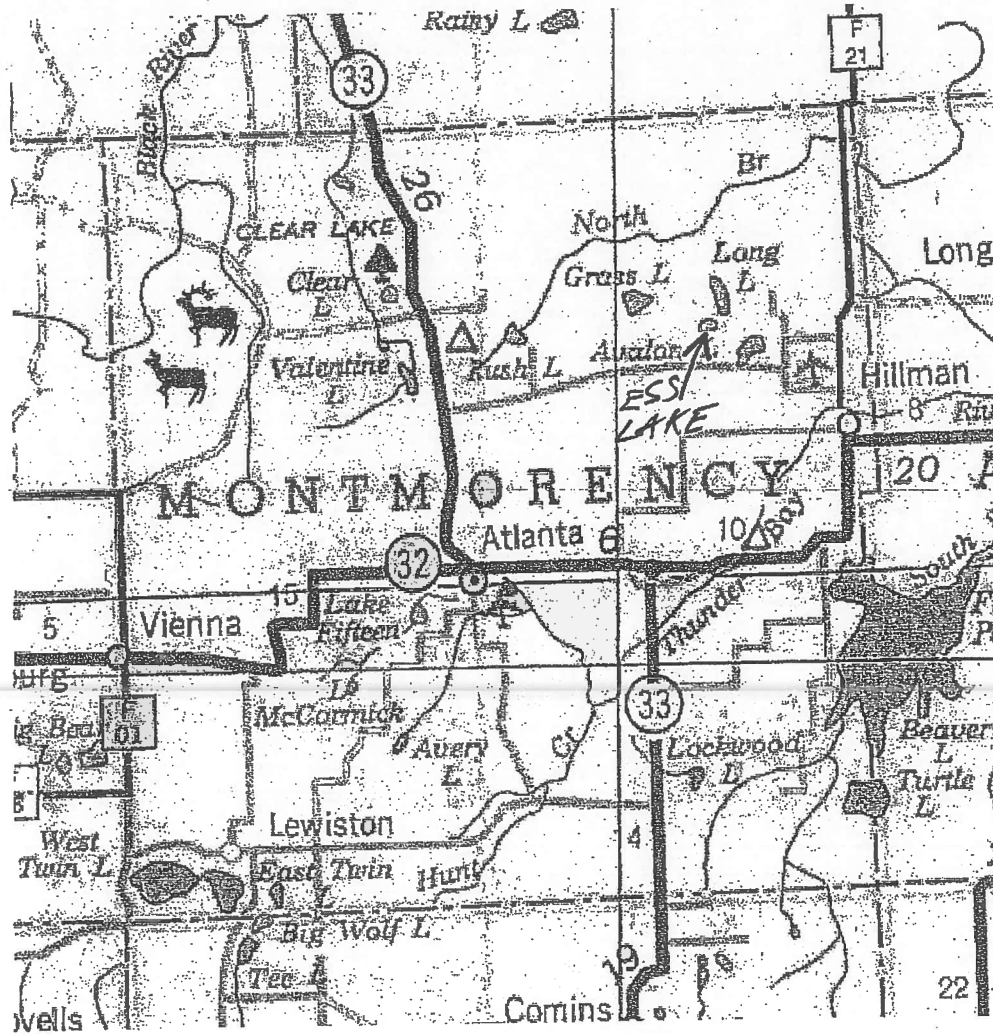
If you need any assistance give either Garry or myself a call.

D/Sgt. Garry Gray (OIC)
 248-584-5774 work

D/Sgt. Dave Robertson
 248-584-5773 work

HOME

Montmorency County, Michigan



Map courtesy of Where 2 Have Fun in America

Date: 6 December 2007

Map location
USA/ Michigan/ Hillman



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Nearest transport link

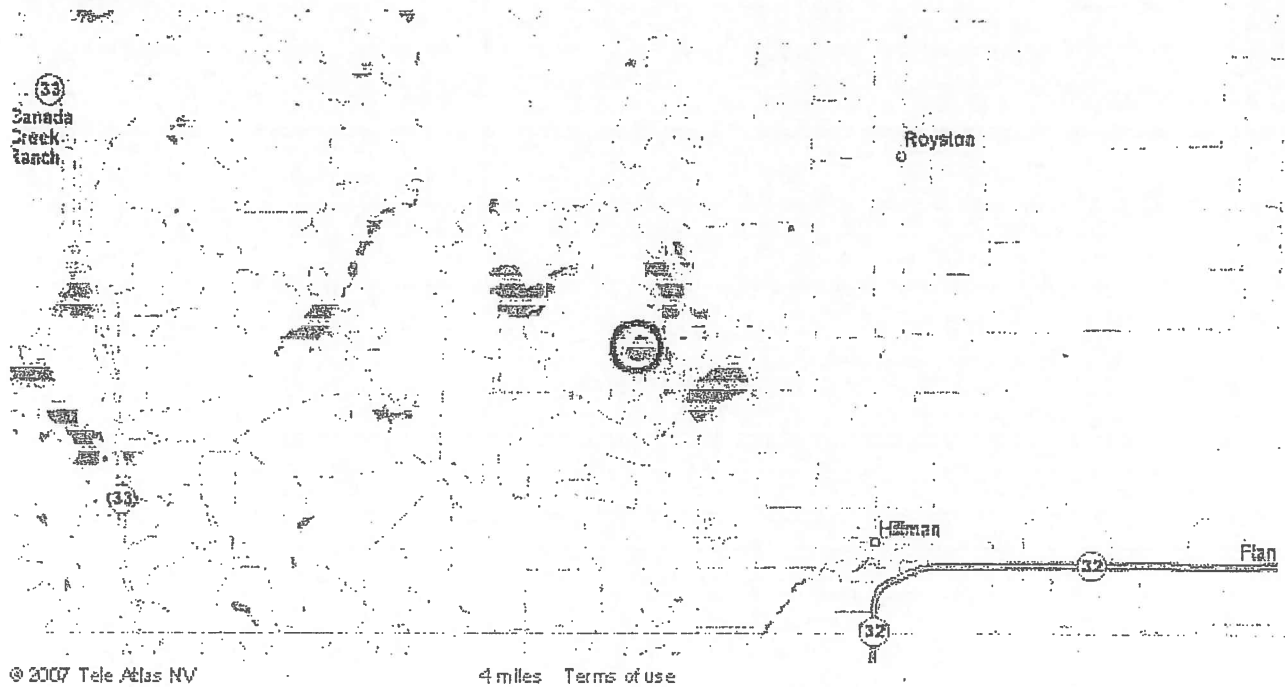
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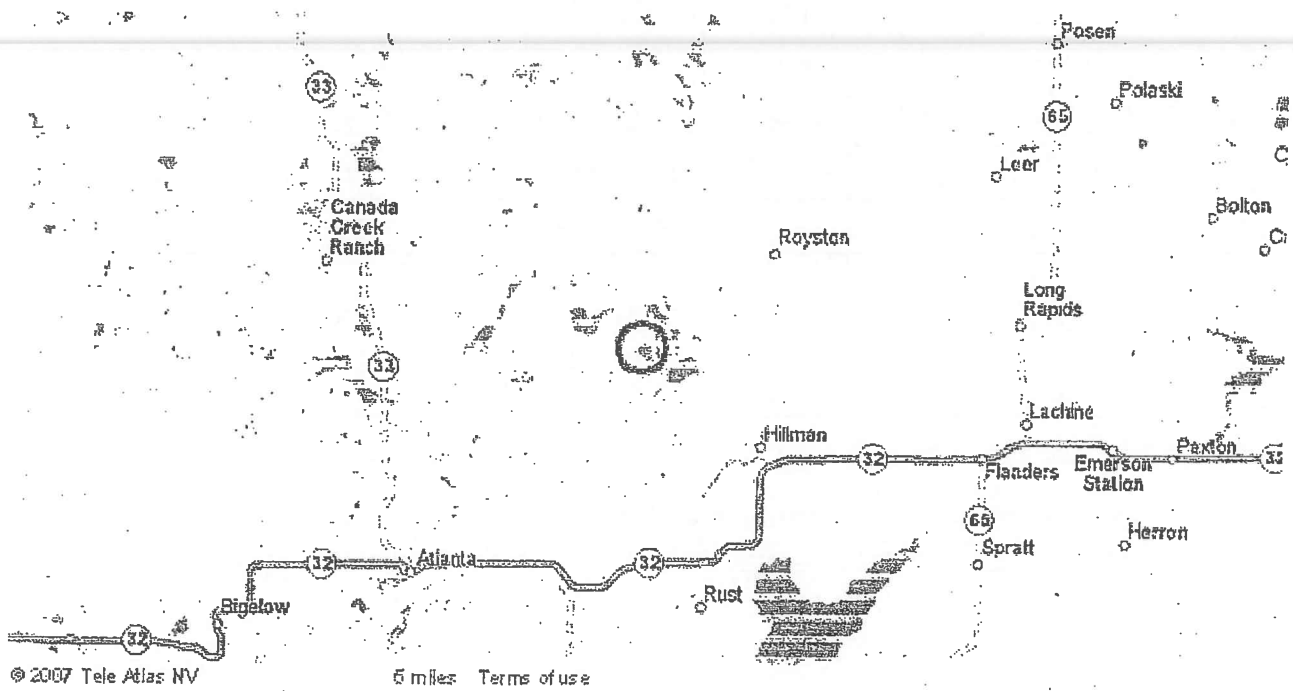
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Overview



Area overview



Your notes

Busch's Cottage on ESS LAKE

Revised: 8:50am Jul 10 1998

02-11-2008/15:58:46

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PARCEL MASTER DATA SHEET

Parcel ID & Location		Parcel Unit Codes		Parcel Legal Data	
Parcel Number:		Tax Unit: 006		Acres: 0.000	
Montmorency Township		Sub Unit:		Section: 410 Liber: 00335	
Montmorency County		Zone:		Township: 32N Page: 0438	
Range: 04E					
Owner of Record		Property Location Address		Tax Bill Name & Address	
OWNER DACE JOHN A & DONNA J		ADDR		OWNER DACE JOHN A & DONNA J	
Assessment Values		Standard District Codes		Special Assessment Codes	
Current Assessed\$: 88,500		Parcel Type Code: R		Fire District:	
Prior Assessed\$: 87,100		Property Class Code: 401		District #1: District #6:	
Assessment Change\$: 1,400		Prior Class Code:		District #2: District #7:	
Equalization Factor: 1.00000		School District: 50020		District #3: District #8:	
State Equal. Value\$: 88,500		Debt School District:		District #4: District #9:	
Homestead Exemption Taxable Value\$		Community College:		District #5: District #10:	
0 0 42,886					
DDA & CPT/LFT Information		Parcel Change History		Drain Districts & Acres	
DDA Base Value: 0		Parent Parcel:		District District Acres	
CPT Base Year:		Date of Split:			
CPT Certificate:		Last Edit: 26 Dec 2006		0.000	
		Purchase Date:		0.000	
DDA Base Value: 0		Purchase Price: 0		0.000	
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***** Legal Description *****

T32N R4E SEC 32 LOT 45 ESS LAKE ESTATES #1

*** Tax Bill Summary ***

Tax Period: 807

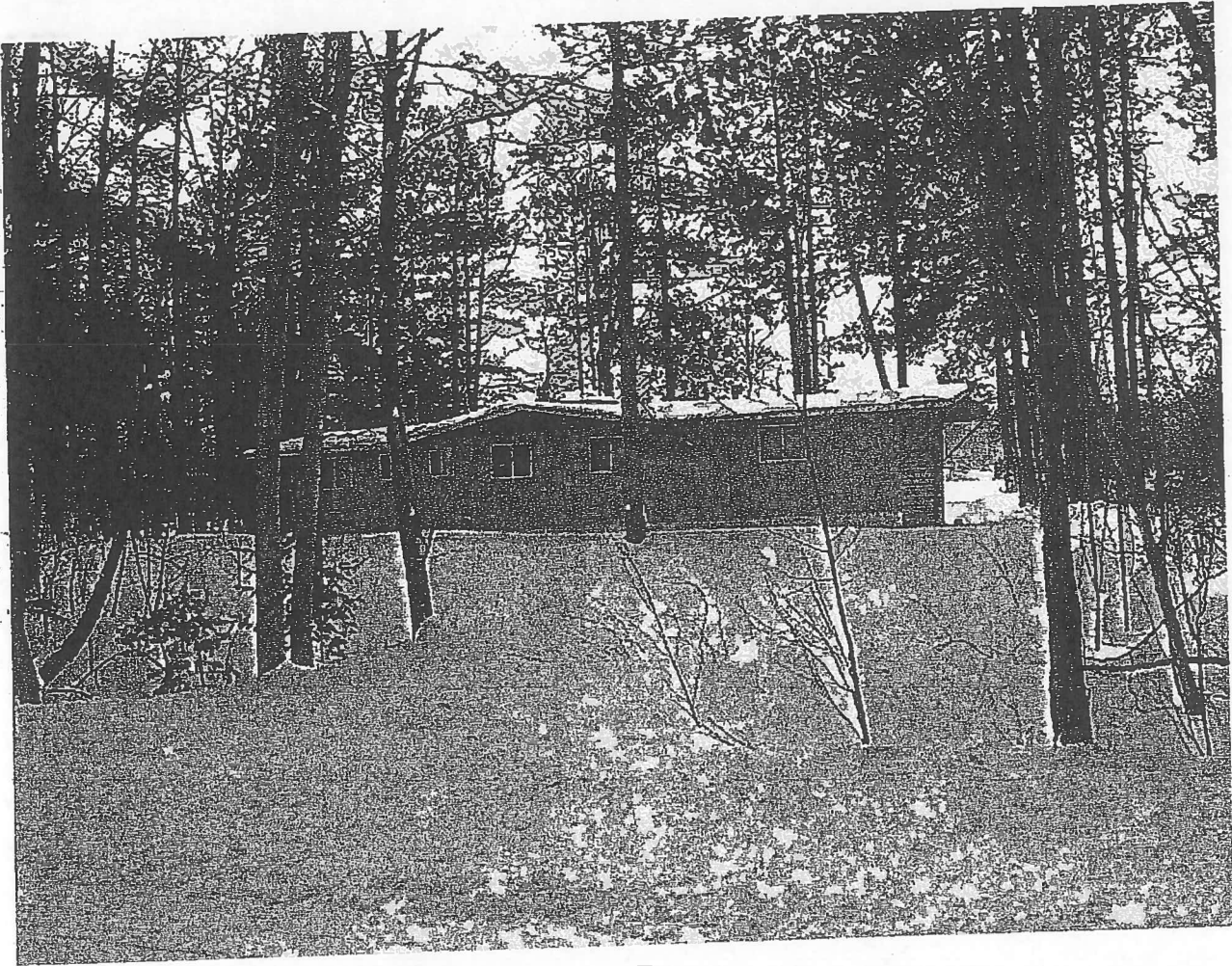
Tax Bill Nbr: 012986

Total Tax\$: 1,400.44	Assessed\$: 88,500
Admin Fees\$: 14.00	Equalized\$: 88,500
Tax Bill\$: 1,414.44	Taxable\$: 42,886
Yet Due\$: 1,414.44	

Last Paid\$: 0.00	Homestead Exempt\$: 0
Last Activity:	Homestead Exempt\$: 0

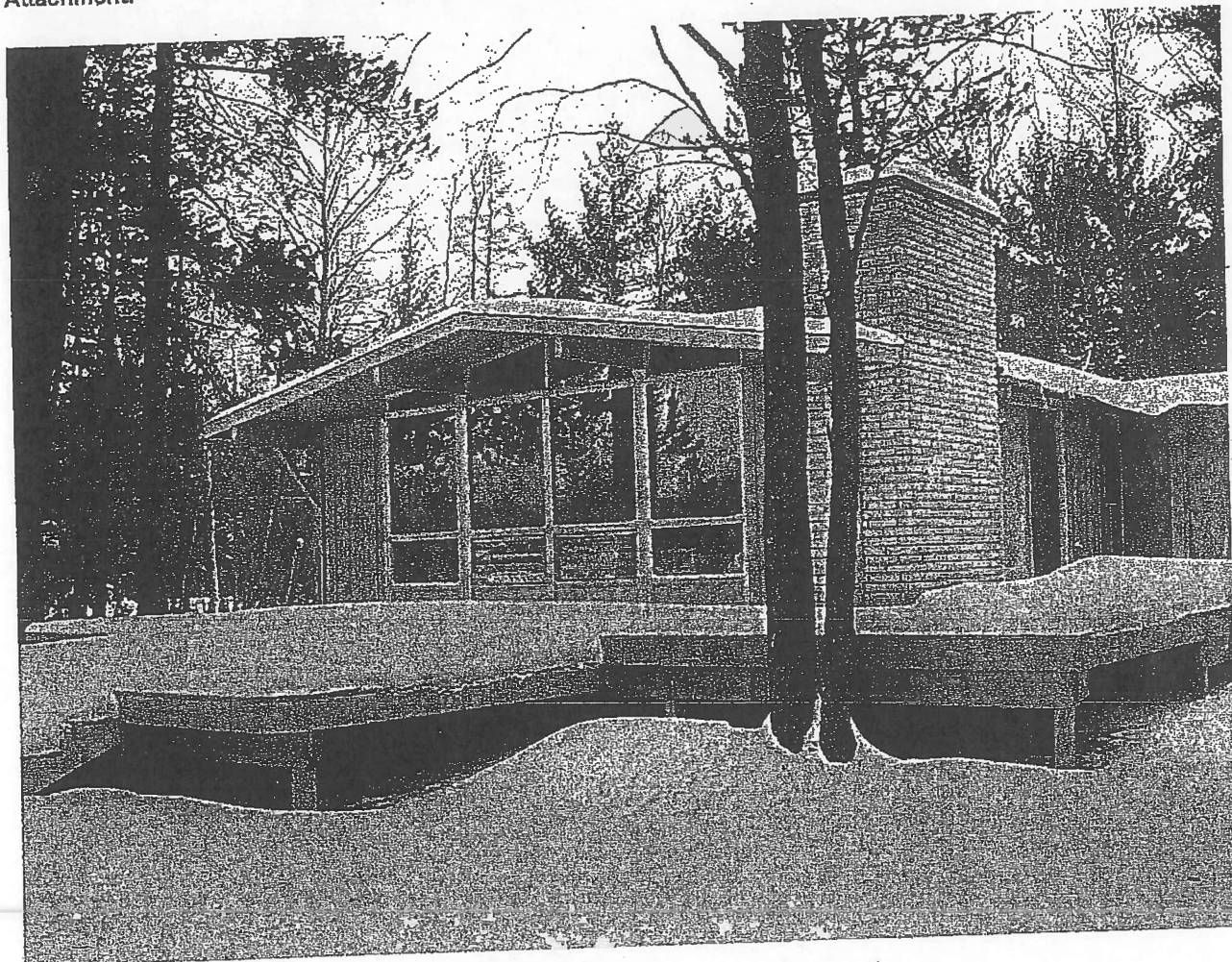
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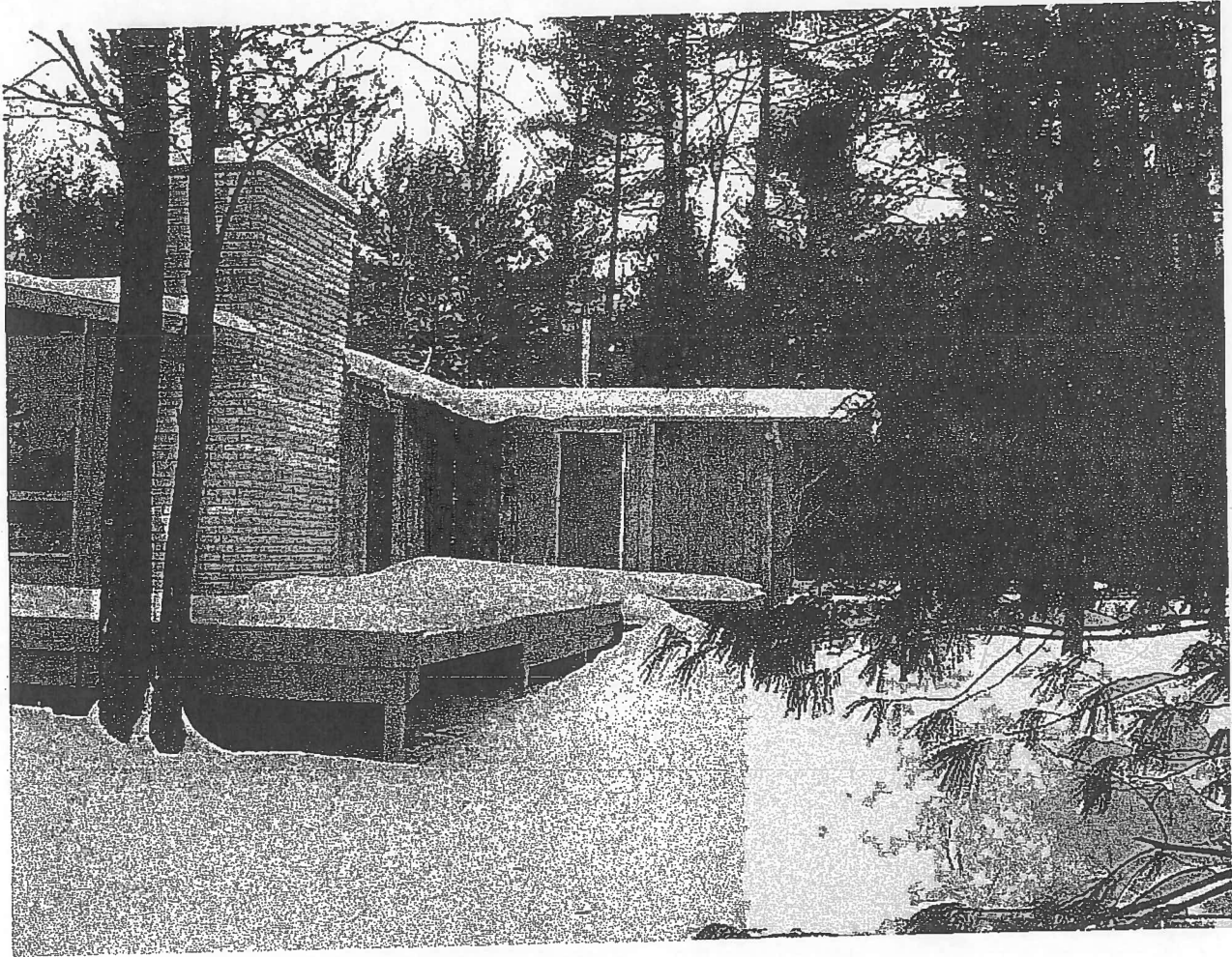


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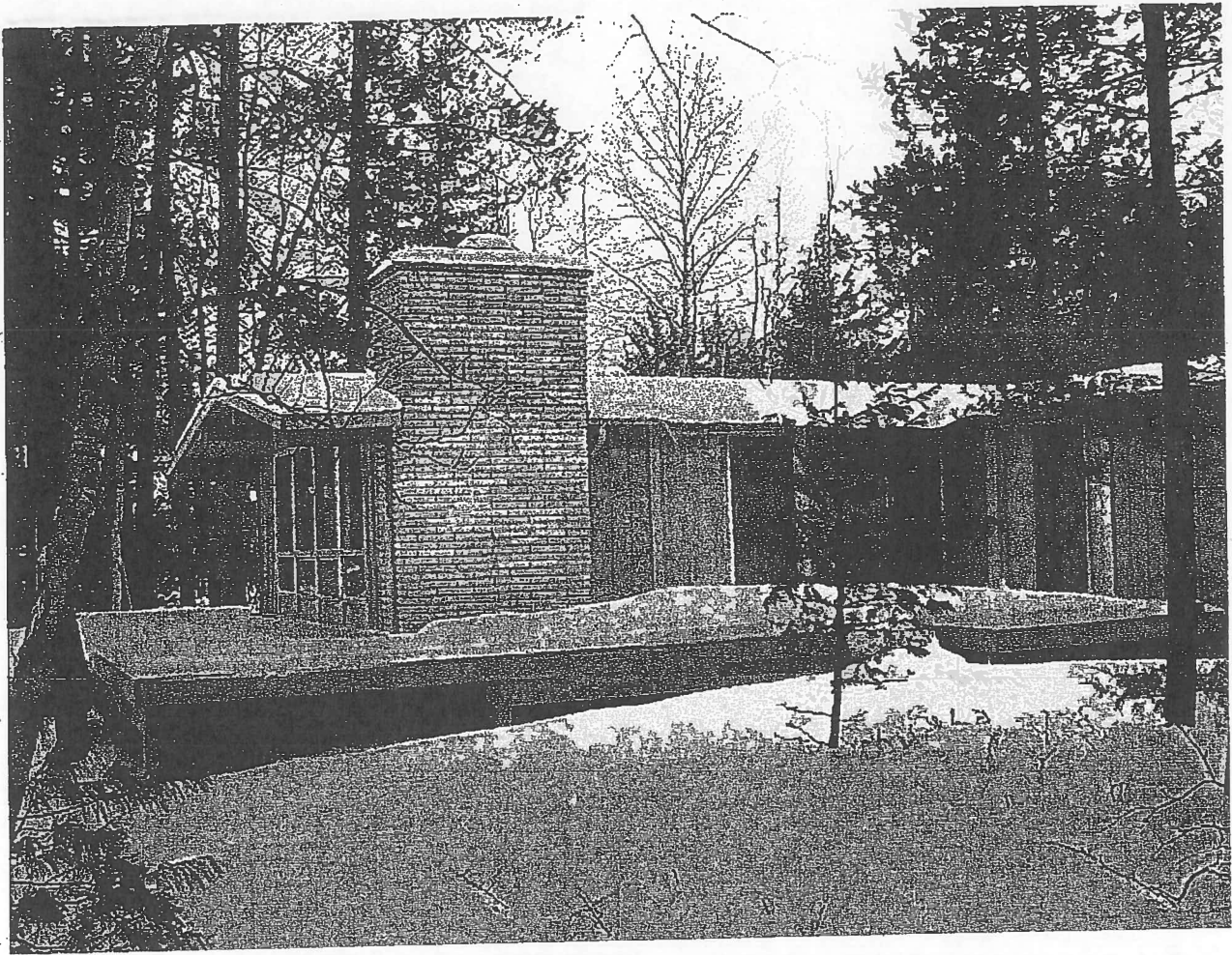


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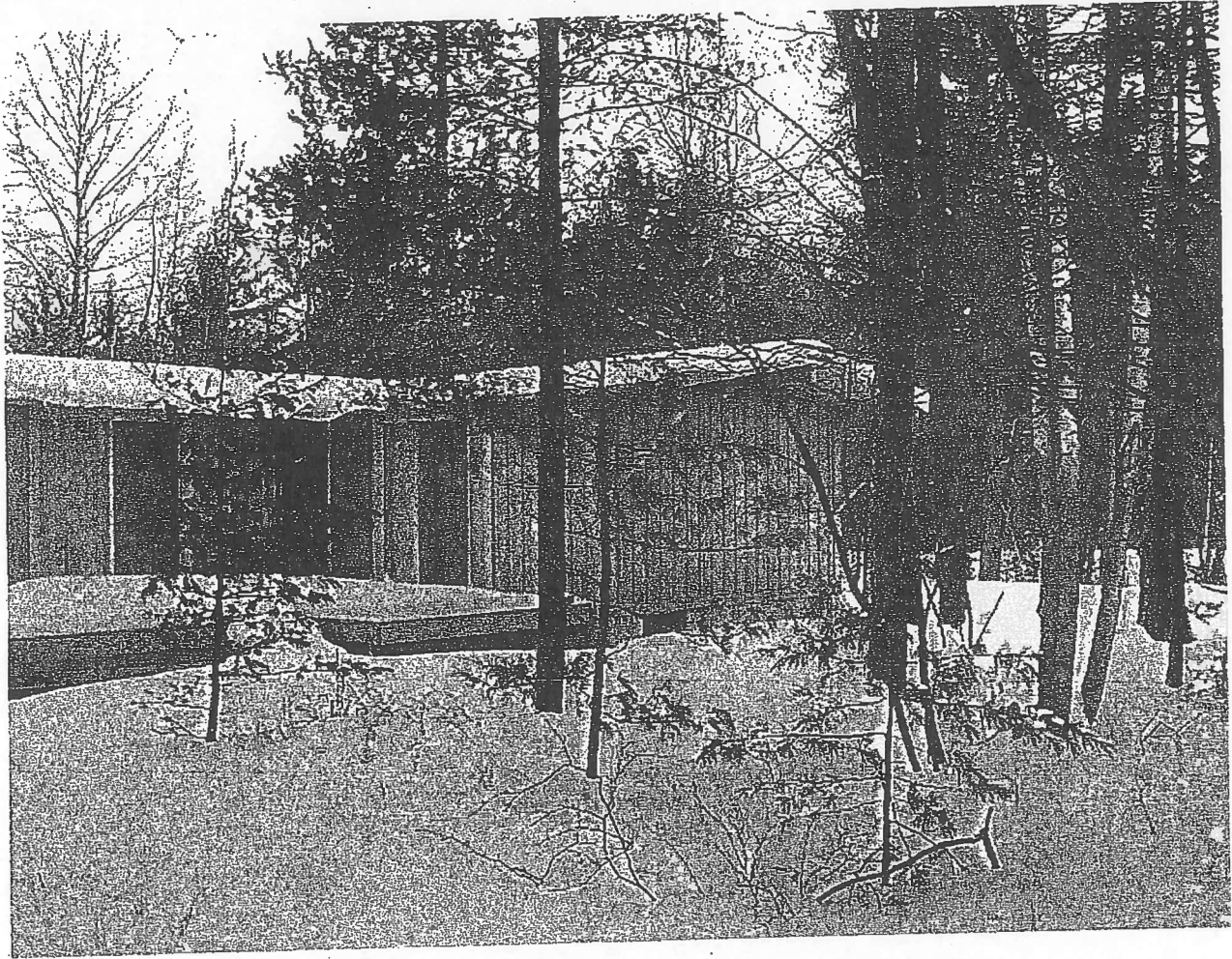
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@lpdmail.com

Date: Tue, 12 Feb 2008 11:58:06 -0500
From: JEFFREY SHAW
Subject: photos, #2 of 3
To: cwilliams/

More to come! I hope you can lighten them up a little to see the detail.

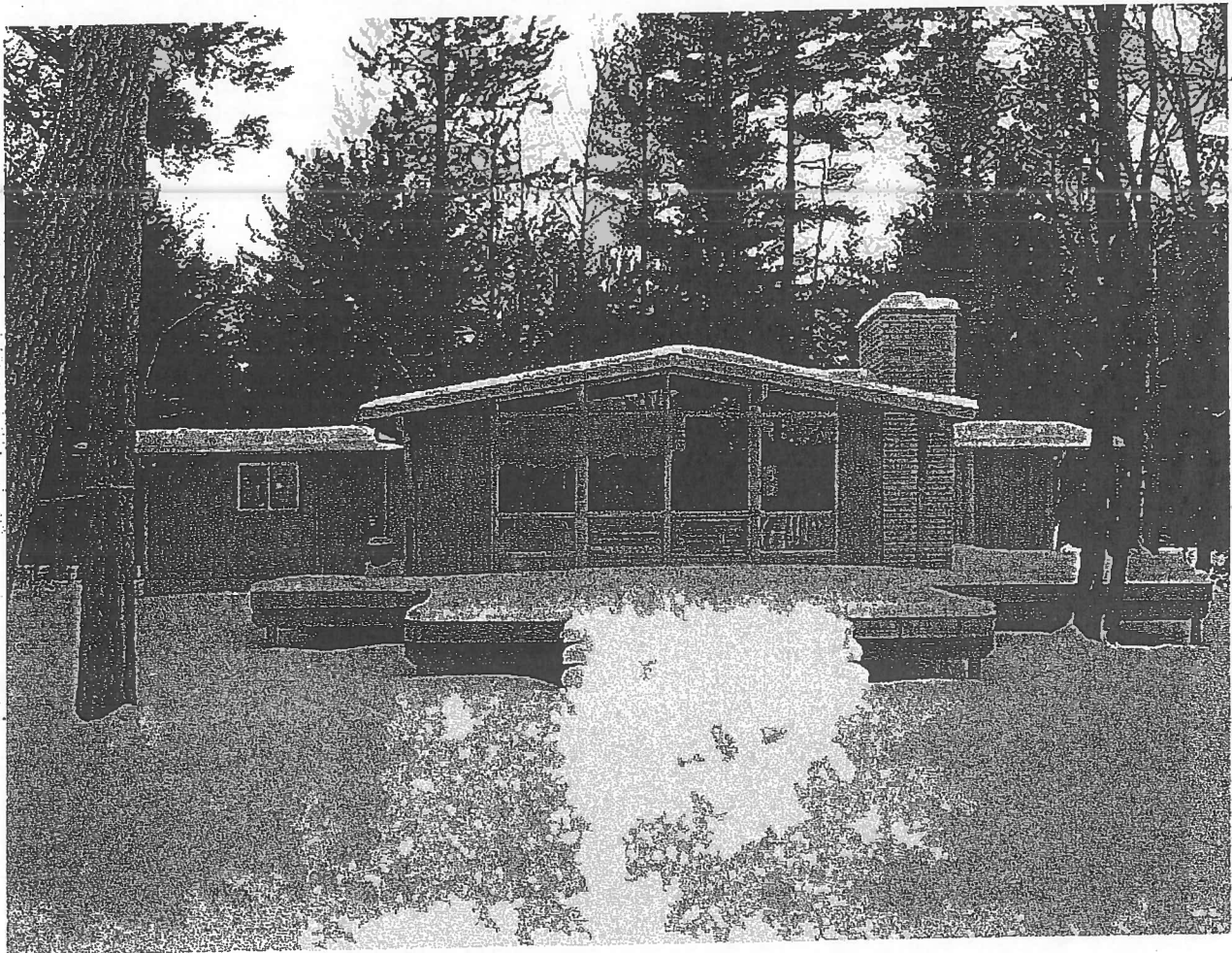
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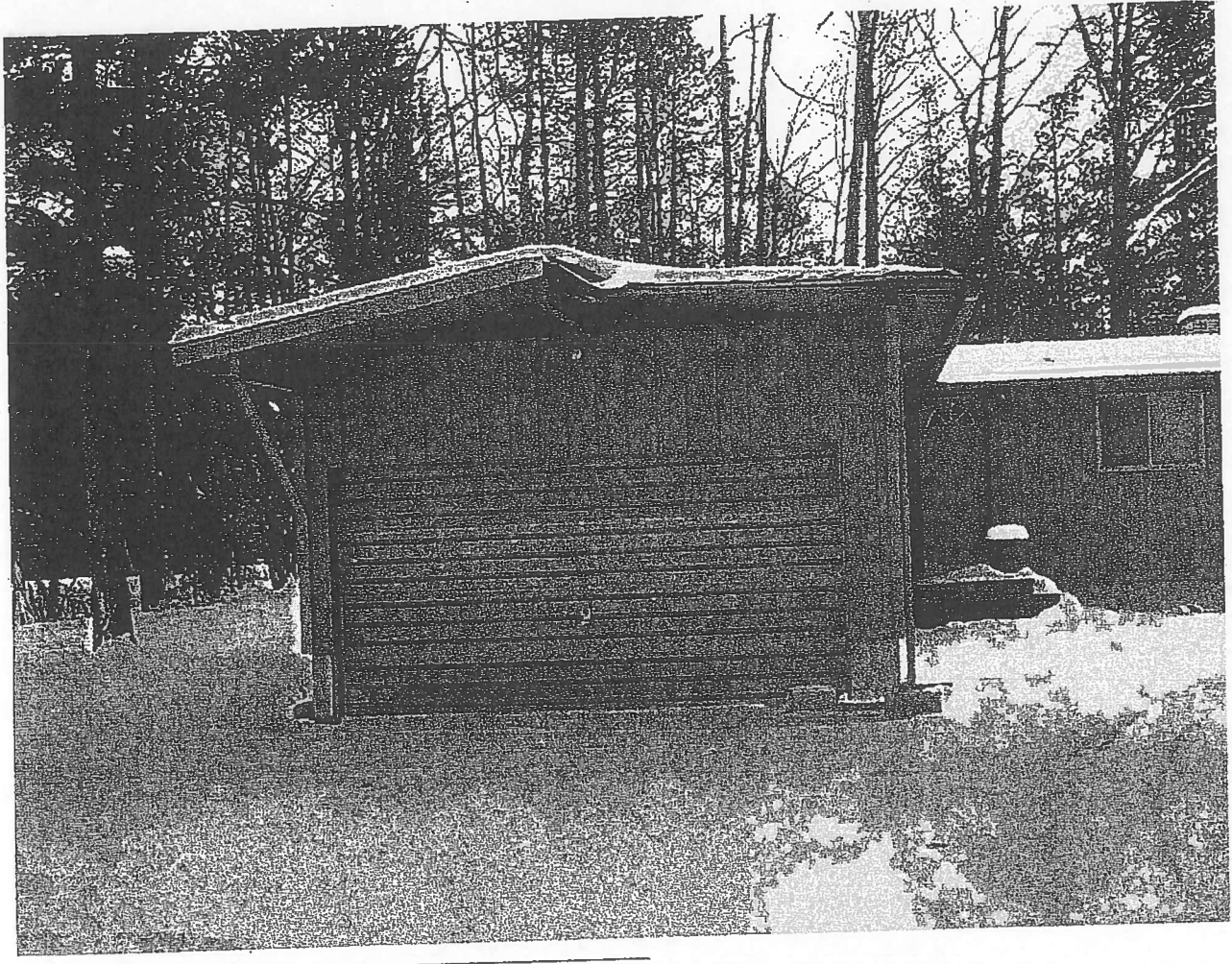
Bud...

*In the words of the immortal Waylon Jennings:
"I've always been CrAZY; But it's kept me from going INSANE!!!"*

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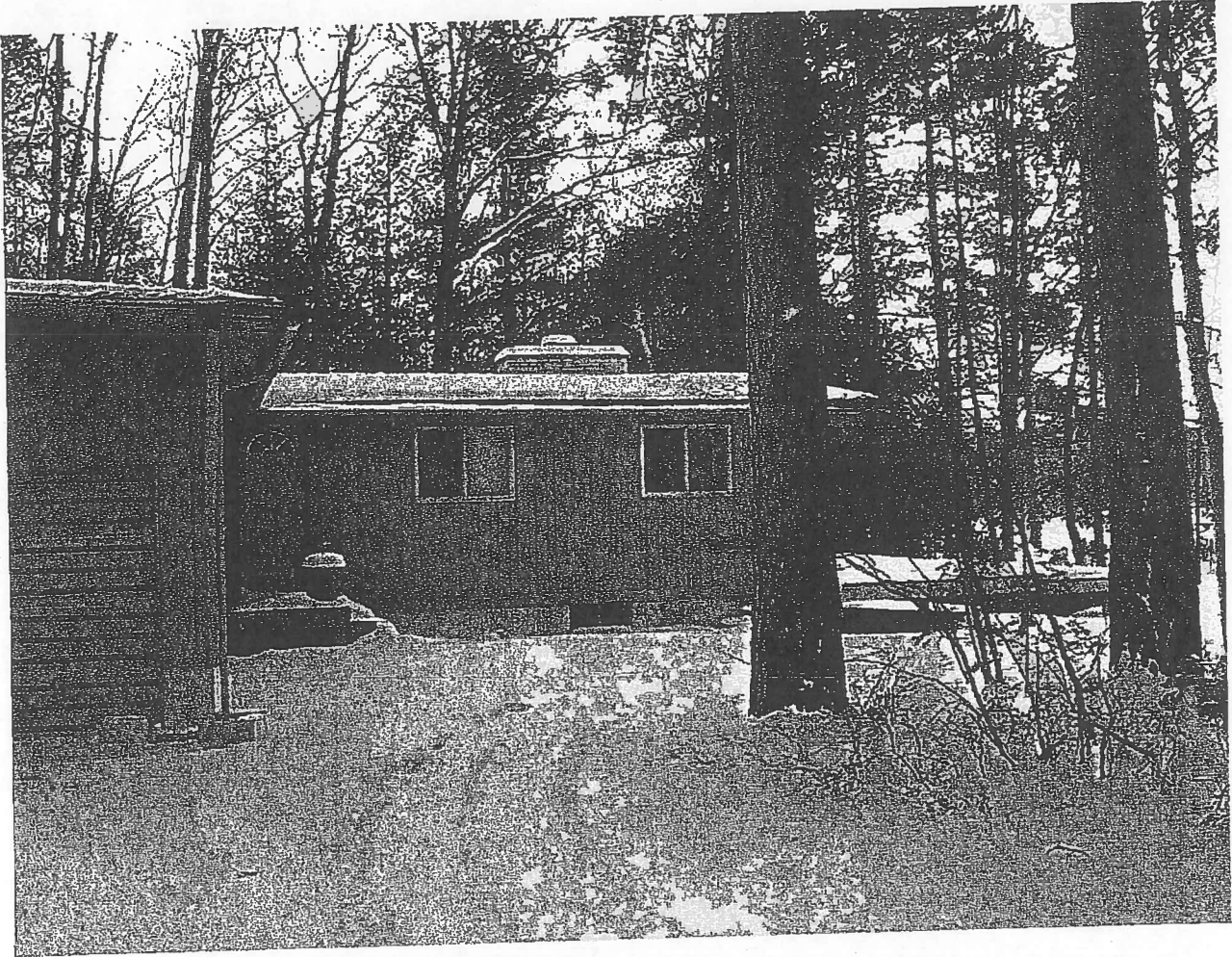
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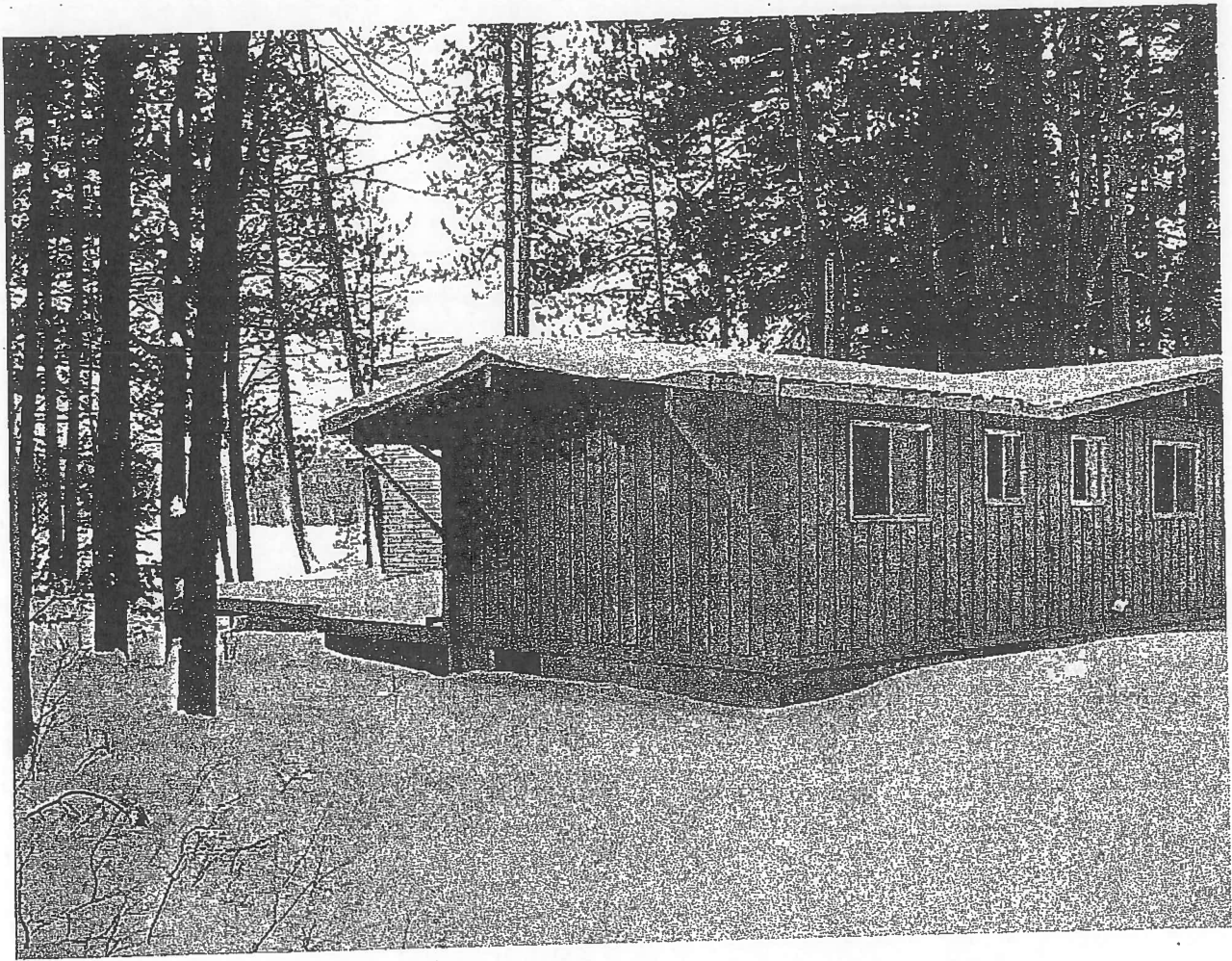
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