STATE OF CONNECTICUT
CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY FORM
For Buildings and Structures

IDENTIFICATION
1. BUILDING NAME: Common: Hubbard House
   Historical: Shattuck-Hubbard Homestead
2. TOWN/CITY: Middletown
   VILLAGE: ______________________
3. STREET & NUMBER (and/or location): 779 Millbrook Road
4. OWNER(S): Evelyn C. Hubbard
   Historic: same
5. USE: Present: Residence
   Historic: ______________________
6. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: x yes no
   Interior accessible: yes, explain ______________________
   x no

DESCRIPTION
7. STYLE OF BUILDING: Colonial
   DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: 1757-1762
8. MATERIAL(S) (indicate use or location when appropriate):
   - clapboard
   - wood shingle
   - board & batten
   - aluminum siding
   - other: _______________________________________
   - asbestos siding
   - asphalt siding
   - stucco
   - concrete: type: _____________________________
   - brick foundation, east facade
   - fieldstone
   - cobblestone
   - cut stone: type: brownstone
   - foundation; sides and rear
9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM:
   - wood frame; x post and beam
   - balloon
   - load bearing masonry
   - structural iron or steel
   - other: _____________________________
10. ROOF: type:
    - gable
    - gambrel
    - shed
    - mansard
    - monitor
    - round
    - sawtooth
    - other: _____________________________
    - wood shingle
    - roll asphalt
    - tin
    - slate
    - tile
    - other: _____________________________
11. NUMBER OF STORIES: 2½
    APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS: 20'x40' (original section)
12. CONDITION: Structural:
    - excellent
    - good
    - x fair
    - deteriorated
    - Exterior:
    - excellent
    - good
    - x fair
    - deteriorated
13. INTEGRITY: Location: x on original site
    moved, when:
    Alterations: no x yes, explain: Entrance porch; aluminum siding; rear additions
14. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS OR LANDSCAPE FEATURES:
    - barns
    - sheds
    - carriage house
    - shop
    - garage
    - garden
    - x other landscape features or buildings: brownstone
    - retaining wall; silo
15. SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:
    - open land
    - woodland
    - residential
    - x rural
    - x scattered buildings visible from site
    - high building density
16. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS: This Colonial house is located in an
    agricultural area in the southern part of Middletown. It faces east from the west side of
    Millbrook Road and overlooks a swampy meadow. It is built into the slope of a hill to the
    rear of which is dense woodland.
17. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING OR SITE (interior and/or exterior):

SIGNIFICANCE

Architect: ___________ Builder: ___________

18. HISTORICAL OR ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE: Timothy Shattuck erected this structure between the years of 1757 and 1762. In the spring of 1762 it was acquired by Jeremiah Hubbard. It has remained in the Hubbard family since then.

This saltbox house displays typical features of the early Colonial style, a large central chimney and a double overhang. The interior has been altered to meet its occupants needs, but a double run staircase, seven fireplaces, and hand-hewn beams remain.

This structure, together with its barns, milking sheds, and silo is a reminder of Middletown's farming history.

PHOTOGRAPH

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20. SUBSEQUENT FIELD EVALUATIONS:

21. THREATS TO BUILDING OR SITE:

x none known ______ highways ______ vandalism ______ developers ______ other: ____________________________

____ renewal ______ private ______ deterioration ______ zoning ______ explanation: ____________________________