



# EBEY'S LANDING NATIONAL HISTORICAL RESERVE

## PNRO INVENTORY

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Pacific Northwest Region  
Cultural Resources Division

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| NAME(S) OF STRUCTURE<br>Chris Solid House                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                     | DATE OF CONSTRUCTION<br>c. 1906                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | SITE ID. NO.                                                                                                                                         |  |
| SITE ADDRESS (STREET & NO.)<br>603 N.E. 9th St.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | SCALE<br>1:24000                                                                                                                                     |  |
| CITY/VICINITY<br>Coupeville                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                     | ADDITION(S)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | QUAD NAME<br>Coupeville                                                                                                                              |  |
| COUNTY<br>Island                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | STATE<br>Washington |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | UTM ZONE EASTING NORTHING                                                                                                                            |  |
| OWNER/ADMIN ADDRESS<br>Harold & Betty Gewald parcel #R13234-340-0440<br>P. O. Box 953<br>Coupeville, WA 98239                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONTRIBUTING<br><input type="checkbox"/> NON-CONTRIBUTING                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | CROSS REFERENCE<br>LA 31                                                                                                                             |  |
| DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND HISTORY INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION DATE(S), PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS, MATERIALS, MAJOR ALTERATIONS, IMPORTANT BUILDERS, ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, ETC.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | DANGER OF DEMOLITION? (SPECIFY THREAT)<br><input type="checkbox"/> YES<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO<br><input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN |  |
| CURRENT USE<br>Residence                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                     | ORIGINAL USE<br>Farm / Residence                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| <p>Vernacular Residence. Wood frame set on concrete foundation; rectangle (24' x 40'); 3 bays wide; 1½-stories; shiplap siding; wood-shingled gable roof with intersecting gable roof section on north facade; center entrance on north facade; 2 interior chimneys. Exterior features include 1/1 double-hung sash with cornice; small panes above single pane fixed sash; 1-story bay with 1/1 double-hung sash on east facade; plain cornice and frieze board; corner boards; hip-roofed porch with cross gable; bays flanking recessed center entry on north facade; wood panel and glass door with transom; center front stairs with plain wood railing and squared posts; gable-roofed porch with plain wood posts and railing on west facade; enclosed hip-roofed porch across south facade. Notable landscape features include remnant apple orchard; long, cement walkway to street.</p> <p>1995: one contributing building.</p> <p>Chris Solid built this structure c. 1906. He farmed the surrounding area for many years and lived in the house until the 1940's. Mrs. Alsobrook had the building converted into a duplex in the late 1940's. It has now been reconverted into a single family residence and a new foundation was added in 1983. The outside appearance remains essentially intact, particularly the north facade. It is owned by a relative of the Solid family and lived in</p> |                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| PUBLIC ACCESSIBILITY<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES, LIMITED<br><input type="checkbox"/> NO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | EXISTING SURVEYS<br><input type="checkbox"/> NR<br><input type="checkbox"/> HABS<br><input type="checkbox"/> NHL<br><input type="checkbox"/> LCS<br><input type="checkbox"/> NPS<br><input type="checkbox"/> STATE<br><input type="checkbox"/> COUNTY<br><input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL<br><input type="checkbox"/> OTHER |                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| LOCATED IN AN HISTORIC DISTRICT?<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES<br><input type="checkbox"/> NAME Cent. Whid. Isl. Hist. Dist.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                     | CONDITION<br><input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD<br><input type="checkbox"/> FAIR<br><input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED<br><input type="checkbox"/> RUINS                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| SIGNIFICANCE<br>This property is significant under National Register criterion C, because it embodies the distinctive characteristics of architectural expressions and methods of construction that represent the period of community development in the Reserve, from 1871 until 1910. It retains integrity of location, setting, materials, design, workmanship, feeling and association.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                      |  |

PHOTOGRAPHS AND SKETCH MAP OF LOCATION



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NEGATIVE NO. L12-12; C16-3,4

HABS/HAER QUALITY

☐ YES

☒ NO

REFERENCES

Stanwood, Les. Personal Interview. 8 August 1983.

Hesselgrave, George. Personal Interview. 9 August 1983.

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