

## KL Research Note Joslin Farmhouse<sup>1</sup>

- January 18, 1967, Peter Stokes inspected the present day Joslin house on it's original site in Prince William, he recommended the house be moved complete with carriage shed<sup>2</sup>
- The front would have originally been facing the river<sup>3</sup>
- Original owner at time of transfer stated that the carriage shed was from the 1870s<sup>4</sup>
- Last owner Frank Joslin<sup>5</sup>
- Located Prince William, 3 miles upriver<sup>6</sup>
- House and barns purchased from NBEPC by CIC for 200 \$ in 1966<sup>7</sup>
- Moved March 4, 1969 to Kings Landing<sup>8</sup>
- October 1795, Andrew Joslin bought a lot of land in Prince William from Jonathan Odell<sup>9</sup>
- The older part of the Joslin House was built in 1795, the house entrance is where the closet is in the formal dining room, the kitchen was where the parlour is and the formal dining room was originally the drawing room, the slipp bedroom was probably the pantry and the office a bedroom, it had a center chimney and two stories
- In the 1850's, William Cook Joslin added onto the house and changed the entrance to face the road
- Daniel Cook, son of William, married and had a son Frank Joslin who was the last owner of the house<sup>10</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Research compiled by Evelyn Fidler September 14, 2020

<sup>2</sup> Peter Stokes site visit report to CIC January 18, 1967

<sup>3</sup> ibid

<sup>4</sup> Ibid

<sup>5</sup> File note Darrell Butler 1985

<sup>6</sup> A Guide to Buildings in Kings Landing Historical Settlement by Darrell Butler, Research Historian April 1, 1980

<sup>7</sup> Receipt from NBEPC to CIC, Dec.30, 1966

<sup>8</sup> list obtained from W. Gallagher May 28, 1969

<sup>9</sup> Darrell Butler, "Kings Landing Work Station Manual The Joslin Farm" no date

<sup>10</sup> Ibid