

## 87B-036-17 James A. Cochrane Store

## 22609 Aquasco Road

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A rare example of a mid-nineteenth-century rural front-gable commercial building in Prince George's County, the building was constructed c. 1850 and is notable for its front-gable construction and signage, which reads: ANDREW J. GRIMES & SONS/GEN.

MERCHANDISE/UNDERTAKERS/FUNERAL DIRECTORS & EMBALMING AQUASCO MD. James A. Cochrane, born c. 1832, was married to Mary C. B. Cochrane and listed as a merchant at the time of the 1880 U.S. Federal Census. The Cochranes lived at the nearby Mary C. B. Cochrane House (87B-036-18). In 1910, J. Mitchell and Rebecca R. Cochrane conveyed the property to Andrew Grimes.