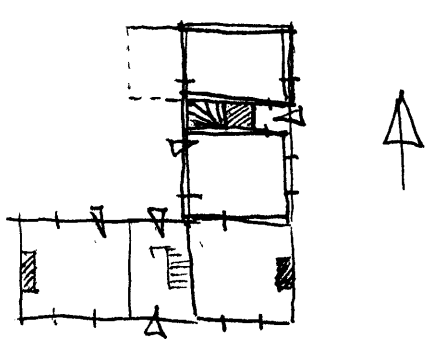


1. Historic Name (s) <del>Taylor house</del> <i>Taylor Ridge farm</i>		22. ADD/County Bluegrass/Jessamine	
Original Owner		23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District	
Present Name		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') Valley View	
3. Owner's Name Virgil Burton		25. UTM Reference Zone: 16 Easting: 721760 Northing: 4188160	
4. Owner's Address Rt. 2, Nicholasville 40356		26. Prehistoric Site Historic Site: <u>Building</u> Object: Structure	
5. Location Taylor Road, 1 mi. E. of KY 595		27. District Name: Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
6. Open to Public Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	28. Significance Evaluation National Register	
9. Local Contact/Organization		29. Status National Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> National Register <input type="checkbox"/> Landmark Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky Survey <input type="checkbox"/> Local Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> HABS/HAER <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow 		30. Theme Primary: <u>log houses</u> Secondary: _____ Other: _____	
11. Architect		31. Endangered Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
12. Builder		32. ATTACH PHOTO	
13. Date 1st 1/4 19th c. (log) 3rd 1/4 19c. (frame)		Roll No. <u>14</u>	
14. Style <input type="checkbox"/>		Picture No. _____	
15. Original Use house		Direction _____	
16. Present Use house		33. Tape No. _____ Negative No. _____	
17. Condition <input type="checkbox"/> Interior: excellent Exterior: excellent		34. Prepared by: NCP - KTG	
18. Description 2 story, 5 bay frame; interior end chimneys; appended to south end of a saddlebag log 2-story house; log block has a central stone chimney; both pens square; mantels removed in log block; interior of frame block intact.		35. Organization KHC	
19. History 1877 atlas - E. Taylor		36. Date summer 1977	
20. Significance Architecture: the earliest portion of the house is a relatively rare form of log house in Kentucky (saddlebag form) and the best-preserved example of this form in Jessamine County.		37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____	
21. Source of Information			

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Taylor Ridge Farm (JS-34), Jessamine County Multiple Resource Area, Nicholasville

18. Description (Cont'd)

In addition to the well-preserved saddlebag log house (2) and the five-bay, frame I-house, the Taylor Ridge Farm has an unusually complete collection of dependencies and outbuildings all of which are 100 years old or more.

The oldest (1) is a single pen log house (photo 3 and 7) enlarged with a shed room on the south side. The foundation of a square ice house (3) is in the hillside north of the house. A frame meathouse (4) with extended gable shelter borders the house yard east of the house (photo 6). The frame hen house (5) with lattice walls is just north of the meat house. The shed roofed outhouse (6) is behind the small log house to the north. A stone-lined dug well (7) is centered in the house yard (photo 3) and a dug cistern (8) is behind the saddlebag house. (photo 8)

The farm buildings include a wood frame saddle house (9) also with extended gable shelter, still housing saddles and harnesses formerly used on the farm (photo 6). A blacksmith shop (10) is the easternmost building, facing the farmyard (11). Across the road (formerly the farm lane) are a tobacco barn (12) and the stock barn (13). There are no other buildings on the site. (photo 10)

All these are clustered on a hill top surrounded by the present farm of 102 acres--part of 500 acres bought by the owner's father in 1913.

20. Significance (Cont'd)

Taylor Ridge Farm contains a remarkably intact collection of farm buildings all constructed within the 19th century, which remain in use and in undamaged condition. As a group they portray farm life of the period and illustrate the typical layout of a farmstead, complete with an excellent saddlebag log house.

**KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT  
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION**

Historic Property Name Taylor Ridge farm Site # Ja 94  
 Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title Jessamine Co.

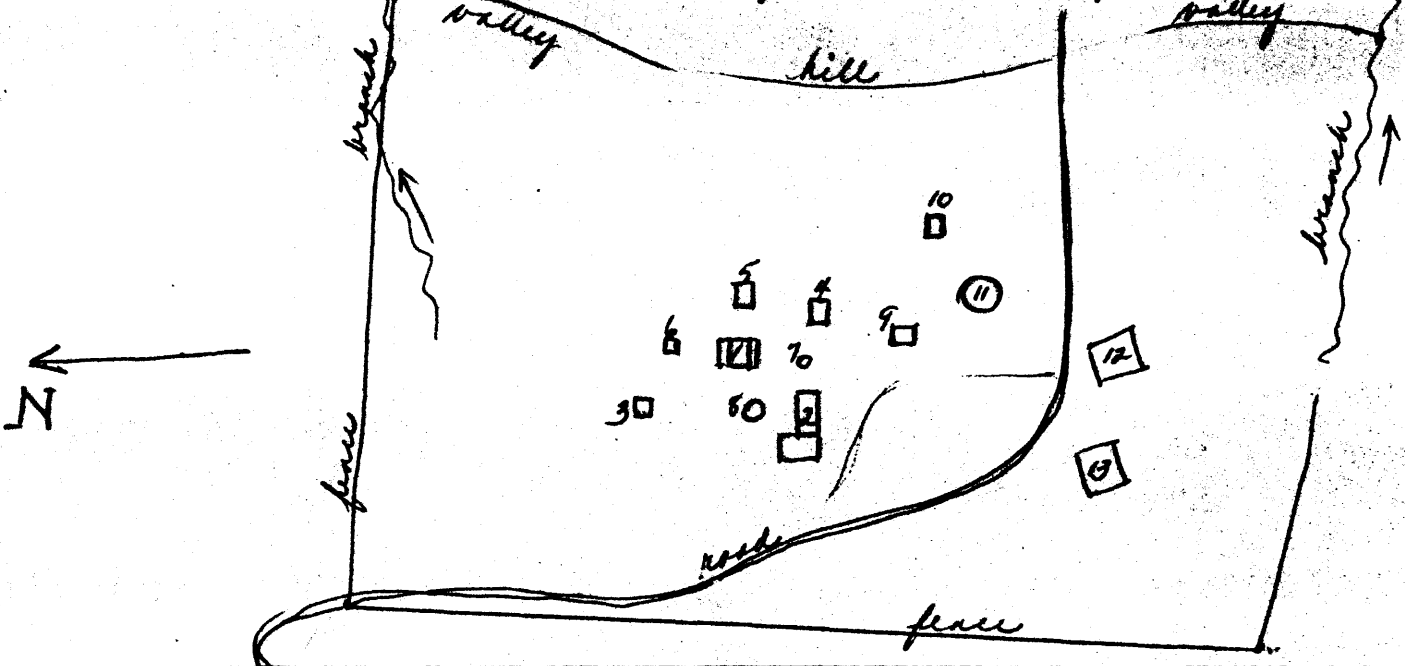
U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTM's if property is ten or more acres.

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| A. <u>16 722 225 4188 440</u> | D. <u>16 721 595 4188 460</u> |
| B. <u>16 722 110 4187 650</u> | E. _____                      |
| C. <u>16 721 505 4188 080</u> | F. _____                      |

Verbal Boundary Description 102 1/2 acres, present farm boundary

Site enclosed by A.B.C.D., includes: 1 original log house, 2 saddlebag house, frame house, 3 foundation of ice house, 4 meat house, 5 hen house, 6 out house, 7 stone walled dug well, 8 dug cistern, 9 saddle house, 10 blacksmith shop, 11 stone walled pond, 12 tobacco barn, 13 stock barn - all 100 years old or more. Was 500 acres when bought in 1913.

Sketch of Site Plan (Showing outbuildings, structures, landscape features and the site boundary as described above.)



Official Courthouse Property Reference: