

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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1. Historic Name (s) James Trigg House Original Owner James Trigg Present Name		22. ADD/County Jefferson/Jefferson																												
3. Owner's Name Ralston & Lounette Steenrod		23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District																												
4. Owner's Address 222 Covered Bridge Road, Prospect, Ky.		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') Anchorage																												
5. Location Southeast corner Covered Bridge Road and US 42		25. UTM Reference <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;"> </td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">6</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">2</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">1</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">3</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">3</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">0</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">4</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">2</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">4</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">5</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">7</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">3</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 10%;">0</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Zone</td> <td colspan="6" style="text-align: center;">Easting</td> <td colspan="6" style="text-align: center;">Northing</td> </tr> </table>			6	2	1	3	3	0	4	2	4	5	7	3	0	Zone	Easting						Northing					
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6. Open to Public Yes    No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No																												
9. Local Contact/Organization Jefferson County Office of Historic Preservation		8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/>																												
10. Site Plan with North Arrow B3 L162  1A/house cent/no sig outbldg		11. Architect Unknown																												
		12. Builder Unknown																												
		13. Date Ca. 1860s																												
		14. Style Italianate																												
		15. Original Use Dwelling																												
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		17. Condition Interior Good <input type="checkbox"/> Exterior Good <input type="checkbox"/>																												
18. Description Two story, five bay brick house-common bond. Low hip roof. Segmental arches, elaborate, bracketed window heads over 4/4 pane windows. Wide, wood cornice with brackets and dentils. Entry-4 light transom, 5 light sidelights. One story, one bay, central porch over front entry, has square posts, cornice with small brackets. Two story ell north side rear. Interior woodwork- (SEE NEXT PAGE)																														
19. History This house is said to have been built by James Trigg. Trigg (1816-1912) was born in Oldham County and lived for a time in Southern Kentucky. He came to Jefferson County in 1863 and the same year, purchased a 94 acre tract on the Louisville and Oldham Plank Road. After the Trigg family, the house was owned by James P. Edwards, an attorney (SEE NEXT PAGE)																														
20. Significance The James Trigg House is significant architecturally as an example of an Italianate style farm house; one of a few such houses in the county. Notable architectural details are the elaborate, bracketed window heads and the wide cornice with brackets(SEE NEXT PAGE)																														
21. Source of Information Sinclair, Ward, and Harold Browning, (SEE NEXT PAGE)																														
		26. Prehistoric Site Historic Site Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>																												
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		34. Prepared by: Carol Tobe Researcher																												
		35. Organization Jefferson County Office of Historic Preservation																												
		36. Date 27 September 1979																												
		37. Revision Dates                      38. Staff Review																												

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who served as Louisville Representative in the Kentucky General Assembly in 1902. He was a member of the Board of Public Safety (1904) and active in public affairs.

In 1939 Mark and Willie Snow Ethridge purchased the house. Ethridge was publisher of the Courier Journal. Willie Snow Ethridge was an author.

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and dentils which extends around the house. This cornice detail is repeated on the cornice of the porch. The house was probably built by James Trigg in the 1860s. Prominent later owners were James P. Edwards, attorney and legislator; Mark Ethridge, publisher; and his wife Willie Snow Ethridge, author.

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