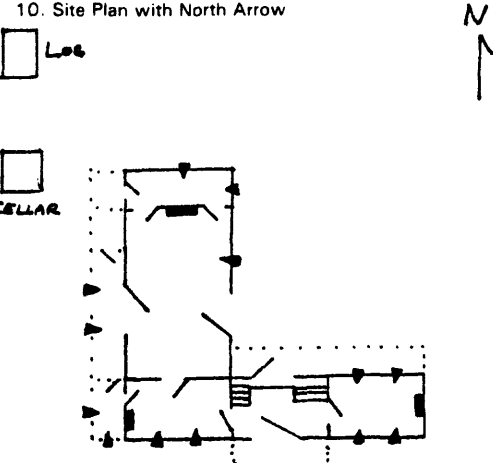


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KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Site No. WS-12

1. Historic Name(s) <b>Stephen Cocke Browne House</b>		22. ADD/County <b>Lincoln Trail/Wash.</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">115</span>	
Original Owner <b>Stephen Cocke Browne</b>		23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') <b>Brush Grove</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">    </span> G.I.S. Mod. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">    </span>	
2. Present Name <b>As above</b>		24. UTM Reference <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">16</span> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">661000</span> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">4180680</span>	
3. Location <b>App. 5 mi. from Springfield, N side Hwy 438</b>		Zone Easting Northing	
4. Owner's Name <b>Lester Hanby</b>		25. Coordinate Accuracy <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">    </span>	
5. Owner's Address <b>Rt. 3A, Springfield, Ky. 40069</b>		26. Prehistoric Site Object Historic Site Structure <span style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;">Building</span> Other	
6. Open to Public Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	27. National Register District Name: <b>N/A</b>	
8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/>		28. Significance Evaluation <b>NR</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">N</span>	
9. Local Contact/Organization <b>Mr. Lester Hanby</b>		29. Status National Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> Date _____ 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. Historic Theme Primary <b>Architecture</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">C</span> Secondary _____ Other _____	
11. Architect <b>unknown</b>		31. Endangered Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12. Builder <b>unknown</b>		32. Preservation Project Status <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">    </span>	
13. Date <b>1801-1825/ A. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">2</span> B. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">3</span></b>		Actual Cost in \$1,000s <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">    </span>	
14. Style <b>1843</b> A. <b>Greek Rev.</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">C</span> B. <input type="checkbox"/>		33. ATTACH PHOTO	
15. Original Use <b>Sing. fam. res.</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">A</span>		Roll No. <u>7</u>	
16. Present use <b>Sing. fam. res.</b>		Picture No. <u>29A-35A</u>	
17. Condition <b>Fair</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">C</span>		Direction _____	
18. Description <b>2 story Grk. Rev. with portico which has been altered; pilasters flank door on 1st and 2nd flr. w/pulvinated frieze; pilasters flank sidelight w/similar design; boxed cornice; internal end chimneys are brick; frnt. rm. on W. is log; central open string stair w/supporting brackets;</b> <small>(Continue on Back)</small>		34. Prepared by: <b>Joe DeSpain</b>	
No. Stories <b>Two</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">C</span>		35. Organization <b>Green Co. Hist. Soc., Inc.</b>	
Single Pile <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>		36. Date <b>14 Dec. 1982</b>	
Double Pile _____		37. Revision Dates <b>1/87</b>	
Floor Plan <b>Sing.pile/cent.</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">I</span>		38. Staff Review	
Structural Fabric <b>Log/frame A. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">A</span> B. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">D</span></b>			
Decorative Fabric <b>Alum. side. A. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Q</span> B. <input type="checkbox"/></b>			
Roof Form <b>Gable end</b>			
19. History <b>See attached. Browne's portrait, alledgedly by Matthew Jouett, hangs in the Pleasant Grove Presbyterian Church (see WS-25).</b>			
20. Significance <b>This property is eligible under criterion C. It contains fine early interior woodwork, and represents a docu- (over)</b>			
21. Source of Information <b>Baylor, Orval. Pioneer History of Washington County. Owensboro, Ky.: McDowell Publications, 1980, p. 193 (Sept. 26, 1935). See attached.</b>			

DESCRIPTION: (cont.) transomed door and sidelights in central entrance; mantels in both frnt W. rms. are simple and altered for grates; paneled window aprons in front E. rm. w/colonettes on mantel; large rm. which is present ell, on N., has enriched moldings on doors; stone fireplace w/paneled pilasters on mantel, chair rails. Ridge in rm. suggests picture rails removed.

Significant adjacent structures include a saddle notched smokehouse and a rock cellar.

SIGNIFICANCE: (cont.) mented early log house incorporated into a later fully developed Greek Revival frame house. Illustrates the way houses were altered to accomodate changing needs and tastes. Aluminum siding compromises but does not atler the building's significance within the county, for the above reasons.



KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT  
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Historic Property Name Stephen Cocke Browne House Site # WS-12  
Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title Washington County Multiple Resource Area

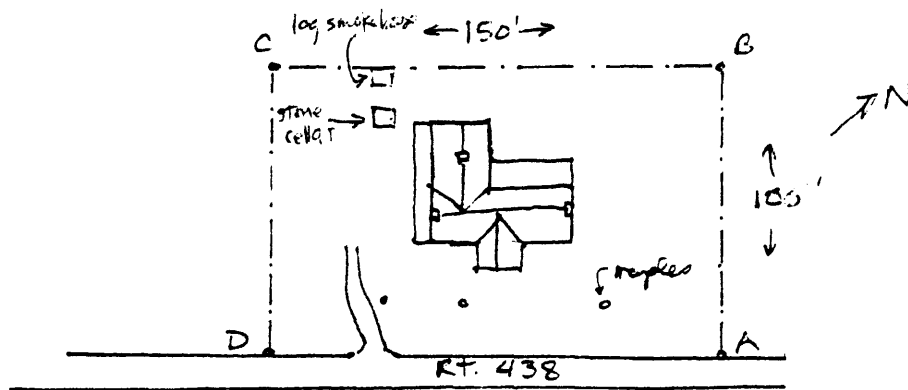
U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTMs if property is ten or more acres.

A. 16 661000 4180680 D. \_\_\_\_\_  
B. \_\_\_\_\_ E. \_\_\_\_\_  
C. \_\_\_\_\_ F. \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal Boundary Description less than one acre

Beginning at Point A on the northwest of Kentucky 438 where a fence which encloses the site meets the road, northwest with fence 100 feet to Point B, thence northwest with a fence 150 feet to Point C, then southwest along a fence 100 feet on the west of site to Point B, southwest along the north side of Kentucky 438 to the point of origin. The boundaries were chosen to include the house and domestic-related space as enclosed by fences and the highway. Contributing outbuildings are a stone cellar and a log smokehouse. The historic property contains three contributing buildings.

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



Official Courthouse Property Reference:

Washington County Courthouse, Springfield, Kentucky

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**National Register of Historic Places  
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Brown, Stephen Cooke, House Washington County KENTUCKY 88003471  
(Washington County MRA)

REMOVAL OF OWNER OBJECTION APPROVED  
LISTED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

*Edson A. Beall* 11-21-94

Entered in the  
National Register