

# KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Site No. Ja-111-2

1. Historic Name(s) <u>(Wm) Mc Connell house</u>		22. ADD/County <u>Bluegrass / Fayette</u>	
Original Owner <u>Wm McConnell</u>		23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15/75') <u>Lepington, West</u>	
2. Present Name		24. UTM Reference <u>16</u>   <u>717200</u>   <u>4214880</u>	
3. Location <u>W. side Forbes Road, N. of Old Frankfort Pk. just N of R.R., facing Town Branch.</u>		Zone Easting Northing	
4. Owner's Name <u>Billy Hubbard, partner in Bluegrass Stockyards, Inc.</u>		25. Coordinate Accuracy <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Owner's Address <u>Lisle Road, Lexington, Ky. 40504</u>		26. Prehistoric Site Object Historic Site Structure Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	
6. Open to Public Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	27. National Register District Name:	
9. Local Contact/Organization		28. Significance Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow  <u>see attached boundary form</u>		11. Architect	
		12. Builder	
		13. Date <u>late 18th C</u> A. <input type="checkbox"/> B. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		14. Style A. <u>Federal</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>	
		15. Original Use <u>residence</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
16. Present use <u>office</u>		29. Status Date	
17. Condition <u>excellent</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		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"/>	
18. Description <u>Original house is 3 bay, 2 story dry stone house with exterior chimney, now addition inside the wing. Wing is 2 1/2 stories of stone, on W. end of house w gable roof at right angle to house roof to depth of house, thence becoming one story with</u> (Continue on Back) <u>(over)</u>		30. Historic Theme Primary <u>Settlement</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>K</u> Secondary <u>architecture</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>C</u> Other	
19. History <u>Built on the land granted to Wm McConnell who was one of the first explorers in the area, and whose company founded Lexington. He and his brothers selected land along the</u>		31. Endangered Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
20. Significance <u>One of 3 oldest buildings in Lexington. Built by captain whose party founded and named the town.</u>		32. Preservation Project Status <input type="checkbox"/>	
21. Source of Information <u>18. inspection</u> <u>19. Woolley, Founding of Lexington</u>		Actual Cost in \$1,000s <input type="checkbox"/>	
		33. ATTACH PHOTO <u>in attached envelope</u>	
		34. Prepared by: <u>C.M. Woolley</u>	
		35. Organization	
		36. Date <u>1982</u>	
		37. Revision Dates	
		38. Staff Review	

18. cont.:

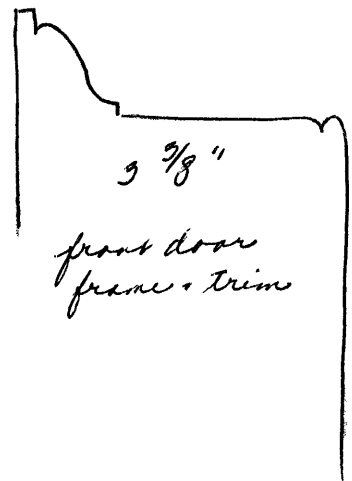
shed roof; large chimney  
inside rear wall of shed. Most  
window frames replaced; 2 pegged  
frames in W. side with cast trim;  
pegged door frame (from outside to  
attic) to attic of 2 1/2 stories above shed  
roof on N. side; front door of house  
has ogee (cyma reversa) molding.

(photo 3)

(photo 5)

The building has been enlarged  
with three modern room additions  
on the rear. Inside of house remodelled,  
beams exposed, most woodwork gone.

(photo 4)



19. cont.:

Waters of Town Branch, lived at  
Harrodsburg until the Indians were  
evicted and returned to Lexington to  
clear, plant, and build.

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION & JUSTIFICATION

Beginning at point A, 37 ft diagonally NW of the building, thence SE 129 ft to B, thence SW 99 ft to C, thence NW 105 ft to D, thence NE 147 ft to the beginning - about 1/3 acre.

This area includes the house and lawn. It is surrounded by driveways and parking lots. The stock barns are new.

SKETCH MAP OF SITE SHOWING BOUNDARIES AND KEY BUILDINGS AND FEATURES WITH NORTH ARROW.

