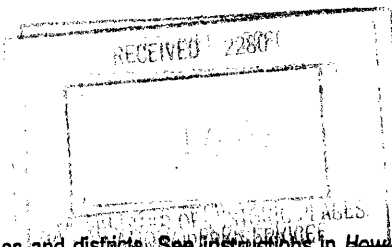


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National Register of Historic Places Registration Form



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This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name Bright, T. B., House and Farmstead

other names/site number B0-356

2. Location

street & number South side of S.R. 34, 1 mi. E of Danville Not for publication

city or town Danville vicinity

state Kentucky code KY county Boyle code 021 zip code 40422

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended, I hereby certify that this nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant

nationally statewide locally. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

David L. Morgan, SHPO and

Executive Director

David L. Morgan

Signature of certifying official/Title

Date

Kentucky Heritage Council/State Historic Preservation Office

State of Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of commenting official/Title

Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that the property is:

entered in the National Register.

See continuation sheet.

determined eligible for the National Register

See continuation sheet.

determined not eligible for the National Register.

removed from the National Register.

other, (explain): _____

Signature of the Keeper

Date of Action

Patrick Ardrey

11/19/97

(BO-356) T.B. Bright House &
Name of Property Farmstead

Boyle County, KY
County and State

5. Classification

Ownership of Property
(Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
- public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property
(Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
- object

Number of Resources within Property
(Do not include previously listed resources in the count.)

Contributing	Noncontributing	
7	2	buildings
		sites
1	0	structures
		objects
8	2	Total

Name of related multiple property listing
(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

Historic and Architectural Resources of
Boyle County, KY

**Number of contributing resources previously listed
in the National Register**

N/A

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

DOMESTIC: single dwelling and
secondary structure

AGRICULTURE: processing and animal
facility

Current Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

DOMESTIC: single dwelling and
secondary structure

AGRICULTURE: processing and
animal facility

7. Description

Architectural Classification
(Enter categories from instructions)

NO STYLE

Materials
(Enter categories from instructions)

foundation N/A

walls N/A

roof N/A

other N/A

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

See Continuation Sheet

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria

(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

- A Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
B Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations

(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

Property is:

- A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
B removed from its original location.
C a birthplace or grave.
D a cemetery.
E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
F a commemorative property.
G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions)

AGRICULTURE

Period of Significance

c. 1805- c. 1910

Significant Dates

c. 1893

Significant Person

(Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

N/A

Cultural Affiliation

N/A

Architect/Builder

Unknown

Narrative Statement of Significance

(Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

See Continuation Sheet

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography

See Continuation Sheet

(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
previously listed in the National Register
previously determined eligible by the National Register
designated a National Historic Landmark
recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey
recorded by Historic American Engineering Record

Primary location of additional data:

- State Historic Preservation Office
Other State agency
Federal agency
Local government
University
Other

Name of repository:

(BO-356) T.B. Bright House and Farmstead
Name of Property

Boyle County, KY
County and State

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property Approx. 12 acres

UTM References

(Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet.)

Bryantsville Quadrangle

A. 1

16	70	064	0
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41	17	094	0
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Zone Easting Northing
B. 2

16	700	520	0
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41	17	068	0
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C. 3

16	700	320	0
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41	17	074	0
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Zone Easting Northing
D. 4

16	700	370	0
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41	17	092	0
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See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description

(Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

See Continuation Sheet

Boundary Justification

(Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

See Continuation Sheet

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Christine Amos, Historian and Amanda Bradley, Historian

organization Burry & Amos, Inc. (Heart of Danville) date June 20, 1997

street & number 926 Main Street telephone (502) 633-5530

city or town Shelbyville state KY zip code 40065

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A Sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items

(Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of SHPO or FPO.)

name Rube and Chris Kubale

street & number 2826 Lexington Road telephone (606) 236-9642

city or town Danville state KY zip code 40422

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Multiple Property Listing
T.B. Bright House and Farmstead (BO-356)

7. Description:

The nominated property is located on a north facing, tree-covered slope on the south side of the Danville to Lancaster Road (S. R. 34) in northeastern Boyle County. Significant as a late-nineteenth century stock farm, the nominated property includes seven contributing buildings, two non-contributing buildings and one contributing structure. Extensive farm acreage is not included in the nomination.

1.) The **main residence** is a two-story, frame dwelling with vinyl siding, two-story rear ell, side gable roof clad with asphalt shingles and a central front gable. Local tradition recalls that the core of the dwelling is a c. 1805 (possibly log) double pen, initially having two stone end chimneys and a rear ell, with a separate kitchen to the rear. The current residence evolved from this original double pen, taking its present form c. 1893. The plan and exterior features of the residence resemble other Boyle County dwellings constructed in the late-nineteenth century, including BO-176 and BO-388 (each nominated as part of this MPL). The front facade faces north to the Lexington Road and is divided into five bays, with the central paneled entry flanked on either side by a central interior brick chimney. A one-story, wrap-around porch has turned supports and balustrade, sawn tooth frieze and brackets. Original windows are 2/2 sash with molded wood surrounds and sills and louvered shutters. The rear two-story ell was added in the early-twentieth century, when the kitchen was attached, and is covered with weatherboard siding. The houses rests on a continuous stone foundation.

2.) East (beside) of the main residence, is a c. 1893 **tenant house** (contributing building). The one-story, frame dwelling, built on a two room plan, has weatherboard siding and an asphalt shingle clad side gable roof. Facing the main residence, the front (west) facade has two side entry doors, each leading into a separate room. A hipped porch extends half the length of the facade with turned supports. A central interior brick chimney is shared by each of the two rooms as is a wrap-around wood deck across the rear elevation (a late-twentieth century addition). Windows are 1/1 sash with molded wood surrounds, with louvered shutters. Additional features include decorative sawnwork in the gable ends and a continuous stone foundation.

3.) In the agricultural complex south of the domestic yard is an 1897 **mule barn** (contributing building), oriented north-south with a center drive, upper level hay loft, hand hewn vertical beams on stone pier foundations, hand hewn floor joists and stalls measuring approximately ten feet square. Covered with standing seam metal, the front gable roof has five vents at the ridge. A side shed extends east from the barn, used for feeding, hay storage and equipment storage. Windows along the front (north) and rear (south) elevations are single panes. Along the rear (southeast) corner of the barn is a concrete silo. Across the front gable of the barn, the date "1897" is inscribed over a circular vent

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4.) Beside (west of) the mule barn is a c. 1897 **livestock scale** (contributing building). Oriented north-south, and in close proximity to the mule barn, the building has a front gable roof with standing seam metal, exposed rafters in the overhangs, and vertical board siding. Each gable end of the building is open, exposing the holding pen where stock were weighted. No date was found on the scales.

5.) A pre-World War II, board and batten **equipment shed** (contributing building) is located in front of (north) the livestock scale, oriented north-south, with a standing seam metal clad side gable roof. Sided with metal, the building has a one-bay rear (south) extension with windows on the east and west walls. Additional features include an interior end brick chimney and a pair of swinging entry doors on the east elevation.

6.) West of the equipment shed is a pre-World War II **tobacco barn** (contributing building), oriented east-west, with seven bents, five ridge vents and a gable roof (covered with standing seam metal). Sided with vertical sheathing, the building has a center drive (approximately twelve feet wide) with paired entry doors on metal slides. The center drive is flanked by stalls and topped with tired racks. Full-length swinging vertical vents are on the north and south side walls.

7.) A c. 1893 **meathouse** (non-contributing building) is located on the far west end of the domestic yard, oriented east-west. The one-story, gable front building is sided with weatherboard and topped with asphalt shingles. In the mid to late-twentieth century, the building was converted into a garage, with a one-bay addition on the east (front) wall featuring a lower gable roof and a one car door entry.

8.) Behind the main residence (southeast of) is a pre-World War II **garage** (contributing building) with weatherboard siding and a standing-seam metal clad gable front roof. Oriented north-south, the building features a one-car bay entry on the north (front) wall.

9.) Beside (west of) the garage is a one-room **tenant house** (non-contributing building), moved to this site in 1943. Covered with weatherboard siding, the building features a gable front roof clad with asphalt shingles. Serving as the living quarters for the residence's cook, the building features an interior end corbelled brick chimney on the south wall. Additional features include a central bay entry on the north (front) wall, topped by a one-bay shed overhang, and original 2/2 sash windows with plain wood surrounds and sills on the east and west side walls.

10.) Located between the main residence and the main road is a mid to late-nineteenth century **dry-laid stone springhouse** (contributing structure), built into the side of the hill with a central entry. A small stream flows from the front entry. No door remains on the structure.

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8. Statement of Significance:

Located on the south side of the Danville and Lancaster Road (S.R. 34), the T.B. Bright House and Farmstead (BO-356) are locally significant under Criterion A as an example of a late-nineteenth century stock farmstead in northeast Boyle County. The layout of the farmstead and the variety of building types and functions contribute to the understanding of agricultural practices during the period of significance. The c. 1893 main residence contributes to site significance as an earlier double pen cabin built during settlement and enlarged during a later historic period.

The property is nominated as part of the Multiple Property Listing: "Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, Kentucky" under the theme of "Agriculture in Boyle County, 1780-1945." The farm totals approximately 225 acres, including the original one hundred acres given to Ezekiel Barbee (who constructed the initial double pen dwelling) by his father, John at the turn of the nineteenth century. Calvin Fackler quoted Barbee's will in 1959, writing: "It is my will that my son Ezekiel is from the day of my decease to hold and occupy the lands on which he now resides to contain 100 acres, free of rent (Fackler, 1959: 16)". Ezekiel Barbee resided on the property in the double pen residence comprising the core of the current residence until his death in 1826. The property changed hands several times before in 1893, it was sold to T.B. Bright, who held the farm until his death in 1943.

In 1893, soon after obtaining the property, Bright added to and modified the existing double pen residence, creating the current Victorian dwelling. At the same time, Bright oversaw the construction of several outbuildings in the domestic yard and farm buildings in the associated fields. In 1897, the Mule Barn was constructed to house the many mules raised on the farm. That same year, Bright and Monte Fox advertised as traders and sellers of mules and were known to ship mules on a regular basis to Pennsylvania for use in the coal mines. One of their business cards remains with the property (seen in accompanying photos). The size and quality of the mule barn indicates Bright felt the cost of the barn would be realized through increased revenues from mule sales.

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10. Geographical Data:

Verbal Boundary Description:

The nominated property is located on the south side of S.R. 34, the Danville and Lexington Road. Indicated as Parcel 24 on the accompanying Boyle County Property Identification Tax Map 50, only that area within the dotted line is included in this nomination, encompassing the northeast corner of the parcel. Located in the Boyle County Property Valuation Administration Office, the tax map has a scale of 1" = 600'.

Boundary Description:

The boundaries include the main residence, buildings and structure of the farmstead that are historically associated with the T.B. Bright Farms and maintain good historical integrity. The additional acreage indicated on Parcel 24 is not included with the nomination.

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PHOTOGRAPHS

T.B. Bright House and Farmstead, Boyle County, KY

PHOTOS BY: Amanda Bradley
Burry & Amos, Inc.
926 Main Street
Shelbyville, KY 40065

DATE: August, 1996 and July, 1997

Front (north) facade of Main Residence, facing south
1 of 20

East elevation of Main Residence, facing southwest
2 of 20

Rear (south) elevation of Main Residence, facing northwest
3 of 20

Detail of front porch ornamentation
4 of 20

Detail of turned posts and sawn brackets on front porch
5 of 20

Front (west) facade of tenant house, facing southeast
6 of 20

Detail of sawn ornamentation in gable end of tenant house
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Mantle in south room of tenant house
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PHOTOGRAPHS (cont'd):

T.B. Bright's framed business card, advertising selling of mules (remaining in tenant house)
9 of 20

Cook's quarters, front (north) facade, facing southwest
10 of 20

Side (east) elevation of original meathouse, converted into a garage, facing northwest
11 of 20

Front (north) facade of pre-World War II garage, facing southeast
12 of 20

Overview of agricultural complex, facing southwest
13 of 20

1897 Mule Barn, front (north) facade, facing south
14 of 20

Interior of mule barn with hand hewn uprights and troughs
15 of 20

Detail of stalls in mule barn
16 of 20

Scale House, facing southwest
17 of 20

Equipment shed, facing northwest
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Tobacco Barn, facing southwest
19 of 20

Stone springhouse, facing southwest
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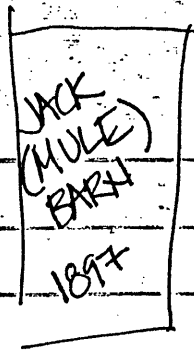
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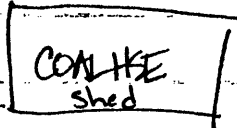
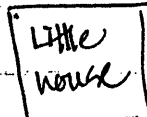
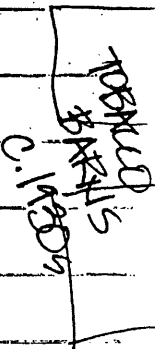
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and Farmstead

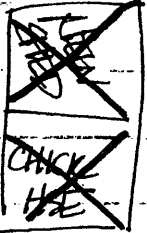
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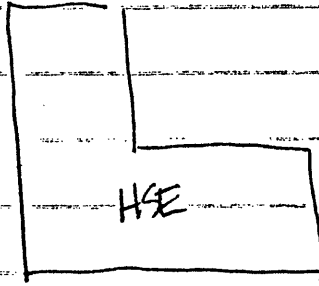
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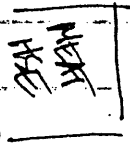
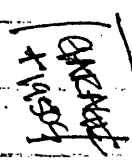


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