

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

FOR NPS USE ONLY
RECEIVED **MAR 26 1980**
DATE ENTERED **MAY 22 1980**

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

D. D. Bogard House

AND/OR COMMON

Same

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

303 East Fourth Street

— NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

Owensboro

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

— VICINITY OF

2

STATE

Kentucky

CODE

021

COUNTY

Daviess

CODE

059

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

- DISTRICT
- BUILDING(S)
- STRUCTURE
- SITE
- OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

- PUBLIC
- PRIVATE
- BOTH
- PUBLIC ACQUISITION**
- IN PROCESS
- BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

- OCCUPIED
- UNOCCUPIED
- WORK IN PROGRESS
- ACCESSIBLE**
- YES: RESTRICTED
- YES: UNRESTRICTED
- NO

PRESENT USE

- AGRICULTURE
- MUSEUM
- COMMERCIAL
- PARK
- EDUCATIONAL
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- ENTERTAINMENT
- RELIGIOUS
- GOVERNMENT
- SCIENTIFIC
- INDUSTRIAL
- TRANSPORTATION
- MILITARY
- OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Hugh D. Moore

STREET & NUMBER

303 East Fourth Street

CITY, TOWN

Owensboro

— VICINITY OF

STATE

Kentucky

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Daviess County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Owensboro

STATE

Kentucky

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Survey of Historic Sites in Kentucky

DATE

1979

— FEDERAL STATE — COUNTY — LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

Kentucky Heritage Commission

CITY, TOWN

Frankfort

STATE

Kentucky

7 DESCRIPTION

| CONDITION | | CHECK ONE | CHECK ONE |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT | <input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED | <input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GOOD | <input type="checkbox"/> RUINS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED | <input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FAIR | <input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED | | |

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The D. D. Bogard House is located on the north east corner of Lewis and Fourth Streets in Owensboro, Kentucky. The house is visible from both streets, one of which is a main thoroughfare and is highly visible in the town.

This brick, Queen Anne style house is two stories in height and is capped by a pyramidal roof. An octagonal tower with an interior chimney projects from the southwest corner of the house and a semi-polygonal bay graces the west elevation.

Segmentally arched rough-cut stone hood molds cap the window and door openings. The main entrance is sheltered by a segmentally arched cornice head with dentils. A stained glass transom and door windows add color to the entrance element.

The recent additions to the exterior include: a one-story 20th century porch along the west elevation and a one-story enclosed porch on the north side of the house.

The interior of the Bogard house contains rich Victorian woodwork. The main entrance hall is softly lit by stained glass door windows. The staircase exhibits excellent design and craftsmanship with its paneled newel post and beaded bannister railing.

The library in the southeast corner of the house contains floor to ceiling shelves of recent construction and a transitional Greek and Victorian mantelpiece. The door trim throughout the house also is similar to a late Greek pattern. Low paneled aprons are located below the windows.

The mantelpieces are simple in scale and design. One of the second floor mantles has a rectangular opening surrounded by vibrantly colored green tiles. Three brackets are located beneath a plain shelf and colonnettes are situated to each side.

The nominated acreage includes the entire city lot under single ownership on which the house rests.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

| | | | | |
|---|--|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499 | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION | <input type="checkbox"/> LAW | <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599 | <input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS | <input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE | <input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION | <input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY | <input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799 | <input type="checkbox"/> ART | <input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING | <input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC | <input type="checkbox"/> THEATER |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899 | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE | <input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY | <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1900- | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY | <input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION | | |

SPECIFIC DATES c. 1896 BUILDER/ARCHITECT J.N. Grady/Drach, Thomas & Bohne of Louisville, Logan Feland Superintending Architect

The D. D. Bogard House occupies a prominent location at the corner of Lewis and Fourth Streets in downtown Owensboro, Kentucky. Constructed circa 1896, the modest Queen Anne building with its corner tower and polygonal bay has become a local landmark, being one of Owensboro's few remaining nineteenth century structures providing a tangible link with the city's past.

Daviess County, Kentucky, formed in 1815 by the General Assembly of Kentucky, was the fifty-eighth county in the Commonwealth. Bounded on the north by the Ohio River, Daviess County contains four-hundred and twenty square miles and is one of the largest counties in the state. It is well watered by the Green River in addition to the Ohio and was an important railroad center. Owensboro, the county seat was incorporated in 1817, and has been an important industrial center for Kentucky.

The structure now known as the D. D. Bogard House was constructed c. 1896 by a Dr. W. E. Fowlkes. Later, after his death the property was owned by his wife. After changing hands several times over the years, the structure came into the possession of the Bogard family, with whom the house has been associated since the 1930 s.

The Bogard house is one of the best examples of the few Victorian structures extant in Owensboro. It occupies a highly visible corner in the downtown area and has become a familiar landmark to local citizens.

The house is an extremely pleasing structure with rough cut stone trim and brightly colored stained glass windows. The octagonal turret and polygonal bay provide relief from the otherwise flat elevations.

The interior woodwork is simple but well crafted and all mantelpieces contain their original gaily colored tiles.

The structure presently houses a reputable Owensboro law firm whose interest in accurate preservation has benefited the property immensely.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Information received of or supplied by the present owner.

UTM NOT VERIFIED

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE NOT VERIFIED

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY less than 1/2 acre

QUADRANGLE NAME Owensboro East

QUADRANGLE SCALE 1:24,000

UTM REFERENCES

A | 1 16 | 4 9 10 | 4 17 10 | 4 1 18 10 | 4 12 10 |

B | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

C | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

D | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

E | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

F | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

G | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

H | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

A rectangular lot measuring 68' x 167' on the northeast corner of Fourth and Lewis Streets. 167' goes along Lewis Street — Gloria Mills, telephone conversation 5/13/80

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

| STATE | CODE | COUNTY | CODE |
|-------|------|--------|------|
| STATE | CODE | COUNTY | CODE |

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Calvin Jones, Historian - Jayne Henderson, Historian; CLS

ORGANIZATION

Kentucky Heritage Commission

DATE

STREET & NUMBER

104 Bridge Street

TELEPHONE

(502) 564-3741

CITY OR TOWN

Frankfort

STATE

Kentucky

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL ___ STATE ___ LOCAL x

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

Donna C. Hopkins

TITLE Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

DATE 3-19-80

FOR NPS USE ONLY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

J. W. Ray Jr.
KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE 5/22/80

ATTEST: *Kristen O'Connell*
CHIEF OF REGISTRATION

DATE 5/13/80