

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

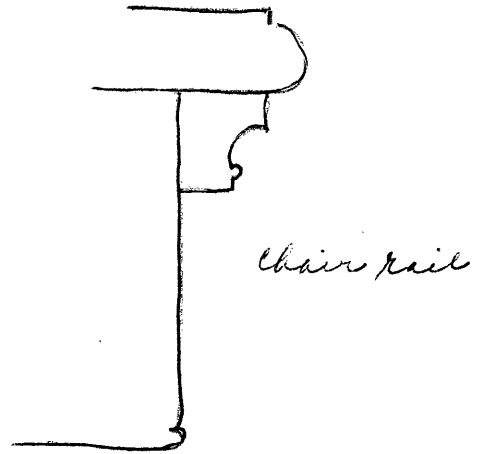
Site No. Bk 278

1. Historic Name(s) <u>Widow McDowell house</u>		22. ADD/County <u>Buegrass/Bourbon</u>	
Original Owner <u>The Widow Mc Dowell</u>		23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') <u>Paris East</u> G.I.S. Mod.	
2. Present Name <u>Widow Mc Dowell house</u>		24. UTM Reference <u>16 746260 4233750</u>	
3. Location <u>5 1/2 mi E of Glenn Road on the Dowell's Run</u>		Zone Easting Northing	
4. Owner's Name <u>Mrs. Shirley Dalzell</u>		25. Coordinate Accuracy <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Owner's Address <u>Bourbon Heights Nursing Home, Paris, Ky 40361</u>		26. Prehistoric Site Object Historic Site Structure Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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:	
8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/>		28. Significance Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Local Contact/Organization <u>Lee Wilson leases farm, lives adjacent farm.</u>		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 <u>See attached boundary form</u>		30. Historic Theme Primary <u>Architecture</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Secondary <u>Settlement</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Architect		31. Endangered <u>by neglect</u> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Builder		32. Preservation Project Status <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Date <u>1790's</u> A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>		Actual Cost in \$1,000s _____	
14. Style A. <u>Federal</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>		33. ATTACH PHOTO <u>in enclosed envelope</u>	
15. Original Use <u>residence</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
16. Present use <u>vacant</u>			
17. Condition <u>fair - poor</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
18. Description <u>2 story 3 bay hall parlor dry stone house; interior end chimneys; good stonework, square pointing, 11 stone voussiors w.o. keys, pegged frames, oval trim. Top plate returned on end (unusual); 2 bays on rear; (over)</u>			
(Continue on Back)			
19. History <u>Build by the Widow Mc Dowell, said to have ridden horseback from Virginia, accompanied by slaves. (David and Jariah McDowell on 1790 tax list in Bourbon Co.)</u>		Roll No. _____ Picture No. _____ Direction _____	
20. Significance <u>Good example early house, retaining features of modest style stone house.</u>		34. Prepared by: <u>C.M. Woolley</u>	
21. Source of Information <u>18: inspection 19: Mrs W. H. Whitley</u>		35. Organization _____	
		36. Date <u>1982</u>	
		37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____	

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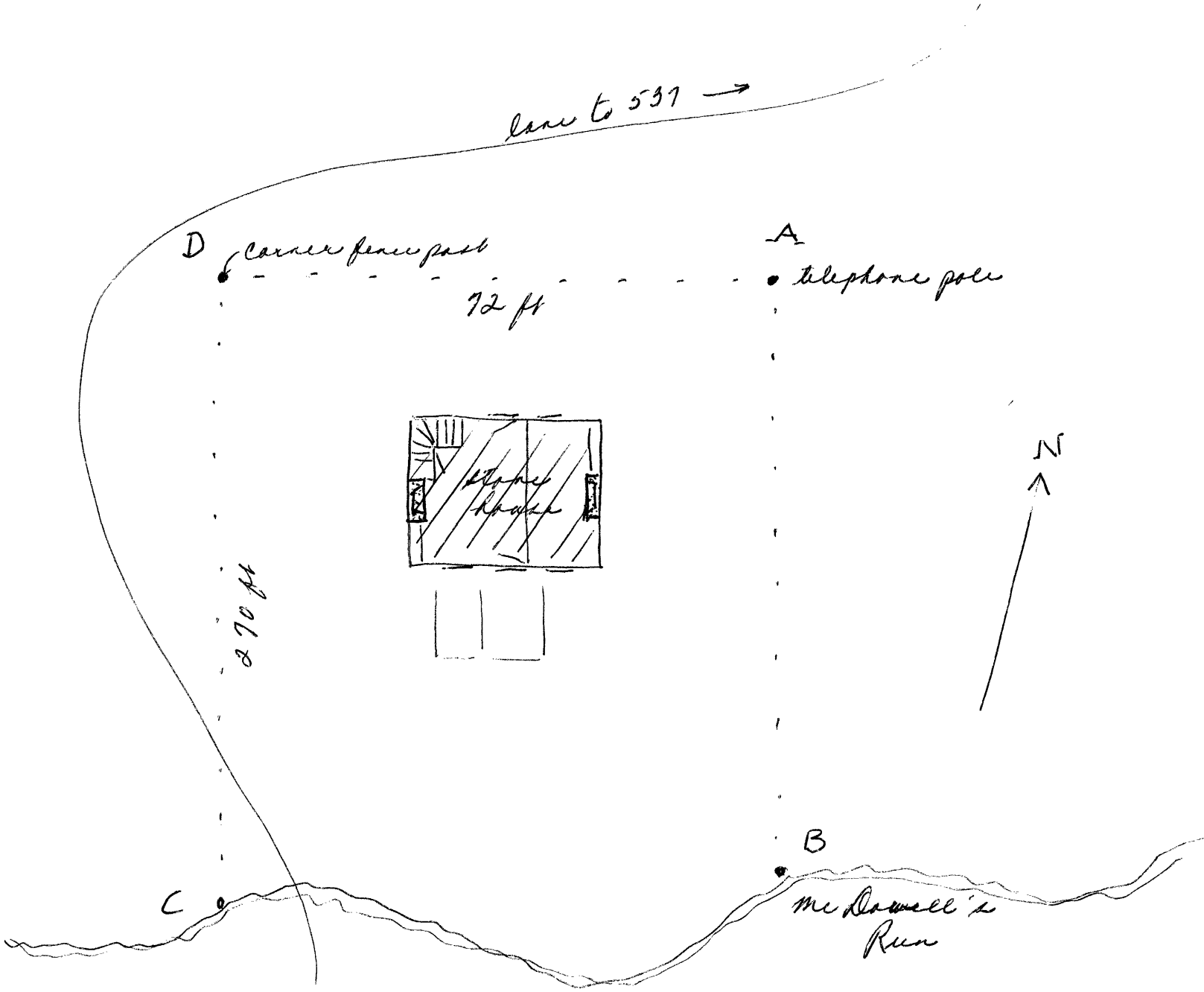


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SKETCH MAP OF SITE SHOWING BOUNDARIES AND KEY BUILDINGS AND FEATURES WITH NORTH ARROW.



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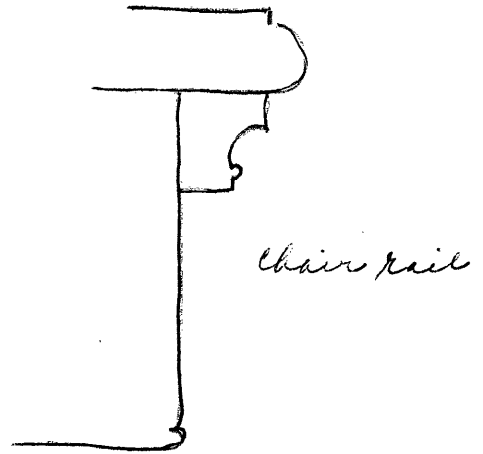
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		Double Pile <input type="checkbox"/>	
		Floor Plan <u>hall-parlor</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e	
		Structural Fabric <u>stone</u> A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>	
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