

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY *72000546 Wa-161*

1. Historic Name (s) Hobson House

Original Owner Col Atwood Hobson

Present Name Riverview - Hobson House

3. Owner's Name City of Bowling Green c/o Mayor Bernie Steen

4. Owner's Address 1001 College St.

5. Location

6. Open to Public Yes No

7. Visible from road Yes No

8. Ownership Private Local State Federal

9. Local Contact/Organization

22. ADD/County BARI V, WA

23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District

24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') Bowling Green North

25. UTM Reference

26. Prehistoric Site Historic Site Building Object Structure

27. District Name: Yes No

28. Significance Evaluation NR

10. Site Plan with North Arrow

11. Architect

12. Builder Col. Atwood Hobson

13. Date 1862 - completed 1866

14. Style Italianate

15. Original Use dwelling

16. Present Use house museum

17. Condition Interior excellent Exterior excellent

see NR files

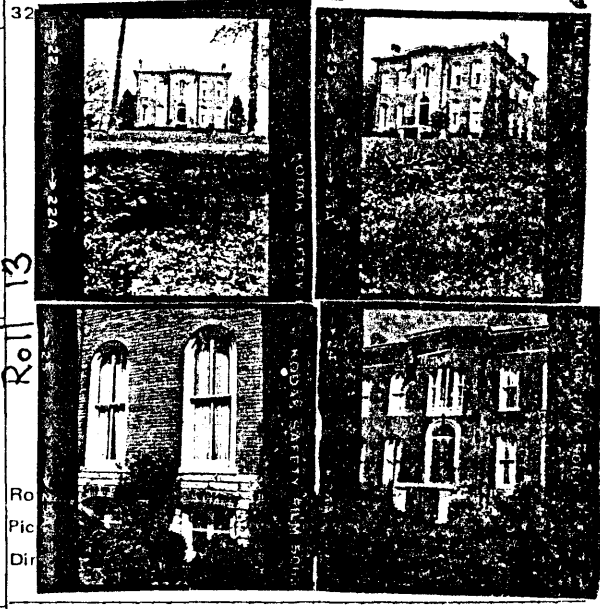
29. Status National Landmark National Register Landmark Certificate Kentucky Survey Local Landmark HABS/HAER

Date Feb 23, 1972

30. Theme Military Primary Civil War Secondary Architecture Other

31. Endangered Yes No

18. Description 2 story - 5 bay brick - double interior brick end chimneys. see NR files



19. History * Riverview was built by Col. Atwood Hobson. Began before 1862, construction was halted when the Confederate forces occupied the city. The home was completed after the war. Col. Hobson was born in Greensburg, Ky 1815. Riverview was the first home in the county to be placed on the National Register.

20. Significance

21. Source of Information * Sumpter's book

33. Tape No. KTG-JCH Negative No.

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36. Date Spring 78

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