

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Map # 9

1. Historic Name (s) 4119 West Broadway

Original Owner J. W. Diebold, Jr. House

Present Name 4119 West Broadway

3. Owner's Name Franklin D. R. Jones

4. Owner's Address 4119 West Broadway, Louisville, KY 40211

5. Location 4119 West Broadway, Louisville, KY 40211

6. Open to Public Yes No

7. Visible from road Yes No

8. Ownership Private Local State Federal

9. Local Contact/Organization Louisville Landmarks Commission

22. ADD/County JF-L-W-S - 8 056

23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District

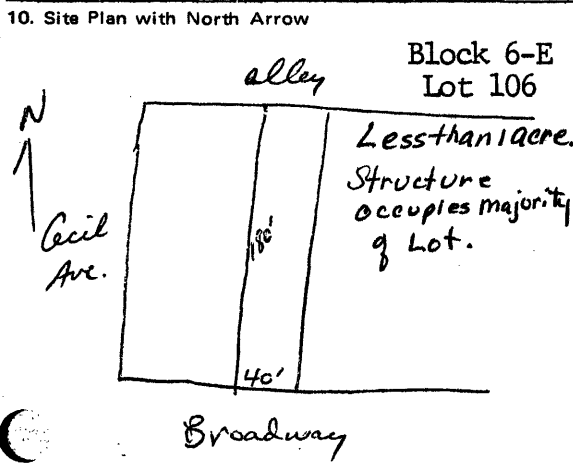
24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') New Albany - 133

25. UTM Reference Zone 16 Easting 603060 Northing 4234080

26. Prehistoric Site Object
Historic Site Structure
Building

27. District Yes No
Name: _____

28. Significance Evaluation meets NR criteria - D



11. Architect unknown

12. Builder John Diebold & Sons

13. Date 1913

14. Style Classical Revival 13

15. Original Use residence

16. Present Use residence

17. Condition Interior 02 Exterior good

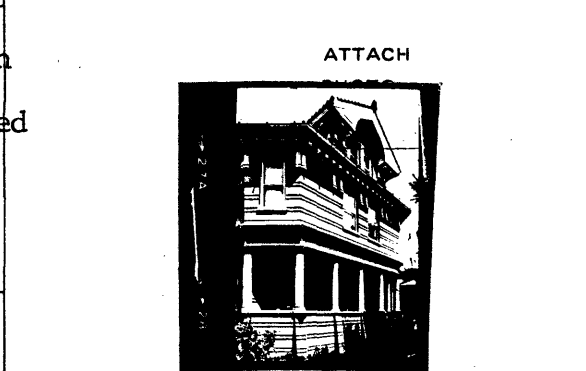
29. Status National Landmark
National Register
Landmark Certificate
Kentucky Survey
Local Landmark
HABS/HAER

30. Theme Primary architecture 03
Secondary _____
Other _____

31. Endangered Yes No

18. Description No. 4119 West Broadway is an unusual, two and one-half story stone house which is completely sheathed in smooth, coursed ashlar laid in alternating broad and narrow horizontal bands. Stone steps lead up to a recessed porch lined with smooth stone columns supporting a full entablature. The capitals are accented by egg and dart and key moldings. The porch frieze is paneled, while the stone cornice has bead and reel and pellet moldings.

19. History This residence was built in 1913 for John Diebold, Jr., president of John Diebold & Sons Stone Company.



Roll No. 58
Picture No. 28
Direction _____

20. Significance This all-stone residence is unique to Louisville. Its singular design and quality of craftsmanship make it significant to the architecture of the city.

33. Tape No. _____ Negative No. _____

34. Prepared by: Hugh Foshee, Researcher

35. Organization Landmarks Commission

36. Date January 8, 1981

21. Source of Information Caron Annual Directories of the City of Louisville.

37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____

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Within the porch is the single door entry flanked by sidelights and a sash window with one-over-one panes. The second story contains two windows of similar design in the facade, and single openings in the chamfered corners. A wide, frame cornice features paired brackets and modillions. A central dormer has an ogee arch in its projecting gable face; recessed within the arch are coupled windows. A red tile roof completes this structure.

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Buff and Blue Bedford Indiana

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QUARRIES and MILLS:
Bedford, Lawrence County, Indiana

Established 1875

Incorporated 1908

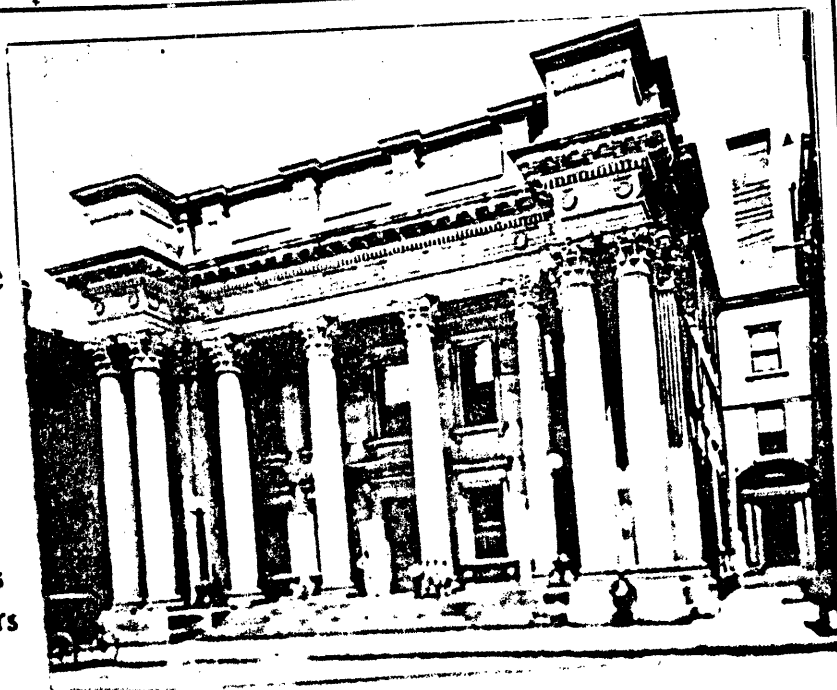
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doing first-class work. The trip-hammer, new screw-cutter, and drills are driven by steam—the factory being supplied with a twenty-horse power engine.

Mr. J. W. McGee is a native of Nelson county, Kentucky, and, for many years, has been identified with the business interests of Louisville. Mr. M. Q. McGee is a native of this city, and both are enterprising, intelligent promoters of industry, and useful and respected citizens, and their house ranks at the very front of its trade.

JOHN DIEBOLD.

West Louisville Steam Stone-Works, Portland Avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

The West Louisville Steam Stone-Works, located on Portland avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, were established in 1873. Mr. John Diebold, the proprietor, is a thoroughly practical man, having learned his trade in this city in 1855-57, during the time of the building of the Custom-house, and, for fifteen years afterwards, was in business in the city of New Albany, Indiana.

The yard is fitted up with steam-driven machinery, having two gang-saws and a five-horse power engine. Every variety of work is done, but principal attention is given to working the Bedford white stone and Cincinnati stone, into shape for building and ornamental purposes. Thirty-five men are employed, and the pay-roll amounts to \$300 per week. The business is extensive in the city and through the State, yearly averaging \$22,000 to \$23,000.

JOHN GREINER & BRO.

Carpenters and Builders, South-east corner Campbell and Green streets.

This business was established, in 1853, by Mr. Fred. Greiner, and conducted by him with marked success for several years, when, retiring from active business life, his two sons, J. and T. Greiner, succeeded to the business, and they do all kinds of building, and manufacture every description of wooden building material, such as doors, stairs, etc.; making a specialty of distillers' tubs and brewers' fixtures and the building of elevators.

They contract for the building of houses complete, including brick-work, painting, plastering, furnishing, delivering the house ready for occupancy.

They are active young men, of practical experience, and their work is first-class in every respect, and they do an annual business ranging from \$20,000 to \$25,000, employing fifteen to twenty hands. Mr. Fred. Greiner is a native of Germany, but his sons, now conducting the business, were born in this city, and are thoroughly competent business men, and their house is ranked among the most prominent of its kind in Louisville. Persons having building to do, in any part of the country, will consult their interest by corresponding with this enterprising firm, who are ever prepared to make estimates, and will fix prices any day in the year, and their contracts will be fulfilled to a letter.

JOHN GARGAN & CO.

Copper-Works, No. 138 Fifth Street (Old Nos. 34 and 36).

The reader will find, in the great variety of employments as elucidated in this book, a most satisfactory evidence of the rapid development that Louisville is making in mechanical industries. The copper-works of John Gargan & Co. holds an important place among these industries, and, being the only establishment of the kind in the city, has claims for consideration that must not be overlooked. Mr. Gargan and Corcoran established the works in 1859. Mr. Gargan learned the trade in Cincinnati, and has had forty years' experience in the business, and Mr. C. learned his trade under Mr. Gargan.

The operations are devoted exclusively to work in copper, and every variety of copper goods is made, from the smallest article to the largest boiler. In the factory, twenty skilled mechanics are employed, and the weekly pay-roll amounts to \$300.

This firm makes a specialty of distillers' work, and have, for years, supplied all the distilleries in and around the city with pipes, worms, and stills, and their work has, in every instance, given perfect satisfaction. They also have a very general trade through Tennessee and Kentucky, and their business last year amounted to \$80,000, and is rapidly growing.

Mr. Gargan is a native of Pennsylvania, and has been continuously engaged in this line of business for forty years. Mr. Corcoran was born in Ireland, but has been a resident of this city for twenty-eight years, and has been engaged in this business during that time. They are both practical men, capable of personally making any of the articles which are manufactured in the establishment, and have a most thorough knowledge of all branches of the work.

This firm also gives attention to repairing of every description, and has an unimpaired reputation in the trade for prompt and fair dealing.