

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Site No. Ma 227

1. Historic Name(s) <u>John Moberly house</u>		22. POD /County <u>Bluegrass/Madison</u>	
Original Owner <u>John Moberly</u>		23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') <u>Moberly vic</u> G.I.S. Mod. <input type="checkbox"/>	
2. Present Name <u>Gum</u>		24. UTM Reference <u>16 748960 4171800</u>	
3. Location <u>1/2 mi west of Sun Bottom Road S of Spedwell on branch Muddy Creek.</u>		Zone Easting Northing	
4. Owner's Name <u>Truman Turner</u>		25. Coordinate Accuracy <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Owner's Address <u>Rt. 3, Richmond, Ky. 40475</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 type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8. Ownership <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Local State Federal	
9. Local Contact/Organization		27. National Register District Name: <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow <u>All attached boundary form</u>		28. Significance Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Architect		29. Status <input type="checkbox"/> Date	
12. Builder		National Landmark <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Date <u>1790-1800</u> A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>		National Register <input type="checkbox"/>	
14. Style A. <u>Federal</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. <input type="checkbox"/>		Landmark Certificate <input type="checkbox"/>	
15. Original Use <u>residence</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Kentucky Survey <input type="checkbox"/>	
16. Present use <u>vacant</u>		Local Landmark <input type="checkbox"/>	
17. Condition <u>stone - good wood - poor</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HABS/HAER <input type="checkbox"/>	
18. Description <u>3 bay 1/2 story hall parlor stone house. built of large golden sandstone (as in Viney Fork Church nearby and Morgan Station in Montgomery); quality of stonework is excellent and in good condition; splintered corbelled chimneys on each end.</u>		30. Historic Theme Primary <u>Architecture</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Secondary <u>Settlement</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> K Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
(Continue on Back)		31. Endangered <u>by neglect</u> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
19. History <u>John Moberly came to Ky from S.C.; ancestors from Sheffield, Yorkshire, England to Md in 1683, then to Va, then S.C.</u>		32. Preservation Project Status <input type="checkbox"/>	
20. Significance <u>Only known 1/2 story golden sandstone house remaining in Ky. Typical early style stone house made special by the log pen and dog trot, in addition to the fine stonework.</u>		Actual Cost in \$1,000s <input type="checkbox"/>	
21. Source of Information <u>18: inspection 19: Forrest Calico</u>		33. ATTACH PHOTO <u>attached</u>	
		Roll No. <input type="checkbox"/>	
		Picture No. <input type="checkbox"/>	
		Direction <input type="checkbox"/>	
		34. Prepared by: <u>Caroleyn M. Wrobley</u>	
		35. Organization <input type="checkbox"/>	
		36. Date <u>1982</u>	
		37. Revision Dates <input type="checkbox"/>	
		38. Staff Review <input type="checkbox"/>	

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The wall between the two rooms is of wide beaded boards common to this period; the winding stair arises from the rear of the hall, with its space taken from the parlor. Mantles are gone; openings have ^{been} reduced in size by large vertical stones at each end. Windows have pegged frames and ogee molding.

On the west end of the stone house is a 1 1/2 story single pen log room, connected to the rest of the house by a now enclosed "dog trot". A G.R. porch spanned the front, but has since fallen.

STONE HOUSE SURVEY
BOUNDARY INFORMATION FORM

SITE # Ma - 227
SITE NAME John Moberly house

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION & JUSTIFICATION

Beginning at A where the lane crosses the spring branch and running with the farm lane ^{westward} to B where the lane enters the field, thence E 300 ft to C, thence S 250 ft to the beginning, containing the stone house, log house and log tract. No other original buildings remain. 1 1/2 acre

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

