

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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Wa-B-213

1. Historic Name (s) Home Economics Building
Original Owner Western Ky. State Normal School
2. Present Name Industrial Education Annex
3. Owner's Name G. Owen Lawson, Administrator of the
4. Owner's Address Physical Plant, WKU, BG.

22. ADD/County Barren River/Warren
23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District
24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') Bowling Green South
25. UTM Reference 116 5148820 41093320
Zone Easting Northing

5. Location Western Ky. University Campus
6. Open to Public Yes No
7. Visible from road Yes No
8. Ownership Private Local State Federal

26. Prehistoric Site Object Structure
Historic Site Building
27. District Name: Yes No

10. Site Plan with North Arrow
See Campus Map

11. Architect Brinton B. Davis
12. Builder Industrial Arts Dept
13. Date 1926
14. Style classical
15. Original Use classrooms-offices
16. Present Use classrooms-offices
17. Condition Interior Exterior good

28. Significance Evaluation NR
29. Status National Landmark National Register Landmark Certificate Kentucky Survey Local Landmark HABS/HAER
30. Theme Primary Secondary architecture Other
31. Endangered Yes No

18. Description 3-story stone in format of 2-story order on podium-basement; rough-cut stone walls, dressed belt-course + lintels; stylized composite order of projecting central portico.

32. ATTACH PHOTO

19. History Davis a Louisville architect (1862-1952) with major buildings in period 1905-1940; FAIA; Pres. state chapter AIA; 1909 Master Plan of WKU with Henry Wright, landscape architect; 12 structures at WKU, Wa-B-203-214; also City Hall, Wa-B-55.

Roll No. Ky. Library
Picture No. WKU
Direction

20. Significance Significant structure in the career of an architect.

33. Tape No. Negative No.
34. Prepared by: KTG-JCH
35. Organization KHC
36. Date Spring 1978

21. Source of Information Press Book of Ky., 1916; Courier-Journal obit., 28 June 1952; Riley Handy, Director, Ky. Library, WKU; James P. Cornette, A History of the Western Ky. State Teachers

37. Revision Dates 38. Staff Review