

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES  
Individual Inventory Form

Resource # 151  
Shelby County

1. Name of Resource:  
Courtney House

2. Original Owner:  
Unknown

3. Other Names:  
None

4. Prehistoric Site  Building  Object  
Historic Site Structure Other

5. Location:  
South end of Popes Corner Rd.

6. Owner's Name:  
Robert Jamison [ P ]

7. Owner's Address:  
Rte. 5, Box 04A, Shelbyville, KY 40065

8. Evaluation: National Register [ N ]

9. Recognition & Date:  
Nat.Landmark \_\_\_\_\_ Local Landmark \_\_\_\_\_  
Nat.Register \_\_\_\_\_ HABS/HAER \_\_\_\_\_  
Highway Marker \_\_\_\_\_ KY Inventory 8-15-80  
KY Landmark Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

10. N.R.Status & Date:

11. N.R.Group:  
District Name: [ ]  
Mult.Resource Area: Shelby County [ ]  
Thematic Name: [ ]

12. Historical Theme:  
Primary: Architecture [ 030 ]  
Secondary: [ ]  
Other: [ ]

13. Statement of Significance:  
This property is significant under criterion C as a well-preserved example of the early 19th century (1810-40) 1-story, brick, hall-parlor (two-room) plan in Shelby County. It is one of 7 such houses identified in the county from the period. The additions [ C ]

14. History: do not effect the significant elements of the building.  
Property owned by Richard Courtney in 1882.

15. Source of historical information and/or contact person:  
Atlas of Henry and Shebby Counties. KY, 1882.

16. Date:  
Original Building 1830-40 ? [ 7 ]  
Addition 1925-49 ? [ 3 ]

17. Style:  
Antebellum Vernacular [ 3V ]

18. Architect/Builder:  
Unknown

19. No. of Stories: 1 [ 1.0 ]

20. Original Floor Plan:  
Hall-parlor (two-room) [ HP ]

21. Single Pile  Double Pile \_\_\_\_\_ N.A.

22. Roof Form & Material: Original   
Gable, asphalt shingle Not Original

23. Structural Material:  
Brick [ B ]

24. Exterior Material:  
Brick, Flemish bond facade [ B ]

25. Foundation Material:  
Stone, ashlar [ S ]

26. Major Alterations: None \_\_\_\_\_  
Moved/Rebuilt \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Additions

27. Special Features:  
None

28. Outbuildings:  
None [ 0 ]

29. Original Function:  
Residential/Domestic, single dwell [ 01A ]

30. Present Use:  
As above [ 01A ]

31. Condition:  
Good [ G ]

32. Endangered: Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
No

33. Attach Photos:  
Roll: Photo Nos: No. of Slides:

10 22A - 26A 1

34. Prepared by: C. Worsham

35. Organization: V, Shelby Co. Hist. Society

36. Date: April 1986

37. New Survey \_\_\_\_\_ Resurvey

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8. UTM Point of Primary Building:	Zone	Easting	Northing	39. G.I.S. Mod.	[ ]
Quadrant: <u>Simpsonville</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>651980</u>	<u>4224180</u>	40. Coordi.Accuracy	[ ]

1. UTM Points of Boundary (for N. R. eligible sites only):

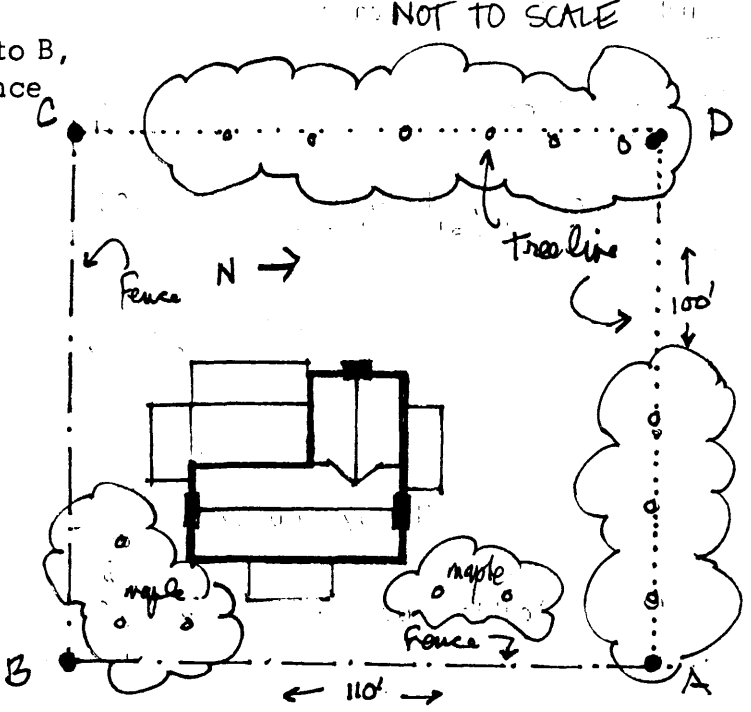
A. -----	D. -----
B. -----	E. -----
C. -----	F. -----

2. Total Acreage in Present Property:	183	43. Acreage included in proposed N.R. boundary:	25
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4. Site Plan (and boundary description and justification for N.R. sites):

Beginning at A, south 110' along a fence to B, thence west 100' along a fence to C, thence north 110' along a tree line to D; thence east 100' along a tree line to the point of origin. The boundaries were chosen to encompass the house and its domestic-related space as defined by tree lines and fences. There are no contributing outbuildings.

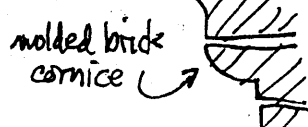
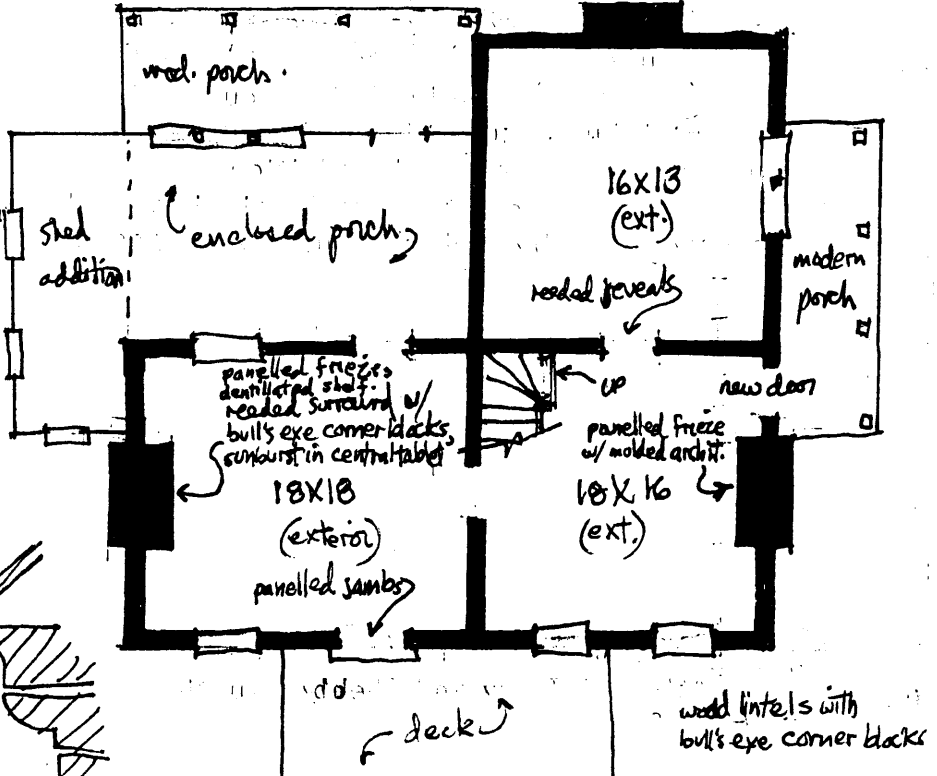
Point A is located at the intersection of a fence and treeline in the northeastern corner of the yard and is 30 feet northeast of the northeastern corner of the dwelling.



Description and House Plan:

Exterior:

1-story, 4-bay brick hall-parlor (two-room) plan, Flemish bond principal (east) facade, 7-course common bond sides and rear, ashlar foundation, gabled roof, molded brick cornice on east, west and north side of ell, wood lintels and sills, lintels have bull's eye corner blocks, partially exterior end chimneys, 6/6 sash, panelled front door jamb, rake boards replaced, 1-story brick ell, enclosed porch on west and frame addition on rear half of south gable end.



wood lintels with bull's eye corner blocks

45. Description and House Plan: (continued)

Interior:

Original woodwork intact including reeded door jambs, chairrail, baseboard, mantel with molded architrave and panelled frieze (north room), enclosed stair in southwest corner of north room, mantel in south room has a reeded surround with bull's eye corner blocks, a sunburst in the central tablet, a panelled frieze, and a dentillated molded shelf.

Outbuildings:

There are no contributing outbuildings.

The boundaries enclose one contributing building.