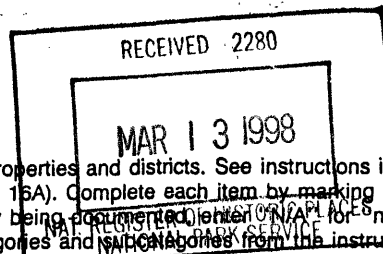


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National Register of Historic Places
Registration Form



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This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form* (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek

other names/site number BO-271

2. Location

street & number Intersection of Cash Rd. & Old Mitchellsburg Rd not for publication

city or town Parksville vicinity

state Kentucky code KY county Boyle code 021 zip code 40464

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended, I hereby certify that this nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide locally. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

David L. Morgan Signature of certifying official/Title
Date 3-9-98
David L. Morgan, SHPO and Executive Director
Kentucky Heritage Council and State Historic Preservation Office

State of Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of commenting official/Title _____ Date _____
State or Federal agency and bureau _____

4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that the property is:

- entered in the National Register. See continuation sheet.
- determined eligible for the National Register See continuation sheet.
- determined not eligible for the National Register.
- removed from the National Register.
- other, (explain): _____

Edson W. Beall Signature of the Keeper
Date of Action 4.9.98

Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271)
Name of Property

Boyle County, KY
County and State

5. Classification

Ownership of Property
(Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
- public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property
(Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
- object

Number of Resources within Property
(Do not include previously listed resources in the count.)

Contributing	Noncontributing	
		buildings
		sites
1	0	structures
		objects
1	0	Total

Name of related multiple property listing
(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register

Historic and Architectural Resources in Boyle County, KY 0

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

TRANSPORTATION/road-related

Current Functions
(Enter categories from instructions)

TRANSPORTATION/road-related

7. Description

Architectural Classification
(Enter categories from instructions)

OTHER/stone bridge

Materials
(Enter categories from instructions)

foundation

walls Stone

roof

other Concrete Arch

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

See Continuation Sheets

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria

(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

- A Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- B Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations

(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

Property is:

- A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- B removed from its original location.
- C a birthplace or grave.
- D a cemetery.
- E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- F a commemorative property.
- G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions)

TRANSPORTATION

Period of Significance

c. 1910

Significant Dates

c. 1910

Significant Person

(Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

N/A

Cultural Affiliation

N/A

Architect/Builder

Unknown

Narrative Statement of Significance

(Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

(See Continuation Sheet)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography

(See Continuation sheet)

(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary location of additional data:

- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Name of repository:

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property Less Than One (1) acre

UTM References

(Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet.)

Parksville Quadrant

1	116	6844610	411630100
	Zone	Easting	Northing
2			

3			
	Zone	Easting	Northing
4			

See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description

(Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

Boundary Justification

(Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Amanda Bradley, Historian and Christine Amos, Historian

organization Burry & Amos, Inc. (Heart of Danville) date March 31, 1997

street & number 926 Main Street telephone (502) 633-5530

city or town Shelbyville state KY zip code 40065

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A Sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items

(Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of SHPO or FPO.)

name Michael Pendencycraft and Wendy Brown

street & number 25 Cash Road telephone _____

city or town Danville state KY zip code 40422

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Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, KY
Multiple Property Listing
Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271)

7. Description

The nominated structure is a stone bridge (BO-271) over Chaplin Creek at the intersection of the Old Mitchellsburg Road and Cash Road. Oriented east-west, the bridge is approximately midway between the railroad communities of Parksville and Mitchellsburg and has served traffic along the Old Mitchellsburg Road since its construction in the early-twentieth century. The structure is nominated to the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion A, as an example of assimilation of introduced construction techniques into the local idiom. The locally-designed and built bridge displays stone masonry techniques introduced to local stone masons in the nineteenth century during the construction of the railroads.

The bridge is located along the line dividing Bluegrass and Knob Regions, an area where at least two commercial quarries operated in the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries and where numerous, small ledge quarries were opened.

Spanning Chaplin Creek on an east-west axis, the bridge is built of deep quarried, rectangular limestone blocks with rusticated faces and held with thin beds of concrete mortar. Concrete lines the interior of the barrel arch. The face walls of the arch extend above the grade of the Old Mitchellsburg Road, creating side walls or barriers for the road. The date "1910" is chiseled into the face of one of the blocks. Currently, metal gates front each of the arched entries to keep livestock from crossing beneath the bridge. The gates are not part of the bridge structure. The stone bridge at Chaplin Creek exhibits excellent stone masonry craftsmanship and physical integrity.

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Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, KY

Multiple Property Listing

Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271)

8. Statement of Significance

The stone bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271), at the intersection of the Old Mitchellsburg Road and Cash Road is located in south-central Boyle County between the railroad communities of Parksville and Mitchellsburg. The property is nominated to the National Register of Historic Places as part of the Multiple Property Listing entitled "Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, Kentucky". Constructed in 1910, the structure is locally significant under Criterion A and within the historic context "Transportation in Boyle County, 1774-1917" as an example of the assimilation of introduced construction techniques and materials into the local idiom. The locally-designed and built bridge displays stone masonry techniques introduced to local stone masons in the nineteenth century during the construction of the railroads.

The Chaplin Creek bridge is located along a stretch of the original Mitchellsburg Road (now the Old Mitchellsburg Road) paralleling the Louisville and Nashville (L&N) Railroad. In the early-to mid-twentieth century, this portion of the road was abandoned and replaced by a straighter route, however the old alignment remained for use by local residents. The structure was built in 1910, about fifty years after the L&N Railroad built bridges and culverts of ashlar stone masonry along the route in the county with local labor. This bridge signifies the influence of the L&N on traditional rock masonry construction in the county. In scale and function, the bridge is similar to the Clifton Road Culvert (BO-50, nominated as part of this MPP), but the latter displays traditional, nineteenth-century, dry-laid rock masonry techniques and the former displays the techniques and materials of ashlar masonry construction. The Chaplin Creek bridge meets registration requirements through the retention of its original location, workmanship, design, and association with the Old Mitchellsburg Road.

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Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, KY
Multiple Property Listing
Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271)

9. Bibliography

Worsham, Gibson. Kentucky Historic Inventory Survey Form, 1990.

_____. "Boyle County Survey Summary Report," prepared for The Boyle County Landmark Trust and The Kentucky Heritage Council, 30 September, 1991.

10. Geographical Data:

Verbal Boundary Description

The nominated property is an early-twentieth century stone bridge located at the intersection of the Cash and Old Mitchellsburg Roads, spanning the Chaplin Creek. The property is designated as part of parcel 17 on Property Identification Tax Map 17 located in the Boyle County Property Valuation Administration Office. The property map has a scale of 1" = 600'.

Boundary Justification

The boundary of the nominated structure includes only the early-twentieth century bridge spanning the creek and defined by its length and width over the intersection of the two associated roads.

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Historic and Architectural Resources of Boyle County, KY
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Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek (BO-271)

PHOTOGRAPHS

Stone Bridge at Chaplin Creek, Boyle County, KY

Photos By: Amanda Bradley
Burry & Amos, Inc.
926 Main Street
Shelbyville, KY 40065

Date: November, 1996

View of stone bridge, Old Mitchellsburg Road and Chaplin Creek, facing southeast
1 of 3

View of stone bridge wall, facing south
2 of 3

View of stone bridge wall, facing northeast
3 of 3

PARKSVILLE QUADRANGLE

KENTUCKY

7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)

SW/4 DANVILLE 15' QUADRANGLE

DANVILLE

55' 684

2 250 000 FEET

1.8 MI. TO U.S. 150

84°52'30"

37°37'30"

470 000
FEET

STONE BRIDGE

AT CHAPLIN CREEK

BO-271 BOYLE
COUNTY, KY

ZONE 16

EASTING 684460
NORTHING 4163000

TANK POND RO
RR UNDERPASS

BO-249

Boyle Co., KY

ZONE 16

East 684442
North 4162791

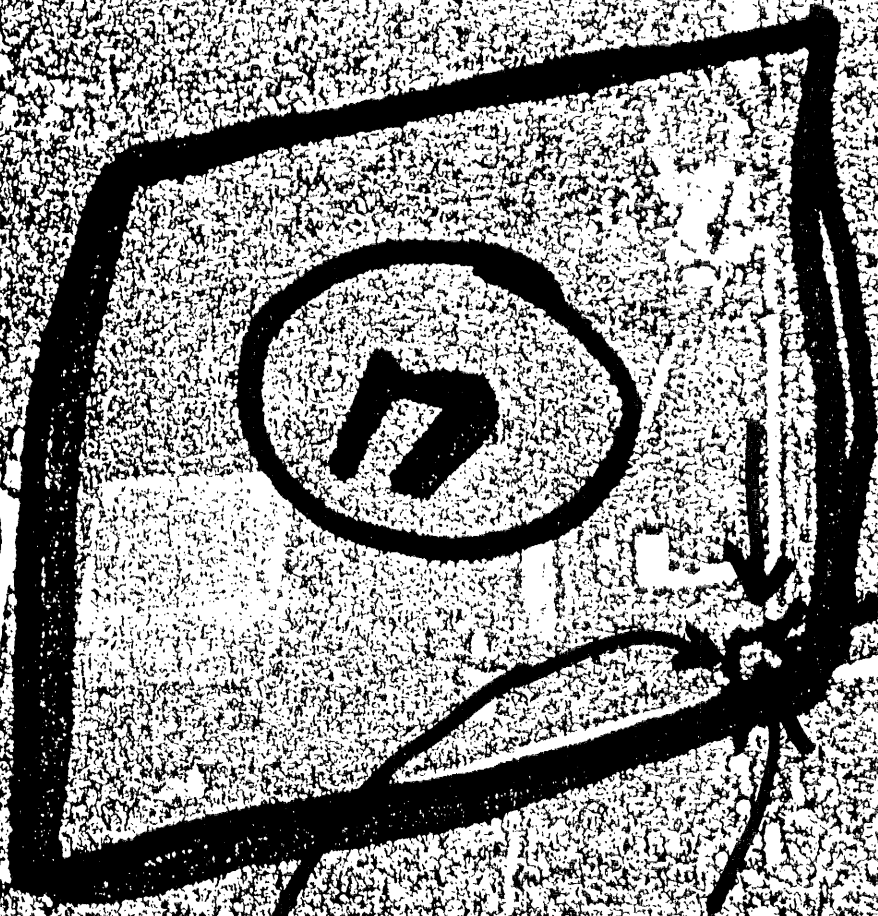
DANVILLE 7 MI.
ALUM SPRINGS 1.9 MI.
JUNCTION CITY 4.8 MI.

4163

4162

35'





Bridge



BO-271

Chaplin Creek Bridge

1" = 600'

Boyle County, KY

Tax Map 17

Parcel 17