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KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

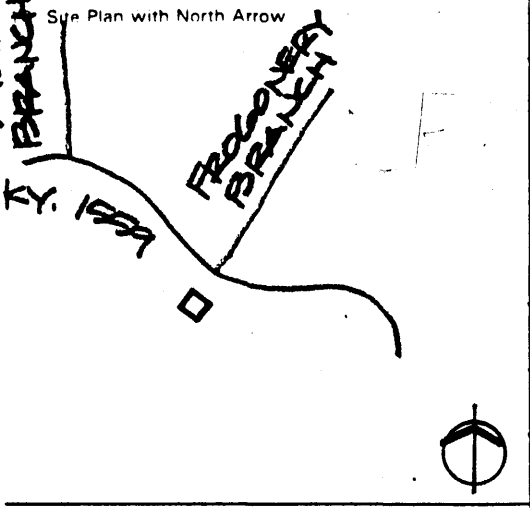
Site No. Jo -87

1. Historic Name(s) Stambaugh Church of Christ
 Original Owner _____
 2. Present Name Stambaugh Church of Christ
 3. Location Stambaugh Mouth of Frog Ornery
 4. Owner's Name Trustees of Church
 5. Owner's Address Stambaugh, Ky.

22. ADD/County **BIG SANDY / JOHNSON** 058
 23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') Sitka G.I.S. Mod.
 24. UTM Reference
17 341080 4194980
 Zone Easting Northing
 25. Coordinate Accuracy

6. Open to Public Yes No X
 7. Visible from road Yes X No
 8. Ownership Private X
 Local
 State
 Federal

26. Prehistoric Site Object
 Historic Site Structure
 X Building Other
 27. National Register District Name:



11. Architect Unknown
 12. Builder Troy Stambaugh
Jim Akers
 13. Date 1887 A. B.
 14. Style A. Vernacular V
 B.
 15. Original Use Church H
 16. Present use Church
 17. Condition Good B

28. Significance Evaluation **National Register Criteria** D
 29. Status Date
 National Landmark
 National Register
 Landmark Certificate
 Kentucky Survey
 Local Landmark
 HABS/HAER

18. Description
 One story frame church; one bay north facade and entrance; 2 bay on east and west facades gable roof; hip roofed cupola; returns on gables
 (Continue on Back)

No. Stories One A
 Single Pile NA X
 Double Pile
 Floor Plan
 Structural Fabric Frame A. D B.
 Decorative Fabric A.
 B.
 Roof Form Gable

30. Historic Theme
 Primary
 Secondary
 Other
 31. Endangered Yes
 No
 32. Preservation Project Status
 Actual Cost in \$1,000s

33. ATTACH PHOTO

 Roll No. 9
 Picture No. 21
 Direction _____

19. History The "Fraghonery" church. Property for the church was purchased for \$10.00 from T.J. Burchett & wife Anna (Akers) April 12, 1886. Originally constructed by hand hewen logs of poplar and the like. Later it was covered with hickory, poplar, etc., which were cut, dressed and hewen by hand. Some of the early members include: such families as Stambaugh, Burchett, Akers, Turner, Williams.

34. Prepared by: **HELEN POWELL**

20. Significance Johnson County's best preserved Community church; scale & setting provide link with the religious history of Johnson County. It is significant as an example of vernacular architecture.

35. Organization **CARMAN AND POWELL, INC.**
 36. Date **1983**

21. Source of Information Nellie Stambaugh Rice

37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____

19. History continued:

Caudill, Brown, Witten, and many more. The Bell Tower was made by C.H. Stambaugh and Hubert Stombaugh.

One fascinating fact:

During the Civil War, General James Garfield brought his troops up the Big Sandy River and stopped for the night. It being Sunday the following day and General Garfield being a member of the Church of Christ, held a Sunday service for his soldiers. This taking place about 1/4 mile from where the church property now lies. (Contributed by Nellie Stambaugh Rice)

**KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION**

Historic Property Name Church of Christ, Stambaugh Site # Jo-87

Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title MULTIPLE RESOURCES OF JOHNSON COUNTY

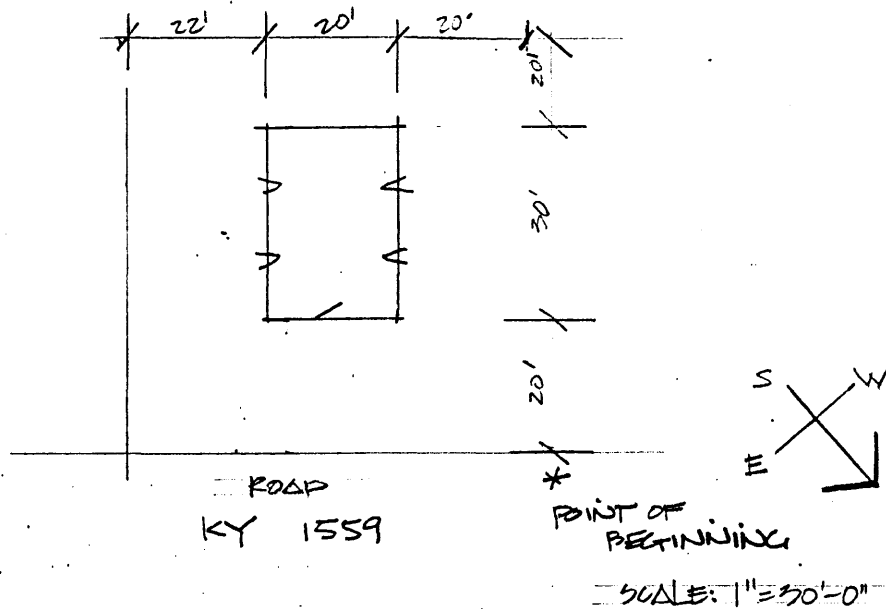
U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTM's if property is ten or more acres.

A. _____ D. _____
 B. _____ E. _____
 C. _____ F. _____

Verbal Boundary Description Acreage .10

From a point in the right of way of KY 1559, then southwest 70 feet to a point; then southeast 62 feet to a point; then northeast 70 feet to a point in the right of way of KY 1559; then northwest with the right of way 62 feet to the point of beginning.

Sketch of Site Plan (Showing outbuildings, structures, landscape features and the site boundary as described above.)



Official Courthouse Property Reference: