

**United States Department of the Interior
Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service**

**National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form**

See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms*
Type all entries—complete applicable sections

For HCERS use only

received APR 16 1982

date entered

1. Name

historic J. Stoddard Johnston Elementary School

and/or common

2. Location

street & number 2301 Bradley Avenue NA not for publication

city, town Louisville NA vicinity of congressional district 3 & 4

state Kentucky code 021 county Jefferson code 111

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational
<input type="checkbox"/> site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> in process	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
		<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other: vacant

4. Owner of Property

name University of Louisville

street & number

city, town Louisville NA vicinity of state Kentucky

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Jefferson County (Ky.) Courthouse

street & number 531 West Jefferson Street

city, town Louisville state Kentucky

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title Kentucky Historic Resources Inventory has this property been determined eligible? ☒ yes ☐ no

date January 1981 ☐ federal ☒ state ☐ county ☐ local

depository for survey records Kentucky Heritage Commission

city, town Frankfort state Kentucky

7. Description

Condition

☐ excellent
☒ good
☐ fair

☐ deteriorated
☐ ruins
☐ unexposed

Check one

☐ unaltered
☒ altered

Check one

☒ original site
☐ moved date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

Johnston Elementary School is a two-story, Beaux Arts structure, built on a raised basement. It is constructed of pressed brick with stone trim. The original portion of the building consists of a long, central block terminating in large, slightly projecting units. Two additions were made at the rear of the school, in 1920 and 1933.

The raised basement, which is finished in coursed brickwork, is articulated by stone quoins and rectangular window openings which are now boarded up. A broad stone band separates this level from the stories above. A profusion of classical decoration enriches the symmetrical facade. The central entry is recessed beneath a segmental, stone arch which is flanked by pilasters and a pair of engaged columns with classical capitals. The columns support a pilastered frieze adorned with medallions and topped by an enriched cornice. A stone panel above the entry bears the name of the school.

Flanking the entry bay in both stories are rows of sash windows with nine-over-nine lights, grouped in fives and framed in stone surrounds. This fenestration continues in the end bays, where the area between stories contains herringbone brickwork and diamond-shaped stone insets. Large cartouches and festooned ancons also adorn the end bays. A prominent stone cornice enriched with modillions encircles the building. Crowning the facade is a brick parapet.

Double-door entries set in stone surrounds provide access through the wings on the north and south sides of the building. Two-story, round arches enclose Palladian-style windows above the entries.

The one-story boiler and coal rooms added in 1920 were also constructed of pressed brick.

The three-story, pressed brick addition of 1933 provided additional classroom space. It is also trimmed in stone, but in a much simpler manner than in the original building.

8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

Specific dates 1915; 1920; 1933 **Builder/Architect** Joseph and Joseph

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

Johnston Elementary School is significant as one of the finest examples of the Beaux-Arts style applied to institutional buildings in Louisville.

The school, which was completed in 1915, is the work of the local architectural firm of Joseph and Joseph. Alfred and Oscar Joseph became partners in 1908 and in the next two decades established themselves as one of the most prominent architectural firms in Louisville. Alfred had long been associated with the firm of McDonald Brothers and its successors, while Oscar was trained as a civil engineer. The brothers designed numerous theaters, clubs, residences, schools and industrial buildings in styles which ranged from the neo-classical to Spanish and Tudor revivals. Some of their finest works were executed in the classical mode, such as the Republic Building (1916), the Rialto Theater (1921- razed), the Elks Athletic Club (1924- National Register) and the Fincastle Building (1927). Along with the Young Men's Hebrew Association building of the same year, Johnston Elementary School is an important early work by the firm. These small-scale Beaux-Arts structures were expanded upon and refined in later, more ambitious works such as the Elks Club and the Rialto.

Besides the YMHA, the other comparable Beaux-Arts structure in the city is the Crescent Hill Branch Library, designed in 1908 by Thomas and Bohne and listed on the National Register in March of 1981.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Fourth Report of the Board of Education of Louisville, Kentucky, 1914-15. Louisville: Gross, Parsons & Hambleton (1915).

Third Report of the Board of Education of Louisville, Kentucky, 1913-14. Louisville: (1914).

"U of L wants to buy old school near Belknap with private gift." Courier-Journal, 29 Jan. 1981

10. Geographical Data

ACREAGE NOT VERIFIED

UTM NOT VERIFIED

Acreage of nominated property .88 acre

Quadrangle name Louisville East

Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UMT References

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Zone Easting Northing

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Verbal boundary description and justification Beginning at a point on the east right-of-way line of Bradley Avenue 235 feet southeast of the corner of Bradley Avenue and Atwood Street; thence southeast along said line of Bradley Avenue 175 feet to a point; thence northeast at a right angle to said line 220 feet to a point; thence northwest (see continuation sheet)

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	NA	code	county	code
state	NA	code	county	code

state	NA	code	county	code
state	NA	code	county	code

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Hugh B. Foshee / Architectural Historian

organization Louisville Landmarks Commission date February 26, 1981

street & number 727 W. Main Street telephone (502) 587-3501

city or town Louisville state Kentucky

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

☐ national ☐ state ☒ local

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature Wm. A. Abraham

title State Historic Preservation Officer date 3/29/82

For HCRRS use only

I hereby certify that this property is determined eligible included in the National Register

DOE/OWNER OBJECTION

William A. Abraham

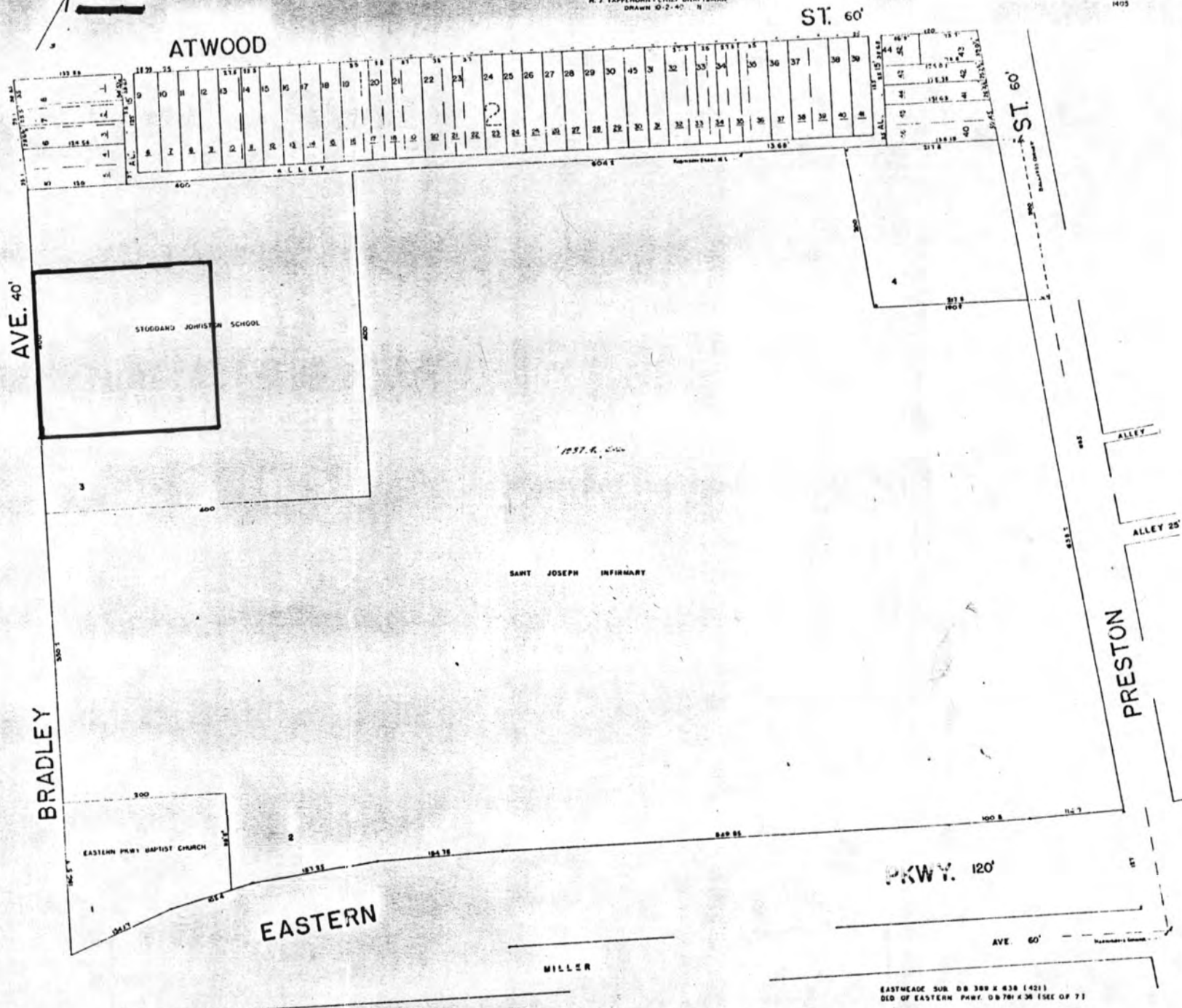
date 8.2.82

Keeper of the National Register

Attest: Curt Dinkie

date 7/29/82

Chief of Registration

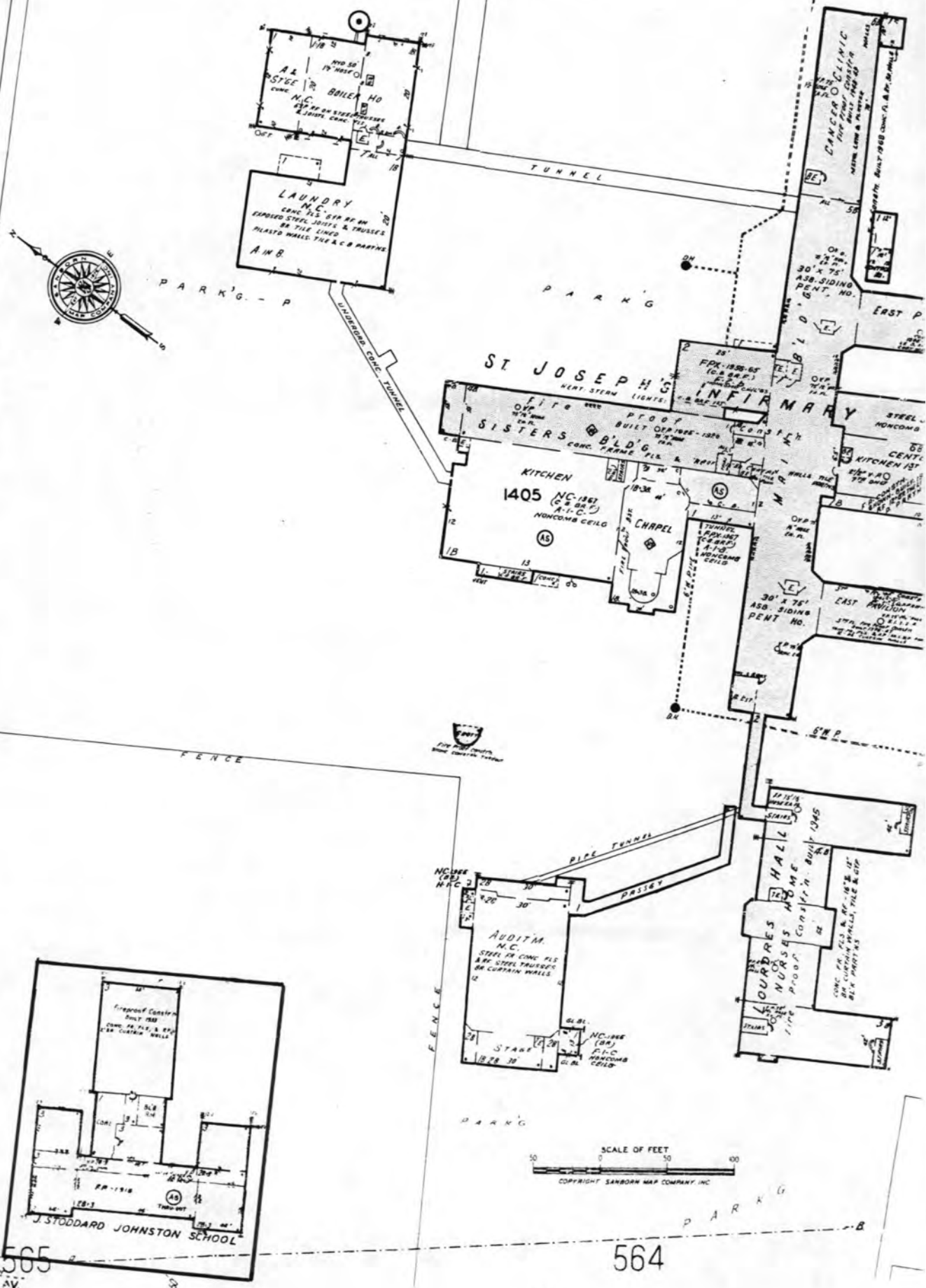


J. Stoddard Johnston Elementary
School
2301 Bradley Avenue
Louisville, Jefferson, Kentucky

APR 16 1982

Jefferson County Real Estate
Atlas (1968).

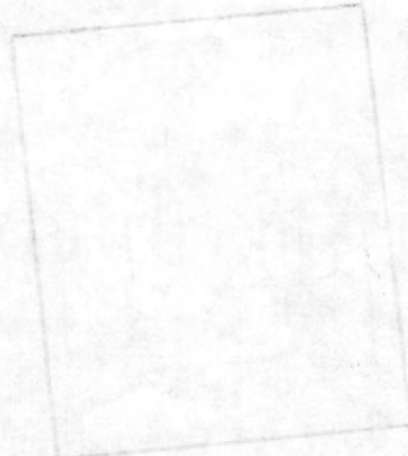
Map 1. Real Estate Atlas



J. Stoddard Johnston Elementary
School
2301 Bradley Avenue
Louisville, Jefferson, Kentucky
Sanborn Map Company (1974)
Pelham, New York

Map 2. Sanborn Map, vol.5,
p. 566.

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J. STODDARD JOHNSTON SCHOOL—Flatlick Road and F Street.



Eight recitation rooms, play rooms, and combined auditorium and gymnasium. Size of lot, 400x400 feet. Architects, Joseph & Joseph.

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NATIONAL
REGISTER

J. Stoddard Johnston
Elementary School
2301 Bradley Avenue
Louisville, Jefferson,
Kentucky

Fourth Report of the Board of
Education of Louisville, Ken-
tucky, 1914-15.

Photo 4. View of school, 1915

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NATIONAL
REGISTER

EVALUATION / RETURN SHEET

Property: Johnston, J. Stoddard, Elementary School
 State, County: KY Jefferson
 Federal Agency: _____

Working No. 4.16.82
 Fed. Reg. Date: _____
 Date Due: 5/31/82
 Action: ☐ ACCEPT ☒ RETURN 5/10/82
☐ REJECT _____

- ☐ resubmission
☐ nomination by person or local government
☐ owner objection
☐ appeal

photos 3
 maps 1

Substantive Review: ☐ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

*Not reviewed at tally
 That is new when returned*

Recom./Criteria _____
 Reviewer _____
 Discipline _____
 Date _____
☐ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: ☐ technical corrections cited below
☐ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name2. Location3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property5. Location of Legal Description6. Representation in Existing Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no

7. Description

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ☐ summary paragraph
☐ completeness
☐ clarity
☐ alterations/integrity
☐ dates
☐ boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific Dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- _____ summary paragraph
- _____ completeness
- _____ clarity
- _____ applicable criteria
- _____ justification of areas checked
- _____ relating significance to the resource
- _____ context
- _____ relationship of integrity to significance
- _____ justification of exception
- _____ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Address of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USIT References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

_____ national _____ state _____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

Title _____ Date _____

13. Other

see attached letter

- _____ Maps
- _____ Photographs
- _____ Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed *Melvin & Lynn* Date *5/10/82* Phone: 202 272-3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
Substantive Review
EVALUATION / RETURN SHEET

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service 82005031

DOE/OWNER OBJECTION

Property: Johnston, J. Stoddard, Elementary School
State, County: KY, Jefferson Working No. 4-16-82 6/29/82
Federal Agency: _____

Fed. Reg. Date: _____
Date Due: 8/13/82
Action: ☒ ACCEPT 8-2-82
☐ RETURN
☐ REJECT

photos ☒
maps ☒

- ☐ resubmission
☒ nomination by person or local government
☒ owner objection
☐ appeal

Substantive Review: ☐ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments: 1915 school - strong Beaux Arts
design -

Recom./Criteria ELIGIBLE ACCEPT C
Reviewer DUBIE
Discipline HIST
Date 7/29/82
☐ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: ☐ technical corrections cited below
☐ substantive reasons discussed below

✓ 1. Name

✓ 2. Location

✓ 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

✓ 4. Owner of Property

✓ 5. Location of Legal Description

✓ 6. Representation in Existing Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no

7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> moved
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	<input type="checkbox"/> altered

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ✓ summary paragraph good
✓ completeness
✓ clarity
✓ alterations/integrity
✓ dates
✗ boundary selection not here

brief but excellent for exterior

no discussion of interior plan or classroom details however

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- ☒ summary paragraph
- ☒ completeness
- ☒ clarity
- ☒ applicable criteria *C*
- ☒ justification of areas checked
- ☒ relating significance to the resource
- ☒ context
- ☒ relationship of integrity to significance
- NA* ☐ justification of exception
- ☐ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Address of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USMT References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is

____ national ____ state ____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

Site _____

date _____

13. Other

- ☐ Maps *v. good*
- ☐ Photographs
- ☐ Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272-3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY Johnston, J. Stoddard, Elementary School
NAME:

MULTIPLE
NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: KENTUCKY, Jefferson

DATE RECEIVED: 10/24/08 DATE OF PENDING LIST: 11/10/08
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 11/25/08 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 12/07/08
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 82005031

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

___ACCEPT___RETURN___REJECT___DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

Entered in
The National Register
of
Historic Places

RECOM./CRITERIA Accept

REVIEWER Elson Beall

DISCIPLINE History

TELEPHONE _____

DATE 12-3-08

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

If a nomination is returned to the nominating authority, the nomination is no longer under consideration by the NPS.







J. Stoddard Johnston Elementary School
Jefferson County, Kentucky
Zone 16
Easting 6 06 615
Northing 42 30 160

VALLEY STATION
3860 1/2 SE

Maped by the Army Map Service and the Geological Survey
Edited and published by the Geological Survey
Control by USGS, USC&GS, USCE, and the City of Louisville
Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial
photographs taken 1947. Field checked 1950
Revised by the Geological Survey 1965
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grid based on Kentucky coordinate system, north zone
100-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 16, shown in blue
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where
generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked
Red tint indicates areas in which only landmark buildings are shown

UTM GRID AND 1971 MAGNETIC NORTH
DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS
FOR SALE BY U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242,
KENTUCKY GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40506,
AND KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY 40601
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

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ROAD CLASSIFICATION
Heavy-duty ——— Light-duty ———
Medium-duty ——— Unimproved dirt ———
Interstate Route U.S. Route State Route

LOUISVILLE EAST, KY.
NW/4 LOUISVILLE 15' QUADRANGLE
N3807.5—W8537.5/7.5
1965
PHOTOREVISED 1971
AMS 3860 II NW—SERIES V853

Revisions shown in purple compiled by the Geological
Survey in cooperation with Kentucky Geological Survey
from aerial photographs taken 1971. This information
not field checked
Purple tint indicates extension of urban areas



UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY
40208



Vice President for University Relations

February 10, 1982

KY.
COMMISSION

Mrs. Anne Armstrong Thompson
Preservation Director and
State Historic Preservation Officer
The Kentucky Heritage Division
The State Historic Preservation Office
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Dear Mrs. Thompson:

Thank you for your letter of February 3, concerning the nomination of the Old Johnston-Stoddard Elementary School property at 2301 Bradley Avenue to the National Register of Historic Places.

As I discussed with a member of the Landmarks Commission staff, the University does have some mild reservations about such a designation at this time since we have just recently received the property as a gift and have not determined its ultimate use. Also, there are several inaccuracies in the nomination form submitted by the Commission since the building is now owned by us and partly occupied by our Child Care Center.

In short, the University is opposed to National Register designation of the old Johnston-Stoddard Elementary School at this time. Please contact me regarding further action on our request.

Sincerely,

Steven B. Bing
Vice President for
University Relations

SBB:glr





HERITAGE

March 24, 1982

Mrs. Carol Shull, Acting Keeper
National Register of Historic Places
National Park Service
U. S. Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20240



Dear Mrs. Shull:

The University of Louisville, the owners of the J. Stoddard Johnston Elementary School in Louisville, have objected to the nomination of the building to the National Register of Historic Places. However, it is the opinion of the Heritage Division, as well as that of the Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Board, that the school is eligible.

Therefore, we request that the school building be reviewed by your office, in accordance with National Register regulations 36 CFR Section 60.6n, to formally determine if it meets National Register criteria.

If you have questions concerning the site, please contact our office.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Cronan Oppel, Director
Heritage Division, and
State Historic Preservation
Officer

MCO:bsc

Enclosure



United States Department of the Interior

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20240

Copy

IN REPLY REFER TO:

MAY 10 1982

Dear State Historic Preservation Officer:

We are returning the enclosed nomination where the owner has objected to listing in the National Register without a notarized statement. We ask that you send a letter reminding the owner that objections must be notarized in order to be considered valid.

As you know, the National Register regulations (36 CFR 60) stipulate that owners of private property must be given an opportunity to object by notarized statement to the listing of their property. Occasionally, such as in this case, owners of property submit non-notarized objections. Although owners of individually nominated properties are informed in notification letters of the need to notarize objections, we are concerned about listing properties where the owner has objected but the objection has not been notarized. Because of this concern, we are asking States to remind such owners of the need to notarize the objection. If, after 30 days from the date of the reminder, the owner still has not notarized the objection, the property should be forwarded to the National Register for review and, if eligible, listing. The nomination may be forwarded to the National Register before the end of the 30-day period as long as the cover letter indicates when the 30-day period ends. This will ensure that the property is not listed before expiration of the 30-day period. If the owner does notarize the objection before the property is listed in the National Register, the nomination should be forwarded for a determination of eligibility for inclusion in the National Register.

In addition to reminding the owner of the need to notarize the objection in order to validate it, the letter should also state that it will be the only reminder and that the property will be considered for listing without further notice. We would also stress that these reminders only be sent in cases where the objection, if notarized, would prevent the listing of the property. In cases of multiple ownership reminders should not be sent if a majority is not objecting.

We realize that this requirement imposes an additional burden on your program. However, we want to make every effort to ensure that the manner in which we determine whether or not an owner has objected fully conforms to the spirit of the National Historic Preservation Act Amendments of 1980. We appreciate your cooperation in this regard.

Sincerely,

Carol D. Shull

Carol D. Shull
Acting Keeper of the
National Register



UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY
40208

Vice President for University Relations

June 10, 1982

Ms. Mary Cronan Oppel, Director
Heritage Division and
State Preservation Officer
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Dear Ms. Oppel:

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In short, the University is opposed to National Register designation of the old Johnston-Stoddard Elementary School at this time. Please contact me regarding any further action on our request.

Sincerely,

Steve Bing

Steven B. Bing
Vice President for
University Relations

SBB:jcw

STATE OF KENTUCKY)
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Steven B. Bing this 10th day of June, 1982. My commission expires: November 13, 1982.

Jaren L. Russ
Notary Public, State at Large, Kentucky



JUN 29 1982

HERITAGE

June 25, 1982

Mrs. Carol Shull
Acting Keeper
National Register of Historic Places
National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20240

Dear Mrs. Shull:

Please find enclosed the nomination form for the Johnston-Stoddard Elementary School in Jefferson County, Kentucky, and a notarized statement from the owner objecting to the nomination. We request that this historic property be Determined Eligible for the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with the regulations.

Sincerely,

Mary Cronan Oppel, Director
Heritage Division, and
State Historic Preservation
Officer

MCO:RMP:bsc

Enclosures

cc: Ann Hassett



DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE KENTUCKY

DATE DETERMINED AUG 2 1982

Name

Location

Johnston, J. Stoddard, Elementary School

Louisville
Jefferson County

Also Notified

NPS Regional Office: Southeast

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
1522 K Street, NW
Suite 430
Washington, DC 20005

State Historic Preservation Officer
Ms. Mary Cronan Oppel
Director, Kentucky Heritage Council
Capitol Plaza Tower, 9th Floor
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

NR/DOE JMS

For further information, please call the National Register at (202)272-3504.

1422
Ginzemeyer Hall
Louisville, KY 40292

502-852-5419 P
502-852-8521 F

James R. Ramsey
President

September 30, 2008

Mr. Mark Dennen
Acting Executive Director
Kentucky Heritage Council
State Historic Preservation Office
300 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601

**RE : National Register Status, Stoddard Johnston Elementary School
2301 Bradley Ave. Louisville, KY 40217**

Dear Mr. Dennen:

We are writing this letter to you with respect to the nomination of the Stoddard Johnston Elementary School located at 2301 Bradley Ave., Louisville, Kentucky (the "Property") to the National Register of Historic Places. The University of Louisville Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation") is the current owner of the Property. The Foundation and the University of Louisville (the "University") are both withdrawing any previous objections either may have had in the past to the listing of the Property on the National Register. In anticipation of its rehabilitation in accordance with the Secretary of Interior's Standards for Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings (36 CFR §67), the Foundation and the University both support the Property's listing and withdraw our objection to the listing of the Property in the National Register of Historic Places.

Please contact me should you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE FOUNDATION, INC.

By: Larry L. Owsley
Name: Larry L. Owsley
Title: Vice President for Business Affairs

Notary: Dan W. Shiff
Expires: 9/18/2009

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October 20, 2008

Marcheta Sparrow
Secretary

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Jan Snyder Matthews, Ph.D., Keeper
National Park Service 2280
National Register of Historic Places
1201 "I" (Eye) Street, NW 8th Floor
Washington DC 20005

Dear Dr. Matthews:

Enclosed are nominations approved at the August 27, 2008 Review Board meeting. We are submitting these Kentucky properties for listing in the National Register:

- Wurtland Union Church, Greenup County
- Cherokee State Park, Marshall County
- Battle of Mill Spings Historic Areas (Boundary Increase), Pulaski and Wayne Counties
- New Zion Historic District, Scott and Fayette Counties

The following nomination was returned, and have been revised according to comments provided by the National Register staff reviewer. We are resubmitting these Kentucky properties for reconsideration and listing:

- Dr. Edwards House, Garrard County NR ID: 08000650

The following properties are submitted for listing. Their owners previously had objected to their listing, so these properties currently have Determined Eligible status. Included are notarized letters from owners withdrawing any objections to listing:

- ✓ Stoddard Johnston Elementary School, Jefferson County NR ID: 82005031
- Creel, Elijah, House (Green County MRA), Green County NR ID: 85003589

We appreciate your consideration of these nominations.

Sincerely,

Mark Dennen, Acting Executive Director
Kentucky Heritage Council and
State Historic Preservation Officer