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# KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Site No. Jo -74

1. Historic Name(s) Oil Springs High School Gymnasium  
 Original Owner Oil Springs High School

2. Present Name Oil Springs High School Building

3. Location Oil Springs, Ky.

4. Owner's Name Johnson County School Board

5. Owner's Address Oil Springs, Ky.

6. Open to Public Yes  No   
 7. Visible from road Yes  No

8. Ownership  
 Private   
 Local   
 State   
 Federal

9. Local Contact/Organization  
**JOHNSON COUNTY HISTORIC SITES SURVEY COMMITTEE**

22. ADD/County **BIG SANDY / JOHNSON** d 68

23. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') Oil Springs G.I.S. Mod.

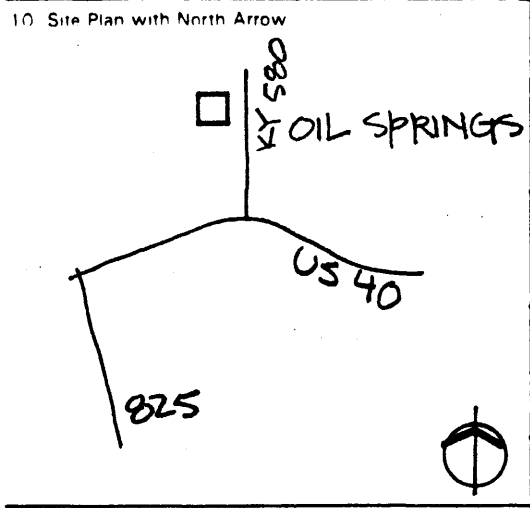
24. UTM Reference  
1 7 3 2 8 9 0 0 4 1 8 6 4 4 0  
 Zone Easting Northing

25. Coordinate Accuracy

26. Prehistoric Site Object  
 Historic Site Structure  
 Building  Other

27. National Register District Name:

28. Significance Evaluation  
**National Register Criteria** D



11. Architect Unknown

12. Builder WPA

13. Date 1930-35 A.  B.

14. Style  
 A. Class. Revival  M   
 B.

15. Original Use Gymnasium  I

16. Present use Same

17. Condition Fair  C

29. Status  Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 National Landmark   
 National Register   
 Landmark Certificate   
 Kentucky Survey   
 Local Landmark   
 HABS/HAER

30. Historic Theme  
 Primary   
 Secondary   
 Other

18. Description  
Two story educational building; recessed arch on end; gable roof

It is connected to a later one-story concrete block addition which is shown on the attached map.

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No. Stories 2  C

Single Pile  NA

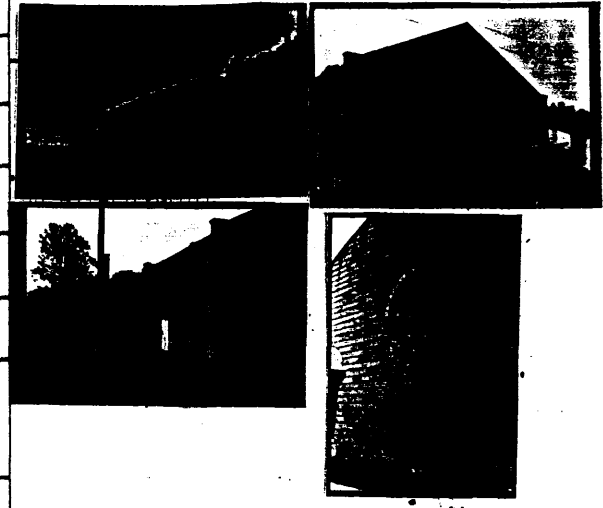
Double Pile

Floor Plan

Structural Fabric  
Stone A.  B.

Decorative Fabric  
 A.   
 B.

Roof Form Gable



19. History  
Alfred Johnson superintendant 1934-35 initiated project. The building was funded by the Works Progress Administration, a national assistance program in place from 1930 to 1941.

Roll No. 7

Picture No. 29-32

Direction \_\_\_\_\_

34. Prepared by:  
**HELEN POWELL**

20. Significance: The Oil Springs High School Gymnasium is significant under Criterion C because of the architectural characteristics it shares with the other WPA buildings

35. Organization  
**CARMAN AND POWELL, INC.**

36. Date **1983**

21. Source of Information erected in Johnson County between 1930- Mae Lemaster 1941.

37. Revision Dates \_\_\_\_\_ 38. Staff Review \_\_\_\_\_

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT  
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Historic Property Name Oil Springs High School Gymnasium Site # Jo-74  
Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title MULTIPLE RESOURCES OF JOHNSON COUNTY

U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTMs if property is ten or more acres.

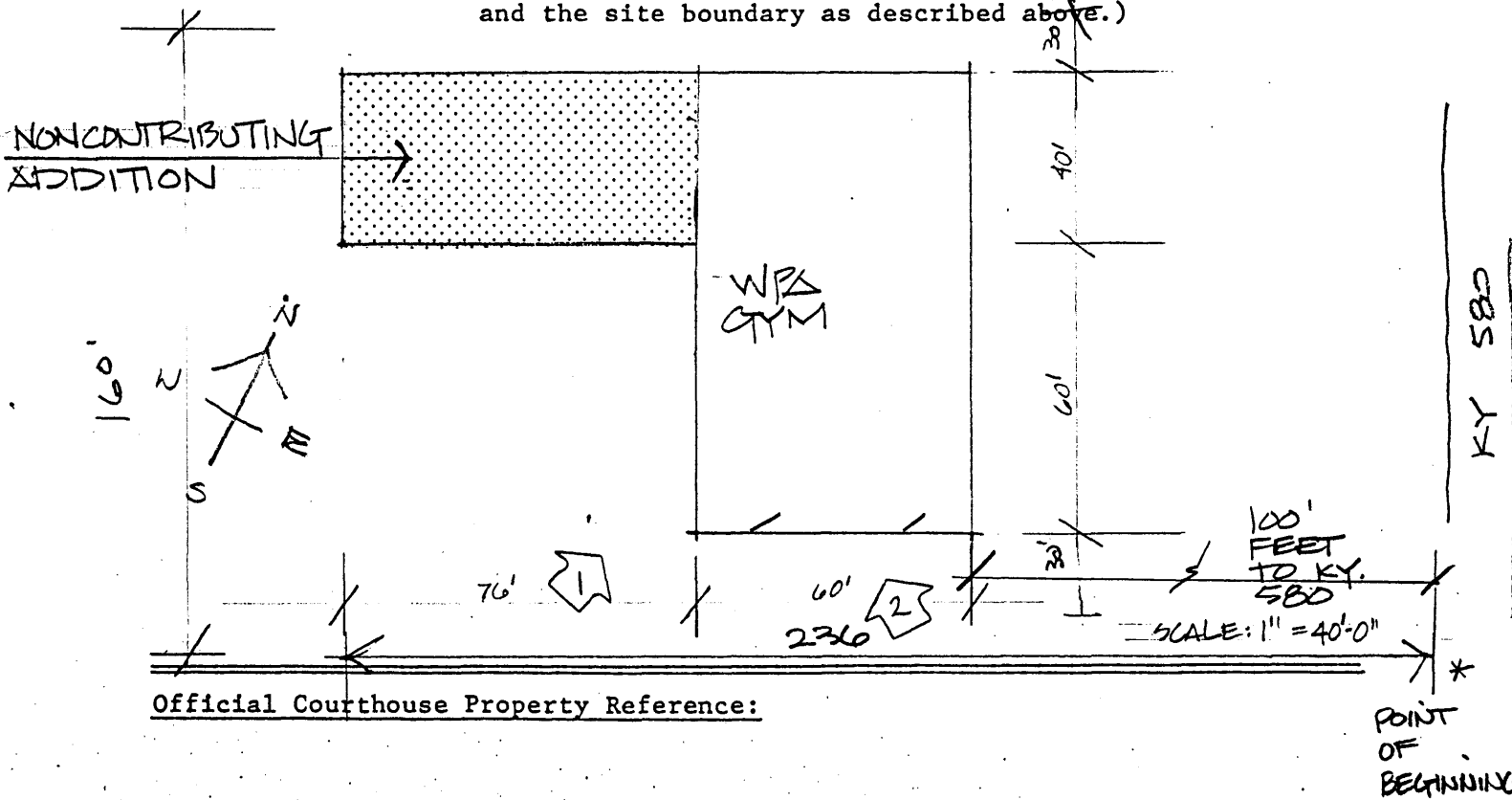
A. \_\_\_\_\_ D. \_\_\_\_\_  
B. \_\_\_\_\_ E. \_\_\_\_\_  
C. \_\_\_\_\_ F. \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal Boundary Description Acreage .87

Starting at a point in KY 580, 400 feet north of the intersection of KY 580 and KY 40, then west 236 feet to a point; then north 160 feet to a point; then east 236 feet to a point; then south 160 feet along KY 580 to the point of beginning.

The boundary contains all of the space associated with the Oil Springs High School Gymnasium and one contributing building.

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



Official Courthouse Property Reference: