

Living History TOUR



1. **THESPIAN HALL** was built in 1855-57. It is the oldest surviving theater west of the Allegheny Mountains. 522 Main, Boonville, 660-882-7977

2. **HAIN HOUSE** is a typical 19th century single family dwelling. The home was donated to the Friends of Historic Boonville in the 1980's. Hain Memorial Gardens is open for public use. 412 4th St., Boonville, 660-882-7977

3. **KATY DEPOT** is the only surviving Spanish Mission style depot on the MKT. Built in 1911, it is now the home of Boonville Chamber and Tourism offices. 320 First St., Boonville, 660-882-2721

4. **THE OLD JAIL & HANGING BARN** is now the offices of the Friends of Historic Boonville. The last public hanging in 1930 was carried out in the barn behind the jail. 614 E. Morgan, Boonville, 660-882-7977

5. **TURNER HALL** was built in 1847 as the first brick Baptist Church west of St. Louis. Turner Hall has been restored and is available to rent for events and meetings. 518 Vine St., Boonville, 660-882-3300

6. **HOTEL FREDERICK** was built in 1905 by Charles Sombart, a local miller and banker. Recently restored it is now a charming boutique hotel. 501 High St., Boonville, 660-882-2828

7. **ROSLYN HEIGHTS**, built in 1895, was the most elaborate home of that era. In 1983 the Daughters of the American Revolution purchased it for a state headquarters and restored its gay 90's elegance. 821 Main Boonville, 660-882-5320

8. **HARLEY PARK**, located on the bluffs of the Missouri River, was established in August of 1887. There are four Hopewell Indian burial mounds dating from 100 BC to 500 AD. The view from Lookout Point is breathtaking.

9. **BLACKWATER** was founded in 1887. In 1990, the downtown was beautifully renovated, and more recently a replica of the old depot was built as a community center. 660-846-4411

10. **COOPER COUNTY HISTORICAL RESEARCH & VISITOR'S CENTER** has genealogical records and cemetery information available to the public at no charge. Open May-October, Fri, Sat & Sunday 1-5 p.m., Hwy 135 & Roe, Pilot Grove, 660-834-3582

11. **PILOT GROVE JAIL** was built in 1890. Three cells occupy the lower dirt floor level of this building with a museum upstairs. mbrewer@land.net

12. **MT. NEBO BAPTIST CHURCH** dates from 1820, the present building from 1856. Mt. Nebo preserves its double doors (men on the right) and pews. 660-834-4140

13. **PLEASANT GREEN PLANTATION** was built in 1820 as a one-room structure. Enlarged in 1835 and 1850, the furnishings reflect six generations of the Walker family. The 1916 hexagonal barn was used for stock sales. pgwinky@land.net

14. **BURWOOD** was built in 1883. It features 8 fireplaces. A slave cabin remains on the property. 660-834-3406

15. **NEW LEBANON HISTORIC DISTRICT**
660-366-4482

NEW LEBANON SCHOOL dates from 1889. The cemetery, nearby, contains two graves of soldiers of the American Revolution. The oldest legible stone dates 1822.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH originated in the Red River section of Kentucky and Tennessee in 1810. In 1820 Rev. Finis Ewing and his "New Lebanon Society" left Kentucky to form a seminary here.

ABE'S COUNTRY STORE dates from 1926. It is now a museum and antique shop with the original fixtures and remaining merchandise.

16. **OTTERVILLE CIVIL WAR SITE** located at Conservation Area describes the Union fortifications at the rail crossing on the Lamine River. Further east, the Robber's Cut marker commemorates the night Jesse James and his men hid on the ledges of the cliff to halt the train below and rob the passengers. 660-366-4703

17. **DICK'S MILL** was built in 1868, on the site of an earlier mill burned by Union soldiers during the Civil War. 660-573-2381

18. **RAVENSWOOD**, built by Captain Charles Leonard in 1880. The furnishings and display of period gowns reflect the cosmopolitan life of Cooper County's wealthier families after the Civil War. 660-882-7143

19. **BARN QUILTS** are painted on 8-by-8-foot panels and hung on barns that are easily seen from roadways in the Boonslick area. Two are located in Cooper County at I-70 and Hwy 179 and Hwy 41, west of Lamine.

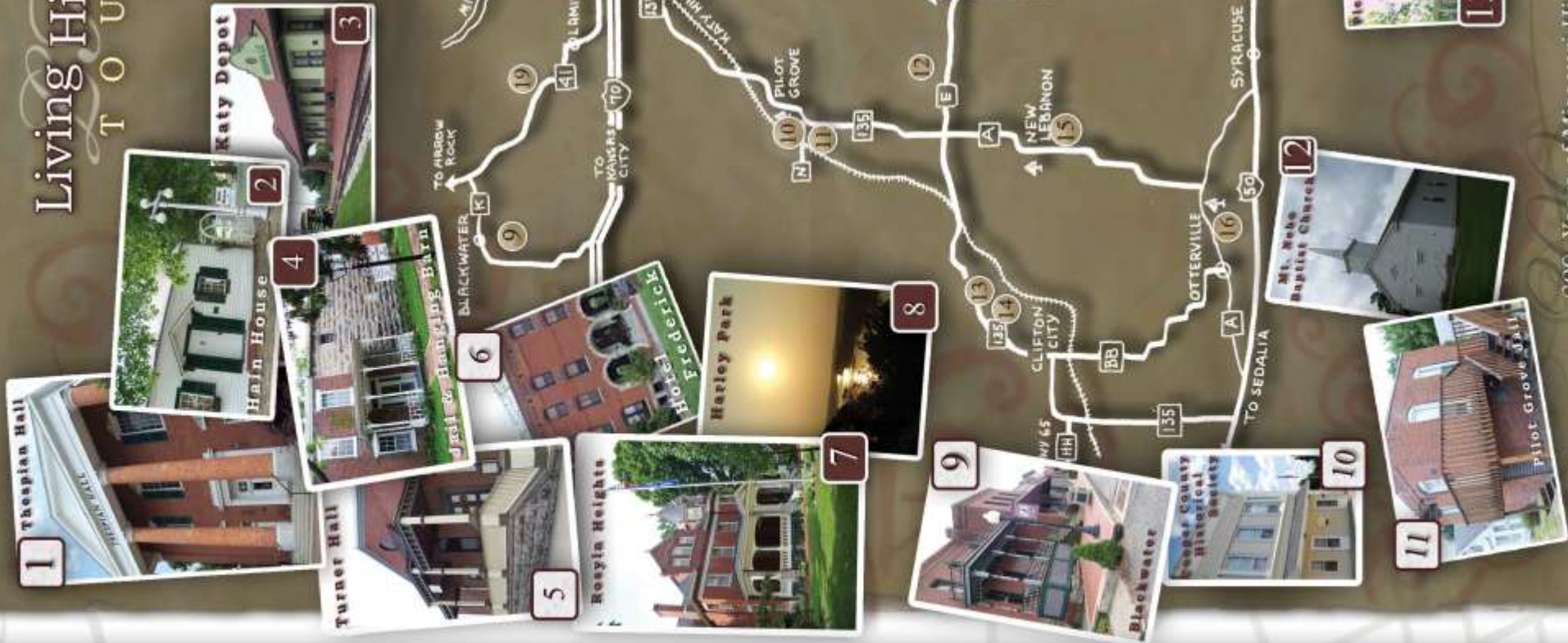


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