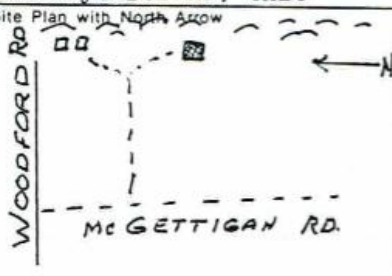


# OHIO HISTORIC INVENTORY

1. <u>ERI-1756</u>		4. Present Name(s) <b>Morning Glory Farm</b>	
2. County <b>ERIE</b>		5. Other Name(s) <b>McCune Rectory &amp; Residence</b>	
3. Location of Negatives <b>O.H.S.</b>			
6. Specific Location <b>Near shore, 1000' east of McGettigan Rd. &amp; 350' so. of Woodford Rd.</b>		16. Thematic Category <b>Religion, Agriculture</b>	
7. City or Town If Rural, Township & Vicinity <b>Kelleys Island, Ohio</b>		17. Date(s) or Period <b>1862/1867 * reverse</b>	
8. Site Plan with North Arrow 		18. Style or Design <b>Upright and wing</b>	
9. U.T.M. Reference <b>17 359860 4605900</b>		19. Architect or Engineer <b>-</b>	
10. Easting Northing Site <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/>		20. Contractor or Builder <b>-</b>	
11. On National Register? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		21. Original Use, if apparent <b>Church &amp; Residence</b>	
12. Is it Eligible? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		22. Present Use <b>Residence</b>	
13. Part of Estab. Hist. Dist.? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		23. Ownership Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
14. District Potent? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		24. Owner's Name & Address, if known <b>Penny Kyle Kelleys Island Ohio</b>	
15. Name of Established District <b>N/A</b>		25. Open to Public? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
42. Further Description of Important Features (Continue on reverse if necessary) <b>Originally this was a front-gabled house with an interior gable-end brick chimney and a gabled stoop at the front door. A gabled wing with a continuous roof porch was added after the building was moved. Original details include 6/6 shuttered windows; a pair of double 10 light 'French windows' in the gable end; and a wide frieze board with end boards. Interior walls, floors, etc.,</b>		26. Local Contact Person or Organization <b>Kevin Pape:KIHist.Survey</b>	
43. History and Significance <b>This house has been moved from its original location on Ward Rd. to the present site where it has been faithfully restored. The house was built for the residence of the Rev. Robert McCune c 1867. He had been called to the island to organize the first English speaking church here, and until it could be built, he held services and meetings in his home. These continued</b>		27. Other Surveys in Which Included <b>N/A</b>	
44. Description of Environment and Outbuildings <b>The house sits in an expansive lawn facing the lake. It is landscaped with white picket fence, limestone paths, and formal herb garden in the rear yard. A large barn lies to the east. The holdings comprise some 20 acres on which some produce, herbs and pigs are raised.</b>		28. No. of Stories <b>2</b>	
45. Sources of Information <b>Census Records Hills, History of Kelleys Island, Ohio F.Hamilton Collection, Hayes Presidential Center General Index to Deeds, Erie Co.</b>		29. Basement? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		30. Foundation Material <b>Cement Block</b>	
		31. Wall Construction <b>Wood frame</b>	
		32. Roof Type & Material <b>Gable/asph.shingle</b>	
		33. No. of Bays Front Side	
		34. Wall Treatment <b>Bevel-board</b>	
		35. Plan Shape <b>Rec.</b>	
		36. Changes (Explain in #42) Addition <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered <input type="checkbox"/> Moved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		37. Condition Interior <b>Exc.</b> Exterior <b>Exc.</b>	
		38. Preservation Underway? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
		39. Endangered? By What? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		40. Visible from Public Road? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		41. Distance from and Frontage on Road <b>1000' (.546 ac.)</b>	
		46. Prepared by <b>Penny Kyle and Kevin Pape</b>	
		47. Organization <b>KI.Planning Commis.</b>	
		48. Date [49. Revision Date(s)]	



## 50. House Type No.

Code No. Name

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## 51. Historic Outbuildings and Dependencies

Barn Type(s)

Code No. Type

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Corn Crib or Shed  Smoke House,  Privy   
 Silo  Spring House  Carriage House   
 Summer Kitchen  or Ice House

Other \_\_\_\_\_

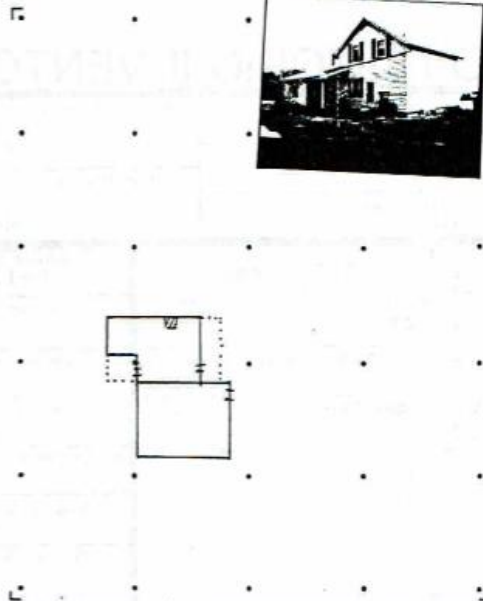
## 52. Archaeological Site on Property?

Yes   
No 

Basis for Information

Owner Collection   
 Above Ground Earthworks or Mound   
 Cultural Materials Noted  OAI No. \_\_\_\_\_

## 53. Farmstead Plan



## 54. Photo

Roll No. 27 Picture No(s). 8-9

## 42. (Cont'd)

have been restored using period guidelines.

## 43. (Cont'd.)

until 1877 when the new church known as the Congregational was dedicated. (Land for the new church on Division Street opposite Chapel Street had been donated by Mrs. Lucy F. Murray.) During his tenure on the island, Rev. Mc Cune took a leading part in the affairs of the English speaking community of the island, and was called to deliver the funeral oration for Datus Kelley. The next known resident was the family of John and Mary Baumler, c1880. John had emigrated first from Switzerland in 1851, living in the boarding house of John Riedy near the south shore. He worked in the quarry there until he could earn enough money to send for his wife. By 1870 they had a farm in the center of the island, and the 1880 Census shows them at this location. For the next 30 some years John and his son Henry, after him, farmed and raised grapes on these 5 acres. In 1894 a house was added to the east for John's son Louis and his family who worked in the quarry. A-third son Frederick, was a blacksmith and lived on Division St. (ERI-1585) These houses, as well as those to the west were later purchased by the KIL&T. Co. and eventually turned over to the Cleveland Museum of Natural History from which the current owner purchased. Prior to this purchase in 1970, the house had stood empty for many years and was in a great state of disrepair, but the current owner saw its potential and appreciated its historic significance.

\* Some sources give the date of construction of this house as 1862, but Erie Co. General Index to Deeds sites C.R.McCune buying 5 acres in Lot 7 from Edmond Ward, December 1867. Vol 26, p.119.