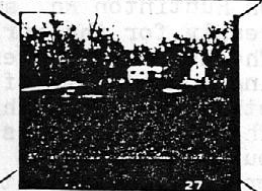



OHIO HISTORIC INVENTORY

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1. No. ERI-1714		4. Present Name(s) Taylor's Toe Hold	
2. County ERIE		5. Other Name(s) KIL&T Co. Worker's House # 58	
3. Location of Negatives O.H.S.			
5. Specific Location 500 feet north of the Hancock Wood Elect Co-op/ Post Office		16. Thematic Category Ethnic, manufacturing	28. No. of Stories 1
7. City or Town If Rural, Township & Vicinity Kelleys Island, Ohio		17. Date(s) or Period C. 1890	29. Basement? Part? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Site Plan with North Arrow 		18. Style or Design Vernacular	30. Foundation Material CONCRETE o. limestone rubble
9. U.T.M. Reference 17 35 6 36 0 46 6 2 9 0		19. Architect or Engineer	31. Wall Construction wood frame
10. Zone Easting Northing Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/>		20. Contractor or Builder	32. Roof Type & Material gable asph. shingle
11. On National Register? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		21. Original Use, if apparent Quarry worker's house	33. No. of Bays Front Side
12. Is It Eligible? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		22. Present Use Residence	34. Wall Treatment Board & Batten
13. Part of Estab. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Hist. Dist.? No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		23. Ownership Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	35. Plan Shape IRREG
14. District Potent'ly? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		24. Owner's Name & Address, if known Caroline Taylor Kelleys Island Ohio	36. Changes (Explain in #42) Addition <input type="checkbox"/> Altered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/>
15. Name of Established District N/A		25. Open to Public? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	37. Condition Interior Exterior good
16. Further Description of Important Features (Continue on reverse if necessary) The irregular plan of this house appears to be composed of two cross-gabled modules. The house has a single original brick chimney located in the ridge intersection of one of the cross gables. A new brick chimney has been built on an exterior eave wall. Exterior treatments are very plain and limited to crude frieze and end boards on the gables. Windows are 6/6 with vertical slat shutters. An exterior cellar entrance is located along the southern eave wall. Alterations		26. Local Contact Person or Organization Kevin Pape; KI.Hist.Survey	38. Preservation Underway? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
17. History and Significance Built by the KIL&T Co. for its quarry laborers c.1890, it faces on a former road right of way that ran from the present Bonchi house (ERI-1715), between this house and its work shed (formerly a residence ERI-1671), and west across what was once a bridge to Cameron Rd. This roadway was once lined with similar housing, but now all removed except the above, and that of ERI-1535.		27. Other Surveys in Which Included N/A	39. Endangered? By What? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
18. Description of Environment and Outbuildings House is located along vestigial quarry access road in former cluster of workers' houses built by the Norman Kelley quarry and later utilized by the Kelley Island Lime & Transport Co. South Bay quarry. Directly across the road is ERI-1671, formerly a quarry bunkhouse, now a work shed. Originally the house had a shed/barn for a cow and pig. It is now gone.		40. Visible from Public Road? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	41. Distance from and Frontage on Road See #44
19. Sources of Information Hills, History of Kelleys Island, Ohio Hamilton Collection, Hayes Presidential Center. Oral Hist: Ray & Jos. Feyedelem Jean Dwelle Steph & Maybelle Kekelik		46. Prepared by Kevin Pape	47. Organization KI.Planning Commis
		48. Date 8/85	49. Revision Date(s)



Code No. _____	Name _____	
51. Historic Outbuildings and Dependencies		
Barn Type(s) Code No. _____ Type _____		
Corn Crib or Shed <input type="checkbox"/> Smoke House, <input type="checkbox"/> Privy <input type="checkbox"/> Silo <input type="checkbox"/> Spring House Carriage House <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Kitchen <input type="checkbox"/> or Ice House		
Other _____		
52. Archaeological Site on Property?		
Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		
Basis for Information		
Owner Collection <input type="checkbox"/> Above Ground Earthworks or Mound <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Materials Noted <input type="checkbox"/>		
OAI No. _____		54. Photo 29 _____ 27 _____ Roll No. 23 _____ Picture No(s) 23, 24 _____

42. (Cont'd)
include casement bay windows flanked by large picture windows on the southern eave wall. There is a small "hatch" door/window in the attic of the north gable.

43. (Cont'd)
These houses formed an enclave that functioned as as an almost independent community within the larger community of the island. As in similar units on Huntinton Rd. and at the north and west quarry sites, it was built expressly for the workers, and to be immediately available to the work site. The houses were rented by the company for \$2.00 to \$5.00 per month, depending on the size of the building. Some were built to accomodate families, others were bunk houses for single men, and still others were multitple units. The one on the west side is said to have had so many children running in and out the doors and windows, it was called "the incubator". This house was one of those built for a family. The one now called the work shed (ERI-1671) was a bunk house for singles. Perhaps the best known occupant of the present house was the Mille family c.1913. Peter and Mary Milli (aka Mille) had emigrated from Hungary in 1893, coming to the island sometime before 1910 to work in the quarry here. They lived first on Craft Lane (ERI-1708) but with a growing family (nine girls and 1 boy), they moved here to larger quarters. In 1913 their daughter, Mary, was married to a priest of the Greek Orthodox Church, and their wedding at the Slavic Church (ER-359) on the island and the celebration that followed is remembered vividly in the minds of many islander. After this family left the island c.1922, the house was rented by the Musconi family.