

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: REMOVAL

PROPERTY NAME: Yount, George W., Barn

MULTIPLE NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: KANSAS, Cowley

DATE RECEIVED: 11/13/15      DATE OF PENDING LIST:  
DATE OF 16TH DAY:                      DATE OF 45TH DAY: 12/29/15  
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 97000436

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      12-29-15 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

**REMOVED  
from  
National Register**

RECOM./CRITERIA Remove

REVIEWER Edson Beall

DISCIPLINE History

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE 12-29-15

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.

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Winfield vicinity, Cowley Co., KS

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**NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION**

Compiled October 2015

The George W. Yount Barn was listed in the National Register of Historic Places in 1997 for its local significance in the area of architecture. The 1881 stone barn was constructed about one mile due north of Winfield by Kentucky-native George Yount. Yount used the barn to house livestock and store hay and crops.

In 2005, the Yount Barn was heavily damaged in a fire that left only the four exterior walls standing, some in very poor condition. The owners retained as much material as possible and incorporated the ruins into a new structure sometime between 2005 and 2015. While the retention of materials is commendable, the overall loss caused by the fire and the subsequent incorporation of the ruins into a new structure negatively affects its historic integrity and impairs this resource's ability to convey its historic significance. The Kansas State Historic Preservation Office requests the property be removed from the National Register of Historic Places.

GPS Coordinates (WGS84): 37.280134,-96.986289



Patrick Zollner, Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

11-10-15

Date

**PHOTOGRAPHIC INFORMATION**

- Property: Yount, George W., Barn
- Location: 14704 91<sup>st</sup> Rd (NE4, NW4, NW4, SW4, S10-T32S-R4E), Winfield vicinity, Cowley County, Kansas
- Photographer: Robert Hoard (KSHS)
- Date: September 2015
- Photo 1: South elevation.
- Photo 2: Looking NW at south and east elevations.
- Photo 3: North elevation.





