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ALABAMA REGISTER OF LANDMARKS AND HERITAGE
Nomination Form

COUNTY COFFEE

NAME: Present PRESTWOOD GRIST MILL Historic SAME

LOCATION: Street and Number ROUTE 2, BRUNDIDGE, AL 36010

Town (Give directions if rural) ROETON COMMUNITY, N.E. COFFEE CO.

A MAP WITH THE LANDMARK MARKED MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM

CATEGORY: Building (X) Structure (X) Object (X) Site (X) District ()

USE: Present CORN GRINDING Historic SITE

OWNERSHIP: Public () Private (X)

Owner's Name MARION J. SANDERS

Mailing Address RT. 2, BRUNDIDGE, AL. 36010

INTEGRITY: Original Site (X) Moved () When? _____

From where? _____ (Give details in significance.)

CONDITIONS: Excellent () Good (X) Fair () Ruins ()

TREATS: No (X) Yes () By What? _____

RESTORATION WORK: Being considered () Underway (X) Completed () Not planned ()

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open land () Woodland () Scattered buildings ()
High building density () Commercial () Industrial ()
Residential () Rural (X)

Acreage 63

For all categories other than a district and object give a site plan with a North arrow.
Show related buildings. SEE COFFEE COUNTY MAP ENCLOSED

For a district give a verbal boundary description and attach a sketch map of the district.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Why is this landmark significant? (X) associated with events, persons, or movements
Local () State () National ()
(X) a good example of a type or style of structure
() other

Explain: (Briefly state why the above is true) THIS MILL SITE ESTABLISHED IN 1848 AND BOUGHT BY FRANCIS (MARION PRESTWOOD) IN 1868, CONTINUED IN PRESTWOOD NAME (A CIVIL WAR VETERAN) TIL JUNE 8, 1978 WHEN I BOUGHT THE PROPERTY. I AM A GREAT GRANDSON OF FRANCIS MARION PRESTWOOD.

Date of Construction or Period of major importance. 1848

Architect or Builder (Give name and biographies, if known) UNKNOWN

Give a complete but concise history of the Landmark. Include information on important people and events associated with the landmark. (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)

1848 - 1868 - OWNER UNKNOWN
1868 - 1923 - " FRANCIS MARION PRESTWOOD
1923 - 1943 - " NOAH J. PRESTWOOD
1943 - 1971 - " L.M. PRESTWOOD
1971 - 1978 " RUBY J. PRESTWOOD
JUNE 78 TO PRESENT " MARION J. SANDERS

State sources of information, giving full bibliographical data:

FROM MY GRANDFATHER NOW DECEASED (CHARLIE PRESTWOOD) AND RECORDS IN COURTHOUSE (ELBA)

DESCRIPTION: PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE LANDMARK MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM.

Complete as directed below for each category.

BUILDING:

Number of stories 1 Foundation WOOD Basement

Wall Material: (Note changes from one floor or wing to another)
(clapboard, brick, stone, wood shingle, board and batton, stucco over wood or brick, metal, logs) BOARD AND BATTON

Structural System: (If known)

Wood frame (X) Load-bearing masonry () Iron or Steel ()

PART OF BUILDING ON POSTS RESTING ON BEDROCK

DESCRIPTION (Continued)

Roof Type: (Gable, Gambrel, Mansard, Flat, Hipped, Combination)

Roof Covering: (Wood shingle, Asphalt, Tile, Metal, Slate)

Roof Trim: (Cornices, bargeboard, brackets, etc.)

Porches: Front (type and description) SHEP TYPE OVER ENTRANCE AND SIDE DOOR

Rear (type and description) SIDE NONE

Side (type and description) SHEP TYPE

Doors: Main entrance (location, description) FRONT, WOOD

Other entrances (location, description) SIDE DOOR, WOOD

Windows: Types and number of each floor of facade 2 WOODEN SLIDE WINDOWS

Types and number per floor for sides and rear

Interior: Describe mantels, stairways, wainscoting, plasterwork and any unusual features.

STAIRWAY TO MILLER'S WORKING AREA

Other: Use this space to describe any additions, alterations, outbuildings or other features of the structure and its surroundings.

OLD MILLER'S HOUSE LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 100 YDS FROM MILL HOUSE

On an additional sheet make a sketch of the floor plan of the building, showing dimensions if possible.

THIS IS NOT REQUIRED!

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DESCRIPTION (Continued)

- STRUCTURE: On a separate sheet of paper give a complete as possible verbal description of the structure. (See examples)
- OBJECT: On a separate sheet of paper give a complete as possible verbal description of the object. (See examples)
- SITE: On a separate sheet of paper give the present description of the site and how the site is believed to have looked during its period of importance.
- DISTRICT: On a separate sheet of paper give a general description of the district. Also needed is a numbered list of the structures in the district corresponding to the sketch map. This listing should include a name for the structure, a date of construction, a brief description, a statement of why the structure is significant, if it is.

A MAP WITH THE LANDMARK MARKED AND PHOTOGRAPHS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM

Map: A U.S. Geological Survey Map is preferred, but if you are unable to obtain one a county highway map may be used.

Photographs: Black and white, glossy finish, 5 x 7, or 8 x 10, is preferred.

FORM PREPARED BY

Name MARION J. SANDERS Date 7-23-78
 Address RT 2, BRUNDIDGE, AL 36010 Telephone 735-2243
 Town ROGTON COMMUNITY (COFFEE COUNTY)
 Organization _____

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STAFF COMMENTS:

MAP REFERENCE: MAP _____

U. T. M. Reference
 Zone _____ Easting _____ Northing _____

Thematic Category _____

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PIKE CO
COFFEE CO

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Clearwater

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St. Cerns

