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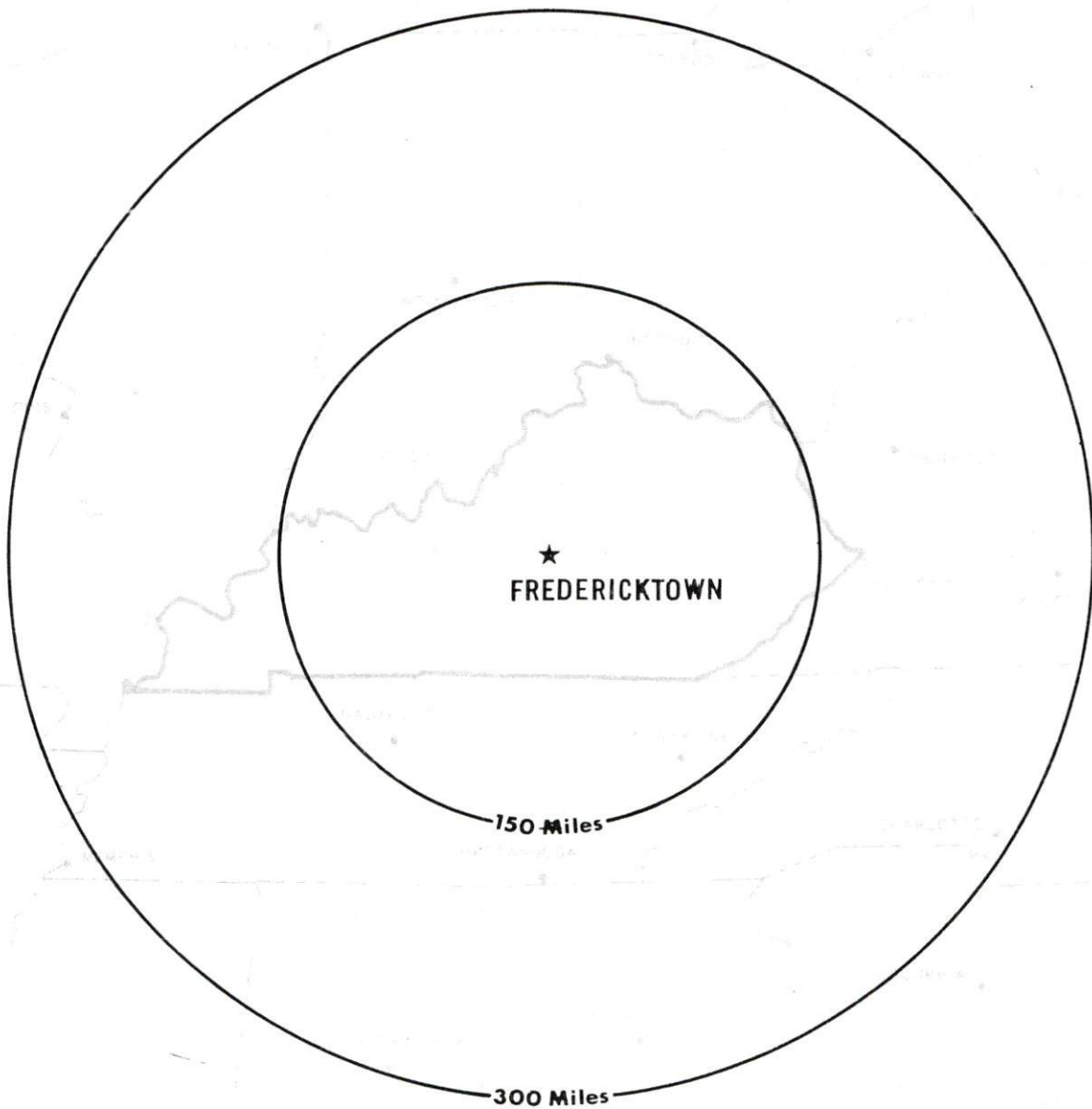
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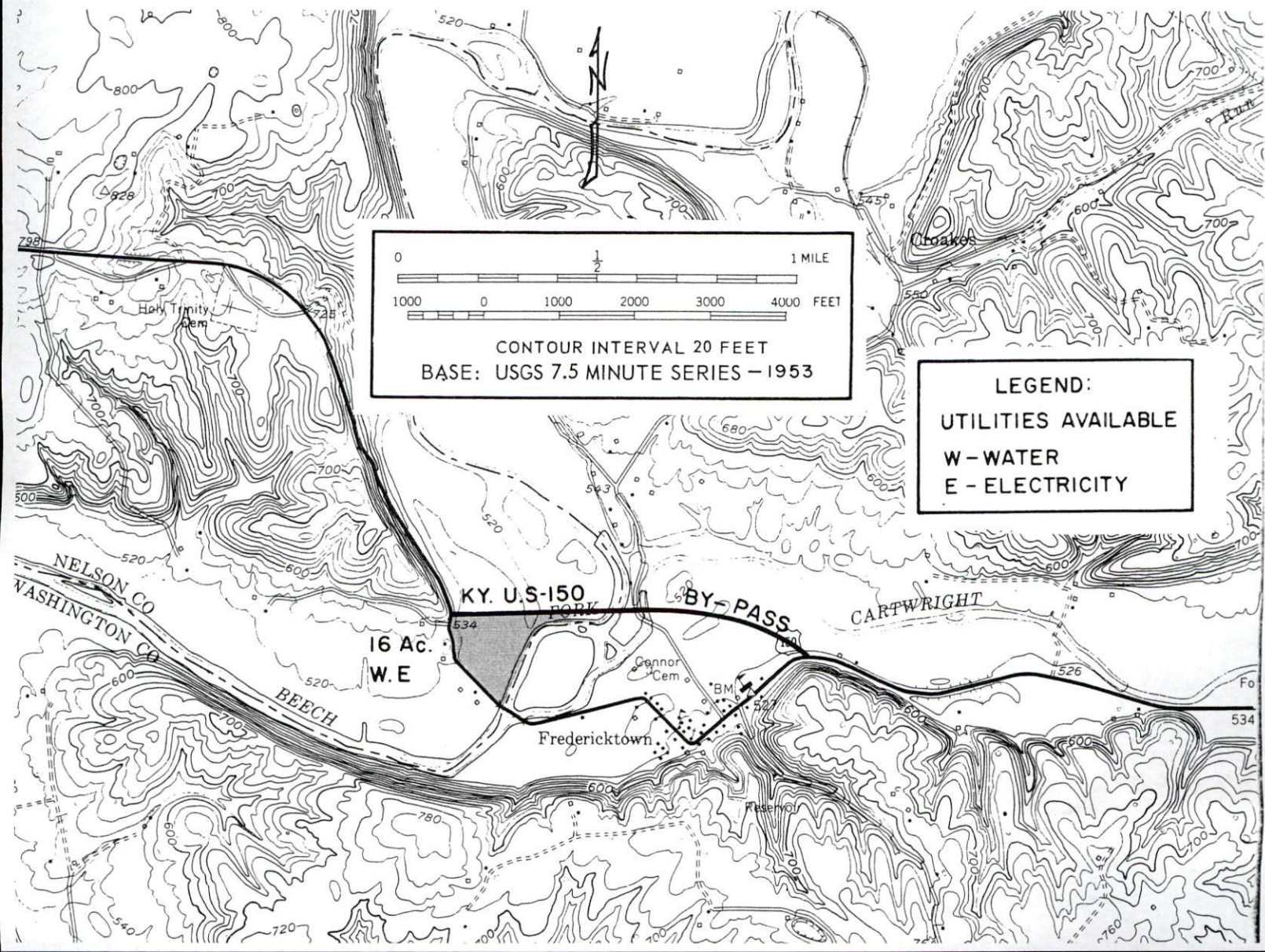
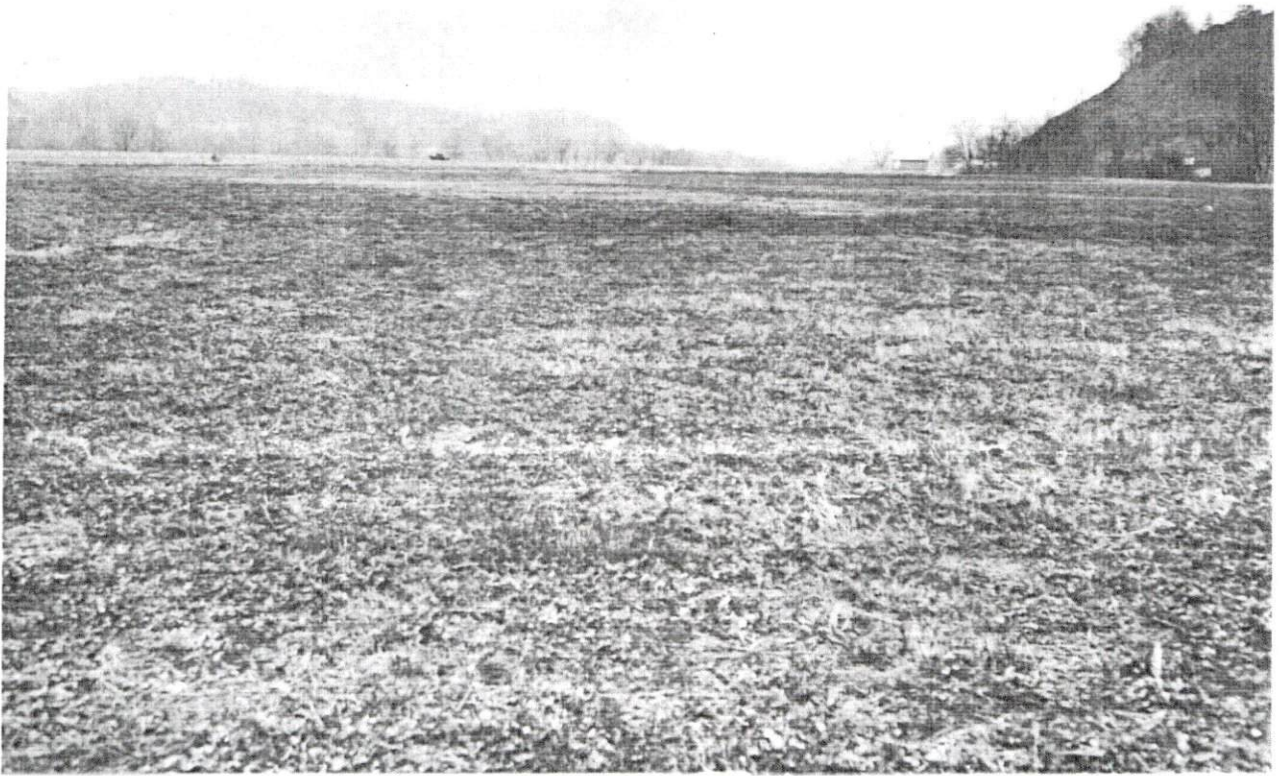
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INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES FREDERICKTOWN, KENTUCKY



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SUMMARY OF INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES

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POPULATION, 1960: Fredericktown - 200 (Estimated)
Washington County - 11,168 Nelson County - 22,168

FREDERICKTOWN LABOR SUPPLY AREA: Includes Washington and Nelson Counties and all adjoining counties. Estimated number of workers available for industrial jobs in the labor supply area - 3,391 men and 4,496 women. Number of workers from Washington County - 463 men and 461 women. Number from Nelson County - 575 men and 895 women.

TRANSPORTATION:

Railroads: The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company is located 1 1/2 miles distant on a rural highway. The nearest Louisville and Nashville depot is located in Bardstown, Kentucky, 9 miles distant.

Air: The nearest commercial airport is Standiford Field, located in Louisville, Kentucky, 58 miles distant. The Bardstown-Nelson County Airport, with a 3,200-foot paved runway, is located 10 miles distant.

Truck: Bardstown Transfer Line, Inc., Bardstown, Kentucky, and McDuffee Motor Freight, Inc., Lebanon, Kentucky, serve Fredericktown. Daily pickup and delivery service is available.

Bus: Southeastern Greyhound Bus Lines has 3 northbound and 3 southbound buses daily.

Highways: U. S. Route 150 serves Fredericktown.

UTILITIES:

Electricity: Kentucky Utilities Company and Salt River Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation serve Fredericktown.

Water: Fredericktown Water Company, whose sources of supply are a 7,000,000-gallon lake and a 40,000,000-gallon lake, serves Fredericktown.

Natural Gas: Natural gas is not available.

Sewerage: Individual septic tanks are being used.

COMMUNICATION:

Telephone and Telegraph: The Southern Bell Telephone Company serves Fredericktown. Telegraph service is provided by calling Bardstown, Kentucky, 9 miles distant.

Postal Facilities: Postal service is rendered by the Springfield Post Office, Springfield, Kentucky, 9 miles distant, with rural route delivery.

CITY SERVICES:

Fire Protection: Fredericktown does not have a fire department but is served by the Bardstown Fire Department and the Springfield Fire Department.

Garbage and Sanitation: Individuals must make arrangements for these services on a private basis.

TAXES:

Property tax rates per \$100 of assessed value are: Nelson County - \$.50; Washington County - \$.50; City - none; Nelson County School - \$1.50; Washington County School - \$1.50; for a total of \$2.00 in either county. Assessment ratios average 27.6 percent for Nelson County and 26.1 percent for Washington County.

LOCAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Housing: The average 5-room home rents for approximately \$50 per month. Construction costs for the average 3-bedroom house with full basement range from \$14,000 to \$15,000.

Hospital: Fredericktown is served by the Catholic Flaget Memorial Hospital, which has 38 beds and 12 bassinets and is located in Bardstown, Kentucky, 9 miles distant.

Public Health: Fredericktown is served by the Nelson County Health Department, Bardstown, Kentucky, and the Washington County Health Department, Springfield, Kentucky.

Education: Fredericktown is served by the Fredericktown Elementary and High School which houses grades 1 through 12, and the Holy Trinity parochial school which houses grades 1 through 8. Both schools have playgrounds.

Churches: Fredericktown has one church, Catholic in denomination, which serves approximately 600 members and the average weekly attendance is 98 percent. Several protestant churches are located within a 10-mile radius of Fredericktown.

Financial Institutions: Fredericktown is served by the banks of Bardstown and Springfield, Kentucky.

Recreation: Fredericktown utilizes one ball diamond with covered grandstand as well as the two school playgrounds.

INDUSTRIAL SITE:

Fredericktown has one industrial site which contains 16 acres of level land and is bound by U. S. 150, U. S. 150 By-Pass, and Beech Fork Creek. Available utilities include electricity and water.