

Kellogg Avenue

In the mid-1800s, the road along the Ohio River was laid out as the privately-owned New Richmond Turnpike. After the county purchased the road in the early 1900s, it was named in honor of Edwin Kellogg (1862-1937), a long-time city council member who championed improvements for the eastern suburbs of Cincinnati.



Local families have long enjoyed pleasure boating on the Ohio River. In this image from about 1900, the Stanley Ebersole family and friends relaxed along the river.



In this image from about 1900, Stanley Ebersole (1860-1944), his family and friends are shown aboard friend Bert Finch's boat, the *Laura*.



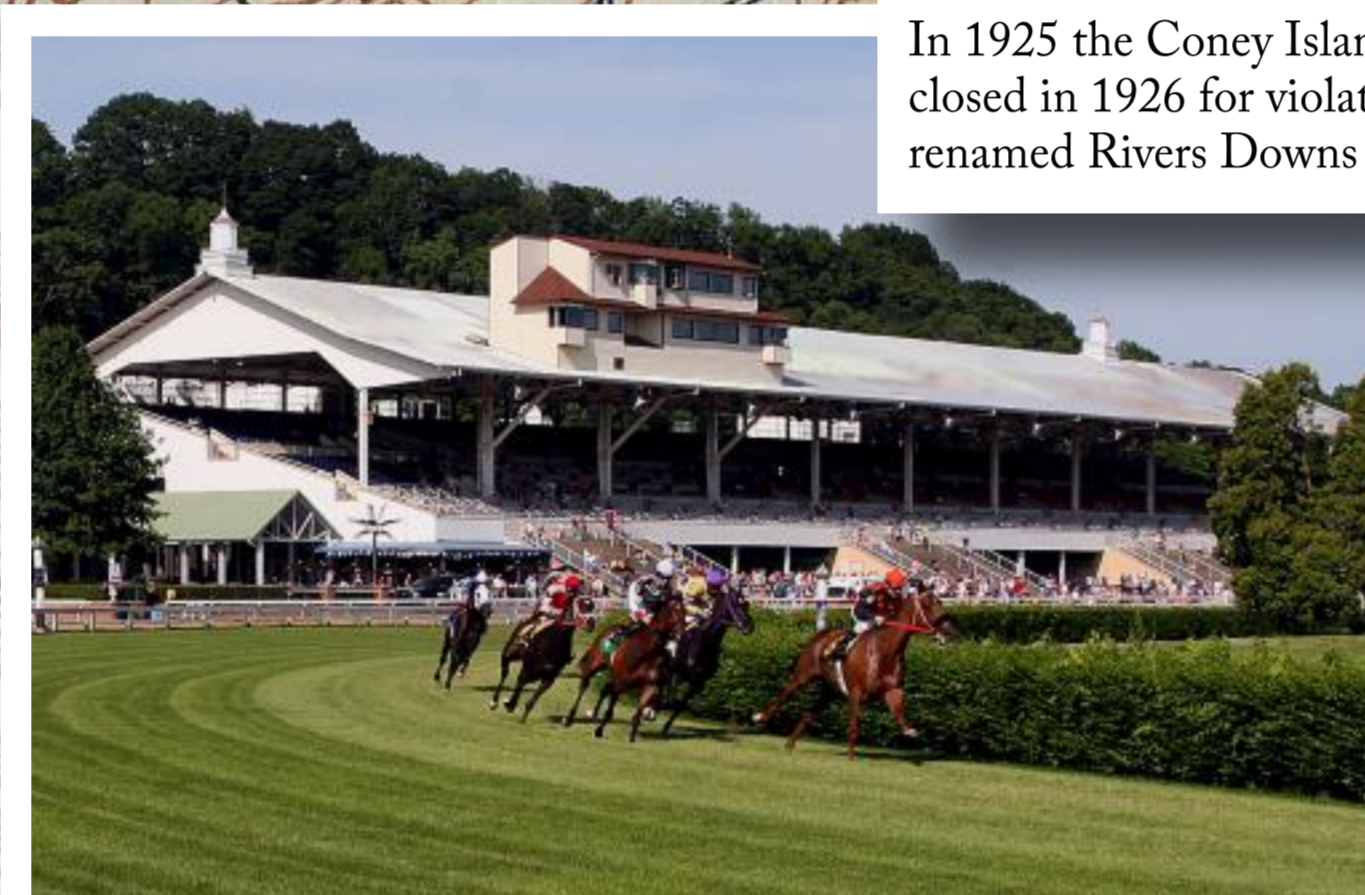
An aerial view of the Ohio riverfront shows extensive flooding in a 1997 photo. Notice the city of Cincinnati in the background. *Photo by Henry C. Dolive.*



In 1925 the Coney Island Race Track opened with first-class facilities. The track was closed in 1926 for violating state laws against gambling. It reopened in 1933 and was renamed Rivers Downs after the 1937 flood.



Belterra Park features two race courses consisting of the main one-mile dirt track with a seven-furlong turf course inside it.



In 2011, River Downs was purchased by Pinnacle Entertainment and became Belterra Park Gaming and Entertainment Center. *Photo from 2008.*



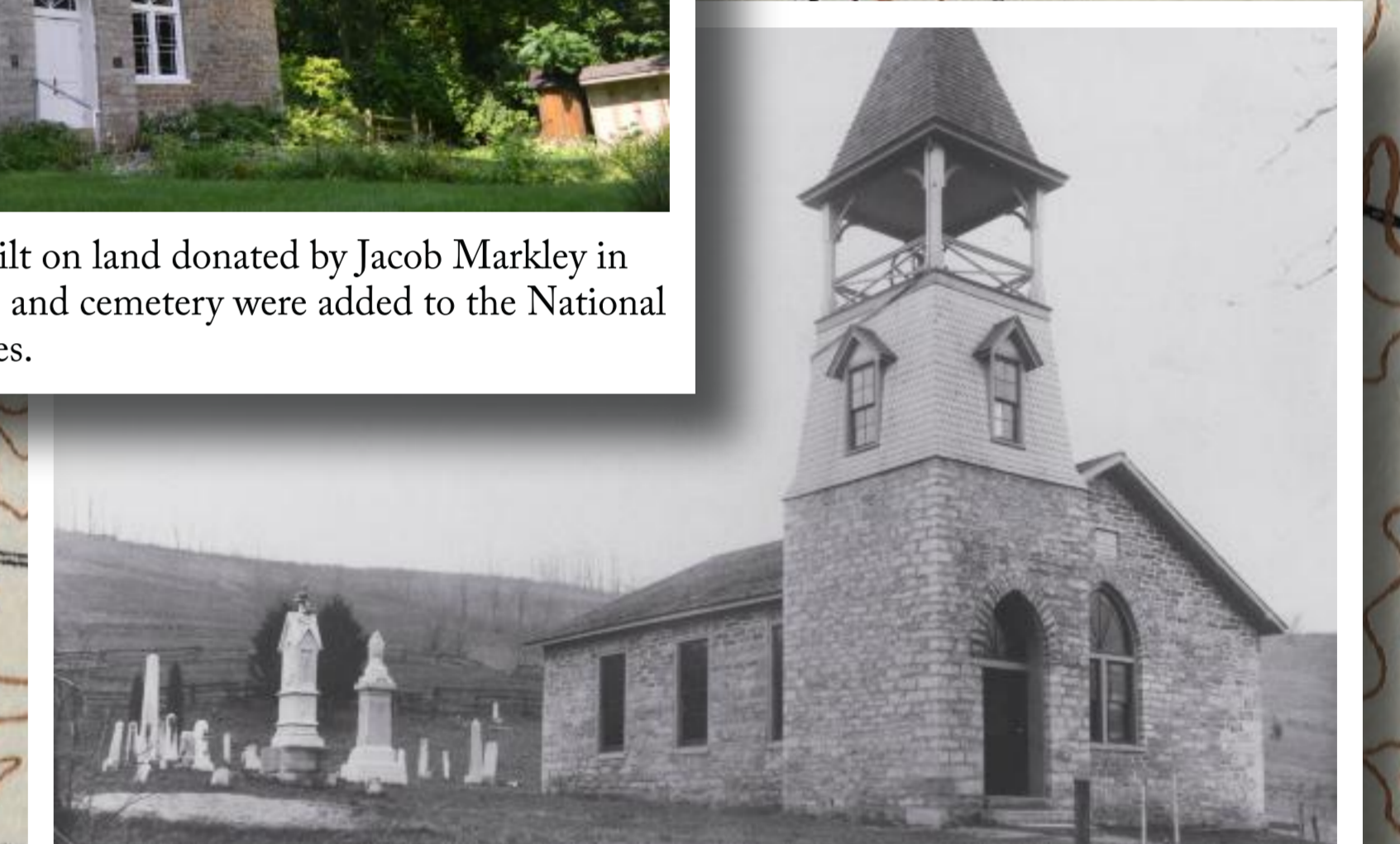
The District 6 Sweetwine School pupils and their teacher pose at the school in about 1895. The nearby post office was named Sweetwine in the 1850s when local farmers cultivated vineyards producing grapes for wine manufacture.



Riverbend Music Center opened on July 4, 1984, as the summer home of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.



Five Mile Chapel was built on land donated by Jacob Markley in 1844. In 1978 the church and cemetery were added to the National Register of Historic Places.



The bell tower and entrance to the Five Mile Chapel were added in 1896. Today the chapel and cemetery are owned by the nonprofit Five Mile Chapel Society.



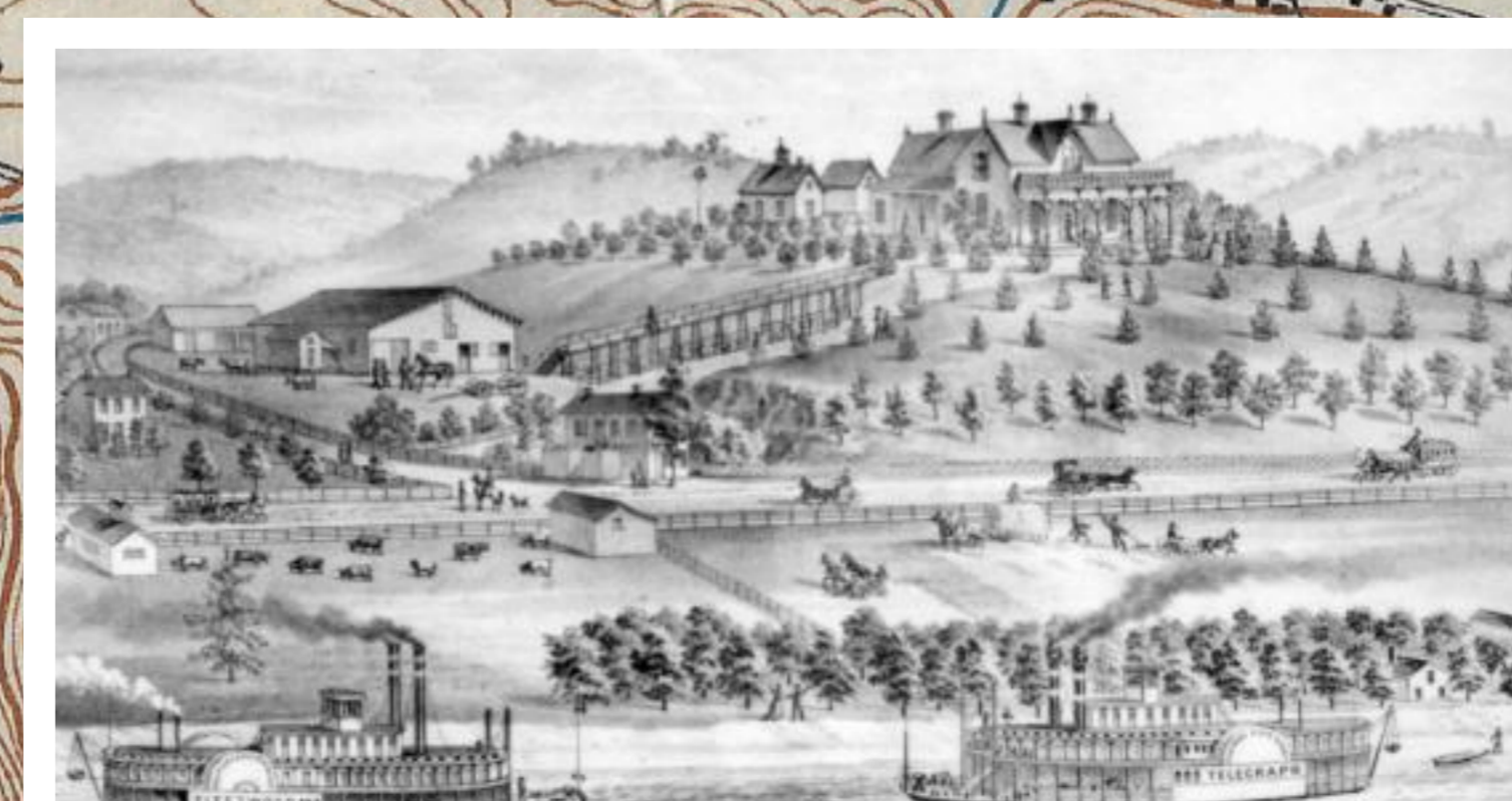
An IR&T electric rail car, traveling from New Richmond along Kellogg Avenue, was stopped near the intersection with Eight Mile Road in this 1903 photograph.



The Twelve Mile Hotel on Kellogg Avenue, east of Five Mile Road, was operated for many years by Joseph Prudent (1830-1903). Prudent and his family posed in front of the hotel in about 1892.



View of River Downs Race Track in September 1990. Also pictured are Riverbend Music Center and Coney Island, and in the distance the I-275 bridge over the Ohio River. *Photo Henry C. Dolive.*



An illustration published in 1877 featured the prosperous farm of Jacob Markley along the Ohio River near today's Five Mile Road.

Map source:
Department of the Interior U.S. Geological Survey
Ohio - Kentucky, East Cincinnati Quadrangle
Surveyed in 1898 Edition of 1914, reprinted 1936
Polyconic projection, North America datum.

NOTE: Present-day road names have been added to the map.