

Mossy Creek 1840

Mill Springs Baptist Church
1828

Haynes Iron Works

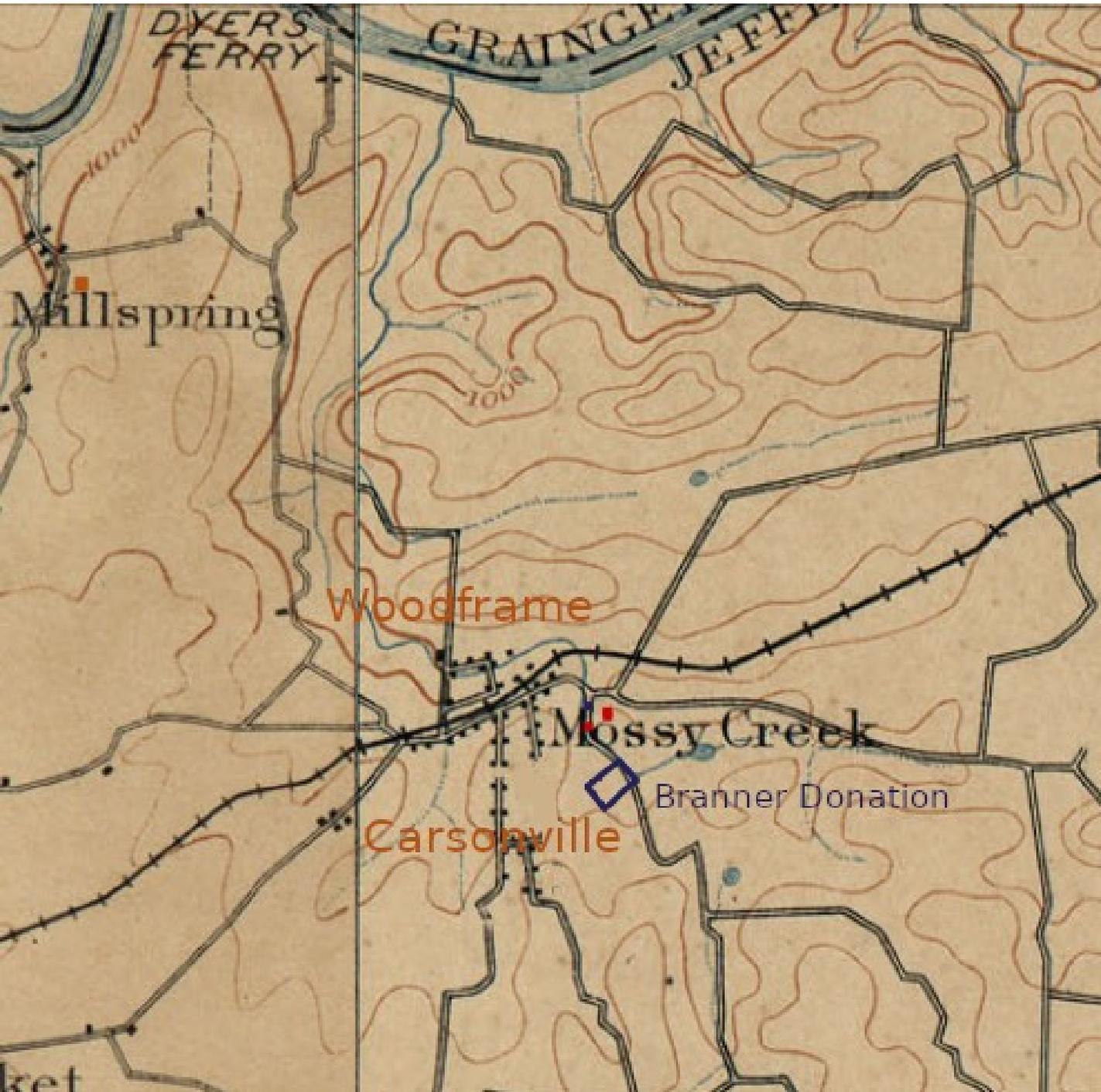
Mossy Creek Baptist Church

Hope for a railroad

Zinc Mine

East Tennessee (Baptist)
Educational Society

Query to the Nolachucky
Baptist Association in 1833
from MSBC



Mossy Creek Missionary Baptist Seminary 1851

Mossy Creek is the epicenter
of Baptist educational efforts

Realization of a railroad

Newman, Newman,
Newman, Bryan and Bowen
1849 (Old Oak tree???)

Several acre tract of land
donated by Branner



Mossy Creek Baptist Church 1851

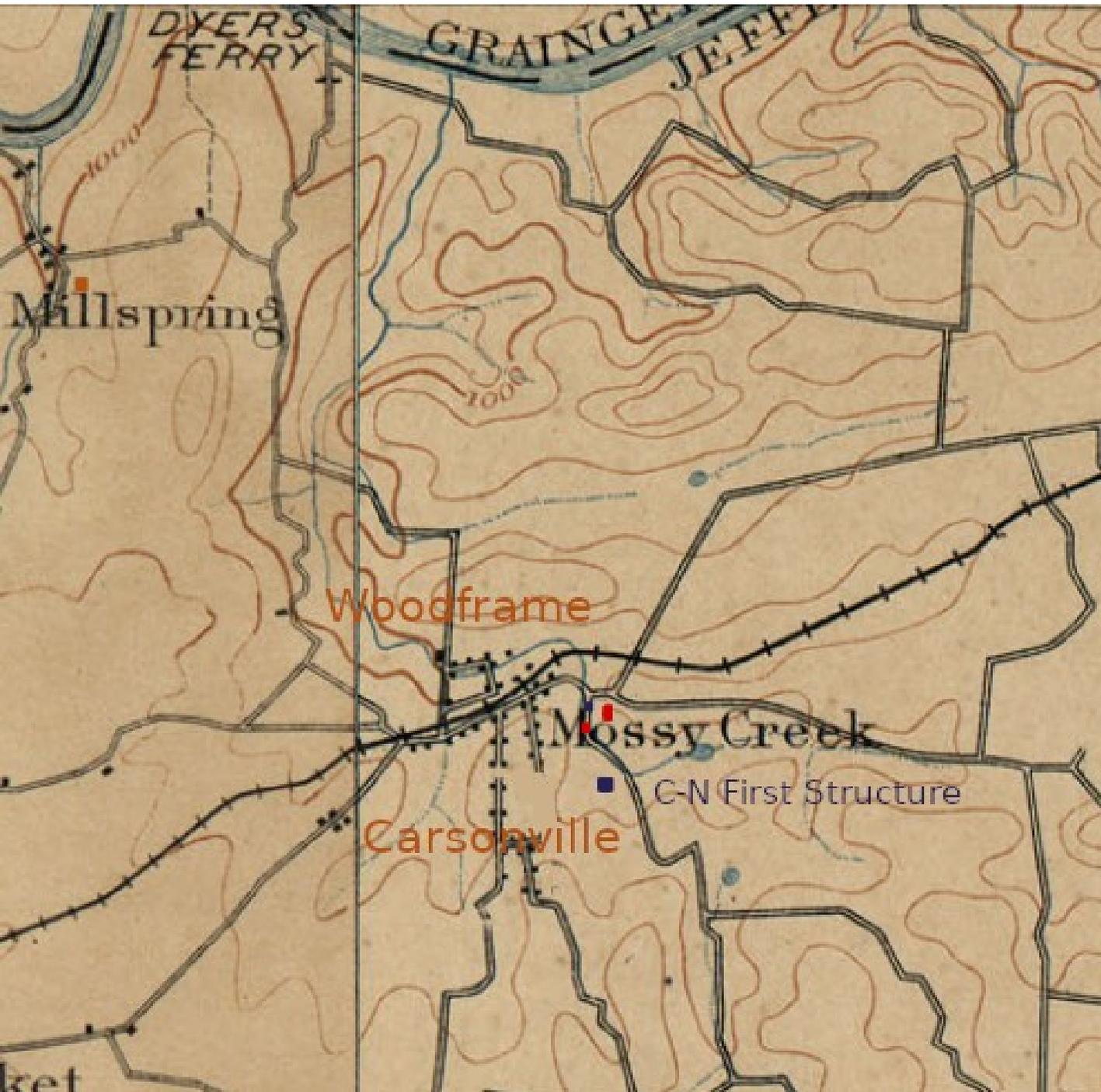
First C-N classes
held here in fall 1851

“Hard by the zinc
works”

Triangular structure
opening to the creek
on the SW for
baptism

Charter for Mossy
Creek Missionary
Baptist Seminary
granted by TN
December 1851

Effort led by Col
Henry Hubbard



Mossy Creek Missionary Baptist Seminary 1851- 1852

First building started in
Autumn 1851

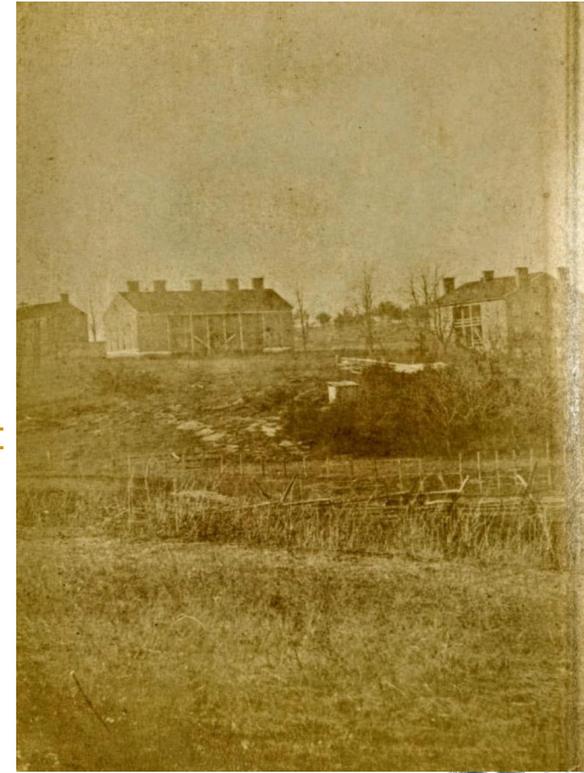
Completed in spring 1852

Classes commence here
Autumn 1852

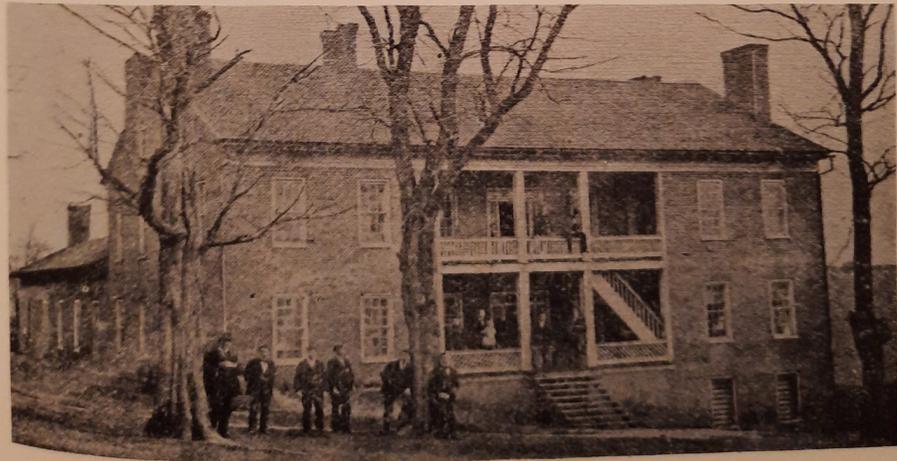
Mossy Creek Missionary Baptist Seminary 1852- 1857

General expansion up current
Davis street

Bricks made locally

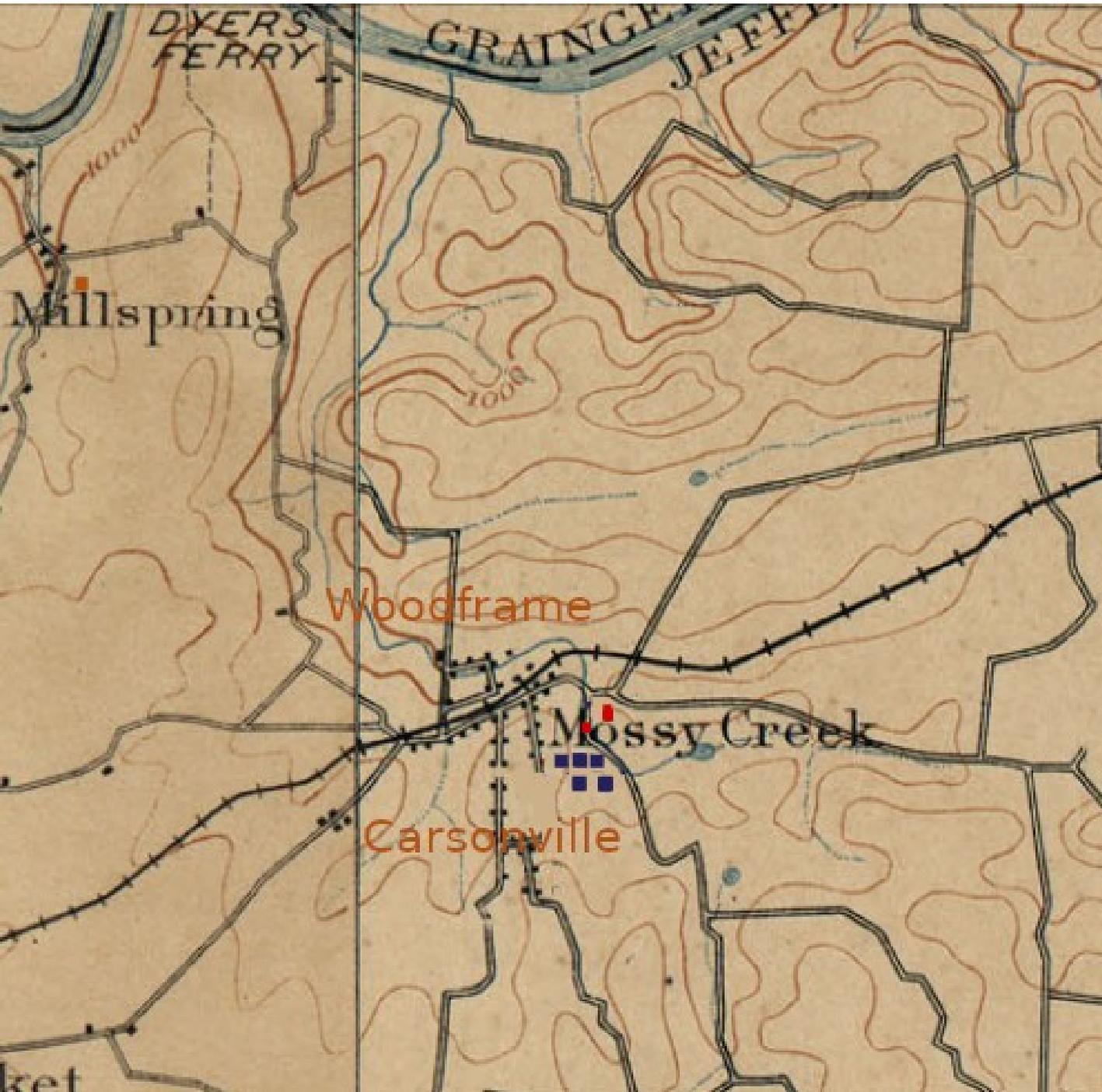


Mossy Creek College Building
The first house built by the Trustees, 1852



Newman Dormitory, Number 1
Boarding Hall for Men, 1857



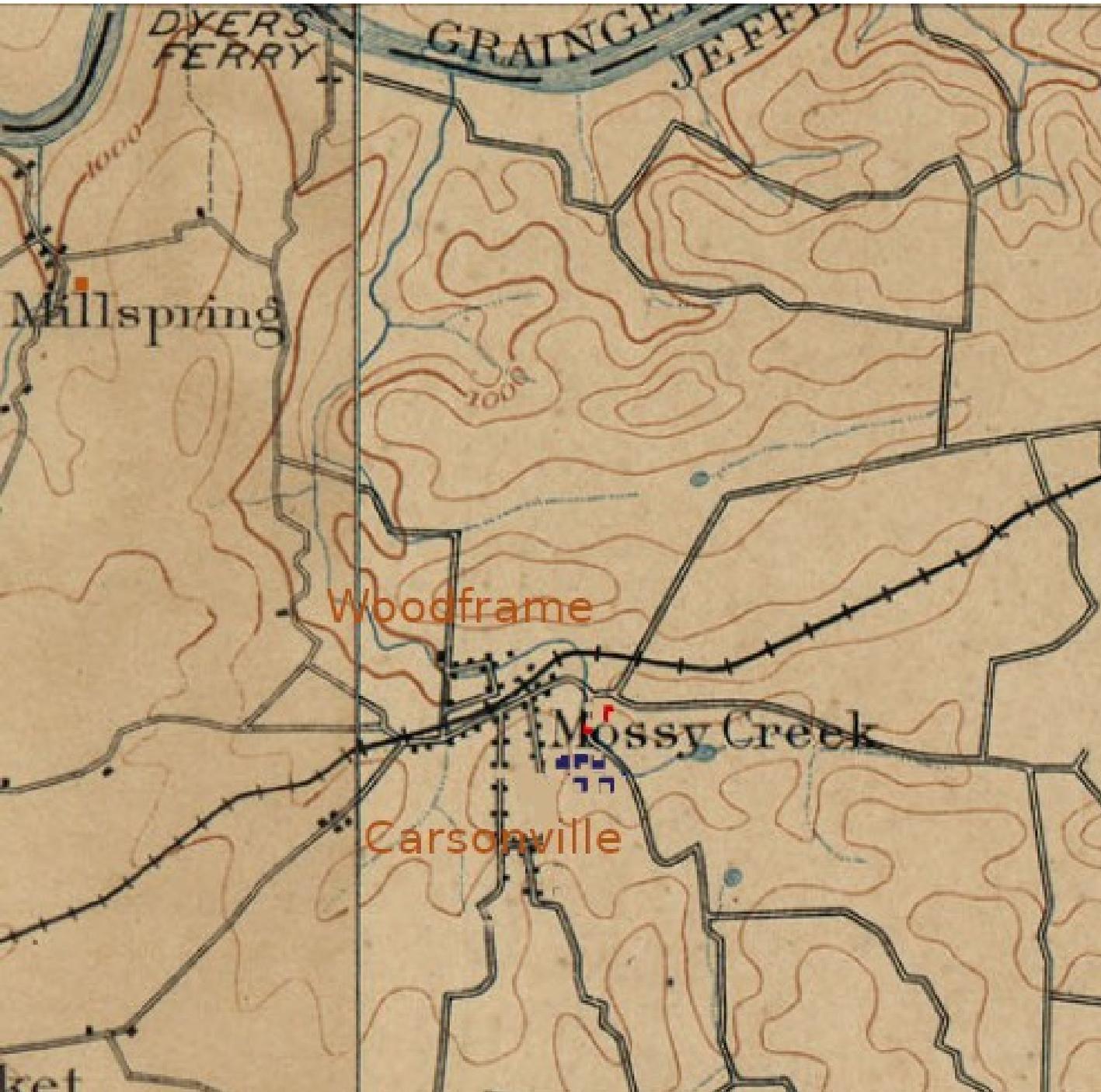


Mossy Creek Baptist Seminary 1857

Three to four more structures added

Time of solid growth for the young school

Students populating the dorms instead of local residences



Mossy Creek Baptist Seminary 1865

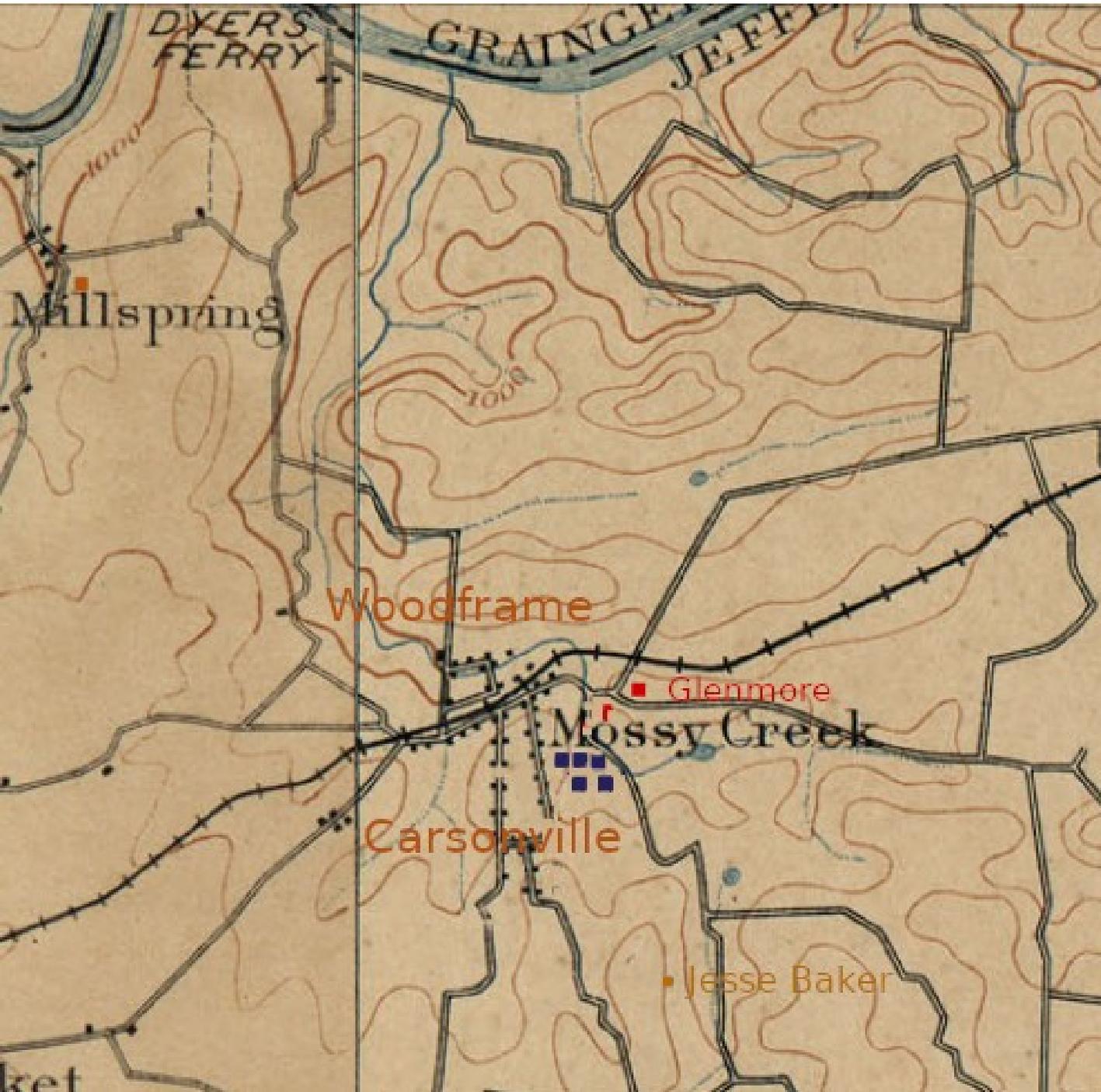
Buildings used as barracks, then for materials

Much destruction

Control of Jefferson County changes 7 times in 1863 culminating in the battle of Mossy Creek

Newer dorms fare better than original buildings

Mill Springs Baptist Church



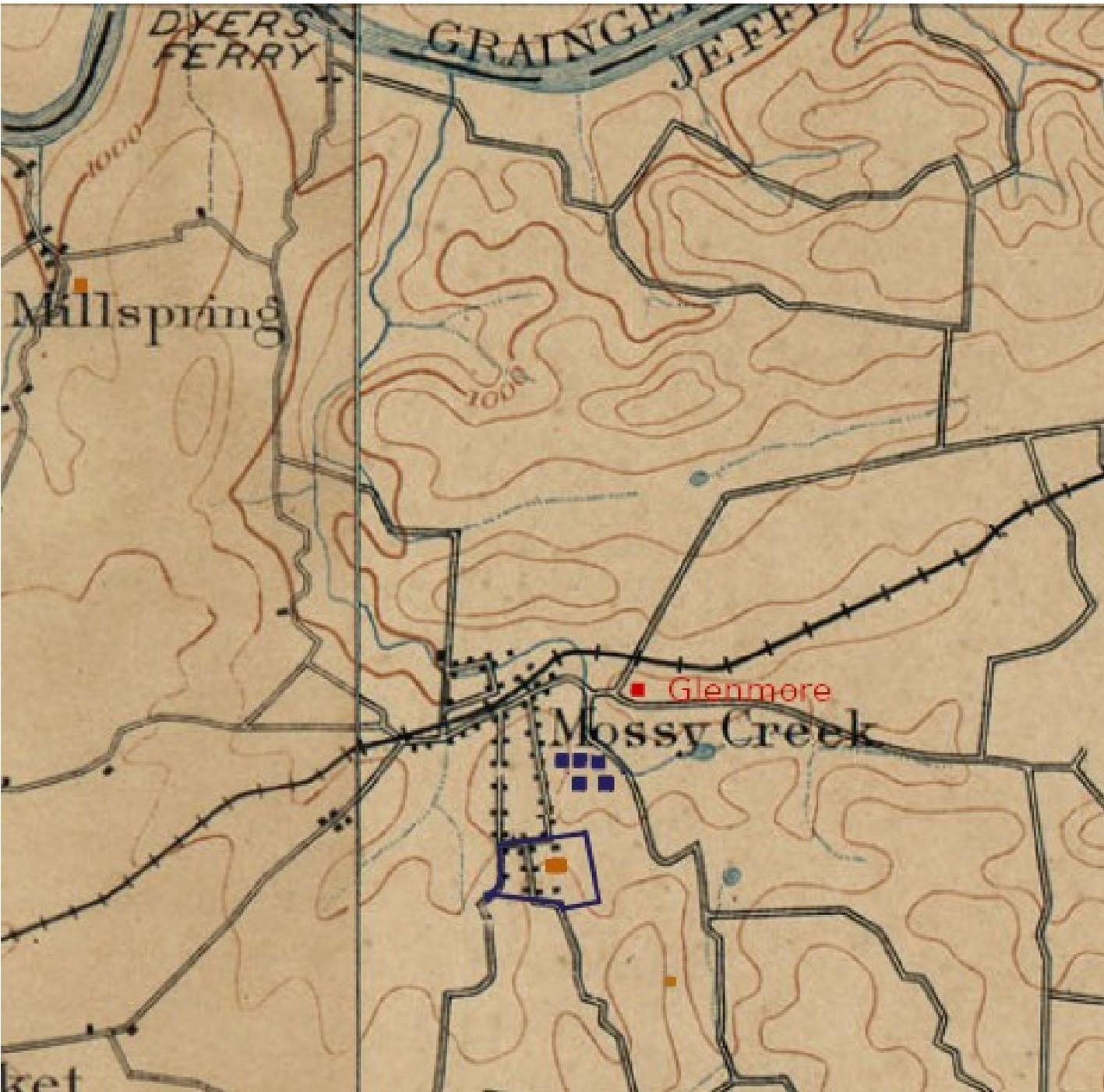
Carson College 1869

Branner sells property back
to college trustees in 1866

College reopens 1868

Glenmore completed 1868

Jesse Baker travels
approximately 3500 miles on
horseback raising funds to
erase the college's debt
1869-70



Mounting the Castle! 1876

Col A J Mountcastle estate purchase 1875

Boardwalk?



A. J. Mountcastle Estate / Carson Hall

Mounting the Castle! 1876

Later the
Samuel Hull
Rankin home

Located just
behind current
Burger King

Front faced
north ... to Ellis
Street



Newman College 1882

Local Female
academies
established at
the Masonic
Lodge and
Glenmore

Newman
College
established in
1882 in "old"
CC buildings
as women's
branch of the
school per
1881 catalog

W. T. Russell
president
1882-1888

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