

Lee Haven

~~Mrs. Ellen B. Gulley~~

8-1/2 Mi. S. E.

Brewersville, Alabama

LIVINGSTON

HABS No. ALA-290

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PHOTOGRAPHS  
WRITTEN HISTORIC AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA  
DISTRICT NO. 16

Historic American Buildings Survey  
E. Walter Burkhardt, District Officer  
Auburn, Alabama

"LEE HAVEN" MRS. ELLEN B. GULLEY,  
Livingston, Sumter County, Alabama.

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Ownership:

Present Owner: Mrs. Bessie G. Hudson.

Previous Owners: Colonel James Madison Lee.  
Mrs. Ellen B. Gulley. (daughter of  
Colonel J. M. Lee.  
Mrs. Bessie G. Hudson. (daughter of  
Mrs. Ellen B. Gulley.

Date of Erection: 1852.

Architect: Unknown.

Builder: James M. Lee.

Present Condition: Good.

Number of Stories: One and one half.

Materials of Construction: One and one half story frame.

Other Existing Records:

Additional Data: This home was built by Colonel James Madison Lee, born in Louisa County, Virginia, 1820. Colonel Lee used slave labor in hewing the timbers, and the erection of this house.

Colonel Lee served in the War with Mexico, he educated his children in Marion, Alabama, and Meridian Mississippi. He helped to build the Southern Railway from Selma to Meridian and named the station on his place Lee's Station.

The original plaster is on the walls of the house, the doors to the front are hand made French doors, extremely large with panes of varying sizes, they are admired for their size and beauty.

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