



BILLINGS-KIDNEY HOUSE--First cobblestone on the Ridge entering East Gaines near the Kent Road, this house was built in 1836. It is of Middle Period architecture having a center entrance with semi-circular cut stone arch and a separate keystone. Cobblestone material consists of various sizes, colors and shapes of fieldstones laid in a recessed, hexagonal pattern (common in the Gaines area) without a definite form of horizontal mortar joints.