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ILLINOIS HISTORIC SITES SURVEY INVENTORY

SURVEY USE ONLY

1. Name of Site: Bond County Courthouse

Common

- Archeology
- Architecture
- History

2. Location:

Street and Number                      Township                      Section  
Public Square bounded by College, 2nd, Main, + 3rd  
City or Town                      Zip Code                      Range                      1/4 Section  
Greenville                      62246  
County  
Bond

3. Classification:

Category (Check one)

- District                       Building
- Site                               Structure

Integrity (check One)  
 Altered     Unaltered

Position (check One)  
 Moved                       Original site

4. Ownership:

- Private
- Public

Status (check one)  
 Occupied  
 Unoccupied  
 Preservation work in progress

Access to Public

- Yes                       Restricted                       Unrestricted                       No

Present Use (check one or more)

- Agricultural                       Industrial                       Religious
- Commerical                       Military                       Scientific
- Educational                       Museum                       Transportation
- Entertainment                       Park                       Other (specify)
- Government                       Private Residence

5. Ownership of Property:

Owner's Name                      Phone Number  
Bond County  
Street and Number  
200 W. Main  
City or Town  
Greenville  
State                      County                      Zip Code  
Illinois                      Bond                      62246

6. Description:

Condition

- Excellent     Good     Fair     Deteriorated     Ruins     Unexposed

Is there a program of preservation underway?     Yes     No

GOVERNMENT



7. Historical Themes: (check one or more of the following)

- |                                     |                      |                          |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Archeological Site   | (pre-Columbian)          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Archeological Site   | (post-Columbian to 1673) |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | French Influence     | (1673-1780)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Illinois Frontier    | (1780-1818)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Illinois Early       | (1818-1850)              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Illinois Middle 1884 | (1850-1900)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Illinois Late        | (1900-present)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Famous People        | (Give names & dates)     |

8. Specific Date: Site of original Courthouse built 1821, Present structure 4th Court- Areas of Significance (check one or more of the following) house, built 1884.

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|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Aboriginal (historic)    | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Literature          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Aboriginal (prehistoric) | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Military            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Agriculture              | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Music               |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Architecture             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Political           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Art                      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Religion/Philosophy |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Commerce                 | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Science             |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Communication            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Sculpture           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Conservation             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Social/Humanitarian |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Education                | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Theater             |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Engineering              | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Transportation      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Industry                 | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Urban Planning      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Invention                | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Other (specify)     |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Landscape Architecture   |                                     |                     |

Brief statement of significance: (include all names and dates). Use additional sheets of necessary. The interior of this bldg., especially on the 2nd floor, is especially well preserved. The court room (although not open for careful inspection at the time of the survey) appears to be intact. Noted especially the wooden ornamentation around the east and west entrances by the judge's bench.

9. Form prepared by: Mrs. E. V. Davis Date: 3/22/72

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Street and Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City or Town: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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 State Ill

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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9. Form prepared by:

Name and Title: Mrs F.V. Davis Date: 3/22/72  
 Organization: Bond Co Historical Society  
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