

ILLINOIS HISTORIC SITES SURVEY INVENTORY

1. Name of Site: **Edwards County Courthouse**

Common

Historic

2. Location: **Western half of the block bounded by Main, 4th, Elm & 5th**

Street and number

Township

Section

City or Town

Zip Code

Range

¼ Section

Albion  
County

3. Classification:

Category (check one)

Integrity (check one)

District  Building  
 Site  Structure

Altered  Unaltered  
 Moved  Original Site

4. Ownership:

Status (check one)

Private  
 Public

Occupied  
 Unoccupied  
 Preservation work in Progress

Access to Public

Yes  Restricted  Unrestricted  No

Present Use (check one or more)

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

5. Ownership of Property:

Owner's name

Phone Number

Street and number

City or Town

State

County

Zip Code

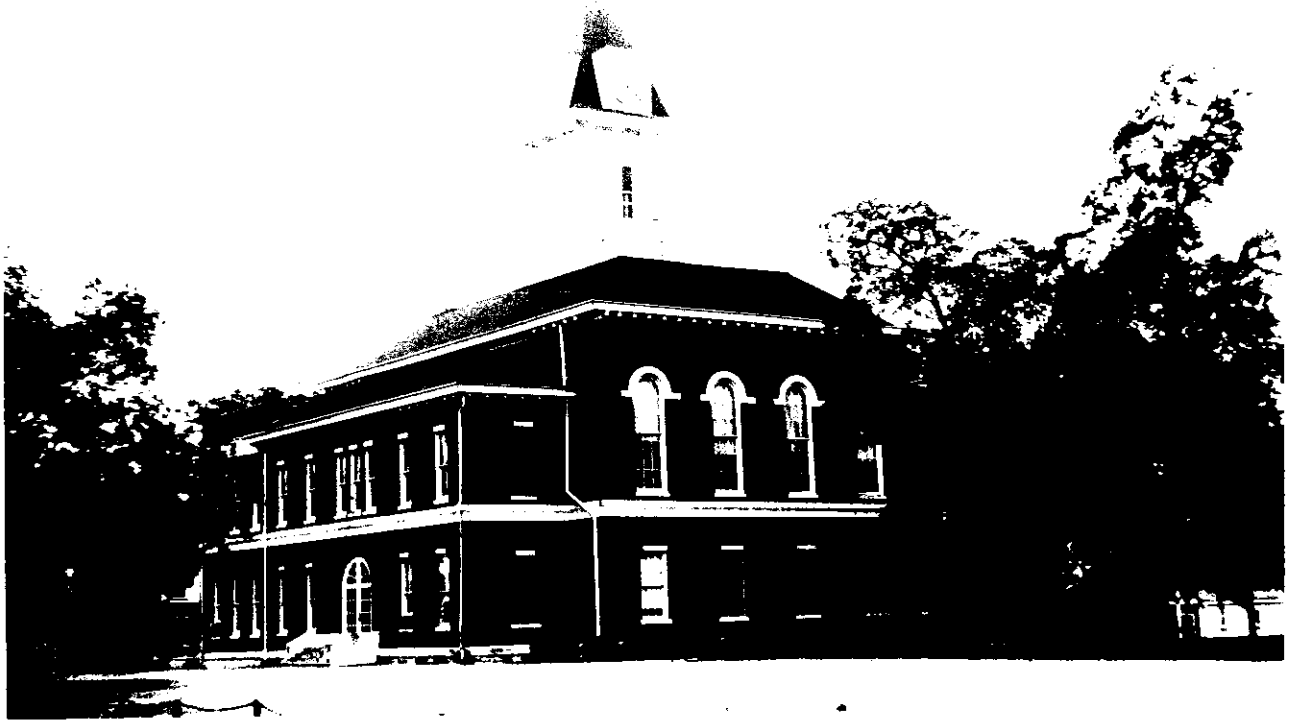
6. Description:

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)

- Archaeological Site (Pre-Columbian)
- Archaeological Site (Post-Columbian to 1673)
- French Influence (1673-1780)
- Illinois Frontier (1780-1818)
- Illinois Early (1818-1850)
- Illinois Middle (1850-1900)
- Illinois Late (1900-present)
- Famous People (give names & dates)

8. Specific Date: ~~1857~~ 1857-88

Areas of significance (check one or more of the following)

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal (historic)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal (pre-historic) | <input type="checkbox"/> Military             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture               | <input type="checkbox"/> Music                |
| <input 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 if necessary. **The Edwards Co. Courthouse since 1857**

9. Form prepared by:

Name and Title: KS Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Street and number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

During the course of the Survey we often find it necessary to search for references for a particular site. When filling out the Survey form, please list according to the following example, published references to the site for which forms are being completed. If a bibliography can be compiled, it will greatly deduct from the Survey's task.

Bibliography

Robertson, Robert, Of Whales and Men. New York, Alfred K. Knopf, Inc., 1954.