

INFO ONLY

2007

ILLINOIS HISTORIC SITES SURVEY INVENTORY

SURVEY USE ONLY

1. Name of Site: Massac County Courthouse

Common
Historic

- Archaeology
- Architecture
- History

2. Location:

Street and Number
Public Square
City or Town
Metropolis
County
Massac

Zip Code

Township
Range

Section
1/4 Section

3. Classification:

Category (check one)
 District Building
 Site Structure

Integrity (check one)
 Altered Unaltered
 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
 Commercial Military Scientific
 Educational Museum Transportation
 Entertainment Park Other (specify)
 Government Private Residence

5. Ownership of Property

Owner's name Massac County

Street and Number

Phone Number

City or Town

State

County

Zip Code

6. Description

Condition

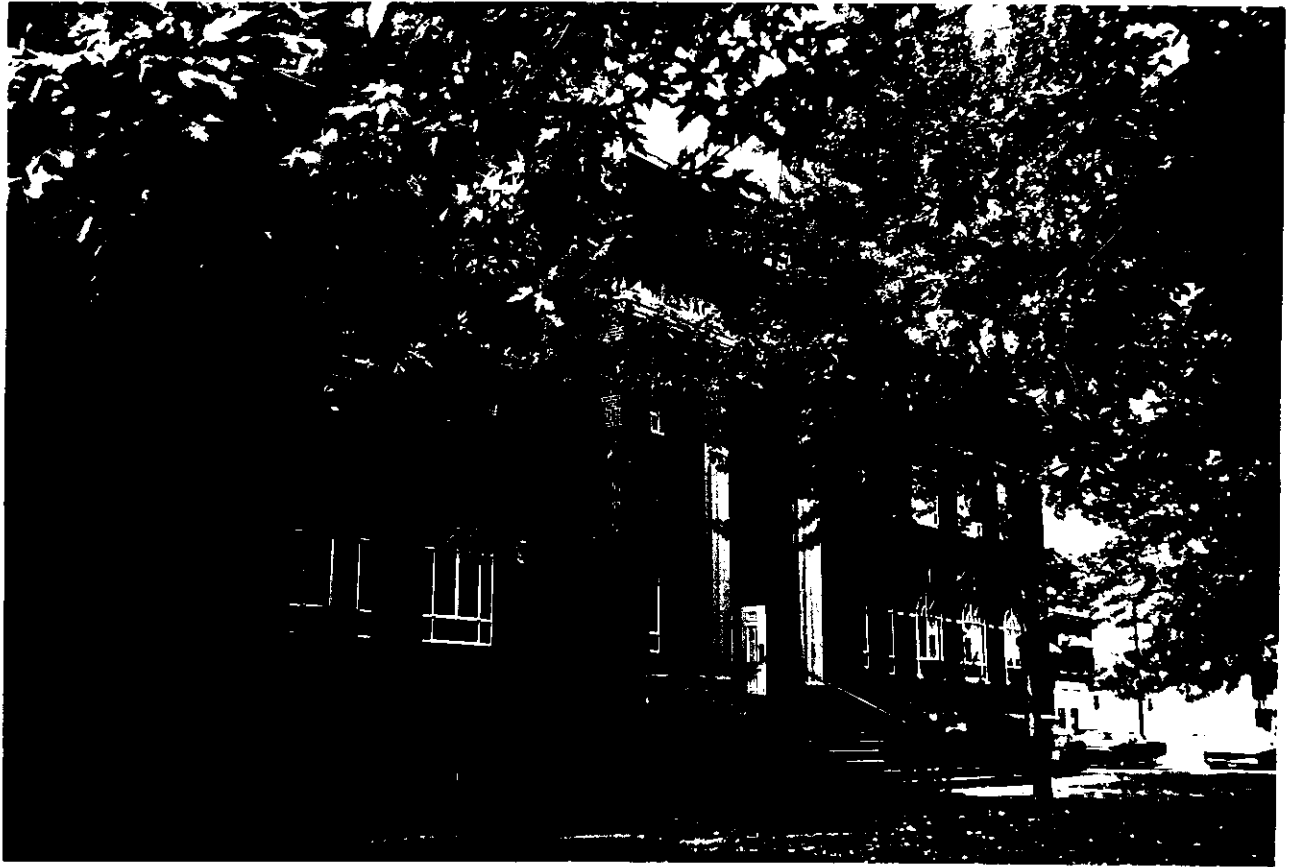
Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated Ruins Unexposed

Is there a program of preservation underway? Yes No

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)

MAJOR - GOVERNMENT
SUB - COUNTY



8. Specific Date:

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 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 if necessary.

9. Form prepared by:

Name and title: _____ Date: _____
Organization: _____
Street and Number: _____
City or Town _____ County _____ Zip Code _____
Phone Number _____

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.

The first Massac County Courthouse at this site was built in 1862, but razed when the present courthouse was constructed in 1942.