

**VIRGINIANA FILE**

*(Prince William Co.  
Counthouse Site)  
(Third-Dumfries)*

*H.L. File - Court House*

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Mrs. William Flory  
14313 Minnieville Road  
Woodbridge, Virginia 22191

Dear Mrs. Flory:

A check with our Publications' staff revealed that a history of the courthouses of Prince William County has not appeared in Virginia Cavalcade. The loss of many of the county records makes such an undertaking very difficult. There are a few references to the courthouse in E. G. Swem's Virginia Historical Index and in the Historic Records Survey. You will have to undertake extensive research in both official and private primary records and in published secondary sources.

Sincerely,

*Louis H. Manarin*  
Louis H. Manarin  
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