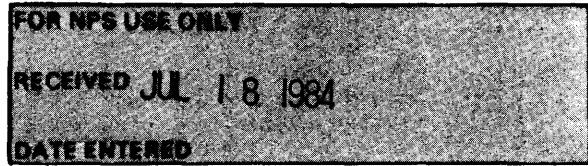


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✓ Craig County Courthouse

Location: 214 W. Canadian, Vinita, Oklahoma 40, Craig County 035

Owner: Craig County

Description: Condition: excellent, unaltered, original site

The Craig County Courthouse is a three-story red brick structure, rectangular in shape. A partial attic story houses the jail. The central portion of the front facade projects slightly and is delineated by four large concrete Doric columns which stretch from just above the first story to the entablature. Pairs of brick pilasters frame the central section of windows and columns. The cornice of the front facade is topped by a balustrade. The columns, cornice and water table line are all light colored, providing a striking contrast with the dark red brick. Window frames and the attic story are painted white. The central door way is framed by a stone cornice, supported by curved brackets. A glass transom is above the modern, metal-framed glass doors.

Significance: 1920; Builder/architect: Unknown

The Craig County Courthouse is significant because it is the building which has served the community as the center of local government since 1920. Its simplified neo-classical styling is typical of Oklahoma courthouse architecture. A large building, centered on a landscaped square, the courthouse is a focal point of the city of Vinita.

Acreage: Approx. 1 acre

Quadrangle : 1:24,000/7.5 minute

Verbal Boundary Description: Block 70 in the said city of Vinita, Craig County Oklahoma

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