

ARCHITECTURAL SURVEY FORM

Name of Structure: Appling County Courthouse

Location: Baxley, Ga. 31513

Cost: \$50,000 Date of Construction: 1907-08

Architect/builder: H. L. Lewman Contractor: Falls City Construction Co.

Subsequent architects: _____

TAX MAP/PARCEL NUMBERS

Never been mapped.

UTM NO. _____

Zone 17 E372230 N3516420

DESCRIPTION:

Style: Neo-Classical

Boundary: All that square upon which the courthouse sits bounded on all four sides by roads.

Facade Material: Limestone/concrete

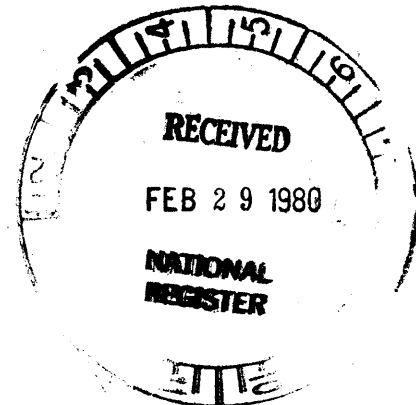
Acreage: approx. 2 acres

Condition: Excellent Good Fair

Includes non-historic jail and administration building, 30 x 70', 4 bays x 4 bays, 2 stories.
jail - 1967, 2 story brick, 30 x 70

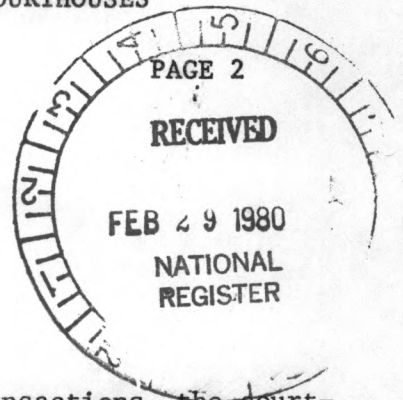
Two stories high, topped by an octagonal domed clock tower, this courthouse has an amphi-prostyle two story tetrastyle Corinthian portico, pedimented and centered between end pavilions. The pediment has an oculus. Side elevations feature center pedimented pavilions with Corinthian pilasters. The walls have banded rustication with smooth faced stone and a simple full entablature at roofline.

In the interior a cross plan has all four entrances remaining open. The interior wainscoating is Georgia marble which is 56" high on the first floor. At the rear of the building is a new jail of red brick, built in 1967.



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ARCHITECTURAL SURVEY FORM APPLING COUNTY COURTHOUSE



SIGNIFICANCE:

As a repository for records of marriages, wills, land transactions, the courthouse chronicles the county and is a focal point in the life of every citizen.



APPLING COUNTY COURTHOUSE

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MAILING ADDRESS:

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Appling County Courthouse
Courthouse Square
Baxley, Georgia 31513