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RESOLUTION.

Whereas, the new court house of Du-Page county, situated at Wheaton, is now completed and the board of supervisors has accepted the same from the the contractor, and that said building is now known and designated as the DuPage county court house; now there-

Resolved. That the circuit and county courts of said county and all sessions of the grand jury be held in the respective court rooms in said new building from and after this date, instead of the second floor of the Central block in said city of Wheaton, heretofore design nated by the board of supervisors as the court house of DuPage county during the construction of the new building. Be it further

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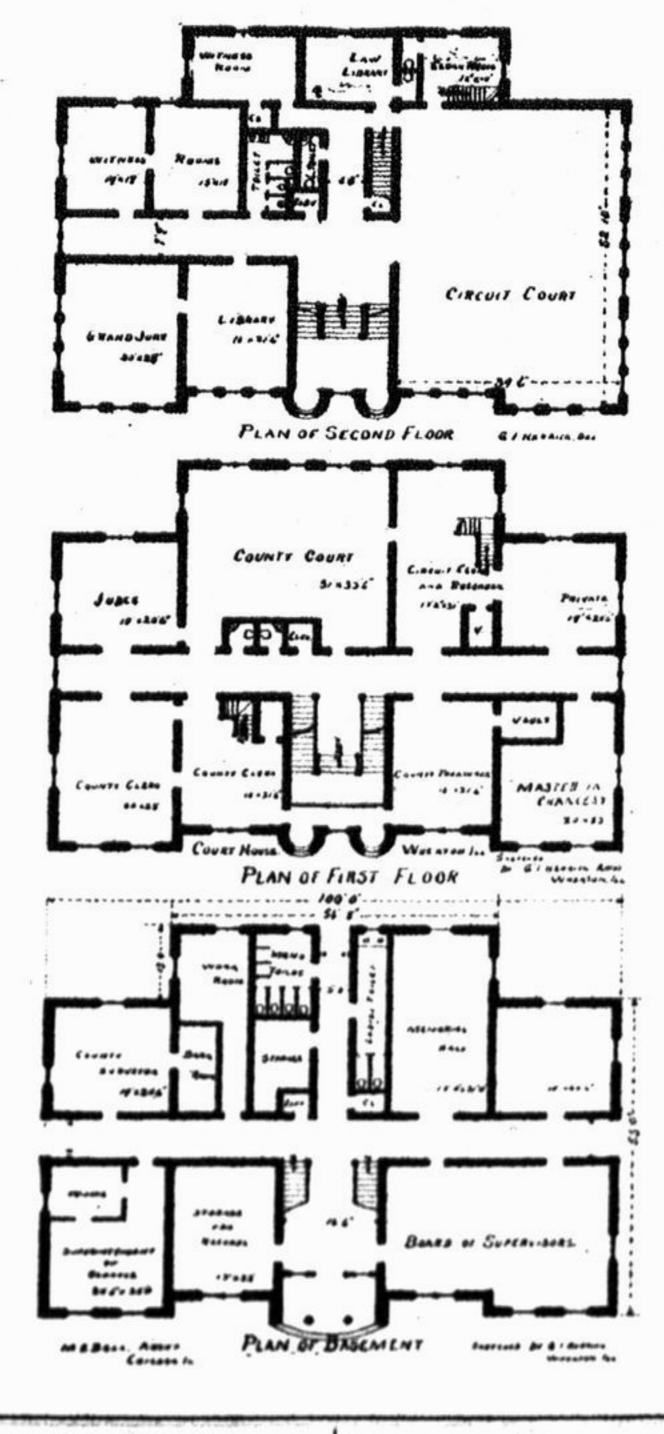
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