

Source - "Prince William: A Past to Preserve" by the Prince William County Historical Commission

Historic Name: W. N. Lipscomb House

Date or Period: Late ca. 1898

Original Use: Residence

Vicinity: Manassas

"This is an elegantly styled, two-and-a-half-story, frame house, Its two-story, circular bay with octagonal roof; its mansard roof; and its extra-long windows on the first floor front give the house the appearance of having been inspired by a combination of the Second Empire and Eastlake styles, both of which were popular in the late 1890s in northern Virginia. The house was probably built in about 1898 by W. N. Lipscomb, a member of the Manassas Town Council and owner of a general merchandise store at the corner of Center and Main Streets. In the 1920s, Dr. Jameson, who married a Lipscomb, practiced medicine on the first floor. Since that time, it has been used as a residence."