

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

Historic Name: Martin House

Date or Period: ca. 1900

Original Use: Residence

Vicinity: Yorkshire

"Renovated, the Martin House is a small, two-story, frame-constructed, farm house. The central-passed, I-type house has two rooms on each floor. A two-story addition was made to the rear. Some architrave, door-and-window trim remains in one of the second-floor rooms. This property was part of the Yorkshire tract, patented in 1729 by Mary Chilton and later owned by Colonel Richard Blackburn. Most likely, this, the second house on the site, was a tenant house. The McLean's bought the property in 1854 and built a large frame barn on a stone foundation. "