

POPLAR SPRING

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This route is southwestward from the Fairfax County line on State 28; (Centreville) – Manassas – Milford Mills – Bristow – Nokesville – (Catlett); Fairfax County line to Fauquier County line. 14.4 miles.

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“At 4 miles on US 211-US 29 is a junction with County 621. Left here 0.6 miles to entrance (R) to POPLAR SPRING, a much worn old log house, built about 1787 on 217 acres of land acquired from Mann Page in that year by William Cundiff. The property passed through the hands of the Shaw’s, Shirley’s, and in 1849 to John Monroe, who at his death, left it to his daughter Susan. It is still known as the Old Monroe Place.