

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL CENTER,
BUILDING 14
(Boiler House)
Old State Route 13 West
Marion
Williamson County
Illinois

HABS No. IL-1155-E

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PART 1: PROJECT INFORMATION

Location: Old State Road 13 West (South Main Street at Seventh) on the west edge of Marion, Illinois

Quad: Marion Illinois

UTM: Building 1: 16/327622/4176830
Building 2: 16/327622/4176790
Building 8: 16/327762/4177005
Building 13: 16/327761/4176741

Date of Construction: 1940-1942 (Modified in 1971-1973 & 1978)

Present Owner: United States Veterans Administration
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Present Use: Veterans Administration Medical Center

Significance: A typical example of Veterans Administration neuro-psychiatric hospital construction using the "Architectural Set" of drawings for a campus complex setting, the Marion, Illinois VA Medical Center is significant because of its rare use of Egyptian Revival architectural decoration.

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PART 2: HISTORY OF THE MARION, ILLINOIS VETERANS ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL CENTER

See HABS No. IL-1155 for general historical information.