

COVINGTON CABIN
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COVINGTON CABIN

Vancouver, Clarke County, Washington

OWNER: - "Women's Club" of Vancouver

DATE OF ERECTION: - 1845-49

BUILDER: - Richard Covington

PRESENT CONDITION: - Good, has been restored and added to

NUMBER OF STORIES: - One story

MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION: - Built of squared logs with mortise and tenon corners, cobble stone fireplace and chimney.

OTHER EXISTING RECORDS: - Was built by Richard Covington at Orchards, six and one-half miles northeast of Vancouver, and it was used as the first school outside the fort. It contained the first piano in Clarke County. Richard Covington had been an employee of the Hudson Bay Company at Vancouver; he was a painter, having painted the first pictures in Vancouver.

Information obtained from: Mr. Howard Burnham, Clarke County Abstract Office, and, Mrs. C. W. Knowles, S.E. corner 6th and Daniels, Vancouver, Washington.

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