

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Map # 54

1. Historic Name (s) National Tobacco Works ✓		22. ADD/County JF-L-W-P-155 056	
Original Owner Pfungst, Doerhoefer & Company		23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District	
Present Name Falls City Tobacco Company		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') New Albany-13	
3. Owner's Name Falls City Tobacco Co.		25. UTM Reference 16 606900 9235120 <small>Zone Easting Northing</small>	
4. Owner's Address 18th & Main Streets, Louisville, Ky. 40203		26. Prehistoric Site Historic Site Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
5. Location ✓ 1800-10 West Main Street, Louisville, Ky. 40203		Object Structure	
6. Open to Public Yes No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		27. District Yes No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Name:	
8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local State Federal		28. Significance Evaluation meets NR criteria - d	
9. Local Contact/Organization Louisville Landmarks Commission 727 West Main St., Louisville 40202		29. Status National Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> National Register <input type="checkbox"/> Landmark Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky Survey <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> HABS/HAER <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="margin-right: 10px;">N ↑</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Block 3-M Lot 105</p> </div> </div>		11. Architect unknown	
		12. Builder unknown	
		13. Date 1886	
		14. Style commercial <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
		15. Original Use tobacco factory	
		16. Present Use tobacco factory	
		17. Condition Interior <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Exterior fair	
18. Description 1800-10 West Main Street is a multi-story, red brick, commercial structure situated on a corner lot. The Main Street facade is divided into eight bays by shallow brick pilasters. The three-bay section at the corner originally rose five stories, but only three stories remain. To the right of this section, a single five-story bay still stands. To its right is a four-bay, four-story portion. The first story contains two (over)			
19. History This building was constructed in 1886 as the National Tobacco Works. It served as a factory for the manufacture of chewing tobacco. It is still used by the tobacco industry today.			
20. Significance This structure housed one of the largest manufacturers of chewing tobacco in the city. This important industry was an outgrowth of the tobacco market located just to the East on Main Street.			
21. Source of Information Caron Annual Directories of the City of Louisville, 1884- 1910. Illustrated Louisville: Kentucky's Metropolis, 1891.			
		30. Theme Primary <u>industry</u> 12 Secondary <u>tobacco-agriculture</u> 02 Other <u>architecture</u> 03	
		31. Endangered Yes No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		32. ATTACH PHOTO Roll No. <u>57</u> Picture No. <u>15</u> Direction _____	
		33. Tape No. _____ Negative No. _____	
		34. Prepared by: Hugh Foshee/ Researcher	
		35. Organization Louisville Landmarks Commission	
		36. Date August 20, 1979	
		37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____	

18. original, double entries topped by transoms. Glass block fills several of the window openings. The sash windows in the upper stories are narrow, multi-paned, and capped by stone lintels incised in three different motifs. A patterned brick course runs above the second story of the four story section. A one-story warehouse adjoining this structure is a later addition.

21. Industrial and Commercial Louisville, 1886.
Louisville Illustrated, 1889.

10. Structure occupies entire site. Approx. 1.1 acres.