

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Map # 53

1. Historic Name (s) <u>C.A. Bridges Tobacco Warehouse</u> Original Owner <u>C.A. Bridges & Company</u>		22. ADD/County <u>JF-L-W-P-154</u> 056	
Present Name <u>1719 West Main Street</u>		23. Zoning Classification <u>Magisterlal District</u>	
3. Owner's Name <u>Carl Nussbaum, Jr.</u>		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') <u>New Albany 133</u>	
4. Owner's Address <u>1719 West Main Street, Louisville, Ky. 40203</u>		25. UTM Reference Zone 16 Easting 606850 Northing 4235100	
5. Location <u>1719-23 West Main Street, Louisville, Ky. 40203</u>		26. Prehistoric Site _____ Object _____ Historic Site _____ Structure _____ Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
6. Open to Public Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		7. Visible from road Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No _____	
9. Local Contact/Organization <u>Louisville Landmarks Commission</u> <u>727 West Main St, Louisville 40202</u>		8. Ownership Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local _____ State _____ Federal _____	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Block 15-A Crop St. Lot 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Main St.</p> </div>		11. Architect <u>unknown</u> 12. Builder <u>unknown</u> 13. Date <u>1890</u> 14. Style <u>commercial</u> 	
		15. Original Use <u>tobacco warehouse</u> 16. Present Use <u>commercial</u>	
		17. Condition Interior Exterior <u>good</u>	
18. Description This two-story brick warehouse has a central, gabled section flanked by narrower wings. Brick pilasters rise to the roof, capped there by stone pieces incised with a sunburst motif. The main vehicle entrance is central; pedestrian entries on either side are segmentally-arched, with brick voussoirs and decorative stone end-pieces. Glass block sidelights have been added to the left entry. Above the central entrance,		28. Significance Evaluation <u>meets NR criteria - D</u>	
19. History The C.A. Bridges & Co. tobacco warehouse was built in 1890.		29. Status _____ Date _____ National Landmark _____ National Register _____ Landmark Certificate _____ Kentucky Survey <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ Local Landmark _____ HABS/HAER _____	
		30. Theme Primary <u>tobacco agriculture</u> 02 Secondary <u>architecture</u> 03 Other _____	
		31. Endangered Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		32. <div style="text-align: center;">ATTACH</div>	
		Roll No. <u>57</u> Picture No. <u>14</u> Direction _____	
20. Significance This structure is representative of the commercial architecture as applied to tobacco warehouses during this period.		33. Tape No. _____ Negative No. _____ 34. Prepared by: <u>Hugh Foshee/ Researcher</u>	
21. Source of Information <u>Caron Annual Directories of the City of Louisville, 1886-1910.</u> <u>Sanborn Maps of Louisville, 1892 & 1905.</u>		35. Organization <u>Louisville Landmarks Commission</u> 36. Date <u>August 20, 1979</u> 37. Revision Dates _____ 38. Staff Review _____	

18. three pairs of windows have simple stone lintels; similar, paired windows in the wings have been closed with brick. A circular vent pierces the gable. A string course and corbel table run just below the roofline.

21. "The Year in Tobacco", Louisville Courier-Journal, 1 January 1891, p. 17-18.

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