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## **United States Department of the Interior** National Park Service

## **National Register of Historic Places Inventory—Nomination Form**

Thibodaux Multiple Resource Area Lafourche Parish

Building #7 UTM: 15/710680/3298180

108 GREEN STREET

Continuation sheet

KTIB-KHOM c.1900 Owner:

La Terre Broadcasting Corp. P. O. Box 728, Station 2 Local Significance - Commerce

Houma, LA 70360 Architecture

Item number

108 Green Street is a two story brick corner commercial building with an Eastlake gallery on two sides. The lower gallery is cast-iron while the upper gallery features wooden Eastlake columns with scroll sawn capitals (balustrades are replaced). The building is surmounted by an elaborate pressed metal entablature featuring anthemions and modillions. The French doors upstairs are original while the lower story doors and windows are replaced. The interior is completely modern, and there is a modern wing on the Green Street elevation.

Despite the above changes, the building still easily retains the bulk of its late nineteenth century exterior appearance. Hence it retains its architectural identity as a historic galleried commercial building. The aforementioned wing has had a minimal visual impact because it reads as a separate building.

## Commercial Significance:

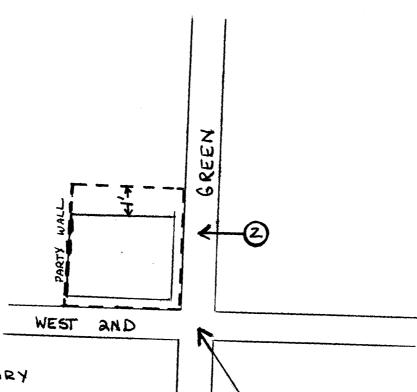
Of Thibodaux's five surviving galleried commercial buildings, 108 Green Street is the most intact on the exterior to a single original period of construction. Other examples have suffered total column replacement, new shopfronts, and/or total replacement of upstairs windows. Hence 108 Green is an important representative of Thibodaux's historic commercial activity. (See galleried commercial buildings section of Item 8 for further explanation and justification.)

Architectural Significance:

108 Green is also locally significant in the area of architecture as Thibodaux's finest surviving galleried commercial building. It is the only one with an Eastlake gallery (as opposed to a plain gallery) and the only one with an ornamental pressed metal entablature.

## 108 Green St.

Thibodaux MRA Lafourche Parish, LA



\_\_\_ BOUNDARY

THE SOUTHERN & EASTERN

BOUNDARIES FOLLOW

CURBLINES. THE WESTERN

BOUNDARY IS A PARTY WALL.

THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY

PARALLELS THE NORTHERN

ELEVATION AT A DISTANCE

OF 10 FOOT, AS SHOWN.

IT CUTS CLOSELY IN

ORDER TO EXCLUDE AN

ADJACENT COMMERCIAL

BLDG.

NOT TO SCALE N

@ 1/12 of an acre