

AREA: Financial District

MAGI NO.: 0411315711

Address: 9 E. Lexington Street

Current Name:

Block: 623 Lot: 4

Lot size: 26 x 110

Height: 4

Materials: Brick

Condition: Good

Owner: Baltimore Holding Company

Use: Commercial

Accessible: Yes, unrestricted

Designation:

Liber/Folio: CWM 4151/519



Historic Name: Gault Building

Date: 1904-05

Architect/Builder: Haskel & Barnes

Style (if appropriate):

Description:

This three bay wide, four story high, multi-colored brick, structure has been altered on the first floor. A white plastic Charles Center Cleaners sign is located above the first story. Beginning on the second story the facade is a combination of orange, peach and cream colored brick arranged in various patterns. The second through the fourth stories contains three, one over one windows with multi-colored, diamond patterned brick between each story. There is a burgundy wood cornice along the roofline with elaborate coupled end brackets and wood geometric details below and above the cornice.

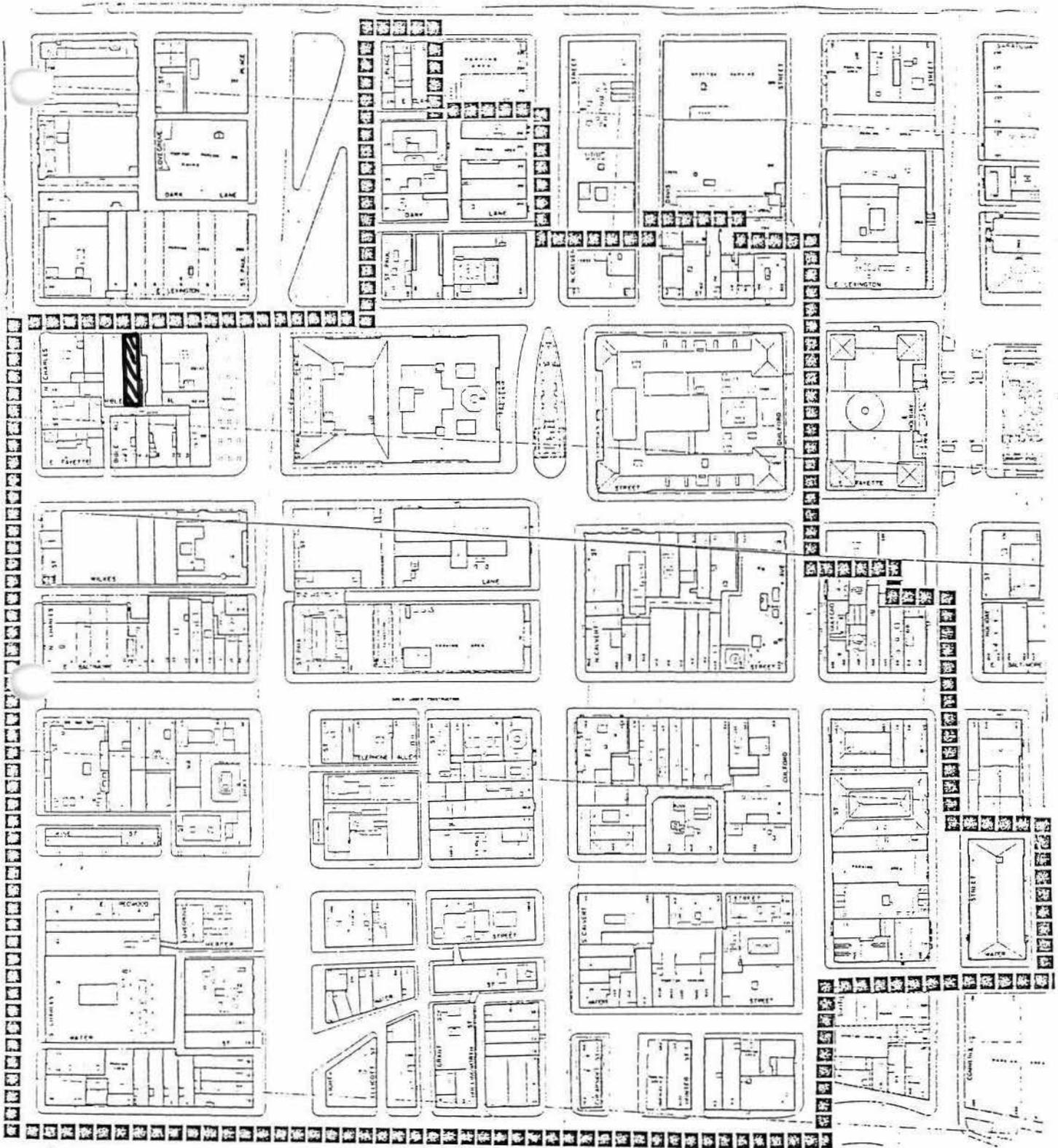
Significance:

Area: architecture

Level: local

The Gault Building, at 9 East Lexington Street, was named after Cyrus Gault who had a stone cutting business called the Gault Monument Company at this location in the early 20th century. The Gault Monument Company, founded in 1832, is one of the oldest businesses still in existence in Baltimore. The Gault Building was built in late 1904-05 by the architects Haskel & Barnes. Architecturally the building is significant for its multi-colored brick patterns, elaborate end brackets and delicately carved wood geometric details. Despite some alterations on the first floor, the building is architecturally significant and contributes to the character of the area.

Sources: BS 9/24/1904 p. 7 c. 3, 10/4/1904 p. 10 c. 6 (permit issued)
 Surveyor and Date: Caroline Hardy, April 1985



Baltimore Financial District Survey
 Baltimore (City), Maryland

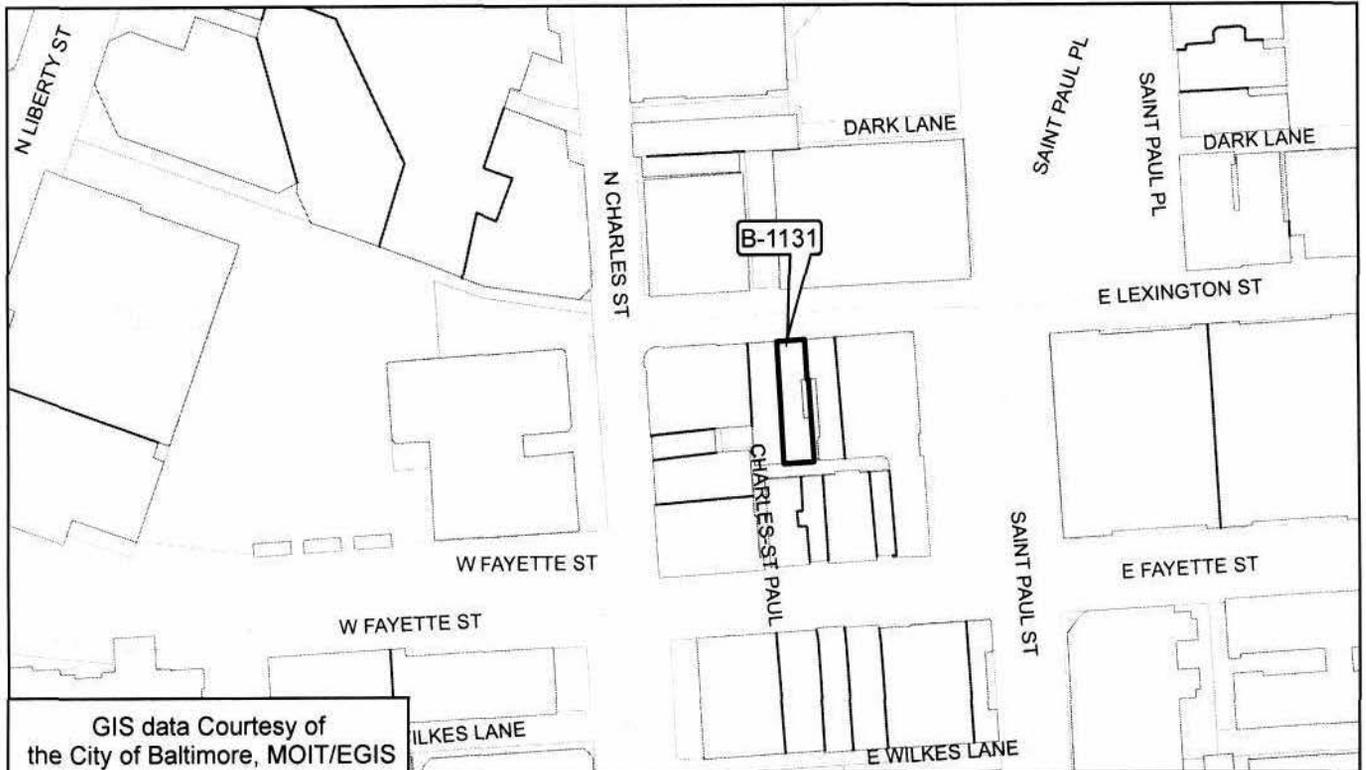
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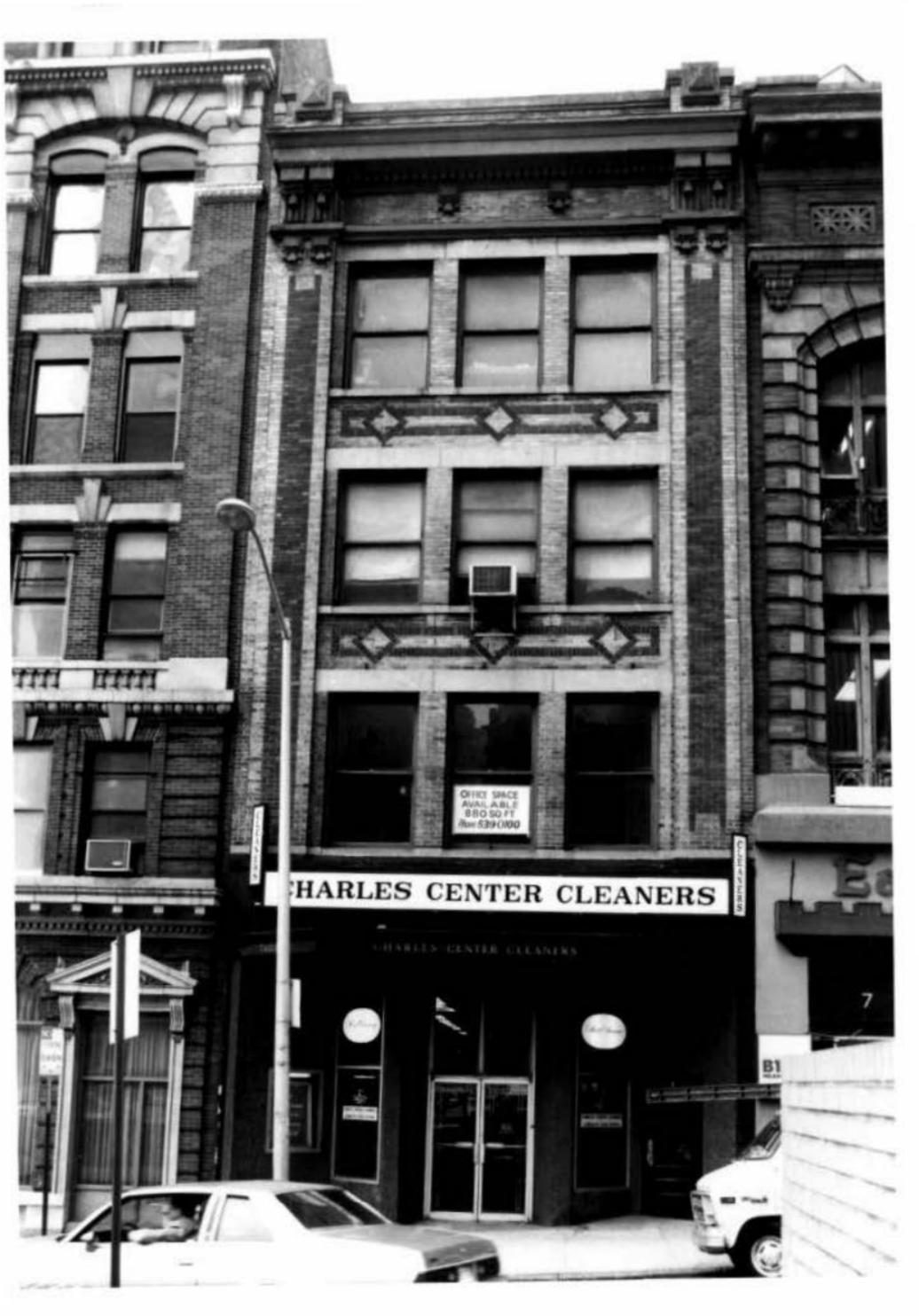
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Baltimore (City), Maryland
Photo: Fred Shoken
Date: October 1983
Neg.loc.: Maryland Historical Trust
North elevation