

AREA: Financial District

MAGI NO.: 0412025711

Address: 311 East Baltimore Street
Current Name: F. C. Fossett and Sons

Block: 1348 Lot: 2	Lot size: 19 x 74
Height: 3 stories	Materials: Brick
Condition: Good	Owner: Boston Metals Company
Use: Clothing Store	Accessible: Yes
Designation: None	Liber/Folio:



Historic Name: F. C. Fossett and Sons
Date: 1904
Architect/Builder: J. E. Lafferty
Style (if appropriate):

Description:

This brick storefront structure is three stories high and three bays wide. It retains an original storefront including signage and a large wood entrance door with and oval window. Brick pilasters with decorative capitals flank the transomed windows on the upper floors. A dentilled and console cornice caps the facade. There have been few alterations to the exterior of the building and except for a new ceiling on the first floor, the interior probably retains many original features.

Significance:

Area: Architecture

Level: Local

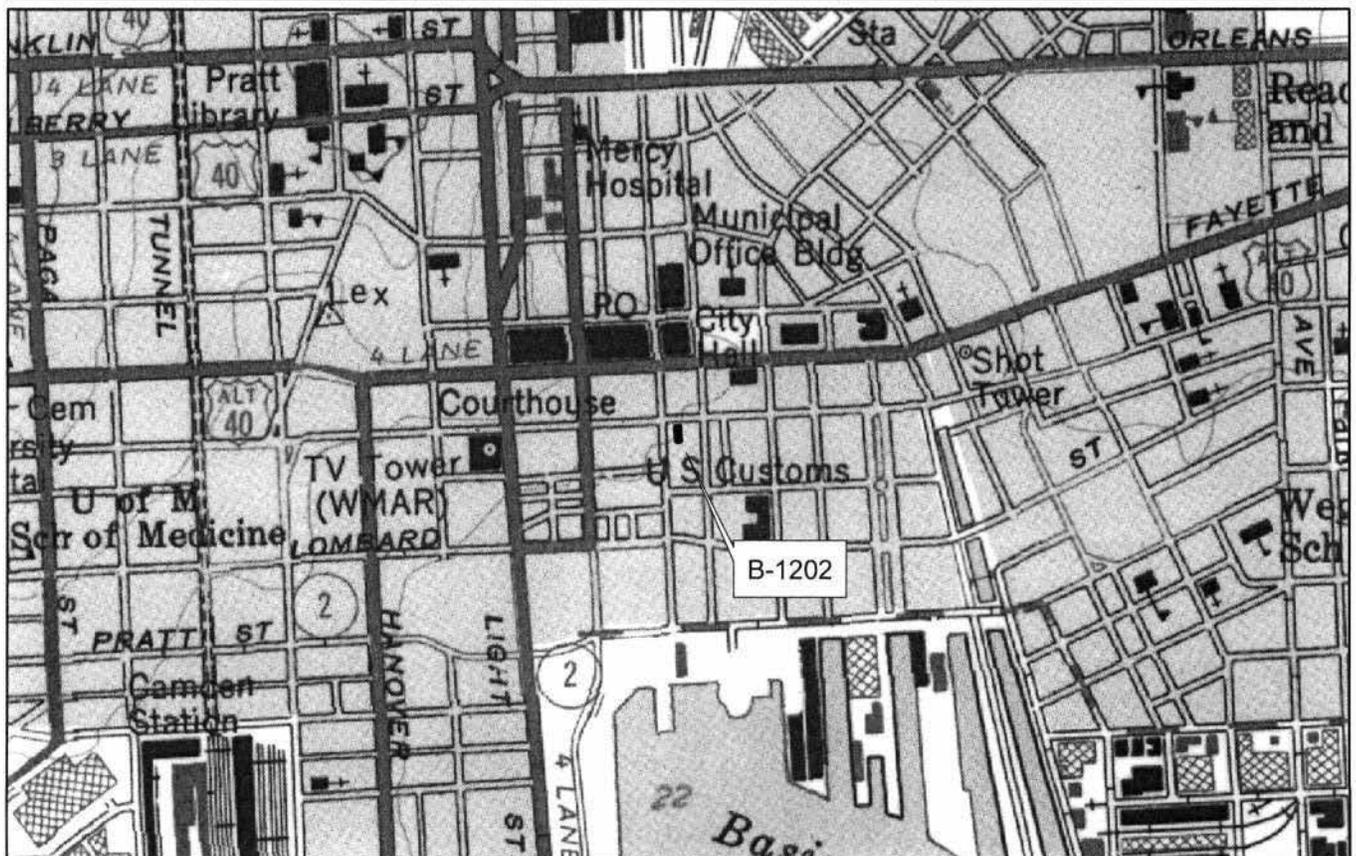
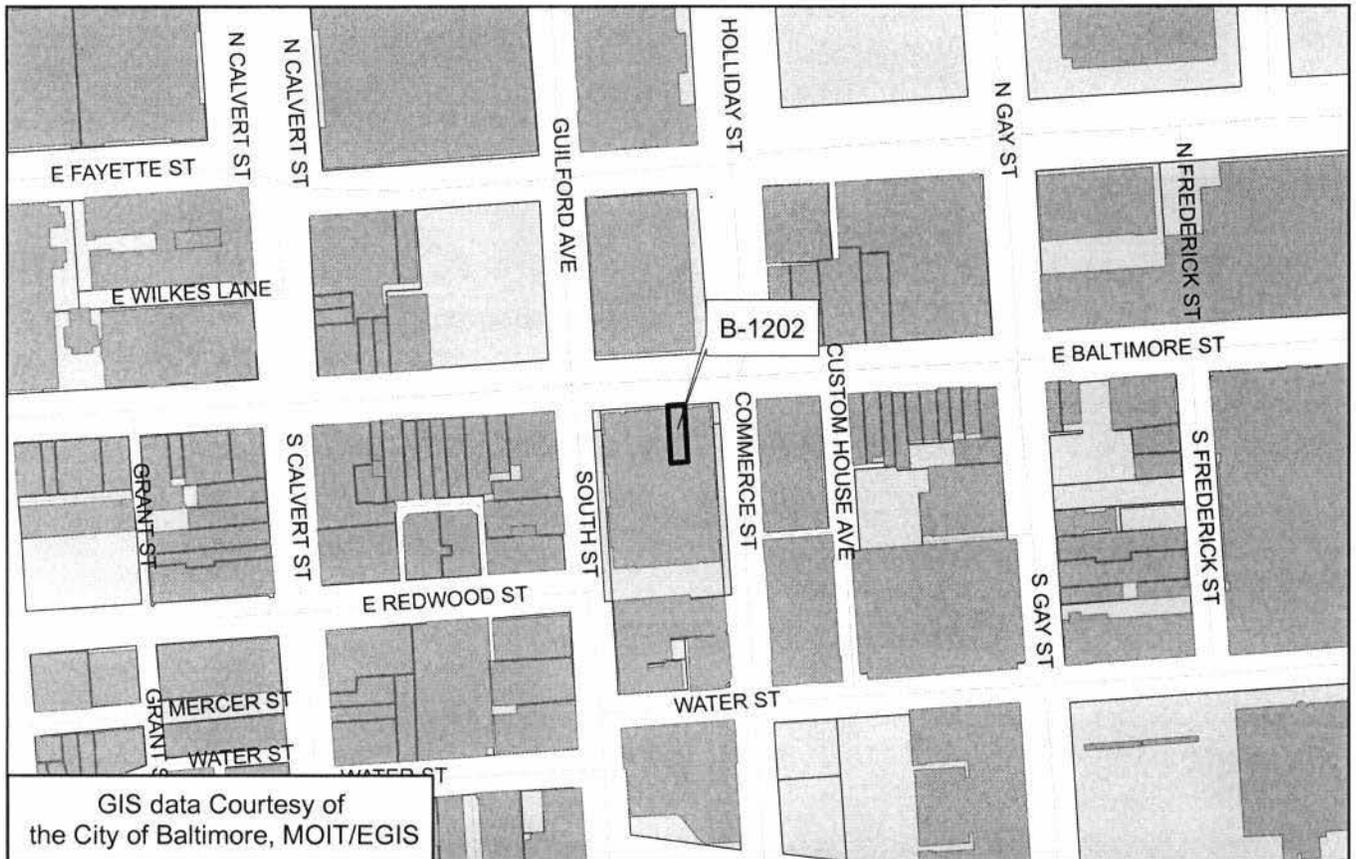
This building is primarily significant for its use. It has continuously housed the F. C. Fossett and Sons clothing establishment in this building since it was constructed. Although a simple structure, it was designed to harmonize with the other buildings of the block and to retain a regular building height and a degree of decoration compatible to the other two buildings on the block.

Sources:

Surveyor and Date: Fred B. Shoken, March 1985.

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F. C. Fossett & Sons
311 E. Baltimore Street
Block 1348 Lot 001
Baltimore City
Baltimore East Quad

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311 E. Baltimore Street
Financial District-Metrocenter Survey
Baltimore (City), Maryland
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Date: October 1983
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