

308-310 Eighth Street, NW (Commercial Buildings)  
Washington  
District of Columbia

HABS No. DC-309

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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Department of the Interior  
Washington, D.C. 20240

ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE District of Columbia	COUNTY	TOWN OR VICINITY Washington
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) 308-310 Eighth Street, NW (Commercial Buildings)		HABS NO. DC-309
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES)		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) #308: early 19th Century #310: mid 19th Century	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Not known	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Juxtaposition of buildings allows for good comparison of commercial building design in the early versus the middle 19th century.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) #310 has Italianate elements		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Both 3-stories; #308 has 2-bay front; #310 has 3-bay front.		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Both have shop fronts on ground floor; #308 has gable roof, brick sawtooth cornice; #310 has flat roof, bracketed modillion cornice, cast-iron hood moulds and sills.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Demolished 1968.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Schwartz, Nancy B. <u>Historic American Buildings Survey District of Columbia Catalog, 1974.</u>		
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