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See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms*  
Type all entries—complete applicable sections

1. Name

historic Centre Market Square Historic District

and/or common

2. Location See Continuation Sheet

street & number Roughly Market St. between 20th and 23rd Sts. not for publication

city, town Wheeling vicinity of Congressional district

state West Virginia code 54 county Ohio code 069

3. Classification

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> educational	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> entertainment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

4. Owner of Property

name Multiple Ownership

street & number

city, town vicinity of state

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Ohio County Courthouse

street & number 15th and Chapline Streets

city, town Wheeling state West Virginia 26003

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title Centre Market Square has this property been determined eligible?  yes  no

date August 31, 1983  federal  state  county  local

depository for survey records Wheeling Landmarks Commission Ohio County Courthouse  
15th and Chapline Streets

city, town Wheeling state West Virginia 26003

## 7. Description

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site
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### Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

Centre Market Square has a large majority of architecturally or historically significant buildings with the two Centre Market houses providing the focus. The District is located in a section of Wheeling named Center Wheeling and is approximately two blocks east of the Ohio River and is one block south of Wheeling Creek from 20th to 23rd Streets. The creek is the boundary between Center Wheeling and the Central Business District. The Centre Market structures, which are listed in the National Register, are mid-center of Market Street, between 22nd and 23rd Streets on a north-south axis.

The architecture reflects the development of the District from 1850 to the present time with such styles as Greek Revival, Victorian Italianate, Gothic, Neoclassical and Personalized Contemporary. Over two thirds of the existing fifty-eight buildings were originally constructed in the nineteenth century. Although there are no nationally important buildings, except for perhaps the market structures, the District is an excellent example of architectural synergism.

Most of the buildings are brick with native sandstone foundations. Stone, moulded wood, stained glass and metal are some of the materials incorporated as facade ornamentation. The scale is relatively low with only two five-story buildings and church towers.

Since the 1850's there has been an unusual blend of commercial, institutional and residential uses so the character of Centre Market Square has remained constant for over one hundred and thirty years. These uses combined with an ethnic composition of working class people have created a distinctive neighborhood in an urban settings.

Wheeling was founded in 1769, survived British-Indian sieges during the Revolutionary War and subsequently began to expand with the first lots laid out in 1793. Nine years later Wheeling became a town by an act of the assembly but the land south of the creek was not included. At that time it was a wilderness of trees interspersed with a few clearings for cornfields. Even though the area was platted in 1829 and was included as part of the City of Wheeling when it was incorporated in 1836, the area south of the creek was still sparsely settled. It was not until the 1850's that the area began to develop rapidly. Until 1851 it was a part of "South Wheeling" but that year became "Centre Wheeling".

The nearby iron and glass industries provided employment and in 1853 the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad terminated at the confluence of Wheeling Creek and the Ohio River. That same year the completion of the cast iron market house was the catalyst for growth. By 1860 there were small shops with living quarters, modest residence and four churches in the District.

In 1891 a second market house was completed and many of the existing buildings were then remodeled or had additions while others were replaced with larger, more substantial structures.

But by the depression Centre Market had declined and in 1933 the Federal Projects Association of Wheeling applied for federal funds which were administered by the Public Works Administration. Part of the proposed plan, which was never executed, was to raze all the buildings between 22nd and 23rd Streets on Market Street and replace them with apartments and quarters for the Wheeling Fire Department. The plan also included

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West side of Market Street between 20th Street and 23rd Street  
East side of Market Street between 20th Street and 23rd Street  
Two market houses which are in the center of Market Street  
between 22nd and 23rd Streets

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ing Surveys

Survey is on a Radio Shack computer TRS-80, Model III  
Stored on a 5¼ inch floppy disk (original owned  
by Friends of Wheeling, Inc.)

HABS (1976) : 2125, 2240, 2206-2208 all of which are located on Market St.  
HAER (1975) : the two market houses

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rebuilding the old Market House to include a gymnasium, auditorium and a swimming pool.

Following World War II the Center Wheeling Business and Professional Peoples Association was working for the advancement of Centre Wheeling. Their c.1946 brochure included this statement.

Center Wheeling Market, even though in a disreputable state of repair, offers a place for farmers to bring their produce to sell directly to the people. Fridays and Saturdays in the Market are the shopping days when the farmers of the district meet the shoppers of the area at Center Market. Notwithstanding its age and dis-repair, the old Market attracts thousands on Market days and serves a definite need in the city.

During recent years some repairs have been made to the market houses and many of the surrounding buildings have been "modernized", especially on the ground stories. There are intrusions, the most obvious being the parking garage which is also Central Fire Headquarters. However, this garage occupies land through to Chapline Street which in turn is connected by a skywalk to the Ohio Valley Medical Center complex which is a known economic resource for the District. And the firemen are a welcome addition to the neighborhood.

It is recognized that the key to a successful revitalization of the District remains with the market structures. A Centre Market Program was formulated in 1983 which is an approach to the "recreation of an historical part of Wheeling's past through economic development". Currently private and public funds are committed to the instauration of the city owned Centre Market buildings. The city is also working with the property owners in the District who have enthusiastically expressed their willingness to participate in the rebirth of Centre Market Square.

(Detailed architectural descriptions of each building have been prepared by Tracy R. Stephens, A.I.A. They are filed with the West Virginia Department of Culture & History, Historic Preservation Unit and also with the Wheeling Landmarks Commission)

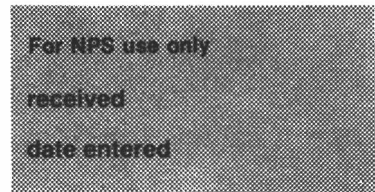
BUILDINGS OF NATIONAL, MAJOR, AND PIVOTAL SIGNIFICANCE  
(numbers refer to the numbers used on the maps)

1. SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 1850. 20th and Market Streets.  
Greek Revival: 2-Stories and tower, no basement  
Current Use-WHEELING CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
Original Use -SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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4. WHEELING CATHOLIC CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS—St. Alphonsus Building (East Wing) SCHOOL, 1875. 2111 Market Street  
Italian Romanesque Precedent: 3-Stories / part-basement / attic

5. ST. ALPHONSUS CHURCH, 1887, 2111 Market Street.  
Italian Romanesque Precedent: 1-Story with balcony / basement except tower of 4 tiers / basement.  
Architects—Fr. Anthony Schuermann; E.W. Wells with the firm of Klieves Kraft and Co. (This church building replaced the 1859 St. Alphonsus church building on the same site.)

6. MARY A. REED BUILDING, c.1885. 2125 Market Street.  
Italian Revival: 2-stories (HABS 1976)  
Current Use: Wheeling Flower Shop  
1885 City Directory Supplement—John T. Reed, druggist

14. SHAEFER BUILDING, 1886. 2201 Market Street  
Wheeling Victorian: 3-Stories and basement  
Current Use—Medovic's—AG—Food Center  
City Directory 1886—Schaefer, F.F. cigarmaker

27. BELLINGER BUILDING, c. 1885. 2259-2261-2263 Market Street  
Wheeling Victorian with Italianate: 2-stories and basement  
Current Use: Odds & Ends 2259; City Glass Co. 2261; Top Hat Stoves 2263  
City Directory 1888, Atlantic Tea Co. (James Henderson and James McCann) wholesale and retail dealers in teas, coffees and spices, fine teas a specialty

28. SCHMEICHEL BUILDING, c.1900. 2265-2267 Market Street  
Neoclassical with Victorian: 4-stories and basement  
Current Use—vacant: City Directory 1900-02—Schmeichel F. & Son, furniture etc.

39&40. ZINK HOUSE, c. 1878. 2206 & 2208 Market Street.  
Late Victorian with Italianate: 2-stories and basement (HABS-1976)  
Current Use: 2206 residence  
2208 currently being rehabilitated by Friends of Wheeling  
Original use: assumed to have been rental property

47. LOTZ BUILDING, c. 1873. 2226 and 2228 Market  
Victorian Italianate: 2-stories and attic (rear addition of concrete block: 2-stories 1980)  
Current Use: 2226 Union Fish Market; 2228 Paradox Book Store

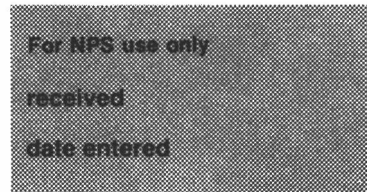
52. THONER HOUSE, c. 1877. 2240 Market Street  
Wheeling Victorian Italianate: 2-stories, attic and basement (HABS-1976)  
Current Use: Anne's Corner On The Market  
John Thoner (1879 Pan-Handle History) wholesale and retail merchant, residence same.

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- 56. CENTRE MARKET HOUSE (UPPER), 1853.  
Architect: Thomas Pope (National Register 1975; HAER 1974)  
Neoclassical (Roman Doric): One Story, no basement  
(market house later enclosed and now has stacked bond concrete blocks)  
Current Use: Public Market  
Original Use: Public Market
- 57. CENTRE MARKET HOUSE (LOWER), 1891  
Architect: Edward B. Franzheim (National Register 1975; HAER 1974)  
Romanesque precedent: one story, no basement  
Current Use: Public Market  
Original Use: Public Market

BUILDINGS OF HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (Also Pivotal)

- 31. WHEELING PUBLIC LIBRARY, 1911. 2100 Market Street  
Neoclassical: 3-stories and basement, tall 1st story (third story a later addition)  
Current Use: Georgian Center (Banquet, Reception and Party Rooms)  
Original Use: Public Library  
Historical Significance: The library is especially important because of its connection with the labor movement. The City fathers authorized a vote on a \$50,000. library levy to purchase a site and for books and maintenance in order that there might be a Carnegie Free Library in Wheeling. The proposed library had strong supporters from leading businessmen and prominent citizens. However, the members of the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly were firmly opposed to a monument to Andrew Carnegie and worked vigorously for the defeat of the levy. On January 26, 1904, the levy was turned down by 201 votes. Wheeling became the first American city to reject a Carnegie grant. The Board of Education eventually voted to erect a library with its own resources which opened in 1911.
- 35. GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN ZION'S CHURCH, c. 1850. 2118 Market Street  
Eclectic: Gothic, Greek and Italian Revival: 2-stories / tower  
Note: The building was constructed as a Congregational Church and remodeled for use as a Lutheran Church in 1852. Ten years later a tornado struck the building. The roof fell in and the north and south walls were damaged. (Three children were killed and ten more injured.) The church was rebuilt and rededicated the following year.  
Original Use: church  
Current Use: Oglebay Institute-Towngate Theatre  
Historical Significance: This is one of the oldest church buildings in Wheeling, and the congregation was German. The church's history relates its growth in membership was due to the constant arrivals of new families from the Lutheran sections of Germany. Once settled, these immigrants influenced their friends still in Germany to come to Wheeling. These families must have had an important impact on Centre Wheeling and the entire city. The building continues to be an anchor in Centre Market Square with its current use as Oglebay

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- 3. WHEELING CATHOLIC CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS-ST. ALPHONSUS BUILDING (West Section) PARISH HOUSE, 1893. 2111 Market Street.  
Italian Precedent: 3-stories / attic / basement
- 7. AUBER BUILDING, c. 1901. 2129 Market Street.  
Italian Precedent: 2-stories with basement at rear  
Current Use: Wheeling Stamp and Stencil  
City Directory 1900-1902: Charles Reed, resident; John Auber, shoes and residence same
- 8. WOEBER BUILDING, c. 1912. 2131 Market Street  
Victorian Italianate: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: Apartments
- 9. BOTT BUILDING, c. 1901. 2135 and 2137 Market Street.  
Victorian and Italian Revival: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: 2135 Custom House Antiques Gallery; 2137 Valley Advertising Co  
City Directory 1903-1904: Bott & Hennes, saloon; Adolph Bott residence at 2137 and Frank Hennes residence at 2135.
- 10. ELIZABETH EMBLEN BUILDING, c. 1902. 2139 and 2142<sup>1</sup> Market Street.  
Victorian Italianate: 2-stories  
Current Use: 2139 James H. Emblem Co.; Wheeling Radio Supply at 2141  
City Directory 1903-1904: Alphonse Peters, dry goods, residence same
- 11. HOSENFELD BUILDING, c. 1870. 2143 and 2145 Market Street  
Victorian Italianate : 3-stories  
Current Use: Marcel's Shoes at 2145 and apartments  
City Directory 1877-1878: Andrew J. Hosenfeld saloon; residence same
- 12. LOUIS EBLING BUILDING, c. 1871. 2147 and 2149 Market Street.  
3-stories (the third story was a later addition)  
Current Use: Saseen's Supper Club, and apartments  
City Directory 1874-1875: C.W. Driehorst, cigar maker & August Eberling, shearer at 2149; Martin Smith retail notions at 2147
- 13. MENKEMELLER BUILDING, c. 1880. 2151 and 2153 Market Street.  
Victorian Italianate: 3 Stories and basement (the third story was a later addition)  
Current Use: American Antiques  
City Directory 1880-1881: Charles Moenkemoeller, druggist
- 15. BENNO KAMMER BUILDING, c. 1868. (major addition c. 1926) 2203 Market St.  
3-stories and basement  
Current Use: 2203-George A. Shia and 2205 Travis Pools  
City Directory: George Seidler, wine and beer saloon 2205 Market; residence 2203 Market.  
\* 1877-1878

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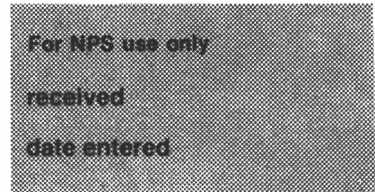
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16. RIEMENSCHNEIDER BUILDING, c. 1883. 2207 Market Street.  
Wheeling Italianate: 2-Stories  
Current Use: Chief's Club  
City Directory 1882-1883: A. Riemenschneider boots and shoes
17. KOEHLER BUILDING, c. 1875 2211 Market Street  
Italianate with Classic Precedent: 2-stories  
Current Use: vacant  
City Directory 1874-1875: Charles Kaler 2209 & 2211 bakery;  
Fred Kaler, boards 2209
18. WIMS BUILDING, c. 1875 for Mary Jane Wims (William Harrison trustee)  
2215 & 2215½ Market Street  
Wheeling Italianate: 2-stories  
Current Use: Triedstone Church of God In Christ  
City Directory 1877-1878: Martin E. Wims, wreck-supt B&O Railroad,  
residence 2215 and William E. Wims, nailfeeder, boards 2215 Market
19. RENNER BUILDING, c. 1875. 2227 Market Street  
Wheeling Italianate: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: Duck Inn Club  
City Directory 1877-1878: Jos. Roth Produce Dealer; Jos. Roth saloon
20. RENNER BUILDING, c. 1875 alteration c. 1906 (Note: party wall with #19)  
2235-2239 Market Street.  
Italian Romanesque Precedent: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: Toni Zeakes' Dance Studio & apartments  
City Directory 1874-1875: Herman Renner Hotel; Herman Renner, proprietor
21. HENDERSON & McCANN BUILDING, c. 1894. 2243 Market  
Wheeling Italianate: 4-stories and basement  
Current Use: Katy's Corner
22. JOHN PARKER BUILDING, c. 1875. 2245 Market Street  
Wheeling Italianate: 3-stories and basement (Twin building with #23)  
Current Use: Garage  
Deed work refers to Parker Brothers known as the "Market Square  
Checkered Front" property.  
City Directory 1874-1875: Parker Brothers, wholesale and retail  
dealers in groceries, produce, hay feed &c. 2245 & 2247 Market.
23. MARGARET PARKER BUILDING, c. 1875. (Margaret Parker was John Parker's wife)  
2247 Market Street  
Wheeling Italianate: 3-stories and basement (Twin building with #22)  
Current Use: Commercial Printing Co., Inc.  
Old Use: same as #22
24. WEINGERTER BUILDING, c. 1868. 2251 Market Street  
Wheeling Italianate: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: Bud's Club  
City Directory 1874-1875 Hubbard, M&G, wholesale and retail dealers  
in groceries, grain and seed  
(See note on no. 25)

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- 25. WEINGERTER BUILDING, c. 1868. 2253 Market Street  
 Contemporary: 1-Story and basement (Note: this has always been 1-story)  
 Current Use: Yocum's Antiques  
 Original Use: "on which property are situated one 3 story dwelling house with a storeroom on ground floor and a one story brick store room"-refers to Nos. 24 & 25
  
- 26. BENJAMIN LIST BUILDING, c. 1870. 2255 Market Street.  
 Victorian Italianate: 2-stories and basement  
 Current Use: Center Market Laundromat  
 City Directory 1874-1875: Hubbard M&G wholesale and retail dealers in groceries, grain and seed (they were also located at 2251); Valentine Bellinger, liquor dealer
  
- 29. FLACCUS BROS. BUILDING, c. 1881. 2269 Market Street  
 Romantic Revival; Classical & Romanesque: 3-stories and basement  
 Current Use: vacant  
 City Directory 1880-1881: Flaccus Brothers (G.A.F., W.C.F. AND E.C.F.) wholesale fancy groceries and mincement manuf'rs
  
- 30. Y.M.C.A., 1910. 32-20th Street  
 Neoclassical: 5-stories and basement Architects: Geisey & Faris  
 Current Use: Y.M.C.A.  
 Original Use: Y.M.C.A.
  
- 32. FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 1913. 2112 Market Street  
 Neoclassical (5th Century B.C. Precedent); 2-stories and basement  
 Current Use: Wheeling Aerie of Eagles #344  
 Original Use: First Christian Church
  
- 33. WILSON-NESBITT BUILDING, 1840s house, store in front c. 1909, c. 1904 salvage from back of house which connects with a rear house which was, according to the owner, moved there from property on Chapline Street when the site was being cleared for the construction of the High School c. 1909.  
 2114 Market Street  
 Wheeling Italianate: 2-stories with basement (rear) and attic  
 Original Use-residence  
 Current Use: vacant  
 Behind the store, which was constructed about 1909 by J. Boles Nesbitt and used to sell dry goods, was the home of Andrew Wilson. He was proprietor of a saw mill and in 1874-1875 was President of the Fire & Marine Insurance Co. and President of the Citizens Railway Company. He was also mayor of the City of Wheeling from 1859-1861, and a delegate from Ohio County to the June 1861 Convention and therefore a signer of the Declaration of the People of Virginia. He administered the oath of office to F.H. Peirpoint in 1861 when he became Governor of the Restored Government of Virginia.

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34. CARROLL HOUSE, c. 1885 2116 Market Street  
Wheeling Victorian Italianate: 2-stories and basement  
Current Use: vacant (known as the Central Apartments)  
Original Use: home of widow Margaret Carroll
38. ZINK BUILDING, c. 1869. 30-22nd Street.  
Romantic Revival, Romanesque Precedent: 3-stories  
Current Use: St. Vincent DePaul Store  
City Directory 1874-1875: Wm Zink & Son, manufacturers of furniture, chairs, etc. and dealers in carpets, bedding, looking glasses, oil cloths, window shades; Undertaking a specialty, coffins of all kinds; finest hearse in the city
41. HAZLETT-REMPE HOUSE, c. 1872 and c. 1894. 2210 Market  
Victorian Italianate: 2-stories and basement.  
Current Use: residence  
City Directory 1877-1878: Matilda Hazlett widow boards; Isaac Hazlett, carpenter  
City Directory 1892-1893: Miss Annie Rempe boards, F.J. Rempe boards, John F. Rempe, merchant tailor, residence same; Wm Rempe, salesman (Geo. E.S. & CO,) boards.
42. \_\_\_\_\_, 1880s 2210A Market Street (or 2210½ Market Street)  
Victorian: one-story wood frame small building  
Current Use: Saad's Bookeeping  
City Directories of the late 1890s list address as a barber shop
43. PHILIP METZNER BUILDING, c. 1867. 2216 Market Street  
Victorian Italianate: 3-stories and basement  
Current Use: Residences  
(City Directory 1874-1875: Philip Metzner, President Wheeling Furniture Co. but he did not live at 2216)  
City Directory 1880-1881: Albert Metzner, cabinetmaker; Mrs. Henrietta Metzner, widow
44. DAVID NEWHART BUILDING, c. 1869. 2218 Market Street.  
Victorian and Italian: 3-stories  
Current Use: Residences
45. TREIBER HOUSE, c. 1900. 2220 Market Street.  
Victorian Italianate: 2-Stories and basement  
Current Use: Residence  
City Directory 1900-1902: Michael Treiber produce vender; residence same
48. CHRISTIAN LOTZ HOUSE, c. 1880. 2230 Market Street  
Victorian Italianate: 2-stories and basement  
Current Use: Busy Bee Enterprises  
City Directory 1880-1881: Christian Lotz (Schuehle & Lotz) residence

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- 49. NESBITT BUILDING, c. 1903. 2232 Market Street  
 Wheeling Italianate: 3-stories and basement  
 Current Use: Geo. Cook Distributing Co.  
 City Directory 1903-1904: Wm Nesbitt, hardware, residence same
- 51. WILKIE HOUSE, c. 1882. 2232<sup>6</sup> Market Street.  
 Wheeling Victorian Italianate: 2-Stories, attic and basement  
 Current Use: Sunshine Grocery  
 City Directory 1882-1883: Mrs. Elizabeth Wilkie (widow) residence
- 54. STEFANOW BUILDING, 1977. 2244 Market Street  
 Modern (Sentimental): 1-story and crawl space  
 Current Use: Pier 22

INTRUSIONS

- 2. WHEELING CATHOLIC CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS-ST. ALPHONSUS BUILDING  
 (North East Wing) GYMNASIUM, 1976 Corner of Market and 21st Streets.  
 Personalized Contemporary: 1-story / 2-story & basement  
 Architect: Harry Keagler
- 36. WHEELING FIRE DEPARTMENT AND CENTER WHEELING PARKING GARAGE, 1978.  
 2126 Market Street  
 Contemporary Open Deck: 5-stories, 6 floors  
 Original Use: fire department and parking garage  
 Present Use: same
- 37. WHEELING DOLLAR BANK, occupied 1976 22nd and Market Streets  
 Architect Loeffler I. Johnson & Associates, Pittsburgh  
 Personalized Contemporary
- 46. FREMDER BUILDING, c. 1868. (addition c.1883) 2222-2224 Market Street  
 Style: N/A  
 Current Use: Residences  
 City Directory 1867-1868: Edward Fremder, painter and glazier, residence same
- 50. VAN WESTENGRUGGE BUILDING, c. 1938 2234 Market Street.  
 Impersonal Contemporary: 1-story  
 Current Use: George Cook Distributing Co. (Storage and Garage)  
 City Directory 1938: Gerrit J. Van Westenbrugge, Cornelius DeKoning,  
 Wheeling Nut Butter Co.
- 53. \_\_\_\_\_ (deed lists F.C. Driehorst who was President of Half  
 Dollar Saving Bank), 1927. 2242 Market Street  
 Modern (Unadorned): 3-stories and basement  
 Current Use: Apartments (upper stories)  
 City Directory 1927: Otto E. Schaeffer, Baker
- 55. D. PAVILACK BUILDING, c. 1955. Corner of Market and 23rd Streets.  
 Modern (Barren): 2-stories  
 Current Use: Ohio Valley Candy Co.
- 58. RESIDENCE, 1952. Separate Building at rear of 2222-2224 Market

# 8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
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**Specific dates** 1850--1920's      **Builder/Architect** Fr. Anthony Schuermann, E.W. Wells, Thomas Pope, Edward Franzheim, et.al.

**Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)**

Wheeling is recognized for its architectural significance but it is in Centre Market Square that there is also a prevailing atmosphere of tradition. This distinctive neighborhood revolves around the two market houses with 1853 structure being the oldest cast iron market house in the country. The unusual combination of commercial, residential, and institutional uses has been retained for over one hundred years together with the ethnic makeup of the residents.

The District began as an English and native American section which was sparsely settled as a residential area along with a few industries on the banks of Wheeling Creek. In 1848, the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church moved south of the creek to the same location where their 1850 church stands today. By then Wheeling was flourishing with an industrial base with the iron mills and glass houses employing the greatest number of people.

The German immigrants had congregated in the area south of Wheeling Creek. The 1850 census records showed that one out of every five persons in Centre Wheeling was born in Germany.

That year Centre Wheeling residents demanded a public market be built in Centre Wheeling. One of their councilmen was John W. Gill. He was the wealthiest resident in Centre Wheeling and owned the largest silk factory in the United States. He was also president of the Wheeling Gas Company which was incorporated in 1850. City Council members finally agreed and the cast iron market, complete with gas lights, was completed in 1853. The architect was Thomas Pope from Wheeling and the columns were cast at the Wheeling foundry of Hamilton & Rodgers. The two block area expanded with the construction of small shops, homes and three more churches. They were the German Zion Lutheran Church in 1852, the Disciples Church in 1855 and St. Alphonsus (a German Catholic parish) in 1859.

During that period the Harding Family lived across from the Second Presbyterian Church. Richard Harding was city treasurer but it was his daughter, Rebecca Harding Davis, who became nationally famous as a pioneer social realist in literature. Her first published work (and the most famous), Life in the Iron Mills, is about Wheeling.

In the 1860 presidential election the voters from Ohio County showed a preference for the Southern candidates, Bell and Breckenridge. However, the voters from Centre Wheeling voiced their voting approval for Lincoln and Douglas by 57.6%. The following year the members of the Virginia Convention adopted an Ordinance of Secession on April 17, 1861. A delegate, Chester D. Hubbard, returned to his home in Centre Wheeling two days later and immediately raised the first two companies of troops to support the United States Constitution. On May 6 a man was almost hanged for saying "Hurrah for Jeff Davis" and on May 23 only 5 of a total of 517 votes from

## 9. Major Bibliographical References

City Directories: Oglebay Institute-Mansion Museum & Ohio County Public Library  
 Deed Books and Land Books-Ohio County Courthouse  
 Wheeling Newspapers 1850 and forward  
 Maps and Sanborn Insurance Maps  
 Local History Books owned by B. Fluty.

## 10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property approximately 9.5 acres

Quadrangle name Wheeling, WV

Quadrangle scale 1 : 24000

### UMT References

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### Verbal boundary description and justification

See Continuation Sheet

### List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state N/A code county code

state code county code

## 11. Form Prepared By

name/title Beverly B. Fluty

organization

date August 31, 1983

street & number RD #2 Box 71

telephone (304)-242-1087

city or town Wheeling

state West Virginia 26003

## 12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national  state  local

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

title Commissioner, Department of Culture and History

date November 28, 1983

For NPS use only

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register

Entered in the  
National Register

date

11/2/84

for Melrose Byers  
Keeper of the National Register

Attest:

date

Chief of Registration

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

**National Register of Historic Places  
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Centre Wheeling were for secession. In June, the members of the convention from the western counties of Virginia were meeting in Wheeling. They signed the Declaration of the People of Virginia. This action ultimately resulted in the creation of West Virginia. Three of the six delegates from Ohio County to this convention were from Centre Wheeling. Andrew Wilson's home still stands in the District at 2114 Market Street. Later there were war meetings at the market house which also served as an assembly spot for troops. Centre Wheeling residents continued to be strong supporters of the Union and for West Virginia statehood. Even after the War of the Rebellion, feelings were still running high and during a meeting at the market house a resolution was passed to remove the returning former residents who were rebels.

By 1888, the Wheeling Business Directory reveals that the merchants in Centre Market Square were almost entirely German. From approximately 53 names, only 8 appear to be of other national origins. An "Apotheke" sign on the building at 2153 Market Street remains from that era. The Atlas published the following year shows only one vacant lot. Therefore, it can be assumed Centre Market Square was thriving. This is reinforced with the knowledge that the second market house was completed and occupied early in 1891.

The Maxwell property at 2100 Market Street was purchased by the Board of the Wheeling Independent School District. The building on the site was remodeled and in 1898 became the first Wheeling High School. The adjoining property to the north was also Maxwell property which had been given to the YMCA. The mansion had been remodeled and a gymnasium added to fit the needs of the YMCA.

In 1910 the new YMCA facility had replaced the Maxwell mansion and a year later the Wheeling Public Library had replaced the other Maxwell structure. At that time the roads were mostly mudholes but Centre Wheeling was on the line of the Traction, Panhandle and City street car companies. It was also only a very short distance from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Station where more than 100 passenger trains stopped daily.

According to oral history, World War I was very difficult for the German people in Wheeling. It is believed it was then that the issues of the German newspapers were destroyed and the word "German" stricken from the names of banks, churches, etc. The Wheeling City Directories, under the heading of churches, list in 1917-18 the First German Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church and St. Alphonsus German Catholic Church. In 1919-20 it was the Zion Evangelical Church and in 1921, St. Alphonsus Catholic Church.

By the 1930s, the ethnic origins of people in the District had changed. Lebanese, Polish, Greek and other nationalities had joined the neighborhood. In 1932 some of the names were Janke, Shia, Maroon and Saad.



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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

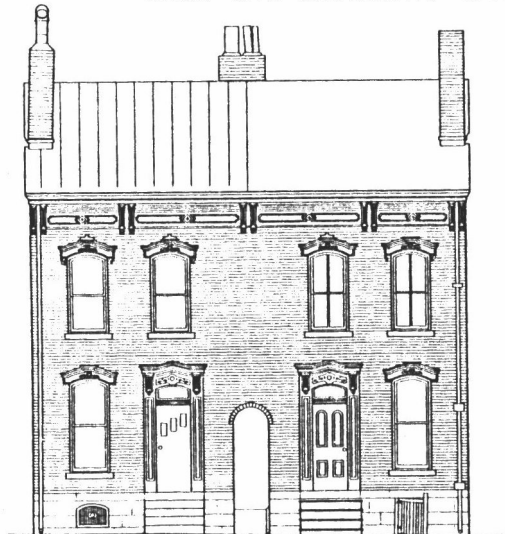
Boundaries are marked on the attached map. Begin at a point on 20th Street which is 58 feet west of the west line of Market Street, proceed south by a line parallel with the western wall of the church building and 8 feet distant therefrom extended until it strikes 21st Street. Proceed south across 21st Street to Lane B, and continue south on Lane B to 23rd Street. Proceed east to Lane C. Exclude structure on eastern portion of property, Lot 128, which occupies northeastern corner of 23rd and Market Streets and contains two structures. Proceed north on Lane C to 22nd Street. Exclude structure on eastern portion of property, Lot 135, which occupies southeastern corner of 22nd and Market Streets and contains two structures. Cross 22nd Street and continue north on Lane C crossing the parking garage (approximately in the center), excluding two overhead pedestrian passageways and continue until striking 20th Street. Turn west along 20th Street to the place of the beginning.

The boundaries have been designed to include all the buildings which are located on Market Street between 20th and 23rd Streets. Two buildings, one on 23rd Street and one on 22nd Street, are excluded because they are not on Market Street. Dependencies are also included as outlined on the map plus one separate residence at the rear of 2222-2224 Market Street.

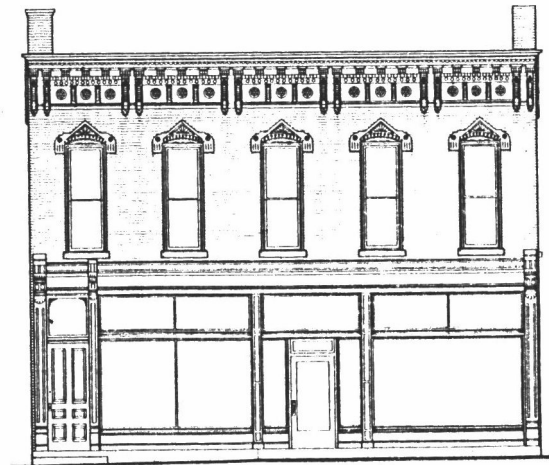
# CENTRE MARKET SQUARE HISTORIC DISTRICT

IN SEPTEMBER, 1850, THE CENTRE MARKET BUILDING WAS ERECTED BETWEEN 22ND AND 23RD STREET ON MARKET STREET. THIS CREATED A NEW LOCUS FOR MERCANTILE ACTIVITY IN WHEELING. AS NEW BUSINESSES LOCATED HERE STORE OWNERS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES MOVED INTO THE AREA AS RESIDENTS. TYPICAL OF THE EXPANSION IN THIS AREA WERE STORES LIKE JOHN THONER'S FAMILY LIQUOR STORE WHICH CONDUCTED BUSINESS ON THE FIRST FLOOR WHILE THE FAMILY LIVED UPSTAIRS. WILLIAM ZINK, A CARPENTER AND UNDERTAKER, BUILT A RENTAL TOWNHOUSE ADJACENT TO HIS FACTORY. MARY REED BUILT A DOUBLE STORE WITH APARTMENTS UPSTAIRS.

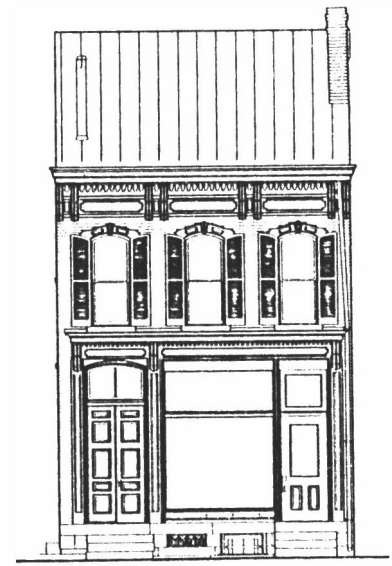
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ZINK HOUSE - 2206 - 2208 MARKET STREET



REED BUILDING - 2125 MARKET STREET



THONER HOUSE - 2238 MARKET STREET

DRAWN BY JOHN M. MCRAE

WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA SURVEY 1976  
OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION  
UNDER DIRECTION OF THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE,  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

WHEELING

NAME AND LOCATION OF STRUCTURE  
CENTRE MARKET  
OHIO COUNTY

WEST VIRGINIA

NOTE: NOT A TRUE STREETSCAPE

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HISTORIC AMERICAN  
BUILDINGS SURVEY  
SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Centre Market Square Historic District  
Ohio County  
WEST VIRGINIA

DEC 16 1983

Working No. \_\_\_\_\_

Fed. Reg. Date: 2-5-85

Date Due: 1/12/84 - 1/30/84

Action:  ACCEPT 1/12/84

\_\_\_\_\_ RETURN \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ REJECT \_\_\_\_\_

Federal Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Entered in the  
National Register

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review:  sample  request  appeal  NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_

Discipline \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: \_\_\_\_\_ technical corrections cited below  
\_\_\_\_\_ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

X 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Has this property been determined eligible?  yes  no

7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
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Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection

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**8. Significance**

Period \_\_\_\_\_ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates \_\_\_\_\_ Builder/Architect \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of Significance (*in one paragraph*)

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- applicable criteria
- justification of areas checked
- relating significance to the resource
- context
- relationship of integrity to significance
- justification of exception
- other

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**9. Major Bibliographical References**

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**10. Geographical Data**

Acreage of nominated property \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle name \_\_\_\_\_

UTM References \_\_\_\_\_

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Verbal boundary description and justification

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**11. Form Prepared By**

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**12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification**

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

\_\_\_\_ national      \_\_\_\_ state      \_\_\_\_ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

title \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

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**13. Other**

- Maps
- Photographs
- Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



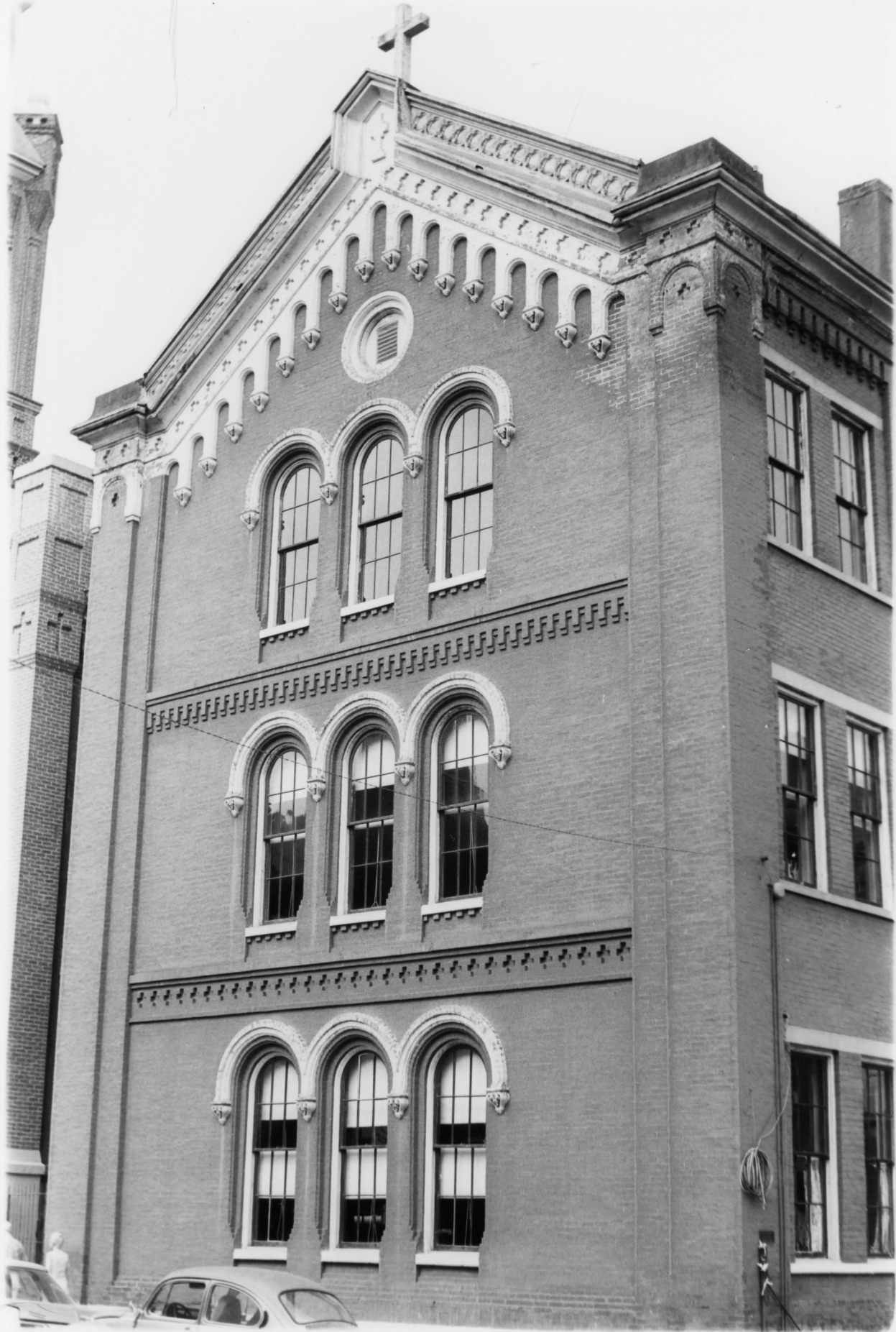
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LOCATION : Wheeling, West Virginia  
Ohio County  
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DATE OF PHOTO : August 23, 1983  
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CAPITOL COMPLEX, CHARLESTON, W.VA. 25305  
DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : entire 2200 block (east)

DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking southeast

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : east elevation of St.  
Alphonsus School (east wing)  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking west

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WHEELING FLOWER SHOP

JEWELRY SHOP

WHEELING STAMP & STENCIL  
*Carnival* BUSINESS FORMS  
2123

WHEELING L-1

WHEELING FLOWER

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : 2125 Market (Wheeling  
Flower Shop); 2129 Market (Wheeling Stamp &  
Stencil)  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO :

#3 of 15

CENTRE MARKET  
1853

DO NOT  
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TRAFFIC LIGHTS  
IN USE ONLY



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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : front elevation of 1853  
(now enclosed) market house  
  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking south

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Ohio County  
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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : 2100 block (west); church  
with box-like tower in background is northern  
boundary  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : Looking northwest

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MINISTERS CHURCH

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Nesbitt's  
FURNITURE

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : east side of Market St;  
left to right 2100, 2112 & Nesbitt's at 2114  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking northeast

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : YMCA west elevation (ne  
perimeter of district)  
  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking northeast

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : west elevation (front) of  
2118 Market St.  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking east

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : garage & central fire head-  
quarters; west side of 2100 block  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking south

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Ohio County  
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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : west side of Market: 2253  
(one story) through 2269

DIRECTION OF PHOTO : Looking southwest

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : German sign on 2151-2153  
Market Street  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking north

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BECKING COOK DISTRIBUTING CO.  
18 ONE OF  
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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : east side of 2200 block;  
shows two intrusions  
  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking northwest

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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : west side of 1891 market  
house in 2200 block of Market St.  
DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking north

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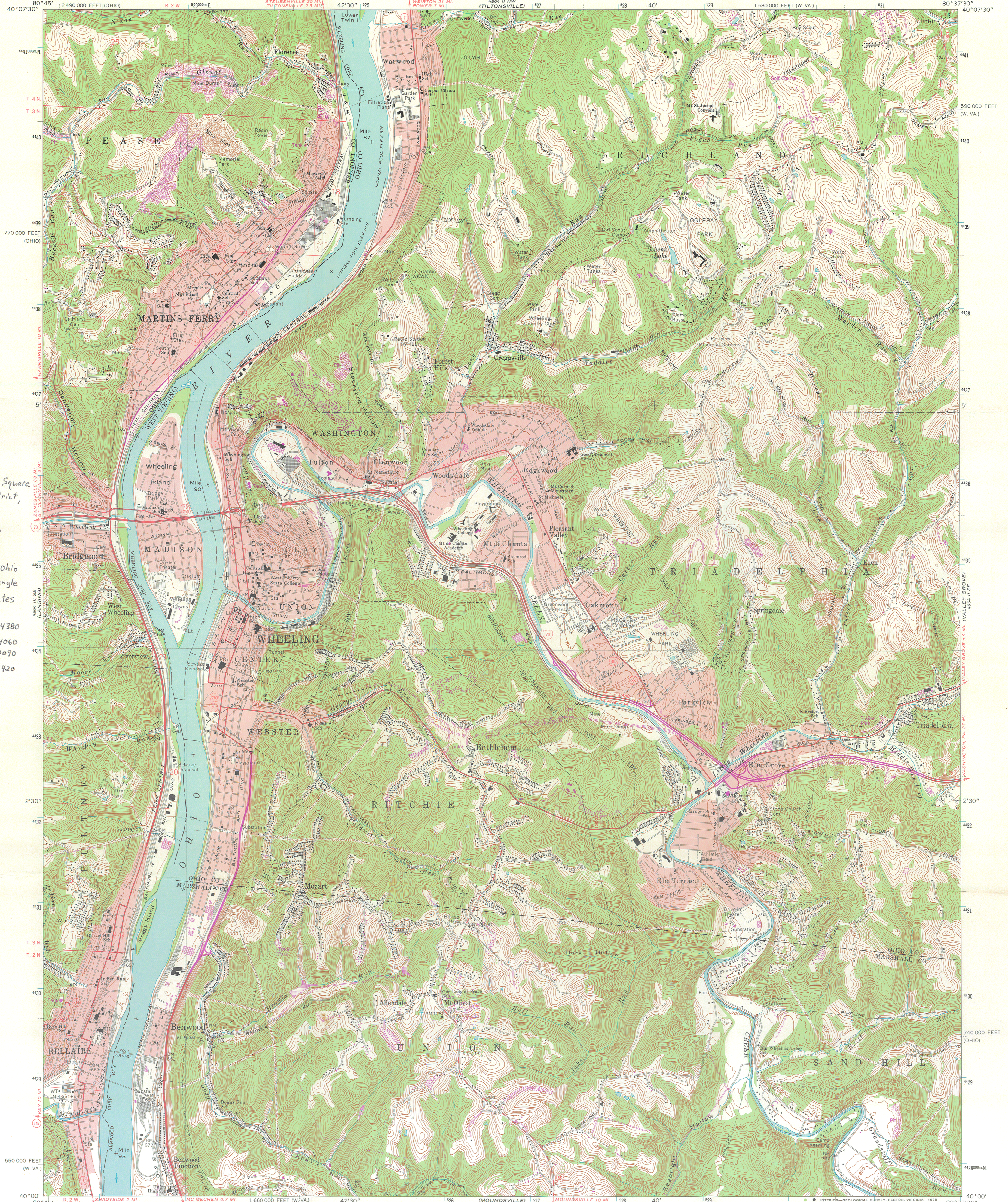
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DESCRIPTION OF PHOTO : east elevation of 1891  
market house

DIRECTION OF PHOTO : looking southwest

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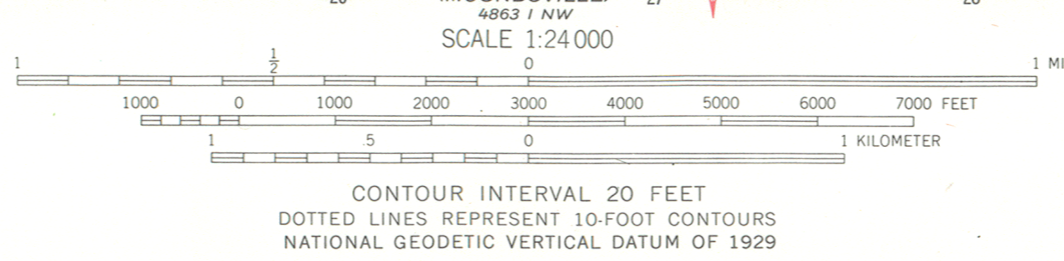
UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

WHEELING QUADRANGLE  
WEST VIRGINIA—OHIO  
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)



Centre Market Square  
Historic District,  
Wheeling,  
Ohio County,  
West Virginia  
  
Wheeling, W.Va.—Ohio  
U.S.G.S. Quadrangle  
U.T.M. Coordinates  
  
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B-17523550/4434060  
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photographs taken 1966. Field checked 1968  
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum  
10,000-foot grids based on West Virginia coordinate system,  
north zone, and Ohio coordinate system, south zone  
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,  
zone 17, shown in blue  
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where  
generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked  
The state boundary as shown represents the approximate position of  
the low water line as determined from U.S. Corps of Engineers  
Ohio River charts, surveyed 1913, and supplementary information  
Red tint indicates areas in which only landmark buildings are shown  
Ohio area lies within the Old Seven Ranges  
Land lines based on the Ohio River Base



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Primary highway, all weather, hard surface	Light-duty road, all weather, improved surface
Secondary highway, all weather, hard surface	Unimproved road, fair or dry weather

   Interstate Route   
    U.S. Route   
    State Route



WHEELING, W.VA.—OHIO

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1968  
PHOTO-REVISED 1978  
AMS 4864 II SW—SERIES 1984

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Portions of Ohio-West Virginia boundary in dispute, not shown

Centre Market Square Historic District  
Wheeling  
Ohio County  
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