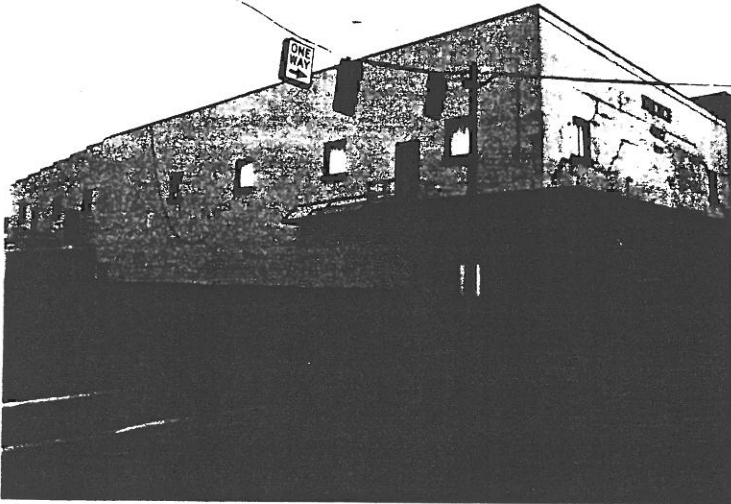


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Ranking _____
Name
(Common) Odd Fellows Lodge
(Historic) Internat'l Order of Odd Fellows Lodge
Address 621 Main Street
Present Owner I00F Lebanon Lodge #47
Address 621 Main Street
Original Use Fraternal Lodge
Date of Construction c. 1948
Map Reference Number 69

Physical description of property and statement of historical significance:

The I00F Lodge is a two-story, stuccoed cinderblock building with a rectangular floor plan and flat roof. The ground floor of the west facade contains a continuous window of large plates of glass above a low tile wall with recessed double doors. Above the windows there is a flat awning which wraps around the northeast corner. At each side of the second floor there is a small two-light casement window and at the parapet there are raised letters spelling "I00F."

The north elevation features single, large, store display windows at the west corner and service doors at the east end. At the second floor there are six small single-light windows and two fire escape exits. The wall is smooth stucco with no fenestration. There is a store with large display windows at the northeast corner and the entry to the lodge is located here also.

History

The International Order of Odd Fellows Lodge was built to replace a smaller two-story wood frame building which was located on only the north half of the site. Construction of the new building was made more complicated when ground was softer than expected and the piles would not hold their loadings, but in the late 1940's the building was completed and opened up for commercial use on the ground floor and lodge activities above.

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