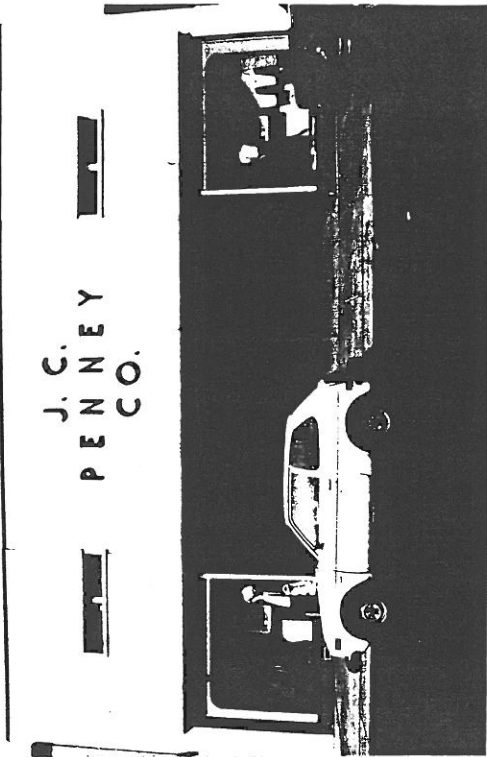


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Ranking _____
Name
(Common) J.C. Penny Building
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Address 550 Main Street
Present Owner Richard & Gayle Botti
Address 715 San Lorenzo Street
Santa Monica, CA
Original Use J.C. Penny Store
Date of Construction c. 1945
Map Reference Number 63

Physical description of property and statement of historical significance:

As is characteristic of the International style, this building has smooth stucco walls, a flat roof and large windows with the structural columns behind. Recessed in the center of the east facade there are double aluminum frame glass doors with a multi-light transom and side lights. The store display windows at each side of the facade are large single plates of glass set above low tiled walls. At the second floor above the recessed entry there are square panels. On each side, above the store display windows, there is a long, short two-light window and the wall is smooth stucco.

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Sources consulted: Sanborn Insurance Map, 1913-46.

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