PROPOSAL

Demolish a ca. 1904 warehouse building.

ARCHITECTURE

One-story, rectangular-plan flat-roofed brick warehouse building with a round-arched entry facing 3rd Street with stone coping at the arch and a non-historic metal-framed glazed entry; fenestration consisting of non-historic metal-framed windows, with a 1:1 configuration along the 3rd Street elevation and fixed-sash fenestration along the west elevation, all of which have stone lintels and sills. The windows along the west elevation appear to be non-historic penetrations. The other modern alteration to the building is the roof-top belvedere with a slanted roof and glass walls. The building retains faded historic commercial murals along the west elevation.

RESEARCH

The building appears to have been built around 1904 and served as a grocery warehouse and retail grocery store for the majority of its existence. The building does not appear on the 1900 Sanborn map, and the first entries for addresses that correspond to this site appear in the 1905 city directory, when the firm of Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company occupied the building. Both Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr. and Louis Strassburger were successful wholesale grocery merchants in Austin. Heidenheimer, who was the son of a very prominent grocery merchant in Galveston, had worked for Nelson Davis & Company, whose wholesale grocery business was in the 100 block of W. 4th Street (in a city landmark building). Heidenheimer left Nelson Davis in 1888 to establish his own wholesale grocery business, and in 1896, merged with Louis Strassburger’s wholesale produce company. They moved their business from the 100 block of E. 5th Street to this new building around 1904, and remained in business here until around 1932, when the company dissolved. David Lowenberger, Mrs. Heidenheimer’s brother, joined the firm around 1919.

Lomis Slaughter, the proprietor of Slaughter Markets, purchased this property around 1932 and operated the Slaughter Public Market here until around World War II, when it became Slaughter Store No. 4. Lomis Slaughter was a character, and wrote a regular column for the Austin American-Statesman in the 1940s and 1950s, entitled “From Soop to Nutz,” which combined his musings on a variety of subjects along with plugs for various grocery brands.

Slaughter had several food-related businesses in Austin, including a couple of supermarkets, a packing house (in this building), and a bakery (also in this building for a short period of time). Slaughter also rented out space in this building to the Purity Feed Company and Hatchery, which sold Purina chows, wholesale flour, poultry supplies, and baby chicks. Purity was here for a short time in the late 1930 and early-1940s; Slaughter then expanded his own businesses in this building. Lomis Slaughter, Jr. and George Slaughter were still operating a wholesale and retail grocery business out of this building in the late 1980s. The Slaughters engaged in several remodeling projects on the building during their tenure here.

The architectural firm of McGarrah Jessee renovated the building in 2000, installing new windows and doors as well as constructing the rooftop belvedere.

STAFF COMMENTS
The building (as 207 Brazos Street) was listed as a Priority 1 for research in the Comprehensive Cultural Resources Survey (1984).

Staff has evaluated this house for designation as a historic landmark and has determined that the building does not meet the criteria for landmark designation as set forth in City Code:

a. **Architecture.** The building is a turn-of-the 20th century brick warehouse with little architectural ornamentation absent the raised brick belt courses and stone accents at the main arch and windows. The fenestration pattern and materials on this building have been altered over the years, so while the building retains its integrity of form, its integrity of materials and design has been compromised.

b. **Historical association.** The building was constructed to be a wholesale grocery warehouse, a function it continued to have through the late 1980s, with two principal businesses: Heidenheimer, Strassburger and Company from the time of the building’s ca. 1904 construction until around 1930, and Slaughter Stores (meat packing plant and bakery) from around 1930 through the late 1980s.

c. **Archaeology.** The building was not evaluated for its potential to yield significant data concerning the human history or prehistory of the region.

d. **Community value.** The building does not possess a unique location, physical characteristic, or significant feature that contributes to the character, image, or cultural identity of the city, the neighborhood, or a particular demographic group. It is not within the recognized “Warehouse District.”

e. **Landscape feature.** The property is not a significant natural or designed landscape with artistic, aesthetic, cultural, or historical value to the city.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package, consisting of photographs of all elevations, a dimensioned sketch plan, and a narrative history, for archiving at the Austin History Center. The applicant plans to incorporate some elements of the building into the new development, including the doorway arch and other aspects of the original building, as part of the amenities of the proposed high-rise building to be constructed on this site. While the building does not qualify as a historic landmark, it is appropriate to commemorate its history through the documentation package and incorporation of significant architectural features into the new construction for the site.
207 Brazos Street/201-05 E. 3rd Street
ca. 1904

Detail of the arched entry on the 3rd Street elevation and window details
Detail of wall signage on the Brazos Street elevation

OCCUPANCY HISTORY
207 Brazos Street/201-05 E. 3rd Street

City Directory Research, Austin History Center
By City Historic Preservation Office
November, 2008

1987

207 Brazos Street
Farmer Slaughter’s Market
Wholesale and retail groceries
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

1977

207 Brazos Street
Slaughter Stores, Inc.
Wholesale meats
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

Slaughter Packing Company
Meats
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

1967

207 Brazos Street
Slaughter Stores, Inc. Offices
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

Slaughter Packing Company
Meats
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

1957

207 Brazos Street
Slaughter Stores, Inc.
Groceries
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

Slaughter Packing Company
Wholesale meats
Lomis Slaughter, president
George Slaughter, secretary/treasurer

1953

211 Brazos Street
Slaughter Stores, Inc.
Groceries
George Slaughter, president
Lomis Slaughter, Jr., vice-president

Slaughter Packing Company
Wholesale meats
Lomis Slaughter, president
George Slaughter, secretary/treasurer
Otto H. Milburn, plant manager

1949

201-05 E. 3rd Street
Slaughter's Stores No. 4
Groceries
Lomis Slaughter, president
Sam L. Slaughter, vice-president
George O. Slaughter, secretary/treasurer
NOTE: The address is listed as 201-05 E. 3rd Street.

1944-45

201 E. 3rd Street
Slaughter Stores and Public Market No. 4
Wholesale and retail groceries
Lomis Slaughter, proprietor

205 E. 3rd Street
Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Distributors of Purina chows, wholesale flour, poultry supplies, vaccines, remedies, baby chicks; custom hatching.
Marvin H. Gossett, proprietor

1941

205 E. 3rd Street
Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Distributors of Purina chows, wholesale flour, poultry supplies, vaccines, remedies, baby chicks; custom hatching.
Marvin H. Gossett, proprietor

**209 Brazos Street**
Slaughter’s Public Market
Groceries
Lomis Slaughter, proprietor

1937

**201-03 E. 3rd Street**
Slaughter’s Public Market
Groceries and meats
Lomis Slaughter, proprietor

**205 E. 3rd Street**
Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Distributors of Purina chows, wholesale flour, poultry supplies, vaccines, remedies, baby chicks; custom hatching.
Marvin H. Gossett, proprietor

1935

**201-03 E. 3rd Street**
Slaughter’s Public Market
Groceries and meats
Clifford Matthews, manager

Public Market Bakery
Edward Seeger, proprietor
NOTE: The Public Market Bakery also had a store at 210-12 W. 19th Street.

**205 E. 3rd Street**
Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Distributors of Purina chows, wholesale flour, poultry supplies, vaccines, remedies, baby chicks; custom hatching.
Marvin H. Gossett, proprietor

1932-33

**201-03 E. 3rd Street**
Slaughter Public market
Groceries and meats
L.H. Coker, manager

Public Market Bakery
Edward Seeger, proprietor

Doc’s Quality Products
Potato chips
R.D. Dudley, proprietor

1932-33 (cont)**205 E. 3rd Street**
Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Purina chows for horses, cows, hogs, and poultry, feed, hay, and grain.
Marvin H. Gossett, manager

1930-31

**201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1929 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1927 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1924 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1922 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1920 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr., Louis Strassburger, and David Lowenberger, proprietors

1918 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1916 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1914 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1912-13 **201-05 E. 3rd Street**
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries and produce
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr and Louis Strassburger, proprietors
1910-11  201 E. 3rd Street
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries and produce
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

205 E. 3rd Street
National Packing Company
Wholesale meats
No proprietor listed.

1909-10  201 E. 3rd Street
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries and produce
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr. and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1906-07  201 E. 3rd Street
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries and produce
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr. and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1905  201 E. 3rd Street
Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company
Wholesale groceries and produce
Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr. and Louis Strassburger, proprietors

1903-04  Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Company is listed at 109-13 E. 5th Street.

NOTE: The building does not appear on the 1900 Sanborn map. There is a notation in the city system for a sewer permit for this address in 1901, but the permit no longer exists.

NOTE: The building was extensively remodeled for McGarrah Jessee, LP, an advertising agency, in 2000.
NOTICE.

We beg to announce that the wholesale grocery house of L. Heidenheimer, Jr., and the wholesale produce firm of L. Strassburger & Co. were consolidated on this date. The new firm will do a wholesale produce and grocery business under the firm style of Heidenheimer, Strassburger & Co. All outstanding of both the old firms are payable to the new firm.

L. HEIDENHEIMER, JR.,
L. STRASSBURGER & CO.

Referring to the above, we bespeak the patronage of the trade for the new firm and we assure our customers that the advantages of the consolidated firm enable us to offer better inducements than could have been possible in the past. Respectfully yours,

HEIDENHEIMER STRASSBURGER & CO.
Austin, Tex., March 1, 1896.

Newspaper notice of the merger of the wholesale grocery businesses of Isaac Heidenheimer, Jr. with the wholesale produce business of Louis Strassburger.

Austin Daily Statesman, March 2, 1896
Advertisement for Cerva – “The World’s Best Beverage”
Distributed by Heidenheimer-Strassburger Company
Austin American, May 24, 1918
You can pay more but you cant get more real COFFEE SATISFACTION

A better flavor in the cup. A flavor that is just what you are always expecting in good coffee and so seldom find. That is what you get when you buy Sunset. Flavor is the only true measure of coffee excellence.

Fancy blends and fancy prices are no criterion of coffee satisfaction. What you want is flavor and aroma that completely satisfies. Coffee that is completely delightful, leaving nothing to be desired. That is what you get when you drink Sunset.

You get this unusual complete satisfaction at no greater price than that of less satisfying high grade coffees.

You can pay more but you can't get more real coffee satisfaction.

Advertisement for Sunset Coffee, distributed by Heidenheimer and Company
Austin American, January 3, 1925
Advertise for Roi-Tan Cigars, and the opening of the Texan Cafeteria and Coffee Shop, distributed by Heidenheimer & Company

Austin American-Statesman, December 13, 1925
Advertisement for Blatz Bohemian Malt Syrup, distributed by Heidenheimer & Company
Austin Statesman, December 2, 1927
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Your dollar will buy more at the

PUBLIC MARKET

THIRD and BRAZOS

Advertisement for Slaughter's Public Market
Austin American, April 10, 1937
Christmas greetings from Slaughter Stores
Austin American, December 25, 1938

Christmas greetings from Purity Feed Company and Hatchery
Austin American, December 25, 1938
CELEBRATE FALL’S COOL DAYS WITH MEATS FROM SLAUGHTER

Just because fall is here is no reason to forget about barbecuing until next summer. Celebrate the coming of cool autumn days by coming to Slaughter Locker Plant, 207 Brazos, for something tasty to barbecue.

Slaughter’s has a wide assortment of meats from which to choose — boneless beef brisket, barbecue sausage, meaty country-style pork spare ribs, beef short ribs, prepackaged chuck patties, fresh fryers and juicy sirloin and T-bone steaks.

If you want to buy meat in quantity, come to Slaughter’s for a half or quarter of beef or half of hog. Slaughter’s meat specialists — Harold Rister, Bud Jones, Red Copeland, Murphy Noack and Virginia Dunn — are all ready to help you select the right half or quarter for your family. Your meat will be cut and wrapped according to your specifications and then quick-frozen to insure uniform freshness and flavor.

Slaughter’s also has locker space available, so you can still have the economy of buying meat in quantity even if you do not have a home freezer.

Newspaper story advertising Slaughter’s Meat Locker, 207 Brazos Street Austin American, October 5, 1970
STRASSBURGER'S
RITES SET HERE

Funeral for Louis Strausburger, 72, well-known retired Austin business man, who died Wednesday at 7 p.m. at his home, 605 West 12th street, will be held Friday at 10 a.m. from the family residence with Rabbi Samuel Halevi Baron officiating.

Burial will be in Oakwood.


Mr. Strausburger, who came to America from Germany when he was only 14 years of age, had been in business here for 48 years at the time of his retirement about two years ago. During that time he was a partner in the Heidenschimer Strausburger company, and was well known for business and amiable enterprise.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Neilla Haber Strausburger, of Aus-
Funeral notice for Louis Strassburger, the partner of Isaac Heidenheimer in a wholesale grocery business in this building.

Austin Statesman, April 12, 1934

Funeral notice for Louis Strassburger
Austin American, April 13, 1934
LOWENBERGER—Word was received here Wednesday morning of the death of Dave Lowenberger, 59, for many years a prominent Austin business man, who succumbed at 8:10 a.m. in Great Neck, Long Island.

Mr. Lowenberger was a member here of the firm of I. Heidenheimer and company, wholesale grocers.

Failing health caused him to leave Austin in April and go to Great Neck, where he was with relatives while under the treatment of New York physicians.

He is survived by five sisters, Mrs. I. Heidenheimer, formerly of Austin, who is now living in Great Neck, Mrs. Rosa Heidenheimer of New York, and three in Germany.

Funeral services have not yet been arranged, according to the message received here.

News of the death of Dave Lowenberger, partner in the Heidenheimer and Strassburger firm
Austin Statesman, July 25, 1934
Obituary of Isaac Heidenheimer, who with Louis Strassburger, had a wholesale grocery business in this building, and is believed to have been the first occupant of the building. Heidenheimer was born in Germany.

Austin American, November 22, 1945

M. H. GOSSETT

M. H. Gossett, 67, an Austin resident, died Tuesday morning at a hospital in Wichita Falls. Gossett, a former owner of the Purity Feed Company here, had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jack Staley of Wichita Falls.

The body will be brought to Austin for burial.

Survivors include his widow and four daughters, Mrs. Staley, Mrs. Charles Swanner, Mrs. James T. Hill and Mrs. Bell Clarke.
Obituary of Marvin H. Gossett, who operated the Purity Feed Company here in the 1930s and 1940s.

Austin Statesman, December 13, 1949

Funeral services for Marvin H. Gossett, 67, were held at the Weed-Corley Funeral Home Wednesday with the Rev. Charles A. Sumners officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Lex Word of Kyle, B. F. Standifer and Dr. W. E. Williams, both of Austin, B. A. Hamilton of Taylor, Graves Terry of Lockhart and W. I. Kent of Dallas.

Funeral notice for Marvin H. Gossett
Austin American, December 15, 1949
Here Dies

Store Man

Slaughter

Lomis Slaughter, prominent Austin civic leader, died in a local hospital Wednesday night after an extended illness. He was 72.

He was a founder of the Slaughter Store and the Slaughter Packing Company. He also served as president of the University of Texas.

See Dies Page 3
Obituary of Lomis Slaughter, who had a wholesale and retail grocery business, meat packing plant, and sausage factory here from the 1930s through the late 1980s.

Austin American, August 30, 1962
Building permit to Lomis Slaughter to remodel and repair the building (1950)

OWNER George Slaughter ADDRESS 201 East 3rd St.
PLAT 11 LOT 12, 11, and 10 BLK 17
SUBDIVISION Original City
OCCUPANCY Remodel Commercial Building
BLD PERMIT # 90950 DATE 2-21-64 OWNERS
ESTIMATE $6000.00
CONTRACTOR A. W. Bryant NO. OF FIXTURES 3
WATER TAP REC # SEWER TAP REC #
Packing Plant
Change doors, add partitions, create bath upstairs.

Building permit to George Slaughter for remodeling the building (1964)

OWNER George Slaughter ADDRESS 207 Brazos Street
PLAT 11 LOT 11 & 12 BLK 47
SUBDIVISION Original City
OCCUPANCY Comm Bldg
BLD PERMIT # 97144 DATE Sep 22, 1965 OWNERS
ESTIMATE $1,000.00
CONTRACTOR A. W. Bryant NO. OF FIXTURES 9
WATER TAP REC # SEWER TAP REC #
Remodel Commercial Bldg
3-22-71-122804-remodel exist comm. bldg. Meat market

Building permit to George Slaughter for remodeling the building in 1965 and again in 1971.
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Building permit for remodeling the building (1974)

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Building permit to George Slaughter for repairs to the building (1978)
The 1900 Sanborn map shows a two-story house on the site of the current building.

The 1935 Sanborn map shows the current building with a store in the western third facing Brazos Street, a grocery warehouse in the middle third, and wholesale feed and flour in the eastern third. The map corresponds with city directory listings for Slaughter's Public Market, Slaughter's wholesale grocery warehouse, and Purity Feed and Hatchery.
The 1961 Sanborn map shows the later usage of the store – the Slaughter Public Market was in the western third of the building (labeled “S”), in the middle third was a grocery warehouse, cold storage, and meat cutting, and in the eastern third was more of the grocery warehouse, additional cold storage space, and a sausage factory. The two-story rooming house next door shown on the 1935 map had been demolished.