

**Historic
Resource
Inventory**
CITY OF PORTLAND, OREGON



0-936-01337

1337 S.W. Washington Street

Portland, North 1/2 of Block J, Lots 5, 6
QUARTER SECTION MAP #: 3028
Downtown Community Association

ORIGINAL NAME: Hotel Ramapo
OTHER NAMES: Taft Home for the Aged

ORIGINAL FUNCTION: Hotel, Retail

DATE BUILT: 1906

STYLE: Second Renaissance Revival

ARCHITECTURAL PLANS BY: Lazarus, E.M.

OTHER OWNERS: Hotel Ramapo Co.

TAX ASSESSOR'S ACCOUNT #: R-66773-7050
ZONING: RXZS

Rank III

SPECIAL FEATURES AND MATERIALS:

Four-story hotel and retail building faced with rusticated dark-red brick. Decorative features include piers rising from second through fourth stories, segmental-headed windows with keystones and radiating voussoirs, spandrel panels with decorative moldings and bracketed sheet metal cornice.

525

256

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*SPECIAL F/M - SIGNIFICANT ALTERATION:
Exterior remodeling for restaurant, 1975.*

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE: Architecture

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

City of Portland Buildings Bureau microform and card files.

*Multnomah County Tax Assessor records, microform, automated data files, and
card files (Portland, 1980).*

Portland City Directory (Portland, Oregon).

OLD ADDRESS: 469-475 Washington Street

MAJOR ALTERATIONS: 1975/490648/R. Ausman

Present owner as of May 1981: Rebecca G. Taylor

MAILING ADDRESS: Dr. Joseph T. Burton, 2270 Lloyd Center, Portland 97232

No Preservation Funding

Negative: 772-8

Score - Design/Construction: 11

Score - Historical:

Score - Rarity:

Score - Environment: 6

Score - Integrity: 8

Score - Intrinsic:

Score - Contextual: 14

Score - Total: 52.5

520

541