



Maryland Department of the  
Environment

## FACTS ABOUT: JOHN T. LEWIS & BROTHERS

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### **Site Location**

The John T. Lewis & Brothers site was located at 1013-1019 E. Fayette Street, three blocks east of the Baltimore Shot Tower and directly across the street from the Baltimore City Post Office. The geographic coordinates for the site are 39° 17.5014" North latitude and 76° 36.0979" West longitude based on the geographic center of the building as extrapolated from the USGS Baltimore East quadrangle map. The Maryland grid coordinates for the site are 912,300 East and 531,250 North.

### **Site History**

J. T. Lewis operated in Baltimore City at 1013 – 1019 East Fayette Street from 1912 through 1916. The Baltimore Business Directory for those years lists J. T. Lewis as a manufacturer of lead products and white lead for paint. After 1917, there is no reference to the company in the Baltimore directories. The Lewis Company sold the E. Fayette Street property in 1940 to Mr. Frank Corozza for \$5.00. Mr. Corozza leveled the buildings and built a parking facility over the site. The City subsequently acquired it and surrounding property and constructed a multi-level parking garage on the site.

### **Environmental Investigation**

There are no records of environmental assessments of the property.

### **Current Status**

The site is currently occupied by a multistory parking structure.



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