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Motor Mart, Sioux City, Iowa

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Description Level: Item

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Other Numbers: Hughes #68

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1920s]

Physical Description: 8.5" x 6.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Matting is torn, photo is scratched

History /

Biographical:

The Motor Mart Building in Sioux City, Iowa, is listed on the United States National Park Service's National Register of Historic Places. The State Historical Society of Iowa submitted the application in 1993. The building is an architectural example of the Commercial Style of the late 19th and early 20th Century American Movement designed by E.J. Henriques and C.F. Lytle Co. The building has a concrete foundation, brick walls, and a concrete roof. The Turner Mushroom System, a patented structural system involving a poured reinforced concrete framed, was used in the construction of the building. (Source: National Register of Historic Places Registration Form [online], focus.nps.gov/pdfhost/docs/NRHP/Text/93000330.pdf)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a four-storey brick building, with a large showroom on the main floor. Inside, automobiles can be seen on display. Banners in the store windows read White Moon. The photograph was taken at night and exterior lights decorate the building.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Motor Mart, Sioux City, Ia., Lytle [?] Co. Archts., Mushroom Sys. truout.

Subject Access: Transportation

automobiles

motor cars

car lots

Storage Location: Hughes oversize drawer

Images

