

**Market Avenue, S.W.**

- 13-15      *Gone by 1953.*
- 17            10/17/67    2535            Captiol
- 21-27        09/21/65    2028            *Capitol*  
*Grand Rapids Steel & Supply Co. 2-story brick commercial.*
- 37-39        12/09/85    7444            Riverside
- 41            09/13/95    8549            Pitsch
- 48-50        1926  
*2-story frame paint shop.*
- 50            11/05/71    4039            Cooke
- 55            09/13/95    8550            Pitsch
- 56            1926  
*2-story frame dwelling.*
- 58 Market S.W. 2-story brick commercial. In the 1920's, this building was the Vigil Publishing Co., the home of the *Catholic Vigil*, the Grand Rapids Catholic diocesan newspaper. In the 1950's, under George Welsh, it was the office of the Grand Rapids *Shopping News*.
- 58            04/04/95    8485  
1-story additions on the south side of the building only.  
07/31/96    8657
- 63            07/29/81    7052            General Bridge Corp.  
63 Market S.W. Charley's Crab, a \$2.5 million restaurant, opened in 1982.
- 66            1930  
*2-story frame dwelling.*
- 79-89        *Arctic Ice Cream Co. Cement structure.*
- 91-93        *Auto storage. Concrete block structure.*

102 Gas station on s.e. corner of Market & Oakes.  
Photo: GRPL 125-C009090.

108-20 Associated Truck Lines depot. Brick & Frame.  
Photo: GRPL 125-C009090.

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205-11 04/10/62 1024 Capitol  
Sewer line to be used. Auto sales & service. 1-story brick &  
block.  
Photo: GRPL 125-E0836.

216 1931  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

225 03/26/99 8868 Melching, Inc.

235 07/10/81 7041 Riverside  
NAPA. No cutoff.

251 *1-story block building, part of 263-73.*

254 1936  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

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256 09/23/70 3615 DeVries & Sons

257 1939  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

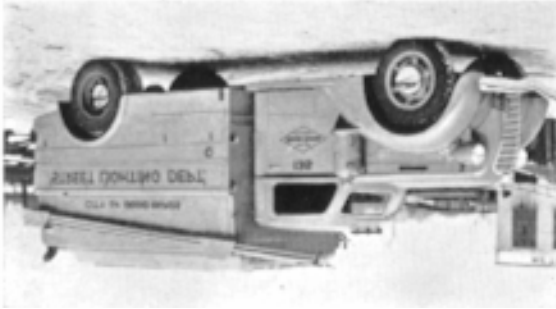
259 1939  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

268 11/18/69 3278 E. DeVries & Sons, Inc.

269 1936  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

273 1931  
*2-story frame dwelling.*

**301 Market S.W.** The newest addition to the Street Lighting Department in 1938 was this truck (top) equipped to handle any emergency. Six bright orange mechanical garbage pickup trucks (center) and two larger trucks (bottom) were also added to the fleet of the Public Service Department at the same time. (Photos: Robinson Studio, in *The Grand Rapids Mirror*, Vol. V, No. 4, summer, 1938. Top, inside front cover; center and bottom, p. 29.)



301                      04/22/69      3024  
Staggs

Building #10.  
04/07/81    7011  
82,000 square feet.

Leech Construction Co.

303                      07/02/80    5962  
Will run new service.

Pitsch

308	05/17/94	8404	Pitsch
	Old service station at point of Market, Bartlett, and Ney.		
318	1932		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
320	1936		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
325			
328	1932		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
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	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
340-42	1927		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
341	09/20/71	3994	Smith Brothers
	07/24/75	4911	Capitol
	11/01/79	5849	owner
	No water cutoff.		
344	1927		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
356	1928		
	<i>Frame dwelling.</i>		
374	Coal yard office.		
427	07/28/2003	9239	H & M
431	1927		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
439	1927		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
443	1929		
	<i>2-story frame dwelling.</i>		
450	08/15/84	7305	Riverside
	Rear buildings. No cutoff.		
481	04/03/63	1560	Henry Sompolinsky
	American Box Board Co. West side of Market at Godfrey.		

500	12/30/74 01/17/96	4747 8608	Capitol Cordes Trenching
566	06/01/71	3883	Capitol
577	11/12/93	8370	Pitsch
800	09/10/86	7548	Riverside Old Ford Paint building.

Market Avenue Bridge. Opened to traffic on Friday, August 19, 1994, the new \$3.2 million bridge over Plaster Creek was specially designed to carry additional sewer lines to the wastewater treatment plant. The road had been closed since January to permit construction of the new bridge, through which passes all of the 65 million gallons of the city's sewage each day. The bridge replaced a 1928 structure.