1305 Mulholland

1891 Plat: Dry Goods
1912 Sanborn Map: Dry Goods/Grocery
2010: Restaurant

1891 - 1920

The Columbia
Datin Brothers and Co./Datin & Leppert
*The store's first name. In 1896, the store named "The Columbia" was owned by a different proprietor and located in the block to the west. A dry goods store, featuring fine cigars

1920
Harsch's
A dry goods store and dry cleaning establishment

1930s
McCarty's Cash Grocery/McCarty's Produce Store

1935
A store fire necessitates remodeling. McCarty brothers convert the former grocery store into a tavern.

Late 1930
Red Front Tavern
A series of owner/operators follow the McCartys. The business continued as a tavern-restaurant.

Present
Dottie's Red Front

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Dry Goods Store to Tavern

George C. Harsch became owner in the mid 1920's. "Harsch's" also featured dry goods; dry cleaning services were added in the latter 1920's.

The McCarty's, Bryan and John, bought the store in the early 1930's and it became "Bryan McCarty's Produce Store" and, sometimes, "McCarty's Cash Grocery." A fire in 1935 caused the McCarty brothers to change course; they remodeled, painted the front red and became the first proprietors of the "Red Front Tavern."

The "Red Front" name was retained by subsequent owners: Red Deeg, Albert Steiner, Fred Barclay, Dave Koechle and Jim Schafer, Morle and Dottie Herbert. To old timers, it'll always be "The Red Front," although, more recently, it goes by "Dottie's" and cutters more to the lunch and dinner crowd.

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(Note: The lot just east of Dottie's Red Front has always been vacant, according to the 1891 Plat and 1912 Sanborn map.)


**1335 Mulholland**

**1891 Plat:** Barber Shop  
**1912 Sanborn Map:** Barber Shop  
**2010:** Private Residence

1920s  
Welter’s Barber Shop

1930s  
Walther and Welter’s Barber Shop  
(early ‘30s)

1930s  
Bicker’s Insurance and Real Estate

Present  
Private Residence

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**1345 Mulholland**

**1891 Plat:** Shoe Shop  
**1912 Sanborn Map:** Cobbler  
**2010:** Private Residence

c. 1890s  
Sommerhalder’s Shoe Shop  
Shoemaking and repair business

Present  
Private Residence

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Walther and Welter’s Barber Shop

Outside view of Walther & Welter’s Barber Shop in the 1930’s. (This building can also be seen as the brick building to the right, or east, in the picture of the Halloween prank on front side.)

You’ll love this. C. 1920’s-early 1930’s Joe W. Welter had a barber shop here, carrying on the tradition. Then, it became Walther (Ed) and Welter’s barber shop (there was also a “Walter” last name in town at the time!) Then, W.H. (Bill) Bicker ran an insurance and real estate office here. It became a private residence in the ___ and remains so today.

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