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Several Superior Avenue Businesses are planning moves to new locations. Foremost among them is the First National Bank (305 Superior) moving to South 100 block with plans to raze the existing buildings housing the Sportmans' Bar (117 Superior), Rosenloff's Welding (125 Superior), The Pub Bar (133 Superior) and Pivatto's Grocery (137 Superior). Red & Myrte Kastner, owners of the Sportman's Bar have purchased a lot (213 Superior) just down from the Crystal Bakery and will begin construction of a new building immediately. Vernon and Charlyn Jones, owners of the The Pub Bar will move across the street to the former site of Tessie's Beauty Salon (116 Superior). The demolishing of the building at 137 Superior ends a long history of businesses that occupied the property dating back to the original founding of Crystal Falls. Koepeke built the first structure in 1883, Milwaukee Cheap Store (1890), Sam Lada (1895-99), Bridges' Drugs (1904), F&S (1908), Hallada & Co. (1909-1911), Crystal Falls Co-Operative (1911-1912), Warshawsky Groceries (1915-1923), Selmo & Pivatto Grocery (1923-1926), Pivatto Grocery (1926-1975).