

### This one building in Marietta used to contain 11 businesses

by Hazel Baker

Perhaps a record was established early in this century when a two-story brick structure in Marietta housed 11 businesses behind 70 feet of street frontage.

A newspaper clipping owned by Mrs. Harry Zuch

reveals that a dentist's office, shoe store, shoe factory, tobacco store, news agency, clothing store, milk business, and living quarters were all squeezed into one building.

The late George Resch owned the property.

John Seaman ran a shoe repair shop and lived in

rooms at the rear. His rooms later served as a drug store and restaurant. His Marietta Shoe Factory was upstairs.

George Zuch ran a wholesale cigar and tobacco business from the building. His quarters doubled as office for the Justice of the Peace.

Charles Wagner ran a newspaper agency in the building.

Thomas Moran had rooms as well as a clothing store. (The store was operated by M. Kaskey.)

Lester Zuch managed Martin's Pasturized Milk from an upstairs office. The milk was pasteurized in the basement.

There must not have been a housing ordinance in those

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