
WALKING HISTORY TOUR



Canton National Bank

This is the inside of Canton National Bank in 1896. Canton National Bank on the corner of Main and Elm was one of three banks in town that closed during the 1929 crash and the 1933 banking moratorium. The other two were the First National Bank and Canton State Bank. The two national bank's board of directors got together and on November 22, 1933, formed a new bank charter—The National Bank of Canton—and it officially reopened on November 28, 1933, at the Canton National Bank location at 2 East Elm St. Board members of the new bank included W.P. Ingersoll, . In 1969, the National Bank of Canton moved to the corner of Ave A and Elm St, the former location of Dog and Sud's. In 1997, The National Bank of Canton updated its name to MidAmerica National Bank but still operates under the original charter from 1933. Local ownership remains.