

My father, Morton Smith, Sr. remodeled the old Hotel-Saloon after World War II before we lived there.

The picture at the right shows it as it appeared after the remodeling. In the late 1940's he added the bowling alleys onto the right side of the building and moved the bar into the new addition.

The property was sold in the 1950's and the top two floors were destroyed by fire in January of 1965 as depicted in the newspaper photo shown below. The owners chose not to rebuild the upper portion so it remains a single story building today.

---Dianne Schnabl 1981



THE RESIDENTIAL portion of the Y Bowl on Racine ave. in Muskego was badly damaged by a fire in near-zero weather Saturday afternoon. Muskego firemen were assisted by units from Tess Corners, Big Bend and New Berlin. Another photo is on page two of this issue. (Hub photo)