

## 732 W. MAIN STREET

In 1860, Silas Eggleston built the first small Indian Trading Post along the Fox River. Here Indians traded their hides and furs for merchandise. In 1900 Eggleston's son DeWitt, took over the trading post and built a large hotel on site. The hotel had many names including Hotel Riverside, the First Chance-Last Chance, and finally the Hotel DeWitt. Later, DeWitt recalled a vaudeville theater in Kansas City called the "Dizzy" and renamed his business. In the 1930's Dizzy's got its liquor license and was ran by Paul and Dolores Ladwig (grandson of DeWitt) for many years. This landmark was razed in 1983 when the bridge was replaced.



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