



Main St. (looking South)

Starr and Blakely Drug Store
421 North Main Street
Brownsville, Linn County, Oregon

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Historic view ca. 1890. Looking south on Main Street, showing Starr and Blakely Drug Store facade with original wood canopy and scroll-sawn

corbels supporting cornice. The single story building stands between two two-story buildings near the SW corner of Main Street and Stanard Avenue. This view shows that the frame false

front type of commercial building with Italianate cornice and wooden sidewalk canopy was once typical of Brownsville's Main Street development. Today, the Starr and Blakely Drug Store is the

only historic example of its type remaining in downtown Brownsville.

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East elevation fronting Main Street,
showing shop front restored. Corbelled
cornice is to be reconstructed on
basis of historic photographs.

Buildings on either side are not those
which originally were neighbors to
the Starr and Blakely Drugstore.

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Looking north on Main Street. Starr and Blakely Drug Store is in foreground, left, the only historic frame false front building remaining.

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Looking north on Main Street. Starr and Blakely Drug Store, left, is the only historic frame false front building remaining in the downtown.

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East (front) and north elevations. Side elevations originally were unclad. When neighboring building on north was pulled down in the 1940s, the exposed

vertical boards of the north elevation were covered with shingles.

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North elevation. Shingle-sided building set back from Main Street dates from c. 1945 and is not included in the nominated area.

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Interior view, looking east toward front
of store.

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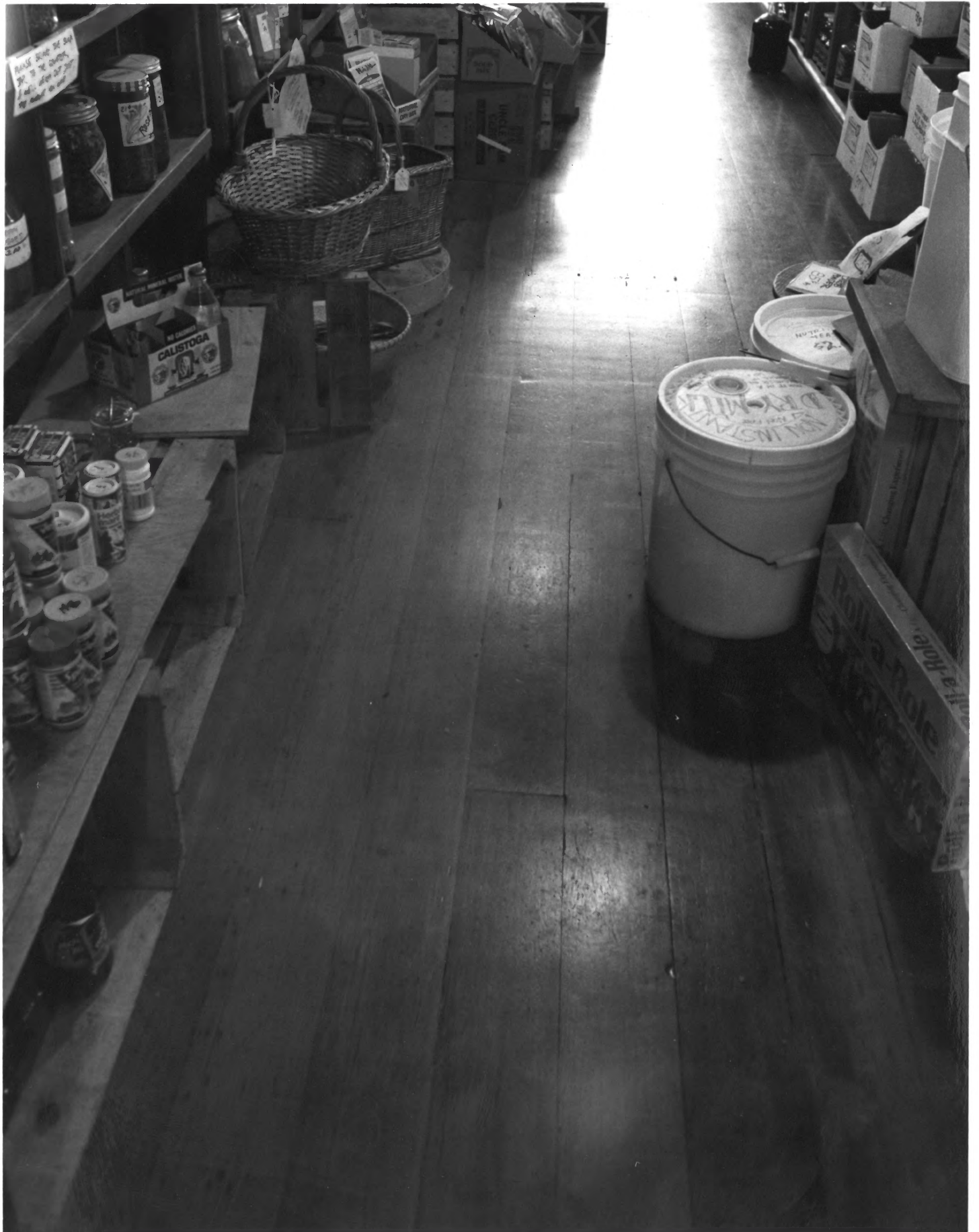


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Interior view, looking easterly toward
front of store, showing reconstructed
shelving.

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Please don't put
the 1/2 lb. bags
of coffee in the
the coffee bin.

NO SUGAR
CALISTOGA

INSTANT

1/2 a Hole

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Interior view, looking easterly toward
front of store, showing original
floor boards.

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