

EUTAW PLACE (2358)

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The thin three-story stone-fronts [Nos. 2342-2360] were built c. 1896 by John W. Hoffacker, but six of them were purchased by the court-ordered auction in 1898 by developer Jacob S. Rosenthal. No. 2358 was one of the six; Mr. Rosenthal was able in very short order to rent it to furniture manufacturer Aaron Benesch [(1868-1944)], who eventually bought it from him. Mr. Benesch was listed at the address in the city directories of 1901 through 1914, inclusive; he then sold it to wholesale milliner Alexander Marcus [(1879 -

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1964)], who lived in it until the early 1930s, although after the 1929 Crash he converted it from a single-family home into apartments for himself and his son-in-law, carpet dealer Irvin I. Trupp [(1908-1978)]. In the mid 30s Mr. Marcus moved out, but Mr. Trupp remained in one of the apartments until at least 1948. After that both apartments were strictly the rental units they apparently remain today [2013].

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