



Mr. Simon, the owner of Simon's Garage on West Main Street, was the last holdout to vacate his property in 1989 so the construction of the Breslin Building could commence. The Simon property was a combination home, gas station and junkyard. Arthur Simon lived here with his sisters Edith and Beatrice.

Simon's Garage and gas station on the north side of West Main Street and the buildings to the left and right of Simon's were condemned and razed to clear the north side of West Main Street for the coming construction of the Breslin Building, which is now the Brookhaven Memorial Hospital's dialysis center.



The Sinclair gas station and the Ace radiator shop on West Main Street, next to Simons Garage, also were demolished. In all, ten separate parcels were condemned by the village. This project, which was started under the administration of Mayor James E. Reese has resulted in the clearing of 100,000 square feet of space at the cost of \$800,000 in federal funds.