

Lacrosse Fire Guts Downtown Building

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The investigation into the fire that destroyed the former Optical Fashions building at 400 Jay Street Saturday, begins today.

Firefighters think the blaze, that took all day to fight, may have started in an attic of an empty building.

Firefighters were on scene until 1am Sunday morning knocking down hotspots.....later in the day the entire building was knocked down into a pile of rubble and wood.

The American Red Cross is working to help the families that were burned out of 6 apartments housed in the building