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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1890.

A VERY SERIOUS CHARGE.

The superintendent of streets in his annual report makes the following very grave charge. Referring to the new bonded sewers, he says: "The joints [of the sewer pipes] are poorly made, and even now for a considerable distance on Second street and Flower street, the joints are open and the pipe is cracked and broken." If this is true of the places mentioned, it may be true of many other places, and the people of this city are therefore confronted with a very serious development. It would be a most alarming commentary upon the integrity of official work, if, after the city has mortgaged herself for nearly half a million dollars to construct a system of general sewerage, it should turn out that the work had been so inefficiently performed and the material used had been so defective that we should find ourselves at the end of the great undertaking with a series of worthless sewers.

There has been a great deal of running street talk about the character of the work upon our new sewers, but this is the first direct information we have had from an official source that the city was being dishonestly dealt with in the carrying out of this very important work. It was said two months ago, when the brick sewer was being built through Grand avenue, that there was crooked work going on in it; that the bricks were soft, unfit, and not according to specifications; that the inside plaster did not contain the proportion of cement required by the contract, and that the mortar used in the brick-work was deficient in lime or cement. It was further charged that the work was covered up so quickly as it progressed as to excite the suspicion that the contractors were unwilling to expose it to public inspection.

Now if these reports are true, even to a limited extent, the people will be justified in feeling that they have been grossly victimized. We are bound to accept the official report of the street superintendent as true unless it can be successfully refuted in its specific charges. It is not pleasant to think that we have been wronged and cheated in this sewer business, after having voted so much money to give our city a perfect and complete system of sewerage.

The people would like to hear from the officials who are responsible for the manner in which these sewers have been constructed how it comes that in a few weeks after some portions of them have been laid and accepted, the superintendent of streets could make the damaging disclosures he has in his report? And if he could do so truthfully, are they not warranted in believing that much of the work that was so hurriedly covered up has been of the fake order which public rumor ascribed to it as it was being done?

During the recent municipal canvass Mr. Hutchinson, the street superintendent-elect, who was the chief inspector for the city engineer on the Grand-avenue sewer, was specifically charged with having passed sections of the sewer in which the inside plaster and the mortar did not come up to the requirements of the specifications. That charge might have been slighted at election time as a mere electioneering rorback, but with the later development it assumes a more serious aspect and is worthy of present attention. If we have been swindled in our sewers by official dereliction or connivance there will be a fearful reckoning awaiting the people.

A SQUABBLE over the proposition to renew insurance policies upon city buildings took place yesterday, in which it was developed that there were two agents of insurance companies in the board. One denied that his companies had any of the policies and the other admitted that some of them were in companies which he represented. The first insisted on his right to vote upon the issuance of new policies, but the latter waived his privilege. It is of doubtful expediency for the city to spend money in insuring her buildings. Including the school houses she has enough buildings to justify her in becoming her own insurer. As one of the members said, the city could better afford to lose one school house each year by fire than to pay the extortionate rates exacted by the underwriters. The new city hall is so constructed that it is almost proof against fire. The old city hall is comparatively safe, for at all hours of the day and night there are persons stirring throughout the building, so that it would be difficult for a fire to start and get headway before it would be discovered and extinguished. We believe with those members who are

opposed to spending enormous sums yearly for insurance, that the city would act wisely in taking the fire-risk of her own property upon herself.

THE TOOL OF WALL STREET.

Mr. Windom is a very small man in a very large place. He does not fill the place, and this mental exigency of the man is the only recommendation about him. It is a negative affair at best, but it is just this quality of Windom that made him secretary of the treasury.

Minnesota was elected a senator from Minnesota about 1877 by certain large corporate interests of the state, because he had been found a handy sort of man to have in an emergency, and one always easily approached, especially so by men who had long bank accounts. But in the senate Windom was found to be a failure, in spite of these convenient traits of character. It takes force and positiveness of character, with an ability to champion a cause by logical argument in that body. Here Windom failed. The "me too Plat" development of the New York colleague of Conkling was really a sensitive assertion of individual opinion as compared with anything Windom could be got to acquit himself of. So dismal a failure was he that at the expiration of his term of office his masters threw him over and took up a substitute supposed to have more weight, in the person of Dwight M. Sabin, a millionaire in his own right. Windom was deeply chagrined at his own rejection by his party in Minnesota, and incontinently shook the dust of the state off his feet, and with it the dust of politics for the time being, and hid him away to Wall street to put money in his purse. If millionaires were the only kind of timber to make Republican senators of, then Windom would like to be a millionaire. He prospered in Wall street, both from a financial and political point of view. He made money, and when his party returned to power in 1888, with a pronounced corporation lawyer at the head of the government, Wall street saw its opportunity and made the most of it by putting Windom in charge of the treasury.

Such is the man; now look at his policy. Wall street was not disappointed in the man. The great function of government under such a system as ours is simply to take care of the rights of the people, and see that one citizen deals fairly, according to the provisions of just laws, with another. With business the government has nothing to do, or as little as possible. But under Windom and his kind the treasury is simply a great banking system, subservient to the interests of money, wherever found in large aggregations. Wall street and the Wall street man at the head of the treasury play financial battle-dore and shuttle-cock to the top of their bent. Hardly a week goes by that there is not a conference between the brokers of Gotham and the ex-broker in Washington. The little man's dignity is carefully regarded by a new amount of taffy when the Seligman or others speak of these interviews; but in a day or two come back the echoes of all their opinions from the desk in the treasurer's office. The next day or so, the brokers' views are put in practice by the treasury department.

The simple fact is the government, under men like Windom—and all Republican treasurers are more or less like him, none of them having quite been his equal—in its relations to the business of the country, reminds one of nothing so much as early days in California, and the manipulation of the mining stock market by the celebrated magnates of Pine street. One twist on the screws was taken after another, now the motion being ascending and anon descending, but in all developments the people were robbed right and left, while the manipulators got rich. So it is in Wall street. Squeeze after squeeze is engineered in the money and stock market, and periodically comes in Mr. Windom with his outpouring of money just at the right moment to send the depressed market on a boom. In a few weeks the stocks so recently held in the hands of a few sharpers of the Jay Gould stripe, bought up at ruinous prices, are distributed. The people have them again, and the playful bulls stop tossing things on their horns, become playful bears and trample things beneath their feet once more. While this is going on Mr. Windom is lying low. His turn comes again later. There is one way out of all this. That way will come. The people will learn to let railroad watered stocks go to the demitition bow-wows as they learned to let mining stocks go in California. In due time, too, the government will learn to keep its hands off of these panics, and let the bulls and bears regulate their own affairs. That will be when the people learn to discard such statesmen as Harrison and Windom. They will learn the lesson. At the same time they will learn to stop gathering in all the money in the country from the channels of trade by means of ruinous war taxes, and they will learn to take care of all necessitous soldiers of the wars of the country at a lower cost than \$150,000,000 a year.

The city council of Pasadena understands and practices the principles of public economy. The city recorder had a salary of \$25 a month. When the appalling fact was brought to the notice of the members they at once resolved that the salary should be abolished, and the official made to recoup himself by drawing a fee of \$3 for each criminal case tried before him. As there is an average of about six criminal prosecutions per month in our well-behaved and exemplary sister city, there will be a clear saving of \$7 a month to the denizens of that burgh. It is in looking after the little leaks that we prevent the possibility of great crevasses.

A PASADENA man has seventy acres set to deciduous orchard. The crop of last season brought him in \$9,294.61. He

thinks the total cost of the place, including getting the fruit to market, was less than \$1000. His trees are not more than half in bearing, but it looks as if he could worry along and pay the butcher from receipts like these. Say he netted \$8000 for the crop, that is ten per cent. on \$80,000. Yet an eastern man would think he was being robbed if asked half that sum for the place.

SENATOR GORMAN of Maryland is a most astute politician. He knows the south thoroughly. His views on Lodge's proposed force bill are correct. He thinks the Republican party is using the big coil of rope in its possession for the proverbial purpose, and that no obstacle should be put in the way of hanging itself.

The expiring city council astonished itself yesterday by sustaining a veto of Mayor Hazard.

The Puente oil measures seem to be a wellspring of profit to those who own them.

AMUSEMENTS.

Events for the Current Week Outlined.

Tonight at the Los Angeles theater there will be a grand benefit concert in behalf of St. Paul's hospital building fund. Mr. J. H. Brenner will be in charge.

Professor Kramer's school for dancing is again open at 313 and 313 1/2 South Main street.

Tomorrow evening the great Star course of lectures and amusements, under the auspices of the Chautauqua association, will give a fine entertainment in the Swedish Quartette, at Illinois hall.

Tomorrow evening at Turn Verein hall Fraulein Adele Aus der Ohe will give one of her grand piano entertainments. People who love music must hear this gifted woman on the piano.

Thursday night Frank Daniels, in Little Puck, opens for four nights at the Los Angeles.

NEW SUITS. Misfits Which Were Filed Yesterday With the County Clerk.

R. F. MacKenzie yesterday filed a suit against L. N. Breed, A. N. Hough and F. C. Howes for \$15,540 damages for injuries received while working in the dark, by being thrown to the ground by an obstruction placed on the sidewalk by the defendants.

Tom T. Smith has commenced suit against the county for \$539.32, salary said to be due for overtime work as a deputy in the tax collector's office.

F. A. Moore is the plaintiff in a suit commenced against the Redondo Beach company for \$613,900, the value of fifty sacks of wheat which the railway company failed to turn over to the consignee.

WINEBURGH'S. ON SPECIAL SALE TODAY.

We were very busy yesterday. No wonder. We offered better bargains. Well, we will do still better for you today. We place on sale: Ladies' high neck, long sleeve, wool mixed tight fitting jersey vests, assorted colors and black, 40c each. Ladies' all-wool scarlet Medicated Vests and Pants, all sizes, 69c each. Infants' Saxony wool scarlet ribbed Vests, 25c each. 10-4 double white Blankets, colored border, \$1 a pair. 18x70 double grey Blankets, \$1.10 a pair. Ladies' all-wool black Cashmere Jerseys, 90c each. 44-inch wide fine black silk lustre Sicilian, 53c a yard. Pair size red lined Bed Comforters, 75c each. Large size turkey red, white filled Bed Comforters, \$1 each. Ladies' black saten quilted Skirts, lined and padded, \$1 each. Fancy reds, Coughs, hand-somely painted, white filling, 50c each. (This is a bargain you should not miss.) Children's cashmere lace trimmed silk tufted Bonnets, 50c each. Children's Saxony wool Bonnets, assorted colors, 35c each. Gents' scarlet all-wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1. Fine all-wool Henrietta Nettle Bly Caps, former \$1.00 for 50c. 60-inch wide all-wool Tricot, good colors, 59c a yard. Scarlet all-wool twilled Flannel, 25c a yard. White Shaker Flannel, 12 1/2c a yard. Stripes and checks dark Gaiting Flannels, 9c a yard. Children's merino Vests, small sizes, 25c each. Boys' merino Vests, large sizes, 25c each. WINEBURGH'S 309-311 S. Spring street.

A SCARED EDITOR. A rugged farmer stalked into the sanctum with a big whiner under his arm. "Be you scared?" "I am," was the half apprehensive reply. "Here's two dollars—send me your paper, for me." "You see," he went on, "our daughter was sick and like to die; she drooped and grew weak and pale, her headaches, no appetite, back ached, hands and feet like ice, couldn't sleep, hunched with cough, and we thought she had consumption. No medicine helped her until she tried that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription mentioned in your paper, when she began to mend in no time and is now well and handsome as a rose—but me down as a life subscriber." Now the editor is looking for another scare. The medicine has cured thousands afflicted as was the farmer's daughter, restoring the female functions to healthy action, and removing the obstructions and suppurations which caused her trouble. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or price (\$1.00) refunded. It is a legitimate medicine, not a boycage. Contains no alcohol or opiate; no syrup or sugar to sour or ferment in the stomach and derange digestion. For a Book of 100 pages on Woman: Her Diseases, and How to Cure them, sent sealed in plain envelope, enclose ten cents, in stamps, to WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, No. 683 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. PIERCE'S PELLETS Purely Vegetable, of Cathartic, according to size of dose. Smallest, Cheapest, Sugar-coated and Easiest to take. Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation. By druggists, 25 cents a vial.

CHIROPODISTS. STAFFER, CHIROPODIST—CORNS, BUNIONS and Ingrowing toe nails treated. 209 W. First St., opposite Nadeau. Hours, 9 to 4. 10-187f

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Great American Importing Tea Co., 135 N. Main and 351 S. Spring streets, LOS ANGELES. 12-9-eod1m

DO YOU KNOW THAT THE BEST PLACE IN THE CITY TO GET YOUR FAMILY WINES AND LIQUORS IS AT

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MAIL OR TELEPHONE ORDERS ARE ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY. 12-9-1m

C. H. HANCE'S Central Pharmacy, 177 AND 179 North Spring St., LOS ANGELES.

I am now selling Drugs, Medicines, Toilet Articles, indeed everything that goes to make up an immense stock in my line, including an elegant line of

HOLIDAY GOODS

A FEW QUOTATIONS: Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 70c; Ayer's Vigor, 50c; Hood's Sarsaparilla, 70c; Pierce's Favorite Prescription, 70c; Warner's Safe Cure, 85c; King's Discovery, 70c; Simmons' Liver Regulator, 70c; Cuticura Soap, 15c; Hoyt's Cologne (genuine), 15c; Hunyadi Janos Water, 35c; Scott's Emulsion, 70c; Oriental Cream, 70c; All Reclamier Preparations, \$1.10; Camelline, 35c; Creme de Lis, 40c; Syrup Figs, small, 40c; Syrup Figs, large, 75c; Pond's Extract, small, 35c; Pond's Extract, 8 oz. size, 75c; Wyeth's Beef Iron and Wine, 75c; Pure Cod Liver Oil, per pint, 50c; Dr. Bosanko's Cough Syrup, 40c; Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, 40c; Chamberlain's Cough Syrup, 80c; Homeopathic Remedies, all kinds, 15c; Hance's Cream, 25c; Anita, 50c; Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic, 75c; Pozzoni's Powder, 35c; La Blanche Powder, 30c; Saunders Powder, 30c; Swan Down Powder, 10c. 11-23-3m

BUSINESS CHANGES. FOR SALE—FRUIT AND CIGAR STORE. Rooms, 2nd floor, 609 S. Spring. Inquire at 604 S. Spring. 12-3-7f

SPECIALISTS. CHAS. W. BRYSON, M. D.—DISEASES OF WOMEN, 798 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, Cal. Office, 798; residence, 798. 11-20

BELLEVEUE LYING-IN HOSPITAL IS NOW open, under the management of Mrs. Dr. J. H. Smith. Patients can have their choice of physicians, and the best of care is given. Midwifery a specialty. 145 Bellevue Ave. m24f

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ARCHITECTS. R. B. YOUNG, ARCHITECT, 1111 Broadway, between New and Commercial streets, Los Angeles. 12-12m

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—TO RENT FURNISHED HOUSE, six or seven rooms and bath; southwestern portion of city. Address C. X. B. office of this paper. 12-7-3f

WANTED—LADY BOARDERS; INQUIRE at 619 W. SIXTH ST. 12-7-7f

WANTED—SECOND-HAND GOODS; HIGH-EST cash price paid. COLGAN'S, 241 S. Main. 11-13-3m

WANTED—PICTURES TO FRAME, CHEAP—best place at BURNS'S, 256 S. Main St. au21-f

WANTED—AGENTS. WANTED—THE PACIFIC ENDOWMENT League admits to membership both sexes, incomes for \$5000, and pays in coupons of \$500 monthly death benefits, no medical examinations; membership, 6500; surplus funds, \$110,000; admission fee, \$5. Wanted, intelligent men and women. Address, BYRON E. HUNT, agent, 321 1/2 S. Spring St. 12-7-1f

WANTED—SITUATIONS. WANTED—POSITION OF SOME KIND BY ANYONE who desires highest recommendations. Address P. O. box 1007, Station C. 12-9-7f

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MAN writes a situation as an accountant or our office work. Closing books or temporary work solicited. Good references. Address, X2-40, this office. 12-8-21

WANTED—HELP. THE LADIES' TAILOR IS THE SAME SYSTEM for ladies that tailors use for gentlemen, employing the same principles in dress-cutting that are used by every successful mechanic. It is the most convenient, simple and complete ladies' tailoring system in the world. Call at 316 S. Spring street. 12-7-4f

WANTED—ALL NEEDING HELP FREE—Employment or any information, address E. NITTINGER'S BUREAU; established 1880 Office, 319 1/2 S. Spring; residence, 151 S. Hope St., cor. Fifth, Los Angeles, Cal. Telephone 113. 11-20

FOR RENT—HOUSES. FOR RENT—AT SANTA MONICA, OCEAN front, a pretty seven-room cottage, furnished, handsomely decorated, modern improvements, plenty flowers. Also upper part, with large sunny rooms, furnished, with residence, beautiful grounds, rents reasonable. Mrs. M. H. Kimball, Second street, bet. Oregon and Arizona aves. 12-2-3f

FOR RENT—A NICE HOUSE of 4 ROOMS near Santa Fe and Southern Pacific depots. The house is hard finished, papered and frescoed, and is in every respect desirable. Rent for permanent tenants. Address, L. P. box 30, Herald, or apply to C. A. SUMNER & CO., 107 S. Broadway. 12-3-1f

FOR RENT, CHEAP—A LODGING HOUSE on San Pedro. L. SCHMIDT, 200 W. First st., room 13. 12-3-7f

FOR RENT—HOUSES ALL OVER THE CITY. C. A. SUMNER & CO., 107 S. Broadway. m10-f

FOR RENT—ROOMS. FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS, FIRST FLOOR, furnished for housekeeping; folding bed; 325 S. Hill st. 12-7-3f

FOR RENT—AT SANTA MONICA, FURNISHED rooms in Bohemian block, and Bohemian cottage, Ocean avenue; also a five-room furnished cottage; everything first class; prices reasonable. Apply or address, MRS. BOEHME, cor. Oregon and Ocean aves. 12-3-1m

DRESSMAKERS—WANTED, TO RENT ONE of two nicely furnished rooms close in, suitable for a dressmaker, in part, exclusive instruction in dressmaking. Address, E. E. this office. 11-22-1f

FOR RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED front suite in private house. 520 S. Spring street. 11-21-1m

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR RENT—HALF OF STORE, AT 158 1/2 S. Spring st., between First and Second, from January 1st. 11-23-1f

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—A FLAT VALVE TROMBONE, Lyon & Healy make. Healy music address R. H. M. Alhambra, Cal. 12-9-21

FOR SALE—FARMING IMPLEMENTS; TWO seated Concord spring wagon, good farm wagon, Cassidy sulky plow, 10 in.; scraper, harrow, cultivator, plows, etc. See LECTIC BOOK STORE, corner Second and Main. 12-6-sat-tue-thur-f

FOR SALE—AN ESTABLISHED PUMBING and gas-fitting business. Address, R. E. this office. 12-8-3w

FOR SALE—2 SEATED SPRING WAGON. Apply at 3145 Maple avenue. 12-7-21

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, THE FURNITURE of a 7-room house, everything complete for company, will be sold at a sacrifice; house for rent, immediate possession given. Only 3 blocks from the Nadeau hotel, on the hill. Apply to M. G. WILLARD, 110 S. Broadway. 12-7-3f

FOR SALE—ONE 200 H. P. HAZELTON boiler and 1 purifier at half of cost price. MAIER & ZOBELEIN'S Brewery, also street, Los Angeles. 9-12-3m

FOR SALE—WAGONS AND CARRIAGES bought, sold and exchanged. 123 S. FIDELITY ST. 9-12-3m

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY. FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, CLEAN side hill, near Pico; \$2200; terms to suit; a bargain. INNES & MAUGRUM, 207 W. Second street. 12-7-7f

FOR SALE—COUNTRY PROPERTY. FOR SALE—GLENORA ORANGE LAND, with water, \$100 per acre, on five years' time. H. E. SIDDALL, 139 S. Broadway. 12-9-3f

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FOR SALE—IN ESCONDIDO, SAN DIEGO county, a nice home of 10 1/2 acres, inside city limits, fronting on the best residence street; solid two-story brick house of 9 rooms; large brick hothouse and cellar; good well and windmill; barn, chicken houses, etc.; 3 acres in assorted crops; 3 acres in deciduous fruit trees, three years old; balance in pasture; all stock price; immediate possession given. Only 3 blocks from the Nadeau hotel, on the hill. Apply to M. G. WILLARD, 110 S. Broadway. 12-7-3f

FOR SALE—104 ACRES, \$100 PER ACRE, 3 1/2 miles from center of city; 20 acres in blue gum tract; address J. W. POTTS, box 543, Station C. Will sell half of above land. 12-7-1m

FRUIT TREES FOR SALE—I HAVE ON my ranch, 2 miles northeast of Downey and 1 mile south of Rivera, a choice selection of citrus and deciduous fruit trees for sale; figs and walnuts a specialty; all at lowest market price; guaranteed true to name; correspondence solicited. JAS. STEWART, Box 52, Downey, Cal. 12-6-1m

FOR SALE—ROAD-HOUSE AT A BARGAIN, on Mission Road, Address P. O. box 63, Station B, East Los Angeles. 12-1-10f

SPECIAL NOTICE. COMPANY will strictly enforce the following rule: The hours for striking are 12 o'clock and 8 o'clock a. m., and 6 o'clock p. m. For a violation of the above regulation the water will be shut off, and a fine of \$2 will be charged before water will be turned on again. au17-1v

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK. FOR SALE—WELL-MATCHED TEAM of black horses; large and fine; will be sold at a bargain. Apply to McKOON & GAY, 105 1/2 S. Broadway. 12-7-1f

MEETINGS. SPECIAL MEETING OF LOS ANGELES Special Lodge, No. 42, F. & A. M. will be held Tuesday evening, December 9th, at 7:00 p. m. sharp, at Masonic Hall, No. 127 1/2 S. Spring street, for the purpose of installing the newly elected officers. By order, C. F. A. LEST, W. M. ROBERT E. MCGREGOR, Secretary. 11

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COUNCIL, No. 728, Royal Arcanum—meets second and third evenings of each month, at K. O. hall, No. 118 1/2 S. Spring street, for brothers cordially invited. S. E. LEVINE, Secretary. m12-13m

ARCHITECTS. R. B. YOUNG, ARCHITECT, 1111 Broadway, between New and Commercial streets, Los Angeles. 12-12m

TO EXCHANGE. WANTED TO SELL OR EXCHANGE FOR business property, a fine double house in the best residence part of the city, each containing 9 rooms and bath, each with 12-room house, with plenty of closets, cellar and all the latest improvements. Inquire 134 N. Los Angeles st. 12-9-7f

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR FRUIT OR FARM lands, 16-room residence with all modern improvements, finely arranged grounds, centrally located in Hollywood, near 2000. Call on or address E. R. THRELDKILL, Boyle Heights, Los Angeles, cor. First and Broadway. 12-1-13f

TO EXCHANGE—CLEAR, UNIMPROVED lands and town lots, a stock of lumber, to trade for furniture, horses, harness, buggies, wagons, cows or merchandise. E. RIMAN, 1205 S. Spring st. 11-21f

PERSONAL. A LITTLE BOY, 6 YEARS OF AGE, LEFT his home at 821 Lyons st., Sunday afternoon and has not been heard of since; he wore a soft felt hat, common brown greys, blue pants and grey stockings; dark coat, white belt, white back-ground and blue anchors; black eyes. Information of his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his father at the above address, or at the Police station. 12-9-11

PARTIES HAVING PLEDGES ON WHICH the time has expired will please call and receive the same or pay the accrued interest, otherwise they will be sold. This notice includes pledges to Nos. 2003, and date May 1st, 1890. Pledges consisting of gold and silver watches and chains, diamonds, etc., for sale. A. S. JOSEPH, 217 N. Spring st. 12-9-3f

MRS. H. JACKSON HAS REMOVED FROM 316 1/2 South Spring to 133 North Main st., Rooms 2 and 3. 12-9-3f

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