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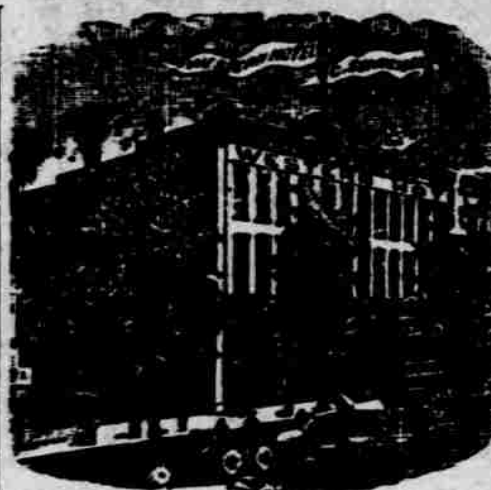
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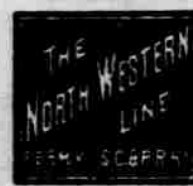
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A Broken Hearted Mother.
A recent issue of the Post Intelligence of Seattle, W. T. contained a piteous appeal of a "Broken-Hearted Mother" to the chief of police, praying for the abolition of the "vicious allurements" of the city which have ruined her son. The Post Intelligence of the following day contained an editorial which must have outraged the feelings of every mother who read it. The mother is told that if her son "has gone into the service of the devil it is his own fault" and that he "will never be worth anything until he can resist the allurements, of the drinking hell and the brothel." This is poor comfort for the "Heart-Broken Mother" of whom there are so many in Seattle because of these "vicious allurements" that as a friend says "it is impossible to guess who is the writer since it might have the cry of so many in our midst." There are few, if any, cities in the world where the saloon and the brothel flaunt as openly as they do in Seattle. From their tenderest years the children are familiar with their existence of shame, the very knowledge of which is a contamination. Many children are weak through inherited taints and could only be kept from falling by being in an atmosphere of moral and wholesome living, just as the child inheriting a tendency to physical disease must be kept from unfavorable conditions. Others are deprived of paternal care, or worse yet, take their first lessons in sin from the father's example. A thousand conditions prevail besides an abnormal tendency to evil, which may cause the youth to fall a victim to temptations constantly besetting him and which no maternal care may be able to offset. Chief among all the means of deterioration is the familiarizing of the youths with evil by the presence of the saloon and its twin companion, and it is shocking for the public press to condone the existence of these evil haunts or to say it is all the youth's fault if he falls. The broken hearted mother has cried aloud in her agony against these iniquities and she is told that her son is alone to blame.

To what annihilation of reason, sympathy, and sense does a cringing subservience to the liquor traffic carry the business man or the public press. If, because of a broken sidewalk or a pitfall in the street this mother's son becomes maimed or crippled, the city is to blame and must recompense her as far as possible. How much more, then, should the authorities bear the responsibility and the blame when the snares and pitfalls of the soul, which they have placed in the way of the inexperienced, ignorant and weak, have been the means of destroying both soul and body. Against every person who, legally, morally, or in the way of business, has to do with the planting or sustaining of these "vicious allurements," the voice of every brother's blood who falls through them cries out to God for vengeance. And more powerful than the trumpet of Joshua will be the cries of the heart-broken mothers to bring distraction upon the modern Jerichos which are given over to the pollution and shame of the "vicious allurements."

The following marriage licenses were issued by Judge Swezy in October 1889:

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