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Mr. L O Ward, of Commerce,
4086 Central Ave.
East San Diego, Cal.

I am sorry to know of the whereabouts of J.W. Francis
and Foster Dean, who I have known for many years.

The Chamber of Commerce here has shown me your letter of inquiry
about J W Francis. Mr. Francis has disappeared; we do not know his
whereabouts. His transactions are now being investigated by us, and
I hope some way will be found to properly clear up things.

Will you send me full particulars of his dealings with you?

Thanking you, I am,

Very truly,

H. B. Ayres
Managing Director.

4086 Central Avenue,
East San Diego, California.

See by Mr. [unclear]