

# Ghost of Winfield

Artist: Unknown

Location: 10<sup>th</sup> and Main, Northeast corner  
(located between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> windows)

This painting was commissioned by the shopkeeper for the Josh Wallace Clothing Store early in the 1900's. Although it has been painted over many times, it keeps reappearing. The early paint that was used was called "rotten" due to the fact that when they mixed the paint they often would use lamp black (soot) and mix it with eggs as a binder. Horse glue was also used. They would then let it sit before using it; and by the time it was "ready" to use, it would smell rotten, thus the name.

