THE WANTS

AND MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNION LABEL

SITUATIONS WANTED—FREE.

Are you in need of work? If so, you are at liberty to use these columns for assistance in that direction. With this notice appears the STATE JOURNAL will publish free on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, for Topeka or Kansas people, all notices of "Situations Wanted," not exceeding five lines, or thirty-five words, in length. Provided that all advertisements of this nature are handed in previous to ten o'clock Saturday morning; also on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, all advertising of this class handed in by ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

No advertisements of this nature to be started except on Saturdays and Wednesdays. No obligation is incurred on the part of the advertiser. No worthy and needy man or woman need hesitate to take advantage of this offer. No one in business or having employment is expected to take advantage of it, but all others invited to avail themselves freely.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—Position by a girl 13 years old to care for children or assist in housework. Address Louise Hewson, 718 Lake st.

WANTED—Situation in hardware store or lumber yard; experience and references. J. W. Hudson, 422 Clay st.

WANTED—Position by young lady stenographer and typewriter of capital and clerk; have had two years' experience; can furnish best of references from previous employers; will furnish machine if desired. Address E. S., 530 Kansas ave.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or copyist, typewriting; books opened, adjusted or examined, small sets of books kept; also making out of mortgages, bonds, deeds, etc.; good work guaranteed and prices reasonable; county work solicited. Inquire or address Emma, 630 Kansas ave.

WANTED—By a widow lady, a situation as housekeeper either in the city or country; can give best of references. M. F., care Journal office.

WANTED—A place to work; am used to taking care of children; can furnish good references. Address M. I. Lacey, 1001 Jackson.

WANTED—If you all like to make a few more engagements to furnish confidential; can give best of city references. Address Mrs. A. E. M., Journal office.

WANTED—I will give $50 to any one that will put me at steady work at living pay; am good German first-class blacksmith helper and handy man in roller mills; will do anything. Address M. A., care of this office.

WANTED—Family washing. 1022 Western ave.

WANTED—A position by a white woman at cooking or some kind of honorable work. Address E. G., this office.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Real, fine young driving horse. Address, with description and price, O. K., Journal office.

WANTED—To buy a bed room suit. J. F. McConnell, 731 Quincy st.

WANTED—Dressmaking, cutting by tailor system; perfect fit; reasonable prices. 731 Monroe.

WANTED—Board by at 802 Quincy st.

WANTED—To trade a good driving mare for cows. Special house north of church, Oakland.

WANTED—Two good men for farm work for a year; must be willing to do hard work; wages $16 per month; to the correct an grain and stock; can furnish home for a small family. Address W. B. A., this office.

WANTED—To trade a good cook stove for a soft coal heater. H. Wise 410 st.

WANTED—A good safety; must be in good condition and cheap for cash. Address Bicycle, this office.

WANTED—Good sewer-cutting tube; some but first-class will be considered. Address Lathe, this office, with full particulars.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1315 Dillon st.

WANTED—To exchange a gentle old nag pigeg and fixtures for milch cow. Address Exchange, care Journal office.

WANTED—Watches, clocks and umbrellas to repair at 126 Kansas ave., upstairs.

WANTED—Traveling salesmen to have finest line on earth. Eight Cigar Factory, Lynchburg, Va.

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WANTED—To move, STORE or ship household goods, freight, etc. SAUNDERS NEW, 121 E. 6th St., MECHANICS TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.

WANTED—Storage, all kinds, your carpets to clean, 3 cents per yard; only machine cleaner in city; your stoves to store for the summer. 622 Jackson street.

WANTED—Did you never hear of tin ware so cheap. Bicycle store, 722 Kansas ave.

WANTED—You to go to the Riverside store and save your money, 722 Kansas ave.

ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping of south 700 Topeka ave.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 802 Quincy st.

FOR RENT—Store room at 108 East 6th st. Inquire of 116 Topeka ave.

FOR RENT—Two connecting unfurnished rooms, centrally located, furnace heat, bath room, electric light, etc. Geo. M. Seward, 1014 Tyler st.

FOR RENT—One or more pleasant unfurnished rooms, good repair, cheap. 714 Jackson.

FOR RENT—A large room at 826 Kansas avenue. Address T. P. Kelly, at hall.

FOR RENT—312 and 314 West Third street, 3 rooms, water and sewer connections in each tenement; 3 rooms at 246 Harrison st. Inquire of G. S. Evans, 301 Harrison st.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—Two 4 room houses, 924 and 926 Harrison st., one 4 room house, 1024 Monroe st. Apply to H. D. Hodge, 802 Buchanan.

FOR RENT—The elegant flat, with carpets, corner 4th and Jackson.

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FOR RENT—A modern house of 8 rooms. Inquire at 100 Tyler st.

FOR RENT—A good six room house. Inquire of Dr. Robe, 118 West 6th st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey cows. 314 Quincy st.

FOR SALE—Golden popcorn in large or small quantities, by J. Q. A. Peyton, 1121 North Kansas ave.

FOR SALE—Good family buggy horse, perfectly gentle, suitable for lady; cheap. Apply 1203 Topeka ave.

FOR SALE—One 5 acre lot, 5 room house and well; one 10 acre lot, no building, within 1½ miles of Topeka; best of potatoes land; also 1 vacant lots in good location; will sell part or all; part cash, balance time. Write M., in care of G. S. Barnett, No. 434 Lane st., Topeka, Kan.

FOR SALE—Nice 6 foot show case. Sheldon & Sheldon.

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in Kansas, of 194 acres; every foot tillable; rich, bottom soil 5 to 15 feet deep, all fenced and cross fenced; 2 houses, 7 rooms, cellars, 2 cisterns, 2 orchards, 15 acres of timber watered by springs and well; stacks and sheds for 50 head of stock; 30 miles from Topeka, 20 from Kansas City, 12 from Ottawa. Price $6,000. Terms of sale, $2,000 cash, $1,000 per annum at 4 per cent. This farm will earn the balance to pay for it after first payment. Good, desirable Topeka property to amount of $3,000, clear of incumbrance, would be taken in exchange.

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FOR SALE—Good 3 room house, 17 lot, corner Quincy A. E. 22-8. F. Stops, Deaps. W. H. Eastman, room 15, Commercial Building.

FOR SALE—Good houses for sale and rent. Benedict & Co., 501 Kansas ave.

FOR SALE—No. 4 washboiler, worth $1.50, now 65c. Riverside store, 722 Kansas ave.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—A small gold cross, engraved on back, Gertrude. Finder please return to 702 Monroe and receive reward.

FOR RENT—A good farm, 2 miles out; 80 acres about 40 acres cultivated; 4 miles to Topeka. Address R. L. Young, Pauline Station, Kansas.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that the firm of R. G. Martin & Co. has this day dissolved their partnership by mutual consent and agreement.

R. G. MARTIN,
W. R. MOORE.

January 29, 1894.

LOST—Ferrin's Universal photography. Finder will be rewarded. 727 Topeka ave.

NOTICE—To whom it may concern—Be it known that my petition is on file in the office of the probate judge in Shawnee county, Kansas, asking for a permit to sell liquor as a beverage in Richland Monmouth township, Shawnee county, Kansas. Hearing set for the 26th day of February, 1894, at 10 a. m.

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Topeka, Kansas, January 22, 1894.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS,
TOPEKA, KAN., January 19, 1894.

I, Frank Herald, Commissioner of Elections of the city of Topeka, Shawnee county, Kansas, do hereby in conformity to section three, of an act of the legislature entitled, "An act to provide for and to regulate the registration of voters; to regulate elections and to provide for the appointment of a Commissioner of Elections in cities of the first class," approved March 2nd, 1893, do proclaim and declare that the boundaries of all the wards as made by the council thereof, and the division of said wards into precincts as made by the Board of Supervisors of Elections, are as follows, to-wit:

First Ward.

All north of the Kansas river.

FIRST PRECINCT.

All east of Kansas avenue.

SECOND PRECINCT.

All west of Kansas avenue and south of Gordon street.

THIRD PRECINCT.

All west of Kansas avenue and north of Gordon street.

Second Ward.

All south of the Kansas river, east of Kansas avenue and north of Eighth street, except Metzker's third addition.

FIRST PRECINCT.

East of Kansas avenue, west of alley between Monroe and Madison and north of Fourth street.

SECOND PRECINCT.

East of alley between Monroe and Madison streets, west of Washington street, and north of Fourth street.

THIRD PRECINCT.

East of Washington street and north of Fourth street.

FOURTH PRECINCT.

South of Fourth street, east of Washington street and north of Eighth avenue, except Metzker's third addition.

FIFTH PRECINCT.

South of Fourth street, west of Washington street, north of Eighth street, and east of Kansas avenue.

Third Ward.

All south of Eighth avenue, except Metzker's third addition, north of Eleventh street to Washington avenue, thence north of Tenth street and the north line of the northeast quarter section 6, township 12, range 16, north line of Deardorff tract and Euclid avenue.

FIRST PRECINCT.

All east of Van Buren street, except Metzker's third addition and including state house grounds.

SECOND PRECINCT.

West of Van Buren street and east of Western avenue.

THIRD PRECINCT.

All west of Western avenue.

Fourth Ward.

All west of Kansas avenue, north of Eighth avenue and south of Kansas river.

FIRST PRECINCT.

West of Kansas avenue, north of Eighth avenue, east of Tyler street and south of Fifth street.

SECOND PRECINCT.

West of Kansas avenue, north of Fifth street and east of Tyler street.

THIRD PRECINCT.

West of Tyler street and east of Western avenue.

FOURTH PRECINCT.

All west of Western avenue.

Fifth Ward.

All south of the south line of the Third ward, including Metzker's third addition.

FIRST PRECINCT.

All west of Quincy street and north of Fifteenth street; all south of Fifteenth street and west of the A. T. & S. F. R. R.

SECOND PRECINCT.

All east of Quincy street to Fifteenth street, all east of the A. T. & S. F. R. R. and south of Fifteenth street.

FRANK HERALD,
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SHERIFF'S SALE—In the District Court, Third Judicial District, Shawnee county, Kansas. J. L. Abernathy, et al., plaintiff, vs. Wm. H. Reed, defendant. By virtue of an order of sale to me attached property, issued out of the district court, in the above entitled case, to me directed and delivered, I will on Thursday, the 8th day of February, 1894, at a sale to begin at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of building numbered 812 North Kansas avenue, in the city of Topeka, in Shawnee county, state of Kansas, offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described personal property, to-wit: One lot of furniture, consisting of bedroom sets, lounges, book cases, kitchen safes, chairs, etc., also one large heating stove, ranges, etc., said personal property is taken as the property of said Wm. H. Reed, defendant, said furniture, ranges, etc., will be sold in accordance with a special order of the court herein. The purchaser will be required to pay cash for said property at the time of sale.

Given under my hand, at my office in the city of Topeka, Shawnee county Kansas, this 26th day of January, 1894.

J. M. WILKERSON, Acting Sheriff.
Topeka, Kas., Jan. 29, 1894. Case No. 15664.
JAYMORE & JAYMORE, Attorneys.

We mend our customers' laundry free of charge. Peerless Steam Laundry, 113 and 115 West Eighth.

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WESTBOUND.

Trains.	No.	Leave Kansas City.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.
Solid Vestibule Express.....A	11	11:15 am	1:40 pm	1:50 pm
Through Fast Express.....B	9	6:15 pm	10:25 pm	10:50 pm
Chicago, Texas Express.....A	1	10:40 am	12:05 pm	1:10 pm
South western Express.....A	19	8:30 am	12:20 pm	.....
Southwest Night Express.....D	8	7:40 pm	10:27 pm	10:40 pm

EASTBOUND.

Trains.	No.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.	Arrive Kansas City.
Limited Express.....A	2	3:30 pm	3:40 pm	5:40 pm
Solid Limited Vestibule Express.....A	12	4:20 pm	4:25 pm	6:30 pm
St. Joseph and Eastern Express.....A	14	.....	5:30 pm	At S. J. 7:05 pm
Express and Mail via St. Joseph.....C	4	4:45 am	5:00 am	At S. J. 8:35 am
Express and Mail via Kansas City.....C	10	4:55 am	5:10 am	7:20 am

A—Daily. B—Daily, except Saturday. C—Daily, except Monday.

For tickets, sleeping-car berths and general information, call at City Ticket office, 601 Kansas avenue, corner Sixth street, (telephone 500); at Passenger depot, corner First street and Kansas avenue, (telephone 564); or at Postoffice, North Topeka, (telephone 564).

H. D. GARVEY,
City Passenger Agent.

THE SANTA FE ROUTE.

TRAINS TO RIDE ON.

In effect on and after December 24, 1893.

WESTBOUND.

Trains.	No.	Leave Kansas City.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.
Wich., Kingman & Pratt local	113	8:15 am	10:35 am	10:40 am
Oklahoma & Texas local	113	8:15 am	10:35 am	10:40 am
Den. & Tex. Lim.	2	9:00 am	11:30 am	11:35 am
California Lim.	8	1:00 pm	3:00 pm	3:10 pm
S. F. & El Paso Ex.	1	1:05 pm	3:30 pm	3:40 pm
*Kansas City & Topeka plug.	159	4:00 pm	6:40 pm	.....
Colorado Night Express	7	9:20 pm	11:35 pm	11:45 pm
Manhattan Acc. Ex. Sunday	153	.....	.....	7:35 am

*Between Kansas City and Topeka only.

EASTBOUND.

Trains.	No.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.	Arrive Kansas City.
K. C. Local	114	4:35 pm	5:05 pm	6:25 pm
Columbian Lim.	4	2:15 pm	2:30 pm	4:40 pm
Chicago Vestibule Lim.	6	4:30 pm	4:35 pm	6:40 pm
Atlantic Express	2	3:10 am	3:25 am	8:00 am
Missouri River Night Ex.	8	4:25 pm	4:35 am	7:00 am
* Topeka and Kansas City plug.	160	.....	7:10 am	9:40 am
Manhattan Acc. Ex. Sunday	154	3:00 pm	.....	.....

*Between Kansas City and Topeka only.

BETWEEN TOPEKA, ATCHISON AND ST. JOSEPH.

Trains.	No	Leave St. Joe.	Leave Atchis'n	Arrive Topeka.
Pacific, Mexico & Texas Express	105	8:50 am	9:20 am	11:20 am
Colorado Night Express	107	8:35 pm	9:25 pm	11:25 pm
		Leave Topeka.	Arrive Atchis'n	Arrive St. Joe.
St. Joe Morning Express	108	5:15 am	7:15 am	8:05 am
St. Joe Evening Express	106	4:40 pm	6:40 pm	7:30 pm

For information about train service and tickets inquire of ROWLEY BROS., Agents Santa Fe route, Southeast corner Sixth and Kansas avenue, Topeka.
Or W. C. GARVEY, Agent at Depot.
Or ARNOLD & SON,
Agents, North Topeka.

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Train.	No	L'v's Topeka
Topeka and Fort Scott accommodation	235	10:00 a. m.
		A'v's Topeka
Topeka and Fort Scott accommodation	236	6:30 p. m.

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IT was such a straggling, wooden-walled, drink-blighted little town with seven saloons and billiard halls and one unpainted frame meeting-house. Not that one should insist upon meeting-houses, but one might dispense with an overplus of saloons and billiard halls. They keep down the advancement and prosperity of a small town as whisky retards the growth of puppies. The postmaster said so, and what he said went, because he was neither a hypocrite nor a fool. The small town's name was set out on a three-foot board on the station veranda, and when the train slowed up passengers could spell out the legend, only five letters, "Doone." Every nation under heaven, almost, had a representative in Doone. Norwegians and Swedes burned charcoal; a Chinaman had a laundry; a Jap who despised the almond-eyed washer-man, and was aided in his scorn by his Western wife, kept a tailor shop; a German had one saloon, a Scot, a Celt and a Dago three more. During the excitement of a fire in Doone one heard quite a cosmopolitan chatter, each foreigner speaking out of the fullness of his heart in the language of his native land. They were receptive people in Doone; every new fad in religion, provided it were crazy enough, every new comic song, every dancing school step (they danced con amore in Doone), every stranger was cordially welcomed and adopted. There were more divorced than single folks in Doone and about six married couples. Never in such a small town were collected such a number of shady, reckless, demoralized and generally hopeless folks. They talked in a brazen and strident manner about the political and financial affairs of the nation, the scandals of divorce courts and the prize ring. The postmaster read them all the details of the Panama scandal, and they set upon the only Frenchman in town and rode him on a rail. They were not a shooting crowd, and ready recourse to a "gun" did not find favor in their eyes, for there were no miners, but plenty of cowards there. Charcoal burners, tall, golden-haired Swedes and powerfully built Norwegians, who yearned for wife and baby in the far-off home land, and lived terrible lives here in America; tobacco-dried, shrewd men, who "bossed" these toiling giants; a pale druggist and his sickly wife; the autocrat postmaster and his quiet "missus," middle-aged folk, who kept much at home; three long-haired and tobacco-chewing ministers, who were photographer, sewing machine agent and dentist respectively on week days, and who preached alternate Sunday mornings in the dingy frame meeting-house the rankest orations; impossible women, who feared neither man nor fiend, and whose calloused consciences nothing could waken into feeling; a very few young men—sallow, pert, irreverent

LIKE AN APPARITION.

and contemptible; several negroes, enormous, brutalized and sly—such was the town census of Doone. The latest fad which had seized upon the town was engineered by the faith cure apostles, who held meetings night after night in the meeting house; who cured old Bet's rheumatism and made pale Mercy Mole, the druggist's daughter, throw away the crutch and walk and dance. Great excitement and enthusiasm was the result of these successes, which the gross ignorance of the townspeople pronounced a miracle, which their usual impetuosity they raved and believed, and when the only really pretty and pure child in the town was stricken with fever, the town gloried in the occurrence and sat down to wait for another faith cure miracle. This child was the pet of the whole community, from the grossest giant in the pine woods, whose heart melted under the soft gaze and light caress of the little winsome maid, to the postmaster, who ran to lift her over the counter and cry: "Missus—'ere's little Missie a-visitin'." She was worse than fatherless, this bairnie, for her mother was a deceived and deserted girl. Really deceived, for she had believed herself a lawful wife, until the small girl was a year old, and had held up her curly head in innocent pride of her "handsome gentleman," as the admiring townspeople called her husband. Had Doone folks laid hands on him after his deceit was known, the "handsome gentleman's" career would have summarily ended, but he disappeared too quickly even for lynch law. When little Missie fell ill, the people interviewed the faith cure apostles and gave them clearly to understand that her cure was imperative. They believed, but they used strong pressure. Great sons of Anak came, and thick-lipped negroes and terrible women and tobacco-chewing men, and with one voice the nations demanded that little Missie be "righted." The head apostle, a silver-haired, fat man, and his confrere, a hollow-eyed and lanky exhorter, bowed gravely and summoned the sisters, who completed the quartette, to the bedside of the unconscious child. They touched the palms of her burning little hands with holy oil, and moaned and postured beside her. Then as she muttered and moaned they sang and the watchers joined in the chorus. Her mother went from the room with flaming eyes; she seized upon the quiet wife of the postmaster.

"Get a doctor," she gasped; "they are killing her."

The postmaster's wife led her away to where the crowd could not see or hear.

"My dear," she said, "I wrote at once to my niece who is a doctor, and she will be here on the train to-night. But you must not quarrel with the people, you must outwit them."

Then as the girl-mother stared at her uncomprehendingly she added: "When my niece comes she will find a way!" The whistle of the incoming train sounded as she spoke. "Go back—try and bear it a little longer," she whispered and slipped away.

One sister was exhorting the crowd in the tiny sitting room to prayer, and beyond, on her wee white bed, toss and raved little Missie, all unconscious of the din which seemed like fiendish torture to the outraged mother. They sang as they prayed, and as they lustily lifted a favorite hymn, "Come, Spirit, Heal the Child," the outer door flew open and in the gathering gloom stood a very spirit form with smiling face and golden hair, with wide blue eyes and a tall lovely form robed in classic garments. A little Roman lamp was in her hand and her other hand was raised as if to command silence from the awe-struck singers.

The faith cure quartette fell on their knees and covered their faces as the radiant form glided slowly toward them. Softly she raised the little child in her arms and as slowly glided from the room into the darkening night.

The postmaster's wife closed the door and said, "Let every one sing the Doxology."

And sing they did, once, twice, thrice, and then the faith cure quartette were besieged with questions.

"Was it an angel?"

"Had the child been taken to Paradise?"

"How did they account for it?"

The quartette were strangely silent; they bowed their heads and looked at one another, and finally when the postmaster's wife suggested that the crowd should all go home, and offered to remain with the girl's mother, they rushed out in tumultuous and delightful excitement with the story of the visitation. The faith cure quartette were last to quit the room; as they went the lank-haired man turned and said in hollow tones: "Cursed be the soul that mocks at holy things," and the postmaster's wife responded scornfully: Oh, you get out before the warrant comes," which he did with a very ugly word.

Then the door of an inner room opened, and the spirit came quickly back still holding the child in her arms.

"You poor little woman," she said compassionately to the mother. "I am going to take this child back with me to the city hospital. She is very ill! Will you come, or will you stay with auntie? I'll take good care of her and bring her back when she's well. Oh, auntie! wasn't it a success? And who'd have thought my old Greek tableau rig would have carried it off so well?"

The postmaster's wife took the sick child into her arms.

"Go in and change your things before you take cold, my dear," she said, laughing. Then she turned to the child's mother. "Will you trust her with little Missie? You can go up to the city if all doesn't go on well, but I am sure my niece will cure her."

The girl-mother looked at the golden-haired figure in its bare feet and classic robe.

"Is she a real woman?" she said nervously.

"To be sure I am: a real woman-doctor, and I must take your baby away from this nest of thieves and impostors before they murder her. Apostles, indeed! That lantern-jawed man was under arrest for theft in our hospital and jumped his bail, and I think I know the ugly faces of those sisters, too! The old chap was dismissed from the church for drinking. A nice lot! Now, auntie, I'm shod and clothed and have just ten minutes before train time. Shall I take Missie with me?"

The young mother faltered, looked into the kindly waiting face, and silently placed Missie in the outstretched arms of the Healing Spirit.

A Long Sleep.

The longest continuous cataleptic sleep known to medical science was reported from Germany in the spring of 1892; the patient—a Silesian miner—having remained absolutely unconscious for a period of four and a half (4½) months. The doctors in attendance could not report anything in the way of symptoms which would suggest that there was something out of the ordinary in the man's slumbers, excepting a complete rigidity of the limbs. One peculiarity which was much commented upon was that the hair grew naturally during the whole of the extended nap, but his beard remained perfectly stationary and lifeless.