STOCK MARKET.

LEVEL OF PRICES WAS ...ED YESTERDAY.

Extremely Irregular. ...ressive Strength Was Shown in Spots.

..., September 15.—Today's mar... ...remely irregular, but the aver... ...of prices was lifted as a result ...'s operations. The strength ... very aggressive in spots, but ...e shares recently active in the ...ved scarcely at all. The Van... ...ere again the center of inter... ...orts of large increase in earn... ...ost of them advanced a point ... the day's trading. New York ...s heavily dealt in and advanced ... estimated increase on the sur... ...e current quarter of $672,957 and ...rted increase in the gross earn... ...he first week in September of ... Northwestern and Omaha ... their advance on the benefits ... ...m the prospective increase in ...dividend, the extreme rise in ...ding 2 per cent during the day, ...action on profit taking. Lake ... was taken in hand by the bull ...ring the final hour of trading ... up 2¼, apparently for effect in ... the balance of the market. The ...ent succeeded in hoisting the ...ennsylvania, which has only ... for a short time on the New ...ange, 3¾ points, the subsequent ...ing about half. A jump of 2 ...onsolidated Gas, even though it ...imited volume of transactions ...ensational feature in the mar... recent speculation which has ... Union Pacific continued the ... that stock and benefited the ...e extent of over a point. Kan...xas preferred also continued to ...he strength which has charac... ...in the recent speculation and ...ver a point. Reports circulated ...creases in earnings turned at... General Electric and that ... at one time nearly 2 points. ...ents of strength could not bet... to sustain the market and the ... St. Paul and Burlington to ...record prices for the year were ... factors. But, nevertheless, ... conspicuous exceptions to the ...t the market, such stocks as ... Pacific, Atchison preferred, ... Pacific preferred, Louisville, ...preferred and Chesapeake and ...g quite heavily in the advance ...me cases closing below yester... ... A number of the industrials ...eciously weak, including Sugar ... Tennessee Coal, Illinois Steel ...er preferred. Sugar, common, ... ex-dividend today lost all of ...ain before the close. There was ... heavy liquidation during the ... improved the stock slightly be...close, apparently in sympathy ...vely advance in Ohio and Mis...d Southwestern preferred. The ...ed 5½ points, Chicago Gas and ...as was quite strong, the former ... nearly 3 points and the latter 4 ... both showing a subsequent re...es was heard today of the pros... ...mmediate imports of gold, the ...market showing a steady tone, ...y dull, and no further harden... ...rate for money in the local ...ing perceptible. Exchange is ... cent above the gold importing ... It seems evident that any ma... in money rates here would be ...d imports and consequently a ...the advance. One of the fea...e day in Wall street was sales ...d Oil liquidating certificates on ...t 35¼, which is 9½ points ad...e the highest previous price. ... considerable decrease in the ... bond dealings, but prices gen...nced. Total sales, $2,543,100.

...es of stocks today 261,242 shares, ...St. Paul, 37,200; Union Pacific, ...ago Gas 46,000.

...ations on bonds at New York today

...rg...	125¾	M., K. & T. 2ds....	65
...coup.	125¾	M., K. & T. 4s.....	87
.....	111¼	N. Y. Central 1sts.	....
.....	113½	Pacific 6s of '95...	102
.....	'98	S. L. & I. M. con. 5s	90
.....	114¼	S. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	115¾
.....	114¼	Southern Ry 5s...	94½
.....	89	Tex. Pac. L. G. 1sts.	66¾
...4s...	60	Tex. Pac. Ra. 2sts.	32
...6s...	104¾	Union Pacific 1sts	101¼
...2ds..	100	U. P. D. & G. 1sts.	50¼
.....	109½	Wabash 1st 5s....	107
...6s..	106	Wabash 2ds.....	70¾
.....	100	West Shore 4s	108

...ere the closing quotations on leading ...New York Exchange today:

.....	15⅝	Reading.....	27⅝
...fic..	....	Rock Island.....	95⅝
...e....	16	St. Paul, common..	101¾
...on....	164	St. Paul, preferred.	143½
.....	100¼	Texas & Pacific.....	13
.....	119⅝	Wabash.....	8⅝
.....	13⅛	Wabash, pref.....	22⅝
...pfd.	49⅝	United States Ex...	44
.....	170	Wells-Fargo Ex....	108
...al....	109	Amer. Cotton Oil...	24¼
.....	179¾	Am. Cot. Oil, pref..	78
.....	61⅝	Amer. Tobacco.....	92
.....	112	Am. Tobacco, pref..	113
...tac....	38	Pacific Mail.....	37½
.....	16⅝	Silver Certificates..	56⅝
...ref....	41¼	Sugar	154
.....	13⅛	Sugar, pfd.....	119⅝
...pref.	164	Tenn. Coal & Iron...	33½
...ade....	20⅝	W. U. Telegraph....	90⅝
.....	46¼		

...Offered. ...Ex. int.

New York Money.

...rk, September 15.—Clearings ... balances $7,715,194. Money on ... at 1½@2 per cent, last loan 2 ... closed 2 per cent. Prime mer... ...per 4@4½ per cent. Sterling ex...ady, with actual business in ...ills at 4.85@4.85⅛ for demand ... for sixty days; posted rates ... and 4.86@4.86½; commercial ...$4.83. Silver certificates 56½@...56⅝. Mexican dollars 44. Gov...onds easier; State bonds dull; ...onds firm.

...ing Post's Cablegram.

...k, September 15.—The Evening ...don financial cablegram says: ... settlement has been satisfac...luded and the business in the ...et today was quiet, except in ...rails and in Grand Trunk, which ...sharply on the New York lead. ...t in Berlin was steady, and in ...ular and quiet.

London Consols.

...September 15.—Consols for ...-16; for the account 111⅝. Mex...ry 20½; Mexican Central new ... Bar silver dull, 25⅞d per ounce. ... per cent. The rate of discount ...n market for short and three ...s 2 per cent.

...TON SEED PRODUCTS.

...ston, Texas interior points, ac...location:

	Per Gallon.
...ed oil, loose.....	18 @ 18½
...ter oil, loose.....	21 @ 21½
...mer yellow oil.....	21 @ 22
	Short Ton.
...on seed cake.....$15 00	@16 00
...on seed meal..... 15 25	@16 75
...d hulls.....	

...del.very Houston mills quote ...ake at $17.50@18.00 per ton. ...Market firm with a good de...meal and cake; oil dull.

...k, September 15.—Market for ... products quiet and unchanged, ...mer yellow, in barrels, 27@27½c; ...on seed cake, $21.00 per short ...$22.50@23.50; linters, class A, ...

...E WOOL MARKET.

...ld by Houston dealers—

...eths, medium	10 @12
...aths, fine.....	9 @10
.....	5½@ 7½
...s, 10@2 less.	

...September 15.—Wool strong ... medium 15@20½; light fine 12 ...ine 9@13½; tub washed 29@30.

...ysic to the dogs" and use An...ers, if you desire good diges...healthy appetite. Sole manufac...F. G. E. Siegert & Sons.

WANT COLUMNS.

THE POST

Number words—	One time.	Three times.	One week.	One mo.
25 words or less....	25	50	$1 00	$4 00
31 or more than 25..	35	70	1 40	5 60
38 or more than 31..	45	90	1 80	7 20
45 or more than 38..	50	$1 00	2 00	8 00
75 or less pro rata..	$1 00	3 00	4 00	16 00

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THE HOUSTON POST,
Houston, Texas.

The Post is the Great Want Medium of Texas.

The Post is the friend of the poor and needy and publishes advertisements for situations wanted of twenty-five words or less three times free.

The charge for other "Wants" is almost nominal, and if you want anything, an ad in the Cheap Column of The Post is sure to get it for you. Especially is such the case in—

ROOMS FOR RENT.
BOARDING.
REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
SPECIAL NOTICES.
BUSINESS CHANCES.
PERSONALS.
STOLEN, STRAYED.
LOST, FOUND.
SITUATIONS WANTED.
WANTED TO TRADE.
BIDS AND PROPOSALS.
PROFESSIONAL.
BARGAINS.
PARTNERS WANTED.
WANTED TO RENT.
WANTED BIDS.
WANTED TO BUY.
INFORMATION WANTED.
HELP WANTED.

PERSONAL.

LIST OF ANSWERS—

To advertisements in office of The Post for week ending Saturday, September 11, 1897:

A. (2); 1301; 1326; 1376; 1; 1201; B.; 1302; B. H.; 1352 (2); C. H.; Competent; Tom Clark (5); 1353 (2); 1354 (4); 1329 (6); 1254; 1331; 1356; 1396; 1381 (13); 1357; 1382; Good Pay; 1333; 1384; 1334; 1299 (2); 1335 (4); 1336; 1361; 1436; 1386 (2); Todkali (2); 1337; 1237; 1388; M. L. N.; 1339 (2); 1314; 1389; 1266; 1341 (2); 1391 (2); P. W. C.; 1392; 1292; 1317 (8); Rix; R. G. (8); 1243 (5); 1394; 944 (4); T. K.; 1370; 1371; V. I. V.; S. B. Williams, Work (4); 1234; 1324 (4); 1235.

LADIES! Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand), are the Best. Safe, Reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by Return Mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philada., Pa.

OXYDONOR "Victory;" look out for imitations; I am the only authorized dealer for the genuine instruments for Houston and Galveston. J. J. Fendley, 612 Caroline street, Houston. 15

MISS BEAUVAIS, teacher of French. Apply at 1107 Walker avenue Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, from 9 to 12 a. m. 21

FREE! FREE! High and fancy diving every night this week by Professor Oscar Norin and Miss Olga Norin at Forest park 9 o'clock. Sunday positively last exhibition 19

A THRILLING SPECTACLE — Oscar Norin and Olga Norin, the human birds, will give all afire every night this week at Forest park. Free—Come all. 19

"OXYDONOR" cures without medicine and when medicine fails; genuine instruments, with special advice, sold or rented by Dr. J. M. Arnold Moore-Burnett building, 1013 Texas avenue. 9-28

AVOID fever and aid Mayor Rice's efforts by connecting to sewer; have Houston Plumbing company, Mason building, Rusk and Main, do the work. Phone 409. 18

HERRLE'S School of Music, fall term commences September 1; practical courses for beginners, advanced pupils and those desiring to qualify as teachers; piano, violin, guitar, etc.; instruments supplied for practice. Studio and residence, 1713 McKinney avenue. John J. Herrle. 18

MRS. BLACK, clairvoyant, business and healing medium, tells everything; gives charms, etc., unites separated and removes evil; also by mail; send stamp; 2014 Preston avenue. 18

MISS BURKS has reopened her private school for primary pupils; 606 Austin street, half block from high school; school terms, $1.50 per month. 17

WAPLES' REASONABLE DRUG STORE—Expenses low, prices reasonable; purest and freshest drugs only; don't peddle prescriptions; his prices are lowest. No. 107 Preston, between Main and Travis. tf

ARE YOU READY—Yes, to dye, clean, scour, alter, repair ladies' and gents' garments of every description, by professionals. Fernandez C. O. D. Parisian Steam Dye Works, 615 Travis. 10-6

MISS M. E. WATSON'S select school for young ladies and girls will open October 1, 1897, at No. 310 Caroline street. For further information apply to Wm. V. R. Watson, at Wm. D. Cleveland & Co. 18

MRS. C. BOCHOW will reopen her select English and German kindergarten and primary school, 1418 Capitol avenue, corner LaBranch, Monday, September 6th. Terms, $3.00. 9-16

HOUSTON SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING SCHOOL, Mason Block, Miss Alice F. Harper, principal. If you are ambitious and will work hard, we want you to take a business training course with us. tf

MME. C. A. BUJAC, pianiste, studio, 223, Mason block; special attention paid to rudiments of music; lessons at pupils' residence if desired; instruction to beginners; also advanced students. tf

WANTED TO BUY.

WANTED TO BUY—A good second hand wagon scale; must be cheap for cash. Houston Moving and Storage Co., F. Chimene, 'Phone 325, 212 Fannin street. 16

WANTED—One pair good mules; cheap for cash. Henry Puls, First ward. 18

FOR SALE—At a bargain; a beautiful home of about thirteen acres, railroad and shell road to Houston; near steamboat landing on Buffalo bayou; five-room house; barn, hen house, complete outfit of tools, team, harness and wagon, chickens, ducks, fine artesian well; very cheap at $3000. Apply to N. L. Mills, 207 Main street. 22

WANTED TO BUY—Five hundred cords 4-foot oak and pine wood on the cars, Houston. Address with price, T. G. Casanover, P. O. box 196, Houston. 17

WE HAVE a large line of customers, both to buy and sell; write us your wants; we advertise and show all properties listed with us free of cost. We make a specialty of renting property and remit all rents the day collected. Norfleet & Cooley, Houston, Texas. tf

WANTED—A pair of Scotch terriers, male and female. Address Texas Tram and Lumber Co., S. A. Long, assistant secretary, Beaumont, Texas. 18

I WILL buy good horse and buggy; must be gentle and something nice; also a bargain for cash. W. C. Corbett, 1013 Texas avenue. tf

WE HAVE a client who will buy for cash a large quantity of good black prairie land in Fort Bend, Wharton, Jackson, Matagorda or Brazoria counties; lands must be cheap and good. Address J. W. Bartlett & Co., Dallas, Texas. 10-9

UMBRELLAS and parasols repaired and re-covered; cheapest price in city; highest cash price paid for gentlemen's second-hand clothing. A. Zuber, 502 Milam street. 10-1

PROFESSIONAL.

DETECTIVE AGENCY—Trained detectives furnished on short notice and reasonable rates. For further particulars address James McCane, box 190, Houston, Texas. 9-20

CLINE & CLINE & DAN'L H. TRIPLETT, lawyers, abstract of titles. Nous parlons Francais (we speak French). Wir sprechen Deutsch (we speak German). 1010½ Congress avenue. tf

S. O. COTTON & BRO., Fire Insurance Agents and Adjusters, 15 Main street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, fresh in milk; very rich; also extra kind family mare, with nice colt. Call on C. M. Adams, Brunner, Texas.

FOR SALE—Large two-story hotel, fifteen rooms, situated in business part of city, with good trade. For terms address Mrs. W. Young, Edna, Texas. 20

FOR SALE—One 20-horse engine and boiler, with smoke stack, some shafting and pulleys, in good condition; will sell very cheap. Inquire Star Bottling Works. 22

MILLER BRASS WORKS, No. 1808 Runnels street, is now prepared to do all kinds of brass, aluminum and phosphor bronze casting; fine work solicited; also model and pattern work. tf

EVERY CITIZEN of Houston must clean up and disinfect his premises to prevent disease and avoid the law. The best disinfectant in the world is Chloro-Naptholeum, indorsed by the city health physician, city scavenger; in use in the court house, jail, hospitals and many other places. For sale, ready for use, at 25c per gallon. Send all orders with cash to Whitcomb & Co., agents, over Brown's Drug Store, corner Preston and Main, room 6. 19

FURNITURE at half value; fine bedroom suites, flat rocks marble top tables, sideboards, assigned by Lilly, 116 Main; must be sold in 30 days. 18

FOR SALE—One second-hand 60-inch return tubular boiler and one duplex steam pump, good condition and cheap. L. E. Miller, No. 12 Main street. 18

MONEY loaned on jewelry, guns and pistols, old gold bought; watch cleaning, 50c; mainspring, 50c; work guaranteed. Houston Loan Office, No. 1014 Preston; Ed C. Smith, proprietor; J. M. Faehrmann, watchmaker. 10-3

FULL LINE ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES—Engines, boilers, elevators, dynamos, motors, fans, fixtures, etc.; fully equipped repair shop. The Barden-Sheets Electrical Construction company, 1009 Texas avenue. tf

FOR SALE—A well-equipped newspaper plant, located at Corsicana; old-established business, terms easy. Address lock box 626, Corsicana, Texas. 9-23

WE SELL—
Gold Fountain Pens, $1.00.
Typewriter Letter Copying Books, 75c.
Second-Hand Typewriters, $25 to $50.
New Smith Premier Typewriters, $100.
Edison Mimeograph, $15.
National Cash Registers, $100 to $300.
J. J. Pastoriza Printing and Litho. Co., Manufacturing Stationers, 304 Main St.

JUST ARRIVED—New crop turnip seed, new rye, new barley, millet, sorghum and fall garden and field seeds of every description; fruit boxes and baskets, factory price. Holloway Seed, Grain and Commission Co., 221 Elm street, Dallas, Texas. tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Large seven-room two-story house; one lot, underground cistern, outhouses; Third ward; price $1500. 2308 St. Emanuel street, between Hadley and McIlhenny. 18

FOR SALE—640 acres of good prairie land 10 miles from Houston, $6 per acre; 320 acres of prairie land 10 miles southeast of Houston, $10 per acre; good eight-room two-story house in Third ward, galleries and halls $1900; good five-room cottage, hall and galleries, in Third ward, for $1250; the lot worth the money. Gaut & Semple, 204 and 206 Binz building, Houston, Texas. tf

ON October 5, 1897, between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., the undersigned will offer at public sale for cash, at the door of the court house of Harris county, lot seven (7), block forty-one (41), S. S. B. B., at Houston, Texas, together with all improvements. William Hunter, administrator of estate of Daisy Threlkeld (deceased) alias Daisy Douglas. 10-5

FOR SALE—Ten acres, good location, Third ward, for building lots so cheap buyer can more than double cost in one year. Reynolds, 207½ Main. 18

WE CONTROL a large list of city and country property and can suit you as to prices, terms and location; houses and lots for sale in every ward on easy terms. Our list of land in South Texas is complete and prices low. Brazos river and Caney plantations at bargains.

We have the largest trading list in the State and can suit you coming and going. Write us your wants.

NORFLEET & COOLEY,
Hutchins House, Houston, Texas.

FOR SALE—Farm, 280 acres land, three-room house and barn, on graded road, near Spring Station; will lease or sell 640 acres of farming and grazing land, large frontage on graded road, near Hockley. John Kennedy, attorney at law, Houston, Texas. 18

FOR SALE—$8 per acre, 640 acres well improved land; high, healthful; fine water; unsurpassed for fruits, vegetables and general farming and grazing, near Winnie and Sour Lake; postoffice on land. Write for particulars and terms, box 4, Dewdrop, Liberty county, Texas. 19

J. E. FAGAN & CO., real estate and loans, 1009½ Congress avenue, upstairs. We handle real estate on commission, buy and sell property for others, exchange lands for goods, lend money on city real estate, farms and ranches. We represent loan companies. Also place money for individuals. We buy vendor's lien notes, take up mechanic liens and extend time to suit purchasers.

We have 240 acres to exchange for property in Fifth ward. Several houses to exchange for land, and land for city property. 10-4

FOR SALE—Three acres of land, splendid brick clay, on railroad, 200 yards from depot, in the livest town of 3000 inhabitants in Texas; no better place for a brick yard; good brick in demand at from $8.00 to $10.00 per thousand. Address H. F. Church, Calvert, Texas. 17

FOR SALE—Two-story dwelling, new, corner, principal street, Third ward, nice garden, modern improvements. Address 1497, this office. 17

220 ACRES choice black land, with frontage on Goose Creek, on opposite side of bay from La Porte; price $12.50. Wilson & Hannah, 208 Kiam building. tf

SITUATION WANTED.

YOUNG man wants position as grocery clerk; have had four years experience; not afraid of work. Address 1461, this office. 18

WANTED—Position by a young man (German), with nine years experience in general merchandise business, cotton buying, bookkeeping, etc.; Al references. Address 1415, this office. 18

MALE stenographer and bookkeeper wants position; best reference. Address P. O Box 1, city. 18

WHITE girl wants place as cook and housegirl in nice family. Address 1437, this office. 18

SITUATION wanted by colored man as yardman, coachman, janitor, gardener or porter in saloon, store or railroad freight depot; city references given. Address 1456, this office. 18

WANTED—Window dresser and ad writer late of Kiam's clothing store, Houston, wants situation. Address G. K. Higginbotham, 1108 Walker, Houston. 18

WANTED—Situation as yardman by a steady young Swede; good man to take care of horses, yard, milk cows and do housework. Address 1414, this office. 18

WANTED—Position as milliner by young lady of two years experience; references given. Address Miss Nellie M. Johnson, Austin, Texas. 18

WANTED—A position as stenographer by young lady. Address Miss A. Johnson, Austin, Texas. 18

FIRST-CLASS white waiter wants position in hotel, restaurant or counter, in or out of city. Address E. M., this office. 18

WANTED—A position as driver of delivery wagon; can give reference; will work for reasonable wages. Address 1493, this office. 17

WANTED—Situation, solicitor, hotel clerk or painter, by a competent young man of 20; Al references. Wilber DeForrest, Denver Hotel, city. 17

WANTED—Day work by two young men, colored; no objection to leaving city; some one give us a trial, please. Address 1433, this office. 17

WANTED—Situation by a young Swede to take care of horses, milk cows and to do work around the house. Address A. C., this office. 17

WANTED—Situation in nice family to do housework; references. Address 1425, this office. 17

WANTED—Situation by young man who thoroughly understands the livery business and knows how to manage stable; can give best of references. Harry Anderson, Denver Hotel. 17

WANTED—Position as porter in a saloon, willing to work; best of references. Address Porter, 1014 Montgomery avenue. 17

GRADUATE of the Texas A. and M. College desires a position in railroad or other shops; am good in drawing and shop work. Address 1413, this office. 20

YOUNG LADY of good character and address wants clerical work of any kind; am good saleslady; good references, small wages if position is permanent. Address 1462, this office. 17

STENOGRAPHER, six years experience, owns a Remington machine, good office girl, wants a position; best references furnished. Address Irene Kinnebrew, Corsicana, Texas. 17

WANTED—Position by experienced bookkeeper or bookkeeper and salesman combined, in general store; references from present employers. J. A. B., 214 Holmes street, Dallas, Texas. 17

A MAN of 36, sober, reliable, energetic, 14 years experience in general merchandise; good collector and solicitor, well known; wants employment. Address Blue, this office. 17

WANTED—By young lady, situation as chambermaid in hotel; can give good references. Address 1466, this office. 17

WANTED—Situation by middle-aged man to work around house and attend to horse and buggy; references. Address 1464, this office. 17

POSITION wanted by young man who has had experience in bookkeeping but is willing to take any position in store or office. Address 1349, this office. 17

WANTED—By man of experience, situation in fruit and vegetable growing; have wife who will cook for limited number; no children; will work for reasonable salary; references furnished those interested. Address John Goodsaw, Yoakum, Texas. 17

FIRST-CLASS all round cook will accept small salary in or out of city; city preferred. Address Charles Cook, this office. 17

WANTED—Position as cook on private car or nice, clean boarding house, by a good, clean, reliable colored man. Address Stephen L. Brown, 609 Broadway. 17

WANTED—By experienced fireman, position in any kind of mill or factory; best of references. Ben Gardner, Montgomery Texas. 17

WANTED—By young man, 24 years old, married, good penman, bookkeeper and office man, position of any kind at living wages. Address I. O. U., care Post. 16

SITUATION WANTED—Young German, willing to do any kind of work. Address No 1403, this office. 16

SITUATION WANTED—By young German as grocery clerk, porter or janitor. Address No. 144; this office. 16

WANTED—By middle-aged married man, situation as watchman; sober; city reference. Address 1424, this office. 16

WANTED—A position in a first class dry goods or grocery store; will accept small salary to begin. Good references. Address 1400, this office. 16

SITUATION WANTED—Colored man as office or yard man, store or saloon porter; city references can be given. Address 1421, this office. 16

A YOUNG white girl wants home in family without children. Address 1438, this office. 16

WHITE woman wishes situation in private family; is a good cook and is willing to assist in house work. Address 1354, this office. 16

WANTED—Position as bartender; have had long experience; speak German and English; best of references; willing to do porter work. Address Saloon, this office. 16

WANTED—Situation by steady young Swede to take care of horses, cows; good yardman and to do all kinds of house work. Address 1494, this office. 16

WANTED—Situation by young white man to do any kind of work; country or city. Address 1439, this office. 16

WANTED—Situation by colored girl as cook or chambermaid. Apply 1309 Pease avenue. 18

WANTED—A position to work around house, can take care of horse and carriage; will work for reasonable wages. Address 1493, this office. 16

WANTED—Situation by young colored man as coachman in private family, also house work; can milk and attend to stock; good references. Address 1404, this office. 16

REGISTERED druggist wants position at once; thirteen years experience; unmarried; do not use intoxicants; good recommendations. Address Pestle, this office. 17

BIDS AND PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—Sealed bids, addressed to the Mayor of Liberty, Texas, will be received up to 10 o'clock a. m., Friday, September 24, 1897, for the construction of a city hall. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check of one hundred ($100) dollars, payable to Joseph Riviere, mayor, to secure making contract. Successful bidder will be required to give one thousand ($1000) dollars bond for faithful performance of contract. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the mayor at Liberty, Texas, at the office of Rue & Dunbar, architects, 501 Kiam building, Houston, and Broocks & Polk's office, Beaumont, Texas. All bids will be opened at above date in the presence of the city council. Right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Joseph Riviere, Mayor of Liberty.

Liberty, Texas, September 13, 1897. 21

TO ARCHITECTS—The city of Calvert desires plans and specifications for a two-story brick building, to be used for a city fireman hall. For information address C. S. Meredith, mayor city of Calvert. 18

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WHEN you need undertaking goods, inspect J. L. Kopf's complete line; fine hearses and carriages; low prices and prompt service; 1014 Prairie avenue; phone 837. tf

STAND PRIVILEGES FOR SALE—For the joint picnic to be given by the three divisions of Hibernians, the Emmet Council and the Emmet Rifles, at Forest park, on Sunday, September 26, the following stand privileges will be sold.

1 flying jenny.
1 peanut stand.
1 soda water.
1 restaurant.
1 popcorn.
1 "nigger baby" rack.
1 shooting gallery.
1 cane rack.
1 hitching post privilege
1 ice cream stand.
1 weiner wurst stand.

Sealed bids for these privileges will be received by John T. Browne, not later than Saturday, September 18, at 4 p. m. Address John T. Browne, care J. C. White. 18

EVERY NIGHT this week, Professor Oscar Norin and Miss Olga Norin will perform their wonderful fire dives at Forest park. See them dive all in flames. 19

WANTED—Everybody to know our plant is enlarged; work done on short notice. St Packard's Troy Laundry, 913 Prairie avenue. 'Phone 832. tf

State of Georgia, County of Fulton.

To Whom It May Concern:

Samuel M. Inman of Fulton county, Georgia; Walker P. Inman of Fulton county, Georgia; Hugh T. Inman of Fulton county, Georgia, and William M. Read of Harris county, Texas, have agreed to form a limited partnership, and do certify under their respective hands and seals as follows, to-wit:

First. The name and firm under which the partnership is to be conducted is and shall be "Inman & Read."

Second. The general nature of the business intended to be conducted is the buying and selling of cotton, compressing, storing and handling the same, and Houston, Texas, the principal place of business.

Third. Samuel M. Inman and William M. Read are the general partners, and Walker P. Inman and Hugh T. Inman are the special partners.

Samuel M. Inman, Hugh T. Inman and Walker P. Inman reside in Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, and William M. Read resides in Houston, Harris county, Texas.

Fourth. Walker P. Inman has contributed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars of capital to the common stock. Hugh T. Inman has in like manner contributed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars capital to the common stock.

Fifth. The period at which the partnership is to commence is the first day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, and the period at which it is to terminate will be first day of September in the year nineteen hundred.

Witness our hands and seals this 4th day of August, 1897.

Samuel M. Inman. (Seal.)
Walker P. Inman. (Seal.)
Hugh T. Inman. (Seal.)
William M. Read. (Seal.)

State of Georgia, County of Fulton.

Before the undersigned, W. D. Ellis, Jr., of said State and county, a notary public duly appointed, qualified and commissioned to administer oaths, to attest deeds and take acknowledgment thereof, personally appeared Samuel M. Inman, Walker P. Inman, Hugh T. Inman and William M. Read, who are each known to me personally and known to me to be the persons they represent themselves to be, and they and each of them acknowledge before me that they and each of them signed and executed for the purposes therein contained the foregoing certificate of and as to the formation of the limited partnership of Inman & Read, in witness whereof said notary hereunto sets his hand and affixes his official seal this August 4, 1897.

Samuel M. Inman,
Walker P. Inman,
Hugh T. Inman,
William M. Read.

W. D. Ellis, Jr.,
Notary Public, Fulton County, Georgia.
(Seal.)

State of Texas, County of Harris.

In person before me, a notary public in and for the county of Harris, and State of Texas, came William M. Read, who is personally known to me, and he being first duly and lawfully sworn, did depose and say on oath that he is one of the general partners of the limited partnership of Inman & Read, and Samuel M. Inman is the other partner. That Walker P. Inman and Hugh T. Inman are the special partners. That Walker P. Inman and Hugh T. Inman as special partners have each contributed to the common stock one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, the sums specified in their certificate of the formation of the limited partnership of Inman & Read, and that said sums so contributed have been actually and in good faith by them paid in cash.

William M. Read.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this third day of September, 1897.

James A. Giraud,
Notary Public, Harris County, Texas.
(Seal.)

Filed for record September 3, 1897, at 4:50 o'clock p. m. The Houston Post is hereby designated as the paper in which the within notice will be published for six weeks.

E. F. Dupree,
Clerk County Court Harris County.

THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS for the Eleventh district will meet at Dr. Geo. W. Larendon's office Saturday, September 18, 1897, at 5 p. m.

Geo. W. Larendon, M. D.,
9-18 Secretary.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—At once, bakery and restaurant on account of change of business; only bakery in city. Address Bakery and Restaurant, Eagle Lake, Texas. 20

A GOOD business for sale in a thriving, prosperous town on H. & T. C. railroad, near Houston, consisting of a full stock of buggies, wagons and farm implements; a splendid opening and good paying business; good location and large storehouse. Answer G., this office. 22

PARTNER wanted with $5000 to develop new manufacturing industry for Houston; valuable option secured for Southern territory; product of established merit and in large demand; a fine business chance; investigate. Address Conservative, this office. 17

FOR SALE—25,000 capacity saw mill; thousands of fine timber half mile from mill on railroad, part cash and good terms balance. Saw Mill, this office. 21

WANTED—Liveryman with two thousand dollars to buy half interest in only stable in town; four thousand inhabitants. Write E. A. Powell, Dublin, Texas. 16

RESIDENCE, abstract of titles and annual law practice of $2500 in Southern Texas county site for sale at value of property only. Address 1500, this office. 16

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, owner leaving city, a good paying grocery store, stock, fixtures, horse and wagon. Two lots, store on one, dwelling on the other. For particulars write E. J. Robinson, Waco, Texas. tf

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED—To rent for three or four years a Brazos bottom plantation with 300 to 400 acres in cultivation; references exchanged. Address W. I. Moody, Sartartia, Texas. 17

WANTED—A horse for his feed; will be used very little; best care guaranteed. E. F. Callahan, care Joe W. Davis Oil company, Hutchins and Rusk streets. 16

I WISH to rent at once, a nicely furnished house or flat, close in; no children. Frank Sterne, No. 115 Main street. tf

WANTED TO RENT—Six or eight-room house, modern conveniences, large yard, near in; Third ward preferred. Address 1372, this office. tf

BOARD AND ROOM WANTED.

WANTED—Room and board or two rooms for light housekeeping for three; within six blocks of courthouse; state terms. Address 1436, this office. 18

A Genuine Bargain

We have over 50 dozen of the celebrated

ROYAL NEGLIGE SHIRTS

(all sizes) with Collars and Cuffs attached; also soft bosoms, no Collars, no Cuffs, regular $1.25 quality—

Now 50 Cents.

Come in and get your size before they are all sold.

L. M. Jones & Co.,

POPULAR CLOTHIERS.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Two first-class wood turners. Bering Manufacturing company. 18

WANTED—A good colored man, who understands cutting meat at butcher shop. Apply at 1003 San Felipe street at once. 18

WANTED—One first-class broommaker at once. 2207 Commerce street, South Texas Broom Manufacturing Co. 18

WANTED—A governess and nurse, a cook, also stable and garden man, a teamster, white, steady employment for industrious people. Address J. D. Randolph, Montopolis, Travis County, Texas. 16

WANTED—A coatmaker. F. W. Arlitt, Yoakum, Texas. 16

WANTED—Cotton pickers. Apply 1118 Washington street by noon today. 16

HELP WANTED—White female cooks, one to leave city; lady advertising agent; good carpet salesman; a white baker, good position; man and wife to do general work. Apply to 1009½ Congress avenue. tf

WANTED—At once, 25 good mill men, shed men, yard men, teamsters, track men; men with families given preference; good houses for all; pay day regular on 15th each month. Oliphant Lumber Co., New Waverly, Texas. 18

WANTED—A good cook and girl for general housework; good salary; German or Swede preferred. Address 1411, this office. 18

WANTED—First-class tailor, a good tailor, only good workman need apply. A. Rybicka, Bronham, Texas. 18

WANTED—Local, county or State managers; ladies or gentlemen; best money making proposition; open 30 days only; exclusive territory. Write Salubrita Pharmacal Co., Los Angeles, Cal. 22

AGENTS and branch managers, salary or commission. Hunter Tailoring and Skirt Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—White woman cook for boarding house; single woman preferred. Apply at once, 718 Railroad street, opposite Central depot. 17

WANTED—At once, good cook. Apply 101 San Jacinto street. 17

WANTED—Short order cook for restaurant; apply by letter stating age, color and wages expected. O. J. Frayard, Wallis Station, Texas. 17

WANTED—At once, two good, all around men in general stock of merchandise; none but good, experienced men need apply; 807 Congress avenue. 15

WANTED—First-class news agent with $25 cash security. Apply Thos. L. Freeland, agent Crescent News Co., Grand Central depot. 16

WANTED—A good white woman as cook. Please send her to Mrs. C. Cleary, Dickinson, Texas. 17

WANTED—A single young man who speaks German and English and has good experience in dry goods, clothing and gents' furnishing goods. Address H. Nussbaum, Weimar, Texas. 17

HARNESSMAKER wanted at Northrup & Clark Saddlery company, 1012 Congress avenue, Houston, Texas. 16

WANTED—A girl to make herself useful around the house; German preferred. Apply at Mrs. H. Lipper's, 101 Chartres, corner Commerce street. 16

WANTED—A white servant for two in the family. Apply Mrs. J. N. Hirsch, 1501 Leeland avenue. 16

WANED—Man and wife, German preferred without children; man to work in garden; wife to cook. Address J. S. Mayes, Fulshear, Texas. 16

DON'T fail to see the champion high divers of the world, Professor Oscar Norin and Olga Norin, at Forest park every night, 9 o'clock; dancing also. 19

WANTED—An insurance man to represent the Pacific Mutual Life and Accident Co. of California in Harris and adjoining counties; a liberal contract to a good agent. R. H. Howard, general agent, Galveston, Texas. 18

COMPETENT male and female help wanted at Wright's Flower Garden. 18

WANTED—At once, teamsters, log cutters and common laborers; cash paid 15th each month; mill on T., S. V. and N. W. railway, forty miles from Longview. Cicero Smith Boren, Texas. 18

WANTED—Sawmill and planer hands and lumber stackers at Bering's mill, on Houston East and West Texas railway. W. G. Bering, Valda, Texas. 17

SALESMEN FOR CIGARS—$125 a month and expenses; old firm; experience unnecessary; inducements to customers. C. C. Bishop & Co., St. Louis. 9-22

THE "OLD HARTFORD LIFE" furnishes low rates, absolute safety and makes a specialty of "Creditors' Insurance." Notes taken without risk. Agents wanted everywhere. Write Harris & Patterson, managers, Dallas, Texas. tf

LIFE INSURANCE—$12.00 per $1000, age 37; The Bay State of Mass. Organized 1881. Losses paid $5,000,000. Agents wanted; top contracts; notes taken, our risk. W. J. Minton, manager, Dallas, Texas.

AGENTS—Economy gas burner, saves 40 per cent of gas, makes a large, beautiful light and gives 150 per cent profit to salesmen. General Agency Co., 225 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill. t