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After Jan. 1st, 1903, the firm name will be changed as above. There will be no change in the management of the business. We thank our many friends and patrons for their many favors shown us and assure them we will try and merit their confidence in the future as in the past.

With best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, we invite you to call when in need of anything in our line.

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OPEN LETTER TO ONE AND ALL

Wishing you a Happy and Prosperous New Year. And we sincerely thank our patrons for their LIBERAL PATRONAGE in the past; Hoping we have given entire satisfaction, which is our aim again for the coming year, and to make many more new friends. Wishing you again the best of wishes.

Yours Truly,

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NOVEL PLEA IN RHYME

Found An Immediate Response In Oregon Necktie

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church of West Fayette, New York, hit upon a novel plan for raising money for their church. They planned to have a necktie and handkerchief bazaar obtaining them from friends in different states of the Union. One of the members of the church had friends in Salem Oregon, so addressed a plea in verse which ended as follows:

So this is our plea in brief,
To aid our enterprise
You each may send a handkerchief
Or necktie, of any kind or size,
To be without a handkerchief or necktie
You know is quite distressing
From every state let one be sent,
I'll surely be a blessing.
A necktie duly stamped Salem, Oregon, was sent in return with the following verse:

A letter was received today
From far off New York State,
We hasten now to answer
Before it is too late.
A greeting card was sent to us
By Mrs. Perry Lerch,
Requesting some assistance
For the Presbyterian church.
Of course, you're miles away
But though it is so far,
We'll do the little you request
To help out your bazaar.
We send to you a necktie,
And whoever puts it on,
Just think of the land of the setting sun
"Where rolls the Oregon."

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

Should Sidewalks Always be Forgotten?
(Tune—Auld Lang Syne.)
The following "poem" is handed in by a resident of South Salem, who is evidently in favor of living inside the city limits, and the point is pretty well made in favor of somebody taking control of walks in general:

Should sidewalks always be forgot,
And never brought to view,
While people will their taxes pay,
To make them nice and new?
The planks are worn in places, so
The rash to walk at night
And so we fear from home to go,
Unless the moon shines bright.
In places, too, there are no planks,
But ugly holes abound,
And so some folks cut funny pranks
That's noised about the town.
Some tumble out, some tumble in,
Some tumble on the ground,
Sometimes their souls go flying up,
And stars come flying down.
When people have sold out elsewhere,
And come to purchase here,
As soon as they our sidewalks see
A flea is in their ear.
Shade of Augustus, help! give aid!
Great Milton hear our call.
Repair, make new, fill up, regrade,
That we no more may fall.
Should sidewalks always be forgot,
And never more repaired?
Oh, no while pen and ink we've got
We'll keep the subject aired.

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Chickens—8c.
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Turkeys—12@16c.
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Salem Market.
Chickens—8c.
Hops—22@25 1/2c.

Potatoes, Apples, Etc.
Potatoes—25@30c.
Onions—65c.

Dried Fruits.
Dried Apples—4 1/4 to 6 1/2c.
Italian prunes, 40s to 50s—5c.
Petite Prunes—4c.

Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.
Big Fir—\$3.50 to \$3.75.
Second Growth—\$2.50 to \$2.75.
Ash—\$3.00 to \$3.75.
Body Oak—\$4.50.
Pole Oak—\$3.50.
Cedar Posts—11 to 12c.

Hides, Pelts and Furs.
Green Hides, No. 1—1@7c.
Green Hides, No. 2—2@5c.
Calf Skins—4 to 5c.
Sheep—75c.
Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.
Gray Fox—25 to 50c.
Coon—10 to 40c.
Mink—25c to \$1.25.
Otter—\$1.00 to \$5.00.
Skunk—10 to 25c.
Muskrat—1 to 5c.
Wildcat—10 to 25c.

Grain and Flour.
Wheat—65c.
Oats—32c.
Barley—brewing, 45c bu.
feed, 16c ton.
Flour—Wholesale, \$3.25.

Live Stock Market.
Steers—3 1/4 to 3 1/2c.
Cows—3 to 3 1/2c.
Sheep—\$2.50 gross to \$4.00.
Dressed Veal—4 1/2c.
Hogs, alive—5 1/2c.
Hogs, dressed—6 1/2c.

Wool and Mohair.
Conroe Wool—14c.
Fine—15c.
Mohair—25c.
Hay, Feed, Etc.
Baled Cheat—\$8.99.
Clover—8@9.
Brass—\$29.
Shorts—21.

Creamery and Dairy Products.
Good Dairy Butter—25c.
Creamery Butter—30c.
Cream, pan skimmed, at creamery—25c. at farm 22 1/2c.
Cream—separator skimmed, at creamery 27 1/2c. at farm 25c.

Portland Market.
Wheat—Walla Walla, 70c.
Wheat—Valley, 75c.
Flour—Portland, best grades \$3.40@
\$3.65; graham, \$3.20@3.60.
Oats—Choice White, \$1.15@1.17 1/2.
Barley—Feed, \$23.50 per ton; rolled, \$24.50.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$18@19.
Hay—Timothy, \$11 to \$12 per ton.
Onions—75c to \$1 per cental.
Potatoes—50@60c per cental.
Butter—Best dairy, 20@22 1/2; fancy creamery 27 1/2—30; store, 15@18c.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 25@32 1/2c per dozen.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, 9c per pound; hens, 9@10c; turkeys, live 13c.
Mutton—Gross, \$3.50@4.
Hogs—Gross, 6@6 1/2c.
Beef—Gross, \$3.00@3.75.
Veal—7 1/2@8 1/2c.
Hops—22@26 1/2c.
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Leaves Yaquina.....6:45 a. m.
Leaves Corvallis.....11:30 a. m.
Arrives Albany.....12:15 p. m.
No. 3 For Detroit:
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Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern, that the undersigned has sold out all his interest in the firm of Savage & Reid, doing business at Nos. 322 and 324 Commercial street, in Salem, Or., to H. C. Fletcher, who continues the business with O. G. Savage, under the firm name of Savage & Fletcher. The new firm assumed charge of the business December 15, 1902, and the final transfer was completed this day. All bills due the old firm must be paid at once.

In retiring from business in Salem the undersigned desires to thank the many friends of the old firm for their liberal patronage, and heartily recommend to them the new firm of Savage & Fletcher.

GEO. S. REID,
Retiring Partner.
Dated Salem, Or., Dec. 27, 1902.
12-29-1m

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A woman who keeps her house in order and has the care of a family, has just as much responsibility as the man who provides the means to carry on the housekeeping. She is deserving of the more credit since the demands on her strength is greater. The everlasting sameness about her duties, and the confinement necessary to carry them out is very trying to the nervous system. This produces a strain on the mind that makes her irritable, cross, and dissatisfied, which is just as much a disease as rheumatism or catarrh. If nerves can be built up and made strong by medicine of some kind this feeling is changed to one of cheerfulness and pleasure in her duties. The medicine that makes strong steady nerves, and prevents disease by building up the entire system, is Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic, a tablet to take at meal time. Cures nervous prostration by making rich red blood, feeding the nerves, and making solid flesh at the rate of 1 to 3 lbs per week. This medicine is sold by druggists for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2.00, or sent by mail, post-paid, on receipt of price. Write us about your case. Address Dr. Gunn, Philadelphia, Pa. For sale at Dr. Stone's Drug Stores. 3

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