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## OUR STORE POLICY

When the quality of an article is sacrificed to the point where it will not satisfy its purchaser it becomes worthless and no matter how low the price the purchaser is justified in harboring a grievance against the merchant who made the sale. If a person, through either ignorance or poor judgement desires to invest in shoddy goods, we feel it our duty to protect either him or her. We enjoy the confidence of our customers and will not take advantage of them by selling them anything that will not prove a profitable investment.

**\$5.00 STETSON SHOES**  
Reduced to

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The very latest styles in men's tan shoes are offered at this great reduction merely to stimulate August business.

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The very latest styles. This season's lasts.

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### INTER-STATE BRANCH STUDIO

Of the Western Conservatory of Music—Steinway Hall, Chicago.

The Salem branch of the Western Conservatory of Music, of Chicago, will be opened September 1st, in room 3 of the Gray block by the local representative, Frank E. Churchill, B. M.

The Western Conservatory is the only regular college of music in the United States offering helpful co-operation with capable private teachers and their pupils at home by allowing them to become a part of the institution.

During the past ten years nearly 100 hundred branch studios of the conservatory have been established throughout the West, all of which are in successful operation.

Mr. Churchill, who has charge of the Salem studio, is one of the most successful pupils of this great conservatory, and his work is recognized by competent musicians as of the highest order. Pupils will receive his most painstaking care, and can depend upon results, such as many more pretentious teachers could not undertake to convey.

Among the special advantages of this institution might be mentioned the following:

1. Pupils who become members of the conservatory class in any branch studio are enrolled upon the register at Chicago by means of matriculation cards, as "Conservatory Inter-State pupils."
2. They are assigned to a regular grade in the course of study, according to their proficiency, which grade is entered upon the register; likewise the

## LOST WIFE AND LIFE

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—W. W. Stevenson, a wealthy rancher, of Washoe county, Nev., was killed this morning by Chellian Bowen, while trying to break into a room occupied by Bowen and Stevenson's wife, who eloped with Bowen two weeks ago. The wife, who is only 25 and pretty, witnessed the tragedy.

### Celebration in Oklahoma.

Lawton, Okla., Aug. 5.—The fourth anniversary of the opening of the Kiowa, Caddo and Comanche counties, which falls tomorrow, was celebrated here today on an elaborate scale. Thousands of visitors from all parts of the three counties gathered and took part in an interesting programme of speech making, athletic contests and other outdoor festivities. The city was handsomely decorated in honor of the occasion.

### Lost His Home by Fire.

This morning, between 6 and 7 o'clock, Mr. A. F. Holt, living at the northwest corner of Riverside addition, near Highland, lost his home and its contents by fire.

Mr. Holt was at the barn milking, when he heard a noise like an explosion, but he paid no particular attention to it at the time. Later, happening to look toward the house, he saw it was on fire, and rushed to the building to save what he could, but the flames had gained such headway that it was impossible to get anything out of it. In his endeavors to rescue his goods, and pre-

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We know it is the quality and low prices that the people want advertised, and not a whole newspaper full of talk. See below what we have to sell. They are the best value that was ever offered to the people of Salem.

### FINE SILKS.

All new and fresh and sparkle with beauty.

500 yds. Wash India Silks, all colors, fine quality, regular price 39c

Sale price..... .23c

Remnants of fine silks half price.

1000 yds. Fancy Dress Silks, the very latest, worth up to \$1.00.

Price..... .49c, 59c and 69c

Soft India Silks and Chiffon Silks, suitable for fine waists and evening dresses. .39c, 45c and 65c yd.

75c Black Silk Taffeta, yd..... .45c

\$1.50 Heavy Black Silk Taffeta, 36 inches wide, suitable for underskirts, yd..... .95c

\$1.39 Black Silk Peau de Soie, a fine, heavy quality, sale price, yd..... .85c

### FINE DRESS GOODS.

Advanced sale of up to date new Dress Goods.

75c and 85c Heavy Mohair Dress Goods, yd..... .49c

75c Fancy Mohair Dress Goods, yd..... .49c

50c Twilled Mohair Dress Goods, yd..... .29c

\$1.75 Heavy English Mohair Dress Goods, yd..... .95c

\$2 Cravatette Dress Goods, yd..... \$1.39

\$1.50 all wool French Voiles, Etamines, Etoilles, French Crepes, yd..... .49c, 75c and 85c

Remnants Dress Goods, Half Price

### SHOPPING BAGS.

Grand Assortment at Small Prices.

50c, 75c and \$1 values, sale price..... .25c, 35c and 49c

LADIES' FANCY COLLARS.

Beautiful Novelty Collars, all kinds, prices 3c, 5c, 8 1-3c, 10c and 25c.

### Embroideries.

1000 yards to select from. New arrivals.

50c Corset Cover Embroidery, 30 in. wide, special price, yd..... .25c

Odd lots of Embroideries, all prices... 1c, 2c, 3 1/2c, 5c, 8 1-3c and 10c.

### LACES.

We carry an immense stock of laces

—Valenciennes Laces, Torchon

Laces, Oriental Laces, Silk Laces, Mecklin Laces and dozens of others at small prices, 1c, 2c, 5c, 5c, 8 1-3c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 25c, etc.

### CORSETS.

We carry a fine stock at low prices.

50c summer corsets, linen mesh 25c

85c model form corsets, price... .49c

\$1.50 Warner Brothers' Rust Proof Corsets, price..... .85c

75c Girdle Corsets, all colors, pr..... .45c

20c Girdle Forms, price..... .25c

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Complete stock at small prices.

500 Corset Covers, 39c quality, sale price..... .25c

20c Corset Covers, odd lot, price 2c

Skirts, Drawers and Night Gowns at reduced prices, 25c, 39c, 49c and up.

### LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS.

New arrivals at low prices.

\$5.00 Accordion Plaited Dress Skirts, all colors, at manufacturers' cost, only..... \$3.99

\$4.50 New Mohair Dress Skirts, price..... .25c

Others cheaper and others higher price.

### LADIES' SHOES.

500 pairs new shoes bought cheap.

Ladies' \$2.25 fine Kid Shoes with French Heel and Patent Toes, price only..... \$1.39

### WASH SUITS.

Splendid line; all reduced

\$4.50 Nobby Wash Suits, price \$2.25

\$5.50 Wash Suits, sale price, \$3.50

White and colored Wash Suits Half Price.

### SHIRT WAISTS.

Prices on Shirt Waists Slaughtered.

Must go regardless of cost.

25c, 35c, 45c and up.

### DOMESTICS.

500 yards Calico, standard make, yard..... .3 1/2c

500 Yards Fringed Napkins, each 4c.

Fancy Lawns and Dimities, Half Price.

### SALEM'S FASTEST GROWING STORE.

**MCEVOY BROS.** Corner of Commercial and Court Streets

### DIED.

MELLEN.—At the family home in East Salem, Saturday, August 5, 1905, after a lingering illness, Clifford Austin Mellen, aged 34 years.

Deceased has been ill for nearly two years, and for six months has been gradually sinking, until the end came peacefully this morning, more as a relief to the sufferer than otherwise. He was a native of Marion county, and has spent nearly all his life in Salem, where he leaves a host of warm friends in the best circles. He leaves a wife, mother and sister to mourn his departure, all of whom were most devoted to him, and especially so during his months of almost hopeless illness. He most patiently and resignedly awaited the end, knowing that his greatest sacrifice would be the parting with those dear to him.

The funeral will be held at the home Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m., Rev. P. S. Knight officiating, and as he was a charter member of the Order of Foresters, the lodge will probably take charge of the services at the grave in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Among the relatives from out of town who will attend the funeral are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hubbard, of Independence, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ireland, of Monmouth.

### A Small Fire.

At 12:20 this afternoon the department was called out to a fire in a house occupied by Mrs. Mileir, on South Church street, north of the blind school. The blaze started from a defective flue, and the roof was well afire by the time the department arrived. The fire was confined to the roof. All of the household goods were taken out, and the only damage done was to the building.

### CHILDREN OBY FOR FLETCHER'S CARTORIA.

## Hop Baskets

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THE BICYCLE MAN

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JUST WHAT YOU WANT

### An \$8 Porch Swing at \$5

WE HAVE A NUMBER OF THESE SWINGS BOUGHT AT A SPECIAL FIGURE AND FINISHED BY US IN THE STANDARD WEATHERED FINISH, WITH HEAVY CHAIN HANGINGS. THEY ARE STRONG DURABLE, ORNAMENTAL AND CHEAP AT THE SPECIAL PRICE.

**\$5.00**

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Phone Orders Taken

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number of lessons per week, daily practice, etc.

3. By means of "term reports" sent in by the teacher, the standing of each pupil is kept on record in the conservatory office from term to term, just as in the case of those studying in the conservatory at Chicago.

4. Their "promotion" from one grade to the next is also recorded at the conservatory, and placed to the credit of the pupil.

5. Instructive "letters" and "lectures" are prepared by the president and other members of the faculty, and sent out monthly in typewritten form, to all branch studios, to be read and discussed before the classes. These are the same in subject matter as the lectures and talks given at the conservatory.

6. "Certificates of Proficiency" of the Western Conservatory may be conferred upon Inter-State pupils who complete the regular course in any branch studio.

7. All teachers and pupils connected with the branch studios are fully recognized in the "Annual Catalogue," together with those of the main institution.

"Tall Timothy" Geer is being put forward by some people who ought to know better for the nomination for governor or United States senator, they don't care which. Better stay with the farm, T. T. you are sure there. Dame Nature does not use her little hatchet nearly so viciously as do the politicians.—Medford Mail.

vent the fire from spreading to the barn, Mr. Holt was severely burned about the face, head and hands.

Soon after the fire started neighbors appeared and helped him, and he succeeded in getting some things out of the cellar. The origin of the fire is not known.

Mr. Holt is an old resident of Salem, having lived here for 15 years. He desires, through The Journal, to thank the neighbors and friends who assisted him.

A Kansas City physician has discovered that high collars worn by women produce cancer of the throat, and the Hopkins Journal announces that low necked dresses produce pneumonia, corsets cause heart disease and shortness of breath, and long skirts gather up germs of all infectious diseases; thin soles produce consumption and tight shoes cause the toes to grow together, and looking at bright millinery causes sore eyes. Women should be very careful about these things.—Lebanon Critterion.

### ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.

Mrs. C. S. White and children, of Gervais, are visiting Mrs. F. E. Slater. Miss Marjorie Moore, of Oakland, Cal., is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Pierce, at "The Oaks."

George I. Goodrich, of Unionville, Mo., and sister are visiting at the home of their uncle, Wm. Goodrich, at Chemawa. Mr. Goodrich was here three years ago visiting, and this is his first visit since. He is engaged in the jewelry business at Unionville, Mo.

## Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society.

Frank Meredith, Resident Agent. Office with Wm. Brown & Co., No. 129 Commercial Street.

## NEW TODAY

Olinger & Dennis—Carpenters and general jobbers. We have opened a shop at 256 State street. Call and see us or phone 485 Main. 8-4-3t

For Rent.—Eight room house, some fall fruit. Inquire of Josie Galentine, Miller street, near Rock street, South Salem. 8-5-3t\*

Lost or Strayed.—A white Angora cat, about half grown. Return to Mrs. C. A. Gray, East State street, and receive reward. 8-5-3t\*

### Photographers to Meet.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 5.—For the first time in a decade and a half the Photographers' Association of America is to hold its annual convention in Boston this year. Mechanics' building has been engaged for next week, and the meetings will be of unusual interest to the photographers for the reason that they will mark the association's quarter-centennial.

One of the interesting features of the convention will be the big exhibition of the work of the photographers and the display made by manufacturers and dealers in photographic material. Advice received by the local

committee in charge of arrangements indicate an unusually large attendance of prominent photographers from almost every section of the United States and Canada.

### Big Vaudeville Circuit.

Portland, Or., Aug. 4.—S. Morton Cobu and John Considine, of Portland, and five eastern millionaire politicians, will establish a monster vaudeville circuit between New York and Chicago. Their capital is unlimited.

## Special Mocha & Java Blend

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