THE HOUSEHOLD PAGE.

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE LADIES SOLICITED FOR THIS DEPARTMENT. TELL YOUR VALUABLE RECEIPTS, HOW YOU MAKE FANCY ARTICLES AND ABOUT THE DESIGNS AND CARE OF YOUR "ROSE GARDEN."

Measuring the Children.

They used to stand on the door-stone gray,
By the side door, worn and old,
And we made a pencil mark for each,
For the brown heads and the gold.
Low, indeed, was the earliest mark,
For Bessie could scarcely stand;
But we held her safe, and marked her height
With careful and loving hand.

For many a year the game went on,
We made it a merry match,
And the one should win who grew the most
And who first should reach the latch.
And Harry grew slow, and Nell grew fast,
And Johnnie grew plump and round,
And no one could tell which little head
Would first at the latch be found.

But Harry it was that won at last
By the very smallest space;
And Nellie, with all her shining curls,
Held only the second place;
And Bessie, the oldest little child,
Was away beyond our sight
Where we could not tell how fast she grew
Nor measure again her height.
And all the rest of the children now
From the farmhouse old have gone;
Far above the latch now rise the heads
Of Harry, Nellie and John.
Happy and strong in the world they work
For their childhood days are o'er;
But when they come back they still can see
The markings beside the door.

PIGEONS FOR PROFIT.

Give pigeon keeping the same close attention you would bestow on your business affairs.

Systematize your work; keep strict acount of both debit and credit.

Kaffir corn can be used as a substitute for Canada peas, when the latter can not readly be secured.

A good spray for the loft is a mixture of twenty parts kerosene oil and one part crude carbolic acid.

Ewald says that there is no truth in the idea that cracked corn is the cause of canker in pigeons.

Pigeons do not dust themselves as poultry do. Frequent bathing is their method of keeping in good condition.

A double floor, lined, and an air space of about the thickness of a lath between the floors, is the warmest and best for the loft.

Success comes from careful and thoughtful work.

Neglect will invite and develop trouble never dreamed of.

Sucessful rearing of pigeons will continue for those who have the qualifications which command success in this work.

Good care will overcome much inconvenience and many unfavorable conditions.

New birds should never be put in the loft before being dusted with good louse powder.

Spring.

There's a song of birds on the morning air,
There's a glint of green at your feet,
There's violets blossoming everywhere,
With perfume dainty and sweet.
There's a brush of brooms at the back doorway,
And the housecleaning path we clear,—
And the ragman called again today,
Sure, we know that spring is here.

E. E. JUDD—The Farmers' Friend, Republican Candiadte for County Commissioner.

Mature hogs that are thin may be made to gain a half a pound per day on alfalfa hay without grain.

Violins Aged by Electricity.

A noted violinist and violin maker believes he has discovered a method for giving, by the aid of an electrical machine, the same quality of tone to a violin that age has been credited with providing. The theory of the violinist, says Popular Mechanics, is that it is not the age of the violin which really gives it its superior tone, but the amount of "bowing" or vibration it has received. By the use of the electrical machine the violin is expected to get as much bowing in thirty days as the same instrument would receive in fifty years of ordinary use.

"Eggs-E-Unt"

Every one of you. They all must go because we got them just for Easter time. It's a fine lot of hens that layed the dozens of

Fresh Easter Eggs

Now offered the good people of our community, after going to church you'll deserve all you can eat of them. Give the order now. Better buy plenty now as they are only 15c a dozen. Easter Egg Dyes are here in plenty and all varieties too.

5c a package.

SEELEY'S

THE BIG STORE

9th and Main Sts., Oregon City

TWO GAMES BREAK EVEN

LEAGUE BASEBALL SEASON IS OPENED BY PIONEERS AND PAPERMAKERS.

CROWD ROASTS UMPIRE

Albina Team Will Play Against Oregon City Next Saturday and Sunday Afternoons at Canemah Park.

Oregon City had her first taste of league baseball this year on Saturday and Sunday, when the Papermakers and Pioneers of Vancouver broke even on their first series. The attendance on the opening day was far from a large one, but the Sunday crowd was fairly good, and at times was very demonstrative. This last is especially true of the reception accorded Umpire Burnside after the game. Burnside made several decisions that were far from right, but it might be said that he favored neither side, he threw it into one team as well as the other, and caused considerable wrangling, and enough fabric was masticated to make suits for the whole league. At the close of the game the crowd surrounded the official, and talked threateningly, but that worthy escaped with a hit in the face. The first game was won by splendid team work on the part of the locals, and the work of Havernicht and Kelt, both of these little men working like Turks.

For a time Pender pitched good ball for the Pioneers, but the locals soon got next to his style and he was replaced by Onley. The score by innings:

Vancouver	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Hits	0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 1—4
Oregon City	2 0 0 0 1 3 0 1 *—7
Hits	2 0 0 0 2 1 1 0 *—6

In the Sunday game the Vancouver crowd succeeded in turning the tables and at the end of the seance, the score board read 8 to 3 in their favor. Concannon, the former Woodburn star did the twirling for the visitors, while the box was filled for the locals by Rummell till the eighth, when he was replaced by Long, "the pride of Canemah." The visitors started off right in the first inning, by making the desired connections between the willow and horsehide five times, succeeded in chasing four men across the plate before they were smothered. They duplicated the performance in the seventh inning. The daring base stealing of Kruger, the local third baseman, was responsible for the Papermaker's first run, when in attempting to put him out, the Pioneers allowed Rummel to score. In the ninth, with one man down, the locals took a brace, and by timely hitting and clever playing landed Hill and Chapin in home. In an effort to worry Concannon, Griffith, who was on second, played too far off, and Tim soon had him waltzing between second and third, and finally forced Adams, who was resting on third, off that sack, with a double out resulting.

The score was as follows:

Vancouver	4 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0— 8
Hits	5 0 0 0 1 1 5 2 1—15
Oregon City	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2—3
Hits	0 2 1 0 0 0 1 1, 4—9

Next Saturday and Sunday, the Papermakers will play the Albina team at Canemah Park. Albina was defeated twice by St. Johns, but since that time, they have been improving their lineup, and a close game is expected.

Shea, who caught for Vancouver, left Monday for Tacoma, where he will be second catcher for that city in the Northwest League.

GEORGE F. HORTON.

Man Who Made a Clean Record as County Clerk a Candidate for Assessor.

George F. Horton, who is so well known to the people of Oregon City and Clackamas County that he needs no introduction, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Assessor, and is soliciting the votes of the members of the Republican party at the primary nominating election next Friday. Mr. Horton several years ago was County Clerk and made a clean and economical record while in that office, demonstrating his ability. When he was a candidate for a second term he received one of the largest majorities ever given to a candidate for a Clackamas County office. Mr. Horton is a veteran of the civil war, having served in the 148th Ohio, and is a member of the Meade Post G. A. R. He has been a resident of Clackamas County 22 years and if nominated and elected he promises an equal assessment to the taxpayers and a strictly economical administration. He is in the race for Assessor to win and expects a close fight.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Convention at Oregon City.

Mrs. C. A. Nash, president of the Clackamas County Sunday School Association, has arranged a district convention for the Oregon City district, to be held at the Methodist Episcopal Church in this city, next Wednesday, commencing at 9:45 a. m. Preparations have been made for the entertainment of the delegates. Rev. C. A. Phipps, state field worker, will assist and probably A. M. Cross, of Cleveland, Ohio, who spoke so entertainingly at the county convention, will be present. There will be special music and interesting programme by local talent.

J. Levitt, a Main street merchant, returned Saturday from a flying trip to San Francisco.

WALTER A. DIMICK

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

HE HAS SIGNED STATEMENT NO. 1, AND WILL SUPPORT THE PEOPLES' CHOICE FOR U. S. SENATOR REGRADLESS OF HIS INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCE.

He stands for strict economy in appropriations; banking laws affording protection to the depositor; all proper measures to upbuild and better our roads and public school system; reform tax legislation to compel corporations and land speculators to pay their just proportion of the taxes; the preservation of the natural resources of the state to the people to whom they belong.

Mr. Dimick has been endorsed by a great many Republicans of Clackamas County for the office of Representative, and if elected he will give impartial and fair treatment to all.

NOTICE

During the coming campaign THE MILWAUKIE BAND HALL and BAND can be engaged for political rallies. Send in dates wanted as to time, etc. Address all communications to J. E. WETZLER, Manager Milwaukie Band.

Phone Sellwood 1014. Milwaukie, Or.

Time is rapidly filling, send in dates wanted at earliest convenience.

COUNTY DEATHS

John Wickem.

John Wickem, son of Perry Wickem and Vernie Imel Wickem, and a grandson of Sol and Annie Imel, of Clackamas, was drowned in Rogue River last Wednesday. The boy was aged one and one-half years. He was playing on the endge of the river bank, when he fell in. The accident ocurred at Galice, near Merlin. The body was brought here Friday night and taken to Clackamas for burial.

Mrs. Earl Shibley.

Mrs. L. Shibley, wife of Earl Shibley, died last Tuesday at the home of John Hickman, in West Oregon City, aged 24 years, 6 months, 4 days. Tuberculosis was the cause of death. Mrs. Shibley recently returned from a trip to Arizona, where she had been for her health, which was not improved in the South. The body was taken to Myrtle Creek, Douglas County, and buried there last Wednesday.

Infant Child of Dr. Moore.

The infant child of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Moore, of Lents, died there and the body was brought here for interment in Mountain View cemetery. Dr. Moore formerly resided in Oregon City and conducted a drug store on Seventh street, where the store of C. W. Friedrich is now located.

Mrs. Victoria Brown.

Mrs. Victoria Brown died Wednesday morning at her late residence in West Oregon City, aged 55 years. Her death was due to tuberculosis. She had been a resident of Clackamas County since 1872, and is survived by a husband and five children. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon from the eMthodist church, Rev. R. C. Blackwell officiating.

Herman Klinger.

Herman Klinger died Sunday morning at his home in Beaver Creek, aged 34 years. He was a well known farmer of that section and had been a sufferer from tuberculosis for several years. The funeral took place at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from his late residence. Deceased leaves a family.

ESTACADA.

The five months' old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lingelbach died Tuesday night of last week.

Archie Locum has taken an option on 40 acres of D. M. Marshall's place at $75 per acre.

Dr. Briggs, who purchased 40 acres of the J. P. Irvin farm a year ago, has set out 500 grape vines and is making preparations to set out a large orchard.

Mrs. Ella Tracey is seriously ill and confined to her bed at her home.

A local organization of the Homesteaders was formed at the Garfield Grange hall Saturday night with 11 members. Robert Duncan is president and Chas. Duncan, secretary. E. C. Huffman and Dr. M. J. Dunny are the organizers.

Addison Shaver of Tigardville is visiting at L. J. Palmateer's this week.

The Republican candidates spoke at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday night. About 15 per cent. of the voters of the precinct were in attendance. The voters evidently have their minds made up

W. H. Holder left yesterday for a canvass of the southern part of the county, in the interests of his candidacy for assessor.

J. T. Irvin has sown 60 acres of oats.

The Henry Palmateer place has been sold by Graham to a man named Dicks.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

MOODY FOR ASSESSOR.

His Manly Fight Is Winning Him Many Votes.

It is generally conceded that Mr. Moody will be the nominee of the Republican party for Assessor;

A vote for him means a total breakup of the old machine and political ring in Clackamas County;

The riddance of political hacks and hangers-on;

The assessment of all property at its true cash value as required by law, that railroads will not be assessed in Multnomah County at $47,000 a mile and in Clackamas County at only $19,000 a mile;

That the office will be run, and the assessments made on the best judgment of the assessor, and not at the instance of the corporation attorneys of Oregon City;

The carrying out of the rule adopted for many years by Clackamas County, that two terms is the safe limit to keep any man in a county office.

150,000 Shingles for Sale at Bigelow's Saw Mill

PHONE SUBURBAN 13

Sold in quantities to suit purchaser

PRICE IS RIGHT

FISHING TACLKE

The place to buy

Large Assortment

Prices Reasonable

C. G. Miller

OREGON CITY

The Home of Sportsmen

REPUBLICAN RALLY

Shively's Hall

Thursday Eve., April 16, 1908

HON. GEO. C. BROWNELL

will deliver an address upon party lines and methods of electing U. S. Senators at Salem and in other states

All County candidates will be present and make addresses