

DAIRY INDUSTRY HAS VERY BRIGHT FUTURE

The Central Oregon country is proving to be especially well adapted to the dairy business. Dairying fits in so nicely with a diversified farming that it is becoming a common practice to keep a few cows on many of the farms. Some of the smaller range cattlemen milk their best cows in the fall and winter while calves are being weaned and the cows are fed.

Creameries and cream buying stations are centrally located and

A cow testing association is in successful operation and a ruthless weeding out of low producing stock will be the result. Over 300 cows are being tested at the present time. Some very good records are made.

The owners of small irrigated farms find it greatly to their advantage to keep some good cows. The labor required can easily be performed at little loss of time from the usual farm duties and the steady income from this source is a very important factor in farm finances.

The fertilizer obtained from keeping cows is very beneficial in maintaining the fertility of the farm.

Much pasture and surplus garden products that would otherwise be of



A few of these are good on every ranch

Charles Wendt, Baker; R. G. McAllister, Corvallis; W. A. Efinger, Astoria; Elmer T. Connell, Deer Island; A. A. Brash, North Bend; L. Nichols, Prineville; J. W. Ostrander, Gold Beach; A. McDonald, Oregon City; R. E. Hunt, Roseburg; George T. Meador, Prairie City; Lester Wade, Condon; W. A. Goodman, Burns; J. M. Rader, Medford; R. J. Bestul, Grants Pass; Albert L. Marshall, Olney; Charles Pitcher, Silver Lake; W. S. Roberts, Eugene; D. Taylor, Halsey; Jess Farrin, Taft; Thomas Logan, Brogan; G. M. Rice, Woodburn; John Brosnan, Heppner; Gerry Snow, North Portland; James Stewart, Moro; J. E. Reedy, Tillamook; E. L. Wright, Pilot Rock; T. B. Johnson, Cove; Henry Haas, Enterprise; W. H. Harris, The Dalles; W. B. Cook, Forest Grove.

The Oregon Inter-State Fair will be held at Prineville, October 3-6.



A Good Type of Milkers

pay a liberal price for cream. The stage companies gather up cream on all their lines and return the empty cans at very reasonable rates.

The cream separator very materially lessens the labor formerly necessary in caring for the milk and gives the milk fresh and sweet for feeding hogs and poultry which should be kept on every farm. Milking machines are also being tried by a few.

The superior quality of the alfalfa, clover and natural meadow hay of this region makes them a very desirable feed for dairy cows. Our native grasses which are available in the growing season are very fine feed for this purpose. All kinds of roots commonly fed to cows are easily grown and yield enormously.

Silos are being tried out and no doubt will be the means of providing succulent feed when it is not naturally abundant.

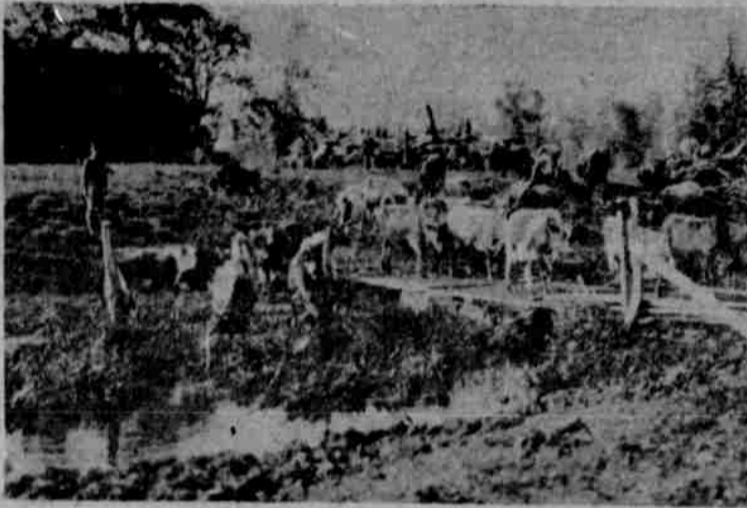
Some high class registered stock of the most popular dairy breeds has been imported.

Long prices have been paid for many of these and their impression on the dairy stock of the country is noticeable. Bull associations, several of which have been formed are giving valuable assistance to this effort at improvement.

little value, are by this means turned to good account and often aid materially in the feed supply.

OREGON STOCK INSPECTORS

On recommendation of the Oregon Cattle & Horse Raisers' association, Governor Withycombe has appointed the livestock inspectors for thirty counties. They hold until July 1, 1919, as follows:



Typical Dairy Herd

Every Country Home Should have
Hot and Cold Water Under Pressure
For a Very Moderate Sum

Any home can be fitted with modern bathroom fixtures, water pressure and as many conveniences as the average city dwelling

I Guarantee all My Work
and all My Fixtures Installed by Me or My Workmen

A Gasoline Engine Saves Time, Labor, Money
Increases Crops and likes to work on these hot days just as well as in cool weather

Estimates Cheerfully Furnished

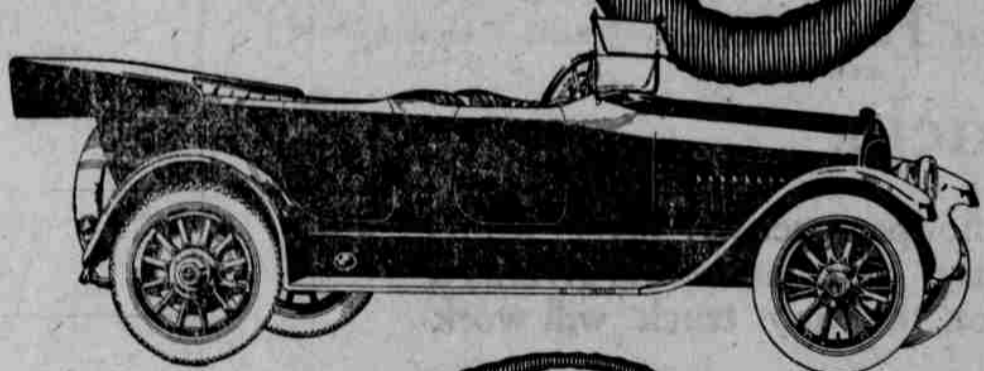
T. J. MINGER
Prineville - Oregon

Let me figure with you on installing pumps and plumbing and I will save you money on every estimate or job

The Cole Obligation to the Public

Only by serving the public well are we entitled to large and Permanent success

This is the Cole Obligation to the Public



COLE

United States Tires

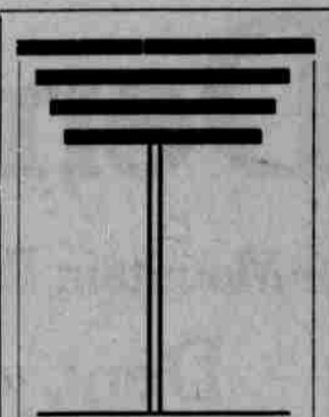
We represent the Northwest Auto Co. Selling
Dort, Cole, Reo and Marmon Cars

Phone us for demonstration and terms
Parties purchasing cars from us are insured local service of quality

Central Oregon Garage :: Redmond, Oregon

Certified Seed Potatoes

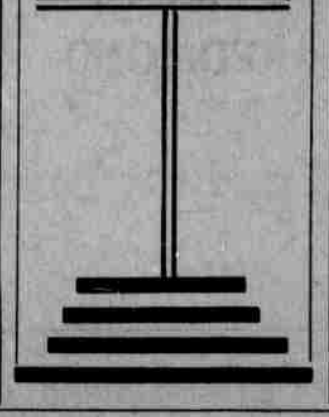
Prize Winning Varieties Grown at Powell Butte



Included in the list of certified seed are

**Burbanks
Netted Gems
100 Fold
Gold Coin**

Ten varieties scored 97 1-2 percent perfect and my Netted Gems scored 100 per cent perfect



Grown on my Ranch at

Powell Butte

and certified to by the Oregon Agricultural College

For Being True to Name and Free From all Disease

My potatoes took First Prize in competition with growers from all parts of the world in 1915, many prizes at the Portland Land Products Show and the Crook County Oregon Inter State Fair in 1915

S. D. MUSTARD

Powell Butte, Oregon