

Cloverdale Courier

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JOB DEPARTMENT

My Job Department is complete in every respect and I am able to do all kinds Commercial Job Printing on short notice at reasonable prices.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1916

Kill the prohibition law this fall. We have had enough prosperity. Give to us booze, bootleggers and bum business. What?

Vote the breweries in Oregon into business this fall and by your vote dislodge all the good that has been done by the best measure ever enacted in Oregon, the dry law.

The names of Pat Foley and W. S. U'Ren are listed in the general committee "Equal Rights to Oregon Industry" Committee. An organization devoting its energies to have the breweries of Oregon voted into business this fall. This committee is sending out circulars asking country publishers to print the same for the good of the state. The newspapers in justice to the publishing fraternity and the committee should return the circulars and in all kindness say to the committee "you be the goat?"

AERIAL WAR UP TO DATE.

The following from one of our exchanges furnishes food for much considerate thought:

"After two years of fighting in the air, with flying machines steadily becoming more and more efficient, what is the lesson learned?

"Any nation which falls behind in the struggle for air power may, in years to come, be defeated in a campaign lasting not a year or a month or even a week, but as the result of a blow delivered and completed within a few hours.

"With aircraft flying as they will, at speeds of 200 miles an hour and even more, it will be possible for an enemy, immediately on a declaration of war or without waiting for one, to strike in the course of an hour or so and with precision—using fleets of thousands of machines—against the very nerve centers and vital arteries of any opponent who is ill prepared; destroying government building, arsenals, factories and railways, paralyzing all communications, and blotting out whole cities.

The power of a perfected aeroplane, when in unscrupulous hands, may in the future become so fearful as to appear almost superhuman.

"Pestilence may be spread by aeroplane; the inhabitants of great cities may be slain in thousands by poisonous or suffocating gasses.

"Swift and pitiless may be the action of the sea power. Far more swift, far more pitiless, will be the action, ultimately, of air power.

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"Disaster awaits a nation which ignores these warnings—which refuses to read this writing that this war has written on the wall!"

[The above is too horrible to contemplate. When the nations reach this climax world destruction will almost be inevitable. Madly have the war gods destroyed their enemies. Further destruction may cause internal combustion in the ranks of the successful. A union of all the civilized nations with power of arbitration and a "no-war" clause so thoroughly imbedded in the alliance that it cannot be shaken is the only solution that will prevent such dire calamities forecasted.]

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received up to October 1, 1916, for making cheese in the Cloverdale factory for 1917. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. Mail bids to the undersigned.

H. B. Lockwood, Secretary.

Take the old reliable White stage for a comfortable, safe and sure trip to Tillamook.

The Cloverdale Courier \$1 a year,

Shoes Shoes Shoes

As long as they last we are offering exceptional values in the following lines which we are closing out at very low prices. Look these over:

A few pairs Ladies Shoes, values up to \$4.00,
pair \$1.50

A few pair Ladies' Oxfords, value up to 4.00,
pair 1.00

Nice assortment of Children's Shoes and Oxfords
pair 1.00

Babies' Shoes, pair 43c

A few pair Boys' High Tops, 4.50 values at pair 2.00

A few pairs Boys' School Shoes up to 3.00 values, pair 1.25

Cloverdale Mercantile Co.

"What Congress has done concerning a

Government Armor Plant

and what people are thinking about it"

as reflected in Editorial Comment

This is the title of a booklet we have prepared. We shall be glad to send a copy free to any one interested.

Bethlehem Steel Co.
South Bethlehem, Pa.

Alder Wood Bargain.

All orders for alder wood given before October 1, will be accepted at the low price of \$1.25 per rick delivered.

H. B. Lockwood.

To those who wish to get a better KODAK this season, we have made arrangements whereby we can take in a few good old style machines in trade on new ones.

Kodak Cleaning and Repairing.

C. I. CLOUGH,
RELIABLE DRUGGISTS

Tillamook, Oregon.

Plasker Bros. for all kinds of plumbing, bath room outfits and fixtures. Tillamook, Ore.