

## Cloverdale Courier

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1916

Some business institutions can succeed without advertising—but what's the use taking the chances.

There is a call by a committee for a meeting to be held at the Cloverdale Hotel this evening for the purpose of organizing a Business Men's Club. Such an organization, if perfected, can result in much good. It can help wonderfully in brining the community before the eyes of prospective locators, it can help to improve the conditions of the town, and it can help the businesses that are already located here. It can do more, it can do away with a good share of the knocking that occurs because someone imagines that they have cause to be peeved. We sincerely hope that everyone who received an invitation will make it his business to be present and come with a spirit of liberality. Let's make this club a winner by putting our shoulders to the wheel in a way that will make the new club a successful one.

### Tillamook County Agricultural Notes.

By Roy C. Jones, county agriculturist.

#### Does Irrigation Pay in Tillamook.

Our eastern Oregon friends who are farming with 16 inches of rainfall without irrigation would probably laugh at the idea of anyone irrigating land that received a hundred inches or more of rain a year. The idea at first thought, does seem to be ridiculous, but ridiculous or not, results are what we are after, and there are several illustrations in this county that seems to indicate that it does pay. This is especially true of our high bottom lands, creek bottoms and uplands.

One of the men who has been practicing irrigation for some time in this county is A. N. Bunn, of Beaver. Mr. Bunn has a creek bottom and upland ranch. By the utilization of the water from the creek for irrigation he has been able to convert fields of Dawson weed into good stands of grass for meadow and pasture. Along with his irrigation he finds that drainage is necessary, on parts of his land, to secure good results. With the aid of this water Mr. Bunn has made his meadows produce as much hay as most of the true river bottom land in that vicinity.

This farm is not the only one illustrating the value of this practice. J. L. Simmons, of Pleasant Valley, also reports great results. On a field where

formerly he got only a small jag of Dawson weed hay, after thorough irrigation he got three big loads. The water seems to drown-out the Dawson weed and the grass thickens up wonderfully.

Others reporting beneficial results are O. W. Kinrattan, Blaine; Chas. Wooley, Beaver, and C. E. Donaldson, Tillamook. There are no doubt more who have practiced the system but these are the men who have spoken most enthusiastically of it me.

#### Big Farmers' Picnit.

A. W. Bunn has kindly invited all the farmers who may be interested in seeing the results of irrigation to come to his farm at Beaver, on Sunday, September 9th. Come and bring your families and your lunch and spend the day. He also has a fine herd of grade Jerseys that you will be glad to look over.

#### 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.

# 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.

When in Tillamook and you want a good meal at a most reasonable price call at M. Oleson's in the Ramsey Hotel dining room.

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.

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