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It looks as if Cloverdale would soon have in first-class working order a booster club that will boost.

"Let George Do It" seems to have been the feeling as expressed at the Union High School election Tuesday.

Will school district No. 22 continue to maintain a high school for the benefit of other districts as well as its own is a question that is being quite generally asked.

THE OPENING OF MAILS.

England has been holding up and opening the mails of all countries passing through its ports or on the high seas, and thinks it is a good business during the war, but when Sweden began opening English mails on the way to Petrograd, John Bull made a terrific howl about it.

The opening of the mails by belligerents in war is not countenanced by the United States and other neutrals. The government of this country has protested to England about the offense on the ground that it is a violation of international law. The position that the United States has consistently taken is that we cannot permit international laws to be changed during a war for the benefit of one party and to the detriment of another. This principle was involved when the question of selling munitions of war to the allies was brought up by the friends of Germany. The same rule applies in the case of the mails. We cannot consent to this automatic assumption of right through power. With international law shattered by the European war there would be but very little left on which to begin rebuilding after the war unless the United States stood for the observance of those laws which are agreed to by all nations during times of peace. We, as a nation, would not abridge the rights of any belligerent nation, at the same time we insist upon the rights of neutrals being respected.

Great Britain has meddled beyond all former limits in this war. It has blacklisted some of our merchants, it has interfered with our mails and it has censored cable messages. It has taken advantage of the business and trade secrets of American merchants for the benefit of her own people.

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