

ONLY HALF ARE TOILERS

STATISTICS SHOW THAT 38,756,223, PEOPLE GAINFULLY OCCUPIED.

Interesting Facts and Figures Have Just Been Compiled by Director of Census Harris.

At the thirteenth census (1910) there were 38,756,223 persons 10 years of age and over engaged in gainful occupations in the United States...

The proportion of the total population engaged in gainful occupations increased gradually from 34.7 per cent in 1880 to 41.5 per cent in 1910...

Practically one-third (33.2 per cent) of all gainful workers in the United States in 1910 were engaged in agriculture, forestry and animal husbandry...

There were 30,091,564 males engaged in gainful occupations in continental United States in 1910, as compared with 8,075,772 females...

LAWS HELD IN CONFLICT.

Attorney-General Gives Six Months for Delinquent Taxes.

Attorney-General Crawford, in an opinion Saturday, held that delinquency certificates could not be issued by county tax collectors until the expiration of six months after taxes became delinquent...

GRANGES FIGHT TWO BILLS.

Compensation Act and Proposed 8-Hour Law Are Opposed.

The granges of Polk county, which met at Lewisville, six miles southwest of Monmouth, adopted a resolution opposing the compensation act and asking that the farmers be held exempt from its provisions...

Polk at University of Oregon.

A. I. Barnhart and H. E. Barnhart, of Falls City, and Joseph F. Bogynska, and E. L. Keckel, of Monmouth, are among the Polk county representatives registered at the University of Oregon summer school this year...

Three Thousand Residence.

Mr. Peter Ritsler of Pelee has lumber on the ground for a \$3,000 residence at that place, and the work will commence forthwith.

"T. R." Is Busy In Politics Despite the Doctor's Orders



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HOME again, home again, from a foreign shore, and ready for the political fray is former President Roosevelt, defying the doctor's orders.

Where Savings Could Easily Be Effected

The automobiles maintained by 109 concerns in the Northwest handling the growers' fruit, outside of the large cooperative shipping organizations, if strung out in single file would form a procession over a mile long.

With the "annual expense of operating," 109 sales offices could be established in market centers throughout the world, and 227 salesmen could be placed in the field...

With the "investment in automobiles" alone, 199 of the best power sprayers on the market could be purchased and 117 of them could be operated for the regular seasons' sprays...

One hundred and twenty-five automobile trucks for general orchard and farm use could be bought, and the "annual expense of operating automobiles" would run them five months each year...

With the "total investment" a mammoth warehouse of 8,540 carloads capacity could be built, or 85 of 100 carloads capacity each could be located at various points in the Northwest...

Reverting again to the serious phase of the situation, it is stated that the "total annual expense of operating" does not include anything for depreciation, repairs, taxes, insurance, etc., on the plants, warehouses, automobiles, etc., which in a hazardous business such as the handling of perishable fruit cannot be estimated at less than 10 per cent.

All of which is derived from but one source, and, of course, is deducted before the growers receive their returns from their fruit.

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THE BASEBALL OF LIFE

REV. GATES DELIVERS FIRST OF SERIES OF SERMONS.

Epitome of "The Man at the Bat" as Related at the Evangelical Church Last Sunday.

Following is a brief synopsis of the first of a series of sermons on "The Baseball of Life" by Rev. C. P. Gates, being entitled "The Man at the Bat."

There is a crying need in the world today for men. Manly, independent, fearless fellows who are afraid of nothing but to do wrong.

We are learning too, to measure every man by his ability to make good. Can he "come across?" Does he have the "punch?"

The best ball players are those who play because they love the game. They just naturally revel in the business and are always working to perfect themselves in the fine points of the game.

Now in the base ball game of life there are, technically, five ways of getting from the bat to first. Really there are but four, as two are classed nearly the same.

Then a man goes down on an error by the fielder or a muffed third strike. Sometimes it is a fielder's choice; these two different cases are really one.

And then the last and best: a hit. This is always appreciated most by the fans and always gets a man started right.

But my friend there is no man master of himself except he first be mastered of Jesus Christ. Christ mastery is Self mastery.

God is the great president and manager in this base ball game of life. To get in good with him is not to try some other way of making life go but to hit.

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DOUBTFUL EGGS.

It is good business policy to reject as doubtful all eggs found in a nest that was not visited the previous day.

RAPE FOR SUMMER PIG FEED.

A Patch Will Furnish a Wealth of Green Fodder.

Sow a patch of rape. It will furnish the growing pigs with a wealth of palatable green feed and, if given a chance to "come back," will produce crop after crop of excellent succulence.

The most satisfactory method of growing this crop for swine, according to James G. Fuller of the agricultural experiment station, University of Wisconsin, is to provide three yards of about equal size and seed them three weeks apart with one and one-fourth bushels of oats and five pounds of rape to the acre.

The Dwarf Essex variety is best and usually sown broadcast or in drills twenty-eight inches apart.

The pigs can be turned on to the first lot as soon as the rape is from fourteen to eighteen inches in height, and as soon as they have eaten it down to four or five leaves to the stock the pigs are transferred to the next patch and so rotated from one lot to the other throughout the summer.

BLOAT IN CATTLE.

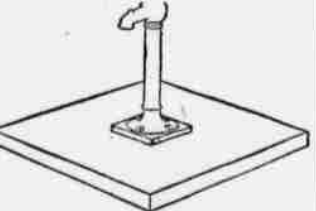
Cause of This Ailment and Method of Treatment.

Bloat is due to indigestion causing fermentation in the paunch of the cow, so the change from dry hay to fresh forage should be made gradually.

Two ounces of turpentine administered in a quart of warm, new milk or in a pint of raw linseed oil, is good for a bloated cow, and if necessary, may be repeated in an hour.

To Protect Wells.

The sketch will show you a good way to protect your well or cistern so waste water will not run back into and pollute the source of supply.



WATER CONTAINER CAP.

Four diameter than diameter of the foot flange of the well pump should be put around the pump hole and over the well cover.

Beds of Perennials.

Beds of perennials are becoming more popular every year. Once planted, the perennials take care of themselves pretty much.

Many valuable perennials are not generally known. Try adding a few new plants to the hardy border.

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