

THE LESSON OF LEAN YEARS

Lean years—such as those passing—often lead to long profits because of the lessons learned in cutting the cost corners.

Progressive farmers have found that good farm machinery, particularly the tractor, does more to reduce costs and increase yield than any other one thing.

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WANT AND FOR SALE ADS

CASH paid for false teeth, dental gold, platinum and discarded jewelry.—Hoke Smith Smelting & Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan.

FOR SALE—Fresh cows, C. G. Pest, Eagle Creek, Oregon. 514

FOR SALE—Collie pups—females \$5, males \$10. Samuel Powell, Estacada, Route 4, Phone 6X5 5-28

FARM FOR RENT AT ONCE 40 Acres suitable for spring oats excellent pasture. S. E. Wooster Estacada, Oregon. tf

FOR SALE—Bronze Turkey Tom was first prize yearling at State Fair in 1924—price \$15.00 Mrs. S. E. Lawrence. 5-7

WANTED—Second hand telephones. See A. Smith at Est. Tel. & Tel. Co., Estacada. 5-28-25

WANTED—A housekeeper one who is a worker. Answer in own hand writing, state wages wanted. Address Housekeeper care of Estacada News tf

WANTED—Sheep, see A. Smith, Est. Tel. and Tel. Co., Estacada. tf

FOR SALE—Good loose hay for sale \$14 per ton see J. O. Tunnell, Currinsville or S. E. Wooster, Estacada. tf

FOR SALE—Good team, harness and wagon \$200 see R. G. Marchbank or Geo. Kitching. 1t

MONEY TO LOAN—We have plenty of money to loan on farms at 6%—From one to 20 years. No commission on large loans. S. E. WOOSTER, Estacada, Ore. 6-19tf

FOR SALE—4 room house and three lots, has garage, frost proof cellar, wood shed, fruit and shade trees, inquire General Service Station. 4-9tf

PIANO FOR SALE NEAR Estacada—Very fine late model piano now stored near Estacada must be sold at once. Big saving and terms \$10 monthly to responsible party. For particulars write China Music Co., 413 Boren Ave. North, Seattle, Wash. 5-14

GEOREG ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warwick visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Johnson over Saturday night and Sunday.

The school program and basket social was a great success. The proceeds from the sale of the baskets amounted to over twenty dollars.

Mr. Viles who has been working in eastern Oregon is home on a visit.

Mrs. Hackney and brother, Mr. Fisher from Portland, attended the basket social on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ruhl had as guests over Saturday and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Merert, Miss Ott, Mr. Koester and Mrs. Samuel Mueller, all of Portland.

Mrs. Louisa Harders went to Portland on Tuesday to attend the funeral of her son-in-law, Mr. McClintock, which is to be held Wednesday, the 6th.

STATE MARKET AGENT DEPARTMENT

C. E. Spence, Market Agt. Some months ago a State Market Agent bulletin gave some interesting figures regarding the world's potato raising record on the Frederiek Rindge big ranch at Stockton, where 962 1/2 bushels of potatoes, high grade stock, were raised on one acre. Mr. Rindge has 1500 acres of potatoes and the average of the whole tract was 600 bushels to the acre. The crop was valued at more than one million dollars; he purchased 800,000 burlap sacks, 17 tractors, 75 head of work animals and 500 men were employed during the rush work.

But now comes something further in connection with this story. C. R. Briggs, county agent, at Corvallis, followed it up and he learned from California that the seed used by Mr. Rindge was largely from Oregon, and the Burbank variety. Some other seed varieties were used but they did not produce as high as the Oregon seed.

The State Market Agent believes that Oregon can develop a big market for seed potatoes if growers will give the matter of grading careful attention and sell stock that is free from disease. California is a big seed market because of the fact that the stock there is largely sold for early potatoes and they get their seed from other states.

Oregon Potatoes Lead
In the federal daily market price report of recent date the price of Idaho potatoes in Los Angeles was quoted at \$2.25 while the Oregon stock was given as \$2.55, \$2.75 and \$2.80. This would indicate that Oregon's grading and inspection law is making a top place for Oregon spuds.

Powerful Yet Helpless
A. S. Goss, master of Washington state grange, says the farmer pays three times his share of taxes; that the middle man gets twice as much for selling the farmer's stuff as the farmer gets for raising it; that the farmer is at the foot of the list in income tax returns and is the poorest paid individual in America. And in commenting on this condition Mr. Goss says:

"The wonderful thing is that the farmer, with more capital invested than any other three industries in America, and with more economic power than all the other industries combined, is so unwilling to help himself that he won't take this plain business proposition into his daily life and spend a portion of his time and money in building up an organization which will do for agriculture what other organizations have done for other industries."

Oregon Grange Growing Fast
The Oregon state grange is fast and steadily increasing its membership. During the past two years it has had a greater percentage of growth than any state in the Union. The farmers of Oregon are keenly alive to the conditions that are working them. They realize that they must do something that are working against them. They have strong organizations and co-operative action to change these conditions.

LUMBER FOR SALE—We have a small amount of 2 x 4 and 1 x 8 shiplap. Grade suitable for general use about the farm. You will find the price very reasonable. Come down and see what we got. Electric Lumber & Mfg. Co., River Mill, Oregon. 3-5 tf

LOANS on farms 6 per cent. No commission. City Loans Monthly plan. Oregon City Abstract Co.

WANTED—100 6 1/2 ft. cedar fence posts. Phone 69-7. tf

FOR SALE—Used doors and windows. Pointer's Second Hand Store. 5-7-14

FOR SALE—One milk goat and doe kid, heavy milking type. J. J. Marchbank, Estacada. 5-7tf

CURRINSVILLE ITEMS

Born on May 2 to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tompkins, a son.

Mrs. Nellie Currin went to Bull Run to visit her husband, Sunday.

Most of the farmers have about completed their spring planting.

Mrs. Geo. Walters has a new piano just delivered Thursday, April 30 th.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Hale went to Salem, Sunday to visit Mrs. Hale's mother.

Messrs. Henry Heiple and Chas. Hively caught three fine salmon last Tuesday. They would weigh 15 to 24 pounds each.

The school program at the Currinsville school on April 30 was a decided success as was the box supper. Our teachers are to be praised for this work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richards of Springfield bought and moved into the property made vacant by Chas. Hively and are certainly making a showing in farming it in the few days they have been there.

W. A. Heylman has rented the rooms over the postoffice and will occupy them as a law office.

Mrs. Ben Dodson returned home Tuesday evening after a visit of several days with her mother in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland are receiving the congratulations of their friends at this time upon the birth of a son, Wednesday, May 6, at their home in Garfield. The young man weighed ten and one-fourth pounds. Dr. G. F. Midford was in attendance.

Three young boys from the Jennings Lodge community were brot before Justice of the Peace S. E. Wooster last Saturday evening charged with larceny of a dwelling place. After investigating the matter, Mr. Wooster found that the boys were hungry and gave them a good feed and the next morning assisted them in getting started on their road home.

According to the Americanization plan adopted by the Carl Douglass Post at the beginning of the year many of the merchants of the city have purchased new American flags which they will fly on all proper occasions in front of their places of business. It is hoped that these flags may be flown for the first time on Memorial Day, Saturday, May 30.

FARM REMINDERS

From Department of Journalism, O. A. C.

In order that the Oregon farmer may secure better results in yield and quality, and achieve the distinction of certification of potatoes, the extension service recommends that seed which is smooth, medium size, and free from disease be used. To prevent disease potatoes may be treated in a corrosive sublimate solution or in hot formaldehyde. Directions may be had by writing to the station at Corvallis.

Good grazing practice on Oregon pasture lands is to keep the stock off the grass in the spring until it has a start. Rotating-grazing on different pastures each year to allow for this growth is most desirable, says the Oregon station. Overstocking on grazing lands is "killing the goose that lays the golden egg." Profit in beef or mutton production depends upon ample grass. An important step in good grazing practices is to allow some grass to go to seed every third or fourth year.

Best results with corn are obtained on soils that have been in some legume crop like clover or alfalfa or on those that have been well manured. Corn, to make a good growth requires plenty of available plant food, especially nitrogen and phosphorus. In localities where the moisture holds out throughout the growing season good results are often obtained from the use of nitrogen and phosphorus carrying fertilizers. These fertilizers are useless on lands plowed late or those that dry out badly.

The poor potato crops in Oregon are due to four principal causes, says the experiment station specialists. There are too many varieties, too many unproductive hills, poor stands, and in many cases, not enough plant food and moisture.

A concrete walk was laid in front of the library, Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Bronson is out of the hospital and is at the home of M. S. C. Allen.

L. D. S. Services

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints holds Sunday School services every Sunday at the I. O. O. F. hall at 10 A. M.



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Western Oil	.15 cts. qt.
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Barley, ground	\$ 3.00 sack
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Currinsville, Oregon. J. O. TUNNELL

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Where are the SUPERSTITIONS OF YESTERYEAR?

Superstitions don't last long, especially when it costs money to believe in them. For example, the majority of western motorists have long since stopped paying tribute to the superstition that there is something mysteriously "better" about "eastern" motor oils merely because they cost more and are made in the East.

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Manager Moore of the Estacada J. M. Moore was in Portland, Hotel was in Portland Tuesday. Tuesday on business.