

FARM PRODUCTION COST IS FOUND TO BE HEAVY

Farm Bureau Surveys Show Leading Farmers Make Only Modest Wage Labor Incomes

The cost of produce is being determined by the farm bureau of Malheur and Sherman counties.

"In solving economic problems cost of production is a fundamental item," says the Oregon State Farm Bureau News. "This has been too generally overlooked in farm economics."

The cost of production survey of growing alfalfa in Malheur county showed that most of the money made by farmers there was on rising land values. It was found that after allowances were made for interest and normal depreciation of equipment and other investments, the labor incomes of more than 60 farmers were only about \$1000 a year.

"Considering the size of their investments this labor should have brought the farmers managers' salaries rather than laborers' wages," said the News.

the cost of producing wheat in Sherman county was found to be about \$1.40 a bushel, ranging from \$1.11 to \$1.94. This reduces the labor income of the farmers far below what it is generally thought to be by the public.

The project of taking up cost pro-

duction work where feasible is recommended to the farm bureaus by the News.

Wise and Otherwise

The young man who squanders his money has many companions, but few friends. Men form friendships for those whom they can respect, and no one respects another who dissipates his substance in riotous living.

Theoretically the presidency is a gift of the people, but practically the great mass of them have but little voice in its bestowal. The bosses are still in the saddle, although the girths are becoming weakened.

A man may think he knows his own faults, but his neighbors can tell him a lot he doesn't know.

When a politician coyly remarks that he is in the hands of his friends it is time to begin delving into the records of those friends.

Mr. Harding is from Ohio, Mr. Cox is from Ohio, the prohibitionists have nominated a gentleman from Ohio, and there are still a few celligibles left in Ohio. Any more parties to be heard from?

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The price of coal, we are told, is to be high this winter. But why kick? If there is none to be had we won't have to pay for it.

We have ascertain sympathy for those estimable gentlemen who seek to reduce the cost of living by wagging their tongues. But we have a barrel of respect for the fellow who really does it by wielding a hoe in his own garden.

An anonymous writer who hasn't reached the age of polite discretion remarks that paint doesn't have the same effect on an old face that it does on an old house.

Strange, you think, that this war did not produce a single military commander whom the public could elevate to the hero class? Not a bit of it. The buck privates had so many brains and used them to such excellent advantage there was no opportunity left for the officers to shine by comparison.

Why lament the fact that you are not rich? If we had a million we would always be wanting something that it would take two millions to buy.

We read much about the upper crust of society, of the middle class, and also of the lower strata. But it's difficult to find anyone who admits classification in the two latter.

Some men will go from one end of the country to the other in order to tell some other fellow that he has been nominated for the presidency, a fact he already knows, when they wouldn't cross the street to hear a good sermon and learn something they don't know.

Sir Thomas Lipton is about as sporty a sport as ever sported in American sporting waters. Come often, Tommy, old boy. You're a sky blue sport, with not a cloud to mar your sporting horizon.

A number of farm organizations are figuring on a cooperative plan of marketing their products throughout the United States, with a view to eliminating the middle man and reducing to cost to the consumer. That sounds bully—but we hope it reaches the point where eating is equally bully.

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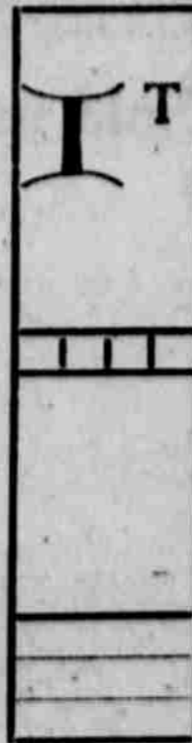
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