



## Cost of Pumping from Wells for the Irrigation of Rice in Louisiana and Arkansas (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from Cost of Pumping From Wells for the Irrigation of Rice in Louisiana and Arkansas The greater part of the land devoted to the growth of rice in Louisiana and Texas is irrigated with water raised from streams by large pumping plants and supplied to growers under contracts, the usual rate being one-fifth of the crop. The general provisions of these contracts are as follows: A canal company agrees to furnish a sufficient supply of fresh water for a described tract of land, but is not liable for damage on account of shortage. The water is distributed by the company, which has full control as to the manner of distributing water both to and upon the land and is to be the sole judge of the time when water should be supplied. If the planter wastes water from any cause the company may shut off the supply without forfeiting its right to one-fifth of the crop. In case of sufficient rainfall to mature a crop and the planter draws little water from the company the latter...



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