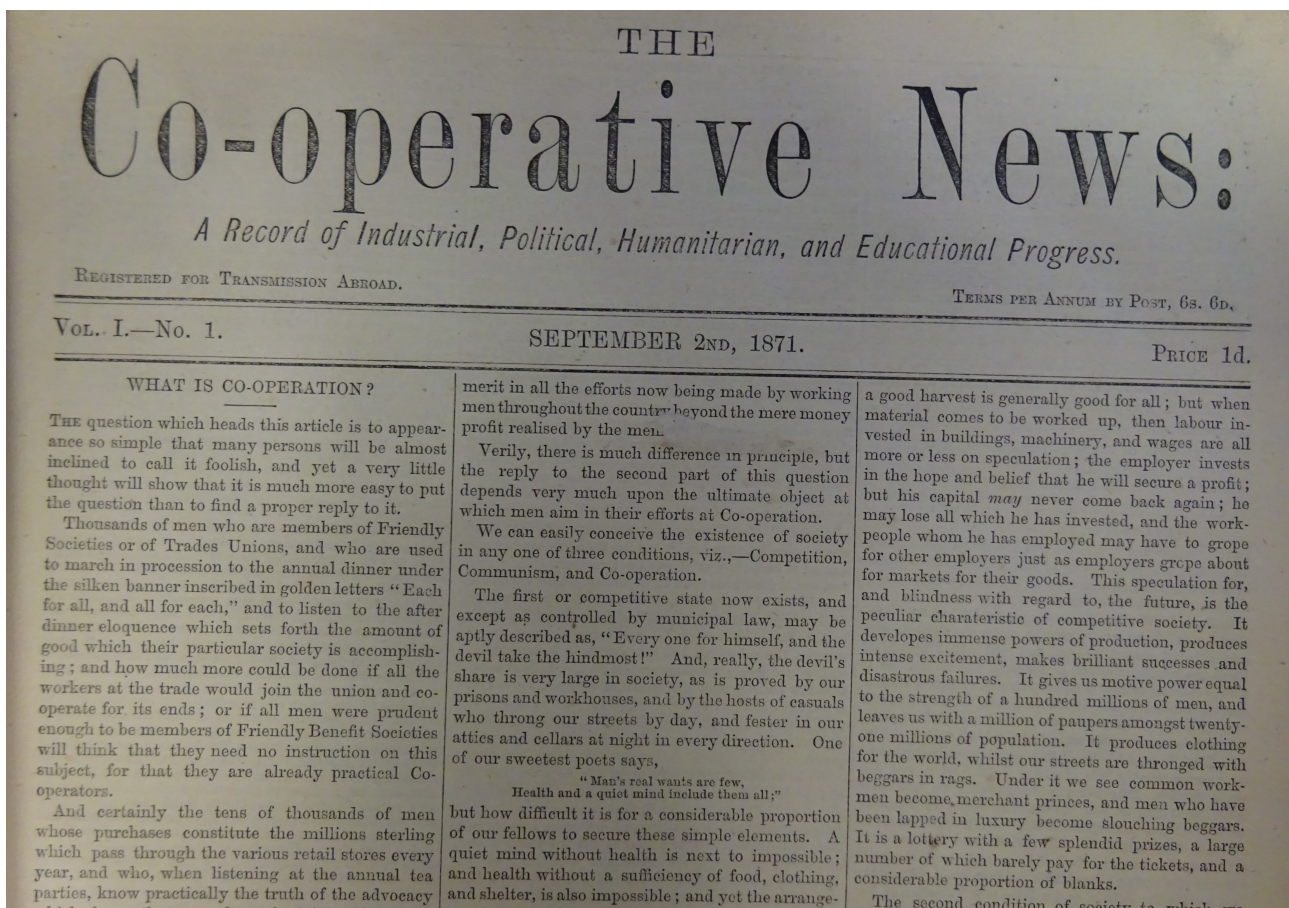




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how is Fairtrade is tackling inequality and exploitation, what is it doing to help – and what is the future for the Fairtrade movement?

Anthony Murray, Co-op News

<http://www.thenews.coop/113126/news/general/view-co-ops-can-stop-exploitation-workers/>

World's first Fairtrade nut-farming co-op celebrates tenth birthday

Susan Press, Co-op News

<http://www.thenews.coop/112412/news/agriculture/worlds-first-fairtrade-nut-farming-co-op-celebrates-tenth-birthday/>

Fairtrade Fortnight survey

Anca Voinea

<http://www.thenews.coop/114171/news/agriculture/fairtrade-fortnight-survey-shows-uk-adults-not-think-people-producing-food/>

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Success for Fairmondo

<http://us9.campaign-archive2.com/?u=5016cb7738a96883cbcd4eec2&id=cab8abcc04&e=c78edd10f0>

Website: <https://fairmondo.uk/>

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Platform Co-ops: How have we got here – and where do we go next?

Rebecca Harvey, Co-op News

<http://www.thenews.coop/113848/news/co-operatives/platform-co-ops-got-go-next/>

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Second PhD for Co-operative College

Rather late news but interesting never the less as this is news from 2014

Angela Whitecross, successfully defended her PhD thesis 'Co-operative Commonwealth- New Jerusalem or Third Way? History of the Co-operative Party 1930 -1952', which explored the historic links between the Co-operative Party and the Labour Party

<https://www.co-op.ac.uk/2014/10/phd-college/>



<https://co-op.ac.uk/>



Coming up at Regather Co-Op

<http://us6.campaign-archive1.com/?u=f581d4c2053dc83e149da4b76&id=cdc623b104&e=133a06aaec>

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