

## HOOSIER FARM LANDS \$25 ACRE HIGHER IN YEAR

U. S. Expert Shows Rate of Increase and Comparisons With Country at Large.

### WHEAT NOT SO WELL

Farm land values in Indiana have increased \$25 an acre over last year, according to a report issued today by George C. Bryant of the United States department of agriculture legislative reference bureau in the statehouse.

The value of Indiana land today over the 1917 value is \$47 an acre. The average value of farm land for the state is \$145 an acre for improved land, \$113 for land without improvements, \$80 for poor plow lands and \$160 for good plow lands. The average value throughout the United States is \$99.24 for improved land and \$74.41 for unimproved land.

### GROWING WHEAT NOT ENCOURAGING.

The condition of the growing wheat crop in Indiana is not very encouraging, the report said, and is causing many farmers to hold their old wheat.

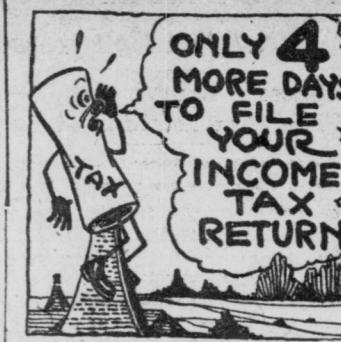
The reserve of corn on Indiana farms on March 1 was more than 10,000,000 bushels greater than last year, and wheat reserve was more than 1,000,000 bushels greater, according to the report of Mr. Bryant, issued today.

The total for oats, however, shows a decrease of approximately 12,000,000 bushels, as compared with last year, and barley shows a decrease of about 100,000 bushels, although the percentage of all grains shipped out of the counties where grown in considerably less than the ten-year average.

### CORN RESERVES SHOW INCREASE.

The reserve of corn on Indiana farms March 1 were 28 per cent of last year's crop and amount to 68,783,000 bushels compared with 56,100,000 bushels in 1919 and 82,646,000 bushels in 1918, the report says. "The quantity to be or that has been shipped out of the counties where grown amounts to only 17 per cent of the total production, which is well below the ten-year average."

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## WORKMEN PAID ABOVE TUTORS

Bricklayers Get \$8, Teachers Only \$2.50 to \$7.

Salaries paid to Indiana school teachers last year ranged from \$2.35 a day to \$7, on an average, while iron workers, bricklayers, lathe men and plasterers were paid an average of \$8 a day, according to figures made public today by the teachers' week committee.

The average weekly wage of high school teachers was \$21.75; for elementary grade teachers, \$16.85, and for district school teachers, \$14.60. Average wages paid to 300 stenographers placed in their positions by one agency last February, were \$20.39. Telephone operators earn from \$15.00 to \$30 a week, and department store workers earn from \$18.50 to \$30 a week.

The committee points out that preparation for the teaching profession takes four years of high school and professional training covering between twelve and 144 weeks, while requirements in other vocations named do not include particular educational qualifications.

Marion county teachers fare a little better in salaries than those of other counties in the state, according to these reports. High school teachers of this county get an average daily wage of \$7.04; elementary grade teachers, \$4.97, and district teachers, \$2.93.

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The strikers will be allowed to mediate in cold hunger if that is the way they feel about it, P. L. Prentiss, chief immigration officer, said.

## NEEDN'T WORRY ON THIS STRIKE

*Reds in Ft. Wayne Stockade Reject Food and Heat.*

DETROIT, March 10.—Detroit Reds incarcerated at Ft. Wayne have been on a hunger strike for two days, it became known today. More than 200 radicals are involved, it was said.

The action of the Reds came Monday after federal officials had tightened the chain-gang visitors to the prisoners.

The escape of five men from the stockade in the past few weeks was believed due to work of visitors.

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The average daily wage of high school teachers throughout the state is \$4.35. Allen county leads the state in salaries paid to district teachers with an average wage of \$4.57 a day.

## Socialists to Put Question to Wilson

CHICAGO, March 10.—Socialists on April 13 will demand of President Wilson a yes or no answer to questions raised by the national convention, it was announced here today. The party's national committee, meeting here, arranged for a mass meeting in Washington on that date—the anniversary of Eugene V. Debs' incarceration. The delegations will march to the whitehouse, where they will be received by the president.

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stated that the reasons for this low per cent of shipments is car shortage and local sales to farmers. The crop was one of the best ever produced, and notwithstanding the severe damage done by floods in the early fall, in the bottom lands of the south part of the state, the quality is considerably above the average and 88 per cent of the total is merchantable. Reserves for the United States at this time amount to 1,029,000 bushels compared with 853,209,000 bushels in 1919 and 1,253,200,000 bushels in 1918.

"The reserves of wheat March 1 were 18 per cent of last year's crop and amount to 6,682,000 bushels, compared with 4,943,000 bushels in 1919 and 4,800,000 bushels in 1918. The condition of the growing crop, which at this time is not very encouraging, is causing many farmers to hold their old wheat."

## \$1 Haircut Coming; Baldies Get Even

NEW YORK, March 10.—The dollar haircut is in sight. Leon Worthall, general organizer of the Barbers' International union, said so today. He said: "The next jump may be to 75 cents, then to a dollar. Heavy rents, increased cost of supplies and higher wages will force the master barbers to the \$1 figure."

**ALIEN WORKERS BARRED.**  
JOLIET, Ill., March 10.—By the terms of a new agreement entered into between local No. 75, International Hod Carriers' Building and Common Laborers' union, and the Joliet Contractors' association, only Americans or those who have shown intention of becoming such will be employed.

## News Kid on The Daylight Corner Says—

To the New York City Kid—"You guys work, sleep, travel and eat in the air. We stay on good old mother earth all the time. Give me this old burg 365 times the year. It can't be beat. Watch us grow."

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C. O. B. Murphy, General Manager.

*The Daylight Corner*



## The Endurance Tests At Yale University



## Dr. Irving Fisher reported—

SOME time ago in the Yale Medical Journal that:

"The contestants won every test quite easily after living on fruits, nuts, vegetables and cereals."

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## REPEATING LAST WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENT

# Thursday Coupon Sale For Times Readers

LAST week (Thursday) the weather was not at all pleasant—rain all day. It kept many readers of this paper from attending the Star Store Thursday Coupon Sale for Times' Readers only. For that reason we repeat the entire list of bargains, with a few slight changes. The following items will appear in this paper exclusively. None of the bargains will be on display. You must ask for them to get these Coupon Sale prices. As many of the items are cost price, we reserve the right to limit quantities and none sold to dealers.

**NO PHONE, C. O. D. OR MAIL ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THESE SALE ITEMS.**  
On sale Thursday only. Bring this ad with you and check off the items you want.

### COUPON NO. 1.

**Piano Scarfs**  
PIANO SCARFS, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.00. Thursday only...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 2.**

**Boys' Pants**  
BOYS' pants, made of cotton, in sizes 8 to 17. Here are pants that are worth \$1.50. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 3.**

**Check Suiting**  
48 INCH check, 60 suiting, for coats, etc., in black and white checks; also 36-inch plaids and cotton warp serges, 98c, value, yard...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 4.**

**Bleached Muslin**  
BLEACHED MUSLIN, 36 inches, white, full, good quality, fair weight; full pieces, up to 26 yards, value, \$1.50 yards, a yard at...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 5.**

**Silk Hosiery**  
WOMEN'S sheer hosiery, black, white, tan, navy and green; good quality, fair weight; full pieces, up to 26 yards, value, \$1.50 yards, a yard at...

Main Floor.

### COUPON NO. 6.

**Boys' Union Suits**  
BOYS' UNION SUITS, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 7.**

**Men's Union Suits**  
MEN'S UNION SUITS, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 8.**

**Women's Dresses**  
WOMEN'S DRESSES, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

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**COUPON NO. 9.**

**Boys' Dresses**  
BOYS' DRESSES, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

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**COUPON NO. 10.**

**Boys' Union Suits**  
BOYS' UNION SUITS, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

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### COUPON NO. 11.

**Women's Union Suits**  
WOMEN'S UNION SUITS, 25 x 26 inches, wide lace trimming and good quality cotton centers; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

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**COUPON NO. 12.**

**Curtain Net**  
CURTAIN NETS, 36 inches wide; in white or ivory finish; in a variety of patterns; made with pocket, etc. Sizes 16 to 44. Thursday only...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 13.**

**Oxfords**  
OXFORDS, 25c. Thursday, pair...

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**COUPON NO. 14.**

**Men's 25c Socks**  
MEN'S 25c SOCKS, 17c. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 15.**

**Middies**  
MIDDIES, \$1.00. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 16.**

**Work Shirts**  
WORK SHIRTS, 100% cotton, made in sizes 34 to 46. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 17.**

**Georgette Crepes**  
GEORGETTE CREPES, 40 inches wide, in a good selection of patterns; regular price is \$1.50. Thursday only...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 18.**

**Cotton Blankets**  
COTTON BLANKETS, 40x60, pink or blue borders, good weight, double reinforced; also 15x20 lot; \$1.50. Thursday, pair...

Basement.

**COUPON NO. 19.**

**Saxony Yarn**  
SAXONY YARN, 40c skein; to close out 50 boxes—a skein...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 20.**

**Kayser's Gloves**  
KAYSER'S SILK GLOVES, 12 pairs, in all colors, white, tan, navy and green; first quality, slightly reinforced; also 15 dozen lot; \$1.50. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 21.**

**Hot Water Bottle**  
HOT WATER BOTTLES, 57c. Thursday, pair...

Main Floor.

**COUPON NO. 22.**

**This Preserving Kettle**  
THIS PRESERVING KETTLE,