

## INDIANA FARMS SHOW DECLINE

Decrease Due to Hard Times During 1920-25.

By Times Special  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Along with many other States, Indiana shows a decrease in the number of farms from 1920 to 1925, according to a preliminary farm census report today by the Bureau of Census. The State total in 1925 was 195,787, against 205,126 in 1920.

Marion County farms dropped from 2,855 to 2,452. Vigo County farms dropped from 2,770 to 2,428. Vanderburg County farms dropped from 1,686 to 1,598.

The number of farms in the State has shown a progressive decline from 1900. In that year there were 221,897, which went down to 215,485 in 1910.

No reason is assigned for the 1920-1925 decrease, but it is partially due to the hard times farmers had between those years, and to the consolidation of farms.

### CONSUMES HALF AN APPLE

The per capita consumption of apples in the United States is now about half an apple a day, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

## Mother Against Evolution



Mrs. James H. Corbett

Mrs. James H. Corbett of Utica, N. Y., blames the disappearance of her daughter, Alice, upon the girl's studies of evolution at Smith College. She says the study undermined the girl's religion.

## DEATH RATE IS HIGHEST HERE

Indianapolis Leads Other Cities in One Week.

By Times Special  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Indianapolis had a high death rate during a recent representative week, both

compared to that of other cities of her general size and the national average. The city's annual rates, however, are below many others.

This is shown in the health reports of the U. S. Department of Commerce for sixty-six cities for the week of Nov. 21.

The Indianapolis rate for that week was 15.3; Columbus had 14; Cincinnati, 13.3; Louisville, 10.9; Kansas City, 15.5; Milwaukee, 9.7; Minneapolis, 11.3; St. Paul, 10; Toledo, 12. All figures are per 100,000 population.

## Ask Any Doctor

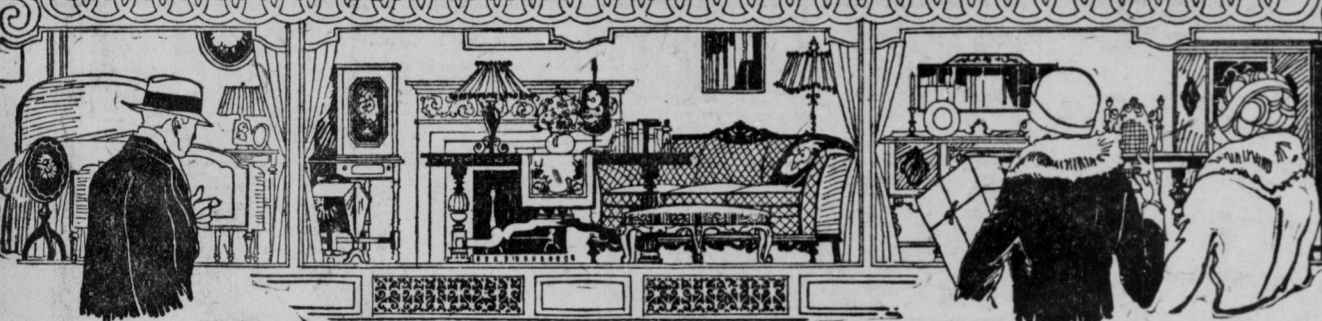
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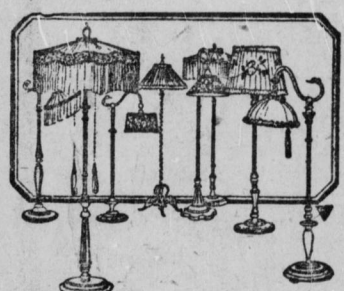
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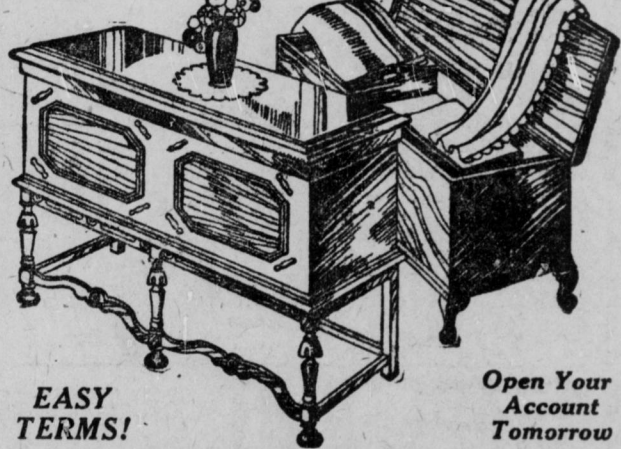
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Floor lamps complete with attractive trimmed shades; our price **\$12.85**

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Brass cage with wire guard; shelf; closing and fastening door fully equipped. Strong stand and heavy base.

Large 20-In. Mama Dolls **98c**  
Fully dressed; pretty faces. Specially priced at **98c**

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Regulation Army O. D. Trousers All-wool. Special, **\$2.95**

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Army Style Work Shoe ..... **\$2.88**

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Officer Style 16-Inch Hunting Boot ..... **\$6.95**

Moccasin Style 16-In. Hunting Boot **\$5.89**

Heavy Cotton Work Pants Well Made **\$1.69**

Bed Sheets Seamless, fine quality; size 81x90. A real bargain— **\$1.29**

Corduroy Breeches Full cut, double seat. Special— **\$2.95**

### SPECIAL UNDERWEAR

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### Corduroy Sheep-Lined Vest

Here's a warm garment for winter. Leather sleeves, heavy sheeplined pelt lined. A bargain at this close-out price.

**\$7.95**

### SPECIAL ALL-LEATHER VEST

For the Outdoor Men  
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