

PROCEEDS FROM FOUR WAYNE FARM SALES TOTAL OVER \$24,000

MONDAY'S SALES.

Nelson Snyder	\$5,500.00
Daniel W. Boyer	6,123.00
Frank M. Clevenger	8,130.00
Simpson, Hodgins & Raper	4,852.00
Total	\$24,655.00

By WILLIAM R. SANBORN.
Four important farm sales were held in Wayne county on Monday; important first for the amount of money netted at each sale, and again because of the various offerings, each sale being noteworthy for some specialty, either in quantity or quality.

Take the Frank M. Clevenger sale, for example. Mr. Clevenger offered a number of registered Aberdeen-Angus cattle and registered Percheron and Belgian horses, which were duly catalogued. At the D. W. Boyer sale, 1,500 bushels of corn was a feature, while the Simpson-Hodgins-Raper sale, four cows, selling at from \$150 down to \$130 per head, and one cow, sold for \$94.50 down to \$75, the lowest, was worthy of special remark. At the Newton Snyder sale the high prices paid for horses, on the average, speaks well for the quality of the offering in that line.

FRANK M. CLEVENGER SALE.
The Clevenger sale took place on the Valley Stock Farm, five miles southeast of Centerville, on Monday. Sixteen head of registered Aberdeen-Angus cattle and five registered Percheron and Belgian horses went over the block. A total of 22 cattle and 14 horses and mules were put up and all sold at top prices, showing that Wayne county men have the cash to suit the occasion, although there was competition from quite distant Indiana and Ohio towns.

In the implement line the most noted sales were: Corn plow to Lewis Eby, of Connersville, \$52; Corn binder at \$48; grain binder at \$51 and a hay loader at \$70, the latter going to Charles Clevenger. A 4-cylinder DeSoto car brought \$450. Five tons of baled and 10 tons of hay in the mow, sold at from \$17.50 to \$21 per ton. Homer Berry of Kitchell and John Wolf cleaned up the lot. All the corn sold, 800 bushels, was taken by the first highest bidder at \$1.60, those hoping for a second chance at the corn being disappointed. Walter Clevenger who farms close by, got the corn.

Prices on Live Stock.
In the horse ring a 2-year-old Belgian filly was captured by Arthur Smith, after some spirited bidding, at \$335. Clint Beck carried off a pair of weanling Belgian colts for \$300 and Mordecai Doddridge bid a Percheron mare up to \$257.50. Among the unregistered horse sales were: A bay team to A. B. Hyllon at \$352, a fine bay to Orville Hoar, of Centerville, at \$217.50, and a 4-year-old team at \$315. And what about those unclassified cusses—a team of mules sold at \$530, after a little excitement in the sale ring.

Among the cattle buyers was John VanCamp of Newcastle, who bought a number of black heifer calves at \$70 per head for the Boys' Cattle club of his town. Mr. VanCamp took all in sight and needs a few more, worth up to \$100 per head, as he stated. Joe Jenkins of Walnut Level, paid \$160 for his first cow and \$128 for the second. John Ball, a breeder, got his cow at \$145; Charles Kerlin paid \$136.50 for an A-A bull and Joe Sparks invested \$41 in a calf.

A Liberal Choice in Hogs.
An offering of eighty head of double immuned hogs gave feeders a chance for broad selection. There were 67 shots in the bunch, the top on which was \$20.25 per head and the average price around \$16. Among the hog buyers were Rudolph Miller, who took in three pens of shots; Joe Helms, R. J. Doddridge and John Null. Walter Burgess, John Dynes and Charles Kerlin were busy bidders for all kinds of live stock.

The sale totaled \$3,180, which was handled by F. E. McMinn, of the Dickinson Trust company, as cashier, assisted by Frank Kiser as clerk of the sale. Col. Wm. Flannagan and Fred Lake were the officiating auctioneers. The generous and very enjoyable lunch was served by the Ladies' Aid of Doddridge chapel.

SIMPSON-HODGINS-RAPER SALE.
The combination sale at the Simpson farm, South Twenty-third and E streets, Richmond, on Monday, was exceptional in having six fresh cows with calves at side, and for the high average prices paid for unregistered live stock of all kinds. Of the 110 head offered 67 were feeding shots; 11 sheep and 10 young Shorthorns, showing a large preponderance of "young stuff," not supposed to sell for

all the money in the country. But four horses were listed, the top on these being \$235 for a dapple gelding, bought by Fred Bullerick, who has a mate for him. Frank Austerman got a dandy roan mare at \$175.

Cows Bring Good Prices.
The top on cows with calves at side was \$160, brought by a fine Shorthorn, pure-blood Holstein was bid in by Burley Jordan at \$142, a gallon milkier when fresh. Mr. Jordan also picked up a few hogs and sheep. John Batchelor got a Holstein cow by paying \$135. A number of Shorthorn cows and heifers went at from \$130 down to \$75, a number having calf at side. The best sale of the day, possibly, was made by a boy, Alvin Hodgins, who put in his heifer calf and drew out \$94.50 for her, Ollie Long contributing the cash.

A number of Hampshire ("belt") hogs were sold, Burley Jordan being accredited with paying the top, \$73, for a sow. The shoats, which averaged \$18.50 per head, according to the seller's figures, ranged at from 80 to 125 pounds. These were all Hampshire, and one persistent bidder, Harrison Miller, went the top dollar on every pen, 'tis stated, and scooped the entire offering. Mr. Miller is an Hampshire enthusiast. All hogs were double immuned. The top on the 11 head of sheep put up was \$18.

Sale Totals \$4,852.60.
About 200 bushels of corn in crib sold at \$1.58, clover hay went at \$20.50 and timothy at \$21 per ton. The sale was held on the Simpson farm by J. R. Simpson, J. F. Hodgins and Clarence Raper. Harry Gilbert of the Second National bank, was cashier, assisted by Will Jefferies as clerk, and the sale totaled \$4,852.60. The Westville Ladies' Aid society served an appetizing lunch. If the judgment of Simon Weddie and Forest Meek, auctioneers, is good, the writer arriving too late to sample it.

BOYER-CLAWSON SALE.
The sale on the Daniel W. Boyer farm, four miles north of Chester on the Arba pike, on Monday, was somewhat augmented by the contributions of George Ruthmel and Ernest Clawson, who put in a lot of implements, etc. Mr. Boyer recently sold his 137-acre farm to Fred Brown for \$24,000, and then purchased the Lee Fulghum farm, 2 1/2 miles north of Richmond. The attendance was fair, considering the number of Wayne county sales held Monday, and prices obtained were quite satisfactory.

Quite a line of farm implements was disposed of. John Stewart paid \$26.50 for a disc; Charles Waedick \$68 for a gangplow; H. A. Scott, \$15 for a cultivator; a corn plow sold at \$40.50; Jess Harrison got a separator at \$37, and Nathan Davis an Oliver plow at \$40.50. Joe Parish got a good wagon, complete, at \$86.50.

Corn Well Distributed.
A whole lot of corn, 1,500 bushels, went to 12 buyers, for \$2,271, an average of \$1.52 per bushel. Fifteen tons of clover brought about \$15, and 5 tons of timothy, \$20.50 per ton. Fodder sold at \$7 per ton.

One thousand bushels of oats were divided among 13 buyers, at 65 to 67 cents. This is the largest offering of oats we have noted at any recent sale.

But three horses were offered. Forty-five head of hogs mostly gilts and shots, sold at around \$50 for sows and from \$25 to \$40 for gilts. Among the hog buyers were Will Brown, Humphrey Harrington, Will Curry, Lawler Dietmeyer and George Toechlog.

Sale Brings Over \$6,000.
Col. Thos. Coniff and Omer Platt auctioneered the sale, and Earl Allen and Jesse Wiechman, of the Dickinson Trust company, were respectively Clerk and cashier. The sale totaled \$6,123.

The ladies who brave all weathers and conditions to secure money for their church charities are entitled to recognition. In this instance the ladies of the Christian church Aid society of Fountain City, are to be mentioned as serving a really nice lunch, those attending being: Mrs. Will Davis, Mrs.

Frank Hunt, Mrs. Dan Williams, Mrs. Jesse Harrison, Mrs. Chas. Spencer, Mrs. James Busby, Mrs. F. Dunham, Mrs. Col. Alexander, Mrs. Ora Wright, Mrs. Dan Boyer, Mrs. Clark Pierson and Mrs. Cliff Fulghum. Practically all of these ladies had their husbands on the ground among the buyers.

THE NEWTON SNYDER SALE.
The Newton Snyder sale was held on Monday, Mr. Snyder having selected a new location, because the farm was advertised for sale. The farm is located 1 1/2 miles west of Liberty on the Brownsville pike, and was sold to Isaac Snyder, Sr., at auction, at \$100 per acre, during this sale.

A number of implements, household goods, etc., attracted many buyers and brought fair prices, as to quality. Eight horses went under the hammer, a team of gray mares going to Charles Brown at \$290. John Gavin paid \$200 for his selection, and John Watt \$192.50 for his. Two other horses sold at \$127.50 and \$115, to Charles Kendall and John Carson.

Twenty-five yearling ewes were sold at \$13.50 and \$14.50 per head; Dewitt Snyder and William Grimm, buyers. A choice lot of hogs, 50 in all, went at good average sale prices, and in some instances a little better. There were 44 pigs in the lot averaging 50 to 60 pounds, the top on which was \$12.35 per head. A Holstein cow cost George Rankin \$122; Frank Carson paid \$108, Jasper Brown \$89, and Clayton Montgomery \$71 for their choice of cows.

A \$5,500 Farm Sale.
The Snyder sale brought in about \$5,500, and ranks among the "good" ones. Brookbank and Carson were the auctioneers and W. P. Kennedy cashier of the sale. About 250, including a number of ladies were present, and the ladies of the Clifton Aid served an ample and tasty lunch at a modest price. Included in the offering was a lot of clover seed which averaged \$23.50 and 600 bushels of corn which brought in a lot of money.

FEBRUARY 19
Tebe Beard, 1 mile east of Eldorado, Ohio.
Allen Kincheloe, 1 mile north of Hollandsburg.
J. Markey, 5 miles northwest of Eaton.
Frank A. Williams, 1 1/2 miles northeast of Williamsburg.
Brumfield and Bond, 5 1/2 miles southeast of Hagerstown.
Carl Ross, 2 miles east of Hollandsburg.
Albert Schilling, 2 miles west of Eaton.
Jordan and Newman, 1/2 mile north of Richmond.

FEBRUARY 20
G. A. Cox, 3 1/2 miles north of Williamsburg.
Elmer Kimmel, 2 miles south of Eldorado.
Henry Huffman, 2 1/2 miles east of Camden.
George Thompson, 3 miles southeast of Shaughn.

George Gephart, 1 mile southeast of Gettysburg.
Frank T. Raper, 3 miles northwest of Richmond.
C. L. Lyons, 2 miles north of Greensfork.
FEBRUARY 21.
Jones and Pike, Hawthorn farm, Centerville.
Brown and Hogue, 1 1/2 miles northwest of Newcastle.
James Russell, 5 miles east of Camden.
W. N. Wolf, 1 1/2 miles west of Bentonville.
E. Brown, 4 1/2 miles southeast of Richmond.
Endeley, Petty, Nuller, 2 miles north of Hagerstown.

FEBRUARY 22
Simon Atwell, south of Williamsburg.
FEBRUARY 24
Willard Cook, 6 miles southeast of Milton.
Nicholson and Stutson, two miles northeast of Greensfork.
O. Gangner, 1 mile northwest of West Manchester.
T. Fisher, 8 miles north of Richmond.
FEBRUARY 25
L. O. Mansfield, north of Richmond, Union pike.
C. M. Wagner, 3 miles south of Eldorado.
McCord-Kinsinger, east of Cambridge City.

FEBRUARY 26
Ed Johnson, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Centerville.
J. O. Ballinger, near Economy.
M. D. and Irwin Doddridge, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Brownsville.
FEBRUARY 27
Daniel Markey, 3 miles south of West Manchester.
R. E. Kelly, G. Duggins, L. Davis, 5 miles southwest of Eaton.
E. W. Hensley, 1 mile north of Richmond.

FEBRUARY 28
W. Glander, 3 miles southeast of West Manchester.
Warner Fleisch, 7 miles southeast of Richmond.
Chas. Burg, 1 mile east of Jacksonburg.
MARCH 3
L. C. King, 6 miles northwest of Richmond.

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