

## 150 UNION COUNTY CORN GROWERS HEAR PROF. CHRISTIE TALK

By WILLIAM R. SANBORN  
One hundred and fifty attended the meeting and banquet of the Union County Corn Growers at Liberty, on Thursday night. Professor G. O. Christie was the speaker. He devoted his time to the broader questions affecting the farmer as a citizen, and to the need for national action in the help of solution of what is not merely the farmer's problem, but the food and prosperity problem of our whole people.

"I don't think," he said, "it is possible that we can long continue doing business as we are today. The peak of the industrial and economic load may have been already reached and the turn in affairs is in sight."

"The biggest men in the country are preparing for it, and one of the best informed men in Washington said to me the other day, 'I fear that within the next three years we may have five millions of men looking for work.'"

Interests Not Safeguarded.  
"What have we done as a nation for the upbuilding of our agricultural interests in foreign lands? Practically nothing as a government. There isn't a man representing the American Bureau of Agriculture, in any city in Europe or South America, or at any port around the globe."

Mr. Christie stated that "when the farmers of America patriotically accepted \$2.20 per bushel, wheat was selling at more than \$3.00 in Chicago and flour at more than \$17.00 per barrel. Because of this \$2.20 price for wheat the country has been saved millions of dollars on its bread, and yet some narrow and thoughtless people have said that, while the men who went to the front needed no advance in pay to make them patriotic, the farmer had demanded a subsidy as to price to make him increase his wheat acreage. This talk was a rank injustice to the farmer, who has borne his full share of the load."

An enjoyable musical program enlivened the dinner, and for which much credit is due to Miss Kate Husted, soloist, Miss Charlotte Husted, pianist, Miss Mary Rebecca Pigman, violinist, and to Mr. Ralph Kitchell.

John McMahon presided, and the first speaker at the dinner, John A. Driscoll, an old member and a corn medalist, gave an interesting talk on the origin of the Corn Growers' association, which dates in Indiana from March 7, 1900.

Frank W. Boyle, who in 1919 raised 103.17 bushels to the acre followed briefly. Of the 15 men entering the 5-acre contest last year, 13 captured medals. Mr. Boyle and Roy Carson getting gold medals for producing more than 100 bushels. "It is thought that 25 to 30 men will make the race this year," said county agent Nye, but the list is not yet complete."

There are 440 members of the federation in Union County, which has nearly 900 farmers. A campaign to take these all in will be made this coming fall.

## Franklin and New Garden Farmers Purchase Stock

The subscription committees of Franklin and New Garden townships reported signatures for over \$14,000 of the proposed elevator stock on Friday. The issue is expected to be at least \$20,000, and there is to be a meeting of the farmers at Bethel next Monday evening, when a report on progress is to be made. The elevator is to be at Fountain City, central for both townships.

County Agent Murphy will speak at Bethel on Monday night, and outline

plans for his work in Franklin township and to offer suggestions for the benefit of the farmers. He will visit Greensfork on Monday to take up the work of organization of boys' and girls' pig and corn clubs in the township.

## Sobbin' Saxophone Is Most Popular Music, Say Dealers

The jazz craze is given credit for the popularity which the saxophone is now enjoying. Local dealers say that they are receiving more orders for this instrument than any other small musical instrument.

One dealer placed the responsibility for the situation upon the humble ukelele. It was this sinuous instrument that first convinced amateurs that they could produce music of their own.

Orders have been placed with manufacturers for saxophones in lots of 20 and 30, but dealers are able to obtain only one or two instruments at a time.

The other small instruments, such as banjos, mandolins and guitars come in for their share of the limelight, although they are unable to pry the sobbing saxophone from its secure place.

## "Vacation" of Switchmen Closes Cincinnati Plants

(By Associated Press)  
CINCINNATI, April 16.—Cincinnati industry felt the first serious effect of the railroad switchmen's "vacation," when the Proctor and Gamble company suspended operations for lack of materials. Notices were posted at the factory notifying employees that operations would not resume this morning, and that the plant would be shut down until Monday, as all shipments had ceased. Hundreds of employees are affected by the order.

Cincinnati railroad officials refused to confer with a committee of the newly formed yardmen's association, which called to present demands for increased pay. They were informed that the companies could transact business with them only through the recognized unions.

## RELLER HEADS GARDEN COMMITTEE FOR CITY

Will Reller was made chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for a general yard cleaning campaign to be followed by a garden making drive which two garden experts will direct, at the Social Service bureau meeting Thursday. Dates for the campaigns have not been set, but it is thought that the yard cleaning work will be started through the schools as soon as possible.

Every effort is to be made to make the school gardens of the city better than ever before this year. Other routine business was taken up.

OVERALL CLUB MOVEMENT INAUGURATED IN INDIANA  
SEYMOUR, Ind., April 16.—Dispatchers, accountants, clerks and other

employees at the local division offices in a practical way. Beginning Monday of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad have all male employees from the chief dispatcher to the call boy will wear over-dresses of overall material.

## Arrived— WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT  
GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, VICE-PRESIDENT BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

FASHION SHOP,  
RICHMOND, IND.

Am sending coats and suits by express to enable you to continue your sale. Congratulations upon your success in this event.

New York. Jack Zimmerman.

Plenty of  
Coats  
and  
Suits  
for all

This Tells the  
Story

Mr. Zimmerman, our New York buyer, was very fortunate in buying these garments. You must see them to appreciate their value, as space will not permit us to tell you about them. Saturday will be the big day of our Suit and Coat Sale. Take our advice and make your selection early, as they won't last long at the following prices.

## SUITS

SERGES, SILVERTONES, TRICOTINES AND POPLINS			
GROUP 1	—Former prices up to .....\$39.75	\$24.75	
GROUP 2	—Former prices up to .....\$45.00	\$29.75	
OTHER SUITS AT \$19.75	GROUP 3	—Former prices up to .....\$60.00	\$39.75

## COATS

BROADCLOTH, SILVERTONES AND POLO CLOTH  
\$13.95, \$14.95, \$17.95, \$18.50, \$19.75, \$24.75

This is the saving event of the spring season. We have brought the prices down in Richmond; it's up to you to do the saving.

"THE STORE  
THAT KEEPS  
PRICES  
DOWN"

THE POPULAR SPECIALTY CENTER  
**Fashion Shop**  
618 Main St. Between 6th & 7th

"THE STORE  
THAT KEEPS  
PRICES  
DOWN"



## Try This Perfect Soap at Our Expense

Avail yourself of the FREE coupon below—  
Your grocer will be pleased to redeem it

**PROVE** to your own satisfaction how good Sweetheart Soap really is. Get a full size cake absolutely free. You will be delighted with the rich creamy lather—fragrant perfume and handy shape. Note how firmly the cake is molded

The pure Oriental oils combined with Benzoin to whiten and Cold Cream to soften the skin, more than merely cleanse—they refresh and stimulate the most delicate skin. Sweetheart contains no artificial coloring—it's absolute purity makes it best for the nursery.

Sweetheart Soap is preferred by millions, because it meets the double demand for quality and economy. Let us convince you at our expense that Sweetheart is the best soap.

HERE is your coupon. Sign it and take it to your grocer. He will be pleased to redeem it. We pay him for the free cake. There is nothing to buy

This coupon is good wherever this newspaper circulates.

SWEETHEART COUPON

Present this Coupon to your grocer or dealer within 10 days and receive one full-size cake of SWEETHEART SOAP absolutely free.

My signature below certifies that I have received or a cake of SWEETHEART TOILET SOAP for this coupon

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TO THE DEALER: Tear off the top and at the bottom (the part with the "S" in the diamond). This coupon (with the box top attached) is redeemable at \$1.00, providing all of above conditions have been fully complied with. Any violation of the above conditions renders this coupon VOID. Dealers are not permitted to redeem this coupon. Coupons must be sent direct to us for redemption.

We will not redeem Coupons not sent to us for redemption. Sample to dealer

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(85) Richmond (Ind.) Palladium

MANHATTAN SOAP COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

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Save time and hard work by using E-Z Stove Polish, absolutely dustless, smokeless, odorless; gives a durable—ebony-black shine.  
E-Z Metal Polish for metal parts—E-Z from E-Z Metal Polish.  
**SHOES WEAR LONGER** shined with E-Z Shoe Polish—any color—won't crack leather. E-Z Shoe Polish—50 shines—15c. Best Boot Blacks use E-Z. Don't risk cheap polish, dressings, cleaners—use only E-Z. Dealers or mail.

**E-Z SHOE POLISH**  
For Sale by All Richmond Jobbers and Dealers

## Saturday Specials at the New Method

TWO EYE BLACK OR BROWN KID, guaranteed quality—

\$7.45



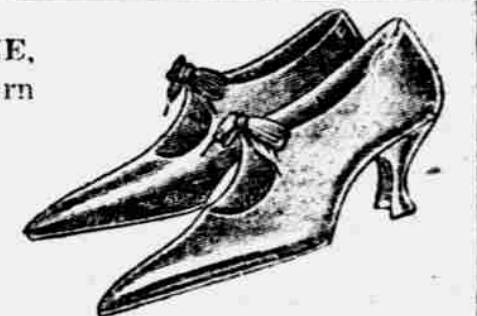
For MEN

Black Oxford—

\$4.95

PATENT THEO TIE. French heels, hand turn soles—

\$9.95



BROWN ENGLISH SHOES—

\$7.45 to \$7.95



BLACK KID, LONG VAMP

\$6.95

GLAZED KID PUMP—

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Take entrance to elevator on Main St. first door east Barber Shop

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Saturday Special

BOILING BEEF, lb.	15c
BEEF POT ROAST, lb.	20-22c
SIRLOIN STEAKS, lb.	27c
HAMBURGER, lb.	18c
PORK SHOULDER ROAST	25c
BOSTON BUTTS	37c
SLICED LIVER, lb.	5c
PICKLED BEAN PORK, lb.	22c
BEAN BACON, lb.	25c
SMOKED SHOULDERS (whole)	23c

## Buehler Bros.

715 Main St.

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Saturday ..... \$5.95

Women's Black Glazed Kid Oxford with Cuban heels. Call for No. 1053—  
Saturday ..... \$5.95

Women's Black Glazed Kid Oxford, long plain toe, high heels. Call for No. 1057, A.A. to D—Saturday  
special ..... \$4.95

Men's Gun Metal English or wide toe. Call for No. 1048 or 1047—  
Saturday ..... \$5.95

Men's Brown English Shoe, leather sole, rubber heel. Call for No. 1072—  
Saturday ..... \$6.95

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