

WIRELESS MUSICAL PROGRAM ENJOYED BY FARMERS' GROUP

(Special to The Palladium)
SPARTANBURG, Ind., Jan. 20.—A musical concert from Pittsburgh heard over wireless telephone, several selections by a six-piece orchestra, a speech by Everett Hunt, president of the Wayne county farm bureau, a movie show by the county agent, and refreshments at the close of the evening was the program of entertainment at the reorganization meeting of the farmers' association of Green's Fork township, Randolph county.

The meeting was held in the Spartanburg school building on Thursday evening. An audience of nearly 200 packed the auditorium in which the meeting was held.

The talk by Mr. Hunt was a strong argument for still further support of the farm bureau that has been given before. That his talk accomplished its object was proved by the new memberships that were added at the close of the evening. The speaker described the farmer's position and the possible remedies which could be worked out or already have been put into effect by the farmers' organizations.

Wireless Popular Feature

The wireless telephone proved quite a popular feature, much interest being shown in it. Music from Pittsburgh was "tuned in" at the beginning of the evening, and, in the news items that were given out by the Pittsburgh operator between the musical selections, the audience heard an account of a spectacular fire which had done considerable damage that day, with a number of firemen overcome in fighting it. The fire which was at Brockton, Mass., is mentioned elsewhere in this issue. Later in the evening, the Palladium wireless telephone was heard, and the market reports were copied down for the information of the audience.

Two films, one educational and one comedy, were shown by means of the county motion picture machine, operated by R. A. Fields of Winchester.

Several orchestral selections and piano duets were given by members of an orchestra, which included Misses Blossom, Elliott, Virginia Scott and Dana Wise, Clayton Hunt, Opie Cheek and John Davison.

Refreshments of sandwiches, ice cream and coffee were served at the close of the evening.

WOOL PRICES PUSH UPWARD ON MARKET

(By Associated Press)

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say of the wool market:

"The wool industry of the country is groping blindly forward, the limited stocks of wool available forcing prices steadily upward on a moderate basis. The growers now are asking anywhere from 25 to 30 for their wool and mutton have come more or less to an impasse."

Co-op Elevator Meeting

At Centerville Saturday

CENTERVILLE, Ind., Jan. 20.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the co-operative elevator at Centerville will be held at the school house, Saturday beginning at 10 o'clock. Reports will be presented as to the business of the last year and five directors elected. At a later meeting the directors will name the staff at the elevator and the executive committee of the board. The ladies of the Home Culture club will serve lunch and there will be an afternoon session for the discussion of affairs.

Italians often prefer to call their men by their Christian names or by the places of their birth.

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The Farm and the Farmer

By William R. Sanborn

The cashier of the Farmers' State bank at College Corner, Ohio, tells us that they have no complaint whatever to make with regard to business in 1921, either as compared with that done in 1920, or in a general way. "We had plenty of loanable funds at all times," he said, "and have been as helpful as possible in keeping the wheels of business in motion."

A very unusual statement with reference to loanable funds was made by the official of this College Corner bank. For instance, he stated that not only did his bank have all the money needed by borrowers, in 1921, but that was true today and had been true for the past 26 years. The only exception being in 1907, in which year their bank found it necessary to borrow to completely supply the demand for loans. With that single exception, he said, "the individual resources of the institution had been found ample for all needs during all these years."

The deposits of the Farmers' State bank exceed \$500,000 on the average, we are told. Its officials are not looking for any great improvement in the farmer's business this year, but are hoping for the best, judging from their comment on conditions. "We had no bills payable on January 1," is the statement of the cashier. No change was made in the official board at the annual election.

Banking at W. Manchester

"Compared with 1920 our business fell off a little last year, but not a great deal," states the cashier of the First State bank of West Manchester, Ohio. Cashier Leas believes that more feeding is being done this winter than last, this applying to both hogs and cattle, said he. "Farmers are selling but little," Mr. Leas stated, "and this is because they don't like going prices. In consequence business just now is very quiet. Our farmers are expecting better things in 1922, or at least have that hope, and in this every one else joins," said the cashier. No changes were made in the official staff at the annual election on the 11th inst.

Reported From Oxford, Ohio.

J. Gilbert Walsh, cashier of the Farmers' State and Savings bank at Oxford, said: "We are not making any new loans at this time, but our loan account was rather large, in fact there was an excessive demand for money during most of 1921. Our deposits have held up fairly well, and are running between \$360,000 and \$375,000, as a rule. Farmers are not selling, as grain prices do not suit them and no one blames them for waiting for better prices. Most of them are looking hopefully forward to better prices and better times. No changes were made in our staff or directory at the late annual election. Business is rather quiet at this time."

Paul C. King, Cashier

Most anything may happen in this changing world, and may happen in record time, even in the trading of farms, elevators, stocks of goods, etc. A comparatively short time ago, as measured in weeks, two Richmond men, as the story runs, came into possession of a tidy farm in the Wilmotburg section. In short order this farm was traded for an elevator located north of Winchester. The next move, as we are told, was the trading of the elevator property for an apartment house in Indianapolis. The next thing, as we learn, was the trading of the apartment house for a farm

on the Washington road, a few miles southwest of Green's Fork, then, probably, the Washington road acreage was traded to the owner of a hardware stock in Brookville, Ind. Just how far the hardware stock covers the transaction, or what the "boot" in this and the other trades, is not given out for publication. The Brookville hardware man is figuring to put a tenant on the place, unless perchance he finds a buyer before he himself comes into possession of the 268-acre Washington road farm, on March 1. As to the hardware stock, unless sold at private sale at an early date, it will be put up at auction.

Who Made the Money?

The man who dropped in at this office and told the above story was not a principal in any of the transactions, but he assured us he had the facts, as stated. When we asked him who were the winners in this series of deals, also how many dollars in hard cash were actually handled in the odd settlements, he threw up his hands. He didn't know. What he did know, he said, was that these busy traders had done a lot of swapping in a hurry, to which we agreed.

Install Green's Fork Grange Officers Tonight

SPARTANBURG, Ind., Jan. 20.—The new Green's Fork Grange, organized last fall in the Spartanburg community, will meet to install new officers Friday night. This meeting will be held in the new Grange hall, the first meeting in the regular quarters of the organization. Installation of officers will be conducted by T. E. Kenworthy, state gatekeeper.

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WOULD HAVE WOMEN OF STATE AFFILIATE WITH FARM BODIES

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—A women's organization to be affiliated with the Indiana Federation of Farmers' associations was proposed at a meeting of the executive committee of the federation Thursday afternoon at its offices here. A meeting will be held in Indianapolis in February, to be attended by women delegates from each county in Indiana, when it is hoped the organization will be formed.

Perry Crane, Secretary

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gion auxiliary, of which Mrs. Lowell F. Hobart, of Milford, O., is national president, is holding the first meeting of its national executive committee.

Included in the census plan, personal interviews will be sought with former service men in regard to disability status and preference in manner of adjusted compensation, it was said. Provision to ascertain the number of former service men who are financially able to lend to a rotating fund the money they will receive in adjusted compensation will also be considered in the conference.

Five Officials of Organized Labor

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come from clogged machinery because of discordant rules. The Veterans' Bureau has now functioned eight months. It must profit from the experiences of those who had to organize in haste without precedents, and whose mistakes were often made because they had to feel their way. The members should not merely do as well, but ten times better than their predecessors. But they will not do so unless the individual men who are charged with responsibility are kept interested, on their toes, and keenly alive to their duties."

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a watchful eye on the Veterans' Bureau to see that it maintains efficiency, Mr. Sprague said, and added:

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