

FARMERS' INSTITUTE AT BOSTON PROMISES EXCELLENT PROGRAM

BOSTON, Ind., Jan. 16.—Musto by local performers, a large corn and domestic science show, and talks by state institute speakers, the Wayne and Union county agents, and Harry Silvers of Dixon township, Preble county, who is a member of the state assembly for the county, will feature the annual Boston two day Farmers' institute, which will be held Jan. 30 and 31, in the Boston high school building.

In the corn show, two classes for men and two for boys are provided, for 10 ear samples of both white and yellow corn while men and boys will compete against each other in an open 10 ear class and a single ear class.

Ten prizes of two dollars, \$1.50, one dollar, 75 cents and six prizes of 50 cents are offered in each of the men's and boys' special classes, making a total of \$8.25 for each class and for the single ear class. Premiums in other classes bring the total for the men's show to \$47.

Prizes Are Offered
In the women's and girls' shows, which will include exhibits of sewing, by the girls and of cooking by both women and girls, a total of more than \$45 is offered.

Besides the state speakers, discussions of their subjects will be led the first day by Mrs. P. L. Beard, Walter Parks, C. L. Endsley and Lydia Crowe. Music will be furnished by the school orchestra and by Howard and Bernice Beeson.

On Wednesday morning there will be a cornet solo by H. Newman and a talk on beekeeping by Fred W. Muth, with discussion led by Adam Eby. Harry Silvers will talk in the afternoon on responsibility of rural folk in public affairs, and Mrs. Stanley Beard will give a reading. Ralph Kitchell will give a solo and Harriet Druley and Effie Rallsback also will be on the musical program.

HOODED PROWLERS SOUGHT BY POLICE

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Jan. 15.—Four mysterious hooded and black-garbed night prowlers are being sought by the police and the students of Depauw university, on whose campus they have frequently appeared.

The group call themselves the "Order of the Black Owl," and, according to claims in letters given to prospective student members, is organized to "foster a true democratic spirit in the university."

The figures on one occasion entered a private home where a dramatic fraternity was meeting and handed a note to a girl student, entered the Alpha Chi sorority house and handed another note to a member, and visited the Phi Delta Theta house, where they warned a fraternity member. In all cases they disappeared before warning could be given the police.

EAGLE COMMITTEE SEEKS PENSION LAW

Wayne aerie of Eagles has appointed the following committee to co-operate locally in the passage of an old age pension bill through the Indiana legislature: Frank Strayer, Joseph Waltermann, August Johannsen, Oscar Williams and Howard Van Zant.

A statement given by the committee says: "Of significance is the consideration given the subject recently by industrial and economic experts, commercial and religious bodies, and trade union and fraternal organizations the second industrial conference called by President Wilson in 1920 urged the consideration of old age pensions."

The Federal Council of Churches of Christ representing over 20 million church people in the United States has for some time included in its social creed a plank for suitable provisions for the old age of the worker. The National Catholic War Council also declared that "The State should make comprehensive provisions for insurance against illness, invalidity, unemployment and old age."

The American Federation of Labor is demanding constructive legislation in behalf of the aged. The United Mine Workers of America have a special committee working for the promotion of such legislation throughout the United States.

"Most interesting and important in the development of the old age pension movement is its championship and active sponsorship by the Fraternal Order of Eagles. This fraternity, with a membership of over 500,000, has been carrying on a most intensive campaign in favor of old age pensions under the leadership of Frank E. Hering, the managing editor of its monthly magazine and the chairman of its national old age pension commission. In conjunction with the local lodges, Mr. Hering has secured nearly 1,500 old age pension committees throughout the United States. These local committees are familiarizing themselves with the condition of the poor-house in their respective districts, are interviewing legislators and asking their support of old age pensions. An educational campaign by means of a monthly magazine, special bulletins and pamphlets has been carried on by the Order for more than a year."

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Joe Kavser's Orchestra To Play Here



One of the season's most popular dances to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kolp at the Eagles hall Wednesday night is to have the well known Kavser orchestra as the musical attraction.

Billy Sunday Club Hears Stokes Preach

Members of the Billy Sunday club attended revival services Monday night at the First M. E. church. Tabernacle days were recalled by the spirit of the meeting.

Rev. Ross Stokes, pastor of the church, delivered a sermon on "The Open Fountain." Loren Jones conducted singing, after which testimonials of members of the Billy Sunday club, women of the choir and members of the congregation were received. The colored chorus of the Pennsylvania railroad shops will give several numbers at the services Tuesday night.

WAYNE SPORTSMEN RE-ELECT OFFICERS AT ANNUAL MEETING

Officers of the Wayne County Fish and Game Protective association were re-elected at the annual meeting Monday night at the A. H. Bartel building on South Eighth street.

The officers re-elected are as follows: Walter J. Doan, president; Andy Rausch, vice president; John F. Holaday, secretary; Carl Eggemeier, treasurer; George Deuker, Louis Fahl-sing, William Kelley and George Wilkens, directors.

George Schwenke was elected as assistant secretary. He will be in charge of membership. Reports were made of the work of the association during the past year. Plans for the coming year were discussed.

Investigates Site.
John Foster was appointed to investigate a site for a club house for the association. According to plans, a lake to be built around the house will be stocked with fish for the exclusive use of the members.

The committee appointed last year for the placing of signs along the streams of the county regarding the legal size of bass that might be caught and taken was reappointed for this year to continue the work and it was given the right to distribute signs throughout the county. A general discussion of the attitude of landowners and others toward this feature took place following the appointment of this committee.

Plans were made and a committee appointed last year for the location of a pond to be leased that could be used as a hatchery, but nothing definite was accomplished by this committee. The following men were appointed Monday night to further the work in regard to the establishment of the hatchery: Mr. Hunt, O. A. Kemper, George Deuker and Dr. F. W. Krueger.

A committee was appointed to arrange an entertainment for the members, honorary members and landowners along the streams of Wayne county, some time in the future. George Brehm was appointed a committee to represent the association in making plans for the corn show to be held in Richmond soon.

Officers of the association and William Kelley were suggested to comprise the legislative committee of the organization.

A meeting probably will be arranged to be held in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. about the next regular meeting time. This meeting will be known as "tackle night." Every member who attends is expected to bring fishing tackle to put on an exhibition.

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PREBLE WILL SEND LARGE DELEGATION TO STATE UNIVERSITY

EATON, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Preble county farmers are planning to send a large delegation to the annual Farmers' Week at Ohio State university. The program this year will be presented on the dates Jan. 29, 30, 31, and Feb. 1 and 2. The annual meeting of the state farm bureau federation will be held during this week. Although 6,100 farm people attended last year, preparations have been made for an even larger number this year.

There will be six state shows and 17 annual meetings of various organizations. One new feature is to be a series of open forums at 4 o'clock Monday, and 9 o'clock Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, in which the farmers will discuss national agricultural questions. The subject for Tuesday evening will be "Is Credit the Chief Need of the Farmer?" On Wednesday, limitation of production; and on Thursday, the possibilities, and impossibilities of co-operation will be considered.

A Grange Lecturers' school will be held from 8 to 10 o'clock of each morning. Harry Caton, former state lecturer and now state master, will speak and C. M. Gardner, editor of the National Grange Monthly, also will be on the program, on Friday.

Newspaper Show
An old fiddlers' contest on Friday evening, and an all-week country newspaper show are two other features. The latter is an innovation of this year, and a conference of newspapermen will be held in connection with it on Monday afternoon.

Subjects in which lecture courses will be offered deal with agricultural engineering, marketing, forestry, soils, farm management, orchards, vegetable growing, the home, poultry husbandry, besides series on crops, livestock and country life.

Among crops, lectures will be given on corn, wheat, potatoes, soy bean growing. Livestock subjects deal with cattle, horses, swine and sheep.

The country life course deals with the country church, the Grange, and the community as a whole.

month was selected for the regular meeting night. An entertainment committee was appointed to arrange amusement for each meeting.

An invitation was extended to members of the association by Sydney Peters, physical director of the Y. M. C. A. to work with him in a series of lectures on fishing, particularly showing the proper way of casting, and other arts known to good fishermen.

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Movie Program Planned For Junior Girls' Joy Club

A feature movie program will furnish the entertainment at the regular meeting of the Junior Girls' Joy club of the Community Service to be held at the Union Mission recreation rooms on North Twelfth street at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The club, membership in which is limited to girls, is inviting all girls of the neighborhood and their mothers to attend the meeting. The club is under the leadership of Mrs. C. T. Simon.

MIAMI VALLEY MILK PRODUCERS' HEAD TALKS TO FARMERS

WEST MANCHESTER, Ohio, Jan. 15.—A. F. Hedges, of Dayton, manager of the Miami Valley Milk Producers' association, gave an address on "Co-operative Marketing of Dairy Products" Tuesday morning at the Monroe township farmers' institute in the township central school building. Mrs. F. M. Glasgow, of Columbus, lectured on "The Essentials of a Well Balanced Home."

Congressman Charles Brand, of Urbana, spoke on "Prices" Tuesday afternoon and Mrs. Glasgow talked on "The Lure of the Country." The Rev. Thomas Murray opened the morning session with prayer, followed by a vocal solo by Mrs. F. O. Grasshoff. The Monroe high school glee club and quartet sang at both sessions.

Alfred Vivian, of Columbus, dean of the state agricultural college, gave an illustrated lecture Monday evening on "A Farmer's Trip Throughout the Orient."

It was expected new officers of the institute association would be elected at the close of the session this afternoon. The two days' meeting will close Tuesday night with a community play presented by local talent.

BLAZE AT GARFIELD: MOTOR OVERHEATED

Fire which broke out Monday night at 9:15 o'clock in the wooden building which adjoins the Garfield junior high school building, is thought to have been caused by the overheating of an electric motor. Prompt action of the fire department prevented spread of the blaze. The building is used by wood-working classes of the school.

Principal Manning stated Tuesday that the motor is not damaged as extensively as was first thought, the damage will amount to from \$50 to \$75.

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FARMERS OF PREBLE CONSIDER WAYS OF CHEAPER PRODUCTION

EATON, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Projects looking toward more economical production or better living conditions are being considered by Preble county farmers, who are holding meetings at the farm bureau office to plan the year's work.

All bee-keepers of the county will meet to consider formation of a county association, on Jan. 25. The meeting will be held at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the courthouse and plans for the county association, which will be drawn up by a committee named at a preliminary meeting Jan. 11, will be presented. Some prominent apiarist also will be invited to address the assembly.

The second of the series of health meetings of township leaders will be held at the courthouse on the forenoon of Thursday, Jan. 25 at 10:30 o'clock. Miss Wanda Przyluska, of Ohio State university, state leader of health projects, will preside.

Plan Programs.
Program committees of the township farm bureau organizations are planning the township programs of work for the year 1923.

Patrons of the Eaton local co-operative cream station will hold a business meeting in the cream station on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 20, at 1:30 o'clock. The first of the boys' and girls' clubs for the year was started by a meeting in the Dixon township schoolhouse Thursday. The Priscilla Clothing club was reorganized, retaining Mrs. John Hart as leader, and Roy Rosa was requested to manage the pig club. Other clubs will be organized as soon as possible.

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City Lodges

The regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters will be held Tuesday night instead of Wednesday night, as was announced. Due to the fact that Tuesday night is the 38th anniversary of the founding of the order, it was decided to hold the meeting then instead of Wednesday night. This is annual roll-call night and all members are requested to be present. All members also are requested to bring sandwiches.

Missionary Societies To Meet Here Feb. 16
The Federation of Missionary societies of the city churches will hold its semi-annual all-day meeting, Feb. 16, it has been announced. An out-of-town speaker is to be secured for the occasion. An instructive and interesting program is being arranged. All women of the city are invited to attend. All clubs and church organizations are asked to bring sandwiches and one other dish for luncheon. Announcement will be made later of the meeting place.

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