

FARMERS' INSTITUTE AT BOSTON PROMISES EXCELLENT PROGRAM

BOSTON, Ind., Jan. 16.—Music 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 \$2.25 for each class and for the single ear class. Premiums in other classes bring the total for the men's show to \$10.

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 \$15 is offered.

Besides the state speakers, discussions of their subjects will be led the first day by Mrs. L. B. Beard, Walter Parks, C. L. Enders 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 responsibilities of rural folk in public affairs, and Mrs. Stanley Beard will give a reading. Ralph Kitchell will give a solo and Harriet Drueff and Effie Rallsback also will be on the musical program.

HOODED PROWLERS SOUGHT BY POLICE

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Jan. 16.—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 "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 aera of Eagles has appointed the following committee to co-ordinate locally in the passage of an old age pension bill through the Indiana legislature: Frank Strayer, Joseph Wulfferman, August Johanning, Oscar Williams and Howard Van Zant.

A statement 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-houses 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 Klop at the Eagles hall Wednesday night is to have the well known Klop 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 testimonies 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.

The officers re-elected are as follows: Walter J. Doan, president; Andy Rausch, vice president; John F. Holaday, secretary; Carl Eggemeyer, treasurer; George Deuker, Louis Fahlberg, William Kelley and George Wilkins, 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 Fosler was appointed to investigate a site for a club house for the association. According to plans, a lake to be built around the home 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 re-appointed 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.

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.

Plan Entertainment

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 "fumble night." Every member who attends is expected to bring fishing tackle to put on an exhibition.

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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 room on North Twelfth street at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The club, membership of 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. 16.—A. F. Hedges, 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 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 damage due extensively as was first thought, the damage will amount to from \$50 to \$75.

The blaze inside the building was noticed by passers-by, who immediately turned on the alarm to the fire department.

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FARMERS OF PREBLE CONSIDER WAYS OF CHEAPER PRODUCTION

EATON, Ohio, Jan. 16.—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 Przyruska, of Ohio State university, state leader of health projects, will preside.

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 Pocahontas Clothing club was reorganized, retaining Mrs. John Hart as leader, and Roy Ross was requested to manage the pig club. Other clubs will be organized as soon as possible.

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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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