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\$1800 in Prizes for Progressive Farmer Corn Club Boys!

THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER has always taken a keen interest in the young people's club work in the South—corn clubs, canning clubs, pig clubs, poultry clubs, etc. As early as 1910 we organized a "Progressive Farmer Boys' Corn Club" in which more than

\$1300 worth of prizes were awarded. This year it is our ambition to have 25,000 Progressive Farmer boys in corn club and pig club work, and 25,000 Progressive Farmer girls in canning club and poultry club work.

As helping to this end we make this offer to every Progressive Farmer boy or girl: If you make the best record made in your county, in corn, canning, pig or poultry club work, The Progressive Farmer will give you a certificate, a handsome and useful book, and your choice of a boy's or girl's magazine. And if you make the best record in your State, The Progressive Farmer will give you a handsome gold medal—a gold medal for every club in every Southern State.

Moreover, to Progressive Farmer boys in corn club work some of the leading business men in America give freely the following magnificent list of over \$1800 worth of valuable prizes. These prizes are given outright by these liberal and progressive houses, and on behalf of the 250,000 boys who read The Progressive Farmer, we here and now express our thanks to them. The list of gifts and givers follows:

- Southern Engine & Boiler Works, Jackson, Tenn., 6 horse-power "Heavy Duty" gasoline-kerosene engine, fully equipped, value not stated, but known to exceed.....\$250.00
- Union Seed & Fertilizer Co., New Orleans, La., E. K. Huey, Manager Gretna Plant, 5 tons, "Economizer" Fertilizer..... 130.00
- Gibbes Machinery Co., Columbia, S. C., (in conjunction with Williams Mills Mfg. Co., Ronda, N. C.,) 1 sixteen-inch Williams Corn Mill..... 100.00
- High Point Buggy Co., High Point, N. C., rubber tired buggy..... 85.00
- Thornhill Wagon Co., Lynchburg, Va., 1 two-horse "Thornhill" wagon..... 80.00
- De Laval Separator Co., New York City, No. 12 De Laval Separator..... 75.00
- Zenner Disinfectant Co., Detroit, Mich., Fifty 1-gallon cans (@ \$1.50 each) Zenoleum..... 75.00
- Hackney Wagon Co., Wilson, N. C., 2-horse steel bar, thimble-skein axle wagon..... 65.63
- Pittsburg Steel Co., Pittsburg, Pa., 750 ft. "Pittsburg Perfect" close mesh lawn fencing..... 60.00
- Cole Mfg. Co., Charlotte, grain drill, corn planter, combination planter, guano distributor..... 57.50
- International Harvester Co., of America, Chicago, Ill., a Mogul or Titan Jr. one-horse engine, estimated value..... 50.00
- Thomas F. Ryan, Oak Ridge, Va., 1 pair registered Tamworth pigs..... 50.00
- Meridian College Conservatory, Meridian, Miss., Scholarship..... 50.00
- Silver Mfg. Co., Salem, Ohio, 4-knife "Ohio" feed and ensilage cutter..... 45.00
- Owensboro Ditcher & Grader Co., Owensboro, Ky., "Martin" farm ditcher and grader..... 40.00
- W. T. Huffman, Rt. 2, Columbia, S. C., registered Tamworth pig..... 40.00

- H. K. Mulford Co., Philadelphia, Pa., 4 five-acre packages and 10 one-acre packages Mulford cultures for legumes..... 35.00
- Duane H. Nash, Wellington, N. J., Acme corn cultivator..... 32.00
- A. H. Patch, Clarksville, Tenn., corn shellers and grist mills..... 31.50
- Letz Mfg. Co., Crown Point, Ind., Letz Grinder..... 30.00
- American Agricultural Chemical Co., Savannah, Ga., 1 ton 8-2½ fertilizer..... 25.75
- Glen St. Mary Nurseries Co., Glen St. Mary, Fla., nursery stock..... 25.00



SHERMAN HALL, AN ARKANSAS CORN CLUB BOY WHO MADE 107.33 BUSHELS ON HIS ACRE

- J. Van Lindley Nursery Co., Pomona, N. C., nursery stock..... 25.00
- Cottrell Saddlery Co., Richmond Va., fancy single harness..... 25.00
- Texas Seed and Floral Co., Dallas, Texas, seeds..... 25.00
- W. F. Allen & Co., Salisbury, Md., strawberry plants..... 20.00
- Cotton Chopper Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1 Hayne Cotton Chopper..... 17.50
- Atlanta Tent & Awning Co., Atlanta, Ga., 1 tent complete..... 16.50
- W. I. Owen, Route 2, Bedford, Va., one O. I. C. pig..... 15.00
- B. F. Avery & Son, Louisville Ky., corn and cotton planter..... 15.00
- Berkshire Height Farm, Route 4, Gloster, Miss., one registered Berkshire pig..... 15.00
- Hamilton Carhartt, Atlanta, Ga., 12 pair overall trousers..... 15.00
- Slate Seed Co., South Boston, Va., one bushel clover seed..... 12.50
- Fayway Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, No. 5 Fayway butter separator..... 12.50

- Rawlings Implement Co., of Baltimore, Md., No. 6 pulverizer..... 12.00
- John Blue, Laurinburg, N. C., 1 Rex guano distributor..... 12.00
- W. W. Shay, Cruso, N. C., 3 months old Duroc-Jersey pig..... 12.00
- McVay Seed & Floral Co., Birmingham, Ala., seed (wholesale price)..... 10.00
- Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y., kodak..... 10.00
- Couch Bros. Mfg. Co., Atlanta, Ga., five pairs Lankford collars..... 10.00
- Rumble & Wenzel Co., Natchez, Miss., field and garden seed..... 10.00
- Spotless Co., Richmond, Va., 2 Elgin Watches..... 9.90

SPECIAL \$100 CASH PRIZE

R. H. Stockton, Majestic Mfg. Co., St. Louis Mo., for the largest production of corn of 1916 crop, from five acres of ground, provided it is over 105 bushels per acre, to the young man who produces it, provided five or more enter the contest, \$100

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With an offer like this, there surely ought to be 25,000 Progressive Farmer young folks in club work this year! You are entitled to compete for all the prizes anybody else competes for and then have \$1800 worth of special prizes besides. See further particulars on page 18, sign blank herewith and mail to us at once.

Editors The Progressive Farmer:

I want to enter the competition for the \$1800 worth of prizes for Progressive Farmer boys and girls, subject to rules and regulations of Government clubs. Send me a button and full information.

Name.....
 Address.....
 County..... Club..... Age.....
 (Add other names if you wish.)