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Director of State Farmers' Institutes, W. L. Amoss, has sent out the following strong personal appeal to the citizens of Kent:

MY DEAR SIR:—You are hereby informed that a State Farmers' Institute will be held in your county about the first of the year.

The purpose of these institutes you well know. A day at an institute will save you money and years of fruitless toil, if your methods are leading to failure and disappointment. That moment you are absent, a thought, the result of years of experience, may be spoken, which, in your possession, would give you profit in place of loss. At the institute you learn how to protect your trees and plants from disease and parasites; how to feed plants and animals; compound fertilizers and balance rations; what varieties, and when, to plant, harvest and market; the demands of consumers and how to supply them; where and how to build a home, make it convenient, healthful and beautiful; what to eat and how to cook it.

You know there are many in your county who have not attended a Farmers' Institute, who know nothing of the help it can be to them.

This letter is addressed to you with the hope, that, at once, you will begin to "talk up" the institute, bring the subject before your local organizations or committees called by yourself, and earnestly plead for assistance from every member to bring out at least to one of the sessions, every owner of a home in the county. If the hall is too small this season, next year we can provide a larger.

You know, you cannot, conscientiously, shirk this duty; you owe it to yourself, your neighbor, your county and your State; to expect the energy and magnetism of one man, so to enthuse the latent energy of a people proud of their conservatism, to draw them forth in sunshine or storm, though it be to their profit, is demanding much, to say the least.

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For this season our plans are mature for first-class meetings, but suggestions are always in order and will receive thoughtful consideration.

There will be one good meeting of four or five sessions in each county at the county town unless a strong petition demands a change.

The postmasters of the towns where the institute will be held will be asked to help us distribute posters, they will arrive at the office one month before the meeting.

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