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## INDIANA

The name of Winona Agricultural Institute has been changed to Winona College of Agriculture. It now offers a two-year "practical" course with fall, winter, and spring terms, a two-year, "special" course running six months each year, and "advanced work in agriculture, or college work in the sciences, English, languages, literature mathematics, history, education, or philosophy,"

A good example of public school work in agriculture is found in Thorntown, Ind., a village of 2,000 inhabitants, having; a high-school enrollment of 85 pupils. Nearly 60 percent of these come from the surrounding farms and about (50 percent are boys. All third-year pupils take agriculture as a required subject, five hours a week for textbook work and about two periods a week for laboratory work and field exercises.