History of the Cooperative Extension Service

What You Learned:

You have just participated in a presentation discussing the history of the Cooperative Extension Service and the Land-Grant University system. This program is used throughout the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service system to help volunteers and others learn about the rich and proud heritage of the program. Its goal is to provide individuals with a better understanding of how the Cooperative Extension Service came about and why it exists today. Please help us in assuring these materials are fulfilling that goal by sharing with us what you have learned. Please take a few minutes to answer the following questions.

Thank you.

1. The Land-Grant University system is a result of which law?
   a. The Smith-Lever Act
   b. The Hatch Act
   c. The Morrill Act
   d. None of the Above

2. The original mission of the land-grant system was to teach
   a. Mechanical Arts
   b. Agriculture
   c. Military Arts
   d. All of the Above

3. The individual considered to be the father of extension is
   a. Justin Morrill
   b. Seaman Knapp
   c. Francis Lever
   d. William Hatch

4. The Cooperative Extension Service was created on
   a. November 12, 1906
   b. July 2, 1862
   c. May 8, 1914
   d. September 1, 1911
5. The Cooperative Extension Service mission today focuses programming on rural audiences.
   a. ______ True          b. ________ False

6. The mission of the Cooperative Extension Service is to
   a. ________ Make the Best Better
   b. ________ Better Farming/Better Living
   c. ________ Taking the University to the People
   d. ________ Each One, Teach One

7. What was the most significant thing that you learned from this presentation and why?

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8. How would you share this information with the people with whom you work?

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9. What additional information would you like to have about the Cooperative Extension Service and the Land-Grant University system?

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10. Additional comments??

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