Marion L. Retcher Farms

Established: 1920  
Township: Richland  
Owners/Operators: Marion L. Retcher  
Grow/Raise: Corn and Soybeans  
Past Grown/Raised: Corn, Soybeans, Wheat, Tomatoes, Potatoes and Beef Cattle  
Brand of Equipment: John Deere  
Generations: 2nd generation  

Marion L. Retcher Farms is known for its vast amount of black loam soil. In the 1940s and 1950s, the farm had up to 200 head of feeder cattle. Marion also sold seed for nine different seed companies from 1959 through 2004. He takes most pride in maintaining his buildings. A lasting memory of the farm that Marion really loves to look back on is taking care of and feeding the cattle.