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## RULES FOR PREVENTING FOREST FIRES

Recent forest fires in Rutherford county, said to have been caused by the carelessness of hunters, serve to show how necessary it is for everyone to be on guard.

Six good rule to prevent fires are as follows:

1. MATCHES. Be sure your match is out. Break it in two before you throw it away.

2. TOBACCO. Be sure that pipe ashes and cigarette stubs are DEAD before you leave them. Never throw them into brush leaves, or needles.

3. MAKING CAMP. Before making a fire scrape away all inflammable material from a spot 5 feet in diameter. Dig a hole in the center and in it build your camp fire. Keep your fire small. Never build it against a tree or log.

4. Never break camp until your fire is out—DEAD OUT.

5. BRUSH BURNING. Never turn brush or slash in windy weather, or while there is the slightest danger that the fire will get away.

6. PUTTING OUT YOUR FIRE—stir the coals while soaking them with water. Turn small sticks and drench both sides. Wet the ground around the fire. If you can't get water, stir in dirt and tread it down until packed tight over and around the fire. Be sure the last spark is DEAD. You never know what a little wind may do. Fire is the GREAT ENEMY of all forest life.

E. G. Curtis,  
Conservation Committee, Tryon  
Garden Club.

## Negro School Building Begins On Friday

The ground for the new Tryon Negro school building will be broken on Friday afternoon with appropriate ceremonies at 4 o'clock. District Superintendent M. B. Caldwell states that the program will include talks by Dr. Chas. G. Sewall of Tryon and District Supervisor Rea of Charlotte. The colored minister, Rev. C. R. White will give the invocation. The colored principal, T. D. Tillman and members of the colored P.-T. A. and other colored citizens will be present.

The work of excavating will begin on Monday and officials estimate that the building will be completed in five months.

## MARK A. FISHER

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30 at the Mountain Page Baptist church for Mark A. Fisher, 80, who passed away on Wednesday. The Rev. Mr. Kiser of the Saluda Baptist church officiated at the last rites.

Mr. Fisher is survived by his widow, the former Miss Mary Pace of Saluda; two sons, D. R. and L. P. Fisher of Saluda, and one daughter, Mrs. O. L. Robinson of Taylorsville, N. C., and two grandchildren.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 2,891 bales of cotton were ginned in Polk County from the crop of 1941 prior to October 18th, as compared with 1,821 bales for the crop of 1940.