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Worth Knowing

The vast amount of discussion given to the grain problem, particularly as it is related to the raising of meat animals, has resulted in some misunderstandings. For example, it is widely believed that practically all animals which go to market are heavy consumers of grain which could otherwise be used for human consumption.

The fact is that 50 per cent of all meat of all kinds produced in the United States is grown without the feeding of any grain at all. In the case of cattle, more than 80 per cent of the beef produced is fed no grain. These animals are raised on roughage, grass, beet pulp and a large number of other foods not suitable for human consumption. On top of that, two-thirds of the area of the United States is in grass which would be wasted if there were no animals to consume it and convert it into meat. Lastly, when grain is fed, it is mostly corn, a standard animal feed, rather than that which is consumed largely by people.

It is evident that the grain problem cannot be properly solved by such extreme measures as the proposal to reduce our meat animal population. That would have an adverse effect on our standards of nutrition—effects which would be carried on into succeeding generations. It would reduce the fertility of the soil. It would be a blow to the farmer who receives more cash income from meat than from any other crop. It would reduce the supply of the many by-products which come from meat animals and some of them, like insulin, are vital to the public health. We can

and must conserve grain in every practical way—but we must be sure that each step taken is sound and workable.

Land Resources

Evidence of improper use of land resources in North Carolina last year lies in the fact that about 12 per cent of the cropland in the state was idle and even a larger per cent not fully used.

Land devoted to cash crops such as cotton, tobacco, peanuts, and commercial truck has been well utilized, and have normally rendered a good return, but the land devoted to the non-cash crops such as corn, hay, and pasture has not been utilized to the maximum. Farmers have normally carried out recommended practices on the cash crops but they have not carried out the recommended practices on the non-cash crops. Adoption of these practices on all crops grown on the farm would pay high returns.

One-half of the land in North Carolina is devoted to woodland, and on many farms the woodland has given a very low return. Even though many of the crop land resources have been fairly well utilized, the land devoted to forest has been more poorly utilized.

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NOTICE OF SALE NORTH CAROLINA ALAMANCE COUNTY

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County, made in the special proceeding entitled WILLIE WARD ET AL, vs. REX DURHAM ET AL, the undersigned commissioner will on

Monday the 2nd day of February, 1948, at twelve o'clock, noon at the door of the Orange County Courthouse in Hillsboro, Orange County, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Bingham Township, Orange County, North Carolina,

Part 1 Adjoining Antioch Church public road, Antioch Church property, Rex Durham and others and bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the public road in the line of Tom Bradshaw; thence S. 21 deg. 30' W. 855 ft. with the center of the said road to a point in a turn in the road opposite a spring on the west side of the said road; thence S. 50 deg. W. with the center of said road 242 ft. to a point in said road opposite a rock on the southeast side of said road in the line of the Antioch Church property; thence S. 71 deg. E. with the northern line of said church property 498 ft. to a pile of rocks in the said line of Rex Durham; thence N. 2 deg. E. 1110 ft. with said Durham to the BEGINNING, containing approximately 4 acres, more or less.

Part 2 Adjoining Antioch property, Rex Durham and others and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a pile of rocks

in the line of Rex Durham, corner with Antioch Church property and the home tract described above; running thence S. 6 deg. 30' W. with the said church property 575 ft. to a rock and gum tree near a spring; thence S. 88 deg. E. 100 ft. to a rock; thence N. 858 ft. to the BEGINNING, containing one acre, more or less.

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Part 3 Adjoining Tom Bradshaw, Antioch Church public road, the Lloyd property and others, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the center of the Antioch Church public road, corner with Tom Bradshaw; running thence S. 21 deg. 30' W. with the center of the said road 325 ft. to a point in the center of the said road in the line of the home tract; corner with Lloyd property; thence N. 89 deg. W. 130 ft. to a stone in a branch, corner with said Lloyd; thence N. 25 deg. W. with said branch and said Lloyd 200 ft. to a point, corner with said Lloyd; thence N. 57 deg. W. with said branch and said Lloyd 116 ft. to a point in said branch, corner with said Lloyd; thence N. 25 deg. W. with said branch and said Lloyd 100 ft. to a rock in said branch; thence S. 88 deg. E. with Tom Bradshaw 460 ft. to the BEGINNING, containing two acres, more or less.

This tract (containing the above three parts) being Tract No. 3 as described in the petition in the above mentioned proceeding.

The purchaser will be required to pay ten (10) per cent of his bid on the day of the sale as evidence of his good faith in making said bid.

The sale will be held open for advance bids as required by law.

This the 29th day of December, 1947.

W. I. WARD, JR.,
Commissioner.
1-8-4tc

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT NORTH CAROLINA ORANGE COUNTY

Willie Mae Patterson

vs.

Richard Patterson

To Richard Patterson:

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Orange County for an absolute divorce between the plaintiff and the defendant and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Orange County in Hillsboro, North Carolina, within 20 days after the 11th day of February, 1948, and answer or demur to the complaint in the said action or plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said action.

This the 12th day of January, 1948.

E. M. LYNCH,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
1-15-4tc

NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of Tim Edgar Allison, deceased, late of Orange County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Cedar

Grove, North Carolina, on or before the 4th day of December, 1948, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 1st day of December, 1948.
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Executrix of the Estate of Tim Edgar Allison.

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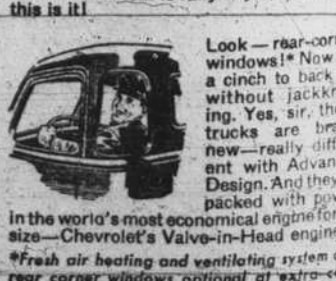
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