

Save An Extra Pig From Every Litter

The shortage of meat and the fact that North Carolina has about 300,000 fewer hogs on farms than this time last year calls for better care of the sow farrowing and better care of the piglets after farrowing so as to save an extra pig per litter.

Extension livestock specialists at State College suggest that every swine grower and 4-H club boy who is specializing in producing pigs should have a copy of Extension Circular No. 238, entitled "Raising Hogs in North Carolina." This publication contains many practical suggestions on feeding, sanitation, and care that will enable the average grower to save that extra pig.

Saving extra pigs per litter from the spring crop can easily amount to many millions of pounds of additional pork for North Carolina.

Careful feeding of the sow will give 3 pound pigs at birth rather than 2 pound pigs, with a much better chance of surviving.

Washing the sow with soap, water, and a good brush before farrowing time will keep down parasites and help to save many pigs.

Proper feeding of the sow after farrowing will help to keep the pigs from developing scours.

Nursing sows and pigs need a clean, temporary grazing crop to prevent losses from parasites.

Castrate the boar pigs at 3 to 4 weeks of age. Vaccinate all pigs at 6 to 7 weeks of age, if there is any danger of cholera. Use old cylinder oil to control lice and mange.

Thrifty, disease-free pigs respond more readily to careful feeding.

Plow "Fire Lines" Through Woodlands

An excellent way to protect the farm timber crop is to plow fire lines through the woods and keep them open, says Farm Forester H. E. Blanchard of the State College Extension Service.

He explains that fire control is a simple matter when everyone in the community works together, but accidents often happen and everyone is more or less careless at times. Therefore, it is best to be prepared for forest fires.

One method of fire line suggested by Blanchard is the plowing of two parallel furrows about 20 to 30 feet apart and the burning of the material between the furrows. This establishes a good fire break and will usually stop slow burning fires. It is, of course, necessary to reburn this area each year.

Another method of preparing breaks is to plow a strip instead of the parallel furrows but this method is often hard to follow and is no more effective than the burned out area. All large woodlands should be broken into blocks of not more than 40 acres by the use of fire breaks, according to Blanchard.

He also suggests tools for fighting fires. These include an axe, long handled shovel, hoe, and a fire rake and a swatter. A potato rake and pinetops can be used in place of the last two tools.

"Fire lines will not stop all fires, but one or two men working in a well established fire line can do as much to control fire as 20 men who have to build the fire break ahead of the fire," Blanchard says.

Barn Destroyed By Fire Saturday

Mrs. Ruth Willis of Raeford, R. 2, had the misfortune to lose her barn by fire last Saturday afternoon.

About 50 bushels of corn and some of her fertilizer and hay was destroyed.

Gov. Cherry Launches N. C. Pulpwood Campaign



Inaugurating an emergency pulpwood production campaign in North Carolina, Governor R. Gregg Cherry urged farmers and pulpwood workers to cut pulpwood for war. With him are Curtis M. Hutchins, right, chief of the WPB Pulpwood Production Branch, who asked for the governor's cooperation, and John W. Goodman, assistant director of the N. C. Extension Service, who acted as chairman of the special meeting of U. S., state and industry representatives in Raleigh. North Carolina's goal is 450,000 cords by June 30.

Raeford Presbyterian Church

H. K. Holland, Minister
 9:45—Sunday school.
 11:00 A. M.—Morning worship, sermon by pastor.
 6:30 P. M.—Pioneer and Senior vespers.
 7:30 P. M.—Evening worship, sermon by the pastor.
 3:30 P. M. Monday—Circles of the Woman's Auxiliary.
 8:00 P. M. Monday—Elders' and Deacons' meetings.
 8:00 P. M. Monday—Circle No. 10 (Business Woman's).
 8:00 P. M. Wednesday—First class on "A Survey of the Old Testament."
 8:00 P. M. Thursday—Circle No. 9 (Business Woman's).

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Be Prepared To Give To The Red Cross War Fund.

Raeford Methodist Church

W. L. Maness, Minister
 10:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
 11:00 A. M.—Morning worship, sermon by pastor.
 12:15 P. M.—Service at Parker's.
 5:00 P. M.—Junior Fellowship rehearsal.
 6:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship rehearsal.
 7:00 P. M.—Youth Fellowship meeting.
 7:30 P. M.—Evening worship, sermon by pastor.
 4:00 P. M. Monday—Spiritual life meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.
 7:30 P. M. Friday—Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.

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Peoples Tabernacle

H. Gwyn Clayton, Minister

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School. Lesson Topic: "Jesus' Estimate of Human Worth."
 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship, sermon by the Rev. Frank Maulsby of Fayetteville.
 6:30 P. M.—Young People's meeting.
 7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship, sermon by Rev. Maulsby.
 7:30 P. M. Monday, Choir Practice.
 7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Mid-week prayer meeting.
 7:30 P. M. Thursday—"Independent" Prayer Meeting, at the home of Mr. Will Ellis, Rt. 1, Raeford.
 7:30 P. M. Friday, Missionary meeting at the tabernacle. The Rev. Garnett G. Phillippe, a returned missionary from Canton, China, will be the speaker. Rev. Phillippe will speak again Saturday at 7:30 P. M. A cordial welcome awaits you, attend all services.

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NOTICE For Listing Taxes As Of January 1, 1945

The several list-takers for Hoke County will be at the places mentioned below until March 31, 1945, for the purpose of receiving your tax list.

Before you list your tax, please make a list of all your personal property and estimate the value of the amount it would cost you to replace each item with goods of the same quality and the same condition.

Every person, firm, or corporation engaged in business shall furnish the List-Taker, at the time he lists his tax, with an itemized inventory of all items of value per books December 31, 1944. (Required by Section 403 sub-section 6 Machinery Act 1941).

Attention is called to the fact that it is a misdemeanor and punishable by fine to fail to list your property.

TOWNSHIP	LIST-TAKER	ADDRESS
Allendale	Miss Willa McLaughlin	Red Springs, N. C., R 3
Antioch	J. A. Hodgin, Jr.	Red Springs, N. C., R 1
Blue Springs	Mrs. Lucy Smith	Raeford, N. C., R 2
Little River	Daniel McGill	Vass, N. C., R 2
McLaughlin	M. G. Ray	Rockfish, N. C.
Quewhiffle	Mrs. J. A. Maulsby	Timberland, N. C.
Raeford	Miss Sarah E. Conoly	Raeford, N. C.
Stonewall	W. J. McBryde	Shannon, N. C., R 1

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