

**CLEVELAND COUNTY.**  
**In The Superior Court.**  
**Annie Ellen Elmore, Plaintiff,**  
**vs.**  
**Wray Edwards Elmore,**  
**Defendant.**

**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION**  
 The defendant, Wray Edwards Elmore, will take notice that an action commenced as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Cleveland County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce absolute on the ground of two years separation, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required by law to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cleveland County on or before twenty days after the 17th day of February and answer or demur to the complaint of the said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

This the 9th day of January, 1947.  
 E. A. Houser, Jr.  
 Clerk of Superior Court.  
 W. L. Angel, Att. J-16-P-6

**CLEVELAND COUNTY.**  
 The undersigned, having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mr. E. L. Parrish, deceased, late of Cleveland County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the fourth day of January, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
 This fourth day of January, 1947.  
 W. W. Parrish, Administrator.  
 P-8-30-H.

**At Home On The Farm with The City Cousin**

"Just how much it cost a farmer to produce his own meat," I asked, opened to ask Farm Agent George Hobson, of the State College Extension Service, when I was down in Davie County not long ago.

"Well, Cousin," he says to me, all the time signing letters and shuffling papers around on his desk. "I've got a good story for you on that very subject."  
 When George's flurry of work came to a halt, he pulled open a drawer and pulled open a drawer and pulled out a sheet of figures.

"Last summer," George began, "pork couldn't be bought at any price, and the meat situation was lookin' mighty bad for J. C. Jones, manager of the Davie REA, and his line foreman, Joe Patner."  
 I told George I remembered how bad it was.  
 "Kell," he says, "these men bought five pigs, six weeks old, at \$3.00 each, and with the local market paying thirty five cents a pound at that time, we can figure that the men had \$345.80 worth of pork for their troubles. Can't we?"

The total raising expense, \$211.50, divided by 988 pounds, gives us 21.4 cents a pound. Therefore, the Jones-Patner pig growing business netted the two men a saving of 13.4 cents a pound on their meat.

And besides, think of the fun they had watching the pig grow.

like when it came in. Fifty bushels corn, \$105; 300 pounds fish meal, \$24; 400 pounds lotton seed meal, \$16; and one block salt, \$1.00.  
 I was beginning to think I was earning more about the diet of pigs than how much home-grown meat cost, but I kept going—wading through the figures.

It seems the two men called on the veterinarian, or the veterinarian called on the pigs, or something, and there was a charge for this or \$3.00. And of course, no statement of costs would be complete without saying that the initial investment in the pigs was already \$32.50.

When it came to housing the pigs and building a self-feeder, I would probably have been stumped, but not the enterprising manager and line foreman. They rounded up an old steel trum and some scrap lumber, and presto solved.

**Farmers Urged To Keep Records**

Planning for the year ahead is essential to any form of business. The farming enterprise requires this paper work no less than any other commercial activity in which the operator expects to make a profit.

Dr. R. E. L. Greene and W. H. Pierce, agricultural economists with the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station, in recommending the keeping of farm records as a means of adequately and accurately planning for the year's activities, explain that there is more to recording the year's work than merely knowing if the farm made a profit or loss.

Intelligent action can be based only on fact, they say. Keeping farm records offers the simplest and most accurate means of achieving this.

Four steps are necessary in keeping a farm record, first of which is to take an inventory of all farm property at the end of the year. This means recording the number and value of all items of property the farmer owns or owes.

Second step is keeping a record of farm income and expenses. Often the best means of doing this is to carry a small notebook with one on which can be recorded all transactions as they occur. Later, they can be transferred to the permanent record book.

The third step in keeping farm records is to take an inventory at the end of the record period. This inventory is similar to that taken at the beginning, except that all changes must be taken into account.

Final, and most important step, is to summarize and analyze the records at the end of the record period. In the analysis, an attempt should be made to discover the weak spots in the farm business so that they may be corrected.

Cotton crop insurance rates in most North Carolina areas have been reduced as much as 33 percent for 1947. A full 75 percent coverage also being instituted.

Make plans now to carry work-stock to the horse and mule clinics scheduled for the next few weeks. About 9 out of 10 animals need treatment.

**Cherryville PCA Sets Annual Meet**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cherryville Production Credit Association will be held at Cherryville in the High School Building on Saturday, February 1, at 10:30 o'clock, according to an announcement made by M. A. Stroup, secretary-treasurer of the association.

In addition to hearing the report on the year's operations, and electing one director for the coming year, members will be given a special report on the progress made by the association in member-ownership.

"The Cherryville association, which makes short term agricultural loans to farmers in Lincoln, Burke and McDowell Counties, is steadily broadening its credit services, and we expect an unusually large attendance of members and visitors. Ladies are especially invited," Secretary Stroup said.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Main Street is One up on Broadway**

Our Main Street isn't Broadway. But for cleanliness and neatness, it has Broadway lashed to the mast! I'm sticking my neck out, so far as those city people go, but it sure is the truth.)

Our sidewalks all along Main Street are swept clean each morning; the store fronts are kept neatly painted; the windows are shiny bright; and there's grass and flowers every place that grass and flowers can be made to grow!

Once when "Butch" Snyder let the swing of his store get torn and dirty, folks up and down the street just gently nudged him till he went out and got it repaired and cleaned. That's how it works around this town of ours.

From where I sit, it's a little like the Brewers' program of Self-Regulation. They want all taverns selling beer to be a credit to the city... neat and orderly and up to scratch. And when any tavern lags behind, they nudge it back to standard. Works too!

Joe Marsh

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