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During the warm weather shorten I services and short sermons.

Knox Church

REV. J F. WEDDERBURN, B. A., B. D. Minister

Union Services

Morning Subject-Sacred Trinities. Evening Subject-Paul and the Sil-

Mission Band meets Sunday after-

noon at 3 o'clock. Sunday School and Bible Classes

Methodist Church

REV. C. L. POOLE, B. D., Pastor Sunday School 10 a. m

Prayer Service on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

BEST LITTERING TIME

Have the Young Pigs Arrive in April or October.

June and December the Months for Mating — Give the Sow Good Farrowing Quarters — Care of Milk In Hot Weather.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

Now is the time to start and get ready for the fall litter of pigs. Any females of breeding age should be bred as soon as possible in order that they may farrow before the cold weather of winter sets in. The gestation period of the sow is sixteen weeks and consequently, if the sows are to farrow before winter, it is necessary that they be bred soon. For the average farmer the best time to have the sows farrow is in April and October. When the pigs are born in April they are given a chance to get a good start before the hot weather comes. When the litter comes in the fall, say October or early November, the young pigs are given a chance to get out into the fields and get exercise, which gives them an early start before they are

given a chance to get out into the fields and get exercise, which gives them an early start before they are put into the closer confinement of winter quarters.

For those contemplating breeding sows for fall litters, always pick the strongest and most typy on hand. Always use the best individuals to be had, particularly those exhibiting a good matronly appearance as shown by the number of teats.

Plenty of exercise while the sows are pregnant is very essential, and a good way for the sows to gain this is to allow them the freedom of the fields after the grain has been cut and taken off. As the time for farrowing approaches, closer watch must be kept on the sow in pig, and a few days, say two weeks before her time is up she should be brought in and introduced to her new quarters. She need not necessarily be kept in there all the time, but she should be kept in there at night. She should receive a little grain at the outset with plenty of water and some feed of a laxative nature to prevent constipation, which is the bane of hog raisers. By judicious feeding of the sow previous to farrowing the owner will have the sow in good physical condition and the pigs will come strong and healthy, and there will be lots of milk for the youngsters are liable to get buried in the atraw and dampness, is a good place. The quarters should be dry and clean. Some people advocate little bedding for the sow while the pigs are young, claiming that the youngsters are liable to get buried in the atraw and the sow is liable to lie on them. A good remedy for this would be to use cut straw where possible. However, if the cut straw is out of the question, it may be just as well not to be too liberal with the long straw. The farmer must use his own judgment when emergencies arise, always being careful to do the

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