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TYPES AND PRINCIPLES OF PIGGERY CONSTRUCTION

(Experimental Farms Note.)

A consideration of types and principles of piggery construction brings up a classification of swine growers, roughly, as follows:—

1. The farmer who keeps two or three sows, and from which class comes the great part of Canada's hogs;
2. The farmer who specializes a little more in swine growing, keeping five to six brood sows and a boar;
3. The out and out hog-man who goes in for hogs exclusively keeping thirty, forty, fifty or more brood sows and working, as closely as possible on the two-litter-a-year plan. There are few in this class.

Considering, briefly, the types of buildings required for the above classification the following basic principles must apply to all:—

1. Economy. No business can operate efficiently with too much overhead expense. Pork production operates on a close margin of profit. In the main comparatively cheap buildings are advisable, not only on account of low cost, but because they are best otherwise.

2. Dryness and Good Ventilation. These must be obtained in some way. Possibly no farm building is more difficult to ventilate than a piggery and no animal requires fresh air and quarters more than a hog.

The man who keeps two or three sows needs few, if any, special buildings. His sows are wintered in low straw-covered sheds or shelters adjacent to the barn yard. They summer on pasture with a cheap lean-to or cabin for shelter. Two main requisites are automatically acquired; fresh air and dry quarters, and exercise. At farrowing time a box stall is usually available. If the litter comes early, such quarters usually prove sufficiently warm for the little pigs. These, after weaning, may be fattened on pasture or in a paddock or dry lot with a cheap shelter, or, if indoor feeding is preferred, in a shed or empty building improvised for the purpose. This may sound like make-shift practice. The fact remains that not one cent more than is absolutely necessary should be expended in hog-equipment.

Consider the case of the next class,—the man who keeps five or six sows. His breeding stock should be handled as in the foregoing. The essential building is for farrowing his sows. About the same time and if he plans for fall litters early enough for successful winter feeding, he must have heated quarters; in other words, a building all or part of which is warmly built and therefore a comparatively expensive structure. Generally speaking, the best arrangement makes possible the closing off of two or three pens next to the feed room where a heater may be installed. This portion of the building must be double boarded and tightly ceiled and with a ventilation system. Cement is excellent in the main, but the farrowing pen must be of wood. A drainage system must be provided to ensure dryness. For the balance of the building excellent results have been obtained by making use of single board walls, a slatted ceiling covered with straw, earth floors and a floored section over which is built a low, straw-covered sleeping berth. Such quarters are excellent for young weaned pigs or for fattening hogs at any time of the year. Ventilation is automatic. The expensive construction is limited to where it is really essential. The balance is of cheap construction. Plans of piggeries of this type may be obtained from the Animal Husbandry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The extensive hog-man needs special buildings. Nevertheless, he must strictly follow economy in construction. Expensive or comparatively expensive construction is required only for farrowing quarters. Open sheds with straw-covered sleeping quarters have proven excellent for winter fattening of hogs. The straw-loft, earth-floor, enclosed-berth, type of building makes an excellent and comparatively cheap structure which embodies all of the essentials and which is useful for every class of hog with the possible exceptions of the early farrowing sow and the sow during the gestation period. The cheap portable cabin is a building much in demand on the big hog farm, both in winter and summer. Plans of the larger types of piggeries may be secured from the source already mentioned.

G. D. ROTHWELL,
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TO PRESERVE THE FERTILITY OF MANURE

In fresh manure the plant food materials are not in as available condition for growing plants as in well rotted-manure. In the storing of manure, however, to get it well rotted considerable losses of plant food occur unless the manure pile is properly packed.

If the quickest returns are not wanted following the application of the manure to the soil, then the manure may be added in the fresh condition. If this is done in warm

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weather the manure should be ploughed in as soon as possible after application. The total plant food materials present in the manure will thus be added to the soil where they will be prepared by the soil bacteria for use by the growing crops.

The main objections to putting fresh manure on the land are: First, it is not always convenient to do so; Second, weed seeds may be numerous in the fresh manure, consequently a heavy weed crop may be expected; Third, its action is not so rapid as in the case of well rotted manure, but it is active over a longer period.

Where manure is to be stored in piles or pits until it is ripened, or until it is convenient to use, then the greatest care is necessary to prevent losses of plant food materials from it.

In the first place the bottom of the pile or pit should be impervious to water so that leachings from the pile will not occur. Second, it is well to have a layer of old, well-rotted manure at the bottom. Third, the manure as it is piled up should be moist but not wet. These precautions apply more particularly to horse manure, which is loose and comparatively dry. Unless this is kept well packed and moist, loss by fire fangling is certain. This is an oxidation process, or fermentation, set going by certain species of bacteria in the manure. If cow or pig manure is available it should be mixed with the horse manure in the pile, as these are very wet and compact and will give a good consistency to the whole mass. The main things to be remembered are: First, prevent leaching; Second, keep it well packed down and moist.

TIMBER DOES NOT INCREASE IN MATURE FORESTS

Our Canadian grandfathers, many of them, held every tree an enemy, and spent their lives harrrying them with fire and axe. Some of their grandchildren hold that man an enemy who cuts down any tree in any place. The attitude is in both cases illogical. If a tree is worth more than anything else that will grow on a particular piece of land, then it should be protected till it is mature; and on the other hand there is no virtue in abstaining for ten years from cutting down a mature forest in the hope that the quantity of timber will be greater at the end than at the beginning of that time. It has been ascertained by foresters that in mature forests the gain from the growth of the younger trees is offset by the loss through the death and decay of the older trees. A mature forest ought to be cut down and marketed, but if the land is not favorable to grow agricultural crops, provision should be made for bringing on a new crop of trees, and to protect that crop from fire and insects. To do this economically is the work of the forest engineer, that representative of the new profession to which so many young Canadians are turning.

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DISCOVERS A NEW FOREST PRODUCT

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SUMMER CARE OF ROSES

Keep the surface of the beds continually loose; this retains the moisture and makes watering unnecessary except in the driest part of the summer.

When watering roses, lay the hose down on the bed and let it get thoroughly soaked. Water the plants thoroughly early in the morning or in the evening. This is better than light sprinkling more frequently. Spraying water on the leaves each day in the evening or early morning will help to remove dust and knock off the insects.

For summer fertilizing, manure and bonemeal are the two best fertilizers, the manure applied as a mulch in midsummer.

Suckers, which grow from the roots of budded plants, should be removed below the surface of the soil when they appear, as they will exhaust the vitality of the plant and often kill it. They have a different appearance from the normal branches of the rosebush. There are usually more parts to the leaf of the suckers, the thorns will be finer, and the branches will have a different color.—Ohio State University.

TWO AVIATORS DROWN AFTER COLLIDING

Washington, June 22—Two of the leading fliers of the United States army air service, Captain Howard T. Douglas and Lieutenant Marll J. Plumb, were drowned in Chesapeake Bay, today, after a collision of their planes in the course of a bombing raid directed at the hull of the old battleship San Marcos off Tangier Island.

Reports received by the War Department from Langley Field, Va., said the accident was one of the most peculiar on record. Lieutenant Plumb, flying a fast single-seat plane, was dropping bombs and Captain Douglas, in a similar machine, was observing the raid from above. Plumb's plane had just dropped a bomb and was climbing upward as is the custom after releasing the weapon when it struck Captain Douglas' machine cutting off its tail.

N. S. WOMAN KILLS SELF ON RAILROAD

Boston, June 22—The body of Miss Philomena de Long, aged forty years, lately a lodger at 106 Pembroke St., South End, was found yesterday beheaded, upon the tracks of the Boston & Albany R. R. at Cottage Farm bridge. She had ended her life after a period of illness.

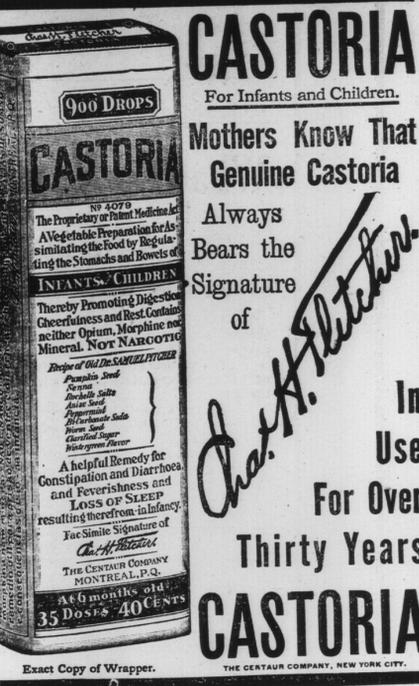
Mrs. Louise C. Loomis, who conducts a lodging house in Brookline, notified the Brookline police that Miss de Long had been missing from her room all night, and she feared she had committed suicide, because she had been ill and worried. Mrs. Loomis later identified the body.

Miss de Long was a Nova Scotian and formerly a Baptist missionary in China.

A LOST AIRPLANE!

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., June 21—Caught by one end of a shad net, three miles north of here, in the Hudson River, is what fishermen believe may be a lost airplane. The object has not been raised to the surface, but attempts to do this will be made tomorrow.

Residents of this city think the object may be the airplane of Capt. M. R. James, Canadian aviator, who was lost in 1919, and for whom a search was made in this section.



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