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NO KNOWN CURE FOR BLACKHEAD

Ailment Caused by Parasite, and Is Characterized by Great Sores in Caeca.

PREVENTIVE MEASURES BEST

On Farms Where an Outbreak Has Occurred All Birds Not Affected Should Be Sold for Meat—Disinfect Premises.

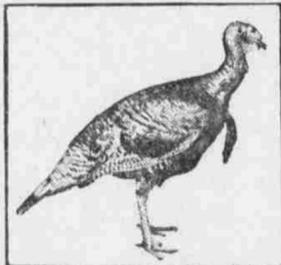
Blackhead in turkeys is caused by a parasite and is characterized by great sores in the caeca (blind intestines) and liver. This microscopic parasite causes irritations, destruction of the tissues, and nearly always the death of the affected turkeys.

The characteristic symptoms of the disease are as follows: The loss of appetite and tendency of affected birds to stand apart from the rest of the flock is common. When the intestines are severely affected the birds have diarrhea and the droppings are liquid and stained orange yellow; this is a characteristic symptom. Diseased birds are frequently found dead under the roosts.

Means of Diagnosis. The only sure means of diagnosis, however, is by post-mortem examination of a bird that has recently died. The bird should be cut open to expose the internal organs, and the liver and caeca examined. The presence of large sores in the substance of the liver and the caecal walls is sufficient evidence for a diagnosis. The caecal sores may vary from a single point to a large seab covering nearly all the lining of both caeca. The liver is very much enlarged and the sores on it are two-fifths to three-fifths of an inch in diameter.

At the present time there is no known cure for this disease and the only means by which it can be controlled is by preventive measures. On farms where an outbreak has occurred, all the turkeys which have not come down with the disease should be marketed for meat and not sold for breeding. Nor should eggs from an infected flock be used for hatching. It would be well not to attempt to restock a farm with turkeys for several months; and not until a thorough disinfection of the premises has been made, by exposing the ground to the hot summer sun and by the liberal use of freshly slaked lime in the poultry houses, roosting places, and feeding pens.

Make Fresh Start. A fresh start may be made by hatching turkey eggs under hens, or



Healthy and Vigorous Tom.

by obtaining fresh breeding stock from a non-infected district.

It is recommended that turkey raising be conducted on dry, sandy, well-drained lands, since blackhead seems to be prevented in large part by dryness of the surroundings.

IMPROVEMENT OF CORN CROP

Little Extra Care in Selecting, Curing and Testing Seed Will Increase Net Profit.

Extra care in selecting, curing, testing and grading the seed corn will do much to improve the stand and yield of corn, thus saving labor, reducing cost per bushel and increasing net profit per bushel. It requires the same labor to manure, to plow, to disk, to harrow, to plant and to cultivate a 40 per cent stand as is required for an 80 per cent or a 100 per cent stand.

KEEP EVERY TOOL IN PLACE

Practice of Keeping Bolts and Screws of All Kinds Mixed Together Is Not Good Plan.

Farm tools and materials should be kept in their proper places. If they all haven't a place, one should be provided for each. Do not keep all sizes of bolts and screws mixed together in a single receptacle, but fit up suitable boxes or bins, properly marked, so that the supplies may be accessible on short notice.

OPERATION OF DISK PLOWS

Better Work in Hard Soils When Sharp—Have Narrow Carriage in Working in Orchard.

A sharp disk plow insures good work in hard soils and rolls better. Self-lift disk plows save labor and do better work. For work in the orchard, disk plows should have a narrow carriage, and the operating levers should be low so as not to catch limbs of the trees.

SKIMMILK FED CALF TO GOOD ADVANTAGE

Change From Whole Milk Should Be Made Gradually.

Amount of Meal to Be Given Depends on Size of Animal—Encourage Youngsters to Take Hay and Grain at an Early Age.

Many times a farmer selling milk has a surplus which he runs through the separator. This provides a limited amount of skimmilk which can be fed to calves to good advantage. In such case the milk in the ration can be gradually changed from whole milk to skimmilk at the end of two or three weeks by substituting an equal amount of skimmilk for each portion of whole milk removed, according to W. W. Swett of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. A complete substitution can be effected in a week or ten days, at which time a good,



Teaching Calf to Drink, Showing Two Fingers in Mouth.

healthy calf should be receiving about six quarts a day. In case the supply of milk is irregular it is well to have on hand a supply of skimmilk powder, which can be mixed with water at the rate of one pound to every nine pounds of water. This can be fed the same as the whole or skimmilk.

When the calf is started on calf meal the amount to be added varies with the size of the calf and the brand of meal. Directions included with the meal should be followed very carefully. In almost every case, the recommendations are to mix the meal with either hot or cold water in sufficient amounts to make a thick, pasty gruel. This is stirred carefully to remove all lumps and then diluted with boiling water. The gruel is usually added to the skimmilk and fed at approximately blood temperature. It should never be fed cooler than 95 degrees Fahrenheit and should be given at the same temperature every day. A thermometer is necessary; "guess work" has no place in calf feeding. The amount of skimmilk should be gradually decreased and the amount of calf-meal gruel increased. At the end of six weeks the milk can be discontinued. At this time the calf may be taught to eat the dry meal from a feed box if small quantities are rubbed on its nose after it has finished drinking. Feed the dry meal regularly and in small quantities so that none will be left in the feed box to spoil. Give just what the calf will readily eat, and develop the appetite slowly. The gruel can be continued until the calf is four months old and perhaps somewhat longer if desired.

It is always advisable to get the calves to take hay and grain at as early an age as possible. They will usually begin when three or four weeks old if given the opportunity. The early development of this habit helps greatly when calves are taken off the calf-milk ration, for they are already taking liberal quantities of hay and grain and the change to this ration alone will be gradual. The calves will not suffer such a serious "set-back" as they might otherwise experience. For the first six to eight weeks the hay fed should be a fine grade of timothy or a coarse alfalfa or mixed hay. Fine alfalfa hay is so palatable that the young calf will eat too much. Either feed a coarse hay or limit the amount of hay which the calf can get. After this time alfalfa may be fed liberally in safety.

BEST PACKAGES FOR MARKET

Forms and Sizes of Receptacles for Fruits and Vegetables to Be Worked Out.

What are your ideas about forms and sizes of packages for the marketing of fruits and vegetables? Better give them to the Bureau of Markets, Washington, D. C. This whole proposition will be worked out before long and all of us want standard packages that will prove satisfactory.

FARM POULTRY

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS

First Step in Organization Usually Is to Get Support of Business Men of Community.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Poultry-breeding associations are usually the outgrowth of pioneer work in organizing boys and girls into poultry clubs or of repeated efforts to interest producers in better poultry methods. In some instances, however, leaders in communities have expressed their desire to make an effort to establish for themselves a business or side line that will add to their incomes as individuals and likewise increase the property of the community.

In such promising localities, the first step in organization usually is to get the support of local business men. In small towns many business men own farms and consequently are interested in agriculture, which in turn benefits the various lines of business. At the same time their assistance is helpful in financing the association. In fact this is frequently accomplished by inducing the business men's association to contribute a suitable fund for standard-bred stock which is to be distributed among the farmers who join the association. Co-operation of that kind is usually obtained easily if the business men are shown the advantages of the organization and how the increased prosperity eventually will benefit them.

Another plan that has proved to be satisfactory in Overton county, Tenn., is direct financial assistance from the banks. In this case the banks advanced \$1,000 to be invested in breeding pens through the co-operation of the poultry club agent and the county agricultural agent. Each pen consisted of ten hens or pullets and a male bird which cost on an average \$2.50 a bird. The pens were placed with club members in the various communities. Each person who received a pen guaranteed to return, after the first year, 20 fowls in payment for the original ten hens or pullets furnished him. Those 20 standard-bred fowls, together with two selected male birds, were divided into two pens and the next year



Club Members Dusting a Hen With Insect Powder.

were given under the same conditions to two additional club members. One of the requirements of the plan was the continuance of this "endless-chain" system for five years, or until every member possessed at least one pen of standard-bred fowls. Thus the original pens have been multiplied by many hundreds, and the entire county has become well stocked with one breed of fowls.

CONDITION OF LAYING FOWL

Body of Hen is Deeper in Rear Than at Front of Keel—Pelvic Bones Well Spread.

A hen that is laying has an enlarged abdomen, due to the enlarged intestines, ovary and oviduct. The body is deeper in the rear than at the front of the keel. The condition is reversed when a hen stops laying. The pelvic bones are well spread in the laying hen. As production decreases the ear lobes contract.

MINERAL ELEMENTS FOR HEN

It Pays to Burn Refuse and Brush Heaps Near Poultry Range for Bits of Charcoal.

Hens seem to obtain certain mineral elements that they crave from wood or coal ashes and it pays to burn refuse and brush heaps near the poultry range so that the birds can clean up the ashes and bits of charcoal that remain after the fire.

FAVOR STANDARD-BRED FOWL

Once Taken Up by Farmer He Will Never Go Back to Mongrel or Crossbred Poultry.

When a farmer discards his mongrel or crossbred poultry and takes up standard-bred fowls he never goes back to the poorer stock, because he finds standard-bred birds more satisfactory and more profitable.

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Transportation in Palestine. Crossing the Dead sea proved no easy task in a land where commerce is at a standstill, and transportation facilities are virtually nil. A Red Cross engineer who recently returned from Palestine tells how it was done.

"It was necessary to carry a boat from Jaffa, on the seacoast, to Jerusalem in order to cross the Dead sea to Jericho to get grain to take back to Jaffa. This journey of something more than 120 miles was over an almost impassible terrain, some of it lowlands, hundreds of feet below sea level, and much of it rugged, mountainous country. The Dead sea itself is 1,000 feet below sea level.

"This is typical of transport difficulties all over Palestine."

In Quite Too Many. Speech was given man to conceal his thoughts, but it was a needless precaution in many cases.—Boston Transcript.

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