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## SOME FOAL DISEASES

**Two Stomach Troubles That Try the Youngsters.**

**Acute Indigestion And Its Treatment—Cause, Symptoms and Treatment of Gastric Impaction—Stomach Stalks—It's a Great Feeding.**

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

**Acute Indigestion.**

This trouble is frequently seen at seeding time, during the rush of spring work when the brood mares that are nursing young foals are required to labor in the field. The mare becomes overheated at work and may be away from the foal for five or six hours. When she comes in at noon or night and the colt is given opportunity to nurse, conditions are not normal in that there is an overabundance of milk, or more milk than is good for a hungry colt at one time, and the milk is also probably altered somewhat due to the overheating of the body during labor in the field. The colt is permitted to nurse and after a few days of such practice, develops dyspepsia. The disease usually takes the form of a diarrhoea. The colt becomes dull, may have abdominal pain, lies down a great deal of the time, loses appetite, may be noticed grinding its teeth, or with purulent discharge from the eyes.

Prevention is the most desirable course, and this disorder can be kept down by creating normal conditions for the mare and foal. If the mare must work, care should be taken not to overheat her in harness, and not to keep her away from the foal for more than three or four hours. If her udder is distended and painful, milk part of the contents away by hand before permitting the colt to nurse. The sanitary conditions about the stable or lot should be the best, and the food that is being given to the mare should be such as to promote a normal, healthy milk flow.

Treatment—If there is a competent, graduate veterinary practitioner available, it is advisable to call him. If there is no veterinary assistance available, the following treatment can be given. Give a small dose of calomel, and follow with an intestinal antiseptic. If diarrhoea continues, it should be checked by giving tincture of opium or chlorodyne and castor oil. Brandy and eggs, or milk and eggs can be given frequently and in small amounts until conditions are normal. Water is very important; but see that it is warm.

**Gastric Impaction.**  
What killed the colt? A number of foals are lost each year in every district through gastric impaction, a disorder occurring during the first week following weaning in foals that are weaned too young. The foal's stomach has been dealing with milk pretty much during the first three months and it has not developed a condition that will permit of the successful handling of coarse feeds. The colt that is weaned too early in life is at a disadvantage. It has depended upon its mother for the greater part of its food and also protection. If suddenly deprived of its mother, the colt gets quite a shock. It may not have learned to drink and feed by itself, and may not know the whereabouts of the feed and water supply. Colts that have been with their stable fed dams usually know the ways of the stable. But the colt that has run out in the pasture field with its mother all its life has not had an opportunity of such experience, and consequently is at a loss when suddenly taken from the field, transferred to the stable and separated from its mother. The colt after separation is excited and may fret for a few days, refusing feed, or eating and not drinking.

Symptoms, which usually occur four or five days after weaning. The colt may lie down a good deal of the time, grunts, becomes restless, showing pain, lies down and gets up bowels irregular, some distention of flank, pain evidenced on touching region of stomach, temperature may be sub-normal at start and increasing later, becomes sleepy and stupid, staggers gait. Post mortem shows the stomach to be full, much enlarged, walls thin and pale in color and the contents a doughy mass.

Treatment—If the case has reached a point of development where the colt is sleepy, stupid and staggers in gait, little can be done. The earliest stages can be relieved by the application of mustard, hot blanket, or amoniacal liniment to the abdomen of the colt, warm enemas given. Encourage colt to drink by putting salt on back of mouth. Give hay tea, strong coffee, hypophosphate of soda and abundant warm water. Purgatives are of little use. Friction to kneading the abdomen gives some relief. Water is very important. The weaning of colts should be gradual, and not until the colt is well versed in the ways of feeding and the whereabouts of feed. A little attention given to the colt a month ahead of the time that it is decided to separate it from its mother will save considerable trouble later.

**The Sunflower Stalks.**  
The pith of sunflower stalks is said to be the lightest vegetable substance. Dried sunflower pith is in fact ten times lighter than cork. In central Russia where the plant is extensively cultivated, every part of the plant is put to some use. The pith in particular is carefully removed from the stalk and used in making life saving appliances.

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Did you ever look at a man in the eye who was talking about something you knew all about and you said "What is the feeling and the measure that comes to one who is keeping books and knows what he is doing?"

## Here and There

Passengers aboard the Canadian Pacific Empress of Scotland were not deprived of visiting China on the present round-the-world cruise of this ship, on account of the recent trouble in that country. Word from the cruise director is to the effect that the passengers received a warm welcome at Shanghai and that the Chinese were most friendly.

A new Canadian bird, the "turkey hen," has made its appearance. It is a cross between a turkey and a Rhode Island hen, and was first brought to public attention at the Edmonton poultry show. George Spurgess, who raised it, claims that it will effect a revolution in the poultry business, as it combines the best features of the hen and the turkey. It has a hen body and a turkey head.

His Majesty King George and H.R.H. the Prince of Wales have notified the British section of the World's Poultry Congress that they intend to exhibit poultry at the congress exhibition to be held in Ottawa from July 27 to August 4 next. There is also a possibility of the Queen of the Netherlands and King Alfonso of Spain sending exhibits, in which case the Canadian capital will be the first city in the world privileged to house the exhibits of several royal flocks.

The Indians of the three prairie provinces last season produced approximately 1,000,000 bushels of grain, of which about half, or 499,000 bushels was wheat, according to a recent government report. There are about 35,000 Indians in the area in question and the portions reserved for their use include some of the most fertile land of the west. They had 97,000 acres of land under cultivation in 1926 and they own about 25,000 head of cattle and 35,000 horses of a good type.

Warren Cordingley of Ashton, Idaho, won the 85-mile dog race from Calgary to Banff held recently in connection with the Banff annual Winter Carnival. The race was one of the hardest fought in the history of these events. Cordingley's lead dog broke down and was carried to the finish line on the sled. The Mills' team, of Banff, picked to win the race, was attacked by town dogs near Calgary. Both driver and dogs were badly bitten but stuck to the trail and finished.

Applications for permits to develop hydro power in Western Ontario and Northern Manitoba are on a scale that represents an ultimate volume of 5,000,000 horse-power, indicating the industrial growth that the territory is achieving. These range all the way from the Lake of the Woods country to the basin of the Nelson River, and relate to pulp and paper mills, mining plants, civic hydro promotion and transportation projects.

During 1927 more than 6,000 Hungarians will emigrate to Canada, according to Albert de Hayden, Hungarian Consul-General of Canada, who is here on business in connection with the 6,000 countrymen who came to Canada last year. "My investigations have shown," he said, "that on the average the newly arrived Hungarians are doing fairly well despite the fact that this is a dull time of the year in farming and to a lesser extent in industrial plants."

"If they can pitch ball as well as they can snowball, they would be some team; they sure can send some stingers," was the comment of one of the Calgary Scouts as he dug himself out of a concentrated volley of snowballs that the Westminster Scouts had placed on various parts of his body and face, when the Calgary boys tried to enfilade the choristers in a snow battle staged near the C.P.R. station. It was the culmination of a program arranged for the Scout choristers during the visit to Calgary recently of the Westminster Boys' Choir.



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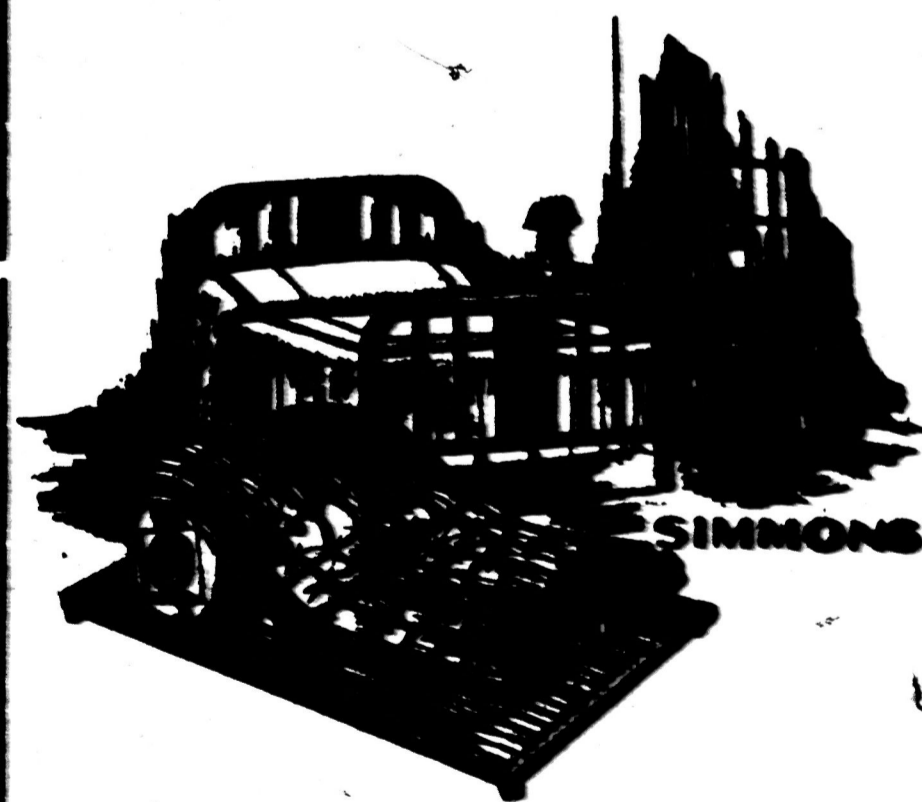
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