

# FARM STOCK

## TUBERCULOSIS OF HOG HERE

Sanitary Lot and Clean Feed Are Enemies of This Disease—Slow in Its Development.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Tuberculosis is rapidly increasing among hogs in the United States, and every owner of swine should be on his guard against the introduction of this serious malady upon his premises. Unlike hog cholera this disease is insidious in its attack and slow in its development, so that it may be present for months in a herd without exciting the least suspicion of the owner, and will be revealed to him only at the time of slaughter. Until recent years tuberculosis has been looked upon as of an uncommon occurrence and only of importance from a meat-inspection standpoint; but today it must be recognized as a serious menace to the owner of hogs, and especially to the one who allows his hogs to run with cattle that have not been proved to be free of tuberculosis, or who feeds them upon nonsterilized products as part of their ration. As tuberculosis of hogs is chiefly contracted through eating infected feed, the importance of this statement is obvious.

Tuberculosis of hogs is closely associated with the same disease in cattle the reason being apparent when one considers the close relations of these two species of animals upon nearly every farm. Tuberculous cattle may scatter great numbers of tubercle bacilli with their excrement; cows that are tuberculous may produce contaminated milk that is subsequently fed to pigs; and carcasses of cattle that have died from tuberculosis are sometimes eaten by hogs.

The feeding of hogs upon creamery refuse is also a very frequent source of infection. In this way the milk of a single cow with a tuberculous udder, if sent to a public creamery, may spread the disease to a number of hogs, and may also infect many farms that have never previously been contaminated with tuberculosis.

An equally dangerous source of infection is likewise observed in the methods which obtain among some of the small country slaughter houses. It is not unusual for these houses to get rid of their blood, intestines, viscera, and other inedible parts by feeding them to hogs, a herd of which is usually kept on the premises. This custom is pregnant with danger and serves to perpetuate the infectious principle of various contagious and parasitic diseases, particularly tuberculosis.

Hogs are also susceptible to tuberculous infection from affected persons and poultry, but these sources are un-



A Well-Constructed Hog House—Provision Has Been Made for Good Ventilation and Sunlight.

doubtedly of far less moment to the hog owner than those existing in a herd of tuberculous cattle.

Intestinal worms, lung worms, and skin parasites also levy a burdensome tax upon the profits of hog raising. Absolute cleanliness will be found valuable in preventing and controlling these parasitic troubles, as well as the more serious diseases—hog cholera and tuberculosis.

### LABOR REQUIRED BY SHEEP

While Continuous It Is Not Heavy—Can Well Be Performed by Boy Incapable of Hard Work.

While the labor required by sheep raising is continuous, it is not heavy, and if properly supervised and made interesting by financial return can well be performed by boys incapable of other kinds of farm work. This fact should be given consideration in many sections where farm labor is scarce.

### IMPORTANCE OF FARM TEAMS

Unless Animals Are Properly Cared For and Fed They Are Unfit for Hard Work.

The teams are far more important in war farming than is generally believed. Unless the teams are properly fed and cared for they will not be able to do good work. Every farmer should take pains to care for his team and get them in the best possible condition.

## ANOTHER VICTORY

By MARGARET HOLMES

"That's a yellow perch, Sally, that one is." The old man, Sally's grandfather, dropped a squirming fish into the boat, stuck a stubby forefinger into a tomato can at his feet, scooped up a long, wriggling worm and proceeded to drape it upon the fish hook.

It was a June evening, between sunset and dusk. The girl sitting beside the aged man in the boat looked troubled. For a few moments she watched the yellow perch flopping about at her feet, then gingerly she lifted it and slipped it back into the water.

"Why do water lilies close their petals when the sun goes down, grandfather?" she asked.

The old man, fumbling with the bait and hook, ignored her question.

"A dead worm ain't much temptation to fish," he soliloquized; "always put the bait on so it covers the hook, an' always leave a bit of the worm wriggling at the ends."

He cast the line again, and the girl watched it as it went quivering out toward the shining green leaves of the lily pads.

"That's all he thinks about," she thought, "that and the price of lumber."

"The trouble with grandfather is," she reflected, "that he has a pile of money and he doesn't know how to spend it, and people call him the 'Lumber King,' and he thinks that he is some kind of a monarch who knows it all, and, really, he doesn't know hardly anything. I guess he has a lot to learn about—about some things."

A bunch of limp water lilies lay in the girl's lap, and she lifted them to her face.

"He forgets," she confided to the lilies, "that I am 20. He thinks that because I am ill he has, and because, some day, I'll be very rich, and because that away back in '49 he and Ned's grandfather had a quarrel—he thinks because of all that—that Ned—Ned Burrett—is not good enough for me. He won't allow me to see Ned; he opens every letter that comes into the house, and ever since Ned returned from France, a week ago, grandfather doesn't let me out of his sight. He just hates the Burrett, and the fact that the Burrett are the very nicest people, and that Ned has covered himself and his family with glory and has come home decorated—decorated with ever so many medals—that fact impresses my grandfather not at all. He simply—"

Her eyes had caught a swirl on the water, a whip of the tautened line as it swung upward, and then, high up in the air, another sight caught and held the young rebellious eyes. It was the sight of a huge flying thing.

"Look, look, grandfather, look at the airplane!"

The fish upon the line was forgotten. The wary old eyes of Sam Densmore were beholding a new, strange thing.

The big plane had begun to swoop lower, lower it came, droning like a million bees.

"Looks as if it was comin' down in my meadow," the old man looked perplexed. "You go up to the house, Sally an'—an' I'll go an' see."

With a few strokes Sam Densmore beached the boat and scrambled out. Through a tangle of cedar and swamp-oak he took a short cut to the meadow.

Sally, her eyes shining now, tripped along toward the house. Now and then she laughed and kissed the lilies in her hand. From the veranda she watched the two men standing in the meadow below.

For a long time she watched them, her heart pounding and a prayer upon her lips. Then, when it was almost dark, she saw them climb the hill together, and she went out to meet them, for she knew that a gallant young officer had won another victory.

### Chinese Trees Like Ours.

Separated by 8,000 miles of ocean and 4,000 miles of land, the eastern part of North America and the forest areas of China present some striking resemblances in vegetation. According to the Journal of Heredity, three species of forest trees that grow wild in both China and the United States, but nowhere else, are particularly noteworthy. They are the tulip poplar (*Liriodendron* sp.), the sassafras (*Sassafras* sp.) and the hickory (*Carya* sp.). It has been decided by geologists that China and America were at one time united by land. Hence the trees just mentioned probably grew continuously from China to the eastern United States, with differences between different localities no greater than those now to be found between various parts of the United States. When the land connection was severed conditions were such that the trees became centered in the eastern part of this country and in parts of China where the climatic conditions were similar. The growth was henceforth discontinuous, broken by the Pacific ocean and the arid plains of the far West. Under such conditions, the Chinese and American species, although far apart, have remained virtually identical through hundreds of generations.—Youth's Companion.

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### Teach by Example.

It is easier to show other people their duty than to do our own. Moreover, there are many eager to teach who are not willing to practice. Exhortations are more plentiful than examples, but they are never so powerful.

## Wanted

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Helpful Sympathy. She was slowly recovering from a long illness, but still too weak for the trip downtown to a hairdresser for the much-needed shampoo. At last a maid was found who would come to the house. During the drying process she made the startling discovery of the first gray hairs. The convalescent's grief was so intense that the maid, striving to comfort, said: "Law, lady, what if you had to wear one of them transmissions on your head!"

Life of Candle Flame. Laboratory experiments conducted of late have shown that a candle flame will become extinguished when the oxygen content of the atmosphere in which it is burning falls to about 45 per cent. Sulphur stops burning when all but 13.5 per cent of the oxygen in an enclosed space has been exhausted. The case of charcoal, however, is notable. Combustion continues until only 9 per cent of the oxygen remains.

Unreasonable Man. "As your husband," protested Mr Meekton, "I think you ought to show me some respectful consideration." "I do," replied his wife. "If you weren't my husband I shouldn't think of inviting you to my parties."—Town Topics.

Indispensable but Undesirable. What is that which I have not which I do not wish to have, and yet if I had it I would not part with it for anything?—A bald head.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Daily Thought. Progress is the law of life, man is not man as yet.—Robert Browning.

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No. 1665 NOTICE OF CHANGE OF BOUNDARIES BETWEEN THE ALLIANCE AND BROKEN BOW LAND DISTRICTS IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA.

Notice is hereby given that the President of the United States, by Executive Order of April 8, 1919, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2253 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, and by virtue of the authority therein given, directed that:

Township twenty-six north, of ranges 17 to 24 west, inclusive, and townships twenty-seven to thirty-five north, of ranges seventeen to forty west, inclusive be detached from the Broken Bow land district and attached to and made a part of the Alliance land district in the State of Nebraska and the business and archives pertaining to said lands transferred to the land office at Alliance.

The change of boundaries above indicated will take effect on July 1, 1919, and the Register and Receiver of the land office at Broken Bow, Nebraska, will transact no business pertaining to the lands referred to after June 30, 1919.

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Something of an Earmark. A German was summoned to identify a stolen hog. On being asked by the lawyer if the hog had any earmarks, he replied: "The only earmarks dot I saw was his tail vas cut off."

His Versatility. Many a man who boasts he can turn his hand to anything has also a genius for putting his foot in it.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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