

SIGNS AND HABITS OF HEALTH IN HORSES

Attitude.—Stands with feet flat on ground, limbs placed evenly side by side with equal bearing and weight on each. The horse occasionally "stands at ease" by resting the hind limbs alternately; the joints are partly flexed, the fetlock is knuckled, the heel raised and the toe rests lightly on the ground. The fore limbs are never so rested in health.

Rests at night and during the day when undisturbed by lying down with the knees and hocks flexed and the body inclining slightly to one side. Rises by raising the forequarters first, then gathers the hind limbs under the body and springs to the upright position. Gait even and rhythmic movement of limbs and even distribution of weight.

Coat.—Sleek, flat, glossy and even (no harness marks) when groomed; greasy to the touch when not.

Skin.—Supple and loose to handle; clean and free from scurf when groomed; scurf when ungroomed. Pigmented (black) in most horses. Equable warmth and sensibility to touch all over.

Ears.—Mobile, alert, and evenly pricked.

Eyes.—Eyeball bright and glistening, without excess of moisture or tears; sensitive to touch or approach of finger. Pupil transparent, in shape oval or oblong, with rounded ends; sensitive to light contracting in a bright light and dilating in darkness. White of eye (sclerotic coat) clear, even white; not bloodshot or tinged with yellow or other color. Haze of the eye and conjunctiva (lining of eyelids), carnation red, and moist. Eyelids mobile and sensitive.

Lips.—Mobile, dry, smooth, velvety and sensitive to the touch.

Nostrils.—Dry, except for an occasional drop of moisture below the tear duct.

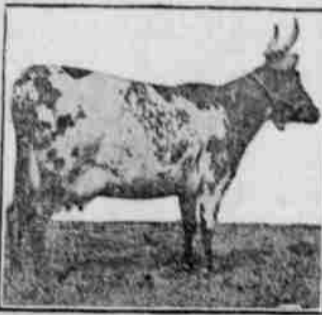
Mouth.—Lining dull pink color, moist and free from clamminess.

Teeth.—Incisors free from chipping or signs of wear, except on nipping surface; molars, even grinding sur-

ABOUT MILK FEVER.

Symptoms, Prevention and Cure of This Disease.

Milk fever is invariably confined to the improved and high producing cows. The causes of this disease are due to the high production of milk and to calving, and the symptoms are very easily determined, says Board's Dairyman. Usually there is a sudden loss of voluntary movement and dullness and hanging of the head in the stall. When the cow attempts to move her steps are unsteady and she often staggers. She will not notice her calf or her feed. In time she becomes so weak that she falls and is unable to rise. Her head is usually thrown to her side. The animal may become so bad that she will lie on her side with her head extended. The animal becomes numb, and pricking



The general appearance of an Ayrshire as you look at her is striking, being alert and full of life and reserved energy. She is a healthy cow, rarely having ailments of body and udder, and you seldom see an Ayrshire cow that has four healthy quarters in her udder and gives a uniform quantity of milk from each. She is a very persistent milker, giving a uniform quantity well up toward calving, and many of them are dried off with difficulty. As a dairy cow she is particularly adapted to the production of milk for the milkman and for table use, as her medium size, vigorous appetite and easy keeping qualities make her an economical producer, while her even, uniform production makes her a reliable supply. The Ayrshire cow shown is McCallister's Betty. She has a record of 14,208 pounds of milk and 590 pounds of butter fat as a three-year-old.

the skin with a good steel pin brings no response. The breathing is quicker and becomes more or less violent as the case advances.

Since the discovery of the air treatment for milk fever dairymen are little concerned about this once dreaded disease. It is prudent for any dairyman to have instruments always ready for the purpose of giving the air treatment, which is very simple and can be performed by any one in a few moments.

When it is observed that a cow is suffering from milk fever her teats should be thoroughly washed with soap and water and rinsed, especially the ends, with a solution of coal tar product, such as zenoleum, lysol, etc. A piece of heavy sheeting, which has been placed in a hot oven for a short time, should be placed under the udder. The instrument used for inflating the udder with air should be placed in boiling water for a few minutes. Care should be taken not to place the fingers on the portion of the tube to be inserted in the end of the teat. Infection is likely to follow, unless care is taken to thoroughly sterilize the portion of the instrument that is inserted in the teat and to keep the teats from coming in contact with the bedding or dirt of the stable after they are thoroughly washed and disinfected.

Each quarter of the udder should be inflated with air, and to keep it in the udder small rubber bands or tape may be wound about each teat. As a rule, in an hour or two the animal will recover sufficiently to rise and will have a desire to eat. If she does not the treatment should be repeated in two or three hours.

The air treatment is almost a positive cure for milk fever, but there is danger of infecting the udder unless care is taken to thoroughly sterilize the instrument used for inflating the udder with air and the teats before starting to inflate the udder.

Rest the Milk Maker.

A cow should have at least six weeks vacation between milking periods. If she is milked constantly she will not last long.

THE FARM DOCTOR.

Overheated Horse.—Clip the horse and work him only in the cool of the morning and evening. Do not feed any bulky food at noon, and do not feed corn in summer.

Ringbone.—If a fore foot is involved unweaving will be necessary, as other treatment rarely removes the lameness. If it is a hind pastern have a puncture fired and blistered by a veterinarian and then allow six weeks' rest in stall.

Thrush.—Cut away all loose and underrun horn of the sole and frog and clean out the cleft of the frog. Then pack with camolene once a day, and use calcium or cotton pledgets to keep it in place. Keep the stable floor perfectly clean and dry.

Warts on Tent.—Twist out any wart that has a narrow base. Then stop bleeding by lightly applying a red hot iron. Rub all other warts twice daily with the best cold pressed castor oil, and they will gradually disappear.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Central Oregon Agricultural Association will be held in Prineville, Oregon, on the 20th day of February 1912, for the purpose of considering the advisability of disposing of certain real estate belonging to the association. A full attendance is desired. 2-8-12 J. F. CABLE, Secretary. Prineville, Oregon, Feb. 2nd, 1912

Notice of School District Bond Sale

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the County Treasurer of the County of Crook, State of Oregon, that, pursuant to an order of the Board of Directors of School District No. 81, of Crook County, Oregon, he will sell for the best price obtainable \$1000 six per cent bonds of said district on or after the 29th day of February, 1912, at the office of the County Treasurer in Prineville, Oregon.

For further information, apply to the Board of Directors of said district. Dated this 8th day of February, 1912. RALPH L. JORDAN, County Treasurer of Crook County, Oregon.

Notice of School District Bond Sale

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the County Treasurer of the County of Crook, State of Oregon, that, pursuant to an order of the Board of Directors of School District No. 83, of Crook County, Oregon, he will sell for the best price obtainable \$500 six per cent bonds of said district on or after the 29th day of February, 1912, at the office of the County Treasurer in Prineville, Oregon.

For further information, apply to the Board of Directors of said district. Dated this 8th day of February, 1912. R. L. JORDAN, County Treas.

Call for County Warrants.

Scalp bounty warrants up to and including No. 813 are called for payment. Interest stops on this date. R. L. JORDAN, County Treasurer. Dated this 1st day of February, 1912.

Notice of the Sale of Real Estate by Administrator.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of sale of the County Court of the County of Crook, State of Oregon, made on the 3rd day of January, 1912, in the matter of the estate of J. W. McGonagill, deceased, the undersigned administrator of said estate will sell at private sale subject to the confirmation of the said court from and after the 10th day of February, 1912, all the right, title, interest and estate of said J. W. McGonagill at the time of his death, and all of the right, title and interest the said estate may have acquired other than or in addition to that of the said J. W. McGonagill at the time of his death or subsequent thereto, in all that part or portion of land situated in the county of Crook, Oregon, and more particularly described as follows to-wit: The west half (1/2) of the west half (1/2) of section twenty four (24) in township fifteen (15) south of range twelve (12) east of the Willamette Meridian, in Crook County, Oregon, and all in one parcel.

Terms and conditions of said sale, cash in gold coin of the United States 5 per cent of purchase price to be paid on day of sale and the balance upon the confirmation of sale by said court. Dated this 11th day of January 1912 and published for the first time on the 11th day of January, 1912, and date of last publication February 15th, 1912. G. W. RAMSBEY, Administrator of the estate of J. W. McGonagill, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of John C. Tucker, deceased, that he has made and filed with the clerk of the County Court, his final account of his administration of said estate and that the County Court has set Monday, the 5th day of March, 1912, at the County Court room in Prineville, Oregon as the time and place for hearing and settling said final account. At which said time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and object to said final account. Dated this 1st day of Feb. 1912. J. A. PECK, Administrator of the estate of John C. Tucker, deceased.

Sheriff's Sale.

On Execution in Foreclosure, In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Crook. Ralph Porfily, plaintiff, vs. Ollie L. Ellefson and Nellie B. Ellefson, defendants.

To the sheriff of Crook county, Greeting: Whereas, on the 19th day of Oct., 1911, in the above named court, a judgment was rendered in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants for Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 9th day of Feb., 1909, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fee, and the further sum of Fifteen Dollars costs which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the clerk's office of said court in said county on the 19th day of Oct., 1911.

And whereas, it was further ordered and decreed by the court that the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen in township fifteen south of range sixteen east of Willamette Meridian in Crook county, Oregon, be sold by the sheriff of said county as under execution, and the proceeds of such sale, after paying the costs, disbursements, attorney's fees and expenses herein stated, shall be applied upon the judgment, and if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient, the plaintiff shall have judgment and execution against the defendants, Ollie L. Ellefson and Nellie B. Ellefson, defendants herein, in and to said real property and premises to satisfy said judgment, costs and disbursements, accruing costs, expenses of sale and attorney's fees, and said sale will be made subject to redemption in the manner provided by law.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1912. T. N. BALFOUR, Sheriff of Crook county.

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Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Sophia J. Lafollet, deceased, to all creditors of said deceased and to all persons having claims against said estate, to present the same with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at the office of M. R. Elliott in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice. Dated Jan. 25, 1912. T. H. LAFOLLETT, Administrator of the estate of Sophia J. Lafollet, deceased.

Restoration to Entry of Lands in National Forest.

Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing 200 acres, within the Deschutes and Cascade National Forests, Oregon, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906, (34 Stat., 233), at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, on April 3, 1912. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1, 1906, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the applications of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler or applicant is qualified to be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. The lands are as follows: The NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 19, T. 22 S., R. 10 E., W. M. 40 acres, application of Stanley J. Pierce, of Bend, Oregon; List 6-432. The NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 19, T. 22 S., R. 10 E., 40 acres, application of John F. Bogue, of Lapine, Oregon; List 6-556. The NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 21 S., R. 10 E., 120 acres, application of Christ. A. Anderson, of Lapine, Oregon; List 6-569. S. V. Prouditt, Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office, Approved December 19, 1911, Carmi A. Thompson, Acting Secretary of the Interior. 1-25-12



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