

Control Of Virus Pig Pneumonia

The control of virus pneumonia of pigs presents several specific problems, according to a University of Missouri extension veterinarian.

He points out there is no vaccine which may be used against it. None of the presently available drugs can destroy the infection. Swine carry the virus indefinitely and spread it from one generation to the next.

He says attempting to live with the infection is not a sound policy. The only effective program for eliminating and controlling virus pig

pneumonia includes . . .
—Disposing of all swine on the farm if the disease is present.

—Obtaining only virus pneumonia-free breeding stock, and isolating new boars for at least six weeks.

—Maintaining the clean swine in strict isolation away from all other swine, and not allowing visitors or trucks in your hog lots.

● Farm Calendar

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Young Farmers field trip, Vintage Auction.

— 1.30 p.m. New Holland Young Farmers field trip, New Holland Auction.

— 7.30 p.m. Community

Watershed Meeting sponsored by Soil Conserv. District, at Rothsville Fire Hall.
— 7:30 p.m. County 4-H Club enrollment and program planning meeting at the Ann Letort Elem. Sch., Letort.

— 8 p.m. Annual meeting of Sealtest Dairy farmers at Paradise Elem. Sch. Discussion featuring Dr. Roy Davenport, Sealtest director of field services.

Mar 24 — 1:30 p.m. Lampeter-Strasburg and Penn Manor Young Farmers field trip to Lancaster Auction.

Mar 26 — 1:30 p.m. A joint-Young Farmer meeting at Penn Manor High School Subj "When to buy livestock"

● Breeding

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tetanus antitoxin serum at this time

At 120 days the lambs are removed from the ewes and wormed with a home-blended drench Edward continues worming his lambs every six weeks

HANDLING THE EWES

Six weeks before lambing the pregnant ewe gets at least one-half pound of grain a day and first cutting alfalfa Hess has his own formulated sheep feed consisting of shelled corn, oats, bran, linseed oil meal, bone meal, minerals, vitamins and molasses.

After freshening, the udders are washed and checked to see that there is an available milk supply for the lamb. Ed makes a special effort to see that each of his new lambs is getting milk the first few days.

During the nursing period the ewe is fed one pound of grain 2 times a day and the best alfalfa hay available. The ewes are wormed two weeks after lambing and again two months later.

The rams are turned in with the flock in mid-April and the bulk of the lamb crop arrives between mid-December and the middle of January.

The sheep are sheared around the first of April, and the wool is bagged and stored in a cool, dry place. It is important to keep the wool

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clean during the shearing operation.

This year the 140 Registered ewes at Green Meadow Farms have produced a 144 percent lamb crop. This is well above average for purebred flocks.

The Hess family is well known in Hampshire sheep circles for their many show winnings. They showed G.M. Pace Setter Jr. to the grand champion spot at the Inter-

national Livestock Show, Chicago, Ill., in 1961. "Junior" is still their main flock sire. His son, G.M. Pace Keeper, bred by Hess and shown by Dr. James Mann, Lewisberg, West Virginia, was grand champion at the Chicago show this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hess and their three children, Tom, age 16; Ted, 14, and Becky Sue, 4, live on their beautiful 63-acre farm just north of Oregon.

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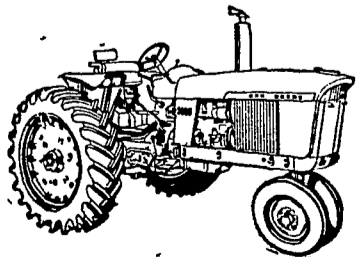
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