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## OUESTIONS AND ANSWERS Veterinary.

#### HERNIA

Colt was staked in abdomen last fall. The wound has healed, but a rupture the size of a saucer remains. Can it be safely operated on without any danger of losing the colt ? E. R.

Ans .- There is a danger of unfavorable results and sometimes death following the most simple operation. There is comparatively little danger from the operation necessary in this case, except from tetanus, and it is not possible to avoid the possibility of tetanus, except by rendering the colt immune by injecting with antitetanic serum before operating. I may say that operations for ventral hernia often fail to effect a cure, but when the opening through the abdominal walls is small, say less than two inches in diameter, the prospects of a successful operation are fair.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

1. Is it good practice to give horses saltpetre regularly ?

2. How much should be given, and is it as good given in oats as in water? 3. Should a horse be allowed all the salt he will eat?

4. Are worms very injurious to horses? May your treatment given in a recent number be given to pregnant mares? 5. Recommend a tonic for horsee not

doing well. H. G. A. Ans.--1. No. Horses should not be

given drugs unless they are diseased. 2. 1 to 1 oz. is the dose. It acts just as well when given in food.

3. Yes, but should not be forced to eat

4. It depends upon the number present The treatment referred to can be safely given to pregnant mares if the purgative is omitted. Two o nces of oil of turpentine in a pint of raw linseed oil, given after a fast of eight to ten hours, is probably safer treatment for mares in foal. 5. Take equal parts sulphate of iron,

gentian, ginger, and nux vomica. Mix, and give a tablespoonful three times V

## WEAK LEGS-DISTEMPER.

1. Yearling has one weak hind leg. It turns out at the hock joint line a very

2. Horse took distemper. I worked him and he must have ta en cold. He became worse, would lie down, tumble around, get up, press his head violently against the wall, try to climb up the wall, etc. He died in three days. My brother had a similar case, but his swelled H. E. B.

Ans.-1. It is probable the leg will become stronger as he grows old r. This is a congenital weakness. Keep him as quiet as possible, and put a blister on the joint. Details for blistering are frequently given in these columns. 2. The horse had irregular strangles (in which case abscesses are liable to form in any place). No doubt an abscess formed on the brain and caused death. Nothing could have been done. It is not uncommon for the legs of horses suffering distemper to swell. V.



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### OPHTHALMIA-FATALITY IN COLT.

1. Heifer's eyes are sore and running water. She seems to be in distress and

2. Four-year-old colt got sick in the morning. His legs got stiff and his eyelids become swollen. He would lie down and moan; get up, lie down again, etc., and he was dead at noon. P. A. B.

Ans.-1. Keep her in a partially-darkened stall, excluded from drafts and sunlight. Give her a laxative of 1 lb. Epsom salts, and put a few drops of the following lotion into each eye, twice daily, after bathing with hot water, viz.: Sulphate of zinc, 10 grams; fluid extract of belladonna, 20 drops; distilled water,

2. I am of the opinion he died of acute indigestion, although the swelling of the evelids is not a usual symptom. Treatment should have been the administration of 2 ounces chloral hydrate in a pint of warm water, to be repeated, if necessary, in 3 hours. Had bloating been noticed, the administration of 3 ounces oil of turpentine in a pint of raw linseed oil would probably have given relief. V.