

PURE-BRED STOCK

NOTES AND NEWS FROM THE BREEDERS

These columns are set apart exclusively for the use of breeders of pure-bred stock and poultry. Any information as to importations made, the sale and purchase of stock and the condition of herds and flocks that is not in the nature of an advertisement will be welcomed. Our desire is to make this the medium for conveying information as to the transfer of pure-bred animals and the condition of live stock throughout the country. The co-operation of all breeders is earnestly solicited in making this department as useful and as interesting as possible. The Editor reserves the right to eliminate any matter that he may consider better suited to our advertising columns.

Gestation Table

In compliance with the request of a number of readers, we herewith publish a gestation table, showing the date when colts, calves, lambs, pigs, and puppies may be expected, the date of service being known:

Time of Service.	Manx 30 days	Cows 283 days	Pigs 120 days	Sheep 112 days	Swine 43 days
Jan. 1 Dec. 6	Oct. 10	May 30	Apr. 22	Mar. 4	
" 4 "	" 13	" 15	" 14	" 11	" 7
" 11 "	" 20	" 22	" 21	" 18	" 14
" 18 "	" 27	" 29	" 28	" 25	" 21
" 25 "	" 34	" 36	" 35	" 32	" 28
" 31 "	" 40	" 42	" 41	" 38	" 34
Feb. 1 Jan. 5	Nov. 4	June 27	May 19	Apr. 11	
" 8 "	" 11	" 13	" 12	" 9	" 5
" 15 "	" 18	" 20	" 19	" 16	" 12
" 22 "	" 25	" 27	" 26	" 23	" 19
" 29 "	" 31	" 33	" 32	" 30	" 26
" 36 "	" 38	" 40	" 39	" 37	" 33
Mar. 2 Feb. 6	Dec. 11	July 4	June 1	May 1	
" 9 "	" 14	" 16	" 15	" 12	" 8
" 16 "	" 21	" 23	" 22	" 19	" 15
" 23 "	" 28	" 30	" 29	" 26	" 22
" 30 "	" 35	" 37	" 36	" 33	" 29
" 37 "	" 42	" 44	" 43	" 40	" 36
Apr. 1 Mar. 5	Jan. 3	Aug. 26	July 23	June 15	
" 8 "	" 6	" 8	" 7	" 4	" 1
" 15 "	" 13	" 15	" 14	" 11	" 7
" 22 "	" 20	" 22	" 21	" 18	" 14
" 29 "	" 27	" 29	" 28	" 25	" 21
" 36 "	" 34	" 36	" 35	" 32	" 28
May 1 Apr. 5	Feb. 12	Sept. 4	Aug. 1	July 1	
" 8 "	" 15	" 17	" 16	" 13	" 9
" 15 "	" 22	" 24	" 23	" 20	" 16
" 22 "	" 29	" 31	" 30	" 27	" 23
" 29 "	" 36	" 38	" 37	" 34	" 30
" 36 "	" 43	" 45	" 44	" 41	" 37
June 1 May 5	Mar. 14	Oct. 6	Sept. 3	Aug. 1	
" 8 "	" 17	" 19	" 18	" 15	" 11
" 15 "	" 24	" 26	" 25	" 22	" 18
" 22 "	" 31	" 33	" 32	" 29	" 25
" 29 "	" 38	" 40	" 39	" 36	" 32
" 36 "	" 45	" 47	" 46	" 43	" 39
July 1 June 5	Apr. 13	Nov. 4	Oct. 1	Sept. 1	
" 8 "	" 16	" 18	" 17	" 14	" 10
" 15 "	" 23	" 25	" 24	" 21	" 17
" 22 "	" 30	" 32	" 31	" 28	" 24
" 29 "	" 37	" 39	" 38	" 35	" 31
" 36 "	" 44	" 46	" 45	" 42	" 38
Aug. 1 July 5	May 21	Dec. 12	Nov. 9	Oct. 1	
" 8 "	" 24	" 26	" 25	" 22	" 18
" 15 "	" 31	" 33	" 32	" 29	" 25
" 22 "	" 38	" 40	" 39	" 36	" 32
" 29 "	" 45	" 47	" 46	" 43	" 39
" 36 "	" 52	" 54	" 53	" 50	" 46
Sept. 1 Aug. 5	June 12	Jan. 4	Dec. 1	Nov. 1	
" 8 "	" 15	" 17	" 16	" 13	" 9
" 15 "	" 22	" 24	" 23	" 20	" 16
" 22 "	" 29	" 31	" 30	" 27	" 23
" 29 "	" 36	" 38	" 37	" 34	" 30
" 36 "	" 43	" 45	" 44	" 41	" 37
Oct. 1 Sept. 5	July 20	Feb. 11	Jan. 8	Dec. 1	
" 8 "	" 23	" 25	" 24	" 21	" 17
" 15 "	" 30	" 32	" 31	" 28	" 24
" 22 "	" 37	" 39	" 38	" 35	" 31
" 29 "	" 44	" 46	" 45	" 42	" 38
" 36 "	" 51	" 53	" 52	" 49	" 45
Nov. 1 Oct. 5	Aug. 28	Mar. 18	Feb. 15	Jan. 1	
" 8 "	" 31	" 33	" 32	" 29	" 25
" 15 "	" 38	" 40	" 39	" 36	" 32
" 22 "	" 45	" 47	" 46	" 43	" 39
" 29 "	" 52	" 54	" 53	" 50	" 46
" 36 "	" 59	" 61	" 60	" 57	" 53
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" 29 "	" 39	" 41	" 40	" 37	" 33
" 36 "	" 46	" 48	" 47	" 44	" 40

Big Ayshire Sale

We have pleasure in again directing attention to the "Nether Lea" dispersion sale of Ayshires to be held at Danville, Que., on October 11th. This well known herd was founded by Mr. A. McCallum, father of the present proprietor, Mr. T. D. McCallum. The best bulls that could be purchased both in Scotland and in Canada were chosen on the herd from the beginning. It is only necessary to mention the names of some of the bulls that have headed this herd to show of what good stock they are descended: Baron Renfrew (imp.) 5862, from the

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It is worthy of note that Mr. McCallum has won the diploma during the last three years for the best young herd at Sherbrooke against strong competition.

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Stratford Horse Show

The Stratford Horse Show, held on Sept. 19th and 20th, was opened by Premier Whitney. There were nearly five hundred entries and all classes of horses were represented. Most all the prizes went to Perth County. One of the winners in the prize list was Wm. Colquhoun, of Mitchell.

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