

Report of the Committee  
on Nomenclature July 21, 1968

This committee was appointed this past year by President C. F. Hall. Our function was to help standardize nomenclature relative to poultry diseases.

One of the problems discussed by the committee was related to terms used in laboratory procedures, such as virus neutralization vs serum neutralization, tissue culture vs cell culture, etc. The editorial boards of our publications should function to determine the proper terms to be used.

Another area discussed was disease nomenclature. It was the opinion of the committee that there should be uniformity in naming of diseases in the disease reporting forms used in the four regions, and the publications, Avian Diseases and Diseases of Poultry.

This committee recommends that the Nomenclature Committee be combined with the Disease Reporting Committee to form a committee on Nomenclature and Disease Reporting. One of the functions of this combined committee should be to formulate an acceptable list of diseases to be used in disease reporting.

Respectfully submitted,

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