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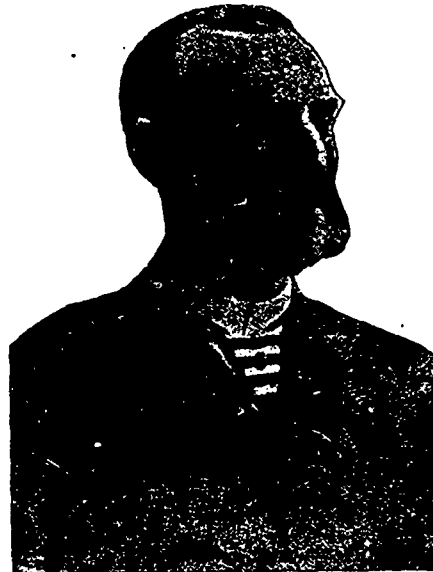
paid us a short visit on the 4th ult., on his way to judge the exhibits at Owen Sound.

DR. J. S. NIVEN,

London, we learn, is again going to import Redcaps, preferring them to any other breed.

The Fanciers Gazette,

London, England, says of the ducks recently received by Mr. H. H. Wallace:—"Mr. D. Bragg has lately shipped to Mr. H. H. Wallace, Woodstock, Ontario, Canada, by the State Line of Steamers via Glasgow and New York, two pairs of Rouens and one pair Aylesburys. The latter were a splendid young pair from the noted yard of Mr. Digby. Both the drake and duck were long and deep in body with fine long necks and bills, the latter important feature being exceptionally clear and true in color. The Rouens were also 1889 birds, wearing the Water Fowl Club marking ring, and they were very perfect specimens in bills, color, size and quality. The two drakes were long and clear in bills, large and sound in claret breast, beautifully shaded on wings and sound in under color to vent. The two ducks were correct in bills,



MR. H. H. WALLACE,
WOODSTOCK.

one in particular possessing the best bill we ever saw on a Rouen. They were both a rich golden ground color in body, evenly and distinctly pencilled and uniform in color throughout. In fact, the whole are perfect standard birds and have been sent out with the full expectation of standing second to none in the colony. We hope they will arrive at their destination in safety

and breed successfully, in which case we may rest assured they possess as good and typical Aylesburys and Rouens in America as any we have in this country."

MR. WM. COLE,

Brampton, is expecting some black Minorcas from England by the middle of the current month.