

MR. T. A. DUFF

is in London "holidaying" as he styles it and writes that he has sent out a great many notices calling attention to the formation of the proposed Minorca Club. We hope a liberal response will be the result. He saw Mr. Butterfield prior to his departure to judge the poultry at Winnipeg. Mr. B., we understand, is to cross the briny some time this year.

CHICKS IN LONDON

are no larger than in other parts of the country, with the exception of a few that Mr. Oke has, who has been unusually favored.

PART OF MR. DUFF'S OLD MINORCAS

are stationed in London and he says are now looking grand especially three white cocks. Of this color he hopes to show better birds than ever before.

MR. RICHARD OKE

this year bred from a hen feathered silver pencilled Hamburg cock, a full brother to the first Crystal Palace pullet of 1894 and his stock appears of great promise.

MR. F. B. NICOLLE,

late of Oak Ridge Farm, Big Fork, Ont., is now living at Kellowna, B.C., and of course did not change his abode unaccompanied by his feathered friends.

HAVE TURKEYS GOT TO THIS?

"How did it happen," said the smart young turkey to the sedate old gobbler, "that you got through the winter without occupying the place of honor at some fashionable dinner table?"

"Because," responded the gobbler, with a far-away look in his voice, "because nobody axed me."—*Rockland Tribune.*

MR. R. E. KENT,

of Kent & Oldrieve, Kingston, informs us that they now have over eight hundred chicks of various kinds on their farm and all coming on nicely. The early hatches were not satisfactory but after May 1st, eggs hatched well, extra good results coming about the fifteenth of that month.

MR. BUTTERFIELD

paid a visit to Dr. A. W. Bell, of Toledo, Ohio, so well known to exhibitors at the Industrial Exhibition, Toronto, early in July. Dr. Bell encloses particulars of the Ohio Co-

chin Club, which we print elsewhere. He is a convert to the "buff craze" and swears by the buff Cochin.

WHILE ON BUFF COLOR

we may mention that we see no reason to change our views on buff Leghorns expressed last year, that our judges will as yet be wise to give the birds of the best color the cards. Any one who has bred this variety will understand this, of this color of Leghorn probably not one in fifty hatched coming sound in color and in many cases not even that small proportion. When we have the correct color, sound on top and below we can gradually get the finishing touches of combs, lobes, etc.

DIED ON AN ERRAND OF MERCY.

Port Hope, July 12.—Mrs. James Miller, Peter street, died suddenly this morning. A neighbor's wife was taken ill about 11 o'clock last night, and the husband went to get Mrs. Miller to wait on the sick woman. She told him not to wait for her, that she would be along shortly. He returned and waited an hour and a half and then went to see the cause of the delay, and when within a hundred yards from her residence, he found Mrs. Miller lying by the side of the walk dead.

Many breeders probably who read the above paragraph in the daily papers of July 13 were unaware that the deceased lady was the mother of our good friend William Langdon of Port Hope. The funeral cortege was one of the largest ever seen in the town, Mrs. Miller being universally respected.

THE SUPERIOR BROODER,

a low price machine, highly recommended is now advertised in REVIEW.

MR. E. B. CALE'S BUSINESS

keeps him much away from home, last time we heard from him July 21st, was from Woodstock, New Brunswick.

MR. A. G. GILBERT

the well known Poultry Manager of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Ottawa, left for Regina a few days ago to judge the poultry at the North West Exhibition. Mr. Gilbert while there will deliver a series of lectures on "Poultry Management" and "the advantages of poultry from an agricultural standpoint."

A VISITOR TO GUELPH

a few days since informed us that Mr. Jarvis had over three hundred chicks under his care, the result of his first season's hatching, some of which are well grown and all healthy and in good condition.