

**HAWKINS PRIZE STRAIN  
PLYMOUTH ROCKS AND WYANDOTTES  
STILL AT THE FRONT.**

Nine 1st and special prizes at New York, 1886, in competition with over 700 birds of these varieties.

Over 100 Prizes awarded to birds of my breeding the past season in the hands of my customers.

At the Great New York Show I exhibited 75 birds with an average score of 92 points, many of them reaching 94 and 95. On Plymouth Rocks I won special prize for best cock, best hen, best pullet, and highest scoring P. Rock. On Wyandottes I won 1st on pair, 1st and special on breeding pen, specials for best cock and hen and **Special Wyandotte Silver Cup** for the best exhibit of Wyandottes; highest scoring birds to win. I refused **One Hundred and Fifty Dollars** for my first prize hen "Princess," the finest Wyandotte in the show, scoring 95 meritorious points. My first prize breeding pen was the centre of attraction, winning over 44 pens—the cream of America's choicest birds. My matings for 1886 are finer than ever before and I consider it an advertisement for my stock to serve my customers with the best.

Eggs for Hatching.—1 Setting \$5.00; 2 Settings \$8.00; 3 Settings \$10.00 from my **BEST PRIZE YARDS**. Cockerels, Trios and Breeding Pens that will produce grand results. All interested in breeding Fine Poultry are invited to visit my yards and examine into the merit of my stock. **NEW CATALOGUE AND PRICE LIST** giving my Great Prize Record **FREE**.

**A. C. HAWKINS,**

LANCASTER

MASS.

**STANLEY SPILLETT,  
NANTY, ONT.**

Having almost all my spare time taken up, I make the

**GRAND OFFER OF THE SEASON. For \$90.00**

I will sell the following birds which comprise MY ENTIRE STOCK except 3 hens, 1 pullet, and one cockerel:

- 25 Chicks, Arpil hatch at \$10 per trio.....\$80 00
- 5 Hens at \$5 each ..... 25 00
- 4 Cocks—(1st) 2nd prize at Toronto..... 15 00
- (2nd) P. Williams' cock, scored 92 by P. W. .... 10 00
- (3rd) scored 86½ at Toronto, losing 5 in weight..... 8 00
- (4th) cock :00 young for show last year..... 8 00

Every Chick guaranteed to go 85 or ove..

\$146 00

Half of this lot for \$50, or \$73 for \$50. Quarter of this lot for \$28.

**St. Francis Poultry Yards.**

**W. F. JAMES,**

**BREEDER OF THE CELEBRATED PILGRIM STRAIN OF PLYMOUTH ROCKS,**

**WINNERS OF HIGHEST HONORS AT LEADING EXHIBITIONS IN UNITED STATES, CANADA AND ENGLAND.**

The records of the Ontario Shows for some years past will show that the PILGRIM STRAIN has produced more PRIZE WINNERS than any other strain shown; either White, Pitken, Conger, or Hawkins.

For years past I have had a **Standing Challenge** for any Canadian Breeder to show a record equal to mine in shows in Canada, United States or England. It has never been accepted.

I now repeat that **Challenge** and furthermore challenge any breeder to show a record for the past season equal to that of the Pilgrim Strain, at Canadian Shows, either in number of prizes taken or in scores.

The celebrated cockerel scoring 97½ points was bred by me, also the one scoring 96½. At one show alone this season they literally "swept the deck," taking, cocks 1, 2 scores 93, 91; cockerels 1, 2, 3, scores 96½, 94, 92; hens 1, 2, 3, scores 94½, 93, 91; pullets 1, 2, 3, scores, 94, 93½, 93; breeding pens 1, 2. C. J. Ward, Chicago, Judge.

Remember this strain is not a collection of birds bought from best U.S. breeders but **bred by me for years past.**

Eggs for Hatching \$3 per 13, \$5 per 26.

Send stamp for answer.

**W. F. JAMES, Sherbrooke, P.C.**