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HOTEL CARD. The Right Man in the Right Place. Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the post office, where he hopes by courtesy, to get a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance. Remember the spot—next door to the post office. THOMAS WARD, Proprietor, Guelph, Dec. 11, 1872.

RICE'S BILLIARD HALL, In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS. The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old Block, Guelph. Plasterers' hair constantly on hand for sale. MOULTON & BISH, Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874.

PARKER'S HOTEL, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler. The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the favorite style. Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

NEW COAL YARD. The undersigned having opened Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal At moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to. GEO. MURTON, Guelph, Ont.

DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL, Licentiate of Dental Surgery, Established 1854. Office next door to the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Session held opposite Mr. Boulton's Factory, Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References—Drs. Clarke, Truitt, McTuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Bachmann and Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliot & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto.

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ENGRAVING. Gold and Silver Plating. Office—Dundas Bridge. Orders left at either Messrs. Savage or Pringle's Jewellery Stores, Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to. T. O. OLDHAM, Guelph, Dec. 15, 1873.

New Advertisements.

SEED BARLEY.—Seed Barley for sale at the Guelph Packing House, opposite the Grand Trunk Passenger Station, Guelph, Feb. 23, 1874. d.w.t.

NOTES STOLEN.—The public are hereby cautioned against receiving any notes payable to J. B. Armstrong & Co. or signed by them, as the same have been stolen from them. J. B. ARMSTRONG & Co. Guelph, Feb. 23, 1874. d.w.t.

PLASTER AND SALT. The subscriber has on hand 500 tons of the best Caledonia and Paris Plaster and Land Salt. Also on hand, seed grain of all kinds. The highest price paid for potatoes and turnips. GEO. BALKWILL, Gordon Street, near the G. T. R. crossing, Guelph, Feb. 23, 1874. 3md&w

SERVANT WANTED.—Wanted, a good general servant. Good wages to a competent person. Apply at this office. dtf

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH.—Re-modelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class Livery in connection. my 14 dwt. JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor.

SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.—For sale, several first class Sewing Machines, different makers, all new cheap for cash. Apply at the Mercury Office.

COWS ASTRAY.—Came on the premises of John H. Reist, lot 5, concession 4, Division B, Guelph Township, on Wednesday night, two red aged cows. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take them away. mid&w

RICHARD ANLEY, Nelson Crescent, Guelph, Has been appointed by the Hudson River Lumber Company an agent for their new BRADED WHITE WIRE GALVANIZED IRON. Clothes reels for putting the wire on furnished also at reasonable rates. Guelph, March 3, 1874. wly

GUARDIANSHIP NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the undersigned to the Surrogate Court of the County of Wellington, at the expiration of twenty days from the first insertion of this advertisement, for letters of guardianship to the infant children of the late Joseph D. Parkinson, of the Township of Eramosa.

TOWN OF GUELPH. To Lumber Merchants. Tenders will be received on or before the 1st day of April next, for furnishing Lumber for the current year, for Sideroads, &c., at—per thousand feet inch measure for 2 inch pine plank and 2x4 cedar and pine scantling; also 12x1 or crossings and sized plank 2 inch by 12 inch wide. JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk, Guelph, March 3, 1874. dowl

VEGETABLES. Rhubarb, Rhubarb! R. Evans' New Fruit Store, Next door to Jackson & Hallett's, Wyndham Street, Guelph. dt

AGENTS WANTED. JUST OUT, a new and beautifully coloured Map of the Dominion. The largest, the latest, and the most comprehensive for the money yet published. To every intelligent voter who wishes to understand the "situation," with regard to railways and other important territorial interests, this map is indispensable. Agents who take hold of it in earnest and immediately will reap a good harvest, and should send for terms, and state where they saw this advertisement. dwt JAMES CHURCHILL, Toronto.

NEW GOODS. NEW GOODS. Just received, a large and carefully selected stock of articles suitable FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS

BERLIN WOOLS. And all kinds of Fancy Goods in stock as usual. All orders promptly attended to. MRS. WRIGHT, Upper Wyndham St., next to the Wellington Hotel, Guelph, Dec. 24th, 1873. dw

MACHINISTS' TOOLS. Complete, with best modern attachments. STEAM ENGINES. Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and others requiring small power.

Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention. THOS. WORSWICK, Guelph, Ont. d.w.t. Dec. 17, 1873.

NEW DEPOT.—OF—WALL PAPER. School Books, STATIONERY. IMMENSE STOCK AT J. HUNTER'S Wholesale and Retail. CALL AND SEE The Largest Stock, The Greatest Variety, The Best and the Cheapest Ever exhibited in Guelph. AT J. HUNTER'S Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Wyndham Street Guelph.

Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 7, 1874. NOTICE ABOUT ACCOUNTS. All accounts for Printing or Advertising rendered to the 1st of January must be paid by the 1st of March, otherwise they will be incurred. Subscribers in arrears will have to the 1st of March to pay up. After that they will be charged the credit price.

Town and County News. ANDERSON has sent us a Grip from his bookstore.

REV. MR. CAMERON, of Acton, is to preach in Mr. Torrance's Church, to-morrow, forenoon and evening.

CANADIAN GRANGES.—We have received an interesting letter from the Rev. W. E. Clarke, on the above subject, which will appear on Monday.

FUNERAL OF MR. T. C. CHISHOLM.—The remains of Mr. T. C. Chisholm were interred on Friday at Oakville, a large number of the friends of the deceased, many of them from Toronto, attending.

PROHIBITION.—The Rev. Dr. Davidson, of Guelph, will deliver a lecture, under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance, in the Good Templars' Hall, on Thursday evening next. Subject—"Objections to a Prohibitory Liquor Law Answered."

CURLING.—The Ottawa curlers made 125 points in playing for the Governor-General's medal in the Rideau Hall Rink. The Governor-General and the Countess of Dufferin watched the game with great interest. The Arr. prior players made 121 points on the same day.

WE notice that the Port Elgin Free Press has been again enlarged, which makes it one of the largest and best looking sheets published in the County of Bruce. We are glad to note the continued success of the Free Press, and trust that friend Benner will continue to receive all the encouragement he deserves.

SHARPERS.—Several sharpers and thieves arrived in town on Monday and Thursday. The Chief Constable, who knew them well, watched them, and on Thursday afternoon arrested three of the first arrivals and at the Police Station gave them their choice of leaving the town or being committed as vagrants. They chose the former and decamped.

MASONIC BALL.—The brethren of Alameda Lodge, No. 10, have been taken into the Town Hall on Friday night. D. D. Grand Master was present, also the W. Master of the Speed Lodge, Guelph, Bros. Moffat, Speed Lodge, Bros. Chase, G. A. Bruce, and Myers of Guelph, and other visiting brethren. The ball was a brilliant affair, and a free supper was provided by Mr. Caldwell of the Queen's Hotel.

"THE OPPOSITION QUARTETTE," performing the new and highly aggravating air entitled "Public Accounts," Grip's cartoon, having this caption, is unusually good. Mat Cameron, Lauder, Rykert, and Boulton are represented as a band of ragged street musicians, playing the symbols, triangle, tambourine and a one-stringed fiddle. All the instruments are labelled "Public Accounts." McKellar and McKellar are standing by as two schoolboy's; the former says "Please give us a rest," and the latter "Don't play the tune, Mister, I don't like to hear it!"

LEGAL.—We are glad to learn that Mr. Keenon Maclean has been taken into partnership by Messrs. Lemon & Peterson, Barristers, Mr. Maclean is well known in Guelph, having studied in the office of the above firm. For the last eighteen months he has been in the office of Blake, Kerr & Boyd, in Toronto, during part of the time acting as manager of the firm. He was admitted to the Bar in February, having passed a very creditable examination. We are sure the many friends of Mr. Maclean will be glad to learn of his return to Guelph. We congratulate him on the prospect of a long and advantageous connection with the well known firm of Lemon & Peterson, and have no doubt that he will fully realize the most sanguine expectations of his many well-wishers.

KNOX CHURCH.—A social was held last night in connection with the Knox Church Bible Class, in aid of the library of the class. There was a good attendance. Proceedings commenced by the reading and cake being handed round. The seats were very conveniently arranged for the purpose, being placed in the form of three sides of a square, in rows facing inwards, with sufficient space for the waiters to move between the rows. The Rev. W. S. Ball took the chair and delivered a short address. Music and recitations followed. An extemporized choir under the leadership of Mr. Yule sang some good part pieces and choruses. Katie Hood and Jessie Williamson sang nice solos. Bertie Williamson sang a good recitation. Mr. Archibald Murray recited a capital Scotch piece of a humorous character, entitled "The Smiddy's End." Mr. Chas. Pirie sang a fine tenor song, "The Blind Musician," with chorus by the choir. It was much appreciated. Intervals during the evening were devoted to a few minutes' social talk. Shortly after ten o'clock the benediction brought to a close a pleasant evening.

FIRE IN LONDON.—A fire broke out in Labatt's brewery, London, on Thursday morning about half-past four o'clock, which, despite the efforts of the fire brigade, resulted in the destruction of the greater part of the brewery, including a large amount of machinery and some 20,000 bushels of malt, besides the stock, in various stages of manufacture. The efforts of the firemen were seriously affected by bad and insufficient hose. The loss is variously estimated at from \$25,000 to \$50,000. There is an insurance in the Royal and Western; on buildings \$10,000, and on stock \$9,000. The cause of the fire is not known. It originated in the engine house.

The accidental explosion of some 200 pounds of powder in one of the shafts of Hoosac Tunnel resulted in the death of one man, and more or less injuries to several others.

Nobody's Cat.

Whistles and friendless, a strange, a strange, Worried by dogs, and tormented by boys, Wandering slightly in search of a rat, Poor old unfortunate, nobody's cat!

Looking round outdoors, mewing at doors; Begging a morsel from plentiful stores, Nothing she gets but a blow or a scold, Poor old unfortunate, nobody's cat!

Excusable quite in a famishing cat, Matrons anxious at times would snuff, Betrayed on the day by a faint little "mew," Murderous boys who the brood would beat—Poor old bereaved, nobody's cat!

Pampered young tabby, how little you care, Purring or dozing on cushion or chair, Sighing she saw you so glossy and fat, Comfortless night for a hopeless cat!

Fussy had lives, the conventional nine—Lives are unlasting unless you can dine—Toothless, disabled, she weakened for that, Poor old unfortunate, nobody's cat!

Guilty or innocent, dying she lies, Vacantly staring with glittering eyes, Doubtless, if sensible, thanking for that, Poor old unfortunate, nobody's cat!

Unlike us, for pussy, tho' trespassing here, Dead had no terrors, the future no fear, No fear the St. Peter would say to her "scat," All is now over—write—proprietor.

Umbrallatives by Marriage. The wind was damp with coming wet, When James andaisy were to be met; He held a gingham over his head, And to the maiden thus he said: "Oh, lovely girl, my heart's afire With love's unquestionable desire, Say, dearest love, wilt thou be mine, And join me in the grocery line?"

"The maid in accents sweet replied, 'Jim, hold the umbrella to my side; My brain now bonnet's getting wet—'ll marry yer yet, yer needn't fret.'"

Local and Other Items. The value of the cheese manufactured in the County of Perth last year is \$200,000.

The rumor that Lord Dufferin will shortly be recalled is again repeated in Montreal.

A post office has been established at Russellville, county Perth, left John Wilson merchant, has been appointed postmaster.

Kingston papers contain notices of the death of the oldest—if not actually the very oldest—Church of England clergyman in Canada, Rev. Wm. Macaulay, rector of Picton—which occurred on Monday, at the advanced age of 79 years.

Last week Mr. Wm. Thomson, of Aboyné, bought from the celebrated herd of Messrs. J. & W. Watt, of Nichol, the bull "The Knight of the Storm," an eleven months' old animal, for \$200.

Capt. Huyshe, of the Rifle Brigade, an officer well-known in Canada as one of Col. Wolesey's staff on the first Red River expedition, died at Praha in January from illness contracted during the march from Cape Coast Castle to the interior.

London's population is three times greater than that of New York, and its area five times greater, yet the expense of running the city of New York during the present year is estimated to exceed that of London for the same time by about \$2,500,000. The debt of London is \$22 per head for each inhabitant; that of New York \$113, or nearly four times as much.

It seems that the children of the Simmes family, and especially the cultured and sympathetic eldest daughter, remonstrate against the exhibition of their parents in their post mortem condition. The wives of Shang and Eng, however, married for money, and they are determined to make all they can out of their husbands, living or dead.

JAMES ALLAN, teamster, employed drawing logs to A. & R. Little's Mills, skidding logs one day last week, got his foot fearfully smashed between the logs. He will likely be laid up all spring.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Robt. C. Clarke, and his son John, who lives on the 10th con. of Calross, were out chopping wood on the rear of their lot last Thursday, at falling a tree, a rotten branch came down and struck John on the head. Dr. Fleming was immediately sent for and upon examination found the blow had caused contusion of the brain. There is very slight prospect of his recovery. Tecumseh News.

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.—On Monday last Mr. Freeborn recently sold his farm in North Easthope and purchased a cotton plantation in North Carolina late for that State in company with several other gentlemen who purpose spying out the land. Previously to his departure, he exchanged at one of the Stratford bank agencies over \$9,000 in gold for American currency. It seems too bad to lose such prosperous men from amongst us.—Ereton.

OBSCURITY OF NAVIGATION.—To all appearances we are to have an earlier opening of navigation in this region than usual. The river opposite Sarnia is now entirely free of ice, and the ferry boats have uninterrupted communication with the other side. Not only so, but we believe the river is open nearly all the way down to Lake St. Clair, and the ice on the lake being thinner than ever before known, it will in all likelihood break up also in the course of a very few days, if the present beautiful weather continues. We learn that there is a little ice on Lake Huron, and that what there is only three or four inches thick; and that the Georgian Bay is already open.—Sarnia Observer.

THE AIR BRAKE.—For several months past all the regular express trains on the Great Western railway have been supplied with the patent air brake, a patent apparatus which places the entire train under the immediate control of the engine driver. The test has proven eminently successful, and doubtless many sad accidents have been avoided by the use of this invention. Passing under each car are tubes connecting individual air chambers with the locomotive. The driver wishing to stop his train, compress the air in the tubes and air chambers and instantly operate upon the brakes belonging to every car of his train, and in the space of a few seconds bring the heavy cars to a stand-still. As the driver ever on the alert, his immediate control of his train enables him frequently, when he discovers danger ahead, to avert accident. The general public will doubtless appreciate the sagacity of the managers of the Great Western railway in adopting this useful invention, as a means of protecting the lives and property of their patrons from danger.

BY TELEGRAPH

THE ASHANTEE WAR. Tremendous Gales.

THE DUKE AND DUCHESS. Great Reception.

BANQUETS & ILLUMINATIONS.

London, March 7.—A large cotton mill was burned in Musselburgh, near Edinburgh, yesterday. Loss \$150,000. Nine hundred operatives are thrown out of employment.

A diplomatic dispute has arisen between Turkey and England in consequence of the arrest of a British subject by the Turks in Lahoj.

The fleet is moored at Gravesend, ready to receive the Duke of Edinburgh and bride, who will land at 11 a.m. and proceed without stopping to Windsor Castle, arriving there at 1 p.m. Gravesend and Windsor are profusely decorated. Business will be suspended and there will be an illumination in the evening.

The members of the present and of the late Governments have received Royal commands to attend a State dinner on Monday next, at Windsor Castle, where they will meet the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh. Great preparations are being made.

A despatch from the Ashantee expedition says a sharp engagement occurred on February 4th, which lasted seven hours. An immense force of Ashantees, under the leadership of the King in person, aided by his principal chiefs, opposed the passage of the river Dah by the British forces. Two officers of the Highlanders were killed and thirty white men wounded. The Ashantees were routed with a heavy loss. The King and his chiefs abandoned their army and took flight at the close of the battle. Coomassie was occupied by Wolesey's forces without opposition at noon on the same day.

The date of the above despatch is the same as the last official despatch of Gen. Wolesey. No later advices have as yet been received.

The War Office has received no official advices of the capture of the King of Ashantee. A despatch from Sir Garnet Wolesey, of date prior to the taking of Coomassie, declares that the overtures for peace on the part of the Ashantees were treacherous, and part of a plot to lure the army to destruction.

Mr. Fawcett has re-appeared as a candidate for Parliament in Hackney.

The remains of Dr. Livingstone will be transported from Africa to England at the public expense.

Lord Northbrook, Viceroy and Governor General of India, telegraphs to the Indian Office that it is expected the Government will be obliged to maintain three millions of persons for three months. The expenditure, on account of the famine to February last, are estimated at \$7,500,000.

Calcutta, March 6.—Accounts from Tierhoo show that the distress from famine is increasing. In Rungpoor, where there has been no actual suffering as yet, the stores of the poorer people are becoming exhausted and starvation is imminent. The relief organization here is working excellently, but it can hardly meet the immense demands which will be made upon the Government.

Berlin, March 7.—The Bishop of Treves has been arrested for violation of the ecclesiastical law.

Reports continue to come to hand of wrecks, accompanied with loss of life and disasters to vessels, caused by the recent heavy gales sweeping over the Atlantic. Thirty persons on board the steamship Sedra, from Newcastle to Port Said, were drowned.

Captain Brown, one of the Trehorne Claimant's witnesses, has been remanded for examination on a charge of perjury.

New York, March 6.—Arrived, the steamship Italy from Liverpool.

New York, March 7.—A Portland (Me.) despatch says that the Scandinavian, which arrived last night, experienced a very rough passage. On the 26th ultimo a gale prevailed which, for its force and fury, exceeded anything ever experienced by the captain. Capt. Smith and his executive officer were on the bridge and both knocked senseless by a huge wave, and all moveable articles washed overboard. The storm lasted until next day, when it partially subsided, but the weather continued rough.

POLICE COURT. (Before the Police Magistrate.) Saturday, March 7.

Joseph Roach, blacksmith, Aberfoyle, was charged with shooting a dog belonging to Wm. Stratton, carpenter and farmer, at Aberfoyle, on Friday, Feb. 27. Plaintiff valued the dog at \$20. It seems that shortly after seven o'clock in the morning plaintiff's son was driving a sleigh through the village, and the dog was trotting on about 24 yards ahead. When the dog was opposite Roach's forge the report of a gun was heard, the dog turned back, and was found to be shot so badly that he afterwards died. Roach was his helper were in the forge at the time, and the helper swore that neither of them fired the shot. There being no other evidence the case was dismissed with costs.

Ed. Whelan, Ed. Phelan, and Michael Phelan were charged with disorderly conduct and fighting in the Day Horse Hotel on the 4th inst. Fined \$1 each and costs.

An Indian is reported to have killed a large wapiti on the upper waters of the Gatineau River, between the source of the Gatineau and the St. Maurice. The animal, it seems, was killed in October last, and the horns were found to measure six feet from tip to tip, and had nine branches to them.

THE POULTRY SHOW.

Continuation of our Report. Mr. F. W. Stone, Guelph, shows some good dorkings, nearly all of which take prizes. Amongst them are two coops of silver-grey, which take second and third prizes respectively; and two coops of dark-grey, also second and third prizes.

He takes first prize for a pair of very large and fine white Bremen geese. Messrs. F. & S. Henry, Oshawa, formerly of Puslinch, have a fine collection of geese. They take second prize for a pair of buff, first for a pair of white Chinese, second for small brown Chinese, and second for white Bremen. The gender of the last named pair got its tail feathers considerably disorganized in a recent encounter with a fox, when help arrived just in time to prevent the fierce bird from devouring the fox. Mr. Henry takes first prize for a fine pair of wild geese caught in Nova Scotia; and shows a pair of golden Pouter.

Mr. D. McR. Kay, Galt, has a goodly display of black Spanish, numbering five pairs, which take two first prizes, for old and young birds respectively. The premium chicken is a particularly fine one, and took first prize at Buffalo recently. He has three coops of golden pencilled Hamburgs, which take two prizes; and two coops of black Hamburgs, the only ones in the show, each of which takes a prize. A pair of Houdans completes his collection, with a pair of ducklings bought by Mr. Hogg.

Mr. J. W. Moyes, Guelph, exhibits the only pair of brown Leghorns in the show, and takes a second prize for them. He has two coops of white Leghorns, one of which takes first prize. A pair of his white dorkings take third prize; and he has also a pair of silver-spangled Hamburgs.

Mr. Lot Dean, Oakville, takes a prize for each of the two pairs of Houdans that he exhibits. He has also one pair each of buff Cochins, white Leghorns, and Brahmas, the two former ones prize-takers.

Mr. Bussell, Hornby, goes in for turkeys, and takes first and second prizes for two pens of great bronze birds; one pair of which weigh 55 pounds. The males are tremendous fellows. Mr. Bussell gains first prize for a pair of the odd-looking birds called guinea fowls.

J. Aldhouse, Berlin, takes three prizes in Pouter. Amongst his birds are the only pair of white Poland chickens shown. He shows also Hamburgs, crevecoeurs, golden seabright bantams, and light Brahmas.

Jas. Anderson, Puslinch, shows three coops, and takes two prizes, one for his Leghorn fowls and one for a pair of big-bodied bronze turkeys. The other coop is of Leghorn chickens.

Chas. Head, Eramosa, takes first prize for a pair of black turkeys.

Sheriff Davidson, Berlin, shows two pens of partridge cochins, and has first prize for light Brahmas.

J. Pipe, Eramosa, has one pair bronze turkeys.

E. Morris, Guelph, shows partridge cochins and light Brahmas; three pairs of the former and two of the latter. One of his Brahmas takes a prize.

W. Rudd, Guelph Township, two pairs of light Brahmas.

Geo. Rudd, Guelph Township, two pens of black-red game.

Thomas Armstrong, Eramosa, a pair each of light and dark Brahma chickens; W. Fulton, Guelph Township, one pair light Brahma chickens, one pair Aylesburs.

Jos. Fullerton shows one pair dark Brahma chickens, of remarkable excellence. They were bought for \$20 by Mr. Sturdy, Guelph. Mr. Fullerton has also third prizes for a pair of Leghorn chickens and a pair of black Hamburgs.

Alex. Chalmers, Berlin, and L. B. Kay are also exhibitors.

The following exhibitors are from Guelph: Mr. Fessant, three pair of silver-spangled Hamburgs, which bring him second and third prize on young birds, and third on old.

Wesley Henry, one pair silver-spangled Poland chickens.

Y. Ryebrook, three pair of cochins, buff, white and partridge; with one pair light Brahmas.

A. Suddaby, one pair silver-spangled Hamburgs.

Samuel Shaw, second prize for a pair of golden-spangled Hamburgs.

G. Balkwill, second prize for brown-red game, and third for the only pair of silver seabright bantams in the show.

J. T. Waters, two pairs of light Brahma chickens, and one pair of bronze turkeys.

D. Sorby, two pairs light Brahma fowls, and one pair cochins.

John Platt, one pair dark Brahma chickens.

Thomas Waters, one pair big bronze turkeys.

John Tyson, one pair light Brahma chickens.

W. J. Little, one pair light Brahma chickens.

T. Tansley, one pair black red game fowls.

Jos. Craig, third prize for the only pair of brown-red fowls in the show, and third for chickens of the same variety.

J. Parker, second prize for black-red game.

Chas. Woodburn, black-red game chickens.

J. J. Chamberlin, black-red game chickens.

C. Davidson, one pair each of light Brahma fowls and silver Brahma chickens.

Jan. E. Allan, one pair white Leghorn chickens.

Geo. Anderson, one pair silver-spangled Hamburgs.

Jas. Dobbie, two coops of golden-pencilled Hamburgs, and one of silver-pencilled; takes first and second prizes for the golden, and a second for the silver.

There are nearly 40 entries of pigeons, and many of the specimens are very beautiful in form and plumage. Mr. A. Goebel, Mitchell, is the principal exhibitor, and takes a large number of prizes. His white fantails are charmingly symmetrical in form, and of a pure white, with large spreading fans. He has a large collection of carriers, including a pair of a very pretty dun colour; and a pair of chequerered pouters in his coop measure eighteen inches each from head to tail. A pair of ice pigeons from Hungary are something unique, both in form and color.