

PLUMAGE—"Cuckoo" all over, including tail and sickles. Black or white sickles constantly occur in good birds—do not disqualify.

LEGS AND FEET—White or mottled; four toes; clean legs

Disqualifications.—Pea or double combs; feathered legs; five toes; red or yellow hackles.

Defects.—Black and white feathers, usually appear after second moult; the fewer these are the better the bird; also white ear-lobes or white face.

HEN.

PLUMAGE, legs, &c., like cock.

COMB—Upright or falling—fanciers not agreed, I prefer falling—when falling should not cover the eye.

Weight, from 6½ to 9½ pounds for cock; 6 to 8 for hen.

The Australian Meat Preserving Co. attempting to "can" wild rabbits, found themselves unable to care for all that were brought in. During the first few days an average of 7,000 per diem were brought in. The order was then given limiting the number taken to 5,400 daily. Even this amounts to 67,500 for the season. Where is the market for such a supply.

Springfield, Ohio, Dec. 15th, 1880.
Poultry Herald Publishing Co.,
Montreal, Canada.

Dear Sir:—I have received the copy of "Newell's Breeder's Directory" ordered of you a short time ago. As I am not making a collection to which class this valuable old work belongs, I this day return same to you, with the request that you present it, with my compliments, to some ardent collector of ancient literature.

Very respectfully yours,
EDWARD HARRISON

Springfield, Ohio, Dec. 15th. 1880.

To the Editor,--Above I hand you a copy of my postal card of this date to Poultry Herald Publishing Co., which will explain itself. The "Reliable and complete" directory bears date on title page 1877—By this time it is "old and reliable."

EDWARD HARRISON.

A Spicy Letter.

London East, 28 Dec. 1880.

Mr. JAS. FULLERTON.

Dear Sir:—You have been making a great mistake in sending your POULTRY REVIEW to "J. H. McMechan, London," as he left that burgh long since for want of wealth to remain, and only stays where he is now for want of lucre to take him away. If his ship ever comes in you may expect to get your bill paid. You must insist on cash in advance in future, and don't you forget it, on behalf of aforesaid.

J. H. McMECHAN.

We acknowledge our mistake, take the advice given, and recommend all readers of REVIEW to do the same.

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All communications must be in our hands by the 6th and advertisements by the 9th to insure insertion in issue of that month.

Address.

JAS. FULLERTON,
Strathroy, Ont., Canada.

We would earnestly advise the man who hewed out the cut illustrating the show bill of the Ontario Poultry Association to leave the city of Brantford, and leave no clue by which he can be traced, before the 8th of next month.

Louis Thorne, Blyth, Ontario, has fine stock, from excellent strains, to which he calls attention in a card in Breeder's Directory.

H. G. Charlesworth would prefer being relieved from the trouble of showing his fowls at Brantford, by selling them previous to the show. This will be a good chance to get show birds, and cheap too, as he offers to sell at half the value. Write him.

It gives us much pleasure to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Thomas Costen, Esq., of Montreal, Q., which appears in this issue. His specialties are Light Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Scotch Greys. Of his stock of the first and last named we cannot speak from personal knowledge, but of his P. Rocks we can. Last year his stock proved the best at Montreal show, and this season he purchased from us our 12 best birds, among them the first prize fowls and chicks at London, 1879, 1st at Peterboro, 1880; 2nd prize hen at Guelph 1879, and winner of four 1sts previously; 2nd prize pair chicks at London 1880, and many other prize winners, and our very best breeding birds. We believe that 12 better birds were never put together in one shipment in America. We would recommend those who want a large percentage of first-class chicks to give Mr. C. a share of their orders for eggs. We would conclude from our dealings with this gentleman that his other varieties are the best procurable.

J. H. Rowe, of King, had a clutch of P. Rock chicks hatched in Jan. 2nd, 1881, which he thinks the earliest hatch of the year, and has more coming this month. See his card.