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PROVINCIAL EXPOSITION AT MONTREAL.

UR correspondent writes us: To say that the poultry building was the greatest centre of attraction is but doing scant justice to the efforts of the Superintendent Mr. W. H. Ulley, whose untiling zeal made this the most prominent display of the Exhibition. It was a treat to see the delight of the children watching the duck pond and fountain, and then how prettily and gaily the building was decorated and festooned, one naturally felt they were having a holiday at the sight of them. The entries of all kinds numbered nearly 1,500, including poultry, pigeons, water fowl and ornamental birds. Sharp Butterfield was on hand before time and gave general satisfaction as our genial friend and expert judge always does. Mr. Jas. Ainslie judged the pigeons, and for a wonder we heard Our friends from Ontario were very few complaints. prominent both with their birds and their very welcome presence. The following exhibitors were nearly all present :- Messrs. Oldreive & Nicol, Haycock & Kent, W. H. Reid, Kingston; James Main, Milton; C. J. Daniels, Toronto; J. Brown, Bethel; J. Bedlow, G. C. Howison, A W. Garrett, W. M. Osborne, Brockville. With so many ex hibitors from the west it was disappointing that so few should exhibit from our own province the only ones being U. Bonneville, Danville, and A. Thompson, Allan's Corners. To show that your correspondent is not prejudiced in favor of the poultry display, I copy the following from the Montreal Star:

"Perhaps one of the most successful features of the whole show is the poultry show. It exceeds that of last year in nearly every line and the feathered tribe is so well looked after that it is a pleasure for the crowds who visit the building to look into every cage. Mr. Ulley, the Superintendent, is fully satisfied with the show and takes much delight in showing up the various lines. There are several exhibitors from Brockville, Kingston, Toronto and other places in Ontario, and judg. ing from the prize list they ought to be more than satisfied that they bert, of the Central Experimental Farm, for examination. I

came. The duck pond, introduced by Mr. Ulley and placed in the centre of the building, has proved quite an attraction. The committee had to refuse some of the applicants, as several of the classes were filled սթ."

A well deserved testimonial to the services of Mr. Ulley was signed by a large number of the exhibitors present.

THE CANADIAN EXPRESS CO.

has generously donated the sum of fifteen dollars in gold as a special prize for the largest exhibit at the winter show of the Montreal Poultry Society. This prize can only be competed for by exhibitors outside the Island of Montreal.

MR. L. G. JARVIS

has been selected as one of the judges on poultry at the Rochester Show, to be held January 9th to 12th next.

MR. J. L. CORCORAN'S ADDRESS

is now 155 Cowan Avenue, Toronto.

SICILIANS WANTED.

We notice in our advertising department, an enquiry from England for Sicilian fowls or eggs. We are not aware of any being bred in Canada.

MR. CHAS. F. WAGNER,

Mimico, has purchased Mr. McCormick's entire stock of black and white Minorcas and good will therein. The sale includes all Mr. McCormick's imported and prize winning birds, and these with the birds recently bought from Mr. Duff should place Mr. Wagner at once at the top in this fine variety.

MR. D. J. MILLAR, WIARTON,

writes as follows :- "I wrote to you some time ago about a disease that had appeared in the flock of Mr. Swale, and mentioned that an afflicted fowl had been sent to Mr. Gil-