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NOTES AND COMMENTS

THE IMPERIAL PRODUCE COMPANY

OF Toronto, which is working up a large trade with Great Britain, says in its last report:—

EGGS.—The alteration in the American tariff should result in a large business being done with Great Britain. An immense quantity of eggs are imported into England from Russia, Germany and France. We are ready to handle a trial shipment. Toronto is also a very large market for eggs. We shall be pleased to receive requests for boxes in which to ship.

TURKEYS.—A large and profitable business can be done with these, in season, if selected and packed with great care. Only first-class, well-fed birds must be shipped. Merchants well posted and situated in the right locality for gathering same, should discuss the matter with us.

Here is an opening for any amount of Canada's surplus poultry and its products.

THE NEXT SHOW

of the Dunnville Poultry and Pet Stock Association will be held on Dec. 9th, 10th and 11th next. Mr. J. H. Smith is Secretary.

THE MANITOBA POULTRY ASSOCIATION is the name of the latest formed Canadian Association, and as its name

indicates is in the "Prairie Province." Our reporter says a meeting was held June 2nd, in the office of the Farmers' Advocate, TRIBUNE building, among those present were Mr. Scarth, M.P., T. Weld, of the Farmers' Advocate; H. W. Dayton, of the P.O. department; J. Lemon; R. Waugh of the Nor'-West Farmer; R. C. Hickson, S. Ling, T. Reid, A. Hallings, W. Short, J. Cuddy, G. Gawston, B. Moffatt, H. S. Maw and J. W. Bartlett. Several persons sent excuses for non-attendance, promising to become members and aid the association in its work. Mr. Weld was elected chairman. It was decided to adopt the name of "The Manitoba Poultry Association," The membership fee was placed at one dollar. It was decided to elect a secretary-treasurer, also a provisional executive committee to prepare and submit a code of by-laws. J. W. Bartlett was elected secretary-treasurer, and Messrs. Waugh, Ling, Maw, Dayton, Cuddy and the secretary a provisional board. The association meets in the same place on Tuesday evening, June 17, to receive the report of the committee re by-laws and to transact such other business as may be necessary.

MR. J. W. BARTLETT'S

name will be quite familiar to many of our Ontario readers, he having bred and shown dark Brahmas for a number of years and latterly silver-laced Wyandottes. The association has the REVIEW's hearty good wishes for its success.

IMPORTATIONS.

Mr. Jas. McLaren, Owen Sound, recently received some buff Cochins eggs from England, D. G. Davies, Toronto, several sittings of Indian Game (which by the way did not hatch satisfactorily) and Mr. John Nunn, Toronto, Sebright Bantam eggs. Several pairs of white and black Australian Swans have been and are being imported for gentlemen having water facilities for these graceful birds.

WRITING OF SWANS

reminds us of the many pleasant hours we spent feeding some of these birds, which were quite tame, "at home." They were in the habit of coming to the rivers bank to be fed and would eat bread out of the hand quite freely. Cygnets, or the young of the Swan are, in Britain quite hardy and easily reared, but are liable to be carried off by otters. The old birds will stand no interference with their nests and fight savagely to protect their homes.

MR. H. P. HARRISON,

Toronto, has returned from his trip to Europe, and we learn Mr. Groves is on his way home, in fact will probably be here when this reaches our readers. Mr. Groves is bringing some stock over with him.

THE CHESTER FANCIERS CLUB

has blossomed out into a full blown association, yclept the East York Poultry Association.