

Pigeons, Cage Birds, Rabbits 🕸 Pets.

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SHOW DATES.

Montreal, August 23rd to 27th.

Sherbrooke, August 31st to Sept. 5th.
Toronto, Sept. 2nd to 10th.
London, Sept. 13th to 17th.
Ottawa, Sept. 20th to 24th.

ENTRIES CLOSE.

Montreal, August 16th. Toronto, August 21st. Sherbrooke, August 24th. London, Sept. 9th. Ottawa, Sept. 14th.

POULTRY JUDGES.

Montreal—Not yet announced. Sherbrooke—Butterfield. Toronto—Butterfield, Jarvis, Smelt. London—Butterfield, Jarvis, Smelt. Ottawa—Butterfield.

THE "BIG" ASSOCIATION.

Ontario will be found elsewhere in our columns, and must be a source of satisfaction to the officers of the Association, and particularly to Mr. Browne, the energetic and economical Secretary. A comparison with the statement of last year will show that although an increase of one hundred and sixty-three dollars in the prize money paid occurs, the bank balance is augmented by twelve dollars, now amounting to \$100. The membership last year numbered ninety-seven, this year one hundred and thirty-nine, almost a fifty per cent. advance. This is a healthy sign, and should go far to combat the derogatory hints which, we learn, have been whispered in the official car of the Department. In the face of the excellence of the last

show, the splendid meetings held, and now the grand financial showing, we could not, even supposing we were not altogether in favor of the methods of the directorate, do other than offer The Review's most distinguished and warm congratulations to both members and officers alike.

MR. S. M. CLEMO

has disposed of his business in Galt and intends locating in Welland. Correspondence should be addressed to him there.

AT WINNIPEG,

at time of writing, Mr. Jarvis is judging the poultry. We look for a brief report from him for next issue. The show we learn was a success in numbers and quality but rain spoiled the pleasure of it.

"GRANDPA" JAS. MAIN,

has just returned from a hasty trip across the pond and stopped off at Toronto on his way home on July 13th to give us a private glimpse of the black-reds he brought back with him. They consist of two pairs old and two pairs young of Capt. Heaton's and Mr. Garns stock. One cock was third at the Royal a big reachy bird. The other is a Heaton bird, grand all over, splendidly cut away, short hackle and great reach, which he evidently has been taught to make the most of, as he stands up like a pole. He is a bird that should do some winning. We liked the better of the two cockerels, a big reachy bird, hard in feel, long on his limbs and with a good head. The pullets are young but show much quality, one a sweet youngster from Capt. Heaton's yards, beautiful long clean head, well up on her pins. The hens are good and all in all Mr. Main should be able to make it interesting in black-red circles this fall.

Poultry, LONDON, ENGLAND,

the Department. In the face of the excellence of the last of June 25th draws our attention to the fact of the omission