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# NOTES COMENTS

## POULTRY SHOWS.

ERY successful shows have been held at Hamilton, Colborne and Cornwall, and one is now on the tapis for Cobourg. The Associations would be wise in giving their ventures a little more publicity.

#### POULTRY ASSOCIATION AT COBOURG.

A Poultry and Pet Stock Association has been formed at Cobourg with the object of holding an exhibition this winter, the dates being February 26th, 27th, 28th, and March 1st. The following officers were elected:—Patrons, Messrs. Geo. Gullet, M.P., and C. C. Field, M.P.P., W. Shoenberger, Mayor Wilson and W. J. Crossen; President, Mr. J. D. Hayden; Vice-President, Captain Snelgrove; Treasurer, Mr. John Purser; Secretary, Mr. Sidney Hobart.

## MR. G. M. HAVEN, TORONTO,

has sold to a breeder in Massachusetts the 3rd prize black Minorca cockerel which he bought at the Ontario Show.

# MR. W. J. WILLIAMSON, LINDSAY,

a new reader of the Review writes that already he has chickens some weeeks old and good and strong.

# PRESENTATION TO MR. GEDDES.

At the close of the Poultry Show at Ottawa the exhibitors presented Mr. Alfred Geddes with a handsome gold fountain pen. Mr. Geddes had found no trouble too great in his efforts to make things as pleasant as possible for the exhibi-

tors, and they took this practical way of demonstrating their appreciation.

## MR. ROBT. CROSSLAND OF BARRIE,

was in Toronto on February 11th and 12th, snow bound part of the time. He had been making the rounds of several "fancier" towns and was then on his way home.

## MR. DAVID G. MILLAR OF WIARTON

writes:—"I notice in an American paper a letter from Mr. E. H. Perrin, of Newmarket, Ont., in which he speaks very highly of a breed of poultry he calls Beaverettes. Do you know anything about the breed? Will you give a description of them and their general qualities in next Review or in some subsequent paper and oblige." We understand they are a solid black fowl, but more than that we do not know, never having seen them. It is probably a "made" breed yet in its infancy.

## CURE FOR DROOPING FOWLS, ROUP AND DIARRHEA.

Mr. W. T. Gibbard, of Napanee, writes us as follows:—
"I received the following recipe from one of the largest breeders, and having tried about all the remedies I have found this the best of all. For Roup—Take an egg, beat it well, add half teaspoonful of black pepper and give the whole at night. For Diarrhea—Add six drops laudnum and give half each night for two nights. It is a sure cure."

## A FEW COMPLIMENTS.

Enclosed you will find a money order for \$1 to pay my subscription to POULTRY REVIEW for 1895. Kindly acknowledge its receipt and oblige. I have been taking the REVIEW for many years now and am pleased to note its improvement and your endeavor to give us a good Canadian