

The Ontario Agricultural Gazette

The Official Bulletin of the Dominion Cattle, Sheep, and Swine Breeders' Associations, and of the Farmers' Institute System of the Province of Ontario.

THE DOMINION CATTLE, SHEEP, AND SWINE BREEDERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

Annual Membership Fees:—Cattle Breeders' \$1; Sheep Breeders' \$1; Swine Breeders' \$1.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP.

Each member receives a free copy of each publication issued by the Association to which he belongs, during the year in which he is a member. In the case of the Swine Breeders' Association this includes a copy of the Swine Record.

A member of the Swine Breeders' Association is allowed to register pigs at 50c. per head; non-members are charged \$1.00 per head.

A member of the Sheep Breeders' Association is allowed to register sheep at 50c. per head, while non-members are charged \$1.00.

The name and address of each member, and the stock he has for sale, are published once a month. Over 3,000 copies of this directory are mailed monthly. Copies are sent to each Agricultural College and each Experiment Station in Canada and the United States, also to prominent breeders and probable buyers resident in Canada, the United States and elsewhere.

A member of an Association will only be allowed to advertise stock corresponding to the Association to which he belongs; that is, to advertise cattle he must be a member of the Dominion Cattle Breeders' Association, to advertise sheep he must be a member of the Dominion Sheep Breeders' Association, and to advertise swine he must be a member of the Dominion Swine Breeders' Association.

The list of cattle, sheep, and swine for sale will be published in the third issue of each month. Members saving stock for sale, in order that they may be included in the Gazette, are required to notify the undersigned by letter on or before the 9th of each month, of the number, breed, age, and sex of the animals. Should a member fail to do this his name will not appear in that issue. The data will be published in the most condensed form.

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The following list of stock was omitted from the issue of last week:

THE DOMINION CATTLE BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION.

Shorthorns.

Anderson, D. C.	Rugby	2 bulls, 12 months; cow, 6 years; heifer, 12 months
Bright, J.	Myrtle	1 bull, 9 months and upwards.
Caldar, C.	Brooklin	2 yearling bulls.
Ficht, V.	Oriel	6 bulls, 12 to 18 months; 10 heifers, 8 to 21 months.
Robson, T. E.	Hilderton	Heifers and bulls, various ages.
Smith, A. W.	Maple Lodge	10 young bulls; 10 heifers; young cows.

THE DOMINION SHEEP BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION.

Cotswolds.

Ficht, V. Oriel 100 ewes, various ages.

Lincolns.

Robson, T. E. Hilderton Rams.

Leicesters.

Smith, A. W. Maple Lodge 30 young rams; 30 ewes.

Institute Memberships

The following is a list of the names received since the last list published:

Brant, North	36
Bruce, West	1
Dundas	2
Grey, Centre	1
Grey, North	37
Hastings, East	2
Hastings, North	1
Huron, South	6
Kent, West	16
Lincoln	6
Port Carling and Ball	6
Norfolk, South	1
Renfrew, South	9
Simcoe, East	20
Union	2
Victoria, West	6
Waterloo, North	10
Waterloo, South	26
Wellington, East	6

Prizes to be Offered for Dressed Poultry and Eggs

Prizes to be offered for dressed poultry and eggs at the Provincial Fat Stock and Dairy Show to be held on December 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, 1899.

Read the rules governing poultry exhibit.

CLASS 1.—FOWLS.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Pair Brahmas of 1899, any variety	\$3	\$2	\$1	H.C.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
2. Pair Cochins of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
3. Pair Langshans of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
4. Pair Plymouth Rocks of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
5. Pair Wyandottes of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
6. Pair Minorcas or Andalusians of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
7. Pair Leghorns of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
8. Pair Dorkings of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
9. Pair Houdans La Fleche or Creve Coeurs of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
10. Pair Indian Game or *A.O.V. Game of 1899, any variety	3	2	1	H.C.
11. Pair cross breeds of 1899, any cross	3	2	1	H.C.

Sweepstake.

12. Best pair in class 1 . . . 5

CLASS 2.—TURKEYS.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Pair Turkeys, any age, males	\$4	\$3	\$1	H.C.
2. Pair Turkeys, any age, females	4	3	1	H.C.
3. Pair Turkeys of 1899, males	4	3	1	H.C.
4. Pair Turkeys of 1899, females	4	3	1	H.C.

*Any other variety.

Sweepstake.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
5. Best pair in class 2 . . .	5			

CLASS 3.—GEESE.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Pair Geese of 1899, white	\$4	3	1	H.C.
2. Pair Geese of 1899, colored	4	3	1	H.C.

Sweepstake.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
3. Best pair in class 3 . . .	\$5			

CLASS 4.—DUCKS.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Pair ducks of 1899, white	\$4	\$3	\$1	H.C.
2. Pair ducks of 1899, colored	4	3	1	H.C.

Sweepstake.

3. Best pair in class 4 . . . 5

CLASS 5.—COLLECTION OF FOWLS.

1. Six Brahmas, Cochins, or Langshans of 1899	\$5	\$2	\$1	H.C.
2. Six Plymouth Rocks or Wyandottes of 1899	5	2	1	H.C.
3. Six Minorcas, Andalusians or Leghorns of 1899	5	2	1	H.C.
4. Six Dorkings, Houdans La Fleche or Creve Coeurs of 1899	5	2	1	H.C.
5. Six Games of 1899	5	2	1	H.C.
6. Six cross-breeds of 1899	5	2	1	H.C.

CLASS 6.—COLLECTION OF TURKEYS, GEESE, AND DUCKS.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Six turkeys of 1899	\$5	\$3	\$1	H.C.
2. Six geese of 1899	5	3	1	H.C.
3. Six ducks of 1899	5	3	1	H.C.

CLASS 7.—EGGS. (Double Yolks Barred.)

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. Two dozen eggs, heaviest and best, white	\$3	\$2	\$1	H.C.
2. Two dozen eggs, heaviest and best, brown	3	2	1	H.C.

CLASS 8.—GRAND SPECIALS.

Sec.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
1. For best collection of dressed poultry. Prize, a one hundred egg incubator and brooder, manufactured and donated by J. E. Meyer, Kossuth, Ont.				
2. For best collection of dressed poultry exhibited in any one section of classes 1, 2, 3, or 4. Prize, a one hundred egg incubator and brooder, manufactured and donated by John S. Pearce & Co., London, Ont.				
3. For best collection of dressed poultry exhibited in any one section of classes 5 or 6. Prize, a trio of Buff Plymouth Rocks, bred and donated by Robert H. Essex, Toronto, Ont. Value.. \$10 00				

RULES GOVERNING DRESSED POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

1. All poultry shown must have been bred and fed by exhibitor, and shall be labelled with the name of the variety of the breed to which it belongs. Cross-breeds shall be labelled with the names of the varieties of the breeds used in the cross mating.