

POULTRY AND EGGS

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ANCONAS—"English imported egg machines." Eat less, lay more, winning everywhere. Special best pen, \$2 setting. Also Barred Rocks; line bred from Madison Square Garden winners, \$4 setting. John A. Nash, Secretary Canadian Barred Rock Club, London.

BEST Royal Blood Barred Rocks. Cockerels, two dollars; pullets and hens, one dollar. Eggs, one twenty per fifteen; five dollars per hundred. A. C. Donaghy, Colborne, Ont.

BARRED Plymouth Rock cockerels. High-grade birds at reasonable prices. Write your wants. Leslie Kerns, Freeman, Ontario.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Fine heavy birds for sale. My strains have won a large share of first prizes at London Western Fair for the past eight years. Also choice Partridge Wyandotte cockerels. R. G. Rose, Glanworth, Ont.

BARRED ROCKS—Eggs from winners at Toronto, Guelph, Galt, Hamilton. Both cockerel and pullet mating; \$2.00 per setting. Some nice cockerels for sale at \$2.00 and \$3.00. G. Morton, Box 130, Carleton Place, Ont.

BUFF ORPINGTONS—Pure-bred. Ten splenic did brood, deep, thick cockerels, \$3 each. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hugh A. Scott, Oakville, Ontario.

BUY BABY CHICKS—Save money, time, worry. Thoroughbred laying strains. They live, they grow, they pay. Safe delivery guaranteed. Circulars. Brant Poultry Yards, Brantford, Ontario.

BARRED ROCK EGGS FOR HATCHING—One dollar for thirteen. Nelson Smith, Jerseyville, Ontario.

DON'T BUY EGGS OR CHICKS until you read my two circulars on the most profitable fowls on earth. Post card gets circular. Write to-day. Edmund Apps, Box 224, Vice-President International Ancona Club, Brantford, Ontario.

EGGS—Rose-comb Rhode Island Reds, large, even-colored birds, heavy layers, one-fifty per fifteen. Dore & McKend, Cobourg, Ont.

EGGS from S.C. White Leghorns, \$1.00; Golden-faced Wyandottes, \$2.00 per setting. R. H. Sanders, Box 22, Ealing, Ontario.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Barred and Buff Rocks, Brown Leghorns, Black Wyandottes, Red Caps, Buff Cochins Bants, \$1.00 per 13, \$2 per 30. A fair hatch guaranteed. Joseph Foster, Brampton, Ontario.

EGGS—\$1.50 per setting. Barred Rocks, Indian Runner Ducks. H. N. Tisdelle, Tilbury, Ontario.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—From Barred Rocks, Partridge Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, White Wyandottes, White and Brown Leghorns. Bred to lay; grow quickly; fatten readily. \$1.50 per 15; \$6.00 per 100. Norfolk Specialty Farm Co., Ltd., St. Williams, Ontario.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—From pure-bred White Wyandottes; \$1.00 per 15. N. McCully, St. Mary's, Ontario.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred White Leghorns, cockerels and pullets. Eggs for hatching in season. Robt. Hughes, Ideal Poultry-yards, Collingwood, Ontario.

FOR SALE—Choice breeding Pekin ducks, both sexes; prizewinners at fall fairs. Garland Bros., Pickerton, Ontario.

FOR SALE—Single-comb Brown Leghorns. Cock and six cockerels, one to three dollars. Arthur Irwin, Mt. Forest.

FOR SALE—Eggs from prizewinning Buff Orpingtons. Prices reasonable. Rev. G. A. Mason, West Shefford, Que.

FOR SALE—Five choice White Wyandotte cockerels at \$2.50 each. Eggs for hatching. Write your wants. R. D. Kerr, Fergus, Ontario.

GOLDEN, Silver and Amherst Pheasants—First-prize birds; perfect. Richard Hill, Ross Pheasantry, 1036 Laura St., London, Ont.

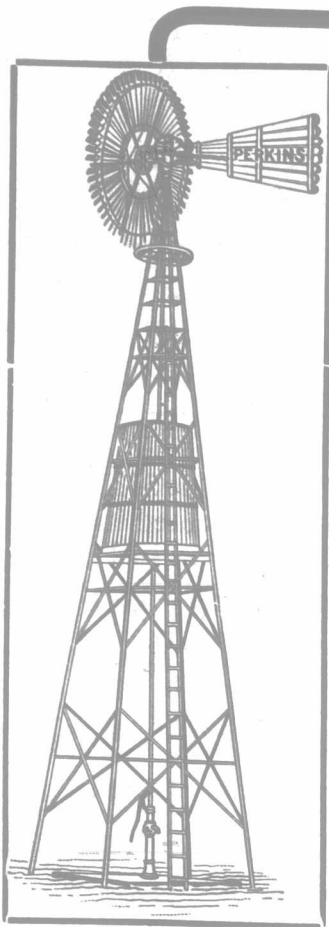
HATCHING EGGS—Single-comb White Leghorns. Size, vigor, productiveness; unexcelled eggs. Dollar setting; four dollars hundred. E. W. Burt, Paris, Ontario.

INDIAN RUNNER DRAKES FOR SALE—\$2.00 and \$3.00 each. I improve your stock by getting an exhibition, pure fawn and white, nicely marked drake. E. E. McCombs, Pelham Corners, Ontario.

ROSE AND SINGLE-COMB ANCONAS (egg wonders); White and Columbian Wyandottes; all standard-bred; great layers. Eggs, \$1.00 per 15. H. F. Kennedy, Lyons, Ont.

REGAL WHITE WYANDOTTES—Splendid cockerels, \$2. Eggs, \$1 per 15. Edith Clapp, Tecumseh, Ontario.

RHODE ISLAND RED EGGS—Either comb, \$1.00 per 15; 100, \$4.50. Wm. Runchey, Byng, Ontario.



Perkins' Windmill & Engine Company

(Factory: Elshawaka, Indiana, U. S. A.)
LONDON, ONTARIO

(Established 1860, the oldest and largest of its kind in the world.)

We are manufacturers of

PERKINS' WOOD and STEEL WHEELS
(54 different styles and sizes)

Also **STEEL TOWERS and GALVANIZED STEEL TANKS and PUMPS**

PERKINS' GAS and GASOLINE ENGINES
(2 to 30 horsepower)

PUMP JACKS, WOOD SAWS, FEED GRINDERS, etc.

Full stock of repairs carried at London, Ont.

RARE BARGAIN—Barred Rock cockerels, great big, strong birds, two and three dollars each. James Coker, Jerseyville, Ont.

SINGLE-COMB Rhode Island Red eggs from pens especially mated for size, color and winter layers, \$2.00 and \$3.00 per 15. Order early. Also one pen of Single-comb Anconas, 10 pullets and cockerel for sale. Joshua Houser, Vineland, Ontario.

SINGLE-COMBED WHITE LEGHORNS—Heavy winter-laying strains. No. 1 pen, \$1 setting; \$5 hundred; Nos. 2 and 3 pens, 75c. setting, \$4.25 hundred. Guaranteed 9 chicks, or all clear eggs replaced free if returned. Shipped in special egg baskets. A. Lawson, Trenton, Ontario.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND RED PULLETS for sale. Good layers. Eggs for hatching, one dollar per fifteen. J. H. Stevenson, Cope-town, Ontario.

SEND for my circular of twenty-five varieties of poultry. Robert Houser, Canboro, Ontario.

STOCK AND EGGS—From prizewinning Golden and Silver Sebright and Black Rose-comb Bantams, Indian Cornish Game and Light Brahmas. M. B. Cosby, Smithville, Ontario.

WE CAN SUPPLY you with hatching eggs from the very best breeds, express prepaid to your nearest express office. Send for catalogue containing prices. J. H. Rutherford, Box No. 62, Caledon East, Ontario.

\$6.41 PER HEN—Write for our beautiful fully illustrated catalogue. Photos from life. B. P. Rocks, White Wyandottes, R. C. R. I. Reds, S. C. White Leghorns. Eggs: \$1.50 per 15; \$2.75 per 30; \$7.00 per 100. L. R. Guild, Box 16, Rockwood, Ont.

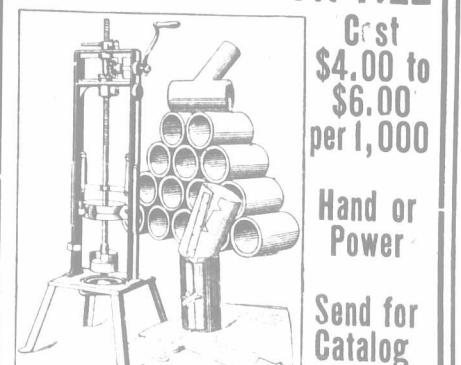
CANADA'S CHAMPION Barred Rock Cockerels

While they last, \$7 cockerels at \$5 each; \$5 cockerel, at \$3.50 each; 200 yearling hens and pullets, \$3 each.

Orders filled as received. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

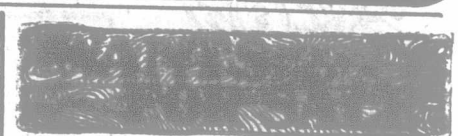
JNO. PRINGLE, London, Ont.

MAKE YOUR OWN TILE



Farmers' Cement Tile Machine Co.
WALKERVILLE, ONT.

PLEASE MENTION THE ADVOCATE.



A FEW MORE FERRETS LEFT, at three dollars each. Wanted, Peafowl and foxes. Jno. Downham, Strathroy, Ontario.

FARM FOR SALE—172 acres, situated close to Berlin and Waterloo, in good state of cultivation. Good buildings and good water. Apply to Jno. H. Frey, Bridgeport, Ontario.

FOR SALE—Choice Alberta farm. One-half section of ideal grain and hay land, all fenced, 200 acres under cultivation, water unexcelled, \$4,500 worth of improvements, \$2,000 frame house with furnace, chicken house 14x60, also implement shed, barn and stable; granary and underground storage for 2,000 bushels of potatoes. Farm situated one-half mile from Fleet, on the C.P.R., Lacombe Outlook branch. Price for half section, \$12,000; \$6,000 down, balance on mortgage. This price also includes a homestead three miles distant, making 480 acres. Apply: Box 202, Castor, Alta., or Box 346, Ingersoll, Ont. Ernest Paterson, Castor, Alta.

WANTED—Herdsmen, single man, yearly engagement. Apply: Oak Park Stock Farm Co., Brantford.

WANTED—On 20th March, a married man with small or no family, to work 130-acre farm. Must be experienced in handling horses. References required. Apply at once to I. R. Thompson, Box 235, Guelph.

WANTED—Cash paid for Military Land Grants in Northern Ontario. Please state price and location. Box 88, Brantford.

WANTED—Position as farm manager, married; competent to take full charge on fruit, stock, dairy or mixed farming. Best of references. Address: P. R., "Farmer's Advocate," London, Ontario.

800 ACRE FARM—For sale or rent, at Swan River, Manitoba; 400 acres cultivated. No one but a first-class man with means need apply. Mrs. N. Gable, 181 Canora St., Winnipeg.

WANTED—At the Delhi Tannery, Custom Robe and Fur Tanning. Horse and cattle hides make best Robes and Coats when properly tanned and made up right. Send them to me and have them dressed right, and you will be well satisfied. B. F. BELL, Delhi, Ont.

YOUNG MEN FOR ONTARIO FARMS

Arriving April, May. Write for application form and terms to:

R. A. MACFARLANE, Boys' Farmer League
Drawer 126, Winona, Ont.



Quatrains From a Cook.

(With apologies to Omar Khayyam.)

Myself when young did eagerly peruse
The Cook-book's pages, and would often
choose

Some rare confection to display my
skill—
Ah, why did they my offerings refuse?

Come, lift the lid, and in the glowing
fire

Destroy the dish to which we did aspire,
Come, let us scatter it to bits—and
then

Remake it nearer to our hearts' desire.

I sometimes think that never looks so
queer

A cake, as when 'tis watched with loving
care,

What! let us leave it, careless how it
bakes,

And, lo, it rises feather-light and fair.

The angel-cake we set our hearts upon
Turns ashes, or it prospers; and anon

We eat it for our supper, and behold,
It sweetens one brief hour, and is gone.

The revelations of devout and learn'd
Will never save a pie from being burned;

Yea, only time can teach the sleight-
of-hand

With which a tender pancake should be
turned.

Dawn! and the bread looks flat, and in
despair

The voice of One-who-knows-it-all I hear:
"You did not keep it warm enough to
rise!"

Yesterday this day's sadness did prepare.

And you, who for perfection vainly yearn,
No "Household Hints" can save you from
your turn;

One thing is certain, and the rest is
lies—

Some day—some day—your marmalade
will burn.

—Harper's Weekly.

Art Building for Western Fair.

There is every reason for a strong hope that before the next exhibition is held at the Western Fair grounds, London, Ont., a separate building may be provided as an art gallery. Such a building is greatly needed. Heretofore London has not smiled upon art, at least at the Western Fair. The wing once provided for exhibits of this class was badly lighted, badly ventilated, and unattractive in the extreme, but had become even worse during the last two years, when the paintings, many of which were worthy of better treatment, were crowded in a dark alcove at one end of the Women's Building.

Under such circumstances, it was little wonder that but few of the best Canadian artists were ever moved to send their productions to London. It is not stretching a point to predict, however, that just as soon as a comfortable, artistic and suitably-lighted building has been provided for the purpose, a different story will be speedily told, so that London may have some hope of eventually becoming, as she should be, a center of art for Western Ontario. Good luck, then, to the enterprise. The necessity for the education of the people, as well as the increasing interest in art in both city and country, demands that it be carried to a successful issue, and that as soon as may be.

JUST GRINS.

The father of several boys was recently busily engaged in writing, sitting near the window, when he heard a shrill cry of "Dad! Dad!" from his youngest born, who was playing with neighbors' children outside.

"What a trial my children are!" murmured the distinguished man, as he thrust his head out of the window.

"Well, boy," he asked, "what is it?"

Whereupon the lad, who was standing in the center of a group of youngsters, replied:

"Willie Johnson wouldn't believe that you hadn't hair on your head. That's all, Dad."

—Christian Guardian.