

Challenge.

Editor Review :

DEAR SIR :—

Last fall we had a flying match, Toronto against St. Catharines, home and home fly, but it did not turn out very successfully—only two birds arriving home: Mr. Adams' early the next morning, and Mr. Bessey's ten days afterwards. A few days ago I received a letter from Mr. Bessey, offering to fly, against Toronto, a fifty mile match for \$25, or a cup of same value.

Now, on behalf of the owners of flying stock in Toronto, I hereby challenge the Homing Pigeon fanciers of St. Catharines to fly a home and home match for a cup, value \$25, or for \$50; Toronto to put up \$25, St. Catharines the same, and the amount be divided into three prizes, \$25, \$15, and \$10; match to take place not later than the 1st of June; each can send as many birds as they please.

If this fly meet with the ideas of the St. Catharines fanciers, let them place a forfeit of \$10 in your hands, we will do the same, and the balance to be deposited with you before the 24th of May.

Yours,

JOHN JAMES,
for Toronto.

Toronto, April 8th, 1879.

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