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NOTES AND COMMENTS

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

With this issue the REVIEW begins its twelfth year and we hope it may prove a successful and instructive year to all.

Amongst other features of interest for 1889 will be the monthly portraits of English winners, and a series of articles on pheasants (illustrated.) We have also completed arrangements with the *Poultry Keeper* Parkesburg, Pa. for the use of some dozens of cuts of Poultry houses, appliances, etc. These were engraved with a view to the thoroughly practical side of Poultry culture, and will prove of immense value to our fanciers. Having inaugurated *Pigeons and Pets* in the interests of the pigeon and pet stock fanciers, the REVIEW will be entirely devoted to poultry culture in all its phases.

We ask the co-operation of all fanciers in our efforts; a careful perusal of "Science" letter in this issue will show one way in which each and every one may provide his quota for the general welfare.

In conclusion we again wish our readers, one and all a very happy and prosperous

NEW YEAR.

HEY! COME BACK AND

Patch up that broken pane,
Nail up that loose batten,
Bank earth around those sills,
Clean off those dropping boards,

(If you have any,
Ten to one you hav'nt),
Clean out your water dishes,
If hot water is cheap.
Chop and steep some of that
Clover hay.
Rake under that foul earth.
Separate the hens and pullets.
The fat hens and
The lean ones.
Send your renewal for REVIEW
With a new subscriber.

MESSRS. ABBOTT BROS.,

Eng., have just delivered through their agent, Mr. Jno. Nunn, a trio of Golden Sebright and two Black-red Game Bantam hens to Mr. J. G. Ford, Milton, and a Black-red Bantam cock to Messrs. Thompson & Son, Toronto. They also sent out a consignment of Red-caps.

MR. SHARP BUTTERFIELD

is to act as one of the judges at the Michigan State Poultry and Pet Stock Association Show, to be held in Bay City, Jan. 23 to 30.

WE REGRET TO HEAR

that Rev. H. W. Barnes, president of the Kempenfeldt Association, has been and is very ill with typhoid fever.

MR. A. F. PIERCE,

at Danielsville, Conn., won the Game Challenge cup with the Brown-red cock, "Sir Beverly," with a score of 97¾, taking also sweepstake for best bird in the show. He also took the Challenge Cup on Game Bantams with a Pyle.

MR. J. M. MACPHERSON

wrote us from London, England, that he expected to leave there about Christmas, with, to use his own words, "a lot of big fowls and some cracking good dogs."

THE MONTREAL ASSOCIATION

have decided on Jan. 29, 30 and 31 as the date of their show. J. Y. Bicknell does the scoring.

PIGEONS & PETS

for January will contain a portrait of an Oriental Turbit Hen, an English winner.

DIDN'T WANT HER CHICKENS.

BRANTFORD, Nov. 29.—A curious case came up at the Police Court this morning, when Mr. R. Elliott was charged with cruelty to a domestic fowl. It appeared that some hens belonging to a neighbor, Mrs. J. Cunningham, strayed on his premises and he took one and threw it back with such force as to break its thigh. He was fined \$2.

If we were the Magistrate we should feel inclined to add an o to the \$2.

THE FIRST NUMBER

of *The Orange News* published at Los Angeles, Co. Cal., by Mr. Jas. Fullerton has just reached us. It is well printed on fine paper and contains four pages of carefully selected reading matter and items of local and foreign news; not the least interesting is a column article on "The Poultry Yard in California."