

first, mossy tail, legs pale; fourth good legs, deeper color, not so even. First black cock, a nice blocky fellow, neat head and comb; second a big good one, not in shape; third lustrous color, big. First hen, very lustrous color not as large as second, a nice blocky one as is third. Chicks show improvement, a well grown good colored lot.

Andalusians—Old birds fair. Chicks nice, of which first pullet is the pick, a sound colored well laced one. First cockerel a good one, spoiled by a bad comb. Houdans excellent. Here Mr. Trew had a field day, and in addition to his other wins was awarded the medal for A.V. French cockerel with a big fellow of fine color and "meaty" shape. A good lot all through. LeFleche and Creves not large classes but really good, cards all going to R. Oke, who also won medal for best collection French. We greatly liked the winning Creve chicks. Polands and Hamburgs were both numerous and good as is always the case here, though we noticed several Polands with cards which were not up to the mark. Games made large classes. In black-reds Mr. Main won well with his recent importations. Mr. Barber as usual was well up in the money and we were glad to see Mr. Goulding once more enter the lists. Some rather severe criticism was heard on the judging in this section, and also that for Game Bantams, but we are sure Mr. Butterfield pleased himself although in some cases our own opinion was "with the other fellow." Game Bantams were numerous though here and in the large section Messrs. Oldrieve & Wilkinson's exhibit was missed. As a whole we doubt if the Game Bantam section showed such a high average quality as shows of a few years ago.

Buff Leghorns made an immense showing, great quality and much improvement are visible. First cock a high colored one, tail not all in, short on leg, good comb, lobes too yellow; second even in color, on good legs, stands well up, good shanks and evenly serrated comb down a bit at the back, lobes wrinkled, little white in face, clear buff tail; third uneven in color, too red, good tail. First hen a grand big one, very even light color, nice lobe, bad comb; second a nice smaller hen, little mottled in color, good lobe, legs and beak; third larger, good even color, small and rather thick comb, lobes not good, nice yellow legs; fourth a good one in bad fit. First and medal cockerel, a large one of good color, but lacks shape, too long in back, fair comb and lobes, good legs, shows rather pale in face; second even in color, fair lobes and comb, nice shape and good legs; third a big one of fair shape on the best of legs, good lobes, comb follows the neck. First pullet very even in color all over and good underneath, deep in shade, good legs, young, a nice one; second a shade or two

lighter, even, larger, good legs, nice lobes and comb; third a big even colored pullet, a little flecked in hackle and tail, good head and comb, nice legs; fourth even and close up. The pens were excellent especially first, a very even lot as indeed were second. Blacks a fair lot in which first cock and first hen stood out prominently, though the former is red in lobe. First cockerel and first pullet also well shown, improving in color and style, in which points the pullet excels, a large and good bird. First brown cock very good in color, red in face and stylish; good lobe and comb; second a heavy bodied bird in full feather, beefy comb; third a neat small one. Hens a good class all through. The winning chicks were really good and grandly shown, typical in shape and of good color; a nice lot. First white cock a typical bird on good shanks, good face and comb, fair lobes; second larger, a bit white in face, good color and comb. First hen a neat one, good comb and legs, a shade creamy in color; second good, not in shape. First cockerel a nice little one, good head, comb and lobes, neat yellow legs; second close up not so clear in color; third a good one spoiled by sun burn. First and second pullets two grand ones, good all through; third close up. Javas, blacks not large but good classes, the winning chicks a grand pair. Old whites good but badly shown, young better, a good lot. Red Caps few entries but good. First cockerel a big one with good comb, body and color. In Spanish Mr. Hare won well with a good all round team of high quality. Any other variety was made up of Sultans, Frizzles, and white and black Orpingtons. Silkies were few but good. Rose-comb white Leghorns small classes but quality good, especially color. First chicks best of lot. Browns fair, combs on males much too large.

The Meyer and Gerred Incubators and brooders were shown and were awarded medals, etc. Panacea had a large stand in care of Mr. De Witt, and their goods seemed to be in repute. Other stands were occupied by Mr. Freeman of Hamilton, and The Bradley Co., who both showed meat meals, bone, etc. Mr. Daniels showed several bone cutters and a grit box of novel shape, useful and cheap.

Ornamental Bantams were larger than ever and all good. Space will not permit us to criticize each bird as we should like to do. Turkeys, ducks and geese were a grand lot especially the ducks in Rouen, Pekin and Aylesbury.

#### LIST OF AWARDS.

*Brahmas*—Dark, cock 1 and 2 Thorpe & Scott, VHC J Brown, hens 1 and 2 Thorpe & Scott, VHC Brown. Light, cock 1 Cole & Briggs, hen 1 and 2 Cole & Briggs, VHC F C Hutton. *Cochins*—Buff, cock 1 and 2 H Wyatt, 3 Eisele, 4 A W Bell, VHC Callander, hen 1 Bell, 2 Hare, 3 Emrick. Partridge, cock 1 Fell, 2 Pequegnat, VHC Raffey,