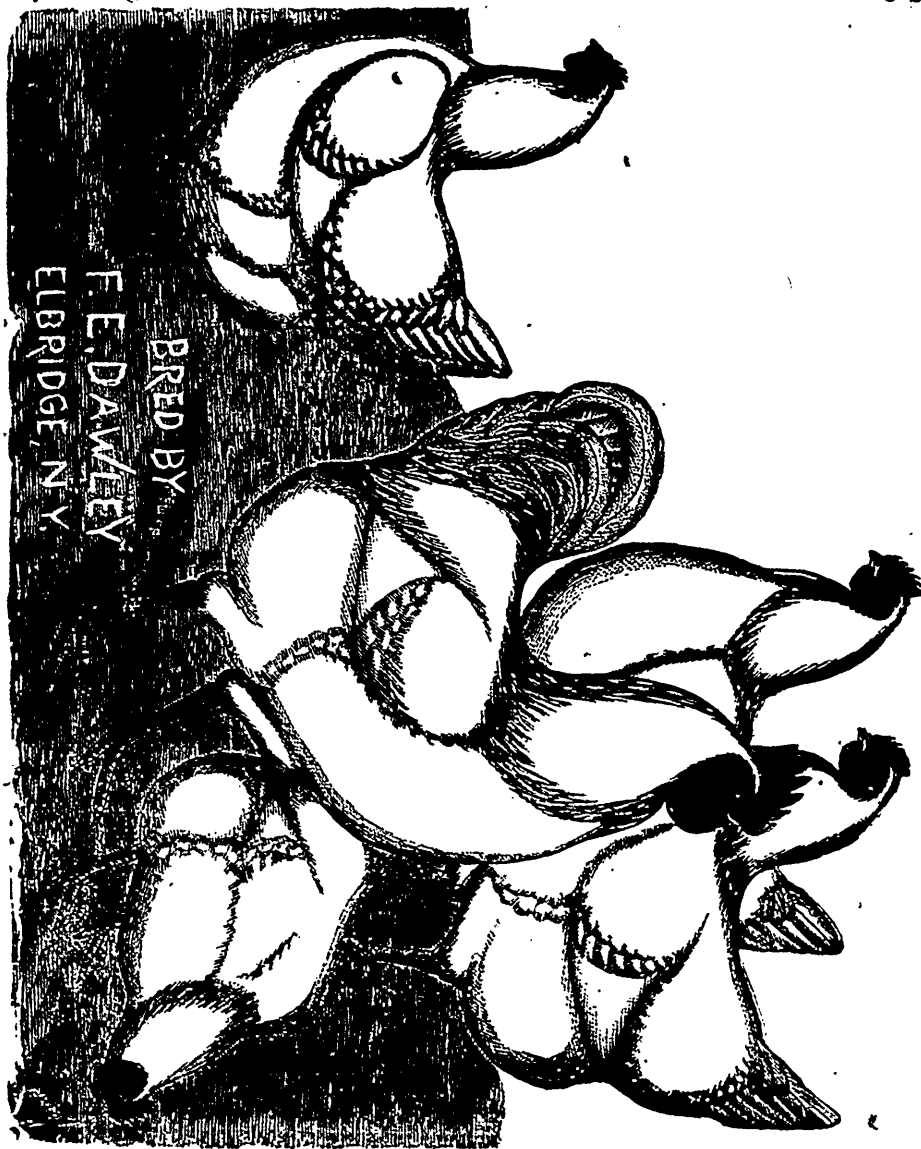


White Plymouth Rocks.

OUR illustration this week is of one of the most popular new varieties of white fowl and one we think destined to keep its place in public favor. Mr. Dawley says they are great favorites with him,

favor above the barred Rocks on account of their "self color," many people thinking they will be easier to breed, and they may be, as there is but the uniform white color to control. In breeding these much regard has been paid to size the last two or three years, those we have seen of late being far



and appears highly satisfied with them. They are said to be a sport of the barred Plymouth Rock and so we may expect them to be a fine general purpose fowl; for market, all the quills being white, they would present a very nice appearance. They will very likely step into

heavier and more compact bodied birds than at first shown of the new variety. The craze for new breeds sometimes develops in an unhealthy direction, by fixing its choice on a breed destitute of any merit as a practical utility fowl. Not so in this case