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NCLE SAM sent two millions of dollars into Canada during 1889 for eggs.

Only three countries on the globe export eggs extensively. France heads the list and our own Dominion stands next.

Elora poultry show was a success in dressed poultry particularly; the prizes for live birds were captured by local fanciers who made a good exhibit.

A poultry and pet stock association is mooted in Gananoque.

Geo. Carley has purchased the entire outfit of Rev. W. H. Barnes, of Barrie, except the stock, and has all the appliances for a fine season's business on hand.

W. J. Bell, of Banda is intending exhibiting at Owen Sound. He is delighted with his recent purchases, and is in splendid shape for his coming season.

Mrs. A. Waddell was telling us that she has kept strict account of her fowls and eggs and has the satisfaction of knowing that they have paid her better than anything else on the farm, except the bees.

"Father," said my six year old little one. "How sorry all the people will be to know poor old Captain is dead. "What people my dear," said "Why the folkses what read the paper." "But it will not be in the paper," informed her. "Oh! pa. What shame, and Captain was so awful good all the time, you just put it in pa and then they will be sorry for the poor hens, as well as for Captain not being alive any more." So our obituary column reads

Died.

CAPTAIN.—At Angus, of inflamation of the lungs, aged three years. "Take him for all in all, we ne'er shall look upon his like again." Which is more correct than many epitaphs.

The Michigan society hold their annual exhibitation at Bay City commencing on the 6th inst, and Secretary Brace is most enthusiastic over the prospects "for the best show ever held in the state." B. N. and E. A. Pierce, of Indianapolis, will judge the fowl and Jno Davidson the dogs.

In England a man has been fined heavily for plucking the down from his geese. Commenting on this, a writer in the American Agriculturist recom-