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## OUR POULTRY RETROSPECT, 1871.

"Hark, the cock crows, and yon bright star  
Tells us the day himself's not far;  
And see where, breaking from the night,  
He gilds the western hills with light.  
With him old Janus doth appear,  
Peeping into the future year."

Standing on the threshold of the new year, let us pause for a moment before entering it, and take a review of the one that has just passed away: what efforts have been put forth, what progress made and success attained during it, in regard to poultry, are questions which will naturally arise in the minds of all breeders and fanciers; and it is a pleasing part of our duty to assist in replying to them.

The demand for pure-bred poultry during the past year has greatly increased over that of previous years, and the importations from England and other countries in Europe very much larger. Several English breeders have done a brisk business with their trans-atlantic brethren, and we trust also a remunerative one, whilst in this country not a few