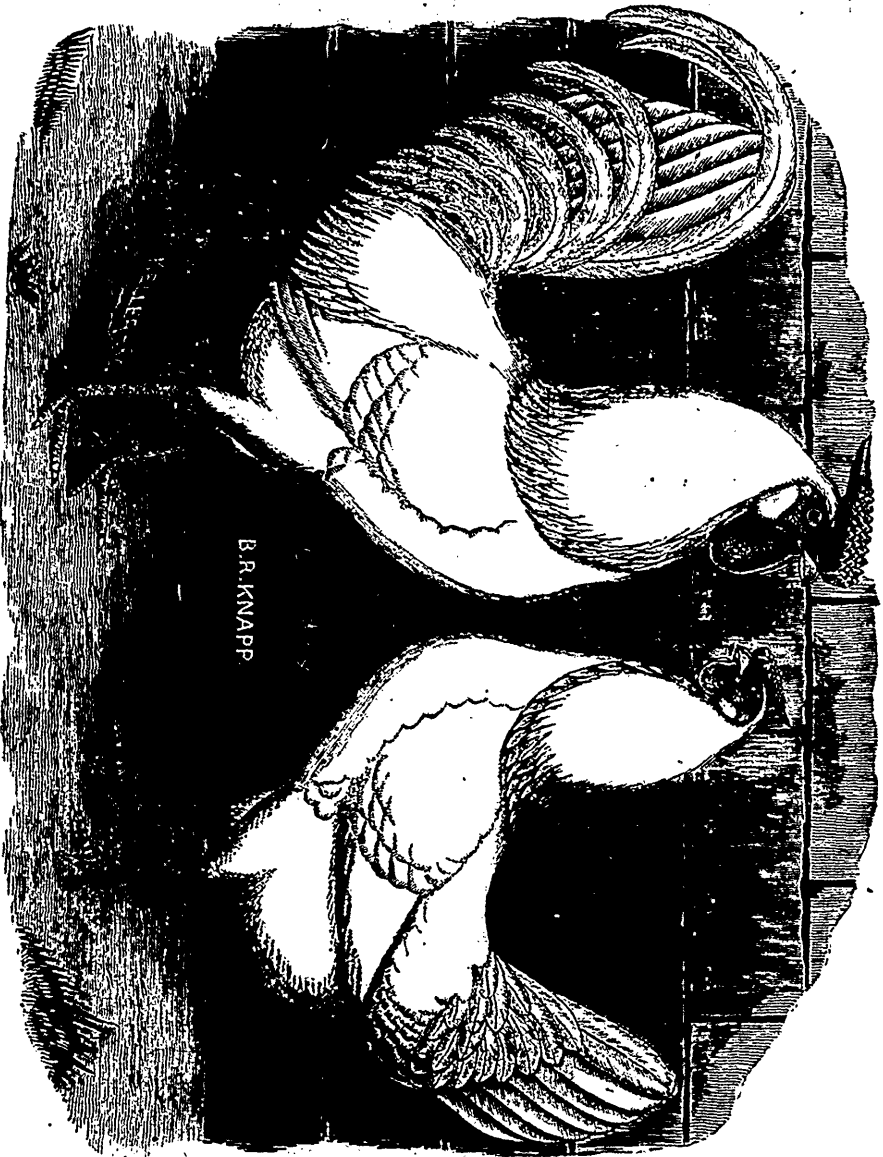


ROSE COMB WHITE LEGHORNS.
OWNED AND BRED BY B. R. KNAPP, CORTLAND, N.Y.



R. C. W. Leghorns.

AMONG the most beautiful and useful of the new varieties we must number the Rose Comb White Leghorn, a cut of which we have chosen as our illustration this week. These handsome birds are bred by Mr. B. R. Knapp, of Cortland, N. Y. He was among the first to recognise their claims to the breeders careful attention, and by adhering to strict lines in breeding them, has done a great deal to advance their popularity, and

establish their claim as one of the most beautiful of the varieties. Mr. Knapp is enthusiastic as to their laying qualities and habit of rapid growth—that great proof of the vigor of a race. Having bred them extensively ourselves we may say they are all Mr. Knapp claims for them. For beauty they cannot be surpassed. They are exceedingly handsome. Their small low combs fit them better for the rigors of our climate than the single comb Leghorns. We feel they will fill a useful place in Canada, rose combs not being so easily frosted. As layers they are among the very best.