

The Seventeenth Annual = = = Exhibition of the Eastern Ontario Poultry Association

will be held at



ALMONTE, ONT.,

For
Premium
Lists, etc.,

JANUARY 14th to 19th, 1901.

F. J. BLAKE,

FRANK W. MCKENZIE,

address A. P. MUTCMOR, Sec'y
162 Sparks Street, Ottawa.

President,

Poultry Judge.

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Free from feathers or down. Toes, four on each foot, straight and of medium length. Shanks or toes orange or deep yellow in color. Front of shanks and top of toes may have a touch of red horn color same as on bill.

STANDARD WEIGHT.

Cock, 7 1-2 pounds; hen, 6 pounds; cockerel, 6 1-2 pounds; pullet, 5 pounds.

NOTE.—Some males now reach 9 and 10 lbs., and hens 7½ lbs. These may continue to be bred by some, because desirable for a certain special purpose, but stock of the above weights make best early maturing all purpose fowl. With this breed however, weight is little indication of proper size. Judges should be very lenient with over weight in old birds in winter and with under weight in young stock in the fall provided latter are properly developed.

DISQUALIFICATIONS IN THE SHOW ROOM.

Feathers or down on shanks or toes or evidence of their removal. White in any part of the plumage, or missing

feathers. Permanent white in earlobe of male or female. Badly lopped comb or side sprigs on single comb. Wry tail, crooked back, keel, toes or beak or any other deformity. Black in surface color of male except in tail or in surface color of female except in tail and on tips of hackle feathers on lower part of female's neck. Only specimens of this breed having bright healthy red color of comb, wattles and earlobes and an appearance of vigor should be eligible for honors.

NOTE.—Single comb and rose comb specimens should never be judged in the same class. Although perfect undercolor is very desirable on a good all round bird, it should receive little consideration in the show room unless accompanying the typical shape and good red surface color as well as excellence of eyes, comb and feet. In other words an excellent bird in all other respects but having a slight amount of slate undercolor should not be displaced by one much inferior simply because it has the desired undercolor. On the other hand,

very red plumage with white or dark slate underneath should not be preferred to fairly red surface feathers that are clear salmon beneath if other qualities are about equal.

Defects to be avoided.—Very fluffy or Cochin feathering. Cochin cushion on female. Clear light yellow bill or black on bill. White, pearl or fish eyes. Eyes not alike in color or having pupil obliterated. Long or perpendicular spike on rose comb. High or perfectly upright tails. Green on shanks.

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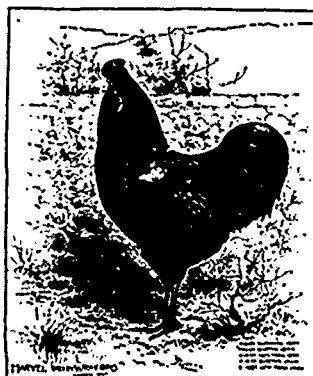
1, 2, 3 cock, 2, 3, 4 hen

1, 2, 3 chl., 1, 2, 3 pullet.

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7 birds shown : 2nd cock, 4th cockerel,
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