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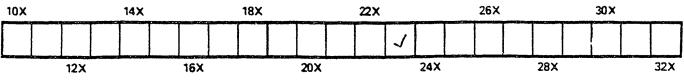
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Artificial Rearing of Domestic Fowls.

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No. IV.

The chicks soon showed me how sensible they were of the merits of this artificial mother. They loved to remain under it, where they were warmer than anywhere else, and to press it very close. When they had taken their meals, they ran and capered about, and as they began to be tired or to be no longer warm enough, they repaired under this mother, and went so deep into it that they could not do otherwise than squat upon their belly; and when this artificial mother was taken up I saw the impression of the back of several chickens sensibly marked in the fur lining.

The breadth of this artificial mother is determined by that of the chicken house, into which it must be introduced with ease. Its breadth or depth is arbitrary, and must be proportioned to the number of chickens you are willing it should contain. I made it fifteen inches, which is sufficient for fifty or sixty very young chicks. The age of those who are to be covered and kept warm there requires that one should have many of these mothers, some higher, some lower at the entrance and at the bottom of the chicken house, for it is proper to have a variety of them for the chickens that differ much from each other in point of shape.

The small timber work of this mother consists in the wooden frame, which is the roof of it. This frame leaves a pliantness in the fur now stretched upon the interior surface of it, which it would not have if that roof was a bourd. It rests upon four feet, the two hinder ones .f which are very short; two inches is a sufficient height for them. The two fore feet must be but four inches high if the box is designed for new hatched chicks, and they are made higher when intended for older ones; in which case the hinder feet are also to be made higher in proportion. It was with a lamb skin, garnished with good long wool, that I caused the inside of the artificial mother to be lined, and I caused a curtain to be put to the fore part of the mothers; this being let down at night when the heat of the cavity seemed not to be over and above strong; it tended to make the chicks pass the night with greater warmth and comfort.

You make yourself sure of the heat that reigns in this furred lodge as you make yourself sure of the heat of the ovens, that is by the thermometer. It is not of such importance to know the excessive heat with such exactness as it is to know the heat for hatching the eggs. When the little ones are too warm under the mother, they know very well how to go from it, to spread about the chicken other chicken houses, and its height or depth is

house, or to go and flock together at the more temperate end of it. There is no natural mother that can do the little chickens so much good as the artificial one; they are not long without knowing the value of it, and after contracting a kind of fondness for it; instinct is a quick and sure director to the animals who have no other guide, as it teaches there what they ought to love and seek for. Chickens drawn out of the oven twenty-four hours after their birth, and put into the chicken house will, of their own accord begin to pick up and swallow the small grains or crumbs of bread which are laid before them, and after they have eaten and walked about for some time, they generally, of their own accord, fill, the fleecy lodge under which they go to warm and rest themselves, and they remain there till the want of eating, or a desire of stirring, puts them in motion again. All in the chicken house never fail to go under the mother at night, and they have it exactly at break of day. If you procure them a seeming day before the rising of the sun, by bringing a light near the chicken house, they come cut and pick up the remainder of the food they have left. They in that case want to eat at hours when the hens would not be hungry, and are more casy to be waked and put in motion. Hens kept in the same place where the chicken houses are, remain quiet at the approach of the light that causes all the chickens to move. ThisI have experienced a number of times.

It is an advantage to the little chicks not to live with any but those that are nearly of the same age with them; the new born ones suffer much and run some hazard when they have for their companions brisker chickens that have already acquired some vigour: they often overthrow and tread upon them to gain their ends. Lively chickens that follow each other, and continue thus to tread on the one that has been thrown down, and which is now upon its back with its legs upwards, make it altogether impossible for him to rise again, and he is often killed by this sort of treatment in a very little time. At meal time the weakest have nothing but what the strongest are pleased to leave them, these very often possess themselves of the best places under the mother, which the others are the worse for disputing with them.

When the little chicks have dwelt seven or eight days in the first chicken house, and are grown strong enough not to have anything to fear from other chickens, as for instance, chickens a fortnight or three weeks old, I lodge them in company with those in the second chicken house till they are about a month old, and then I convey them This is more spacious, and I disinto the third tinguish it from the other two by calling it the weaning house. It is twice as broad as the two

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also double theirs, that the chickens which began to use their wings may not fly over its sides. It has, however, a cover as well as the other chicken houses, and these covers do not hinder the air from being renewed in the boxes, nor the chickens from enjoying the light. A variety of events have showed me the necessity of having recourse to these. Cats or rats would never miss any of the opportunities they might have to make much havoc in the chicken houses, and a great many murders would be committed there, as well as in the weaning house, if they could get free access.

(To be continued)

The Jack Rabbit of Texas.

THE ANIMAL WHOSE OFFICE HOURS ARE BE-TWEEN SUNSET AND SUNRISE.

The jack rabbit is an inhabitant of Texas and of some other Western States. He is often called the "mule-cared rabbit," and by the cow-boy is familiarly spoken of as the "muley." He is not a rabbit at all. A rabbit is an unobtrusive little animal who is found by school boys in a hole in the ground at the end of a long track in the snow The so-called jack rabbit is quite a different kind of soup meat. He is identical with the British hare, except that he is larger, his color lighter, and his ears are much longer. His avoirdupois is about twelve pounds, and his ears measure from tip to tip about sixteen inches. He does not burrow in the ground. He lies under cover of a bunch of prairie grass, but is very seldom found at home, his office hours being between sunset and sunrise. He is to be found during the day on the open prairie, where he feeds on the tender shoots of the mesquite, or sage grass. He is not a ferocious animal, as a stranger might be led to suppose from an examination of what purports to be his picture under the alias of the "Texas Hare," in Gov. Robert's book. The jack rabbit has several enemies, among them the cow boy, who shouts him with his rifle, the coyote and the dog, that try to run him down, and the Governor of Texas above alluded to, who libels him in his book. He has two ways of protecting himself against his enemics. One way is to squat when he suspects danger and fold his ears along his sides. By doing this he often escapes observation, as only his back is exposed, the color of which harmonizes with the brown of the withered grass. The other plan, that he uses when discovered and pursued, is to create remoteness between himself and his pursuer. In giving his whole attention to this matter, when necessary, he is a stupendous success and earnest to a fault. When disturbed he unlimbers his legs, unfurls his ears, and goes off with a bound. He generally stops after running about a hundred

ing the chase as much as he thought he would, and then he leaves for parts unknown. There are many fast things, from an ice boat to a note maturing in the bank, but nothing to equal the jack rabbit. An unfounded rumor gets round pretty lively, but could not keep up with him for two blocks. When an ordinary cur dog tries to expedite a jack rabbit route, he makes a humiliating failure of it. He only gives the rabbit gentle exercise. The latter merely throws up his ears, and under easy sail, skims leisurely along, tacking occasionally to give the funeral procession time to catch up. But if you want to see velocity, urgent speed, and precipitated haste, you have only to turn loose a greyhound in the wake of a jack rabbit. Pursued by a grey-hound he will let himself out in a manner that would astonish a pre-paid half-rate message. If he is a rabbit that has never had any experience with a greyhound before, he will start off at an easy pace, but as he turns to wink derisively at what he supposed to be an ordinary yellow dog he realizes that there is a force in nature hitherto unknown to him, and his look of astonishment, alarm, and disgust, as he furls his ear and promptly declines the nomination, is amusing. Under such circumstances he goes too fast for the eye to follow his movements, and presents the optical illusion of a streak of jack rabbit a mile and a half long.

Judging by the Standard.

The matter of judging at our shows still continues to agitate poultry breeders in all sections of the country, and, I am sorry to say, not without just cause in many instances. And when from ignorance or-shall I say it-design, a judge makes one of these mistakes as some complain of, we at once " pitch into" the Standard, and curse it for the sins of its interpreters, or rather perverters. I say perverters advisedly, for it must be perverted or misunderstood before it is possible to make a mistake in judging a specimen. Therefore I make the assertion that a specimen can be judged fairly by the Standard, and can be judged fairly in no other way, and I will try and tell you why. Suppose you are judging a Light Brahma cock, your first point is symmetry. Here judges may differ a little, but by reading the description given of its meaning it is hard to make a mistake. Size and weight comes next, and here no two can differ, as the scales tell the story. Next comes the head. Here a judge who can read the English language, can hardly fail to give a just verdict. The same is true of the comb, ear lobes and wattles. Neck comes next in the list and requires a little more care, but a man who cannot take the Standard in his hands and pick out neck, has no eye for color, nor anything yards, and looks back to see if his pursuer is enjoy-lelse, in fact. In breast and body the eye that de_

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tects defects in symmetry comes in, and a little care is required to decide this point, but by following the Standard strictly you cannot make a mistake. Next comes wings. Here you have "white and black" for most of it, and can hardly err. Tail, fluff, legs and toes fully explain themselves, and to err in a just verdict on these points shows ignorance of the fowl under examination. In all these parts the experience of the best breeders and judges in America was called in, and the Standard is the result of their united labors. Now is it likely these men framed a Standard they did not understand or could not judge by? And is it so obscure in its language as to be unintel!igible to the average reader or breeder? I say average, because to my thinking an average mind can fully comprehend its meaning. But the trouble is not with the Standard nor with a proper interpretation of it. It is because circumstances come up where it is not wanted to be understood. I wi ot stop to say anything on this last except to say 1 know and others know of times it was perverted to suit the circumstances. But I will tell you how it cannot be so perverted, and how a just verdict can always be had. And besides I will point out a way by which a judge will be entirely protected from suspicion in his decision. It is not new, therefore I claim not patent on it, but it is not generally used, and, therefore, I would urge it on all societies, and judges should do the same. It is this: When a judge comes to judge a show, he should not go into the show room at all. He should be provided with a good seat or place at a window in a room adjoining the show room. Before him with the proper light should be placed a show pen or coop, and two attendants. and these not officers of the show, should bring him a pairwhen they are shown in pairs-of fowls at a time, and in variety when weight is included in the score, it should be reported to the judge with the birds. He should also be provided with a clerk to make the score card as he dictated it. By this plan the judge is saved a great deal of time and labor-can judge faster, and if the audience is to be admitted to the show room, he is not annoyed by any one. No one should be allowed in his room while he is judging but his disinterested assistants, so that he will not be annoyed in any way. In this way he will not be approached by any one, and will not be expected to 'give Mr. President or Mr Secretary 1st premium on his birds, to the exclusive of better ones; he will be entirely protected from suspision as will also be the officers of the association. And he will also be protected from comparisons and prejudices for or against attractive birds, that, like the sepulchres of old-had a fine outward appearance, but come to go beyond

that a most attractive bird may not score " worth a cent," while a less attractive ore may really be a most extraordinary bird. 1 am satisfied this plan would give better satisfaction than any other, and would remove many objections to the Standard. No man of ordinary intelligence and any knowledge of poultry at all can make a mistake in judging by the Standard. *Ignorance* or *knavery* is to blame for *every* case of bad judgement in the use of the Standard. I will not pretend to say which is most to blame.

JAMES M. LAMBING.

Corry, Pa., Feb. 9th, 1881.

Poultry Keeping.

Editor Review,

Since receipt of January's number of REVIEW I have read with considerable pleasure some of the letters therein, giving much information to both young and old poultry fanciers. I note one very useful remark over the signature of "Pure Blood," namely, the use of green clover hay in the hen house in winter as a green food. 'This appeared to me to be the most convenient, wholesome, and perhaps the cheapes' ceen food the poultry fancier can procure—and I think almost any person can secure a few bundles of green clover hay in autumn or winter.

I merely make mention of this to show that at least some of the letters from occasional correspondents, which now and again appear in the columns of your publication, are read and appreciated by others, who are often much benefited by them, as in the present case; not only have I, since reading "Pure Blood's" last letter in REVIEW, but several others whom I mentioned the green clover to as a good winter food, procured supplies of it for their poultry, and find it a decided acquisition to the poultry house. Whoever the pure-blooded gentleman may be who has established himself amongst the readers of the REVIEW over that significent nom-de-plume "Pure Blood," I judged him to be familiar with the many wants and ways of keeping poultry successfully and proftably. I have read several of his letters during the past two years or so, and from each I must acknowledge there is more or less good, plain, and practical information to be gained by the reader.

And again I have found most interesting and useful remarks from letters which appear in REVIEW over the names "Gallinæ," "J. M. Lambing," "X Roads," "H. M. Thomas," and others, and I have no doubt many others have found these gentlemen's letters equally interesting and helpful in their almost daily work in and about their poultry houses.

fine outward appearance, but come to go beyond As I said, I make mention of the above in the the surface were otherwise. Many judges know hope that even a few such dry and plainly written

lines may be in a slight degree encouraging to these gentlemen who have in the past kindly contributed so much towards making the CANADIAN POULTRY REVIEW SO interesting and instructive to its readers. For my own part I am not good at conveying information through the agency of the pen, but, nevertheless, have decided to endeavor by the following lines to contribute what I can towards the reading columns of your February issue.

I have read from time to time of the benefits of a cabbage suspended in the hen house in the winter season, of the necessity of giving your fowls gravel, lime, phosphates, charcoal dust, lime dust, hot and cold food in various forms and qualities. according to the experiences of the different writers, also of giving soft food in the morning and grain for the evening meal, and to be sure and feed corn at the evening meal in cold weather, because when once it goes down it concludes to pay a longer visit to Miss hen than the smaller grains, and hence has the result of keeping Miss hen warm for a longer time.

I have also read of how to build your hen house, this side to the north, that angle to the south, &c, &c., if you want to have the cheering sun's rays during the long, cold winter days shine in among the hens, reminding them of summer so strongly that sometimes they forget it is winter and go and lay an egg-these, and probably Lundreds of other practices which the poultry keeper must attend to if he wishes his birds to live happy and lay eggs in the winter season, I have read over and over again, but for all thet I must add one more essential commodity to the list: for keeping poultry in at least a cleanly state during the winter, and that is the use of pure beach or river sand (no earth or sawdust mixed with it) as a flooring to the fowl house. I have used it alone for the past six months in my own fowl house, which is 141 by 15 feet surface, and can most highly recommend its use to all poultry fanciers or keepers as the most useful flooring I know of, being always more wholesome for the fowls to pick and scratch in than sawdust and other mixtures often used in the fowl house, and certainly the most cleanly flooring which can be had—no dust arising at every stir of the fowls or footstep of yourself when you enter. For the above named surface, $14\frac{1}{2}$ by 15 feet, I purchased last summer what is generally known as an ordinary single cart load of pure river sand, price 75c., and cartage some four miles to my home 75c., making \$1.59 for what has since then given me \$10 worth of extra convenience and pleasure. Of course such an article as sand will vary in price according to the locality.

To keep the flooring clean and sweet I sift the

than one would think, and then sprinkle a few handsful of powdered sulphur over the entire surface, raking same in at once, also a few handsful of the sulphur in and about the nests, roosts, partitions, and, in fact, everywhere pretty much, which, in my case, takes about twenty minutes once each week to do the sifting and all, and I found it is all that is necessary to keep the poultry house perfectly clean.

If these hurried notes are of any use to poultry keepers, please publish them; if you don't consider them so, don't hesitate to destroy them.

> Yours in haste. ENALRAF.M.

Montreal, Feb. 7th, 1882.

Eastern Townships Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Association's Exhibition.

The annual exhibition of the above society was held in Odell's Hall, City of Sherbrooke, Que., from 18th to 21st January, and proved highly satisfactory to the officers of the association, the exhibitors, and to the general public who visited the hall during the four days of its continuance. The average daily attendance was about 600,a slight falling off in this respect from last year, but the improvement in the quality of the specimens fully compensated for this. The show was pronounced by many to have been the best ever held in Canada. Montreal fanciers were, as usual, out in force, and were very successful. Exhibitors and others departed well satisfied with the treatment they received from the officers of the society, especially from the secretary. Mr. James, and the treasurer, Mr. Odell, who were unceasing in their endeavors to promote the comfort of all and the success of the exhibi-The exhibitors who were present were tion. paid their prize money in full before leaving the hall, and those who were not present will receive it as soon as it can be forwarded to them. The show was a complete success financially, as the society after paying all claims, will have a cash balance remaining of over \$100.00. Exhibitors from all parts were unanimous in their praises of the very efficient and courteous manner in which their exhibits were attended to by the Canadian Express Co's agent, at Sherbrooke, Mr. S. J. Floss. We are very much pleased to hear that there is at least one express agent who has-come up to the fancies' standard, and also to learn that when found he is appreciated.

We copy from a letter received from the secretary, Mr. James : "The battle in the Light Plymouth Rock and Black Red Brahma, Game classes was very close. That in the games was a regular Waterloo, there being thirty sand once a week, which is done in a shorter time entries in chicks alone, and the funest yards in

America were represented. If the game contest was Waterloo, that in the Plymouth Rocks was a Sedan. I could only get 2nd on a score of 953 points for a cockerel, and 94 for a pullet, and third almost as high. The first prize pair of chicks, helonging to Mr. Dana, of Portland, Main, attained the almost unprecedented score of 9^f points for cockerel, and 97¹ for pulletthe highest score in the exhibition." Letters below by " Visitor" and " Pure Blood" will give further particulars of the stock, &c.

On Friday evening the members of the Association entertained their visiting friends from Montreal and United States at an

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m one of the rooms below the exhibition hall. the treasurer, Mr. C. J. Odell, presiding. After doing ample justice to the edibles the question of the advisability of organizing a Provincial Association was discussed, Mr. Charles J. Odell, the chairman. Mr. Scriver, president of the Montreal Association, Mr. W. L. Ball, of Richmond, Mr. Costen, of Montreal, Mr. W. F. James, Secretary of of the E. T Association, Mr. Jas. McFarlane, of Montreal, and others taking part in the discussion, and all favoring the project. The chairman thanked the friends from abroad who had so kindly aided the association in the successful issue of the present exhibition, after which the guests departed. After the adjourn meat a committee met and framed by-laws for a Provincial Association, to be submitted to the Montreal association for adoption.

Editor Review.

I have once more had the good fortune to be present at the annual exhibition of the Eastern Townships Poultry Association, meeting many fanciers I saw there last year, besides some new faces. The exhibition was held in Odell Hall, the same as last year, a building 100 by 80, well lighted by skylights by day and gas by night. The order and arrangement was far better than a year ago.

The dogs, 120 in number were chained around the four sides of the hall, a railing being placed about 8 feet from the wall, on which were tacked the names of the breeds, &c. This afforded visitors free information.

This feature of the show was fine. The greyhounds of Mr. Crear, of Quebec, Blenheims, owned by Mr. Hickson, of Montreal, besides many others, were much admired.

The poultry class did not exceed the display of last year numerically, but was far ahead in quality. Light Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Black Red Game taking the lead in numbers and quality. The Light Rrahmas of Mr. Dana of Portland, and Hall of Montreal, were justly well their annual exhibition on January 18th to 21st,

spoken of. Plymouth Rocks shown by Messrs Dana, Connelly, and James, could not be heaten. Black Red Game were represented by about 40 entries, and admitted to be the best lot of game fowls ever exhibited at any exhibition in the Province of Quebec. The other varieties of game were well represented. Mr. Allau, of Wincoski, Vt., exhibited 20 pairs of fine birds. Nearly all the other classes were represented by creditable birds, Leghorns being very numerous, showing their popularity. The bantam class was the poorest in the show, there being only two pair of first-class game bantams, a fine pair of Black Reds, owned by Mr McFarlane, of Montreal, and a pair of Piles from Massachu-The other than Game classes consisted of setts. about 4 pairs. The pigeons were immense,some 200 pairs, 1 should judge, -and of the very higest order of excellence. All classes well represented. 1t would be hard to get a finer collection together.

Taken altogether it was one of the best shows ever held in Quebec, and was highly commented upon by the American exhibitors and visitors. The fanciers and exhibitors were entertained the third evening by the directors of the association to supper, where a very pleasant evening was passed in feasting and speechifying.

Financially the exhibition was a success. Every exhibitor was paid his prizes promptly before leaving the hall.

In my opinion it is a mistake that the Ontario fanciers do not interest themselves in this enterprising, though young association. They require your presence and your exhibits. True, there were a few entries, but not a tenth of what there should have been.

I understand that the matter of a Provincial Association is under consideration, whereby the Eastern Townships, Montreal and Quebec societies will join. This is a step in the right direction, and I look for ward to its becoming one of the strongest societies of the kind on the continent. With the energy, enterprise and means that will be brought in by assimilation, there can be no question about success. Had Optario turned out to this, the only Quebee show of the season, I am sure they would have had a warm reception, both in competition and friendly feeling, and the visit would have been returned at Brantford.

VISITOR.

Richmond, January 20th, 1882.

A DAY IN THE SHOW ROOM.

The seasons in their courses rolling on having brought us to that period when chicken shows are in fashion. The Sherbrooke fanciers held

to which a goodly number of Montreal funciers, with about two car loads of poultry, dogs, and pigeons, found their way to contest for the honor of carrying home their share of the prize money; and as it proved, when the judges got through their arduous task, no small share fell to their lot.

The show this year, as well as last, was well sustained, the entries being about the same, with a decided improvement in most of the classes in the quality of the stock. This is a very gratifying feature in our late shows. The fact is that exhibitors find it of little use now a days to waste money entering stock that is not well up in the *nineties*, for their chances for the *red* ticket is but slim if otherwise.

But this is getting away from the subject. To return to the hall again, a very spacious one, about one hundred feet square, admirably suited for the purpose, well lit up this year with gas, giving the evening visitors a better chance to see the birds.

The committee having so much space at their disposal, were enabled to lay it out to great advantage, leaving a space of about eight feet wide all around the four sides of the hall, which is given to the dog fanciers to hold their favorites, the centre being devoted to the fowls and pigeons, in long rows, with spacious passages, avoiding crowding or inconvenience.

Class 1, the Light Brahmas, were, as usual, in force, some very fine specimens occupying the pens allotted t this class. The Dark Brahmas. few in number and inferior in quality. This variety seems to be loosing its hold upon the fanciers. The Games were a very prominent and numerous class; the fanciers of this variety seem to be on the increase among us. The Plymouth Rocks seem to be a growing class ; they were well represented. Some very fine specimens from Portland claiming the coveted tickets, with but one exception. The Cochins were not so well represented as usual. The fanciers of this class seem to be turning their attention to their more recently arrived brethern, the Langshans, a goodly number putting in an appearance and causing quite a sensation among their advocates and admirers. Then come the sprightly Leghorns, white, black, and brown, with their smaller brethern the bantams. All with many others, giving their help to add to the interest of the show.

Then come that class of fanciers with their numerous and pretty pets, the pigeons; this rancy was largely represented. There seems to be no end to it, new varieties appearing at every show.

On the whole the Sherbrooke society, I think, 2nd, F F Gougean.

may well be pleased at the success that has crowned their labors once more at their second annual exhibition, winding the whole thing up by entertaining their visitors with an oyster supper, and sending them home happy and con tented with their prize money in their pockets. Pure BLOOD.

Montreal, Jany. 18th, 1882.

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> Cochins.—Buff, 8 entries; 1st and 2nd, James Hooper, Montreal; 3rd, Joseph Hickson, Montreal. Chicks.—2nd and 3rd, Jas Hooper. White, 3 entries: 1st and 3rd, Jas Hooper; 2nd, Thos Hall. Black.—3 entries: chicks, 1st, G H Pugsley, Brantford; 3rd, Jos Hickson. Partridge.—8 entries: 2d and 3rd, J Hickson. Chicks.—2nd, J Hooper. Pea-combed do., 4 entries, chicks: 3rd, Willis Johnson.

> DORKINGS.—Colored, 6 entries : chicks, 1st and 2nd, C J Odell, Sherbrooke ; 3rd, N E Brooks.

> HAMBURGS.—Silver-spangled, 6 entries: chicks, 1st, J C Stockwell. Golden-spangled, 3 entries: fowls, 1st, James Baptie. Chicks, 1st, same. Silver-l'encilled, 3 entries: chicks, 1st and 2nd, Jos Hickson; 3rd, P Gilmoie. Golden-pencilled, fowls, 1st, J Hickson. Black, 6 entries: fowls, 1st, G H Pugsley; 2nd. Guy Carr; 3rd, J Hickson. Chicks, 1st and 3rd, J Hickson; 2nd, Guy Carr.

> BLACK SPANISH.—Fowls, 1st, Jas Hooper. Chicks, 1st, F T Brooks.

LECHORNS. — Dominique, 1 entry: chicks, P Gilmore. White.—16 entries; fowls, 1st, H H King, Lachine. Chicks, 1st, same; 3rd, Thos Hall. Black, 4 entries: fowls, 3rd, H H King. Chicks, 2nd and 3rd, same. Brown, 17 entries: fowls, 2d, Jos Hickson; 3rd, W M Like. Chicks, 1st, Thos Hall; 2nd, Jos Hickson; 3rd, F T Brooks.

HOUDANS.-2 entries : chicks, 2nd, J. Hickson.

POLISH.—Whit, 2 entries: fowls, 1st, M L Connolly. Chicks, Frank Moyes. Golden.—3 entries: fowls, 1st, H Richardson, Golden, bearded, 3 entries: fowls, 1st and 2nd, Jos Hickson. Silver, bearded, 2 entries: fowls, 1st, Jos Hickson. Ch'ks, 1st, same.

GAMES.—Black-breasted reds, 3) entries: fowls, 1st, W L Ball, Richmond; 2nd, D T Hunt; 3rd, J C Nichol, Montreal. Chicks, 1st and 2nd, C J Odell; 3rd, W T Francis. Yellow Duckwing, 1st, Jas Boule. Silver Duckwing, J C Nichol. Brown red, 7 entries: fowls, 1st, C J Odell; 2nd, Shaw Thomas. Chicks, 1st, W E Allen; 2nd, Shaw Thomas. Red Pile, 6 entries: fowls, 1st W E Allen. White games, chicks; 1st, F W W Bowen. Black, 2 entries: M L Connolly. Chicks, 1st, W E Allen. Spangled, 6 entries: fowls, 1st, W E Allen. Chk's, 1st and 2nd, same. Grey, 3 entries, chicks, 1st and 2nd, W E Allen.

LANGSHANS.—11 entrics: 1st, J Hower. Chicks, 1st, F W Bowen; 2nd, Jas Hooper; 3rd, D Mc-Manamy.

AMERICAN SEBRIGHTS. -5 entries: fowls, 1st and 2td, F F Gougean; 3rd, E P Ball. Chicks, 1st and 2nd, F F Gougean. BLACK DIAMONDS.---? entries : fowls and chicks, low, 1st, same. hon. mention, Jas Macfarlane, Montreal.

PLYMOUTH ROCKS.—18 entries : fowls, 1st and 2d, John W Dana; 3rd, N M Connolly. Chicks, 1st, John W Dana; 2nd and 3rd, W F Jam's, Sherbrooke.

SCOTCH GREYS.-2 entries : 1st and 2nd, Thomas Costen, Montreal.

BANTAMS.--Black-breasted game, 7 entries : fowls, 1st. James Macfarlane; 2nd, J Hickson; 3rd, A T Winter. Chicks, 1st, J Hickson; 3rd, A T Winter. Brown red. chicks, J Baule. Red pile, 6 entries : fowls, 1st, E H Newel; 2nd A T Winter. Chicks, 1st, E H Newel; 2nd, J Hooper; 3rd, J Hickson. Silver Duckwing, 5 entries : fowls, 1st, J Hooper; 3rd, J Hickson. Chicks, 1st, A T Winter; 2nd, J. Scott. Golcen Schright, 4 entries : fowls, 1st, F F Gougean; 2nd, J Hickson. Chicks, 1st, F F Gougean. Silver Schright, fowls, 1st, J Hickson. Japanes:, 1st, Jas Macfarlane.

Bronze Turkeys-1st and 2nd, John L Gibb.

GEESE.—Embd in, 1st. J Hickson. China, 1st, M L Connoly.

DUCKS.—Pekin, 8 entrics: 1st, H E Odell; 2nd, W G Murray; hon. men., Guy Carr. Rouen, 1st, J Hooper. White-crested, 1st, J Price. Cayuga, 1st, E P Ball. Aylesbury, 1st, J Hooper. Muscavy, 1st, F Farley; 2nd, F W W Bowen.

Pearl Guineas-2nd, N M Connolly; 3rd, E P Ball.

English Pheasants-1st, J A Cochrane.

Rest breeding pen fowls, any variety—1st, John M Shuter; 2nd, W F James; 3rd, H L Gilbert.

Best breeding pen farmers' poultry-1st John M Shuter ; 2nd, E P Ball ; 3rd, W & Hale.

Best pen of farmers' turkeys—1st and 2nd, J L Gibb.

Exhibition coops—1st, W J Hunt; 2nd, C J Odell; 3rd, Jas Moy.

Drinking fountain-M L Connolly.

Specials.—Silver cup for best pair Black R:d Game chicks on exhibition, won by C J Odell. Best pair Plymouth Rocks—J W Dana.

Combination premium—for best pr 'r Black Red Game chicks on exhidition-won by C J Odell.

PIGEONS.

Pouters.—Yellow Pied, 1st and 2nd, E N St Jean. Red pied, 1st, same. Black pied. 1st and 2nd, same. Blue pied, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, same. Solid white, 1st and 2nd, same. Silver, 1st, same.

Carriers,-1st, Jas Ainslie.

Fantails.—White crested Calcatta, 1st, and 3rd, M B Breck; 2nd, James Lumsden. White crested booted, 1st, James Price. White smooth head, 1st, Jas Moy; 2nd, T Harrison; 3rd, James Price. Bl'k, 1st, Jas Lumsden; 2nd, A T Winter. Blue, 1st and 2nd, Jas Lumsden. Yellow, 1st, F F Gougean.

'Tumblers.—Almond, 1st and 2nd, Jas Ainslie. Mottled, 3rd, A Kilgour.

Birmingham Rollers, 1st, B Holdbrooke. Kite Tuml¹ 3, 1st and 3rd, Geo R Odell; 2nd, Jas Ainclie.

Barbs.—Red, 1st, Jas Lumsden. Black, 1st, and 2nd, F F Gougan White, Jas Lumsden; 2nd, B Holdbrooke. Yellow, 1st, James Lumsden.

Owls, English blue, 1st, B Holdbrooke. English judging was very satisfactory. The executive will black, 1st and 2nd, James Lumsden. English yel- require to make provision for a big show next

low, 1st, same. English white, 1st, same. African blue, 1st, A T Winter. African white, 1st, same.

Turbits.—Black, 1st, Jas Lumsden. Blue, 1st, A T Winter. Dun, 1st, N M Connolly. Red, 1st, J Lumsden. Yellow, 1st, same. While, 1st, and 2nd, sam². Yellow wing, 1st, A T Winter; 2nd, M L Connolly. Blue-tailed, 1st, A T Winter.

Jacobins.—Black, 1st, Jas Macfarlane; 2nd, Jas Ainslie. White, 1st, Jas Ainslie; 2nd, R Kilgour. White-booted, 1st. Jas Ainslie. Yellow, 1st, James Ainslie; 2nd, Jas Price; 3rd, F F Gougean. Blue, 1st, A T Winter.

Swallows.—Black wing, 1st, Jas Ainslie. Blue wing, 1st and 2nd, same. Red wing, 1st, same; 2nd, A T Winter. Yellow wing, 1st, Jas Ainslie. Silver wing, 1st, same; 2nd, & T Winter.

Magpies-Black, 1st, Jas Price ; 2nd, M B Breck. Blue, 1st, same.

Trumpeters. -- White, 1st a. d 2nd, Jas Lumsden. Blue, 1st, sam :. Yellow, 1st and 2nd, same. Bl'k, 1st and 3rd, sam : ; 2nd, A Kilgour. Bleck mottled, 1st. Jas Moy ; 2nd and 3rd, Jas Lumsden. Yellow mottled, 2nd, Jas Moy.

Nuns.—Black, 1st, Guy Carr; 2nd, A Kilgour: 3rd, J Price.

Antwerps.—Blue, 1st, Jas Price; 2nd, Jas Macfarlane; 3rd, Jas Fullerton. Blue checkered, 1st, Jas Ainslie; 2ad, J A Cochrane; 3rd, Jas Ainslie. Red checkered, 1st same; 2nd, Jas Fullerton. Silver, 1st, Jas Macfarlane; 2nd, Jas Fullerton.

Blue Archangels, 1st, Jas Lumsden; 2nd, James Price.

Red Helmets-1st, Jas Ainslie.

Blue Dragons-1st, James Price.

Florenteans-1st, Jas Ainslie.

Canaries.—Belgians, 1st, P A St. Laurent; 2nd, M B Schofield; 3rd, same. Scotch Fancies, 1st, P A St. Laurent; 2nd, T W Fuller. Singing cock Canary—2nd, P A St Laurent. Best collection Canaries.—T W Fuller.

Canadian Robin-Chief T Rawson.

Rabbits.—Lop-cared buck, 1st, Thomas Hall. Himalayan buck, 1st, J Price. Himalayan doe, 1st, same.

Cat. — Best cat with kittens, Guy Carr. Tortoise, E Fairwell. Black, A F Fraser. White, Guy Carr. Maltese, Chief T Rawson. Tiger colored, M B Schofield.

Prize list of Dogs next month.

Norfolk Poultry and Dog Exhibition.

Held February 6th, 7th and 8th, 1882.

We expected this year to have had the pleasure of visiting this show, but again found it impossible, and we much regret it, as we are told by the gentleman who judged the fowls that it was an excellent exhibition, "Fully fifty per cent. of improvement having been made over last year." He also says that the officers are a splendid lot of fellows, who make a visitor feel at home with them at once, and this is heartily concurred in by all who exhibited there. The management of the exhibition and the judging was very satisfactory. The executive will require to make provision for a big show next

year as a number of the heavy weights--as exhibitors--intend being present with their stock.

JUDGE .- A. BOQUE, ESQ., LONDON.

PRIZE LIST.

BRAHWAS.—Light, cockerel or pullet, 6 entries: 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers, Cayuga; 3rd, W J Trinder & Bro, Simcoc. Hen or pullet, 6, 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, Trinder & Bro. Dark—6, 1st and 3rd, D T Rogers: 2nd, Arthur W Smith, Simcoe. Females, 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd and 3rd Arthur W Smith.

COCHIMS.—Buff: males, 6, 1st and 3rd, D T Rogers; 2nd, W M Smith, Fairfield Plains. Females, 8, 1 W M Smith; 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, J Aldous, Berlin. White--males, 6, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, John Aldous. Females, 6, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd. D T. Rogers; 3rd, Arthur W Smith. Partridge--Male, 7, 1st and 2nd, Arthur W Smith; 3rd, W M Smith. Females, 8, 1st and 2nd, Arthur W Smith; 3rd, D T. Rogers; Black-males, 5, 1st, and 3td, D T Rogers; 2nd, W. M Smith. Females, 5, 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, W M Smith.

LANGSHANS.-Males, 4, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, D 1 Rogers; females, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, same.

Donrings.—White, mcles, 5, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Abram W Smith, Simcoe; 3rd, T Puzey. Females, 5, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, T Puzey; 3rd, W M Smith. Gilver Grey.—Males, 11, 1st, T Puzey; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, Geo Baker, Simcoe. females, 10, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, T Puzey; 3rd, Trinder & Bro.

PLVMOUTH ROCES.—Males, 7, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, D D T Rogers. Females, 7, 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, Tinder & Bro.

HOUDANS.—Males, 4, 1st, John Aldous; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 4, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, John Aldous.

CREVE CœUR. --Males, 2, 1st and 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 3, 1st and 2rd, W M Smith; 3rd, D T Rogers.

DOWINIQUE.—Males, 3, 1st, A Gilbert, Simcoe ; 2d, W M Smith ; 3rd, Abram W Smith. Females, 1st, Abram W Smith ; 2nd, W M Smith ; 3rd, A Gilbert.

LA FLECHE — Males, 2, 1st and 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 2, 1st and 2nd, same.

LEGHONNS.—White: males, 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers, 3rd, Abram W Smith. Females, 7, 1st and 3rd, same; 2nd, D T Rogers. Brown: male, 7, 1st and 3rd, D T Rogers; 2nd, Trinder & Brother. Females, 7 1st and 2nd, Arthur W Smith; 3rd D T Rogers. Black, males, 2: 1st, D T Rogers; 3nd, W M Smith Females, 2st, W M Smith; 2nd, D T Rogers.

SPANISH.—Males, 3, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Trinder & Bro. Females: 1..t, W M Smith; 2nd and 3rd, Tinder & Bro.

HAMBURGS.— Golden-spangled : males 5, 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, Abraham W Smith, Females, 6: 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, Abram W Smith. Females: 8, 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd, John Aldous; 3rd, W M Smith. Golden-pencilled: males, 5: 1st, Arthur W Smith: 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, D T Rogers. Females, c: 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, W M Smith. Silver-pencilled: and 2nd, Arthur W Smith; 3rd, T Puzey. Females, 7: 1st W M Smith; 2nd and 3rd Arthur

Smith. Black : mules, 4, 1st and 3rd, D T Rogers ; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 6 : 1st and 2nd, D T. Rogers, 3rd, Arthur W Smith.

POLANDS.—White-crested black : males, 5, 1st and 2nd, D T Rogers ; 3rd, Arthur W Smith. Females, 6, 1st and 3rd, D T Rogers ; 2nd, Arthur W Smith. Golden : males, 5, 1st, T Puzey ; 2nd, John Aldous ; 3rd, D T Rogers. Females, 6, 1st, T Puzey ; 2nd, D T Rogers ; 3rd, John Aldous. Silver : males, 4, 1st, W M Smith ; 2nd, John Aldous. Females, 5, 1st and 3rd, W M Smith ; 2nd, J Aldous.

GAMES.—Black-breasted red, males, 4, 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd, Dan O'Shea, London; 3rd, W M Smith. Females, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, D T Rogers. Golden Duckwing: males, 5, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, R Hunton, Simcoe; 3rd, W M Smith. Females, 6: 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, D T Rogers; 3rd, John Madigia, Simcoe. Silver Duckwing, males, 3, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 6, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 6, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 6, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith: 3rd, John Madigin. Pyle: males, 5, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith. Females, 5: 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, W M Smith. Any other variety: 3, 1st, Dan O'Shea; 2nd, John Madigin. Females, 3, 1st, D T Rogers; 2nd, W M Smith.

BANTAMS —Black-breasted red: males, 6:1st and 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, T Puzey. Females, 6:1st and 3rd, W M Smith; 2nd, Thos Puzey. Duckwing: males, 5:1st and 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, D T Bogers. Females, 5:1st, D T Rogers; 2nd and 3rd, W M Smith. Sebrights: males 3, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, D T Bogers. Females, 3, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, same. Any other variety: males, 4, 1st, D T Rogers. Females, 4, 1st, same.

TURKEYS.—Bronze: males, 2, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Abram W Smith. Hen, 3, 1st, same; 2nd, T Puzey; 3rd, W M Smith. Any other variety : cock, 2, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, W M Smith. Hen, 2, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, W M Smith.

GEESE.—Bremen : gander, 2, 1st, Thomas Puzey ; 2nd, W M Smith. Goose, 3, 1, Abram W Smith ; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, T Puzey. White China : gander, 2, 1st, Thos Puzey; 2nd, W M Smith. Goose, 2: 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, T Puzey. Colored Chinese : gander, 2, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, WM Smith. Goose, 2: 1st, same; 2nd, Abram W Smith. Cinnamon : gander, 3, 1st and 2nd, Abram W Smith; 3rd, Geo Baker. Goose: 3, 1st and 2nd, Abram W Smith; 3rd, Geo Baker. Toulouse : gander, 4, W Smith; 2nd, T Puzey ; 3rd, D T Rogers. Goose : 4, 1 W M Smith ; 2nd, T Puzey ; 3rd, Geo Baker.

DUCKS.—Muscovy: drake, 5: 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Trinder & Bro; 3rd, Abram W Smith, Duck: 4, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Abram W Smith; 3rd, Trinder & Bro. Aylesbury: drake, 5, 1st and 3rd, W M Smith; 2nd, T Puzey. Duck, 5, 1st and 3rd, W M Smith; 2nd, T Puzey. Rouen: drake, 5, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, H Holden. Duck: 5, 1st, Abram W Smith; 2nd, W M Smith; 3rd, H Holden. Cayuga: drake, 4, 1st and 2nd, W M Smith. Duck: 4, 1st and 2nd, same.

GUINEA FOWLS.—3 pairs, 1st, W M Smith; 2nd, Triuder & Bro.; 3rd, Abram W Smith.

PIGEONS.—Pouters: pair. 4, 1st and 2nd, T Puzey, 3rd, J Madigin. Tumblers: 2, 1st, T Puzey: 2nd, J Madigin. Fantails: 2, 1, T Puzey; 2nd, J Madigin. Collection: 3, 1st, T Puzey; 2nd, J Madigin.

CANARIES.—Singers, 7: 1st, C E Freeman; 2nd and 3rd, B Miller.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Pair white Dorkings, 4, Abram W Smith. Pair grey'Dorkings, T P. zey. Pair Partridge Cochins, 4. Arthur W Smith. Pair White Leghorns, Abram W Smith. Pair Brown Leghorns, 5 Arthur W Smith. Pair Light Brahmas, 2 D T Rogers. Pair Pair G P Hamburgs, 2, same. Pair Black Hamburgs, 2, same. Pair Dark Brahmas, 3, same. Exhibition Game cock, W M Smith. Pair Buff C M Smith. Trio White Hamburgs, Pair Buff Cochins, 3, W Abram Trio White Cochins, Arthur Smith., Pair Smith. Bronze Turkeys, W M Smith. Plymouth Rock cock, D T Rogers. Trio Duckwing Gamer W M Smith. Pair Black Spanish, J Trinder Pair Pair Black Cochins, Langshans, D T Rogers. same. Pair silver-pencilled Hamburgs, 4 Arthur W Smith. Trio Plymonth Rocks, D T Rogers. Pair white-crested black Polands, same. Pair colored Dorkings, Abram W Smith. Pair blackbreasted red Game Bantams, W M Smith.

Prize list of Dogs next month.

Annual Exhibition of the Poultry Association of Ontario.

This exhibition, the great event of the season to the fanciers of Ontario, opened on the 8th and closed on the 15th of February. It is admitted to have been the best exhibition yet held under the auspices of the society, if not the best held in Canada. The entries numbered 1085; but it was in the quality of the stock that the show was particularly strong. Nearly every class showed improvem.nt, and seventy-five per cent. of the winnig birds would hold their position at any show on the continent.

The attendance of visitors was very small, which is greatly to be regretted, as it would be very difficult for any lover of beautiful stock to go through the show without 'aking either the hen or pigeon fever.

The health of the fowl through their long confinement was excellent, they leaving in as good condition as when they arrived. The weather being so mild, fires were unnecessary, which was greatly in favor of the healthy candition of birds in the show room. The attendants were very punctual in their duties. Exhibits from a distance, unaccompanied by their owners, received first care, and those, in most cases were cooped for the return journey before the others.

The judges were very painstaking in their duties, and few mistakes were made, but where fowls remain so long open to criticism after judgement, as in this instance, if any errors are made they are sure to be discovered and commented upon. There was some grumbling, but not more than usual.

To exhibitors who were absent, we will say, that those who were successful have good reasons to feel proud, as in most classes none but real good birds could win any prize; and those who seemed to many as though a safe winner, but close

were not successful must not feel discouraged, as there was scarcely a pair in the show a good breeder need be ashamed of, and very little improvement would make them winners-another year's careful breeding may do it.

Never at any of our shows was there such demand for stock; some fanciers with large exhibits disposed of nearly all their birds, and took orders for many more. We do not believe we overrate the sales when we say that one thousand dollars changed hands in the purchase of fowls and pigeons on Wednesday, and that the aggregate sales through the exhibition will amount to over three thousand collars.

The following notes are the result of a careful examination of the several classes-

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Light Brahmas were an extremely fine display. 1st and 2nd prize cocks were neat, well feathered birds, good at all points; 3rd was very large and fine, but a little off in comb; the whole eight birds were good, and some of those left unticketed were very heavy and fine. Hens good in size and under color, but a little off in hackle. Cockerels 1st and 3rd very fine; 2nd to our notion, not equal to 3rd, or one or two others not ticketed. Pullets good all through; the 1st prize a beautynever saw a bird so clean on back, at the same time having fine hackle. All who exhibited in this class, whether successful or not, may well feel proud of the' birds, as they were a good lot. A very small defect was sufficient to destroy their chance of winning in such good company.

Dark Brahmas show great improvement, especially in the young, which promises well for the future. The prizes were well placed. The 1st prize cockerel was very fine, as were also the premium pullets, the 1st and 2nd of latter being of good size and shape, but not quite equal to 3rd in pencilling.

Buff Cochins-a good class, males especially; prizes well placed. Partridges, a very even and good class; 1st and 2nd extra fine. Whites show much improvement in size and style; the 1st and 2nd prize pairs were very fine. The 1st prize cockerel a beauty, but a little long in legs; prize pullets good. Blacks considerably improved also, leaving little for the judge to complain of this year. Langshans, stronger competition than last year, and birds in better condition. The Asiatic classes were judged by Mr. J. W. Buck, of Brantford, who was very painstaking in his work.

Games-Black-red cocks over the average at this show. We thought a bird by Dr. Nichol, of Montreal, should have had a place. Hens, a very fine class, 2nd and 3rd better than 1st. Cockerels not equal to cocks. A bird beautiful in head, neck, tail and station by W. L. Ball, of Sherbrooke,

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inspection showed him to be somewhat off colored on breast and under wings. First prize pullet the best in station, head, neck and tail we have yet seen, but off a little in color; other winners also good. Brown Red class weak ; 2nd prize hen best in class. Yellow Duckwings a medium class; birds generally small and soft. In Silver Duckwings there was nothing particularly worthy of mention. Piles, 1st and 2nd cocks good; 2nd hen a very fine bird, should have been 1st; cockerels poor, pullets good. White and Black games wanting in station.

Hamburgs-Golden Spangled, cocks medium; 1st prize hen good, chicks good. Silver Spangled a good class. Golden Pencilled class good all through. Silver Pecilled medium. Blacks show a falling off in numbers; old birds fair; chicks medium; 3rd prize pai- best in the class.

Spanish not up to the mark of former exhibits. Leghorns-White, 1st prize cock an excellet bird, balance medium; hens very good. Cockerels, 1st good, 2nd and 3rd fair ; pullets nice birds. Brown, just a fair class all through. Blacks, a nice pair of chicks were marked by 1st prize tickets.

Dorkings-White, good, 1st prize cock and hen were very fine; 1st and 2nd prize cockerels and pullets were beauties, but with rather too much comb. Silver Grey, a good exhibit of fuir birds. The same may be said of colored.

Plymouth rocks show a falling off in numbers; There were no exceptionally fine birds ; prizes well placed except in case of 1st prize cockerel, which had a number of red feathers on his shoulders, which should have thrown him out. The absence of sickle feathers in a number of the cocks in this class caused considerable comment. With the exception of the case named, the cards were well placed.

Polands,-White-crested, a splendid exhibit, ahead of any we remember seeing. Golden Spangled, a few very fine birds. Silver Spangled, cnough good birds to take the prizes. Whites show an improvement in size and stamina.

Houdans, a fair show; handling proved the winning birds to be the best, but these in some cases had the appearance as though feathers had been removed from their legs. There is room for improvement in this class. The other French classes were represented by a small number of medium birds.

Bantams, Games, of these it is only necessary to say that Way's birds were there in Chas Brown's charge, and there were other good birds also. Sebrights were good, particularly a couple of pairs of Silver. The 1st prize Japanese cock was a very nice bird. Rose combs, good.

Ducks-Aylesbury, good. Cayuga, poor. Pekin, fair.

Pigeons, the number of exhibitors in this department was small, but the quality of the stock shown in many cases was the finest we have ever seen. Jas. O. Weldon was the principal exhibitor, and his Pouters, Carriers, Barbs, Trumpeters, Swallows and Jacobins were really grand, and shown in excellent condition. H. G. Charlesworth showed some excellent Pouters also, but too heavy in leg and foot feathers; will be excellent breeders. Tyson Broz. has a very nice lot, as had also Mr. Jeffrey, of Guelph, principally Fantails, W. Barber, of Toronto, showed a nice pair of Red Barbs. James McFarlane showed a pair each of Blue and Silver Dun Antwerps, which were beauties. Some scounderel appropriated one of the dun birds belonging to this gentleman, causing the officers of the society and his brother exhibitors much vexation.

JUDGES .- Asiatics, J. W. Buck. Games, W. H. Doel and A. Bogue. Bantams, turkeys, and water fowl, S. Butterfield. The remaining classes of fowls, L. G. Jarvis. Pigeons, Mr. Johnston, Brantford.

THE PRIZE LIST.

BRAHMAS.-Cocks, 8 entries: 1st and 2nd, G H Pugsley, Brantford ; 2rd, Thos Hall, Montreal. Hen, 11: 1st, Jos Gowdy, Guelph; 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes, Sandwich; 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 12: 1st, F J Grenny, Brantford ; 2nd, Pugsley ; 3rd, Stanley Spillett, Lefroy. Pullet, 12: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield and Hanes; 3rd, Thomas Costen, Montreal.

Dark .-- Cock, 5 : 1st, J Peart, Freeman ; 2nd, Butterfield and Hanes ; 3rd, Pugsley. Hen, 7 : 1st and 2nd, Butterfield and Hanes; 3rd, Pugsley. Cock'l, 8:1st, H G Charlesworth, Toronto; 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Peart. Pullet, 8:1st and 2nd, Peart; 3rd, Butterfield & Hancs.

Cocurs.-Cock, 6 : 1st, Butterfield & Hanes ; 2d, C H Hall, King, 3rd, Pugsley. Hen, 6 : 1st, Butter-field & Hanes ; 2nd, L Thorne, Blyth ; 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 6 ; 1st, W H Hill, Beachville ; 2nd, L Thorns; 3rd, E Kester, Brantford. Pullet, 9 : 1st, Hill; 2nd, Kester; 3rd, Pugsley.

Partridge.—Cock, 5; 1st, Pugsley; 2nd, Pcart; 3rd, Grenny. Hen, 8: 1st, J Aldous, Berlin; 2nd, 2nd and 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 9: 1st, Hill; 2nd, and and 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 9: 1st, Hill; 2nd, Hall; 3rd, Pugsley. Pullet, 8; 1st, Pugsley; 2nd, Hill; 3rd, Grenny.

White.—Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield and Hanes; 2rd, W M Smith, Fairfield Plains. Hen, 4: 1st. 2nd and 3rd, Butterfield & Hanes. Cockerel, 4: 1st, Charlesworth; 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd; Butterfield and Hanes. Pullet, 4; 1st and 2nd, same; 3rd, Charlesworth.

Black .-- Cock, 5: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes ; 3rd, Pugsley. Hen 4 : 1st and 2nd, Eutterfield; 3rd, Thorne. Cockerel, 4: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes; 3rd, Hill. Pullet, 4: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes ; 3rd, Hill.

Turkeys not up to former exhibits. Geese, a Pugsley. Hen, 4: 1st and 2nd, Grenny ; 3rd, Pugsley. small show of medium birds with a few exceptions. |ley. Cockerel, 6: 1st, Pugsley; 2nd and 3rd, Gren-

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ny Pullet, 6; 1st and 2nd, Grenny; 3rd, Pugsley.

GAM 3. -Black-breasted red-cock, 13 entries : 1st, Wm Barber, Toronto ; 2nd, McIntyre & Johnson, Newcastle ; 3rd, Butterfield and Hanes. Hen, 1st, Butterfield & Hanes; 2nd and 3rd, W L Ball, Richmond, P Q. Cockerel, 17; 1st, Peart; 2nd, Butterfield; 3rd, W Hall, Newcastle. Pullet, 13: 1st, A Begue, London; 2nd and 3rd, W J. Ball.

Brown-B. Red.—Cock, 4; 1st, Wm Sanderson, Stratford; 2nd, W Winfield, Montreal; 3rd, McIutyre & Johnson. Hen, 7: 1st, same; 2nd and 3rd, Winfield. Cockerel, 2: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes. Pullet, 3: 1st, Winfield; 2nd & 3rd, Butterfield & Hanes.

Golden Duckwing.-Cock, 6: 1st and 3rd, Wm Barber; 2nd, D O'Shea, London. Hen, 6: 1st, Butterfield & Hanes; 2nd and 3rd, Barber. Cockerel, 5: 1st, Hill; 2nd and 3rd, Barber. Pullet, 6: 1st, Butterfield & Hanes ; 2nd, Hill ; 3rd, Geo Goulding, Parkdale.

Silver Duckwing .- Cock, 2: 1st, O'Shea; 2nd, G Goulding. Hen, 4: 1st and 3rd, O'Shea; 2nd, But-Goulding. Hen, 4: 1st and 5., 1st, Butterfield & terfield & Hanes. Cockerel, 5, 1st, Butterfield & Hange 2nd Barber: 3rd, Goulding. Pullet, 4; 1st Butterfield & Hanes ; 2nd, O'Shea ; 3rd, Barber.

Pyle.—Cock, 2: 1st, O'Shea; 2nd, Winfield. Hen, 3: 1st, O'Shea; 2nd and 3rd, Winfield. Cockerel, 8: 1st, Hall; 2nd and 3rd, Burns & McCormick, Newcastle. Pullet, 9: 1st, Hall; 2, Goulding; 3rd, W Crowe, Yorkville.

White Georgian .- Hen, 3: 1st and 3rd, Peart; 2rd. Goulding. Cockerel, 2: 1st, Peart; 2nd, Goulding. Pullet, 4, 1st, Peart; 2nd and 3rd, Goulding.

Black .-- Hen, 1 : 1st W. McNeil, London. Cockerel, 2: 1st and 2nd, Sanderson. Pullet, 2: 1st and 2nd, same.

HAMBURGS .- Golden-spangled-Cock, 3, 1st, G H Pugsley; 2nd, W M Smith. Hen, 3: 1st, Butterfield & Hanes; 2nd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 3: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield and Hanes; 3rd, Smith. Pul- 3rd, Smith. Cockerel, 3: 1st and 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, let. 3; 1st and 2nd, Butterfield; 3rd, Smith.

Golden-pencilled .- Cock, 3: 1st, F G Spragge & Co, Guelph; 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes. Hen, 7: 1st and 2nd, Spragge & Co.; 2nd, Butterfield. Cockerel, 10: 1st and 2rd, A Bogue; 2nd, Spragge & Co. Pullet, 10: 1st and 2nd, Spragge & Co; 3rd, Hill.

Silver-spangled .- Cock, 4: 1st, A & F Burgess, Drumbo: 2nd, J Beck, Guelph; 3rd, Aldous. Hen, 8: 1st, Aldous; 2nd, Spragge; 3rd, Burgess. Ck'l, 8 : 1st, Bogue ; 2nd, Aldous ; 3rd, Spragge. Pullet, 8: 1st and 2nd, Spragge; 3rd, Bogue.

Silver-pencilled.-Cock, 4: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Hen, 4: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Butter-Smith. field and Hanes. Cockerel, 4: 1st, Spragge; 2nd, Rogue; 3rd, Butterfield & Hanes. Pullet, 4; 1st, Sprazze ; 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes ; 3rd, Bogue.

Black .- Cock, 4 : 1st, Pugsley ; 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes; 3rd, Grenny. Hen, 5; 1st, Grenny; 2nd, Pugsley ; 3rd, Jas Fullerton, Strathroy. Cockerel, 3: 1st and 2nd, Butterfield & Hanes; 3rd, John Beck. Pullet, 4 : 1st, E Kester ; 2nd, Butterfield & Haines; 3rd, Beck.

LEGHORNS.-White-Cock, 5: 1st, Butterfield & Hanes; 2nd and 3rd, Pugsley. Hen, 8: 1st, Butterfield & Hanes; 2nd. Chas Bonnick, Yorkville; 3rd, McNeil. Hen, 3; 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Mc-3rd, J Dilworth, Toronto. Cockerel, 9: 1st, Wm Neil. Cockerel, 1, 1st, W Sanderson; puller, 1, 1st, Stahlschmidt, Preston; 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Bonnick. Pullct, 13: 1st, Stahlschmidt; 2nd, Grenny; 3rd, Dilworth.

Brown.-Cock, 3: 1st, Pugsley; 2nd and 3rd, Stahlschmidt. Hen, 6: 1st and 2nd, Stahlschmidt; ard, Pugsley. Cockerel, 9 : 1st, Stahlschmidt ; 2nd 3nd 3rd, W Moore, London. Pullet, 8 : 1st, Moore ; 2nd and 3rd, Stahlschmidt.

Black .- Cock, 4: 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Smith. Hen, 4:1st, 2nd and 3rd, same. Cockerel, 4: 1st and 3rd, Pugsley ; 2nd, Smith. Pullet, 3 : 1st, Pugsley ; 2nd, Smith.

SPANISH .-- Cock, 6: 1st and 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Smith. Hen, 6: 1st, Peart; 2nd, Pugsley, 3rd, W Brophy, St. Thomas. Cockerel, 4: 1st, Brophy; 2nd and 3rd, Smith. Pullet, 4: 1st, Brophy.

DORKINGS.—White—Cock, 4:1st, Bogue; 2nd and 3rd, Smith. Hen, 4: 1st, Bogue; 2nd and 3rd, Smith. Cock'l, 4; 1st and 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, Smith. Pullet, 4; 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Smith.

Silver-gray.-Cock, 5: 1st and 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, Hen, 7: 1st and 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, James Smith. Main, Boyne. Cockerel, 5: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Main; 3rd, Burgess. Pullet, 5: 1st, Bogue; 2nd and 3rd, Main.

Colored .-- Cock, 2: 1st and 2nd, Main. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Maine ; 3rd, Kester. Cockerel, 2 : 1st, W H Doel, Doncaster; 2nd. Main. Pullet, 3: 1st, 1st, Doel; 2nd, M. a; 3rd, C H Hall, Kiug.

PLYMOUTH ROCKS .- Cock, 5: 1st and 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Hall. Hen, 6; 1st and 3rd, Pugsley; 2d, Hall. Cockerel, 10: 1st and 3rd, Hall; 2nd, Moore. Pullet, 9; 1st and 2nd, Hall; 3rd, Pugsley.

Por. SH. -- White-crested black .-- Cock 3 : 1st and 2nd, Bogue. Hen, 4: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 6: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Hill. Pullet, 5: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Pugsley.

Gelden-Spangled.-Cock, 5: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Aldous. Hen, 5: 1st, Aldous; 2nd and 3rd, Bogue. Cockerel, 3: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Hill. Pullet, 2: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Hill.

Silver-spangled.-Cock, 4:1st, Bogue; 2nd and 3rd, Aldous. Hen, 3: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Aldous; Smith. Pullet, 3: 1st and 2nd, Bogue.

White.—Cock, 4; 1st and 3rd, Aldous; 2nd, Smith. Hen, 4: 1st, Aldous; 2nd Bogue; 3rd. Pugsley. Cockerel, 3; 1st, Aldous; 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, McNeil. Pullet, 2; 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Aldous.

HOUDANS .- Cock, 5 : 1st, Burgess ; 2nd, Bogue ; 3rd, Hall. Hen, 9: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Aldous; 3rd, Burgess. Cockerel, 7: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Smith; 3rd, Aldous. Pullet, 8: 1st and 3rd, Bogue; 2nd, Burgess.

CREVE COURS .- Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Smith. Hen, 4: 1st and 2nd, Smith; 3rd, Pugsley. Cock'l, 2: 1st and 2nd, Smith; pullet, 1st and 3rd, same.

LA FLECHE.—Cock, 2: 1st, Smith; 2nd, McNeil. Hen, 2: 1st and 2nd, Smith; cockerel, 2: 1st and 2nd, same; pullet, 2, 1st and 2nd, same.

EXTRAS.—Fowls and chicks.—2, 1st Scotch Greys, Thos Costen, Montreal.

BANTAMS.—Black-breasted red Game.—Cock, 6: 1st and 2nd, W J Way, Toronto; 3rd, C M Nelles, Brantford. Hen, 5: 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Win-field. Cockerel, 5: 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Peart. Pullet, 7: 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Peart.

Brown-red game.-Cock, 3; 1st and 2nd, Way; same.

Duckwing.—Cock, 6; 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Crowe. Hen, 6, 1st, Crowe; 2nd and 3rd, Way.

Cockerel, 3; 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Nelles. Pul-

let, 5; 1st, Way; 2nd and 8rd, Crowe. Pyle.—Cock, 2; 1st, Way; 2nd, Nelles. Hen, 8; 1st, Way; 2nd, Nelles. Cockerel, 1st, Kester; 2nd and 3rd, Way. Pullet, 4; 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, McNeil.

Golden Sebrights .- Cock, 4; 1st and 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Main. Hen, 5; 1st and 2nd, Pugsley; 3d, Maine. Cockerel, 6; 1st, McNeil; 2nd, Main; 3rd, Doel. Pullet, 6; 1st, Main; 2nd, Pugsley; 3rd, Mc-Neil

Bilver Sebright.--Cock, 3: 1st. McNeil; hen. 3: 1st, same; 2nd and 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 2. 1st, same; pullet, 2: 1st, same.

Japanese -- Cock, 2. 1st, Richard Oke, Lon-don; 2nd, Pugsley. Hen, 3: 1st, Pugsley; 2nd and 3rd, Oke. Cockerel, 3. 1st. Pugsley; 2nd and 3rd, Oke. Pullet, 2: 1st, Oke; 2nd, Pugsley. White or Bleck -- Cock 5: 1st. MoNeil: 2nd

White or Black.--Cock, 5: 1st, McNeil; 2nd, Hill; 3rd, Pugsley. Hen, 6: 1st, McNeil; 2nd, Hill; 3rd, Pugsley. Cockerel, 5: 1st and 2nd, Way; 3rd, Pugsley. Pullet. 6: 1st and 3rd, Way: 2nd, Oke.

TURKEYS.- Bronze-Cock, 2: 1st, Main; 2nd, A Mitchell, Tuscarora. Hen, 3. 1st, Main; 2nd; Mitchell. Cockerel, 5: 1st and 2nd, Main: 3rd, Mitchell. Pullet, 5: 1st, Main; 2nd Mitchell,

Black or White .- Cock. 3: 1st and 2nd, Smith. 3rd, Mitchell. Hen, 4; 1st and 3rd. Smith; 2nd, Mitchell. Cockerel, 3. 1st and 2nd, Smith; 3rd, J Hewer. Pullet, 4: 1st and 2nd, Smith; 3rd, Hewer.

Wild .-- Cock, 3: 1st, Jas Anderson, Guelph; 2nd and 3rd, Smith. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Smith; 3rd, Anderson. Cockerel, 1st and 3rd Smith; 2nd Anderson. Pullet, 1st and 3rd. Smith; 2nd, Anderson.

DUCKS .-- Aylesbury-Drake, 2: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Smith. Duck, 3; 1st and 2nd. Bogue; 3rd. Smith, Drake, of '81, 3: 1st Smith; 2nd; San-derson; 3rd, Bogue. Duck, of '81, 3; 1st and 2nd, Bogue; 3rd, Smith.

Rouen.--Drake, 2; 1st. Main, 2nd, Andersou. Duck, 2; 1st, Main; 2nd, Anderson. Drake of '81, 4: 1st and 3rd, Main; 2nd. Anderson. Duck of '81, 4; 1st and 2nd, Main; 3rd Anderson.

Cayuga.- Drake, 4; 1st, Smith; 2nd, Pugsley. Duck, 4; 1st, Smith. Drake, of '81, 2. 1st, Smith, 2nd, Pugsley. Duck, of '81, 2; 1st, Smith; 2nd, Pugsley.

Pekin.—Duck, 4: 1st, Burgess; 2nd, Pugsley. Drake, 4: 1st, Burgess. Drake, of 'S1, 4: 1st, Pugsley; 2nd and 3rd, Grenny. Duck, of 'S1, 5: 1st and 3rd, Grenny ; 2nd, Burgess.

GEESE. — Toulouse. — Gander, 3: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Pugsley. Goose, 3: 1st, Bogue; 2nd, Pugs-ley. Gander of 'S1, 3: 1st, Maine; 2nd, Burgess. Goose of 'S1, 1: 1st, Maine.

China -Gander, 3 : 1st and 2nd, Hower. Goose, 3: 1st and 2nd, Hewer. Gander of '81, 2: 1st and 2nd, Hewer. Goose of '81, 2: 1st and 2nd, Hewer.

Bremen.-Gander, 5: 1st and 2nd, Main; 3rd, Hewer. Goose, 6: 1st and 2nd, Main; 3rd Bur-gess. Gander of '81: 1st and 2nd, Main. Goose of '31, 2: 1st and 2nd, Main.

GUINEA FOWLS .- Pair, 3: 1st, Smith; 2nd, Spragg.

PIGEONS.

Carriers, black-Cock, 2: 1st and 2nd, James O. Weldon, London. Hen, 2: 1st and 2nd,

Weldon. Dun—Cock, 2: 1st and 2nd, Wel-don. Hen, 2; 1st and 2nd, Weldon. Any color— Cock, 1: 1st, Weldon. Hen. 1: 1st, Weldon. Pouters.—White.—Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Wel-don; 3rd, Charlesworth. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd,

don; 3rd, Charlesworth. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Wel-don; 3rd, Charlesworth. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Weldon; 3rd, Charlesworth. Blue or black pied— Cock, 4: 1st and 3rd, Weldon; 2nd, Charlesworth. Hen, 4: 1st and 3rd, Weldon; 2nd, Charlesworth. Yellow or red pied—Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Wel-don; 3rd, Charlesworth. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Wel-don; 2rd, Charlesworth. Weldon ; 3rd, Charlesworth.

Tumblers.-S. F. Almond.-Cock, 2: 1st and 2nd, Weldon. Hen, 2: 1st and 2nd, Weldon. Long Faced—Cock, 3: 1st, Weldon; 2nd, Tyson Bros., Berlin. Hen, 3: 1st, Weldon; 2nd, Tyson Bros.

Barbs-Red-Cock, 1: 1st, W. Barber, Toronto. Hen, 2: 1st and 2nd Barber. Black-Cock, 2: 1st, Weldon; 2nd, Tyson Bros. Hen, 2; 1st, Weldon; 2nd, Tyson Bros.

Trumpeters—Any color—Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Weldon; 3rd, Tyson Bros. Hen, 3: 1st and 2nd, Weldon; 3rd, Tyson Bros.

Jacobin—Any color—Cock, 3: 1st and 2nd, Weldon; 3rd, Tyson Bros. Hen, 2; 1st, Weldon; 2nd, Tyson Bros.

Antwerp-Blue-Cock, 4 : 1st, Fullerton; 2nd, Jas. McFarlane, Montreal. Hen, 3: 1st, Fuller-ton; 2nd, McFarlane. Blue C.—Cock, 2: 1st and 2nd, Fullerton. Hen, 2: 1st and 2nd, Fullerton. Red C.—Cock, 1: 1st Fullerton. Hen, 1: 1st, Fullerton. S. Dun—Cock, 3: 1st, Fullerton; 2nd, McFarlane. Hen, 3: 1st, Fullerton; 2nd, Mc-Fordere. Farlane.

Fantail-White-Cock, 6: 1st, Jeffrey; 2nd, Charlesworth. Hen, 5: 1st, Jeffrey; 2nd, Geo. Jeffrey, Guelph. Blue or Black—Cock, 4; 1st, Tyson Bros.; 2nd, Jeffrey. Hen, 4: 1st Tyson Bros.; 2nd, Jeffrey.

Archangel-Cock, 1 : 1st, Weldon.

Swallow-Cock, 1: 1st, Weldon. Hen 1: 1st, Veldon.

Owl-Coek 1 : 1st, Weldon. Hen, 1 : 1st, Weldon.

Turbit-Cock, 1: 1st, Weldon. Hen, 1: 1st Weldon.

CANARIES .- Cock, 1 : N. Wade, Brantford.

PARROTS. -Green, 1: Wade.

GOLDEN PHEASANTS .- Pair 1 : Weldon.

ENGLISH PHEASANTS .- Pair 1 : Hill.

NOTE.—Full name and address of exhibitors will be found with first winnings.

The Yorkville Show.

The first show of the Yorkville Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association was held in the Town Hall from the 20th to the 24th of February. When the short time in which the arrangements had to made is taken into account, the society has every reason to feel proud of its first effort. The arrangements were mostly very complete, and everything looked neat and tidy. Nearly all classes were represented by fine specimens, and, with the exception of turkeys and geese, in good numbers. The hall was well lighted both by day and night. The attendance was good, especially in the evennigs, and we believe the exhibition was a success financially.

Mr. Geo. Hope made a very fine show of taxi-

dermy, &c., which proved quite an attraction, but we think had the space thus occupied on the stage been allotted to the pigeons, instead of having them so much scattered about the show, it whould have been much more in accord with the aims of the society. The display of pigeons was large and very good, but on account of being so much scattered this attractive department did not appear to the advantage that it should.

The success of the show is in a great measure due to the energy and zeal of the 1st vice-Prcsident, Mr. Charlesworth, who was indefatigable in his efforts to have everything in good shape and satisfactory to exhibitors and visitors. He was well supported by his brother officers and the members of the association.

Having only a few hours at our disposal here, which were pretty well taken up in filling out reccipts for new subscribers, we are unable to give any report of the different classes.

Judges.-Messrs, J. W. Buck, Brantford, and G. T. Simpson, Falkland.

PRIZE LIST.

BRAHMAS.-Light, pair, 1st, H. G. Charlesworth, Yorkville; 2nd, J McArthur. Chicks .- 1st, John James, Yorkville; 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Dark. -1st, C H Hall, King; 2nd, J Foster. Chicks.-1st, C H Hall; 2nd, H G Charlesworth.

CocHINS.—Buff: 1st, C H Hall; 2nd, W & A Wright, Richmond Hill. Chicks.—1st, W & A Wright; 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Partridge: 1st, W & A Wright; 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Chicks: 1st, H G Charlesworth; 2nd, C H Hall. White: 1st and 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Chicks : 1st, H G Charlesworth; 2nd, James Brown. Black .- 1st, J McArthur; 2nd, C H Hall. Chicks: 1st, J James; 2nd, H G Charlesworth.

LANGSHANS.-1st, J Aldous, Berlin. Chicks : 1st same.

GAME.-Black-breasted red: 1st, Wm Barber, Toronto; 2nd, J Marshall. Chicks: 1st, J Marshall; 2nd, W Bugg. Brown : 1st, Chas Waycott, York-ville. Chicks : 1st and 2nd, Wm Barber. Golden Duckwing : 1st, W Barber. Silver Duckwingchicks: 1st, same. Any other variety: 1st, C F Jarvis, Toronto. Chicks: 1st, Bonnick & Cowie.

HAMBURGS .- Golden-spangled : 1st, C Dawson, Jr., Brampton, 2nd, C T Carter. Chicks-1st, C Goodchild, Toronto. Silver-spangled : 1st, C Dawson; 2nd, J Aldous. Chicks: 1st, C Dawson; 2nd, C Lawrie. Golden-pencilled : 1st, J McArthur. Chicks : 1st, H G Charlesworth ; 2nd, J McArthur, Silver-percilled, chicks : 1st, P G Rice; 2nd, II G Charlesworth. Black : 1st, J James. Chicks : 1st, same; 2nd, E T Carter.

LEGHORNS .- White : 1st, Wm Stahlschmidt, Preston; 2nd, John McArthur. Chicks: 1st, W Stahlschmidt; 2nd, Bonnick & Cowie, Yorkville. Brown: 1st, Wilson Johnston; 2nd, W Stahlschmidt. Chicks: 1st, W Robinson, Yorkville; 2nd, J Foster. Black : 1st, McGrath Bros.

DFANISH —1st, U H Hall; 2nd, Joseph John-on. Chicks: 1st and 2nd, John Nunn & Son, To-into. Dorxings.—Silver-grey: 1st, Thos Armstrong. B Jones; 2nd, J Robinson, Yorkville. Fantails—1st and 2nd, N Jeffrey. Blue or black 1st and 2nd, Tyson Bros. Any other color, 1st, J B Jones; 2nd, J Robinson, Yorkville. Fantails—1st and 2nd, N Jeffrey. Blue or black 1st and 2nd, Tyson Bros. Any other color, 1st, J SPANISH —1st, C H Hall; 2nd, Joseph John-ston. Chicks: 1st and 2nd, John Nunn & Son, Toronto.

Chicks : 1st, Jas Main. Colored : 1st and 2nd, Jas Main. Chicks: 1st, same. White, chicks: 1st, J Aldous.

PLYMOUTH ROCKS .- 1st, C H Hall; 2nd, J McArthur. Chicks: 1st, Geo Hope, Yorkville; 2nd, CH Hall.

POLANDS .- White-crested black : 1st and 2nd, G Hope. Golden-spangled : 1st, J Aldous ; 2nd, E H Crown, Yorkville. Chicks: 1st, J Aldous; 2nd, J Raine. Silver-spangled: 1st, J Aldous; 2nd, Geo Hope.

HOUDANS.-1st and 2nd, John Aldous. Chicks: 1st, J Aldous ; 2nd, C H Hall.

Any other variety.---1st, J Aldous; 2nd, G Hope. Chicks: 1st, J Aldous; 2nd, A M Stowe.

BANTAMS.-Game.-Black-breasted red : 1st. W J Way, Toronto; 2nd, W Lawrence. Chicks : 1st, W J Way; 2nd, J A Fraser. Brown-breasted red : 1st C Goodchild; 2nd, W J Way. Pyle: 1st, W J Way. Chicks: 1st, W Lawrence; 2nd, C Goodchild.

Golden Sebright .-- 1st, Jas Main ; 2nd, Jas Foster. Chicks: 1st, Jas Main; 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Silver: 1st, J James. Chicks: 1st, W & A Wright; 2nd, J Foster. Black or white rose-comb: 1st, C Dawson; 2nd, J Main.

TURKEYS .- Bronze : 1st, Jas Main ; 2nd, George Hope. Young: 1st, Jas Main; 2nd, G Hope.

DUCKS.—Aylesbury: 1st, Jas Foster. Young: 1st W & A Wright; 2nd, Jas Forster. Rouen; 1st and 2nd, Jas Main. Young: 1st, same; 2nd, Samuel Paul. Pekin : 1st, Chas Laurie. Young : 1st, Chas Waycott; 2nd, R Walkinshaw.

GLESE .- Toulouse: 1st, H G Charlesworth .--Young : Jas Main.

SPECIAL SOCIETY PREMIUMS .- Best breeding pen, Asiatics, C H Hall. Best breeding pen, any other variety, same. Best and largest variety of purebred poultry shown by any one exhibitor, H G Charlesworth. Best artificial mother, same.

SPECIAL PRIZES .- Best pair White Leghorns, Wm Stahlschmidt. Best collection of Game Bantams, W J Way. Best collection of Asiatics, H G Charlesworth.

Canaries-1st, Thomas Williams; 2nd, Thomas Edwards. Goldfinch, Thomas Williams.

PIGEONS.

Carriers-Black, 1stand 2nd, John James. Dun, 1st, J B Jones, Toronto. Any other color, 1st and 2nd, J James.

Pouters-Pigmy, 1st, H G Charlesworth; 2nd, Tyson Bros., Berlin. Blue or black pied, 1st and 2nd, H G Charlesworth. Yellow or red pied, 1st, same; 2nd R Moss.

Tumblers-Almond, 1st, Alt Shaw. Any other color, 1st, J B Jones; 2nd, J James.

Barbs-Red, 1st, J James; 2nd, G Hope. Black, 1st, Tyson Bros; 2nd, T L Stahlschmidt.

Trumpeters-Any color, 1st, Tyson Bros; 2nd, R Bedford.

Jacobins-Any color, 1st, Tyson Bros; 2rd, Jno James.

Antwerps-Blue, 1st and 2nd. James. Red chequer, 1st and 2nd, John James. Any.other

Nuns-1st, P Bedford ; 2nd, J James. Any other variety not mentioned, 1st, G Hope; 2nd, P Bedford.

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Special prizes .- Blue Dragoons, 1st, Jno James ; chequered Dragoons, 1st, same ; yellow Dragoons, 1st, same.

Annual Meeting of the Poultry Association of Ontario.

The annual meeting of this society was held in a parlor of the Kirby House, on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 14th. The President, E. Kester, presiding. There was a very large and influential gathering of fanciers, representing all sections of Onlario.

Minutes of last annual meeting read and confirmed.

The Treasurer, Mr. Grenny, read the Fnancial Statement and Auditors' Report, (see Review for August,) which, on motion, was adopted.

Moved by Mr. T. Gowdy, Guelph, seconded by Mr. A. Bogue, London, That the show of the Association for 1883 be held in the City of Toronto. Carried unanimously.

Mr. L. Thorne, Blyth, moved, seconded by Mr. G. T. Simpson, Falkland, That a committee be appointed to nominate the Board for the ensuing year, and named as such committee the following members : Messrs. E. Kester, Brantford ; Jas. Fullerton, Strathroy; S. Butterfield, Sandwich; Thos. Gowdy, Guelph; W. H. Doel, Doncaster; A. Bogue, London. The mover's name was added and the committee retired.

On returning, the chairman, Mr. Gowdy, verbally reported the committee as recommending the following as the members of the Board for the ensuling term :---

President-W. H. Doel, Toronto.

1st Vice-President-Allan Bogue, London.

2nd E. Kester, Brantford. do

Board of Directors .- S. Butterfield, Sandwich; J. W. Buck, Brantford ; F. G. Spragge, Guelph ; Jas. Saulter, Peterboro; J. Eastwood, Hamilton; Chas. Bonnick and U. Boddy, Toronto; L. Thorne, Blyth, and James Main, Boyne.

Auditors .- H. J. Hill, Toronto, and James O. Weldon, London.

Moved by T. Gowdy, seconded by L. Thorne, That the report be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Way, seconded by Mr. J. James, that Messrs. Doel and Dilworth be delegated to the Toronto Industrial Exhibition Association. Carried.

The retiring President addressed the meeting, thanking the members for the support given him during his two years term of office, and congratulating them on the excellent show of this year, and John, N. B.

be faithful to this society. If prizes were difficult to win here the honor was greater, and successful competitors were dead sure of receiving their winnings in full.

> Mr. Kester them left the chair, and it was taken by the President elect.

> Moved by T Gowdy, seconded by L Thorne, That a vote of thanks be tendered to the retiring president for the faithful, efficient and successful manner in which he has presided over the affairs of the society during his term of office. Carried.

Tendered and replied to.

Mr. Doel thanked the members for the honor conferred on him, and hoped that the show for 1883 at Toronto would be so successful as to realize the highest expectations. He would certainly do all in his power to make it a success, and felt certain that he would be ably assisted by the Board appointed to work with him.

Moved by Mr. Moore, and seconded, That the Board be instructed to prepare a Constitution and code of By-laws for the proper government of the association, and submit the same at the next annual meeting for the approval of the members.-Carried.

Moved by Jas. Anderson, seconded by P.Spragge, That the thanks of the association be tendered to the secretary, Mr. Sanderson, for the efficient and courteous manner in which he had discharged the duties of his office. Carried.

Tendered and replied to.

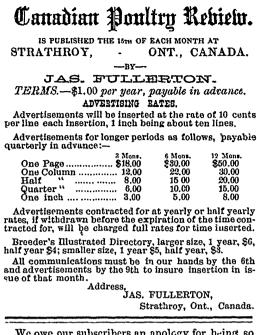
Moved by L. Thorne, seconded by W. Moore, That the thanks of the association be tendered to the retiring officers and directors. Carried.

The meeting then dissolved.

The Board met immediately after the close of the annual meeting and re-elected W. Sanderson, Stratford, Secretary, and elected John James, Toronto, Treasurer.

New Brunswick Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

At the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Poultry and Pet Stock Association, held in St. John, Jan. 18th, 1882, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year :- President,-Col. A. Blain, St. John; Vice Presidents,-J. S. Maclaren, St. John; L. J. Almon, Rothesay, Kings Co.; C. E. Grosvener, Canterbury, York Co.; W. P. Morris, St. Andrews, Charlott Co.; L. I. Flower, Mc. Donald's Corner, Queens Co.; Alex. Stewart, Dalhousie, Restigouch Co. ; Philip Law, Muncton, Westmorland Co.; J. B. Snowball, Chatham, Northumberland Co., N. B. Secretary,-H. H. Wilson, St. John. Treasurer,-Wm. Sincler, St.



We owe our subscribers an apology for being so late this month. Absence at the shows, waiting for promised communications, non-arrival of cover paper, all helped to delay issue. We hope those who have communications and advertisements for March issue will send them in at once to enable us to be on time.

Prize lists of Peterboro' and St. John, N. B. shows will appear in next issue.

A great attraction at Brantford show was a pair of Golden Pheasants exhibited by Mr. Jas. O. Weld., of London. Anything more beautiful in plumage is hard to imagine. Some wag must have imposed on the credulity of the party who exhibited a pair of barn yard fowls as Golden Pheasants at Yorkville. He was late making the entry, but was quite willing to pay an extra fee rather than deprive the public of the pleasure of sceing them.

Disgraceful.

The poultry shows this season were attended with much that was pleasant and beneficial. Good feeling and generous rivalry were the prevailing characteristics; and were it not for a couple fo disagreeable occurances—one at Brantford and the other at Yorkville—the shows of the present winter would have done much to strengthen the confidence of fanciers, and promote a general feeling of safety in sending their stock for exhibition. It is greatly to be regretted that by the disgraceful acts of some miscreants, who unfortunately yet remain undiscovered, these desirable objects have Napknoll J Y.—C. S. New Blyth Poul Fancy Pou folk Pigs, and Leghorns, Preston, Ont.

been to a large extent thwarted, while at the same time serious loss has been inflicted on two honorable fanciers, who certainly deserved no such treatment. The cases we allude to arc; the stealing at Brantford of a valuable Antwerp pigeon belonging to Mr. MacFarlane of Montreal, and the poisoning at Vorkville, of a beautiful Golden Duckwing Bantam cock, owned by Mr. Chas. Bonnick, of that In the former case the bird was taken place. from the coop c.. Sunday evening or early on Monday morning, and although the officers of the society failed not to do all in their power, no trace of the thief has yet been discovered. Mr. MacFarlane's birds were carefully looked after by brother funciers and the officers of the society, and the loss was soon discovered.

Mr. Bonnick's bird was poisoned with strichnine. administered by inclosing it in capsules, which were thrown into the cage. There is no doubt of this, as a second capsule was found containing a quantity of the poison sufficient to kill several birds. This act is supposed to have been prompted by spite or jealousy, and was so cowardly and malicious, that no language of ours can adequately express the contempt and abhorrence which all honorable men must feel for the wretch who would be guilty of it. Not only is the loss of the birds in both cases to be deplored; but further, a feeling of distrust is created by such acts that cannot be otherwise than injurious to the societies and the fancy in general The last dastardly outrage will naturally be regarded as the act of some exhibitor, and will place some innocent parties in an awkward position. No honorable man would care to be associated in any manner with one who could be guilty of such deeds, and while we know the officers of the society feel it keenly, we trust by their continued exertions, aided by all lovers of justice, the prepetrators may be compelled to pass the ordeal first of exposure, and afterwards of punishment. It will certainly be little less than a calamity if this can not be done, for only by this means can the stain be effectually washed away, the public confidence restored, and a repetition of such crimes rendered at least very unlikely at future shows.

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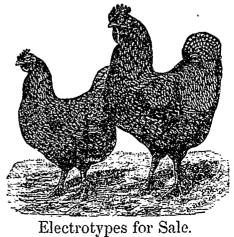
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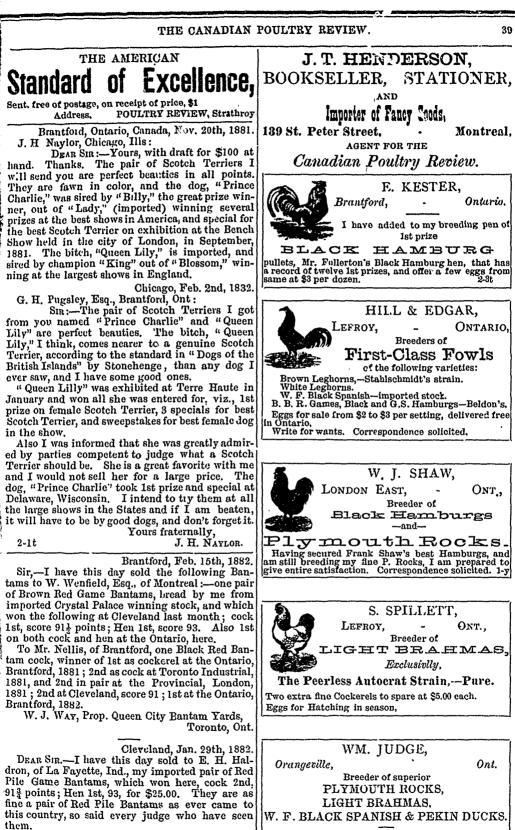
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