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NOTES AND COMMENTS

DATES.

Canada's Great Industrial Fair, Toronto, September 9th to 21st, H. J. Hill.

Midland Central Fair, Kingston, August 28th to Sept. 7th, R Meek.

Eastern Township Agricultural Association, Sherbrooke, P.Q. Sept. 3rd to 5th, E. Winn Farewell.

Central Canada Fair Association, Ottawa, Sept. 9th to 14th, C. R. W. MacCuaig.

Agriculture and Arts Association of Ontario, London, Sept. 9th to 14th, Henry Wade, Toronto.

Brantford Southern Fair, Brantford, Sept. 10th to 12th, R M Wilson.

South Renfrew Agricultural Society, Renfrew, Sept. 17th and 18th, Robert McLaren.

North Western Exhibition, Goderich, Sept. 17th to 19th, R. C. Hays.

Peninsular Fair, Chatham, Sept. 17th to 20th, John Tissiman.

Lincoln County Union, St. Catharines, Sept. 23rd to 25th, Albert Pay.

Great Central Fair, Hamilton, Sept. 23 to 27, C. R. Smith.

Wellesley and North East Hope, Wellesley, Sept. 24th and 25th, Geo. Bellinger.

South Grey Exhibition, Durham, Sept. 24th, and 25th, Arch. Mackenzie.

North Lanarck Agricultural Society, Almonte, Sept. 24th to 26th, Wm. P. McEwen.

Lindsay Central Fair, Lindsay, Sept. 24th to 26th, James Keith.

Ontario and Durham Exhibition Association, Whitby, Sept. 24th to 26th, W. R. Howse.

Centre Bruce Agricultural Society, Paisley, Sept. 24th to 26th, S. Ballachey.

Southern Counties Fair, St. Thomas, Sept. 24th to 27th, John A. Kains.

Central Exhibition, Peterborough, Sept. 24th to 27th, Wm. Colling.

Great Northern Exhibition Association, Collingwood, Sept. 25th to 27th, T. F. Crawford.

Central Agricultural Society, Walters Falls, Sept. 26 and 27th, B. Holmes.

Central Exhibition, Cannington, Sept. 27th and 28th, Arch. J. Sinclair.

North Brant Agricultural Society, Paris, Oct. 1st and 2nd, James O'Neil.

County of Haldimand Fair, Cayuga, Oct. 1st and 2nd, Thos. Bridger.

Great South-Western Exhibition, Essex Centre, Oct. 1st to 3rd, A. E. Jones.

Brampton Fair, Brampton, Oct. 1st to 3rd, Henry Roberts.

The Northern Exhibition, Walkerton, Oct. 1st to 4th, Jacob Seegmiller.

East York Agricultural Society, Markham, Oct. 2nd to 4th, James J. Baker.

Ontario Central, Port Perry, Oct. 2nd to 4th, H. Gordon.

North Perth Agricultural Society, Stratford, Oct. 3rd and 4th, John Brown.

North Renfrew Exhibition, Beachburg, Oct. 3rd and 4th, John Brown.

South Oxford Union Exhibition, Otterville, Oct. 4th and 5th, Alex. McFarlane.

Howard Beach Agricultural Society, Ridgetown, Oct. 8th to 10th, D. Cochrane.

West York and Vaughan Fair, Woodbridge Oct. 9th and 10th, T. F. Wallace.

Central Wellington, Fergus, Oct. 10th and 11th, John Mair, Llara.

Scarborough Agricultural Society, Danforth, Oct. 10th, Alex. McCowan.

Norfolk Union Fair, Simcoe, Oct. 15th and 16th, J Thos. Murphy.

UNITED STATES.

Buffalo International Fair Association, Buffalo, N. Y. Sept. 3rd to 13th, C. W. Robinson.

New York State Agricultural Society, Albany, N. Y. Sept. 12th to 18th, J. S. Woodward.

Hornellsville Eposition, Hornellsville, N.Y. Aug. 26th to 30th, C. W. Robinson.

Detroit International Fair, Detroit, Mich., Sept. 17th to 27th, C. W. Robinson.

MR. F. STURDY,

Guelph, was in Toronto on July 6th, and informed us that he was then shipping a lot of birds to British Columbia, where two of his sons are living. The consignment consisted of dark Brahmas and golden and silver spangled Hamburgs.

MR. "BOB" HAMILL

Secretary of the Poultry Association of Ontario, writes us that we made a mistake in last issue in quoting from his letter, Vice-President should read President. We hasten to correct the error which was quite unintentional.

PROF. WESLEY MILLS'

address before the Montreal Association and which appeared in our columns some months ago, has, we notice been copied into the *Fanciers Journal* Philadelphia, Pa., *Poultry* London, (England) and the *Fanciers Gazette* London, (England). This is flattering both to Prof. Wesley Mills and to the REVIEW.

AN EGG STORY.

Mr. Benjamin Boyd, Todmorden, has a farm yard hen which recently laid an egg $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches in circumference. When broken it contained another complete egg, floating in albumen.

THE ONTARIO LIST.

The Executive Board will meet during the Industrial Exhibition and any exhibitors needing changes or additions to the list, should write Mr. Hamill to St. Catharines, Ont., or if

preferred the suggestions may be sent in our care and we shall see that they are placed in the Secretary's hands in ample time.

MIDLAND CENTRAL FAIR, KINGSTON.

We were surprised in picking up a copy of this schedule to see the good classification in the poultry sections, fowls and chicks have 41 sections each of \$2.00 and \$1.50 for an entrance fee of 25c. All entries close August 24th. All are pairs. Mr. G. S. Oldreive is the Superintendent of the Poultry Department and Mr. W. C. Martin, Manager.

THE PROVINCIAL, LONDON.

Birds shown in pairs here also, entrance fee 25c. Fowls and chicks have 63 sections each, with prizes of \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00, and medals for collections. Entries close August 17th. Mr. Hy. Wade, Secretary, Toronto.

CENTRAL CANADA FAIR, OTTAWA.

The list here is a good one, 60 sections for pairs fowls of \$2.50, \$1.50 and 50c., and 61 for chicks of same amounts. Entries 25 cents each, close August 31st. Mr. R. C. W. McCuiag, Secretary.

GREAT CENTRAL FAIR, HAMILTON.

This list has been considerably improved since last year. Fowls have no less than 63 sections of \$3.00 and \$2.00, and chicks 52 of \$2.00 and \$1.00, for an entrance fee of 25 cents, all shown in pairs, entries close September 17th. Mr. C. R. Smith, Secretary.

THE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITON, TORONTO.

We have gone into details before. Entries close August 17th. Mr. H. J. Hill, Secretary.

THE JUDGES

At the great Central Fair, Hamilton, will be Messrs. R. McMillan, Galt; W. H. Doel, Eglinton; D. T. Rogers, Cayuga; and R. C. Holbrook, Hamilton.

SEX ANGULAR POULTRY HOUSE.

These cuts explain themselves; from the ground plan (Fig. 2.), it will be seen that all the work is done from the centre,

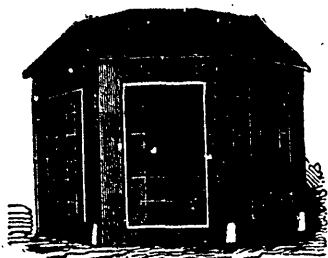


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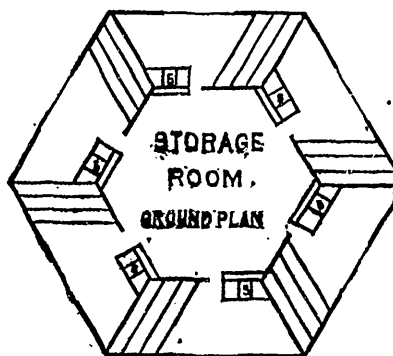


Fig. 2.

which is also used for storage, heating, or any other purpose preferred. House may be six feet high, with size of house of any dimensions required. It combines convenience in the smallest space.

THE SIZE OF THE COMB AND THE EGG.

A correspondent in *Vinton's Gazette* in writing on this subject, says that many will remember what Darwin says of selection, and the illustration he adduces, of how blue-eyed cats are deaf: feather-legged pigeons are webbed between the outer toes; short beaked pigeons have small feet, while long-beaked pigeons have large feet. "Hence," Mr. Darwin says, "if man goes on selecting, and thus augmenting any peculiarity, he will almost certainly unconsciously modify other parts of the structure."

Now, for some years past I have held the opinion, which careful observation has confirmed, that there is a correlation of growth between the size of a comb and the size of the egg. Whenever you see a hen with a big comb, in nine cases out of ten, she lays a big egg. Observe how this statement affects the yellow-legged breeds to which you referred. Cochins, Brahas and Wyandottes must have small, fine, neat combs, according to the "Standards;" the breeder cultivates this feature again and again, and all the while he is unconsciously modifying the egg-producing organs. Hence the comparative disrepute into which Cochins and Brahas have fallen with many practical poultry-keepers. But it was not always thus. My white Cochins, to which I have referred, had large, coarse lop-combs, and their eggs were of the largest size. I submit, therefore, Sir, that your indictment against the yellow-legged races is not of universal application.

Again, apply my view to other breeds. It has been decreed that the Hamburgs should have fine, neat combs, and as a rule they lay very small eggs. Yet in the old days the eggs of the Yorkshire pheasant were of very respectable size. Again, the Houdan used to lay a very large egg, but this valuable breed has woefully deteriorated since a fine, neat, leaf comb became the order of the day. Or take the Langshan, which is advocated mainly for its economic merits. When I followed the "Standard," and cultivated a small comb, the eggs, too, grew "small by degrees, and beautifully less." Now that I go in for rather large combs, I have splendid eggs and plenty of them. On the other hand, breeds like the Minorcas, which have not been condemned to carry small combs, still lay large eggs. I think, Sir, that this correlation of growth between the fowl's comb and the egg has not received sufficient attention, and

that its recognition ought to lead to the revision, on strict economic lines of some of the standards. It would be well if we could divide our poultry into fancy breeds and useful breeds. No one wants to see the Brahma, the Cochin, or the Hamburg lose aught of the beauty which the breeder's skill has, through evolution, obtained for them; the Wyandotte, too, will bye-and-bye be a beautiful, fancy fowl. But on the other hand, for breeds of domestic utility, we want standards framed solely with regard to the development of useful features. Why should the Plymouth Rocks, and the Houdans—birds of homely appearance, which no ingenuity can make handsome, be suffered to deteriorate for the sake of fancy points? Why should the wonderful little Leghorns be ruined by their own never-to-be-satisfactorily-cultivated white earlobes? Why should that really useful bird, the Langshan, be foolishly sacrificed by its friends to the ungainly length of its own shanks? One word of advice to amateurs in conclusion. When you are selecting eggs for sitting, always choose the biggest; when you are buying hens, or deciding which of your pullets you will keep, be sure that you take those with the largest combs. In this way anyone can get hold of a good laying strain; for after all, the merit is not so much in the particular breed, but in the strain.

GOVERNMENT EXPERIMENTAL FARM
Report concluded.

METHOD OF FEEDING.

The conditions as to temperature, feed &c., were the same with the exception of the Brahma hens, which were given more oats than the others. The morning feed was varied, but always warm and known as "soft" It was composed of two parts shorts, one part cornmeal and one part boiled wheat. The hot water the wheat was boiled in was used for mixing the feed. To the mixture was added, almost every

morning a small quantity of Cayenne pepper and bonemeal. Twice or three times a week meat scrapes were substituted for the bonemeal and boiled wheat. At other times small potatoes and scraps of cabbage formed the greater part of the morning meal. On this variety the layers were fed barely enough to satisfy and never enough to gorge. Soon after, when the water was given for drink, a few handfuls of small wheat or ground meat were thrown into the chaff, always on the floor for the fowls to scratch in, every effort to keep them in activity being of paramount importance. The noon meal was light and scattered in the chaff. The last feed of grain, also thrown on the floor, was liberally given and the layers sent to roost with a full crop to carry them over the long night fast. A cabbage suspended from the centre of the pen was also used as an incentive to exercise. Oyster shells (ground) and gravel were also supplied.

The temperature varied from 30 to 45 and 50. On reaching the two latter figures the morning feed was greatly reduced and more dry grain given. At the lower figure the chill was taken off the water given to the layers.

MALE BIRDS SEPARATE.

The male birds, in all cases, have been, and are kept from the laying stock, for the reason that an impregnated egg is not so good in flavour, nor will it keep as well, as one from hens with which no male bird has been allowed to associate. The cocks and cockerels are also kept away from the breeding stock and will be so kept until the breeding pens are made up. Their feed is oats and wheat with green food, gravel &c., &c.,

SICKNESS.

Several cases of sickness have occurred, among them five or six cases of virulent roup. The birds were most likely affected before coming into the new building. The sick were at once

separated from the others, and the roup cases with the exception of two, were quickly cured. The exceptions, two cockerels, were so bad that had a cure been possible they would have been useless for breeding purposes. Under the circumstances the birds were killed and the remains burned. Experiments as to the best remedies for the diseases of poultry are being made, as opportunity permits. I will be most happy, on enquiry to give those desirous of knowing what has been found the most effective treatment in the different cases met with so far.

IN HOSPITAL.

There are at present in hospital one black breasted red Game pullet; one bearded golden Poland pullet; one black Russian hen, and two black Minorca cockerels. Their ailment is cold, sometimes called catarrh.

FALL EXHIBITION.

According to your instructions 125 chickens of the different varieties were placed on exhibition at the Canada Central Fall Show in the month of September last, a space for the purpose having been allotted in the poultry shed.

PRACTICAL VISITORS.

Since the occupation of the poultry house there have been numerous visitors, among them several farmers who expressed their intention of establishing poultry departments in connection with their farms. Two of their number had already 75 to 85 hens, and one is making preparations for the housing of 500 winter layers. All the information desired as to the best methods of care, feeding &c., was given.

PROPOSED CROSSES.

Among the crosses proposed for experiment, some of which it is intended to undertake in the spring, are the following:—

- Dirigo—White Leghorn.
- Brahma—Black Russian.
- Black Spanish—Red Cap.

Plymouth Rock—White Leghorn.
 Brahma—White Leghorn.
 Plymouth Rock do
 do Wyandotte.
 Brahma—Black Minorca.
 Black Minorca—Black Leghorn.
 Brown Leghorn—Buff Cochin.
 Wild Goose—Common Goose.

The results from some of these crosses will no doubt prove of value and interest to all those concerned.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. G. GILBERT,

Manager Poultry Department

CENTRAL EXPERIMENTAL FARM,
 20th January, 1889.

WYANDOTTE CLASSES.

Editor Review:—

Kindly allow me space in your Journal to make a few remarks regarding Wyandotte fowls, at the Industrial and Ontario shows. I think it an injustice to make four varieties of Wyandottes compete in two classes, while three varieties of them are already admitted to the American Standard. Why give the black and white Minorcas, Red Caps, white P. Rocks, etc., a separate class more than Wyandottes, as they are all newer varieties in this country. I also see at last meeting that Creve-Coeurs and LaFleche were added to the list, which varieties are only bred by a few breeders and in very small numbers, just enough to scoop the prize money at the fairs. Golden and silver Wyandottes compete together. The goldens are new while the silvers have been bred for years, which is not giving the goldens a fair show. The same will apply to the whites and blacks.

There is no variety of fowls in America to-day which commands such a high price and is in such demand as the golden Wyandotte—then why handicap them?

I understand that at the last Ontario

show there was a little feeling against me by a few for patronizing an American show in preference to the Ontario. My reasons for so doing are, I do not consider Wyandotte fowls get a fair show. Another thing I did not consider justice was to allow a few breeding pens to compete while all others were excluded from the show. Allow all to compete for breeding pen prizes, or none. If they can't give money prizes, give a diploma or leather medal, but use all exhibitors alike. In conclusion I am only one of the dozen Canadian exhibitors who patronized Detroit show.

T. H. SCOTT,

St. Thomas, Ont.

NEW POULTRY HOUSE AT BARRIE— COLLINGWOOD.

Editor Review:

Some months since I asked the favor to refer in your columns, to the local interest in regard to the poultry industry, with some account of the increased accommodation therefor in the towns of Collingwood and Barrie, and the village of Stayner. By your kindness, Collingwood and Stayner received a short notice of the improvements that have been made in connection with the poultry exhibit at the annual Agricultural Exhibition held in these places. At that time I could not refer to the poultry building at Barrie in complimentary terms, and as I had a great hope that another poultry house would be the order for this year, I preferred to wait, so that the small account might contain the much desired news. I am glad to be able to say that this I can now do. Among the fanciers in this district, the REVIEW has many subscribers, and they will be glad to learn that there is to be a different building, tight and snug, for Barrie show this year. The town of Barrie is widely known as being one of the prettiest in Canada, overlooking

the Kempenfeldt Bay, it is popular as a summer resort, and is besides the County Town of Simcoe, that fact adding the charm of its being a fashionable retreat. The Building in which the Agricultural Exhibition is held annually, is a very handsome structure, nearly new, but already getting too limited for the wants of the people and exhibitors, for Barrie is a popular place with all. The poultry house hitherto has tried the patience of the fanciers awfully, and but for the genial and courteous treatment experienced by the exhibitor from all connected with the Association, the poultry show would have sadly degenerated, as it is, however, Barrie has always had a good show, both as to numbers and quality of stock, and this year entries will be far ahead. The plan at present proposed is to convert the large dining hall under the grand stand, which we may say in passing is never occupied at the time of the fall show, into a new poultry house, plenty of light is to be arranged for, and as the hall is spacious and can be well ventilated, this will be a very warm and large house for the Poultry men's pets, and will be duly appreciated by them. It is to be hoped that the fanciers will show their appreciation of the efforts of the management, and send in such a poultry exhibit as Barrie has not yet seen. Mr. J. M. Bothwell of Barrie, who is an old and enthusiastic fancier, is on the committee for this work, and as he knows what his brother fanciers require so well, and is a good working member, we may well rest satisfied that all will be done for the comfort and convenience of the exhibitors and their pets.

In conclusion allow me to call attention to the great Northern Exhibition, Collingwood. The only drawback to their fine large poultry-house, was that the coops were made with lath fronts and consequently were very dark, and spoilt the look of the whole exhibit. Besides which they were very hard to open.

We have received word from Mr. H. Foreman an old fancier and friend, that all this has been entirely altered, as was promised us last year. The fronts now are all wite and made convenient for either taking out or putting in the occupants. All this has been done under the personal supervision of Mr. H. Foreman and Mr. G. Moberly. As these gentleman are both in earnest to do their best, we may be sure the poultry house in Coilingwood is as near perfect as can well be. The coops are numerous, large, and light and water at hand and feed easily procurable.

W. C. G. PETER.

Angus, July 22nd, 1889.

P. S. As an exhibitor allow me to say that the fraternity ought to be proud to possess a paper that will give both sides in a controversy equal opportunities, such is our old friend the REVIEW.

(Our constant effort is to treat all with impartiality.—Ed.)

HORNELLSVILLE—BUFFALO—DETROIT.

Editor Review.—The three great Fairs, "Hornellsville Exposition; the Buffalo International Fair, with the Detroit International Fair," are the three great Fairs that the breeder of Poultry can't afford to miss, coming one after another they make a circuit of Exhibitions under the same general manager, such as has never before been offered to the public. The buildings are large and will be well filled, as the premiums are very liberal and the entry fees within the reach of all. Besides the best Judges that the U.S. affords, Mr. Thos. H. Smelt, of Guelph, has been engaged for Buffalo, and Mr. Sharp Butterfield, of Windsor, for Detroit. It will be desirable to commence the circuit at Hornellsville, as the coops are large, and roomy with the feed and water on the outside at

the back of the coop, which keeps the fowls perfectly dry and clean till the close of the Fair. The premium lists are now ready, and a card dropped to the Secretary of each Fair gets one.

Yours,

A. S. STILLMAN,
Supt. Poultry Dept.
Alfred Centre, N. Y.

KEMPENFELDT POULTRY, PIGEON AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the above association was held at the residence of Mr. W. C. G. Peter, Angus, Ont., July 16th. Mrs. Peter, the President in the chair, with a large attendance of members. The meeting was called to order, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Communications were read from Mr. Steadman, Penetang, and Mr. Foreman, Collingwood, that they could not attend. It was moved by Mr. W. C. G. Peter and seconded that new members be admitted from now until annual meeting in 1890, for the sum of one dollar.—Carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Lawton that we memorialize the Minister of Agriculture re grant to Poultry associations for proper sub-division of said grant, and that we ask the assistance of all the associations in Ontario for the furtherance of this object, seconded and carried.

One small account was passed and ordered to be paid.

It was moved by Mr. Peter, seconded by Mr. Barret, that Mr. Love, Mr. J. Barrand and Geo. H. Carley be a committee to see about the lighting of the new Poultry building at Barrie.—Carried.

It was moved by Mr. J. Barrand and seconded that a committee be appointed to consist of Rev. W. H. Barnes, Mr. Bothwell, Mr. Love, Mr. Peter, Mr. Patterson and Mr. J. Barrand, to interview the Barrie Council and mer-

chants and see what could be raised towards the support of a show at Barrie this winter.—Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Love and seconded, that the association give a silver cup for sweepstakes breeding pen of old birds at Barrie Exhibition, also a silver medal for sweepstakes pen in young birds. Games and Game Bantams barred.—Carried.

Mr. J. Barrand moved that a cash prize be given at associations' meetings, for the best pair of birds shown at the meeting, one variety each evening: entrance 25 cents, and prize to be 2/3 of entrance fees. This was seconded and carried. After having a jolly good time, the meeting adjourned until the second Thursday in August.

Mr. & Mrs. Peter have the members' thanks for their kindness in providing for our meeting which was a grand success in every way.

GEO. H. CARLEY,
Barrie, July 22nd '89. Secretary.

SOME MORE WAYS OF COOKING EGGS

STIRRED EGGS.

Six eggs, three tablespoonsful of gravy (that made from poultry is best), enough fried toast, from which the crust has been pared, to cover the bottom of a flat dish, a very little anchovy paste, one tablespoonful of butter in a frying-pan, and when hot break into this the eggs. Stir in the gravy, pepper and salt to taste and continue to stir very quickly, and well up from the bottom, for about two minutes, or until the whole is a soft, yellow mass. Have ready in a flat dish the fried toast, spread thinly with anchovy paste. Heap the stirred eggs upon this and serve before it has time to harden.

BROILED EGGS.

Cut a large round of bread, toast it on both sides and butter it; carefully break six eggs and arrange them upon the toast; sprinkle over them some salt and pepper, and slowly pass a red-hot

shovel up and down over them until they are well set. Squeeze upon them the juice of an orange and strew over a little grated nutmeg. Serve as quickly as possible. If preferred, the toasted bread may be dipped in some warmed cream and some poached eggs placed upon it, and then glazed with a red-hot shovel.

DROPPED EGGS.

Strain some boiling water into a frying-pan, which must also be perfectly clean; the least impurity will mar the whiteness of the eggs. When the water boils break the eggs separately into a saucer. Take the frying-pan off and slip the eggs one by one carefully upon the surface. When all are in, put back over the fire and boil gently three minutes. Take out with a perforated skimmer, drain, and lay upon slices of buttered toast in a hot dish. Garnish with parsley, and dust with pepper and salt.

BUTTERED EGGS.

Take four fresh eggs, beat them well. Put two ounces butter into another basin; place the basin in boiling water and stir the butter until it melts. Have ready a lined saucepan. Pour the eggs and butter into it, and as the mixture begins to warm pour it backward and forward in the saucepan to the basin that the two ingredients may be thoroughly incorporated. Keep stirring the mixture one way till it is hot, not boiling, and serve on hot buttered toast.

RUMBLED EGGS.

Beat up three eggs with two ounces of fresh or washed butter, add teaspoonful of cream or fresh milk; put in a saucepan and keep stirring over the fire for five minutes or till it raises; serve on toast.

POACHED EGGS.

Set a stewpan on top of stove, pour a pint or two of boiling water in, add two teaspoonful salt, drop eggs carefully in

when whites are firm draw off water, dip up, put a little butter in each egg, and, if desired, sprinkle with pepper.—*Housekeeper's Companion.*

STUFFED EGG.

Boil eggs hard; take off the shells without breaking the whites, cut the eggs neatly in two in the middle, take out the yolk and rub to powder, which mix with salt, pepper and dry mustard. Fill each hollow with this mixture, then place the ends together again and wrap in tissue paper. A picnic dish.

SCALLOPED EGGS.

Six eggs boiled; and, when cold, cut into thin slices. One cupful of bread crumbs moistened with a little gravy and a little milk or cream. One-half cup thick drawn butter, into which has been beaten the yolk of an egg. One small cupful minced ham, tongue, poultry, or cold halibut, salmon, or cod. Pepper and salt to taste. Put a layer of moistened crumbs in the bottom of a butter baking dish. On this lay the sliced eggs, each piece of which must have been dipped in thick drawn butter. Sprinkle the ground meat over these, cover with another layer of bread crumbs, and proceed in like manner, until the egg is all used up. Sift on the top a good layer of dry bread crumbs. Cover the dish with a plate until the contents are heated through, then remove the plate, and brown the top upon the upper grating of the oven.

ŒUFS FARCIS.

Boil six eggs hard; remove the shells but leave the eggs whole; cover them with a rich force meat made with scraped ham, pounded anchovy, pounded veal, bacon fat, well pounded together and highly seasoned; brush them with the yolk of egg and dredge them with bread crumbs or vermicelli; fry a pale gold color, or put them for a quarter of an hour in an oven, and serve up with gravy in the dish.—*New Cyclopaedia of Domestic Economy.*

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