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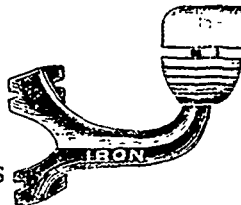
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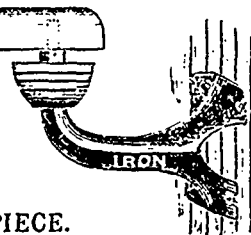
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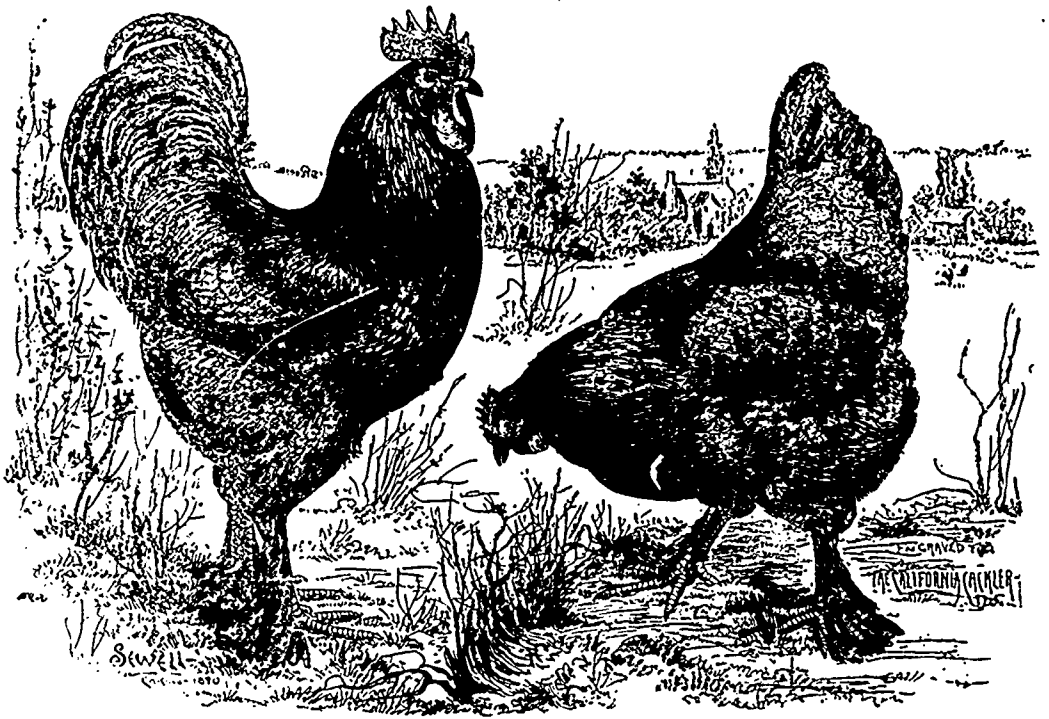
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## NOTES AND COMMENTS

MR. THOS. A. DUFF, TORONTO,

**R**AS sold to Mr. W. C. Barney, Cleveland, Ohio, the first prize black Minorca cock at Toronto. The price paid, we understand, was a very high one.

NEW HAMBURG ASSOCIATION.

The following medals are offered by this Association as special prizes: For the ten highest scoring birds of any one variety, scoring 95 points and over, one Gold Medal, \$20; for the five highest scoring birds in the Asiatic class, one Silver Medal, \$5; for the 5 highest scoring birds in the American class, one Silver Medal, \$5; for the five highest scoring birds in the Hamburg and Poland classes, one Silver Medal, \$5; for the 5 highest scoring birds in the Game class, one Silver Medal, \$5; for the 5 highest scoring birds in the Spanish class, one Silver Medal, \$5. Duckwing Game will be added to the regular list, the class was omitted by the printer.

BRAMPTON SHOW.

The Co. of Peel P.&P.S. A. will hold a show on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February, 2, 3, 4 and 5. Mr. J. Y. Bicknell is to act as judge, there will be no hitch this time

as we have seen Mr. Bicknell's letter accepting the dates. Mr. J. A. Laird is Secretary this year.

PROMPTNESS.

Owen Sound show closed on Friday night, on Monday morning we received the prize list in full from the Secretary, Mr. J. W. McLaren.

MR. A. MARTIN, UNIONVILLE, has bought the barred Plymouth Rock cock, 1st in pen at the Industrial, from Mr. R. Downs, Toronto. He will head one of Mr. Martin's pens this season.

CORRECTIONS AT OTTAWA.

1st on young Indian Game chicks was won by Mr. F. W. Smith, Ottawa, and 1st, 2nd and 3rd on Guinea Fowls by Mr. A. L. Tourchot, also of Ottawa.

MR. J. R. LOWDEN,

President of the Montreal Association paid us a flying visit on Dec. 19th.

MESSRS. C. A. SHARP & CO.

have sold all their white Wyandottes to Mr. F. W. Huestin, Newtonville, Mass.

NEW FAIR GROUNDS FOR HAMILTON.

Notwithstanding the sale of the Crystal Palace and the dissolution of the old Central Fair Company, Hamilton

is not going to be without a fair and fair grounds. A few most enterprising and prominent citizens have taken the matter up and have formed a joint stock company for the purchase of grounds and the carrying on of an annual exhibition. Mr. William Hendrie is chairman of the new company, while those most interested next to himself are Messrs. George Roach, J. M. Lottridge and George T. Tuckett. An option has been secured on the Gage farm, which is only 2½ miles distant from the City hall, and is conveniently situated on the Grand Trunk and Northern and North-Western railways. It is intended to erect buildings, to lay out a horse ring and track, and to furnish every needful equipment for the holding of an annual exhibition. The city and county will be asked for grants. A number of the farmers of South Wentworth are also interesting themselves in the project and will invest in the commendable enterprise.

EGGS FOR BELGIUM.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—An enquiry from Belgium for Canadian eggs was made some days ago and the letter was sent to a Montreal dealer for reply as to further trading. On the gentleman who received the letter being asked if Belgian eggs were not sent to the English market in large quantities, he replied: "Yes, but there is a desirable quality in Canadian eggs which the

Belgian eggs have not." This, he presumed was the reason of the enquiry.

#### CHRISTMAS POULTRY TRADE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—The McKinley bill does not seem to have had much effect on the Christmas trade in poultry for the United States, as the usual train load for Boston from Smith's Falls, Perth, Brockville, Almonte and Carleton Place passed over the Canada Atlantic road. The train consisted of 12 cars, containing over 100 tons of poultry, valued at about \$26,000. Prices were higher than last year and the supply for the United States somewhat smaller than usual owing to the large quantity shipped to England for the Christmas market, and also to the fact that for the first time buyers were present from the west and British Columbia, three car loads being taken for Vancouver and one for Winnipeg.

#### KINGSTON POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

We have often wondered how Kingston got on without a poultry Association and we now are glad to see that such an organization has been formed. There are good men at the head of it and it should meet with a very large patronage. A suggestion is thrown out in the report to which we beg to draw our readers particular attention, that is that the two Ontario Associations receiving government aid, amalgamate for 1893, and hold a joint monster show. The plan seems to us worthy of deep consideration and in fact was advocated by the REVIEW a year or two ago, the only difference being in the location.

#### THE LONDON ASSOCIATION

we notice by the Secretary's report has taken the bull by the horns, and will open a correspondence with the Provincial Government with regard to the exhibit of Poultry at the World's

Fair. The Poultry Association of Ontario should take an active part in this.

#### THIS ASSOCIATION

it is universally felt, should do more for the poultry men of Ontario than the mere holding of an annual show, in fact the Ontario Government has signified that more will be expected for the money expended. Much good could be done by the members keeping accurate records of laying, growth, and a hundred other practical points of infinite value to breeders. The Government is anxious to publish such matter in the annual reports, and every aid possible should be rendered to make this feasible. Let all these matters be thoroughly well discussed at the annual meeting.

#### A RECORDING SECRETARY.

To bring things into shape it has been suggested that the Association appoint a permanent Secretary whose duties shall last the year through, or else appoint a permanent recording Secretary who shall give his close attention to the points we have mentioned, leaving all show business and business of every other nature to the annually elected Secretary.

#### THE GALT ASSOCIATION

is hard at work at the preliminaries of their first show. We hope to give the exact date in our next issue.

#### MR. J. E. MEYER, KOSSUTH,

now writes us that he has received the missing Wyandottes, and that no blame can be attached to any official of the Industrial other than that the birds were placed in a wrong coop which caused the trouble.

A. G. H. LUXTON, HAMILTON, has shipped to Hon. Mr. Mercier, St. Anne de la Parade, Quebec, 30 of his choicest birds (10 trios) principally Asiatics.



#### MORTIMER'S MONTHLY MORSELS.

BY F. A. MORTIMER.

**P**OULTRY need far more care during the damp, rainy weather, than during the dry, warm weather of summer, or the clear, cold weather of winter, for dampness engenders numerous disorders, many of which are difficult to cure, therefore it is better to try the preventative than to administer a proposed cure.

There are few fowls more prolific than the Game, and when there is a good wide range of any kind, no fowl will prove more profitable. They eat little in proportion to other fowls, and are very good layers.

Sprinkle the eggs with warm water for the last four or five days before hatching. It softens the skin and shell and they break easier.

Feed systematically two or three times a day. Scatter the feed so they can't eat too fast or without proper exercise. Do not feed more than they will eat up clean, or they will get tired of that kind of feed.

A banker or millionaire can be a fancier without its degrading him in the least, in fact if bank presidents and cashiers would devote more of their time to poultry raising instead of speculating with their depositors' money, there would be fewer tourists to Canada.

One of the best crosses for broilers is a Wyandotte cock and Brahma, or Cochin hens. Plymouth Rock or Dominick cocks with large hens also produce fine broilers.

The first desideratum in winter is warmth.

The New York market prefers light eggs, the Boston market dark ones.

January is the coldest month in the year, and deep snows will often seriously interfere with the operations in the poultry yards. In the South the snows do not remain long enough on the ground to cause much annoyance, but in the North the poultrymen, when the yards are filled with snow, must either shovel it away or feed the hens in the poultry house. If they are confined in the house the door should be kept open during the day-time, provided the house faces the south, in order to allow the admission of light and air, or the fowls will prefer to remain outside. They should have sawdust or straw on the floor, and the food thrown into it in order that they may be compelled to scratch. The dust in the dustbox should be replenished often, and kept dry, and the house must be cleaned of the droppings daily. The water will freeze, and so will the soft food, if the weather is severe; of course these obstacles are discouraging, but as very little other work can be done at this season, there will be but a small loss of labor. It is no easy undertaking to properly care for poultry in January, but as there are many cases in which time and capital are not enumerated in other directions besides that of poultry raising, by comparing the labor bestowed in the poultry-house with other ventures, it will be found profit-

able to give the fowls all the attention possible. Eggs and chicks are high now, and amply repay the poultryman for his care and attention.—*P. H. Jacobs.*

House those late chicks comfortably, and feed them well, else they will quit growing, get tired and discouraged, and finally quit living.

If you scatter some grain among straw or leaves and keep the hens at work scratching they will lay better and keep in better health.

Charred wood from the stove, or charcoal in any shape is excellent for poultry. It is best to keep it in the pens before them all the time, and where they can have free access to it all the time. They are very fond of burned bread, corn, or other charred substance.

To produce the best layers, with medium size, cross the brown Leghorn with partridge Cochin hens, or a white Leghorn with light Brahma hens.

Chicks should be examined for lice at least every week. The large gray louse that is on the head and neck can often not be seen until the feathers are wet. Never grease the entire body of a chick, else death will surely follow; use melted lard and rub on the head as low down on the neck as the lice may be found; and a very little under the wings.

Dressed poultry should not be packed for transportation until perfectly cold, then it should be laid in clean straw, breast down, keeping wings and legs close to the body and see that there is no discoloration of blood on

the skin. If the heads are removed, pull up the skin of the neck and tie it over the severed portion with a bit of strong thread or twine. Never cut off the claws or spurs of old hens with the idea of passing them off for young cockerels. Purchasers are generally older than the most ancient of your poultry yards. Or if perchance your customer is green, there is no excuse for dishonesty.

Early and provident fear is the mother of safety.—*Burke.*

### GOLDEN SEBRIGHT BANTAMS.

*Editor Review,—*

CAN you tell me Mr. Editor, why so elegant and profitable a fowl as the Golden Sebright should be left off the list of any exhibition. I see Owen Sound ignores this variety altogether, but offers prizes for Guinea Pigs. Now I will venture the assertion that Sebright Bantams will give a greater return than any of the large varieties, while Guinea Pigs are good for nothing that I know of except for Dr. Koch to extract his very doubtful cure from. Guelph offers prizes for Sebrights, not mentioning either variety, they may save prize money in this way, but they will loose in entries. I don't believe in dwarfing every variety and calling them Bantams but this old standard variety at any rate should be on the prize list of every show worthy of the name.

I may add I have used your "for sale" column a good many years now and always with satisfactory results.

Yours truly,

H. H. FREEMAN.

Milton, Dec. 7, 1891.

## LIGHT BRAHMAS AT THE INDUSTRIAL TRIAL.

*Editor Review,—*

I NOTICED C. S. Jackson's letter in December number, and I don't see that any judge should take offence at an exhibitor for giving his views. Of course it would not be expected that I should see every exhibitor's birds as their owners see them. I have not got ownership and prejudice to contend with, consequently, I should be able to see a little clearer the good points and defects of each individual bird. I still retain the same impressions made at Toronto Industrial, and as Mr. Jackson and myself are so much at variance, it would be an impossibility for us to agree, for Mr. Jackson sees things in such a *different light* that we must leave it to the readers of the REVIEW to determine which of us it is that don't know much about light Brahmas. When chicks are full feathered and developed and have got their cock and hen feathers, there cannot be much left to hope for. Now such were the two light Brahmas at Toronto—just about as good as they ever will be. Now they certainly have an advantage over younger birds, but when a judge cannot see they are worthy representatives of their kind, the judge would naturally look for something that will fill the bill, that is, meet the requirements of the American Standard. That is my Standard Mr. Jackson, so if you have not got one, the REVIEW would be glad to sell you one, and then you would have one like mine. The Standard doesn't require weight nor size to determine the awards before 1st December, so it is left entirely with the judge's application and knowledge of birds, the judge has or ought to have a knowledge of birds in their rates of development, or else much of the

awards would be serious blunders. Would Mr. Jackson have me believe that my over 30 years of experience of breeding and judging birds has not taught me more than a novice—he says the cockerel should not be discarded because he was out in comb, is there any hope that it will grow better? and as Mr. Jackson wants to invest \$20 on the cockerel having attained Standard weight, why he would only be worth 75 cents if he was not a proper subject to develop the race. As he makes a suggestion, Mr. Editor, perhaps I would not be out of place to make a suggestion to Mr. Jackson, and that is, that I think it would be better for all, for him to invest the \$20 in a first-class light Brahma cockerel and try and win 1st at Bowmanville. I am sure I would have no objections.

I think I received a letter from Mr. Jackson while I was Superintendent at Detroit, asking me to tell him what prizes his birds had won, as he wished to be guided in making entries at other shows. Mr. B. N. Pierce judged the varieties and I don't wish you to understand that the pair of light Brahma chicks were there. I answered him, and readers of REVIEW, when an exhibitor has to rely on what his birds won at a fall show he must not be very well posted how good his birds are. Mr. Jackson says that if I thought all judges were of Mr. Butterfield's opinion my last visit has been made to the show room. I want you to understand Mr. Jackson I am not answerable for the omissions and commissions of any other judge, and if you had been guided as you said you wished to be, why you would have left your Cochins home, as I don't think they won in Detroit under Mr. Pierce. Mr. Jackson goes on to say his opinion was that birds were judged in their condition at time of show. Why, that is my opinion, and I don't see why it should be otherwise. Would Mr. Jackson have

us believe because some first-class specimens were moulting badly they should be placed behind some much poorer specimens because the poorer specimens were in good feather? That is where a judge's knowledge is required. It is left to the decision of the judge to award the prizes for the best specimen of its kind, and a judge cannot, nor I don't think he is expected to pass by promising young birds, because they have not fully developed. Take for instance any other animal, take colts under one year for instance, does the judge always give first prize to the best developed, no Sir, the one having the most desirable good points carries off the coveted first prize, and rightly so. And if a judge is not competent to determine and to know positively, except accidents, the judge is not qualified, in my opinion, to award the prizes.

As regards the pullet, Mr. Jackson says: Size was not the objection at the time, but that she showed black in web of feather.

Mr. Jackson admits that she had black spots in web of feather, and perhaps if he had seen them in any other breeder's birds he would say they were a little larger than a pin's head. If I had thought her bad enough to disqualify. I should not have awarded her 2nd prize—she had not much size for a pullet so fully developed. And if I did not say that to Mr. Jackson—why he was so insulting in his remarks, that I was thinking about the work I was doing, not that I allow any exhibitor to brow beat me into changing my awards, and generally when I get through I go over the birds again to see if my second sight confirms my former judgment. While Mr. Jackson was at fever heat, an old light Brahma breeder had looked over the chicks and he said in my hearing that the 1st prize pullet and 2nd prize cockerel were worth more than all the light Brahma chicks there, and I



am sure if I had been going to buy, I would have given as much money for the two as I would for all the others. I speak especially for the pullet.

Now I admit the first prize pullet had much more black in her back than Mr. Jackson says, but the black was on her chicken feathers, but the hen feathers coming and what had come, showed no black spots, and I think without any exception she had the best striped neck I have seen for a long time, and of the green lustre so much desirable in good light Brahmas she had enough and almost to spare. I could not help expressing my opinion of her, which seems to give Mr. Jackson so much annoyance. When a judge makes a statement like that and a dissatisfied exhibitor hears or reads it, then, if he was anxious to learn how much the judge knew, it would be the best policy to await and see how far the judge erred in his judgment when next you see the birds. I should like Mr. Jackson to show the birds at our Ontario show, and I will give way and let either of my brother judges score his birds, so that he can get justice, that which he does not think he got at Toronto.

Mr. Editor, I want Mr. Jackson to know that it does not make any difference to me who wins, I have no interest in any birds shown, and my endeavors will be, the best to win, regardless of ownership.

Yours,

J. BUTTERFIELD.

A PECULIAR CASE.

RECENTLY a case came under my observation that was very instructive and shows the importance of dissecting all fowls that die, or more correctly of making a *post mortem* examination.

A Game hen that had been ailing for some weeks, died. The abdomen was

found distended which was explained in opening it by the presence within of a large tumour looking very much like a mass of fat. As the egg-tube (oviduct) could not be found, it was concluded that in all probability it was represented by this tumour. Upon cutting this in two, there was found a sort of cheesy mass, but on further examination, part of this mass was found invested with an egg-shell.

Then the real nature of the case became apparent. There had been inflammation of the oviduct followed by fatty degeneration, and the size of the tumour had caused so much disturbance as finally to kill the fowl.

Whether the egg had been retained and caused the inflammation or whether it had failed to be expelled because of inflammation it is impossible to say, but in any case the subject is instructive, *Mount Royal*.

BANTAMS.

Editor Review,—

HEREWITH I beg to forward 25c. for insertion of the enclosed ad. in January number of the REVIEW.

In answer to previous ads. in your paper I received letters from Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, British Columbia and Pennsylvania, and made a number of sales as well. The great extent of territory represented by this correspondence, reveals not only the value of the REVIEW as an advertising medium, but also the wide-spread interest that centres in the breeding of Bantams. I deem it a matter of regret that your Bantam Department did not receive the support it deserved, and which would have ensured its permanence. As a step in the direction of reviving it, I would suggest that the Bantam exhibit at the Ontario and other large shows be specially written up instead of receiving a curt mention as has previously been the custom.

Yours truly,

Ottawa.

E. F. MURPHY.

WHAT IS A THOROUGHbred FOWL?

BY H. S. BARCOCK, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

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THERE are a good many vague ideas upon what constitutes a thoroughbred fowl, ideas which need clarifying by more precise definitions. Vague ideas generally lead to strange misconceptions, and these are sometimes harmless, though not infrequently harmful. It is worth while, then, for us to get a clear conception of what we mean by the term thoroughbred as applied to fowls.

To illustrate one of these vague ideas about what constitutes a thoroughbred fowl, and the bad effect that such an idea may produce, it is only necessary to refer to the treatment that some new varieties have received when first introduced to the attention of the public. Not a few have been denominated "mongrels," a term which is considered sufficient to condemn any breed or variety by those who do not realize its full import. But these same mongrels have persisted and have compelled a recognition of their thoroughbred character, triumphing over opposition and denunciation, if, indeed, such opposition has not really assisted them in their struggle for survival. But, had these parties who spent so much force in condemning the new varieties been better instructed in what was the meaning of the term, thoroughbred, they would have saved themselves much useless labor and eventual humiliation.

The term thoroughbred, has not anything, necessarily, to do with the question of origin. It matters not how a breed originated, whether from one or from many sources, whether it is what

is popularly called "full blooded" or "pure-blooded"—terms which generally refer to a single origin but are also used as synonymous with thoroughbred—or whether it is the result of the union of several well-known breeds or varieties. Origin is not the test of the thoroughbred character of a fowl, or for that matter of anything else in the animal world. If one could find a race of fowls whose pedigree could be traced in an unbroken line back to the original wild progenitor, it would not necessarily be a thoroughbred race of fowls. It probably would be a thoroughbred race, not, however, on account of its origin, but it would not necessarily be such. I am aware that such statements are liable to shock some who are great sticklers for purity of blood, but it is better to be shocked by the truth than to spend a life-time in holding as true what is false.

The length of time a fowl has been bred is not the test of its thoroughbred character. In the yards of the farmers, the world over, there are true mongrels that have been bred from "the time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary." If time were the test, then there would be the most distinctly thoroughbred of the fowls of which we have any knowledge, unless possibly the Game fowl be an exception. Before history lighted its torch from the waning fires of myth, these fowls existed. They were mongrels then—they are mongrels now.

What then do we mean by the term thoroughbred? What is the test by which the thoroughbred character is determined? The answer is as simple as truth. Thoroughbred means thoroughly bred, that is, when applied to fowls it means that they will produce their characteristics with great uniformity. The progeny will have the characteristics of the parents and will breed them down to the next generation and so on, so long as the breed or

variety exists. There will not be absolute uniformity, for variability steps in to prevent that, but there will be a tolerably close adherence to the breed and variety type in the most of the progeny. Any fowl which is capable of doing this is thoroughbred, even though it has many more ancestors than it has years of existence.

Of course I am arguing that length of time is a matter of no importance, for the longer a fowl has been bred to a given type, the more likely will be its adherence to that type, and the less likelihood there will be of revisions to some of its original progenitors. But the time itself is of no importance, save as it assists in securing the transmissibility of the type. As soon as the type is a certain heritable property, so soon is the fowl a thoroughbred. This may occur as it has in some white "sports," almost at the outset, or it may require five, ten, or even more years. The one thing necessary is that the type be capable of transmission with reasonable uniformity.

#### REPLY TO MR. MORTIMER.

BY F. M. CLEMANS, JR.

MR. MORTIMER in his notes in December number advances such ideas as one might look for from a disappointed exhibitor. Not that we wish to infer that Mr. M. has been so disappointed, but the fallacy of his position is so apparent that the note referred to sounds a good deal more like spleen than cool argument. This idea of reducing the breeding of thoroughbred fowls wholly to a standard of utility has been often advanced and as often knocked on the head. It is not hard to foresee what would be the result were such a theory carried into actual use. If disqualifications are removed from the Standard the day is not far distant when mon-

grels will be the rule and thoroughbreds the exception. The rigid requirements of a Standard have brought to a high degree of uniformity all the older breeds and will have the same influence in time on the new breeds. To make the Standard adjustable to the various ideas of breeders and hucksters means a prompt halt in the march of improvement and a sure falling off of the quality of fowls now bred from both the Standards of use and beauty. Mr. Mortimer is greatly grieved that small defects debar an otherwise fine bird from competition. For instance we take the light Brahma. A bird with a single comb will be debarred, and from Mr. Mortimer's standpoint, so small a point should not be considered. I wish to ask how long the light Brahma would remain the grand breed it is, if distinct Brahma characteristics were not required to appear in every Brahma exhibited. The Standard not only protects the purity of the breed, but also fosters the economic points. The required shape for all the utility breeds is the best practical shape that can be acquired by that breed, and if the Standard requirements were reached the farmer or market poultryman could ask no more. The weight standard for all breeds in which good weights are to be expected is high enough, in fact if anything, is rather extreme. Above all things let us have no letting down of Standards, but rather seek to elevate. Mr. Mortimer's assertion that first premium birds are usually the most worthless in the show, is too transparently unreliable to require much attention. No one with an eye to beauty can deny that the Standard requirements for nearly all breeds are the most desirable that could be conceived of. Breeding to a Standard is the best and fairest of methods. Judging by the Standard insures to all fair and impartial treatment, and a scale of points is absolutely necessary to accuracy in judging.

A GOOD THING.

Editor Review:—

**S**IR,—The purchasing department lately established by you should receive the hearty approval of all fanciers as well as their support. By purchasing through that medium, a person will know just what kind of a bird he is to get for his money, and not be at the mercy of dishonest men. You may think that a rather strong term to use, but I am sorry to say that there are some men who deal in what they call "fancy poultry," who are not up to the "standard" as far as honesty goes. I have lately been a sufferer at the hands of one of these gentry, whose name I withhold from the public, but send it to you, Mr. Editor. This man claims to be a breeder of barred Plymouth Rocks only, and I wanted to procure some good pullets to make up a breeding pen. The birds he sent me cannot be described by any other term than "mongrels." How easily I could have dealt with this party, had I purchased through your purchasing department.

R. E.

AMERICAN BUFF COCHIN CLUB.

Editor Review:—

**F**IFTH Annual Meeting of the American Buff Cochin Club will be held in the city of Worcester, Mass., on Wednesday evening, January 27th, 1892, at seven o'clock (during the Great Poultry Exhibition). The Club offers \$40 in specials, \$5, \$3 and \$2 each on cock, hen, cockerel and pullet. Only members of the Club can compete for these specials, and no extra entry fee will be charged. It is the duty of each and every member of the Club not only to be present in person at this meeting, but also to exhibit.

GEORGE E. PEER,  
Sec'y and Treas.  
Rochester, N.Y., Dec. 15th, 1891.

FROM VICTORIA B.C.

Editor Review:—

**I**N quoting awards of the prize-winners of the Victoria, B. C. Poultry Exhibition, you have allowed two first prizes that I won to other exhibitors. In B. B. R. Games I won all the prizes in old and young classes and 1st and 2nd in breeding pens, and 1st on golden Duckwing cock, and Societies diploma for largest and best collection of any breed on exhibition, was won by my B. B. R. Games.

Yours Respectfully,  
MRS. THOS. BLACK,  
Victoria, B. C.

NEW YORK POULTRY AND PIGEON ASSOCIATION.

Editor Review:—

**F**OLLOWING are the gentlemen engaged to officiate as judges at the N. Y. Poultry and Pigeon Show to be held in the Madison Square Garden next February:—Newton Adams, J. H. Baldwin, Sharp Butterfield, Dr. W. A. Conklin, Irving Crocker, J. P. Drevensedt, John Filkin, Chas. M. Griffing, Jas. E. Hanley, J. C. Long, George Purdue, Elmer E. Quick, F. L. Sewell, C. K. Sharp, W. J. Stanton, Chas. Terry, Francis T. Underhill. Other engagements are daily being made and due notice of their appointment will be given. The success of the 1892 show will be unprecedented. The Society is offering more premiums, providing more classes and doing all in its power for the welfare of the fraternity. It is hoped that all breeders and fanciers will donate a cash or useful special. Remember nearly \$20,000 worth of birds were sold during the days of the last show.

Make your entries early, last year some had to be returned, an objectionable feature to all concerned but with such a gigantic exhibition the rules must be adhered to.

Apologizing for the space I have taken, I remain,

Yours fraternally,  
T. FARRER RACKHAM,  
Secretary.

THE GAME CLUB.

Editor Review:—

**E**XECUTIVE Committee of the American Exhibition Game and Game Bantam Club has voted to hold its next annual meeting and show at the New York Poultry and Pigeon Association's Exhibition, to be held in the early part of February, 1892, at the Madison Square Garden.

It is hoped that each member will do all in his power to add to the list of special prizes and also to the membership of the Club.

Applicants for membership, by sending before Jan. 5th, 1892, their names with initiation fee, (\$1) and 1891 dues, (\$2) may, if elected, compete for the Game Club specials at the next show.

Any member wishing to give a special prize will assist the Club by announcing the fact promptly, as it is desired to publish the list of specials as soon as possible.

Yours truly,  
T. FARRER RACKHAM,  
President.

East Orange, N. J., Dec. 22, 1891.

MARKHAM POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

**T**HE regular meeting of the Poultry Association was held Dec. 3rd at the Franklin House, Markham, for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the Board at the Industrial, the President, Mr. G. W. Reesor and Secretary, Mr. J. W. Holmes being duly elected. The minutes of the previous meeting being read and adopted and other business being properly attended to, a special exhibit of birds was shown, Mr. A. Martin of Unionville exhibiting some fine specimens of barred Rocks and black Leghorns, winning all the prizes which he fully deserved. Mr. Gammage acted as Judge.

The next meeting will be held on the 15th of Jan. 1892. A good attendance requested and all interested come along.

J. W. HOLMES, Sec'y.  
Brown's Corners.

### THE SECOND PRIZE BUFF COCHIN PULLET AT THE INDUSTRIAL.

*Editor Review:—*

**P**LEASE insert the enclosed letter from C. H. Hall & Co., in reference to the Toronto prize-winning pullet and myself. You will greatly oblige by inserting in January number. This letter makes everything all right.

Yours faithfully,

R. H. TROLLOPE,

Singhampton, Dec. 22, 1891.

King City, Dec. 18, '91.

R. H. Trollope, E-q.,

Singhampton, Ont.,

DEAR SIR,—

We very much regret that there was a mistake made in reference to the buff Cochin pullet you bought from us, at the Great Northern Fair at Collingwood, last September.

We made a mistake in picking her out of our flock, and we supposed that we had the same bird that we won 2nd prize with at the Industrial Fair at Toronto. We won first with her at Barrie and first at Collingwood, and we were under the impression that she was the Toronto 2nd prize winner.

We should be pleased to send you the Toronto prize-winner for the one you have if you wish.

Yours faithfully,

C. H. HALL & CO.

TORONTO POULTRY, PIGEON AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.

**T**HE Annual meeting of the above Association was held in Richmond Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd, 1891. The President, W. Barber in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed, most of the old members were present, and the following new members were proposed and accepted, Wm. Giles, Alf. Cotton, Thos. Buckley and A. J. Miles. The Executive Committee's report was read and accepted, the Secretary's Treasurer's and Auditors annual reports

were read and accepted. Mr. Bonnick moved a vote of thanks to the officers for the efficient manner in which the business of the Association had been conducted during the past year. Carried. The election of officers then took place resulting as follows: Hon. President, Mr. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture; President, John Miles; 1st Vice-President, C. J. Daniels; 2nd Vice-President, Jos. Bennett; Secretary, John Gray, re-elected; Treasurer, R. Downs, re-elected; Executive Committee, Messrs. J. H. Thompson, J. Dilworth, W. Barber, W. Fox, E. F. Doty, D. G. Davies; Delegates to the Industrial Exhibition, Thos. A. Duff, John Miles; Delegates to the Western Fair, John Gray, C. J. Daniels; Auditors, C. Bonnick, H. B. Donovan. Mr. Bonnick moved, seconded by Mr. Davies, that the Association pay the travelling expenses of the delegates to the Western Fair. Carried. The meeting adjourned at 10.45 p.m. Receipts, \$30.00.

JOHN GRAY, Sec'y.

### KINGSTON POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

**A** WELL attended meeting of the Poultry and Pet Stock fanciers of the City of Kingston was held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, for the purpose of organizing a Poultry Association.

The following officers were elected: Geo. S. Oldrieve, President; R. E. Kent, Vice-president; Abraham Shaw, Sec. & Treas.; and the following Executive Committee, Geo. Nicol, W. A. Reid, J. L. Haycock, B. H. Carnoosky, Dr. Clark, Geo. Osborn, T. Orrell, W. O'Shea, W. C. Rothwell and Joseph Fisher. A committee was also appointed to draft by-laws. It was decided that the name of the organization, which has started under the most favorable circumstances, be known as the Kingston Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association, and its regular

meeting be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. A different variety of fowls is to be scored at each meeting. A deputation was also appointed to attend the annual meeting of the Ontario Poultry Association, with a view to induce that Association to hold its annual show at the City of Kingston in 1893, and it would be a grand thing if the grants for the Ontario and Eastern Poultry Associations could be amalgamated so as to hold a mammoth poultry show in the City of Kingston in 1893, from which stock for the World's Fair at Chicago, could be selected.

### LONDON POULTRY AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.

**T**HE regular monthly meeting of the London Poultry and Pet Stock Association was held in their room, Albion Block. President McNeil in the chair with a good attendance of members. Minutes of last regular and special meetings were read and confirmed. Accounts were presented and ordered to be paid. Mr. McCormick reported that the work in connection with the alteration of the poultry building, Western Fair Grounds, was being pushed rapidly ahead by the contractor, Mr. Inwood, who was getting things in good shape. Quite a discussion was indulged in with regard to the money appropriation that was to be asked from the government by the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario in connection with the Canadian exhibit at the World's Fair at Chicago. At their recent meeting held in the City of Guelph, Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Hog men were invited to attend and express their views regarding same, but by all accounts the Poultry interest was neglected. It was finally moved by Mr. Bogue and seconded by Mr. Spet-

tigue, that the Secretary he requested to correspond with the President, Mr. Awrey, and the Secretary, Mr. Wade, and ascertain if possible the reason why the poultry interest was overlooked. There should be no reason why a deputation from the Poultry Association of Ontario should not have been invited to co-operate with them. Moved by Mr. Spettigue and seconded by Mr. Stockwell, that Messrs. Bogue, McCormick, McNeil and Oke be appointed a committee to dispose of the correspondence, and have the matter of getting an appropriation for the poultry department discussed at the coming meeting to be held in Bowmanville.

Election of officers for 1892 was next proceeded with and resulted as follows: Moved by Mr. McCormick, seconded by Col. Aylmer that the present President, Secretary and Treasurer be elected, Carried. 1st Vice, Mr. A. Bogue, by Mr. Stockwell and Mr. McCormick, 2nd Vice, G. G. McCormick by Mr. Spettigue and Dr. Niven. Directors: Messrs. Ashton, Col. Aylmer, Evans, Robson, Spettigue, Massey, McGurdy, Smith and Gaze, by Dr. Niven and Mr. Stockwell. Auditors: Messrs. Niven and Stockwell, by Messrs. McCormick and Evans. Delegates to the Industrial Exhibition, Messrs. Bogue and McNeil, by Col. Aylmer and Dr. Niven. Delegates to Western Fair: Messrs. McNeil and Oke, by Messrs. McCormick and Saunders. There was no scoring competition, but Col. Aylmer brought up a very nice pair of silver laced Wyandottes for inspection, Mr. G. Massey also brought up a pair of black red Game Bantams recently imported by him from Scotland, Mr. Bogue scored the four specimens but I neglected getting the scores, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. McCormick extended a hearty invitation to all members of the Association to a supper at their residence, Dufferin Avenue, on the evening of the 22nd of January. There being no other business, the meeting adjourned.

Receipts for the evening, \$22.50.

R. OKE, Sec'y.

London, Dec. 21st, 1891.

INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE SHOW.

Editor Review.—

I HAVE much pleasure in complying with your request for a few pointers as to the outlook for our coming exhibition. Our second Annual is going to be a huge success. We have received requests from last year's exhibitors for increased space besides numerous applications from prominent breeders in both Canada and the United States asking for prize-lists, &c. Liberal prizes, justice to all, favors to none, and the unparalleled opportunities for the sale and exchange of stock have already placed our show on equal footing with the best. We have increased our premiums fifty per cent over last year, and have secured the Mansion House, which will give us over double the space for exhibits that we had last year besides affording ample space for the musical and vocal concerts which we will give here each evening. Gold medals are offered by W. McLeary, M.P.P., and W. M. German, M.P., in the Organ competition, entries for which now number 20.

Our reason for incorporating the above feature into our programme is to prevent visitors and exhibitors from finding the evening hours less pleasant than those of the day. "Music hath charms to sooth the savage breast," and we hope a like effect may be produced on all who attend the great International.

Please remember that your natural charms render you an eligible competitor for C. S. Jackson's prize for the best looking exhibitor.

If you can find it convenient to come and test the hospitality of our Association we shall be highly pleased to see you.

Respectfully yours,

C. W. VAHEY.

International Bridge, Dec. 21st, '91.



OWEN SOUND AND COUNTY OF GREY POULTRY ASSOCIATION SHOW.

THE ninth annual Exhibition of the above Association was held in the Town Hall, Owen Sound, on 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th December.

It fell to my lot to take in this show and on the morning of the 17th I left Toronto for that purpose, arriving in Owen Sound about one o'clock p.m.

After refreshing the inner man somewhat, I made for the Hall. This being my first visit to this interesting and seemingly very prosperous town. I was, of course, a perfect stranger to all the officers of the Association. However, just as I entered the hall, I had the good fortune to meet my old friend and sometime fellow-traveller, Mr. C. J. Daniels, of course busy as usual. He immediately introduced me to the Secretary, Treasurer and several others, by all of whom I was most warmly received, in fact, the welcome was such as to make me feel quite at home at once. I then received a cordial invitation to the Supper to be held in the Comely House that evening, but more of this anon.

The hall in which the exhibition was held is a large one and well adapted for the purpose, it is well lighted and very evenly heated, at the same time it is airy, was free from any unpleasant odour which you often find in poultry shows so that it was really a pleasant promenade. The different coops were well placed and showed up the birds to advantage.

And now, something about the birds themselves. I notice first on the prize-list are Brahmans. This class was well represented more especially in the light variety of which there were as fine specimens as I ever saw. In Cochins the exhibit was small, but there were a few good ones amongst them. Langshans, this class was small in num-

ber, but the birds shown were good Games were fairly represented, some A birds. Hamburgs, small exhibit, but good. Leghorns: this class was largely represented and I never saw a finer lot on exhibition anywhere, there were really some beautiful birds. I may say they drew the admiration of everyone.

Spanish, Dorkings, Plymouth Rocks, Javas, Wyandottes, Minorcas, Red Caps &c. were all well represented. There were also some magnificent Bronze Turkeys, notably the pair that took first prize, also Geese and Ducks. I can only say that each class was well filled, and any lack of number was more than made up by the quality of the birds on exhibition. In a word it was a first-class show, and I congratulate the Association on the success they have achieved.

#### THE SUPPER.

But now I must vary my report a little and come to a most pleasing feature in the exhibition and that is the supper held on the evening of 17th and to which I have already referred. A meeting of the Association having been called for at 8 o'clock, shortly after that hour we all adjourned to the Comely House, after a brief time spent over some matters it was decided to pay all outside exhibitors then and there their prize-money and local exhibitors at 11 o'clock next morning. After the outsiders had been disposed of, the meeting adjourned. We were then invited to go up stairs, where I had the pleasure of an introduction to James Masson, Esq., M.P., for the County of Grey, also some other prominent gentlemen. Whilst engaged in conversation principally and as a matter of course all on the subject of Poultry, a waiter came into the room and asked us to go down stairs with which request we complied.

On entering the dining room our eyes were dazzled with an exquisitely laid out table. We speedily seated ourselves, the chair being occupied by

Mr. Masson. For some time nothing was heard but the clatter of knives, forks, plates, etc. After partaking of the many good things provided for us, and after entire time being given the most hungry of us to get through to our ample satisfaction, the chairman rose and then commenced the toasting. The chairman, in a few well chosen words, gave us first the Queen full honors having been done to this toast and the National Anthem having been sung we sat down; second, the Owen Sound Poultry Association with which was connected the name of the President, Mr. John Chisolm.

The chairman's remarks were well delivered and to the point, he quoted comparative statements of the growth of the Association since its inception, he proved that it had been growing each year and that the present exhibition was a long way ahead of any previously held, and the success it had attained, he said, was due mainly to the President and officers of the Association. He pointed out the great importance of Poultry Culture, and urged on all present the necessity of sustaining their interest in it.

The President, in neatly chosen language replied, disclaiming any extra exertions on his part, but giving all the honor and glory to the officers.

Third toast, outside exhibitors. This was responded to in neat little speeches by Mr. C. J. Daniels, Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Downs, all of Toronto.

Fourth. Mr. I. K. Felch, this was received with a 3 times 3 and "for he's a jolly good fellow," after which Mr. Felch responded in very appropriate language, in the course of his remarks he said he always felt at home where a cock crew or a hen cackled.

Fifth. Local Exhibitors. This of course met with a reception worthy of it. In response, we had interesting and appropriate speeches from Mr. Emery, Mr. Tait and Mr. Wright.

Sixth. The Press. Finding there was no loophole of escape for me, I responded as well as my bashfulness would allow.

Seventh toast, a most interesting one, the Ladies. This was nicely responded to by Mr. W. McLaren jr. And now comes the last toast on the list, viz., the Host and Hostess. This was received with a round of clapping &c., that deafened one and deservedly so for Mr. Comely provided a supper that was first-class in every respect, the manner in which everything was served and the attendance could not be excelled and I would just say the thanks of the Toronto visitors are due to Mr. Comely for the liberal manner in which he treated them.

The Host having appropriately replied closed one of the most enjoyable evenings I ever spent.

G. R. D.

#### PRIZE LIST.

ANDALUSIANS—hen 1st 95, 2nd 93; pullet 1st 94, 2nd 91½, E. Trist, Owen Sound. BRAHMA, light—cock 1st 92; cockerel 1st 92, 2nd 90; hen 1st 93½, 2nd 93; pullet 1st 93½, 2nd 92; B Pen 1st 181, 2nd 179, Jas. Penny, Owen Sound. Dark—cock 2nd 89½, C. J. Daniels & Co; hen 2nd 89, Daniels & Co; cockerel 1st 92½, 2nd 90, Daniels & Co., pullet 1st, 91, Daniels & Co; B. Pen 2nd 178 2.3, Jas. McLaren. COCHIN buff—pullet 2nd 89½, H M Charlesworth. Partridge—cock 2nd 89½; hen 1st 90; cockerel 2nd 89½; B Pen 2nd 178, C J Daniels & Co. S G DOR-KING—hen 1st 91½, 2nd 89½, W Ellison, Brampton. GAME, Indian—cock, 1st Daniels & Co.; hen 1st, do; cockerel 1st and 2nd do; pullet 1st and 2nd do. Black Sumatra—cock 1st 95; hen 1st 97, 2nd 95½, Daniels & Co. B B R -cock 1st 92, W Fleming, Owen Sound; hen 1st 92, C J Daniels & Co., 2nd 91½, A. Horton, Owen Sound; pullet 1st 90½, 2nd 90, Fleming; B Pen 1st 183½, Fleming, 2nd 179 1-6, A Horton. HAMBURG, black—cock 1st 95, D Comely, Owen Sound; 2nd 94½, W J Currie; hen 1st 94, Daniels & Co., 2nd 93½, Currie; cockerel 1st 95½, Comely, 1st pullet 93, Currie, 2nd 92½, Comely. White—cockerel 2nd 89, Comely; hen 1st 93 do., 2nd 90½, do; pullet 1st 94, do. S. S.—cock 1st 92, C J Daniels; hen 1st 93 do; cockere

1st 91, W J Gammage; pullet 1st 93½ do; S. P.—hen 1st 93½, L oyd & Fox, 2nd 92½, J Dawson, Brampton; cockerel 1st 92, Dawson; pullet 1st 92, Dawson; B Pen 1st 183½, Dawson. G. P.—cock 1st 94, R J Foster, Brampton; 2nd 91, John Glass, Owen Sound; hen 1st 94 do., 2nd 91, Charlesworth; cockerel 1st 94, R J Foster; pullet 1st 93½, 2nd 92 do. BLACK JAVA—cockerel 1st 94, 2nd 90, Daniels & Co; pullet 1st 92, 2nd 89, C J Daniels & Co. LEGHORN, S C W—cock 1st 95½, H Grier, Owen Sound; 2nd 93 Graham & Fowler; hen 1st 96½, Grier, 2nd 95½ do; cockerel 1st 95 do, 2nd 94½, L Davie, Owen Sound; pullet 1st 96, Grier, 2nd 95½ do; B Pen 1st 188 do. S. C. B.—cock 1st 92, E. Trist; hen 1st 94½, J C Benner, 2nd 92, Trist; cockerel 1st 93½, 2nd 93, Trist; pullet 1st 94 Glass, 2nd 93½, Trist; B Pen 1st 184 5-6, Benner, 2nd 183½, Trist. R C Brown—cockerel 1st 91½, Daniels & Co., 2nd 89½, Davie; pullet 1st 93½, Daniels & Co., 2nd 92 1-2, Davie. R C White—cock 1st 91 1-2, 2nd 90 1-2, Davie; hen 1st 94 1-2, Davie; cockerel 1st 93, Daniels & Co., 2nd 92 1-2, L Davie; pullet 1st 96, 2nd 95 1-2, do. Black—cock 1st 94 1-2, Daniels & Co., 2nd 93 1-2, J Dawson; hen 1st 96, 2nd 94 1-2, Daniels & Co.; cockerel 1st 92, do; pullet 1st 94 1-2, 2nd 93 1-2, do. Buff—hen 2nd 89, Daniels. LANGSHAN—pullet 1st, 94½, Daniels & Co. MINORCA, black—cock 1st 94 1-2, J Pulfer, Brampton, 2nd 92 1-2, Daniels & Co.; hen 1st 92½, Pulfer, 2nd 90 1-2, J Little, Owen Sound; cockerel 1st 92, Pulfer, 2nd 91 1-2, do; pullet 1st 94 1-2, Daniels & Co., 2nd 93, Pulfer, B Pen 1st 182 5-6, Daniels, 2nd 179 1-2, Pulfer. White—hen 1st 90, Daniels & Co., 2nd 89, do; cockerel 1st 92 1-2, do., 2nd 89, do; pullet 2nd 89 1-2, do; B Pen 1st 181 5-6, do. PLYMOUTH ROCK—cock 1st 90 1-2, W J Currie, 2nd 90, H Wright; hen 1st 91, Pulfer, 2nd 91, Currie; pullet 2nd 89, Pulfer; B Pen 1st 180, Pulfer. G POLISH—pullet 2nd 89 1-2, Ed Scroggie, Owen Sound. RED CAP—cock 1st 91 1-2, C J Daniels, 2nd 90 1-2, Currie; hen 1st 90, 2nd 90, Daniels; cockerel 2nd 89 1-2, Dawson; pullet 2nd 89 do. W F BLACK SPANISH—hen 1st 95, H Wright, 2nd 94, do; cockerel 1st 93, Wright, 2nd 91 1-2, W Ellison, Brampton; pullet 1st 94 1-2, Wright, 2nd 94, do; B Pen 1st 181 5-6, Lloyd & Fox. WYANDOTTE S L—pullet 1st 93 1-2, H Manders, 2nd 92 1-2, do. G Laced—cock 2nd 89, Daniels & Co.; hen 2nd 89 1-2, do; cockerel 1st 94, do., 2nd 91 do; pullet 1st 91 1-2, do; B Pen 2nd, 178½, do. White—hen 2nd 89 1-2, Dawson; cockerel 1st 91, do, 2nd 90, do; pullet 1st 96, do, 2nd 92, do. BANTAMS, Pekin—pair 1st 184 1-2, Daniels & Co., 2nd 180, do. White Malay—1st 185 1-2, do, 2nd — do. G. Sebright—1st 180 1-2, do. S. Sebright—1st 180½ do. BRONZE TURKEYS—pair, old 1st John Ormeston, Owen Sound; young, 2nd J

Ormeston. GUINEA FOWL—pair, 1st Graham & Fowler. DUCKS, Rouen—pair, old, 1st J Penny; young, 1st and 2nd, do. Pekin—pair old, 1st do., 2nd Wm Jones; young, 1st J. Penny. Aylesbury—pair, old, 1st John Miller; young, 1st Jas. Penny. GESE, A O V—pair, 1st Wm Jones. Toulouse—2nd John Ormeston.

(For list of Pigeons, see Canadian Department *Fancier*. H. B. Donovan, Manager, single copies 5c.)

GUELPH POULTRY SHOW.

ON Wednesday morning, 16th Dec., I started to visit above show. On arriving at the station, I made straight for the Hall adjoining the City Hotel, where I learned the Exhibition was being held. On entering and making myself known I was received most warmly by the Secretary, Mr. Colson, also by the President of the Association, Mr. Moffatt. After a brief conversation on sundry matters, I thought it was time for me to go around and take in the show. After a cursory examination I came to the conclusion that in point of numbers it was one of the largest shows I had ever attended, in fact the Hall was filled to its utmost capacity. On a subsequent examination of the different classes, I found that every breed of poultry was well represented, and of course under this head I include Geese, Ducks, &c. In numbers the Leghorns took the lead, taking them altogether they were really a fine lot of birds, the different variety of Game came next in number, next Bantams, of which there were close on 100. The other classes such as Brahmas, Cochins, Spanish, Minorcas &c. were all filled beyond the average. In fact the show, taken on the whole, in its get up and management was most creditable to the officers of the Association and to all who took part in it.

There were a few Pigeons on exhibition and I noticed two pairs of very fine Scotch Fancy Canaries also some wonderful looking cats.

The Prize List published herein will give full particulars of the prize winners. The entries totalled 850 and the judging had not been finished when I left although commenced the day before.

Mr. Jarvis seemed to have his hands full. Toronto exhibitors were conspicuous by their absence. After a handshake with friends Colson Jarvis, etc., with much regret I tore myself away to catch the five o'clock train for Toronto. G. R. D.

PRIZE LIST.

(Judging done by Comparison, birds placed as named.)

BRAHMAS, light—cock, J W Huehnergard, Heidelberg, C S Jackson, International Bridge, H McDonald, Acton; hen, C S Jackson, Pequegnat and Chamberlain, New Hamburg, W G Haste, Guelph; cockerel, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, E Gurry, Canning, W G Haste; pullet, Huehnergard, Gurry, Pequegnat & Chamberlain. Dark—cock, McGaw & Briggs, Hamilton, Readwin Bros., Guelph; cockerel, T. Cockburn, Hamilton, Jackson; pullet McGaw & Briggs, J E Norris, Guelph, McGaw & Briggs. COCHINS, buff—cock Wm Pringle, Guelph, Jackson, Jos Eigherington, Guelph; hen, 1st and 2nd Jacks n, B McYague, Guelph; cockerel, J S Moffatt, Guelph, 2nd and 3rd Jackson; pullet, Huehnergard, 2nd and 3rd Jackson. Partridge—cock, Cockburn, Readwin Bros., Jackson; hen Wm Stewart, Guelph, 2nd and 3rd Jackson; cockerel, Stewart, John Holzworth, Guelph, Pequegnat & Chamberlain; pullet, 1st 2nd and 3rd, do. Any other color—cock, Huehner, rd, Cockburn, O'Brien & Caldwell, Paris; hen, 1st and 2nd O'Brien & Caldwell; cockerel, J D Robertson, Guelph, A McDonald, Huehnergard; pullet, Robertson, McDonald, Huehnergard. LANGSHANS—cock, F Goebel, New Hamburg, C J Eisele, Guelph, A G Brown, Wamford; hen, Eisele, Goebel, Brown; cockerel, S M Stewart, Guelph, J Kelion, Guelph, Eisele; pullet 1st and 2nd Goebel, Eisele. LEGHORNS, white—cock, Dewar & Mitchell, A Henderson, Galt Poultry Association; hen, Henderson, Dewar & Mitchell, Brown; cockerel, Givès & Lovell, Galt, Brown, W B Cockburn, Aberfoyle; pullet, 1st and 2nd, Dewar & Mitchell, Hender, son. Brown—cock, Thos Hewer, Guelph-Galt Poultry Association; hen, John Pletch, Shakespeare, Thos Hewer, Dewar & Mitchell; cockerel, Dewar & Mitchell, Pletch, Hewer; pullet, 1st and 3rd Dewar & Mitchell, 2nd Hewer. Black—cock, Dewar & Mitchell, Galt Poultry Association, Ford & Waldie; hen, Galt Poultry Association, Dewar & Mitchell, Pletch; cockerel, J Pletch, Dewar & Mitchell, Givès & Lovell; pullet, Pletch, Givès & Lovell, Dewar & Mitchell. SPANISH—cock, Ford & Waldie 1st and 2nd; hen, Ford & Waldie, A Henderson, Ford & Waldie; cockerel, 1st and 2nd Geo. Lang, Milton, Ford & Waldie, pullet, 1st and 2nd Geo Lang, A G Luxton. GAME, black red—cock, H Sallows, Guelph, James Main, Milton; hen, Main, Sallows, L McIntyre, Norwich; cockerel, Maine, 2nd and 3rd A W Tyson; pullet, 1st and 2nd Maine, H Sallows. Pyle—cock, 1st and 2nd Chamberlain Bros., O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, 1st and 2nd Chamberlain Bros., Galt Poultry Association; cockerel, Chamberlain Bros; pullet, Chamberlain Bros., E F Earl, Milton E,

Gurry. Duckwing—cock, 1st and 2nd McIntyre, Galt Poultry Association; hen, Earle, O'Brien & Caldwell, McIntyre; cockerel, L McIntyre, O'Brien & Caldwell, McIntyre; pullet, O'Brien & Caldwell, Earl, McIntyre. Indian—cock, 1st 2nd and 3rd, R F Barber; hen, 1st and 2nd R F Barber; pullet, 1st 2nd and 3rd R F Barber. Any other variety—cock, Jos Eigherington, McIntyre, Barber; hen, Luxton, Brown, O'Brien & Caldwell; cockerel, Jas Hurley, pullet, Hurley. HAMBURG, pencilled—cock, Galt Poultry Association hen, Galt Poultry Association. Spangled—cock, P Spragge, Guelph, A Henderson, Omagh, O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, Cockburn. Brown, Galt Poultry Association; cockerel, Spragge, Galt Poultry Association, Cockburn; pullet, Galt Poultry Association, Spragge, Dewar & Mitchell, Milton. Black—cock, Brown, Henderson; hen, Henderson, Ford & Waldie; cockerel, Henderson, Ford & Waldie, Cockburn; pullet, Henderson, Brown, Cockburn. MINORCA, black—cock, Lang, Dewar & Mitchell; hen, Dewar & Mitchell, F R Webber, Geo Lang; cockerel, Dewar & Mitchell, F R Webber Geo Lang; pullet, 1st and 3rd Webber, 2nd Dewar & Mitchell. PLYMOUTH ROCKS, barred—cock, McGaw & Briggs, O'Brien & Caldwell, Pequegnat & Chamberlain; hen 1st and 2nd Pequegnat & Chamberlain, C W Eckhardt; cockerel, 1st and 3 Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2 Eckhardt; pullet, 1st and 2nd Pequegnat & Chamberlain, Eckhardt. White—cock, H H Wallace, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, Wallace, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, O'Brien & Caldwell; cockerel, Wallace, John Colson, Galt Poultry Association; pullet, 1st and 2nd Wallace, Colson. JAVA—cock, Robertson; hen, Robertson, Readwin Bros; cockerel, Robertson, 2nd and 3rd Readwin Bros; pullet, Robertson. WYANDOTTES, silver—hen, J Greyerbehl, Guelph, Luxton; cockerel, Cockburn; pullet, Cockburn, Luxton, Greyerbehl. White or black—cock, E W Lamprey, Greyerbehl; hen, Lamprey, Greyerbehl, Jos Eigherington; cockerel, Lamprey, Greyerbehl, Eigherington; pullet, Lamprey, 2nd and 3rd Eigherington. HOUDANS—cock, O'Brien & Caldwell, Webber, Haste; hen, 2nd Haste, 3rd Webber; cockerel, Webber, Luxton; pullet, Webber. DORKINGS, Silver grey—cock, O'Brien & Caldwell, Maine; hen, F Johnston, O'Brien & Caldwell, Maine; cockerel, Maine, O'Brien & Caldwell; pullet, Maine, McGaw & Briggs. Colored—cock, Maine; hen, Maine; cockerel, Maine; pullet, Maine. POLANDS, white crested black—cock, O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, Galt Poultry Association, O'Brien & Caldwell; pullet, O'Brien & Caldwell. Spangled—cock, O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, Luxton, O'Brien & Caldwell; cockerel, Cockburn; pullet, O'Brien & Caldwell, Luxton, Cockburn. Any other variety—cock—Luxton, Galt Poultry Association, R G Johnson; hen, Luxton, Galt Poultry Association; cockerel, Galt Poultry Association; pullet, Luxton, 2nd and 3rd Galt Poultry Association. ANDALUSIANS—hen, W H Dustan; cockerel, do; pullet, do. Any other variety—cock, Jackson, hen Jackson, cockerel, O'Brien & Caldwell, Jackson, pullet, O'Brien & Caldwell, Jackson. GAME BANTAMS, black B R—cock, 1st and 3rd, Cameron Bros.,

Homer, O'Brien & Caldwell; hen, 1st and 2nd Cameron Bros, Brown; cockerel, O'Brien & Caldwell, McIntyre, Brown; pullet, Brown, Cameron Bros., Chas Crowe. Duckwing—cock, Ed Speirs, Guelph, Earl; hen, Speirs, Earl, McIntyre; cockerel, 1st and 2nd O'Brien & Caldwell, Speirs; pullet, 1st and 2nd, O'Brien & Caldwell, McIntyre. Pyre—cock, McIntyre, O'Brien & Caldwell, Luxton; hen, Luxton, O'Brien & Caldwell, McIntyre; cockerel, 1st and 2nd, O'Brien & Caldwell, Luxton; pullet, 1st and 3rd, McIntyre, O'Brien & Caldwell. Any other variety—cock, McIntyre, hen, do, Earl; pullet, L McIntyre. Selbrite—cock, Eigherington, Speirs; hen, O'Brien & Caldwell, 2nd and 3rd Eigherington; cockerel, Ford & Waldie; pullet, Speirs, Sallows, Ford & Waldie. Pekin cock, 2nd, A W Tyson; hen, 2nd, Tyson; cockerel, Cockburn; pullet, 1st and 2nd, O'Brien & Caldwell, Cockburn. African—cock, Ford & Waldie; hen, do; cockerel, Galt Poultry Association; pullet, do, Ford & Waldie. TURKEYS, bronze—cock, Main, J Anderson, Guelph; cockerel, Main, pullet, Main, hen Main. Ducks, Aylesbury—drake, old, Wallace, Luxton; duck, old, Wallace, Luxton; drake 1891, Wallace, O'Brien & Caldwell, Luxton. Rouen—drake, old, Main, Wallace; duck, old, Main, Wallace; drake 1891, Main, Cockburn; duck, 1891, Main, Wallace, O'Brien & Caldwell. Pekin—drake, old, Wallace, Johnston; duck, old, Johnston, O'Brien & Caldwell, Wallace; drake, 1891, Colson, Wallace, O'Brien & Caldwell; duck 1891, Colson, O'Brien & Caldwell, Luxton, Jas Anderson; goose, old, Luxton, Anderson; gander 1891, Anderson, Luxton; goose 1891, Anderson, Luxton. Bremen—gander old, Main, O'Brien & Caldwell; goose old, Main, O'Brien & Caldwell; gander 1891, Main; goose 1891, Main. BREEDING PENS—Brahmas, Luxton, Cockburn; Cochins, Moffat, Stewart; Langshans, Eisele; Game, Sallows, Chamberlain Bros; Leghorns, Galt Poultry Association; Dorkings, any variety, Luxton; Wyandottes, Lamprey; Plymouth Rocks, Luxton, Cockburn; Houdans, Webber; Pofands, Luxton; Minorcas, Webber; Javas, Robertson. SPECIALS.—Largest number of entries, A G Luxton; best pair of Buff Cochins, C S Jackson; best collection of Game fowls, Chamberlain Bros; best collection of Plymouth Rocks, J W Pequegnat; best collection of Leghorns, M E Mitchell; best collection of Cochins, C S Jackson; best pair white Leghorns, M E Mitchell; best light Brahma cock or cockerel, C S Jackson; best dark Brahma hen or pullet, Jas E Norris; best Partridge Cochin cock, or cockerel, Wm Stewart; best barred Plymouth Rock cock or cockerel, Pequegnat & Chamberlain; best B B Red Game cock, H Sallows; best Langshan cock or cockerel, E M Stewart; best Spangled Hamburg hen and pullet, Galt Poultry Association; best Pyle Game cock or cockerel, Chamberlain Bros; best brown Leghorn hen or pullet, M E Mitchell; best Minorca hen or pullet, M E Mitchell; best Indian Game cock or cockerel, R F Barber; best Java hen or pullet, J D Robertson; best white Wyandotte cock or cockerel, E W Lamprey

best white Cochin cockerel, J D Robertson; best Partridge Cochin pullet, Wm Stewart; best Pyle Game hen or pullet, Chamberlain Bros; best Buff Cochin cockerel, J S Moffat; best Houdan hen or pullet, F R Webber; best pair Pekin bantams, T Cockburn; best pair Sebright bantams, Jos Eigherington; best silver Wyandotte hen or pullet, A G Luxton; best pair young Pekin ducks, John Colson; best collection game bantams, O'Brien & Caldwell; best breeding pen Buff Cochins, J S Moffat, best breeding pen Partridge Cochins, Wm Stewart; best breeding pen B B Red Games, H Sallows; best breeding pen white Leghorns, J B Collins; best collection of poultry, shown by a farmer, O'Brien & Caldwell; best black African bantam cock or cockerel, O'Brien & Caldwell; best white crested black Polish hen or pullet, do.; best white Plymouth Rock cockerel, John Colson; best pair Toulouse geese, A G Luxton; heaviest turkey cock, Jas Main; best pair Duckwing game bantams, Ed Speirs; best Pit game cock or cockerel, Jos Eigherington; best black Hamburg cock or cockerel, Shaw & Grundy.

#### ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS ON DISEASES, BREEDING, MANAGEMENT, ETC.

Correspondents are requested to make full use of this column. The answers to enquiries, as to diseases, will be answered by a well-known medical man and breeder. Please read the following rules carefully.

1. Give a concise, clear and exact statement of case, always giving age, sex, and breed.
2. Enclose 3 cent stamp for reply.
3. Report result, not necessarily for publication. *This is absolute.*
4. Acute cases requiring immediate treatment to be answered by mail in the first instance, later through the REVIEW for the benefit of our readers.
5. Write legibly and on one side of the paper only.
6. Answers to be to name in full, initials or *nom de plume*, the second—preferred.

QUE.—1. Will you be so kind as to state in your next number of REVIEW if there is a Canadian Black Langshan Club, and if so who is the Secretary. 2. I would also like to know if the coupons as printed in the REVIEW are good when cut out, or are they only a sample. I expect to give you some ads. soon for spring business. Yours truly,

E. M. KNEESHAW,

St. Andrew's East, P.Q.

ANS.—1. No, there is no Canadian Club. 2. They are of no value, they are but to illustrate the plan we adopt. ED.



**NOTES.**

No show will be held in Dunnville this year, the Perfection Fanciers Club having amiably dissolved.

Mr. S. M. Clemo, Dunnville, has bought the white Wyandotte cock 2nd at the Industrial, from Mr. G. S. McCormick.

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**RULES**—1. All purchases must be sent on approval, buyer to pay charges each way unless otherwise arranged.

2. Our commission on sales up to \$20 is 50 cents, over \$20 2 1/2 per cent. If no sale is made we return money less same amount.

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