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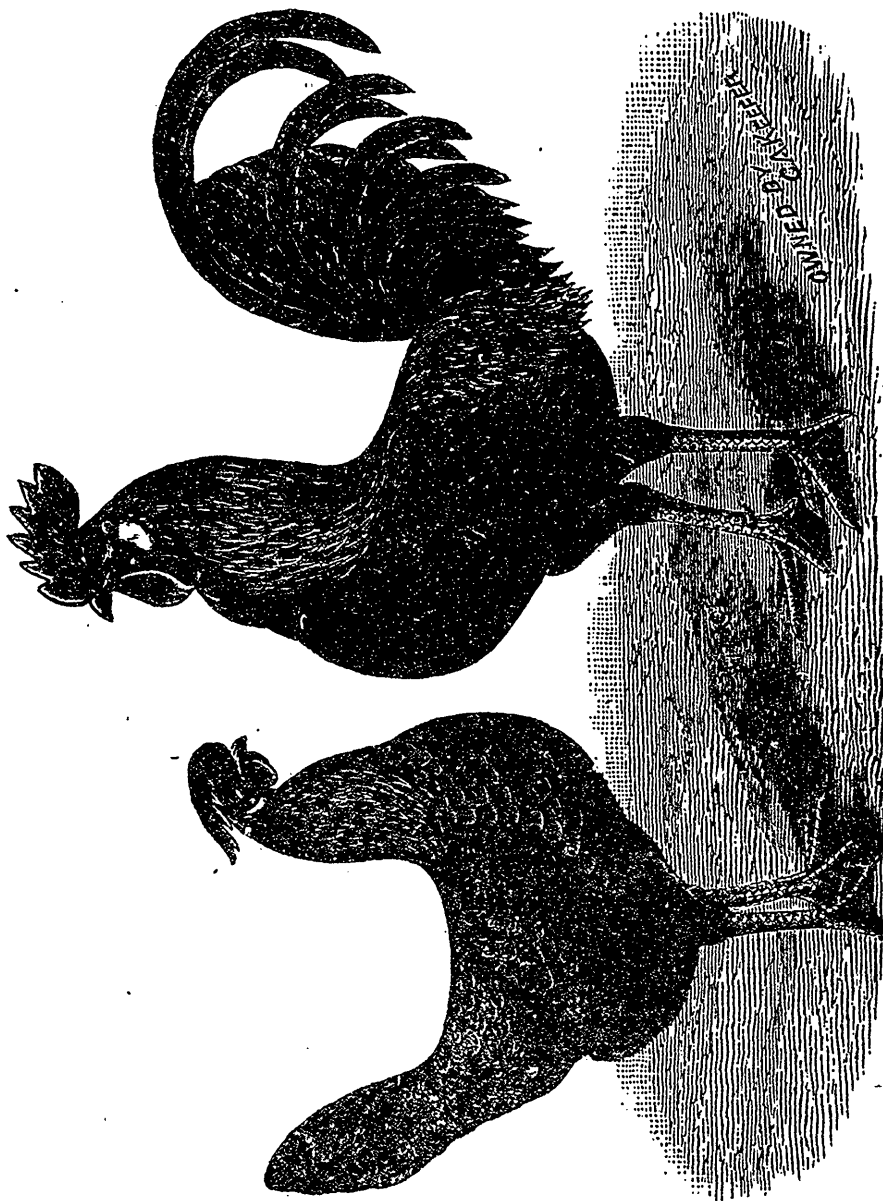
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BROWN LEGHORNS.

"RATTLE" AND "BUTTERCUP," Owned by C. A. Keefer, Sterling, Illinois.

The above plate represents the style of Mr. Keefer's Leghorns. "Rattler" and "Buttercup" won 1st and special at Rock River Valley exhibition, and 1st and special at Central Iowa, December, 1879. His stock won: 1st, 2nd, 3rd and two specials on chicks, 2nd and two specials on fowls, 1st and

special on breeding pen at Rock River Valley poultry show, December, 1879; 1st and 2nd on fowls, 1st and 2nd on chicks, and silver cup for best collection at Central Iowa poultry show, December, 1879; 1st on cock, 1st on hen, 1st and 3rd on pullets, third on cockerel, 1st on breeding pen, and 1st for best collection at the great Indianapolis show, January, 1880.

Mr. Keefer's Leghorns are noted for their fine combs, solid white ear-lobes, elegant plumage and symmetry.

### Gapes in Chickens.

At the meeting of the Academy of Science on the 10th inst., Mr. Otto Lunger read a learned and valuable paper upon "parasites"—that one especially which infests the throat of fowls and is known as "gapes." The lecture was illustrated with drawings upon the blackboard, without which it cannot be intelligibly reproduced in print; but the subject of gapes is of such great interest, and was so practically handled, that I propose to condense that portion of the essay for the benefit of the public. The number of parasites in all animals which have been described by naturalists is about 2,500. Of these about thirty, belonging to the several orders of tape worms, flukes, thorn-headed and round-headed worms, infest poultry in various parts of the body. That which is most fatal to chickens, to young ones especially, is the gape-worm (*syngamus trachealis*) which adheres to the windpipe. The ravages of this pest often cause the destruction of more than three-fourths of all the young brood and the serious diminution of the farmer's wife's perquisites. When any attempt is made to cure the chicks it is seldom efficacious and often hastens death.

This worm (which belongs to the order *nematodes*) has been carefully studied by naturalists, and its organs, mode of propagation and life history are well known. It is of a reddish color, with a smooth skin. The female becomes three-fourths of an inch long and one sixteenth in diameter; the male is only about one-eighth of an inch in length, and is usually inseparable from the female. A prodigious quantity of eggs is produced, which pass through the intestines of the fowl, and by warmth and moisture are transformed into small, thread-like embryos, with an obtuse head and pointed tail. These are picked up by the chickens and adhere to their windpipes, where they mature and finally suffocate the fowls. As soon as ducks and poult are seen to open their mouths wide and gasp for breath, to sneeze and try to swallow, poultry raisers may be sure the worm is at work. The victim languishes, grows dispirited, and before many days dies. As soon as any symptoms of the disease are

observed, the sufferer should be removed immediately; and since it is not always practicable to remove the healthy fowls also, the nest room and roosting house should have the floors well covered with wood and coal ashes. As the eggs and embryos of the gape worm are voided by those affected, and picked up by the others, the importance of this precaution is obvious; and for further security against this, as well as other diseases of fowls, the floors should be well cleansed once a week, and a solution of carbolic acid be sprinkled upon them and the roosts as often as twice a month. Another preventive is feeding young chickens twice a week with wheat steeped in a solution of carbolic acid. Have the druggist prepare a mixture, as follows: One grain crystalline carbolic acid; ten drops alcohol; one-half drachm vinegar. A tea-spoonful of this mixture to one pint of water will be a proper solution in which to soak the grain. The vessels from which fowls are fed should be frequently cleansed, and they should be supplied with pure water, frequently renewed. Dr. Bartlett, superintendent of the Zoological Society's gardens, uses a weak solution of tobacco, and says the simple application of turpentine to the throat externally is sufficient to kill the worms. This, however, is severe and dangerous to the fowls. Mr. Montague found an infusion of rue and garlic in the drinking water successful.

The only remedy, said Mr. Lunger, which he had found to succeed is carbolic acid, which is affective both as a preventive and a cure, even in far-gone cases. In extreme cases make a brush out of a small quill feather, moisten it with the mixture above recommended, and insert it into the windpipe, gently turning it round once or twice. It will dislodge the worms and bring back many of them. A slow, bungling operation, however will kill instead of curing the bird, and in view of a careful, tedious nursing the patient will afterwards require, it is hardly worth while, so far as young chickens are concerned, to be at the trouble, still less to remove the worms by incision into the windpipe, which is an instantaneous cure in skilful hands.

Of course, where fowls have large range and free access to pure water they have the best chance for immunity. But as their quarters are usually confined, they must be kept clean, and should be sometimes entirely changed. To this end coops for brooding hens should have no bottoms, and should be frequently moved, especially upon any signs of gapes among the chicks.

Carbolate of lime is useful, sprinkled dry about the chicken house and yard, and mixed in the whitewash with which the premises ought to be frequently coated.

Advertise eggs for hatching now.

### Strains of Poultry.

The intending purchaser of poultry generally think it necessary to enquire from whose strains the bird were obtained. This question is often put by the initiated with a definite purpose, viz. to avoid *mixing up* different strains; but more often it is asked from a vague idea that for success in poultry breeding there is nothing like crossing as many strains as possible. As a rule, the answer given to such queries, save by really careful breeders, are very misleading and unsatisfactory, from the real ignorance of most poultry keepers of the antecedents of their stock. The sender has, perhaps, had eggs from a yard, some of the birds of which came in the eggs from the celebrated yards of Mr. So and So. They are therefore called of his strain, though possibly the eggs which originally went out of the famous yard were laid by birds which had only just come into it! We are not, however, dealing with the chances of that part of the question, but are presupposing that the eggs or birds really come from their represented strains.

It is a well known fact that fresh blood must *at times* be introduced to keep up the vigour of any race. This principle has been exaggerated into the belief that constant "changes" as people call them, are necessary. No greater mistake can be made; the idea must be discarded by any one who wish to breed scientifically, that is who wish to acquire and keep up a breed with certain definite characteristics of *form and feather*. It is, we believe, a fact that almost every fancier who has established what may be called a strain of his own has obtained it either by originally purchasing a considerable number of birds from one good yard, and breeding judiciously from them, or by selecting particular families from among his own birds, in which he has observed certain excellence hereditary, and mating selected birds from these families together up to a certain point. The former course is probably the shorter route to former, but the "goodwill" and stock of a famous yard are seldom bought for little. The latter takes time; but it is the method most suitable to the true fancier, and ever full of interest to watch the gradual development of peculiar beauties in individual birds, and to trace them among their descendants. We have done it with several breeds, and to us half the charm of watching the daily growth of the young stock rests in observing their strange likeness to ancestors of the third and fourth generation back, often some famous winner, perhaps the very father or mother of the race seems veritably to live again in a descendent. As in old family portraits looking down upon succeeding generations, the very image of themselves; so, to, in birds have we seen marvellous resemblances, combs, feet, movements ex-

actly like those of some favorite of past years. The possession of a strain that year by year may be relied upon almost unerringly to produce stock of the highest merit, and of one particular, type is something to be proud of; it is what money can hardly procure, it is the result of much care, accurate observation, and generally of a retentive memory. We do not consider that a fancier who procures a cock from one yard and a few hens from another, mates them, and is fortunate to win a few prizes with their produce, has any right to talk about his "strain." Success for a year or two may be the result of a lucky hit, and may reflect little credit on the breeder.—*C, in J. of H, and C. G.*

*To be continued.*

### Canadian Poultry Association.

Editor Review,

I am glad to see that my remarks in January number were the means of producing an article from the pen of friend Gibson. He takes hold of it in good shape, and promises to give his strong support. Now, Ontario fanciers, we wish to hear from you. To you will belong the honor of the formation of this society. Jealousy has been the ruin of many worthy projects sprung by Canadians, but because Upper and Lower Canada could not agree as to whom the credit should belong, they have fallen through. In this case we wish to establish an association, one of the objects of which will be to dispense with that commodity, and in its place supply good-will and unity.

Every month I am more and more convinced of the necessity of this association. Were you to ask any of our fanciers down here who Sharp Butterfield was, they would tell you they did not know; and you could not blame them. What common interest has Nova Scotia and Ontario in the poultry fancy at the present time? Sharp Butterfield, (excuse me, Mr. Butterfield, for being so familiar, but by the fraternity thus I think you are called,) if I am creditably informed, is one of the best judges of poultry on this continent; and what can be said of him can be said of very few of our American cousins, he is an honest judge. He has judged a number, in fact the larger number, of the Upper Canadian shows, but down here we know but little of him, and would know still less had we not your valued REVIEW to instruct us in these matters.

Ontario is far ahead of all the other provinces in the fancy, and thus has the precedence. Wake up, then, brethren, and let us hear from you! Your words will carry weight, and whatsoever you may think proper will receive attention. If you are opposed to the formation of such an association, put your reasons and arguments before the public, and let them be met and answered; are you in fa-

vor of its formation, signify the same by adding your article to the columns of the Review, or any other Canadian journal in which you may see fit to place it.

The coming summer, or the fall, when the majority of the fanciers take their yearly vacation, would be a good time to call a meeting of the brotherhood, and there, face to face, we could come to such an understanding which, I have no doubt, would result in building up an association upon which Canadians in general, and fanciers in particular, would look with pride. Will not Messrs. Butterfield, Doel, McClelland, Lockie, Pugsley, & Co., give us their support?

P. COCK.

Halifax, March 1st, 1880.

### Rat-Proof Poultry House.

Having succeeded in obtaining for myself a poultry-house that will fully carry out the heading of this article, and has proved to be such for the last four years, I thought I would make it known through the columns of the Review how I obtained it.

Having built a house costing between four and five hundred dollars, of course I must have it in the latest and most approved style, and rat-proof was one of the leading requisites. I had been so tormented with these pests in my former houses that I was determined I would be rid of them now, so load after load of broken glass was procured, and the partitions all round to the depth of a foot, were filled, a trench to the depth of several feet was dug both inside and outside of house and filled with broken glass, to the entire satisfaction of contractor and myself, and I watched anxiously the result, when, to my mortification, a few days after it was occupied I went into my supposed rat-proof hen house and beheld a whole barrowful of broken glass and earth in a heap in the middle of one of my pens. Not discouraged, though disappointed, I was determined to try again, so procuring boiler-plate, six feet by three, I had a trench dug around the foundation, outside the house, the depth of the plate of iron, allowing it to come level with the top of the ground, so that the house was encased in boiler-plate all round to the depth of several feet but all in vain; after a few weeks the house was in the possession of my tormentors again.

I then began to ask advice among builders and contractors, but it seemed a tough question to answer; cementing, grouting, &c., was recommended, but these I had known to have failed, until one day pouring my complaint into the ear of a friend, I procured an antidote for all my troubles, by the following means: Procuring a couple of laborers, I dug out the entire inside of the house, propping up

the walls and partition, and taking out the earth to the depth of about two feet, and then filling up with dry stone chippings from the stone cutter's yard, covering it over to the depth of about a foot with dry earth and sand—which makes the best floor for poultry, —and to this day, now over four years, no rat has found his way in to torment me or my pets.

PURE BLOOD.

Montreal, Feb. 9th, 1880.

### Homing Antwerp Stations.

The following gentlemen have kindly offered to receive, properly care for, and liberate as instructed, any Antwerps intrusted to their care:

Chatham, Ont.—Sam. Holmes.  
 Freeman, Ont.—J. Peart.  
 Fisherville, Ont.—G. H. Pugsley, (Cayuga Ex.)  
 Guelph, Ont.—J. E. Horsman.  
 Hamilton, Ont.—R. Mackay.  
 Kingston, Ont.—McAdams & Sawyer.  
 Montreal, No. 20, Fort Street.—Fred. Whitley.  
 Paris, Ont.—J. A. Chase.  
 " C. B. Capron.  
 St. Catharines, Ont.—A. W. Bessey.  
 Strathroy, Ont.—Dr. E. Nugent.  
 " Jas. Fullerton.  
 Toronto, Ont.—Chas. Goodchild.  
 " Thomas Adams.  
 Waterloo, Ont.—Jas. Lockie.  
 Woodstock, Ont.—J. J. Spracklin.  
 Yorkville.—Geo. Hope.

This list will appear each month, and we hope to receive the names of all who are interested in this fancy, and can attend to the duties set forth above.

### Foreign Pigeon Notes.

Translated from L'Epervier by E. M. N.

Pigeon flying is on the increase in Holland.

Belgian papers call attention to the advisability of separating the male pigeons from the females during transportation to distant points for liberation.

In France the government encourage pigeon flying, giving silver and bronze medals for competition in the different societies; through the Ministers of War and of Agriculture.

An ingenious Belgian traps pigeons during the flying season, by means of a large cage on a church steeple, containing decoy pigeons, which are fed at the right moment. The paper calls attention to the fact that the penal code has provided for such conduct.

A GOOD TRAP.—A man visited a Belgian pigeon fancier the other day, stating he wished to purchase some birds. The fancier had none to sell,

but showed him his loft, where, however, the stranger's conduct aroused suspicion. The loft is approached by a plank over a deep and muddy ditch. This plank the owner towards evening cut nearly in two and then replaced it. During the night he was aroused by the noise, and going out found two gendarmes fishing his visitor of yesterday out of the ditch to consign him to the lock-up.

A correspondent of *L'Esperier* gives an account of a novel kind of pigeon race which has been organized at Nice, for the entertainment of visitors. The birds are each decorated with ribbons of a different color and carried out some distance to sea, and then liberated. The one which first returns to its loft being the winner. The whole race can be followed with a good glass, and bets made as on horse races &c., a fact which would not be among its least attractions with some. It is not stated whether the birds all belong to the same loft or not.

Some time ago we referred to the action of the Belgian Commission of Fetes for 1880, in refusing to make any appropriation for a grand national pigeon competition, while for horse racing, boating, &c., ample inducements are held out. The pigeon societies of Belgium set on foot a petition to the government on the subject which eventually has received between nine and ten thousand signatures. It was favorably received by the Minister of the Interior, and has had the desired effect, as *L'Esperier* announces that the Society "Le Coq d'Or," of Brussels, has been commissioned by the government to make arrangements for a national meeting in July next.

### The Pigeons at Show of O. P. A.

Editor Review,

DEAR SIR,—Having been called upon by the directors of the Ontario Poultry Association to act as a judge on the pigeon exhibit, which was held at Guelph from the 6th to 9th of February, if you will allow me a small space in your valuable journal, I will give your numerous readers a few words in regard to the pigeons that I had the pleasure of looking over.

All the varieties were well represented, and it was, without exception, the best pigeon exhibit I have seen in Canada. Some of the birds would favorably compare with the best at the Philadelphia exhibition, and I must say our American friends will have to be alive or the Canadian birds will surprise them in every respect.

Among the principal exhibitors I noticed Mr. James O. Weldon, of London, who showed a very fine black carrier cock, an imported bird, which bids fair, with age, to excel in points any at the

exhibition; the yellow Barb hen, also an imported bird, and the only one on exhibition, was a fine specimen; his almond tumblers, blue pied pouters and black Barbs held their own with all comers. Mr. Weldon did not have a very large exhibit, but it is his intention to import next season a few of the most prominent varieties in the fancy, and I hope next season to see our young friend on the war-path with even better birds than he has at present.

Mr. John James, of Toronto, had the largest exhibit in the hall. It was composed of the choicest varieties of high-class fancy pigeons: carriers, pouters, and tumblers. The most worthy of mention, his carriers, are good, without a doubt, showing very fair measurements; blue and white Fans are well represented, one pair of blues being the best I have seen in some time. I must not pass over his blue and silver dun Antwerps, also the almond tumbler cock and dun hen, and pair yellow trumpeters, all of which showed to good advantage, and will compare with any I have seen at either Buffalo or Detroit.

The next on the list was Mr. H. G. Charlesworth, of Yorkville, who showed a pair of white pouters, the cock a good bird, having the desired length of feather and style; the hen not up to the standard. There was also exhibited by the same gentleman a very good pair of silver pouters, the cock being the longest bird on exhibition. His blue and black pied pouters are worthy of mention, and will hold their own at any poultry exhibition.

Master J. S. Anderson, of Guelph, showed a good collection of both white and blue Fans; his Calcutta cock is a very good bird, also his black Fan cock. Mr. A. is a young fancier, but look out for him, he has the right idea of importing birds to this country, and will be along with the best of them in time.

A. F. Tyson, of Guelph, shows a very nice pair of yellow Jacobins, black Barbs, and black Fans. Mr. T. is also a young and promising exhibitor.

I noticed a large and beautiful three-story cage, containing ten pairs of Homing Antwerps, shown by Mr. James Fullerton, of Strathroy. As exhibition birds they are not quite up to the standard, but as flyers I have not the slightest doubt but they will be able to hold their own in any contest, having all the points indicating great staying powers and strength of flight. I noticed in particular in the collection a very fine blue cock, showing good points as to color, breadth of wing, and length of flights. Three pairs of these birds, I understand, were imported from noted Belgian lofts last season.

The exhibit of song birds was not very large, there being more for sale than otherwise. There were two pairs of canaries, one of which was very good, both in color, size, style and breeding. I

would have liked very much to have seen a larger exhibit in this class.

Mr. Editor, I would recommend that in future the society compel the exhibitors of pigeons to show their birds in the society's coops, and not use their own. My reasons are these: In my opinion the birds will look much better in coops of a uniform size; they could then be arranged so that the birds of each variety would be by themselves, and in that way would give the judges far less trouble in their duties, not being compelled to go from one part of the hall to another in order to get the birds properly classed before judging, for I can assure you there is the same responsibility resting with the judges of pigeons as with poultry. I think it will be the most satisfactory plan for both the exhibitor and the society to have the pigeons shown in the society's coops—it certainly would be for the judges.

I might further state, before closing, that the show of pigeons on the whole was a success in every particular, and I sincerely hope that at the next exhibition the entries will be even larger than at the show at Guelph.

Thanking you for the space I have taken,  
I remain, yours truly,

H. COOPER.

Hamilton, Feb'y 9th, 1880

#### THE FOWLS.

Light Brahas were a rather better class than last year; a number of birds that would figure in the nineties being left out of the list of winners. Dark Brahas were a better class in males, but not many good females. The exhibit of Buff Cochins, cocks and cockerels, was the best yet brought together in Canada, but the hens did not make so good a display. Partridge Cochins were magnificent throughout; Sharp Butterfield was very proud of his display in this class, and well he might, he taking all the prizes offered but one 3rd. White Cochin class contained a number of really magnificent specimens; Charlesworth's imported pair heading the class, and well followed by the birds of Butterfield and Aldous; the cockerel that won 1st was a very promising bird; the pullets were weakest in this class. Black Cochins were just splendid all through. Dorkings, ahead both in quantity and quality. The Hamburg class was well filled in each variety, and many birds above the average winning grade, failed to win honors. The game class was not up to many former year's exhibits; the first prize pair of black-red fowls was good, 2nd very fair; chicks not up to the mark. Our game fanciers must not let this class retrograde. Plymouth Rocks made the largest exhibit of any single class in the show, and a marked improvement was perceptible in the stock; Mr. Pugs-

ley, of Fsherville, was the largest exhibitor, and carried off a large share of the honors, the first prize cock was rather light, but a fine, sturdy old fellow, C. A. Keefer, of Sterling, Illinois, contributed two hens, which won 1st and 2nd with a good margin, the 1st prize cocherel was a good bird in every particular. The Leghorns were of higher average excellence than at any previous show, although better individual specimens in the cockerel section have appeared. Charlesworth exhibited the best pair of Black Leghorns yet brought out in Canada. Spanish was not up to former years in numbers, but the principal prizes fell to birds worthy of them; the 1st prize fowls were excellent. Polands were about as usual; the old breeders of these varieties have got them so high up that it is hard to see where much improvement is possible—Bogue, McNeil and Aldous were there. Houdans show improvement. The show of Bantams was away ahead of anything yet brought together at Guelph, in quality at least; Way's exhibit of games was a good show in itself, he having on hand a number of his English prize winners, lately imported; in black-red cockerels George Elliott was "boss." A falling off in Seabrights—don't neglect these little beauties, fanciers. Japanese bantams—a new class at our shows—were a magnificent lot, fit for any show room.

Ducks—Aylesburys were a fine class. The prize cards marked all the good Rouens. The Pekins were ahead of any yet shown, as a class. Turkeys, good, as were also the geese.

Altogether a considerable improvement in the quality of the stock was manifest.

#### Show of Montreal Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Association.

Editor Review,

For the benefit of the readers of the REVIEW I will endeavor to give an account of what was to be seen at the second annual exhibition of the Montreal Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Association, held in the Albert Buildings, Victoria Square, which was kindly given by the proprietors for that purpose.

The whole building, which consists of five immense flats, was fully occupied by as fine a collection of poultry, dogs, pigeons, and minor pets as Montreal has ever seen brought together under one roof.

The first sight that greeted your eyes—and I may say ears also—were long rows of what, no doubt, would please the eye of the sportsman, such as Setters, and Pointers, and Spaniels, in all their varieties of color and classes. Passing on through the rows of these to the next flat, the visitor comes to the larger, more powerful, and still more savage species, the Mastiff, St. Bernard, Newfoundland,

Bulldog, &c., of which there were some very fine specimens, and having made a thorough inspection, and picked out your favorites, you passed up to the next flat, the third in the building, which was devoted to the poultry. There on tables, row after row, and row on top of row, struck your astonished eyes, all in beautiful, light, wire coops, two feet six inches by two feet high, painted green, and furnished by the society; the uniformity, and neat appearance that these cages present, is very striking—no box or wooden cage being allowed to mar or obstruct the view the entire length of the hall.

The first row that attracts your attention is that one over by the wall, the entire length of the hall, filled by some twenty-eight or thirty pairs of magnificent Light Brahmas, not a poor specimen in the whole lot. The Dark Brahmas come next, a much smaller class, but with some very fine specimens, an advance of some thirty or forty per cent. in quality over last year.

Turning to your left your eyes fall upon another row of Asiatics, the Cochin family. The first in the row is the Partridge; you pass on coop after coop admiring those magnificent and immense birds, of which there are about a score of coops. Then come the Buffs, the Whites and the Blacks, of which there were but a few coops shown in each variety, and it would be well if the admirers of these fine fowl would manifest as much interest in keeping them to the front as is manifested by breeders of some of the other varieties.

Turning into another passage, we come upon the fowl par excellence of the Englishman, the Dorking. In this class there were some very good exhibits of the colored, the Silver Grey and the White; a manifest improvement in this class on last year's show, as was evidenced by the prize tickets that adorned the cages, in contrast with last year's want of any such embellishment.

Here, now, are the Plymouth Rocks, that are coming into such prominence with the poultrymen, and diservingly too. They present a good appearance; a long row of them with some magnificent birds among them. This class makes quite an addition to the show room.

Next we come in sight of the sprightly and beautifully plumaged Hamburgs; a goodly number of coops of each kind, Golden and Silver in excellent condition, contrasting finely with their more sombre but aristocratic neighbors, the Black Spanish, which turned out in goodly numbers from all parts of the Dominion. Passing on we come to the Leghorns, White and Brown. Very few of those put in an appearance; the old ones in both kinds not just up to the mark, but some capital specimens among the chicks, especially the white, which would be hard to beat.

And now, up again, to the third flat; that is also entirely occupied by the feathery tribes. The first thing that attracts your attention here is a magnificent lot over on the other side; those trim, agile, wicked looking fellows, what are these? The Games. A splendid lot they are; some forty coops, all kinds, Black-reds, Brown-reds, Blue reds, Duck-wing, gold and silver; Ginger, Pyle, Spangled, Hen-feather, and an innumerable host beside, in all their different hues and colors. They excelled, in point of numbers at least, all their brethren in the show, excepting those dwarfed and diminutive specimens, next in order, the Game Bantam; but if you might judge from their actions and bearing, not one whit behind their larger relatives, whom they represent, and whom, on this occasion, they outnumbered, filling some forty or fifty coops.

Then come the less numerous, but not less beautiful, class of Bantams, the Golden and Silver Seabright, the Rose-comb black, the Rose-comb white, and Single-comb, of which there were some beautiful specimens, that found new homes after the show. Next in order are the Houdans, a small but very respectable class, quite a number of entries failing to put in an appearance; but not so their friends and relatives alongside, the Polands, who are out in strong force, making a grand and splendid show, the whole family being well represented. This is a class that is coming to the front again, a great ornament to our shows.

The turkeys and geese were not largely represented classes, some half dozen pens in each class, and these, with one or two exceptions, rather behind the average. The ducks as a class did better, the Rouen making a respectable turn out, among them being some splendid specimens.

And now we come to one of the finest and prettiest sights of the whole show, the pigeons, occupying some two hundred coops, and presenting one of the greatest attractions to the thousands of visitors who came to the exhibition.

Along side and underneath are ranged the quiet and contented looking rabbit, the Lop-eared being prominent among the many kinds shown.

Above the minor pets, on nicely arranged selves, was to be seen some nice cages of canaries, thrushes, English larks, mocking-birds, parrots, &c.

This brings the visitor to the stairway leading to the fifth flat, at the foot of which a card proclaims: "Small dogs on next floor," which, on reaching, you no longer remain in doubt with regard to the *small dog*, as the music which assailed your ears proclaimed he was *there*. On benches and in cages was to be seen the English bull terrier, the English fox terrier, (a large class,) the black and tan terrier, Sky terrier, the Yorkshire blues, King Charles spaniel, Blenheim spaniel, Norfolk spaniel, Broken hair toys, and all the other toys in any number.



And having now spent some two hours and a half in a run through the five flats you retrace your steps, feeling well satisfied that your time and money was well spent in paying a visit to the exhibition of the Montreal Poultry, Dog, and Pet-stock Association.

On the whole the association feel encouraged at the success that has crowned their labors for the last two years, in endeavoring to increase an interest among fanciers themselves, and also in the mind of the public in general. The aim of the society has been to raise the standard and quality of all classes of poultry and stock, and in this there has been a very decided improvement over last year, while the entries and receipts have also greatly improved—the receipts at the door being double that of last year—showing a largely increased public interest.

THOS. COSTEN,  
President M. P., D. and P. S. A.  
Montreal, February 18th, 1880.

### The American Poultry Association.

At the opening of the annual meeting of the American Poultry Association, at the Grand Hotel, January 12, 1880, 2 o'clock p. m., about a score of members were present, including the president, two vice presidents, and the secretary and treasurer. The opening address of the president, giving the history of the society and its present status, was followed by the secretary and treasurer's report, showing \$522.36 in the treasury. After appointing a committee, composed of Messrs W. T. Fenton, I. K. Felch, W. Davis, Philander Williams and P. W. Hudson upon the nomination of officers, the meeting was adjourned to 8 p. m.

After the evening session was called to order, a letter of invitation was read by the secretary, from the Indianapolis Board of Trade, to visit them at their next day noon session. Moved by Mr. Felch, that it be accepted with thanks. Carried. Applications were acknowledged for sixteen life members, and fifteen annual members.

On motion of Philander Williams, it was resolved that Joseph E. Cobb, of Indianapolis, be elected an honorary member of the Association.

Business was then taken up as follows:

No. 1. *Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed to prepare a Standard for Black Red Mulay fowls, and that when such a Standard shall be perfected and approved unanimously by said committee, it shall be admitted into the American Standard of Excellence, but that before being published in said Standard, the wording, etc., shall be made to conform in general to the style of present Standard.

The chair appointed Messrs. E. R. Spaulding, Daniel Allan and John E. Diehl as such committee. Committee reported unanimously, giving a full

Standard on the breed in question. Report accepted. This gives the breed a Standard.

No. 2. A petition was received from John C. Long, Jr., and others, asking that Jersey Blues be admitted to the Standard. On motion it was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. J. C. Long, I. K. Felch and Wm. H. Hulick.

I. K. Felch, on behalf of the committee, reported adversely to the effect that the breed resembled Plymouth Rocks, as they were years ago.

Philander Williams thought as specimens of the breed had not been exhibited at Indianapolis, the members could not vote understandingly.

Resolution laid upon the table.

No. 3. *Resolved*, That the disqualifying clause in Brown Leghorns be changed to read same as it did in 1876 (before the change made at Portland).

A. M. Halsted moved that this resolution be accepted, and said that although years ago the "white or partially white" made much trouble, yet, under the stringent rules of the Standard, the fault had been eradicated, little by little, till now it was comparatively rare.

Mr. Felch said he had bred Brown Leghorns since 1858, and that no strain in the country could produce over 60 or even 40 cockerels in 100 without the white feather. Such a clause impaired the value of the breed, because breeders were discouraged and discarded them. He could see no reason for such a clause in the case of Brown Leghorns any more than in case of Partridge Cochins.

Mr. Williams explained the history of the clause. White in the wings was originally a disqualification, which was afterwards removed, and the proposition now is to restore it.

A letter from J. Y. Bicknell, advocating the adoption of the resolution, was read. On vote, the resolution was rejected—8 yeas, 10 nays.

No. 4. *Resolved*, That the Standard, regarding the legs and beaks of White Hamburgs, be changed so as to read as in the editions of said Standard of 1876.

Mr. Halstead said that Mr. Bolton had bred White Hamburgs with blue legs for thirty years. His strain, and other strains from England, bred blue legs uniformly.

Mr. Felch said there were other strains in the country which originated from Golden Spangled Hamburgs as albinos, and originally had white legs, which had been retained ever since.

H. H. Stoddard reviewed the discussion which took place when the Standard, as it now is, was adopted for the legs of this breed, and showed that blue had been rejected because nobody could then be found that claimed that blue legged White Hamburg had ever been bred by any one. To-day, however, we have the testimony of Mr. Bolton that that gentleman has bred them with blue legs for

years. The question was worth asking, is it worth while to make a medley of our Standard by having the legs of different colors in different varieties of hamburgs?

Mr. Williams said that breeders had invested time and money in breeding birds with white legs, and it was unjust to them to change it. He thought birds of legs otherwise colored should be allowed to compete on equal terms; the color of legs, however, to match in the show pen.

Resolution rejected.

No. 5. *Resolved*, That the color of ear-lobes of Houdans be expunged from the Standard.

Adopted without debate.

No. 6. *Resolved*, That the Standard on Black Cochins' legs be changed to read black instead of yellow.

Mr. Williams preferred to have color black, shaded with yellow, and the bottom of the foot yellow.

The resolution was amended to read black, or nearly so, bottom of foot yellow, and adopted as amended.

No. 7. Mr. N. T. Lattin presented the matter of Black and Spangled Javas, and asked for their admission into the Standard, and the following committee was appointed to report as next annual meeting:

W. H. Todd, Oscar Doolittle and George S. Josselyn.

Report of the committee read recommending the admission of the breeds in question.

Mr. Felch objected to the spangled variety, and favored the black.

Mr. Sweet thought both varieties bred perfectly true.

Mr. Stoddard moved an amendment that the term "spangled" be changed to *mottled*. He thought "spangled" as applied to other breeds of fowls, meant markings of a different shape from the irregular plashings of the white in the plumage of these birds, and that the word "mottled," in pigeon nomenclature, hit the meaning exactly.

Mr. Felch wanted "black" inserted before "mottled," as otherwise all colors would come in.

Resolution as amended carried, and a committee ordered to be appointed for both varieties.

No. 8. *Resolved*. That the Standard for Black Leghorn legs be changed to read black instead of as it now reads.

Resolution amended to read black or nearly so.

No. 9. *Resolved*, That in the disqualification for W. C. B. Polish be inserted in place of "White feathers in any part of plumage," "Feathers other than jet black, except in crest." Also to insert after the word "age" or "feathered," and that the latter clause be added to all the Polish varieties in their disqualifications.

Carried.

A letter from C. W. Bolton was read, showing that the Polish had been crossed with Sultans in England, as evidenced by the appearance of feathers on the legs. He thought that, as judges have now no right to disqualify for feathered legs, the Standard should be so changed as to empower them to do so.

Mr. Felch said that four-fifths of all the Black Polish had feathers tinged with white. He wished

that white should not be considered a disqualification either with this breed or the Black Hamburgs. He thought this strictness kept the attractive Black Polish away from the shows, and that the disqualification should be stricken out, and the matter of disqualification be left to the next session.

*To be continued.*

## List of Awards at Indianapolis Exhibition.

*(Continued.)*

**GAME BANTAMS.**—Silver duckwings, collection, Charles M. Clave, New London, O. Cockerel, 1st and 2nd, West & Whicker, P.cksburg, Ind.; hen, pullet, each 1st and 2nd, Jas. McCave. Yellow duckwing, cock, 1st and 2nd. S. M. Curtis, Monroe, Mich.; cockerel, 3rd; hen, st.; pullet, 1st, R. H. Peck. Back-red, collection, Frink & Patrick; cock and hen, each 1st and 2nd, same; cockerel, 1st, pullet 2nd, A. Seimeyer, Carlinville, Illinois; cockerel, 2nd, C. A. K. for 3rd, National Soldiers' Home; pullet, 1st, Kentucky Poultry Co. Red Pie, all, Frink & Patrick.

**BANTAM, OTHER THAN GAME.**—Black Rosecomb, all, R. Peck. Silver Sebrights, collection, David Hadley, Plainfield, Ind.; cock 1st, hen 2nd, pullet 3rd, I. N. Barker; cockerel, 1st and 2nd, hen 1st, pullet 1st, David Hadley. Golden Sebrights, collection and all awards, I. N. Barker.

**Ducks.**—Roman, old, 1st, Daniel White; 2nd, R. H. Peck. Young, 1st, Chas. McClave; 2nd, Daniel White. Pekin, old, 1st, H. C. Green, Indianapolis; young, 1st, same; 2nd, E. A. Robinson, Rock Lane, Ind. Aylesbury, young, 1st, E. A. Robinson & Co. White-crested, old, Daniel White. Cayuga, old and young; White Coll. colored Muscovy, R. H. Peck. White Muscovy, H. C. Green.

**Geese.**—Toulouse, old, 1st, R. H. Peck; 2nd, West & Whickers. Young, 1st, Dr. T. P. Forsyth, Franklin, Ind. White China, young, 1st, R. H. Peck; 2d, Dr. Forsythe. Old, 1st, H. C. Green.

**Turkeys.**—Old, cock and hen, each 1st, West & Whicker. Young, cock, John Dennett; hen, West & Whicker.

**Rabbits.**—Angora, 1st, Himalayan, 2nd, Daniel White. Madagascar, Scotch, Silver Gray, Himalayan, Dutch, each, 1st; Angora, 2nd, and collection, J. E. Popkess, Paris, Ill.

Guinea pigs, white mice, prairie dogs, white rats, red squirrels, each 1st; best collection minor pets, J. E. Popkess.

**PIGON.**—In pied pouters, T. F. McGrew, Jr., Springfield, O., won five 1st and four 2nd, with collection of pouters' premium; also 2nd on yellow fans. The balance of the awards; twenty-nine 1st and seventeen 2nd, with collection of pigeons' prize, were awarded to T. L. Shallcross, Louisville, Ky.

John Bennett was awarded diploma for best package for shipping eggs. A. M. Halstead, of Rye, N. Y., for best collection of incubators.

**Egg-EATING BY PULLERS.**—If hens get into the habit of eating eggs, take enough bran and cornmeal of equal parts for one feeding, and enough vinegar warmed to make the meal wet enough for the hens to eat. Mix together and feed it to the hens. Repeat this once the same day.

### Nova Scotia Poultry Association.

The fourth exhibition of this association was held in the new Masonic Hall, Halifax, the 5th, 10th and 11th of the present month, and was a complete success in every respect. The display was much in advance of the former years, and as regards the quality of the stock, the judge informed the committee that it was far ahead of any previous exhibition. The judge commenced his work punctually at nine o'clock Tuesday morning, and the shades of evening were fast falling before he had finished his task. It is saying much for the high opinion Nova Scotia fanciers have of Mr. Stevens, when we say that this is the second show he has judged for them.

On Tuesday evening the members of the association were favored by a lecture from Mr. Stevens upon the breeding and general management of fowls. The lecturer handled his subject in a very able manner, and was so plain in his language that everyone was able to appreciate and profit by what he said.

In the Asiatic class some very fine birds were shown, noteworthy the Light Brahmas of Philander Williams, the Dark Brahmas and Black Cochins, of W. H. Gibson, and the Langshans of H. M. Richey, Jr. Keeler's Dorkings were fine. The show of Hamburgs, though not large, was extra fine. In the Black Spanish Goudge and Gibson again come to the front, taking all but 2nd prize. The exhibit of French was small. Friend Stevens keeps up his reputation in Polish. In Games the competition was very keen, fully thirty coops being shown; in the Black Reds M. H. Richey, Jr., heads the list, taking almost every prize; his first prize bird scoring, cock 95, hen 95½ points. He was closely followed by Messrs. W. G. Esson, and Geoffrey Morrow, in Brown Reds.

The display of Bantams, was fair. Pekin ducks were largely shown, Mr. A. MacKinley, as usual, taking first place; his strain has gained an enviable notoriety, and is much sought after. The exhibit of turkeys was small, but here again MacKinley showed his success as a breeder. A very large exhibit of pigeons and cage birds, upon which the prizes were pretty well distributed. The president of the association, Andrew Downs, Esq., showed a handsome case of stuffed pheasants; the case measured about 4 feet 6 inches by 3 feet, and contained several handsome birds. Did time and space permit we should wish to give a more extended account. Ennected is the prize list.

**ASIA TICS.**—Light Brahmas, 25 entries: cock, 1st, Philander Williams, Taunton, Mass., (John Naylor); nd, J. Pennington, Halifax. Hen, 1st and 2nd, Philander Williams, (John Naylor) Specials.—Best Light Brahma cock, best pair Light Brahmas, best do. cock, best do. pullet, Philander

Williams, (John Naylor.) Dark Brahmas, 12 entries: cocks, 1st and 2nd; hens, 1st and 2nd, W. H. Gibson, Halifax. Specials, best pair, best cock, best cockerel, and best pullet, W. H. Gibson. Buff Cochins: cocks, 1st and 2nd; hens, 1st and 2nd; specials for best cockerel and pullet, Geo. Piers. Black Cochins, 10 entries: Cocks, 1st and 2nd; hen, 1st; specials for best pair, and best cockerel, W. H. Gibson. Partridge Cochins, 3 entries: cocks, 1st; Thos Goudge, Halifax; 2nd, Joseph S. Belcher. Hens, 1st, Thos Goudge; nd, A. Downs. Specials—best pullet, either single or pair comb, Geoffrey Morrow; best cock, Thos Goudge; best cockerel, Jos S. Belcher; heaviest Cochin cock, Geo. Piers. Langshans, 4 entries: cock, 1st; hens, 1st and nd, and special for best cock, M. H. Richey, Jr., Halifax. Special premiums Asiatics.—Best bird in the Asiatic class, Thos Goudge; heaviest pair of Asiatics, Geo. Piers.

**DORINGS.**—Silver grey, 4 entries: cocks, 1st; hens, 1st and 2nd, and special for best pullet, H. Keeler, Dartmouth.

**HAMBURGS.**—Golden-spangled, 19 entries: cocks, 1st, nd, and specials for best pair, best cock, and best pullet, Geo. Piers, Halifax. Silver-spangled, 15 entries: cocks, 1st and 2nd; hens, 1st, A. MacKinley, Halifax; 2nd, Alice A. Ritchie. Specials—best pullet, Alice A. Ritchie; best cock, A. MacKinley. Golden-pencilled, 2 entries: Cocks, 1st and 2nd; hen 1st and nd; specials for best pair, best cock, W. B. Lithgow, Halifax. Silver-spangled, 8 entries: cocks, 1st, W. E. Harrington, Halifax; nd, Robt. Esson, Halifax. Hens, 1st, Robt. Esson; 2nd, W. E. Harrington. Specials—best pair, W. E. Harrington.

**SPANISH.**—Cocks, 1st, Geo. Goudge and Gibson, Halifax; 2nd, Henry Keeler. Hens, 1st and 2nd, Goudge and Gibson. Special—best pullet, best pair, Goudge and Gibson; best cock, H. N. Keeler.

**LEGHORN.**—Black, 3 entries—disqualified. White—5 entries: cock, 1st and 2nd; hen, 1st and 2nd; specials for best pair, best pullet, best pair Wt. or B'n. Leghorns, Henry Keeler, Dartmouth. Brown, 10 entries: cocks, 1st and 2nd; special for best cock, best pair, Geo. Piers; nd on hen, and special for best pullet, F. C. Stevens, Halifax.

**FRENCH.**—Houdans, 9 entries: 1st, Frank Hyde, Dartmouth; 2nd, Thos Goudge. Special, best pullet, Thos Goudge.

**POLISH.**—White-crested black, 16 entries: cocks, 1st and nd; hens, 1st and nd; specials for best pullet, and best pair crested, either black or white, F. C. Stevens, Halifax. White, 4 entries: cock, nd; hen, nd; specials, best cock, best hen, A. Downs. Golden-spangled, 6 entries—disqualified. Golden, barred, 8 entries: cocks, 1st and 2nd; hen, 1st and 2nd; specials for best pair Polish, any variety, and best golden cock, E. G. Kanny, Halifax.

**GAMES.**—Black-breasted red, 30 entries: cocks, 1st, M. H. Richey, Jr., Halifax; 2nd, A. MacKinley, Halifax. Hens, 1st, H. M. Richey; 2nd, A. MacKinley. Specials—best black red cock, bred in Nova Scotia, 1879, H. M. Richey, Jr.; best do. hen, do., J. Morrow; best do. hen, scoring highest number of points, H. M. Richey, Jr.; best do. pullet, G. Morrow; best pair black-breasted red, M. H. Richey; best cockerel, James Pryor. Brown red, 5 entries: cocks, 1st, H. I. Esson; nd, G. Morrow. Hens, 1st, G. Morrow; 2nd, H. I. Esson. Specials—best pair, best pullet, best cockerel, H. I. Esson. Silver duck-

wing, 4 entries: cocks, 1st and 2nd, A Kidstar, Spryfield. White, cock, 2nd, J W Stairs, Halifax. Game specials—best pair games any variety, and best exhibit, H M Richey, Jr.

**PLYMOUTH ROCKS.**—11 entries; cocks, 1st, Mrs. Martin Murphy; 2nd, J S Belcher. Hens, 1st, Mrs. Martin Murphy; 2nd, W Young, Jr. Specials—best pair, Mrs. Martin Murphy; best cockerel, J S Belcher.

**DOMINQUES.**—6 entries: cocks, 1st, E G Kenny; 2nd, J S Mackay. Hens, 1st, E G Kenney; 2nd, J S Mackay. Special—best cockerel, E G Kenny.

**COMPLESS.**—1 entry: hen, 1st R T Murphy.

**FRIZZLES.**—1 entry: 2nd prize, A Downs.

**PANTAMS.**—Black-breasted red, 1st and 2nd, A. MacKinlay. Specials—best cock, and best hen, same. Golden Subright, 4 entries: 1st, M. H Richey, Jr.; 2nd, A W Mackinlay. Specials—best cock, G Graham. Frizzled bantams, 2 entries: 1st Mrs. Martin Murphy; 2nd, A Downs. Rose-comb white, 1 entry; 2nd, A Downs. Rose comb black, 2 entries: 1st and 2nd, C W Anderson. Specials—best pair, and best cock, same. Specials for all bantams—same 1st cock, (not cockerel, Mrs. Martin Murphy; best pair, any variety, C W Anderson.

**TURKYS.**—Bronze, 1st, A W Mackinlay. Special—Heaviest turkey, heaviest turkey hen, same.

**GOOSE.**—Domestic, 1st, John A Grant; 2nd, W Walker. Special—heaviest goose, John A Grant. Wild, 1st and 2nd, Chas K. Dson, Spryfield.

**DUCKS.**—Pekin, 5 entries: 1st and 2nd, A W Mackinlay. Specials—best drakes, best pair, A W Mackinlay; heaviest drake, J J Hamilton; heaviest pair, Geo. Piers. Rouen, 3 entries: 1st, 2nd, and special for heaviest drake, and best drake, Geo. Piers. Wood duck, 1st, C W Anderson. Mandarin, C W Anderson.

**ORIENTAL.**—Golden pheasants, 1st, C W Anderson. Cross bred cock, same.

**PIGEONS.**—Austrian pouters, 2nd; colored pouter, 2nd, C W Anderson. Antwerp carriers, 6 entries, 1st and 2nd, A W Mackinlay. English carrier, 1st, C W Anderson; special for best slow of carrier pigeon by one exhibitor, A W Mackinlay. White fantails, 5 entries, 1st and 2nd, C W Anderson. Yellow fantails, 1st and 2nd, same. Black shoulder to bits, 1st, A Downs. Red shoulder turbits, 2nd, A Downs. Black Jacobins, 1st, C W Anderson. White Jacobins, 1st, A W Mackinlay. Red Jacobins, 2nd, Anderson. Black Magpies, 2nd, same. Yellow Magpies, 1st, same; 2nd, A Downs. Red Magpies, 2nd, Anderson. Trumpeters, 1st, Anderson; 2nd, Downs. Archangels, 2nd, A Mackinlay. Doves, 1st, A Downs. Specials—Best collection of pigeon, C W Anderson; 2nd do, A Downs; best display by one exhibitor, Anderson.

**CAGE BIRDS.**—Belgian cock canary, 1st, John Beattie. Do. hen canary, 1st, same. Yellow cock canary (not Belgian), 1st, John Young. Green cock canary, 1st, R J Wilson; 2nd, G Morrow. Special—Best green cock canary, R J Wilson. Green hen canary, H Bond; mottled cock canary, same. Specials—Best cock; canary, any variety, John Beattie; worst looking canary on exhibition, T G A Wilson. Cock Linnet, 2nd, C J Tillman; 1st, same. Cat bird, 1st, A Downs. Rose-breasted grosbeak, 1st, Mrs. Mc C Y Barry. Cardinal, 1st and 2nd, A Downs. Mocking birds, 1st, W Young, Jr.; 2nd, A Downs. Java sparrows, 1st,

same. Goldfinch, 1st, same; White-throated song sparrow, 2nd, A Downs. Love birds, 1st, same.

**Aviary.**—1st, A Downs.

**Texidermy.**—1st, A Downs.

**EGGS.**—16 entries, hens, 1st, Goudge and Gibson, Black Spanish; 2nd, E E McNutt, Truro, grade; 3rd, H Keeler, Spanish. Specials—Heaviest doz. duck eggs, A W McKinlay, Pekin. Best collection birds eggs, A Downs.

**GRADE FOWL.**—Special premium, best pair, Geoff Morrow.

**DEAD POULTRY.**—Special premiums, best dressed turkey, Mrs. Elias Wentzell, Eastern Passage; best pair dressed ducks, Geo Piers.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**—Special premiums—Heaviest fowl, other than Asiatic, Mrs. Martin Murphy; heaviest cockerel, any variety, Geo Piers; heaviest pulled any variety, Philander Williams. (ohn Naylor; pair of fowls scoring highest, C W Anderson; heaviest pair of thoroughbred fowls, G Piers; largest show in one variety, M H Richey, Jr.

### Notes from a Traveller.

Editor Review,

As I am something of a fancier, I could not resist the temptation to visit the show which was open during my last visit to Montreal. As I had only about an hour to spare, I could not devote as much attention to each class as I would wish, but noticed that dogs were the leading feature; I suppose owing to these being better protected by nature to withstand the long, severe winters of that place. The pigeons too were well represented, but as I am not up in that class, I will not particularize. The exhibit of poultry was not quite up to what I expected to see in the metropolises of Canada. I did not consider the exhibit of Asiatics up to some I have seen in Ontario. Polands and Games were about the most numerous.

On my trip west I called at Peterboro, where my friend Butterfield was endeavoring to allay the fever, which had broken out there, and of which I was warned by a large banner stretching across the street, having a pair of Games painted in life colors on one side, and a pair of Brahmas on the other. Those, although well executed, were but an inferior sample of what I saw in the show-room. There were no dogs or pigeons here, but about 190 pairs of, taking them altogether, really good birds. The fanciers here really excel in Asiatics, and one pair of white Cochins were the admiration of all. The Dorkings were the best lot I have seen since I left England; Spanish, poor, except one really good pair; Leghorns in great variety, and among them some grand birds. The Games were not numerous, but those few, in my estimation, were fit to win almost any place, and are a credit to their owners. A few really good pairs of Plymouth Rocks, and the Hamburgs and Polands were also a fair lot.

Just as I was about leaving my attention was

drawn to the corner containing the white Cochin cock, where quite a number were seemingly discussing some important point. On approaching them I found the subject of discussion was not the white Cochin cock, but his would-be more sable brother, the black one, and which I was informed was the first prize bird at Guelph; but the sharp eyes of the judge was too much for the owner, and succeeded in discovering that deception had been used to finish what was lacking in nature, as the tail was most deliberately dyed. This was a new feature to me, as I had not known fathers to be so changed while attached to their original owner. However, on enquiry, I find that there are tricks in this as in other trades, and one very sheepish transaction is reported at Guelph.

Yours truly,  
M.

### Annual Meeting of St. John Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

At the annual meeting of the above association, it was resolved to change its name, and call it the "New Brunswick Poultry and Pet Stock Association." Also to do away with the Board of Directors, and leave the management of the association in the hands of the members generally. Also to elect a Vice President in each county of the province, whose duty it will be to look generally after the interests of the association in the county he may represent. Also to allow members, non-resident, to vote by mail on all questions affecting the standing of the association.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Col. A. Blaine, President; Mr. Chamberlain, Vice President, St. John County; Cap. T. McKenzie, Vice President, York County; C. S. Grosvenor, Vice President, Carleton County; W. B. Merry, Vice President, Charlotte County; Rev. D. M. Bliss, Vice President, Westmorland County; W. H. Wilson, Secretary; Wm. Snider, Treasurer.

Counties not yet represented will be as soon as candidates offer.

W. H. Wilson.  
Secy. N. B. P. & P. S. A. St. John, N. B.

The Secretary informs us that the last show of the Society was the most successful by far of any yet held, both as regards the quality of the stock exhibited and numbers shown. The hall was thronged with visitors from the time of opening until it closed. After paying all expenses there was a handsome balance left to the credit of the association. The prize list appeared last month.

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Have you seen "McMillain's postal card?" It is immense. Every fancier of Spanish should see it.

We have just printed a large half post circular for W. Stahschmidt, of Preston, the noted breeder of Brown and White Leghorns. He will send you one on application.

By the fire which occurred in the store of Mr. H. B. Alley, London, on the evening of March 15th, his entire stock of fancy pigeons was smothered. They were confined at the rear of the second flat. This is a great loss, as Mr. Alley's lofts contained many magnificent birds.

A brief note from H. M. Thomas, Camden, Delaware says: "The REVIEW is a welcome visitor at my desk, as in it I find the names of my old fancier friends. We have had no winter here this season; ice formed for two days, about an inch thick. My peach orchards are now in bloom, my spring grain up nicely, my two stallions on their routes and doing well. This country is now alive with young chicks in all stages."

W. J. WAY AT SPRINGFIELD SHOW.—At the great show of the New England Pig, on and Bantam Society, Mr. Way won the following premiums:—Duckwing Games, cock, 3rd, hen 3rd; cockerel 3rd. Bantams.—B. B. Red gam.,—cock, 3rd; hen, 3rd; pullet 1st. Brown R.d.,—cock, 1st; hens, 1st and 2nd; cockerels, 2nd, and 3rd, and pullet 2nd. Red Pie.—cock 1st; pullets 2nd and 3rd. Duckwings,—cocks 1st and 3rd; cockerels, 1st and 2nd; pullet 2nd. Pigeons.—White pouters, 3rd; blue pied, 3rd; black pied 3rd; silver 2nd.

**ERRORS AND OMISSIONS.**—In our last issue the following errors and omissions were made:—By the breaking of a figure in Mr. Crane's article on the Philadelphia homing pigeon exhibition, Mr. Waefelaer's bird is credited with flying but 43 miles in 18 hours and 18 minutes; it should read 343 miles.

The first prize on Light Brahma breeding pen at Guelph show was awarded to George Young, of Guelph, instead of J. S. Anderson.

In the prize list of the Montreal Show, Birmingham Rollers were omitted; the awards were as follows: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, Fred. Whitley, Montreal.

The directors of the Mercantile Insurance Company, and of the Waterloo Mutual of the town have transferred Mr. James Lockie from the post of correspondence clerk in the Waterloo to the important and responsible post of Inspector of risks and agencies in the Mercantile. The latter company has for some time had under consideration the advisability of appointing an Inspector, and in selecting Mr. Lockie for the position they have made choice of a gentleman who is not only very pleasant and affable in disposition, but is possessed of a very intimate knowledge of insurance business. We heartily congratulate him on this recognition of his worth and ability, and have no doubt that the Mercantile will find in him the right man in the right place.—*Waterloo Chronicle*

We add our congratulations. Of the many warm friends our connection with the Review has brought us, none is more highly esteemed than Mr. Lockie. Our only regret, and one that will be shared by our readers, is that, for a short time, we will be deprived of "Notes from Waterloo," as friend Lockie's time will be fully occupied in mastering the details of his new position. Although his new duties will take him much from home, he does not intend giving up his chickens and pigeons, which will be well cared for by his lady mother—who says she could not do without them,—and his son.

The Midland Central Poultry Society are on the verge of a law-suit. It seems that a special prize of some \$10.00 in value was offered by one of the members last year, which was not given according to promise; the winner demanded some recompense from the Society, which they gave, and this year the donor of the special had the mortification of having the \$10.00 stopped out of his prize money, to which he very naturally objects, and threatens to resort to extreme means to recover the full amount. This will bring out the point, who is responsible for the prize money, and are persons who give specials, honorably or otherwise, bound to fulfil their contract? The sequel promises to be interesting to fanciers, and some developments may be expected.

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### New Advertisements this Month.

It is scarcely necessary that we should say anything of Sharp Butterfield,—who favors us with a half page ad. for the year—as he is so well known to the great majority of the fanciers in both Canada and the U. S. He has lately started out "on his own hook," and is bound to make the breeding of fancy poultry pay. His idea is that to do this he must in every case give satisfaction to his patrons, breed from nothing but the best of stock, and prove that he has them by showing at the best shows. At Ann Arbor, Mich., he won over forty 1st prizes, ten 2nds, and five 3rds; at Saginaw, thirty 1sts, four 2nds, and one 3rd. At Guelph, where his birds appeared over-shown, twenty-five 1sts, twelve 2nds, and five 3rds; winning at these three shows \$516 in prizes.

Thos. Costen, Montreal, President of M. P., D. & P. S. A., quarter page. Mr. Costen's Light Brahmas and Plymouth Rocks are of the very best strains, and he will be found a very agreeable gentleman to correspond with.

Also from Montreal we have a small ad. from Dr. J. C. Nichol, breeder of B. B. Red Games; he was very successful at the late Montreal show.

John McClelland, Peterboro', advertises his Games. His stock has headed the prize lists of our principal shows this winter, and were well worthy of the honors they won.

M. H. Richey Jr., Halifax, Nova Scotia, has first-class B. B. Red Games, and that new variety of which we have lately heard so much, Langshans. The very high score of his birds at the Halifax show this month shows that there are few excel them. We have done considerable business with Mr. R. and have found him a very pleasant man to deal with.

Richard MacKay, of Hamilton, offers eggs for hatching from his celebrated Light Brahmas. His birds are all really excellent.

Pigeon fanciers must not miss the chance that Mr. Wm. Simpson, of Port Hope, offers them of securing first-class pigeons. Mr. Simpson's stock is well known. Those offered are of the most popular varieties.

Fred. E. Young, Colborne, offers eggs from his Plymouth Rocks, which he assures us are first-class, and guarantees satisfaction. Give him a share of your orders.

Evan Edwards, Ottawa, offers eggs from select Game fowls, of the most staunch quality.

W. J. & F. Shaw, London East, breeds a number of varieties, and exhibited very successfully at the last Western Fair, London. In "directory."

Changes will be found in the ads. of R. McMILLAIN, W. SAHLSCHMIDT, James Anderson, George Elliott and Sam. Holmes.

### Subscription Premiums.

Mr. M. H. Richey, Halifax, N. S., will give a sitting of Black-breasted red Game egg for every five new subscribers to the Review, limited to three sittings.

Mr. Sharp Butterfield, Sandwich, Ont., will give to every one sending us seven new subscribers, at

regular rates, a setting of eggs from any variety he breeds.

Mr. H. H. King, Montreal, will give a setting of white Leghorn eggs to any one sending us five new subscribers.

For additional premiums see last issue.

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**EXCHANGE**—Will exchange one pair of golden spangled Polish, well marked and with large crests, for one pair of Houdans or white Cochins or offers.  
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**FOR SALE.**—One Bull Terrier dog; white, with dark spot on ear, fourteen months old; will face anything. Will trade for a double barrel gun, poultry or offers.  
GEO. T. SIMPSON, Ealkland P. O. Ont

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G. B. HOWARD, KINS, Tilsonburg

**FOR SALE.**—Pr. golden Duckwing game; cock took 3rd at Toronto, in 1878; cock and hen not of kin; price \$3.00 cash, if taken immediately; write to  
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**FOR SALE.**—1 trio Light Brahmas, large, heavy birds; cock light in hackle, hens dark in hackle, all have short, heavy feathered legs. Cock was imported from New York last year, as a breeder, and is a splendid stabled bird. Cock and hens 2 years old. Will be sold cheap to make room. Would exchange for a trio of W. C. B. bearded Polish or S. S. bearded Polish. Also for sale 1 pair B. B. Red Game Bantams, small and well marked, price per pair \$3.50

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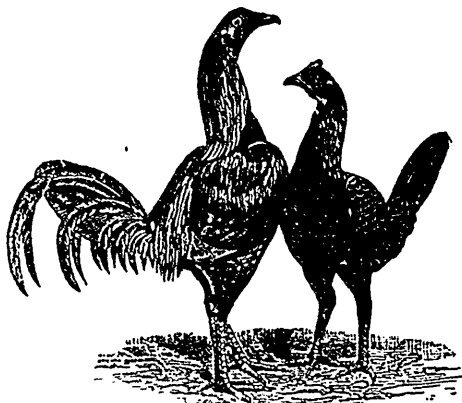
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**B. B. Red Games**  
 And Langshans.

I am breeding from three yards of Games this season. Cock, "Champion," score, 95 points; "M. Henry," 92.1-2 points; "Zulu," 91 points—all mated with extra fine hens.

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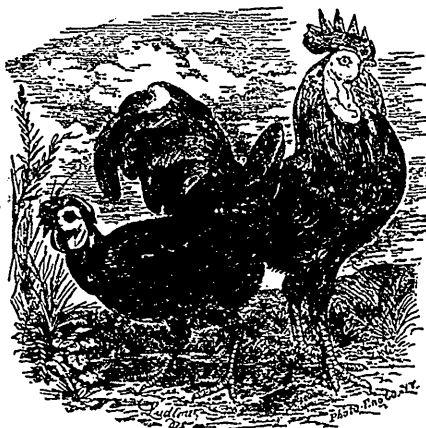
Chic go, 1878: -Cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th; hen, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th; cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th; pullet, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th, and for best collection.

Buff do, 1879: -Cock, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; hen, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; cockerel, 1st and 2nd; pullet 1st and 2nd, and for best collection.

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Peterboro'—Midland P. Society- Br. Fowls 1st and 2nd; Br. Chicks, 1st and 2nd; W. Chicks 2nd against 1st prize Chicks at Guelph; Special best pair Br. Leghorns.

My four breeding pens for this season includes the above prize winners and others of equal merit.

EGGS \$2.50 per 13, \$4 per 26, packed in baskets.

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January 2, 1890.

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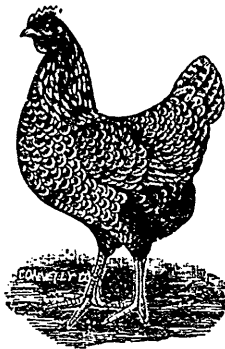
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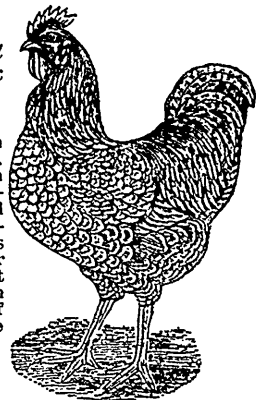
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Orders for Eggs booked now, and delivered after March 1880, at \$3 per 13; or 26 for \$5. No Japanese Bantam, Fur Fowls, or Duck Eggs for sale.

I can furnish old or young birds in pairs, trios, or breeding pens, at any season of the year, of any variety. At our late International Poultry Exhibition at Guelph. I entered 50 birds and won the following premiums:—Light Brahmans, 1st and 2nd on Cock; 1st and 2nd on Cockerel; 1st and 3rd on Hen; 1st and 3rd on Pullet. Plymouth Rocks, 1st and 3rd on Cock; 3rd on Hen; 2nd and 3rd on Cockerel; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on Pullet. 1st prize Plymouth Rock Cockerel was hatched from eggs purchased from me. Also 12 prizes on my Japanese Bantams. B. B. R. Game Bantams 2nd on Hen; 2nd on Pullet. Specials, for best collection of Japanese Bantams; for best pair B. B. R. Game Bantam Chicks; for best Plymouth Rock Pullets; for best P. Rock Cock; for best two pairs Wool or Carolina Ducks; for best pair Mandarin Ducks. Also winning the Twenty Dollar Silver Cup for largest and best collection of Plymouth Rocks. The judge W. M. Todd, Esq., Vermillion, Ohio, pronounced the P. Rocks the best lot he ever saw or judged.



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To make room I will sell some of my Prize Chicks.

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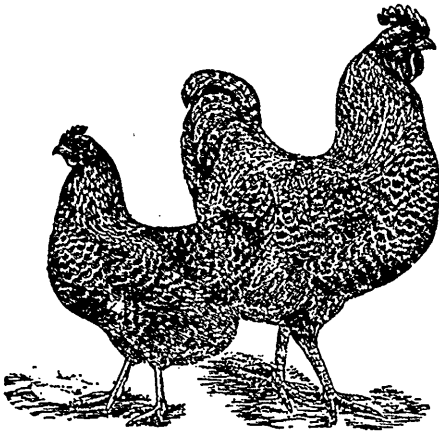
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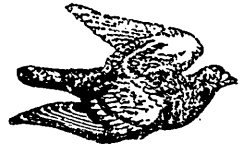
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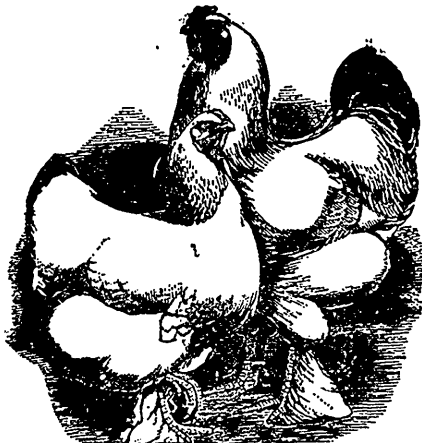
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