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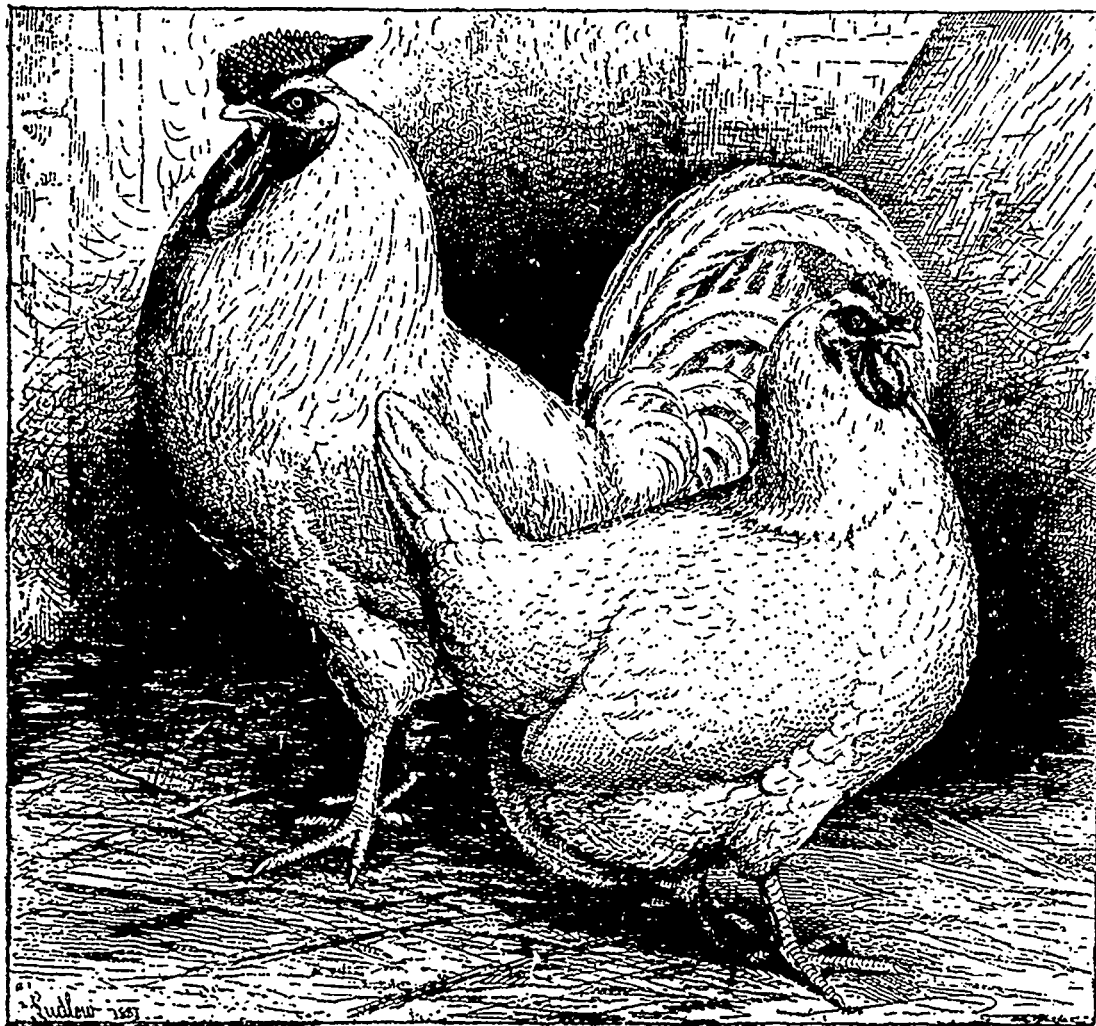
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PAIR WHITE DORKINGS. WINNERS IN ENGLAND.

# THE CANADIAN POULTRY REVIEW

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## NOTES AND COMMENTS

### NO EGGS FOR SALE.

THE above legend will be found appended to Mr. Geo. G. McCormick's ad this month, he having announced such as his intention.

MR T. A. DUFF, TORONTO, has also decided to drop the egg trade and sell stock only.

### FROM FINLAND,

came a recent letter to the REVIEW, enclosing \$1 for a year's subscription. The REVIEW is rapidly reaching the ends of the earth. Amongst other places on our mailing list we may mention England, to which we send many, Scotland, Ireland, France, Belgium, Australia and now far away Finland. Of course hundreds go to Manitoba, British Columbia, the eastern Provinces and Newfoundland, besides every State in the Union.

MESSRS. GIVES & LOVELL, GALT, write us they won at Guelph, 1st on white Leghorn cockerel, and 1st on breeding pen brown Leghorns and not as printed.

MR. J. HENRY LEE, the well known poultry delineator, is

about publishing a 100 page book entitled "Some of Lee's Ideas." It will relate to the yard, garden and farm with special reference to poultry.

FROM N. B. TO N. W. T., seems a big distance to ship poultry, but Messrs. Geo. Hatt & Co. of Fredrickton, N.B., recently shipped two tons of Turkeys to Calgary, N.W.T., to fill a special order.

MR. W. COLE, BRAMPTON, has sold all his white Leghorns, including winners, to Mr. Jno. Pletsch, Shakespeare.

MESSRS. THORNTON & SON, ST. THOMAS, have just imported another trio of Indian Games from England.

FROM THE *Stock-Keeper* we see that Mr. Geo. G. McCormick, London, is determined to still further improve his buff Cochins and is importing from Mr. G. H. Procter, the cockerel, first at Dairy Show, the hen, third at Birmingham, which our contemporary says is "wonderful in color, very short in leg and grand shape and feather" also an excellent colored pullet.

MINORCA BANTAMS. From the same source we learn that Mr. J. Physick, after four years breed-

ing and selecting has succeeded in producing a Minorca Bantam, and proposes exhibiting a few in the near future.

MALAYS IN AUSTRALIA. Australian breeders are of the opinion that they have better Malays than are shown in England, and an enterprising fancier is about to send some over to compete against the English cracks.

MR. J. H. PATON, writes us from Winnipeg that he does not expect to be back to Toronto for some time yet.

IN MANITOBA the poultry interest seems to be rapidly growing in spite of the extreme cold of winter. In Brandon an Association was recently formed with over twenty members as a start. The REVIEW is spreading out in the far west too, we received many new subscribers from Manitoba and the N. W. Territors this year; as an instance of it a gentleman in the little town of Carberry sent us three new subscribers when renewing for his own paper.

MESSRS. ALLIN BROS, NEWCASTLE, ONT. have purchased from Mr. H. B. May, of Natick, Mass., the barred Plymouth Rock cockerel 1st at Providence, R.I. show and the pullet 1st at same exhibi-

tion, where it may be remarked there were one hundred and sixty Plymouth Rocks in competition. The cockerel will head one of their pens this season.

MR. T. H. SMELT,

had a brief stay in Toronto on his way home from judging at Ottawa. He told us that the quality in most classes was extremely high and competition keen.

THE OTTAWA COMMITTEE

refused some sixty entries which were not sent in in time. If one or two other Associations would have the back-bone to adopt this course a few times the "late entry" nuisance would soon be a thing of the past.

AT THE LATE PHILADELPHIA SHOW

Messrs. Burn & Hansler, Tilsonburg, made the largest exhibit, 117 birds, and received many awards, especially in Dorkings, Games, Polish, Spanish, Hamburgs, &c. They won specials for best exhibit of Game, for best exhibit outside U. S., best display of Polish and best display of Dorkings.

MR. SHARP BUTTERFIELD,

our own "Sharp" who is now so deeply engaged studying French, judged Minorcas, Andalusians, white black dominique and buff Leghorns, Anconas and Polish.

THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

of the Ontario Government has issued, with a special Bulletin containing a list of the meetings of Farmers' Institutes for 1892, a very thoroughly revised list of books and magazines for farmers. The REVIEW is accorded a place in the list.

OUR ILLUSTRATION.

By request we publish an engraving of a pair of white Dorkings, winners in England, and for which we are indebted to the *Stock-Keeper*. Our correspondent draws our attention to the fact that one of the pullets winning the cup at the Ontario had scarcely any breast and still was not cut on symmetry and wants to know if this is correct. We should say most decidedly not, shape of breast is a most important part in a Dorking and is well shown in our engraving.

FOUR LEGS AND TWO TAILS.

A curiosity at the Ottawa show was a well developed, healthy pullet with no less than four legs and two tails. Freaks of this kind are not infrequent but they rarely reach maturity.

MR. W. C. ROTHWELL, COLLINS BAY, ONT., writes to know if we are aware of the existence of a breed of fowls called black Astrachans. We have heard of such a variety somewhere but cannot at this moment place it. Can any of our readers oblige us?

DEATH OF MR. H. P. HARRISON.

We deeply regret having to chronicle the demise of the late Henry Pierce Harrison of Toronto, who succumbed to the ravages of typhoid fever on January 21st. Mr. Harrison was a native of Sligo, Ireland, and came to Canada some thirty years ago. He was identified with the breeding of black-red Game and had imported noted stock several times. Of late he had done no exhibiting but had a few excellent specimens in his yards. We feel that we have lost a warm personal friend, and extend our heart felt sympathy to his sorrowing wife and little ones.

# POULTRY

MORTIMER'S MONTHLY MORSELS.

BY F. A. MORTIMER, POTTSVILLE, PA.

THE poultry house does not provide suitable shade for poultry in the summer season. Being low and close, with no ventilation, and the roof, walls and interior heated by the direct rays of the sun, it is too warm during the day for the fowls. If the hens are on a range where a few trees are standing, they will be amply provided for; but for hens confined in yards, that have no shade, they must not be exposed to the sun or more shade must be provided for them. A piece of muslin or calico on cross pieces or brush placed on poles, will be of assistance, but naked yards should have a few peach trees planted in them next spring.

Chicks die in the shell because you open the incubator too often. The cold air coming in contact with vaporized moisture, causes rapid evaporation killing the chicks by chilling them.

You ask what is the best food for fattening hens, ducks or turkeys. Give them all the corn they can eat. Keep it before them and allow three meals a day of any kind of mixed food, making potatoes a prominent article of the diet.

A correspondent of the *Country Gentleman* says a poultry raiser who feeds corn can get a great many more eggs if he has the time, and will take the trouble to bake it in the oven until it is slightly brown. It seems to take away fattening qualities and stimulates them to lay, and it will well pay for the labor.

He says, "Put four quarts of corn in a dripping pan, put into the oven, and stir with a stick once or twice, so that all will get browned. You can bake two dripping pans full of an evening. I have tried all kinds of feed that hens will eat, and am positive that I can get the most eggs by feeding soft food, and that composed mostly of wheat. I have always recommended soft food, and I put barley sprouts in now to offset any physicing tendency that the soft food might give. I think sprouts soaked over night would be excellent food for ducks and geese in the winter when they cannot get at grass. I feed corn so seldom in the summer that my hens hardly know what it is."

You should be ready to give your fowls their breakfast just as soon as they fly down from their roosts.

The origin of the Black Russian breed is imputed to the Cossacks of central or southeastern Russia. The Russians endure rigorous winter weather as the comb is small and of very tough consistency, being nearly frost proof. The hens are acknowledged to be among the best winter layers by all who know them, and are good sitters the year round, although the same hen is not apt to sit more than once in a season. Some do not sit at all.

The fowls are of medium size, weighing from six to eight pounds at maturity. They are excellent table fowls. Thus they combine the qualities of utility and beauty, being of stylish carriage and appearance. A fence four feet high is sufficient to confine them. The most serious drawback at present is the difficulty of obtaining non-related blood. It would appear, however, that the black Russians should become popular throughout the Northern States.—*Poultry Monthly*.

It is never advisable to pull the wing primaries of the high flyers to keep them from flying over the fences. If pulled, new feathers begin to grow at once, and this causes a drain on the system that will generally stop egg production. By clipping the primaries of one wing the fowls are secured, and the feathers will not be replaced until the next moult. For show birds, it spoils them to clip the wings and a flock looks much better with full plumage. Covering the yard with wire or other netting is the best remedy.

A writer says: "I have always been in favor of white fowls, but where I live, the hawks would get all the white Brahmas, and I had to give up raising white birds, so I got brown Leghorns and Plymouth Rocks, and the hawks would not see them as soon. One day I was complaining to a doctor about my luck, and he asked, "Why don't you poison the hawks with nuxvomica?" I gave some to my small chicks and the hawks got some of them and I found two dead hawks, and I now can raise white chicks again."

Public opinion needs to be cultivated on one point, that poultry is property just as wheat, corn, potatoes, or horses.

SHALL WE SELL EGGS FOR HATCHING?

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

SHALL we sell eggs for hatching? I presume we will, but I doubt if it be profitable to the breeder to do so. A very successful breeder told me some time ago that he discontinued the sale of eggs and kept a record of the letters he received from would-be purchasers of

eggs. In the fall he sold to two-thirds of those who wrote him for eggs, pairs, trios or pens of fowls. Suppose he had had 100 inquiries for eggs and such inquirer had bought a sitting at \$5.00 per setting. Here would be a snug little income of \$500. But suppose, foregoing this desirable sum, he had sold only one pair of chickens at \$10.00 per pair to 67 of the enquirers, his income would be \$670. But, as a matter of fact, this breeders orders would average as much as a trio and his prices would average more than \$5.00 per specimen. Call it trios at \$15.00 and the \$500 for eggs becomes \$1005, more than double what the eggs would have brought. Nor is this all by any means. How many hens would it take to furnish the eggs necessary to supply 100 sittings during the breeding season. Two sittings per hen is a good record and that would mean 50 choice hens, with 5 mates, to keep and care for. How many hens would it require to raise the 67 trios of chicks. Let us see, 67 multiplied by 3 are 201, and there would probably be a number of culls. Allowing 25 per cent for them it would be necessary to raise 250. This would require say 500 eggs, which would be laid by twenty hens, requiring two males. So here we have the problem,—

55 fowls at \$10 each, \$550, produce \$500  
 22 " 10 " 220, " \$1005  
 But of course it would cost something more to raise the chickens than to sell the eggs. So we need to do some more figuring before we arrive at the proper result. Let us assume that it costs \$1.00 per year to keep a fowl and 50 cents to raise a chicken ready for sale.

We have then under the heading of EGGS.

55 fowls kept @ \$1.....	\$55 00
Int. on \$550 @ 6%.....	33 00

Eggs sold .....	500 00	
	88 00	
Profit.....	\$412 00	
CHICKENS.		
22 fowls kept at \$1.....	\$22 00	
Int. on \$220 @ 6%.....	13 20	
Raising 250 chicks @ 50c....	125 00	
	\$160 20	
201 chicks sold at \$5.....	\$1005 00	
49 " " 50c.....	24 50	
	1029 50	
	160 20	
Profit.....	869 30	
Deduct profit on eggs.....	412 00	

Greater profit of chickens  
than eggs..... \$457 30

This is merely the pecuniary view. But this is by no means the only view to be taken of this question. The sale of eggs for hatching is one of the most unsatisfactory parts of the fancier's occupation. I remember visiting Philander Williams some years ago, and as his man was packing some eggs, Mr. Williams remarked to me, "I sell eggs, but I don't like to do it." The fact is that eggs receive harsh handling on the way at times, causing them either to fail of hatching or to produce inferior chickens, and even if they ever reach the buyer in good condition, he may be a person who is not skilful in raising chickens, and the quality will be much poorer than if the birds had been raised at home. We are apt to forget that raising is almost as important as correct mating for the production of fine specimens. I have had chickens reared for me in a single season by different persons, from eggs laid by a single pen of fowls, and in the fall you could hardly believe it to be possible that these chickens had the same parentage, for some would be large and fine in color and figure, while others were small, not well shaped, and bad in color. Then, too, there are always

some culls in a lot of chickens, be they bred ever so carefully, and culls seem to be extremely hardy. Send a man a sitting of eggs, and if there is an egg in the sitting that is destined for the production of a cull it will probably hatch, while the egg that would have produced a "world beater" never pips. And so it goes, chances against him there, on the eggs he sells. Last season a friend of mine, one of the most skillful and successful breeders of his chosen variety, whom I knew, sent me a sitting of his choicest eggs. He had just hatched over 95 per cent of the eggs set from these fowls. But that sitting hatched for me four chickens, only two of which lived, and only one of which would be a reasonable sample of my friend's flock. I believe I know something about raising chickens, and I feel certain that they had excellent care, but the cull hatched and lived, while other eggs that might have produced winning birds failed to hatch. The breeder who sells eggs places his reputation and that of his stock in the hands of others. While the one who sells only chickens, kills off the culls, improves his stock more rapidly because he is obliged to select only about half as many breeders, and every sale adds to his reputation.

Shall we sell eggs for hatching? I have done so, and perhaps shall continue to do so, simply because others do, but I am satisfied that it is less profitable to sell eggs than chickens, and would gladly see the trade in eggs for hatching stopped, and that in, thoroughbred fowls greatly increased, as it would be if eggs were not sold. But I hardly expect to see this result—much as it is to be desired. There will be a breeder here and there who will discontinue the sale of eggs—and the number of such may increase—but the mass of poultry men will probably continue to sell eggs for hatching.

## "LIGHT BRAHMAS AT THE INDUSTRIAL."

*Editor Review,—*

WILLI, you kindly grant me space in your valuable journal to make a denial of Mr. Butterfield's statements in January REVIEW.

I never in my life tried to brow-beat Mr. Butterfield or any other man. I went to Mr. Butterfield after waiting one day and a half until he got through with his duties as judge. I asked him in a gentlemanly manner to look at the Brahma chicks previously referred to, he said he had looked at them before he put the tickets on and if it had not been for the accommodating Superintendent, he would not have looked at them, and when he did he refused to handle them in my presence. I don't believe there is another judge in Canada who would have refused to show an exhibitor where he was wrong, but my opinion was the same as many other Brahma breeders who examined them and maintained that my bird was the best pullet shown. Mr. Butterfield thinks I don't know much about Cochins because I asked the Secretary of the Detroit Poultry Show whether I was successful or not, but not in the blind way that Mr. Butterfield would like your readers to believe, viz: that I wrote him and asked him how many prizes I got. When I exhibit I don't expect to make a fortune out of it, all I want is to clear expenses, that, Mr. Editor, I did at Detroit.

Now, Mr. Butterfield, with your 30 year's experience, I would like to show you and convince you that you are not infallible. You will remember that an exhibitor at the Industrial did not try to brow beat you but showed you where your judgment was wrong, in awarding a pen of buff Cochins a prize. When he showed you your mistake, you

without a murmur, changed the award to suit the exhibitor, and I consider when you did so you took a wise step. Now, as regards the Cochins I had at Detroit, which you would try to make the readers of REVIEW believe were no good, they were the same Cochins which you judged at Dunnville one year ago and scored them 93½ and 94½, and asked me if I wished to sell as you wished to take some chickens to B. C. at that time. And the buff Cochin cock was the same one you gave second prize to in Toronto one year ago and had trouble over. Remember, it then belonged to another party. I purchased it because I knew it was a good one. Now, Mr. Butterfield, I don't think these birds, according to your own judgment, are very creditable. However, I have stated my views and you have stated yours, therefore I will have no further talk about the matter, for

"To convince a man against his will,  
He's of the same opinion still."

Yours respectfully,

C. S. JACKSON.

International Bridge, Ont., Jan. 18, '92.

AN EGG RECORD.

BY THOS. HOOD, CODERICH, ONT.

WITH pleasure I renew subscription to REVIEW, find with this one dollar, also the record of a few fowls that have done the egg business well, paid their board in full and enough left to pay another year in advance. Many a look of pleasure we all had at them, they kept so clean and well dressed—none of your drowsy, care-worn biddies losing their sleep from dirt and lice, these tormentors never gave them one nip, only from a neighbors stray hen did

they learn all they ever knew—oh! didn't they run her off the place? they knew what they were doing I could learn from their talk after, I felt proud of their spirit and now tell you of their home and what they have done for it.

DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS THEY LAID

	1890	Eggs	1891	Eggs
January....	260	.....	188	
February...	316	.....	256	
March.....	441	.....	397	
April.....	367	.....	355	
May.....	283	.....	303	
June.....	245	.....	301	
July.....	204	.....	263	
August....	205	.....	239	
Sept.....	101	.....	151	
October....	65	.....	102	
November..	163	.....	153	
December..	176	.....	167	
	2826		2875	

THE PENS CONTAINED,

	1890	1891
S. L. Wyandottes.	6	Wyandottes. 12
L. Brahmas.....	12	L. Brahmas... 7
Red Caps.....	4	Red Caps... 2
Total, hens....	22	21
Average to each hen	128½	137

A close run in number but Wyandottes have it.

Both of these years, 3 hens were set so that during 4 months they did nothing in count, if no hens had been detailed off to raise young, I think the egg average would be 150.

What has been said in REVIEW by yourself about S. L. Wyandottes not breeding true, and tendency to get light in color after moulting, I find to be so with some but not with others, most of ours are improving, so judges say, and I say that I have never found a better all purpose breed. The white Wyandotte in her turn is receiving attention now. Her dress is white and is likely

to remain so. Could you or any of your friends tell me wherein she differs from black, golden or silver laced? I think the pleasure and profit of any kind of fowl comes from good board and lodging. Our hen house is cleaned every day, that is the cure for lice and sickness, if the house within is like ours and a shovel, hoe, broom and scraper hanging to hand, 5 minutes work and it is done.

"A GOOD THING."

Editor Review,—

I AM not in the habit of rushing into print with every small grievance and I have the highest opinion of your purchasing department. But your correspondent, "R. E." makes such charges as dishonesty, fraud, etc., against some breeder of Plymouth Rocks only, and I believe the fanciers who sensibly breed that variety alone in Canada can almost be counted on the fingers of one hand. We take your correspondents remarks as a stab in the dark and call upon "R. E." to clear the matter up, give the breeder's name and surely if the charges he makes are true he will not be afraid to give his own and not let the Plymouth Rock fancier suffer either from a breeder who is not up to the Standard or from one of those gentry, and they are numerous who expect a first-prize bird for a dollar.

Yours very truly,

R. DOWNES.

Toronto, Jan. 15, 1892.

[To prevent fraud or dissatisfaction we have opened a deposit Department. In future it will be purchasers own fault if they are taken in. ED.]

*Editor Review,—*

I notice a communication in Jan. number from one signing-himself "R. E." I think, in publishing said letter, you do a great injustice to reliable breeders among your advertisers, who are endeavouring to do an honorable business. If, after proper investigation, you found the party from whom "R. E." purchased his birds was really culpable, you should not hesitate to publish his name, instead of allowing the blame to be imputed to any honorable breeder, as is done by "R. E.'s" letter.

I cannot agree with "R. E." in his apparent charge of dishonesty being so prevalent in the ranks of breeders of thoroughbred poultry, but believe them to be a class of men in whom the greatest confidence may be reposed.

Probably more dissatisfaction arises through dealing with inexperienced breeders, than in any other way; these, not through any dishonest motives, but in their ignorance of what constitutes a good bird, sometimes send out unsatisfactory stock, and I scarcely doubt but that "R. E." purchased his birds from one of these. If he had placed his order with any reliable breeder, and been willing to pay a fair price, I am quite positive that he would have had no cause for dissatisfaction.

Apologizing for the space I have taken in your valuable paper.

Yours very truly,

C. W. ECKARDT.

"Hazelton," Ridgeville, 14 Jan., '92.

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WHITE LANGSHANS.

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THE spirited engraving which I send you (see January REVIEW—Ed.) was made to represent ideal white Langshans and is a very good

effort in that direction. Pure white Langshans are identical in blood with the black variety and differ from them only in color of plumage. The so-called white Langshans that are being bred and sold for pure, are the veriest mongrels, and should be treated as such by all lovers of thoroughbred fowls. White Langshans are not a new breed but in reality one of the oldest in existence. They were known to exist in the Langshan district at the time A. C. Croad received his blacks from China and there is no reason to doubt that they are as old as the black variety, but, like the white Leghorn, they are very scarce in their native country.

Simultaneously with the importation of white Langshans from China, various sports were heard from in different parts of the United States, some of which we have reason to know were pure, and others were mongrels or some other white breed crossed with Langshan to make them appear something like the pure article. Even to-day *made* white Langshans are not only bred and sold as pure, but at least one member of the American Langshan Club advertises them in his circulars as a *made* breed. If anything was to be gained by crossing the white Langshans on some other breed, there might be a shadow of excuse for so doing, but, as the Langshans have no superiors as a practical breed, there can be no reason for such a proceeding except to manufacture a counterfeit and pass it for the real article which is neither more nor less than fraud. From present appearances it would seem that the efforts of Langshan breeders to keep the black variety pure must be repeated on a larger scale if impure whites are to be driven out.

White Langshans have the same unique style and action that characterize pure Langshans everywhere, and

like the blacks, are unexcelled "all the year round" layers, and make A 1 table poultry. Like all white breeds, exposure to sun and weather causes more or less brass on backs and wings of the male birds. To those who fancy white fowls, the white Langshan will give the best results of any white fowl with which I am acquainted.

H. G. KEESLING.

San Jose, California.

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BLACK LANGSHANS.

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PROBABLY no breed of fowls has been so thoroughly written about for the past five or six years than the Langshan and still its admirers cannot keep still when a chance offers to say a good word for them. There is a charm about the word Langshan known only to those who are familiar with their history or have bred them in some of the various stages of purity, cross-breeding and bad breeding that these noble birds have been subject to since their first introduction into England in 1872 by Major A. C. Croad. The superior blood of the Langshan shows itself unmistakably even when crossed with other strongly bred birds and this is owing to the fact that they are a straight breed having been bred for generations in their native land without the introduction of inferior blood.

Notwithstanding the ill-treatment that Langshans have received by professed fanciers, who were in reality traders and cared nothing for the breed further than their worth in dollars and cents, each year finds them more popular than ever. Few if any who have given the Langshans a fair trial on their merits as layers and table poultry ever discard them for other breeds although some strains are by unskillful and ignorant breeding very inferior to the pure



stock that is bred after the type and style of the birds as they arrive from their native land.

As layers, the Langshans excel any of the other Asiatics and in confinement are not surpassed by any breed of domestic fowls. Egg production is generally speaking the first requisite in the selection of a breed of domestic poultry and it is not only desirable that a large number of eggs are laid but also that they be distributed as evenly as possible throughout the year. In this respect the Langshans are at the top. They lay well during the winter when the small breeds are utilizing their energy in trying to keep warm.

Next to utility comes beauty and in this the black Langshans are not at all deficient. The comb, face, wattles and ear lobes are brilliant red, and the plumage densely black with reflection of green and purple tints. The shanks and toes are slate colored showing pink between toes making a very attractive bird.

But the beauty of coloring is not the only attraction. The style and actions of pure Langshans are peculiar to the breed and of a character to fascinate the observer. Langshan style is quickly recognized by anyone who is familiar with the breed.

Another merit is that their history is so clear and the importations to America seem to be identical in blood with the pure specimens that have descended from Croad's stock in England and give us at once high-scoring fowls. California fanciers may consider themselves fortunate in that they are able to get stock direct from China without a possibility of any taint of foreign blood.

The cut accompanying is an ideal one made by Sewell and represents the style of birds bred by him and is altogether a fair representation of pure Langshans. [See January REVIEW. ED.]

H. G. KEESLING.

San Jose, California.

## CURRENT TOPICS.

BY BLACK WYANDOT.

ACCORDING to the doctrine of some would-be "Doctors" the man who buys fine fowls and exhibits them as his own is a fraud. The idea has taken deep root in the minds of some few writers who have been airing their views in recent numbers of a leading journal. These persons would bar purchased fowls from exhibition rooms allowing no birds to be shown except by their breeders thus practically spoiling the market for show birds which is the most profitable branch of fancy poultry breeding. This idea carried to its full extent would apply as well to horse breeding or any branch of the live-stock business. It would kill the horse-breeding industry in short order. A man who buys a fine horse or fowl has a perfectly honest right to any profits which may be derived from his purchase in any way. If he has winning fowls he has good stock in nine cases out of ten. If the breeder is so foolish as to part with his best, the purchaser should have the benefits to be derived from his "nerve" displayed by paying the fancy price for "the best." The best breeders in this country are both buyers and sellers of fine birds.

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The poultry man who has a farm or garden loses a very valuable part of the product of his fowls if he does not take care of the droppings. To get best results the manure must be swept up every few days and put in barrels or boxes and mixed with dust or ashes,—alternate layers of each. This mixture applied *in the hill* to corn will double the crop. It is superior to the expensive guano which is imported in large quantities and has the advantage of availability, being always near at hand.

Population drifts towards the large towns and cities giving them an increased proportion of the population of the whole country. As far as prices are concerned this drift is in favor of the farmer and poultryman. The vast array of non producers must be fed and the poultryman comes in for his share of the profits. Every farm should produce enough poultry to at least pay the family store bills. The right kind of farmer's wife or daughter can accomplish this end each year with the turkeys and chickens and the expense of raising not be missed by the farmer.

## LONDON POULTRY AND PET STOCK ASSOCIATION.

BY invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. G. McCormick the London Poultry and Pet Stock Association held its regular monthly meeting at his residence, Dufferin Ave., on the evening of the 22nd inst., where the members were banqueted in a right hearty manner, turning out in large numbers. The business of the meeting was of short duration, the members who attended the late Ontario Poultry Association's show at Bowmanville entertained the balance of the order with a good description of the show, which was pronounced one of the best ever held under its auspices, and complimented the Bowmanville fanciers for the hearty manner in which they entertained the visiting fraternity at their banquet on the Thursday evening of the exhibition. I might here state that the western exhibitors having to lay over in Toronto five hours for train connection on our return from Bowmanville, are indebted to Mr. Wm. Barber (of the Toronto Association) and his estimable wife for the hearty manner in which we were entertained, having been invited by them to tea and spend the evening, which was accepted, and a pleasant evening spent by all.

Mr. Bogue having just returned from Toronto where he had been with the balance of the Committee appointed by the Poultry Association of Ontario, interviewing the Minister of Agriculture with a view of securing a grant from the Ontario Government for the Canadian poultry exhibit at the World's Fair in Chicago next year, reported that they had an interview with that gentleman, who assured them that the Government would make them a liberal grant for the poultry department.

The business of the evening being completed, we were invited to the dining-room where an elegant repast was in waiting, prepared under Mrs. McCormick's supervision, which all enjoyed immensely. Ample justice having been done the good things provided, we were invited to the drawing-room where the balance of the evening was spent in amusement. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. McCormick on our departure, for the splendid manner in which we had been entertained; Mr. McCormick replying, thanked the members for their presence, &c.

R. OKE, Sec'y.

Jan. 25th, 1892.

#### WORLD'S FAIR, CHICAGO.

ON January 22nd, the Committee appointed by the Poultry Association of Ontario met the Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, when an effort was made to decide in what shape the grant to poultry exhibitors from this province at the World's Fair, should take. It was found impossible to arrange details, but the result will probably be that all birds shown from Ontario will receive a portion of the grant, probably \$1 each. Superintendent and attendants will also likely be provided; in connection with the former is mentioned the name of Mr. Bogue, a member of the Committee.

#### MARKHAM POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

ANNUAL meeting of the above Association was held at the Franklin House on Jan. 15th, with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed with other business concerning the Association being properly attended to, most of the members being present. The show for the evening was buff Cochins recently purchased from Mr. Radcliffe of Aurora with Mr. Holmes black-red Game and Wyandottes which made a good show. Mr. A. Martin scored the above varieties in a very able manner. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 11th, 1892, all members being requested to attend.

J. W. HOLMES, Sec'y.

#### POULTRY ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO.

##### ANNUAL MEETING.

THE annual meeting of this Association was held in Bowmanville on January 7th, 1892. The President in the chair. The minutes of last general meeting and Board meeting were read and adopted. The Secretary's report was taken as read. The Treasurer's report was read and adopted, as was also the Auditor's report, which has already appeared in the REVIEW.

Mr. A. Bogue reported for the Committee appointed to interview the Government regarding increase of annual grant. Mr. Bogue stated the efforts of the Committee had been successful and the grant had been increased by \$300 and was now \$900. If the Association gave value for amount received, the Government would not limit amount even to this but would still further increase the grant. A

vote of thanks was tendered the Committee, and the thanks of the Association were ordered to be conveyed to the Government.

The locating of next exhibition brought many claimants. Mr. Bogue proposed Hamilton, seconded by Mr. Saunders; Mr. Myles proposed Toronto, seconded by Mr. Fox; Mr. Kent proposed Kingston, seconded by Mr. Oldrieve; Mr. Mitchell proposed Milton, seconded by Mr. Main; Mr. Pequegnat proposed New Hamburg, seconded by Mr. McCormick. After considerable discussion on the various localities, Milton, New Hamburg and Toronto withdrew in favor of Hamilton, and it was finally decided to hold the show of 1893 in that city.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr. John Eastwood, Hamilton; 1st Vice-President, Mr. W. McNeil, London; 2nd Vice-President, Mr. J. Dilworth, Toronto; Directors, Messrs. Jno. Cole, Geo. Roach, P. H. Hamilton, Hamilton; D. C. Trew, Lindsay; J. J. Mason, Bowmanville; A. Bogue, London; W. Barber, Toronto; W. Goldie, Guelph, and G. S. Oldrieve, Kingston. Auditors, Messrs. H. B. Donovan and T. A. Duff, Toronto. Delegates, to Industrial Exhibition, Messrs. J. Dilworth and W. Barber, Toronto; to Western Fair, Messrs. Geo. G. McCormick and J. H. Saunders, London; Great Central Fair, Messrs. Jno. Cole and P. H. Hamilton, Hamilton. Messrs. Bogue, Dilworth, Mason and Doel were appointed a Committee to interview the Ontario Government with the object of getting a proper share of the grant to the World's Fair Committee placed on poultry. The Committee was given power to make all arrangements. The Board of Directors was given power to elect a permanent Secretary and a permanent Treasurer. Mr. R. Hamill was present to press his claims for salary as Secretary, due him since the show

was held in St. Catharines and it was decided that if any surplus remains after the expenses of the show Mr. Hamill be paid his claim, or if not in full whatever balance remains over.

DIRECTOR'S MEETING.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors held on Jan. 8th, Vice-President McNeill occupied the chair. On motion Mr. J. J. Mason was appointed Secretary of the meeting. The chairman explained the objects of the meeting were to elect a permanent Secretary and a permanent Treasurer and to make arrangements to provide prizes for cross-bred fowls, dressed poultry, &c., and called for nominations. On motion of Mr. Bogue, Mr. T. Brown, London, was appointed Secretary, and on motion of Mr. Dilworth, Mr. G. G. McCormick, London, Treasurer; salary of Secretary to be \$75 per annum and that of the Treasurer, \$25.

Moved by Mr. Dilworth, seconded by Mr. Trew that the Association offer the following prizes on dressed poultry: 1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00; to be given for the heaviest and best in each class, fowls, turkeys, geese and ducks, entrance free, and breeders only to compete, not hucksters or dealers. Prize fowls to become the property of the Association. Carried.

It was decided to ask all poultrymen to contribute essays on poultry to be read at the next annual meeting.

Moved by Mr. Barber, seconded by Mr. Cole that expenses of delegates to interview Minister of Agriculture regarding grant to World's Fair be paid. Carried.

NOTE.—We have authority for saying that no remuneration will be accepted by Mr. McCormick for his work as Treasurer.

THE BANQUET.

The local Association tendered the visiting fanciers a banquet at the

Bennett House on the night of Jan. 7th, to which about one hundred sat down. Music was furnished by an orchestra from the Dominion Organ Company's Band. The program read: Program of Banquet by the Bowmanville Poultry Association, in honor of the Ontario Poultry Association, at the Bennett House, Bowmanville, on Thursday, Jan. 7th, '92.

MENU:

Soups—Oxtail, vegetable. Roast—Sirloin of beef and Yorkshire pudding, lamb and mint sauce. Poultry—Roast turkey, cranberry sauce, roast goose, apple sauce, roast chicken, bread sauce. Cold—Boiled spiced beef, boiled spiced tongue, sugar cured ham. Vegetables—Potatoes, cauliflower, cabbage, tomatoes. Pastry—Apple pie, mince pie, lemon tart, plum pudding and brandy sauce. Desert—Crab apple jelly, grape jelly, almonds, raisins, walnuts, tea, coffee.

Interspersed with the good things provided by the host was a list of toasts, songs, music, etc. We give a list of toasts, and the names of those who responded. The Queen, Orchestra, National Anthem. The Army, Navy and Volunteers, Dr. McLaughlin, Corp. A. Hobbs. Parliament of Canada, R. Beith, M.P. Agriculture and kindred interests, C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture. The Poultry Association of Ontario and our guests, J. W. Dutton, W. McNeil, G. S. Oldrieve, C. F. Wagner, G. G. McCormick. Our Municipal and Educational Institutions, Mayor Allen, Reeve Power, S. Burden. Sister Poultry Associations, W. Barber, G. S. Oldrieve, Jno. Cole, L. G. Pequegnat, J. Colson. The Press, H. B. Donovan, W. R. Climie, M. James. The ladies, T. A. Duff, F. C. Hare, E. B. Cale, Porter and J. H. Saunders.

Between the toasts Messrs. Stockwell, J. Halpany and H. Knight favored the meeting with songs.]

About half way through the supper the cups won by the fortunate competitors were presented, when a "goak," was sprung on the ever verdant "Billy" McNeil. Mr. McNeil won a cup for the best white Cochon pullet, and after a few appropriate remarks by the President the donor handed the cup (?) to the lucky winner. "Billy" though taken by surprise took it all in good part and said he feared "it would not fit him," and that he didn't mind such little things," it amused the donor and didn't hurt him. However, Mr. McNeil was not doomed to disappointment, as after the fun had subsided, he was tendered a very handsome hand painted cup and saucer, which we hope will "fit" him better. After "God save the Queen" the meeting dispersed about 2 a. m.



NEW HAMBURG POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

SECOND ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

THE above was held on the 12th, 13th and 14th January, 1892.

On the morning of the 13th, I left Toronto to visit this exhibition, at Brampton, I met Mr. W. Cole, also bound for same place. It was my first visit to Hamburg, and, with the exception of the President, was a perfect stranger to all the other officers of the Association, however, on getting into the hall I was very speedily made acquainted with them, and was accorded a most hearty welcome.

The hall in which the show was held is quite a large one, well lighted and every way suitable, and I found it filled to its utmost capacity, in fact, I was surprised at the number of birds exhibited.

I found every class well represented. Brahmas, though not as great in numbers, were first-class. There was a grand show of Cochins, all first-class. Langshans, Javas, and Dorkings, were fairly filled, and were A1 birds. There was a nice show of Plymouth Rocks, especially barred. Wyandottes were well filled and were A1 birds. There was a nice lot of Minorcas exhibited, and a grand show of Leghorns. There was a fine show of Polands and Hamburgs, also Bantams, &c. In all I believe about 950 entries. All the birds were in splendid condition for showing. The scoring in all the classes was exceptionally high, and I might say here now that the exhibition in its management and get up was a complete success. The officers were courteous and obliging, and everyone seemed perfectly satisfied with himself and with his neighbor.

The Association held its banquet on the evening of the 14th. to which I got a most pressing invitation, but unfortunately could not stay as I had to get home that evening. I left with much regret.

I would like to say in closing, that I was most hospitably entertained by the President and other members of the Association, and I shall always look back with pleasure to my visit to the Hamburg Poultry Show. G.R.D.

## PRIZE LIST.

**BRAHMAS**, light—Cock, 1st 94, J W Huenergard, Heidelberg, 2nd 93, James Monroe, Goderich, 3rd 93, Huenergard; cockerel, 1st 93½, C F Ernst, New Hamburg, 2nd 93½, Monroe; hen, 1st 95½, Ernst, 2nd 93, Huenergard, 3rd 91½, Ernst; pullet, 1st 96, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2nd 95½, Ernst, 3rd 94½, Pequegnat & Chamberlain. **DARK**—Cock, 1st 91, C J Daniels, Toronto; cockerel, 1st 91, Daniels, 2nd 91, Daniels; hen, 1st 93, Richard Oke, London, 2nd 87 Daniels; pullet, 1st 94, Daniels, 2nd 91, Daniels, 3rd 90½, Oke. **COCHINS**, buff—Cock, 1st 95, Geo G McCormick, London, 2nd 92, McCormick; cockerel, 1st 95, McCormick,

2nd 93½, McCormick; hen, 1st 94 1-2, McCormick, 2nd 92 1-2, McCormick, 3rd 91, Huenergard and Norris & Readwin Bros, Guelph; pullet, 1st 95, McCormick, 2nd 93, McCormick. **PARTRIDGE**—Cock, 1st 92, Daniels, 2nd 91 1-2, Norris & Readwin Bros; cockerel, 1st 94, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2nd 92 1-2, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 3rd 92 1-2, Daniels; hen, 1st 92, Daniels, 2nd 91 1-2, Norris & Readwin Bros, 3rd 91 1-2, Norris & Readwin Bros; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, Daniels, 2nd 93 1-2, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 3rd 93 1-2, do. **WHITE**—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, Wm McNeil, London, 2nd 94, Huenergard, cockerel, 1st 97, McNeil, 2nd 95 1-2, do; hen, 1st 95, do; pullet, 1st 97, do, 2nd 95 1-2, Huenergard, 3rd 95, McNeil. **BLACK**—Cock, 1st 96 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 91 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 96, do, 2nd 95, do; hen, 1st 95 1-2, do, 2nd 94, do; pullet, 1st 96, do, 2nd 95 1-2, do. **LANGSHANS**, black—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, F Goebel, New Hamburg, 2nd 92 1-2, Curt & Spettigue, London, 3rd 91, Norris & Readwin Bros; cockerel, 1st 94 1-2, Court & Spettigue, 2nd 94, do; hen, 1st 95, Goebel, 2nd 94 1-2, do, 3rd 93 1-2, Court & Spettigue; pullet, 1st 97, Daniels, 2nd 96, Goebel, 3rd 95 1-2, do. **JAVAS**, black—Cockerel, 1st 94, J D Robertson, Guelph, 2nd 93 1-2, McCormick, 3rd 93, Daniels; hen, 1st 97 1-2, Robertson, 2nd 96, McCormick, 3rd 94, Robertson; pullet, 1st 96, Robertson, 2nd 91 1-2, Daniels, 3rd 91, do. **DORKINGS**, silver-grey—Cock, 1st 90, Jas Main, Milton; cockerel, 1st 95 1-2, do; hen, 1st 95, do; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, do. Any other variety—Cock, 1st 90, Main; cockerel, 1st 95, do; hen, 1st 95, do; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, do. **ROCKS**, barred—Cock, 1st 91 1-2, Pequegnat, 2nd 84 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, do, 2nd 92 1-2, do, 3rd 92 1-2, do; hen, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 94 1-2, John Coulson, Guelph, 3rd 92 1-2, Pequegnat; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, do, 2nd 93 1-2, do, 3rd 93, do. **WHITE**—Cock, 1st 92 1-2, Pequegnat; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, Coulson, 2nd 89, Pequegnat; hen, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 96, do; pullet, 1st 96, do, 2nd 95, Coulson. **WYANDOTTES**, golden L—Cock, 1st 90 1-2, Court & Spettigue, 2nd 88, J Gray, Todmorden; cockerel, 1st 92 1-2, Gray, 2nd 92, Court & Spettigue, 3rd 92, do; hen, 1st 92 1-2, Gray; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, Gray, 2nd 94 1-2, Court & Spettigue, 3rd 93 1-2, Gray. **SILVER L**—Cock, 1st 90, Gray, 2nd 85, A Glebe, Berlin; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, Gray, 2nd 92 1-2, do; hen, 1st 92 1-2, do, 2nd 89 1-2, Glebe; pullet, 1st 93 1-2, Gray, 2nd 93, do. **WHITE**—Cock, 1st 96, McCormick, 2nd 95, E

W Lamprey, Guelph, 3rd 94, McCormick; cockerel, 1st 96 McCormick, 2nd 95½, I Peine, New Hamburg, 3rd 95 McCormick; hen, 1st 96, McCormick, 2nd 93½, Peine, 3rd 93½, McCormick; pullet, 1st 97, McCormick, 2nd 96 1-2, do, 3rd 95 1-2 Peine. **SPANISH**, black—Cock, 1st 93 1-2, Dewar & Mitchell, Milton; hen, 1st 95, do. **BLACK MINORCAS**—Cock, 2nd 88 1-2, Thos Duff, Toronto; cockerel, 1st 94 1-2, McCormick, 2nd 94, John Pletsch, Shakespeare, 3rd 92, Peine; hen, 1st 97, McCormick, 2nd 96, do, 3rd 95 1-2; Dewar & Mitchell; pullet, 1st 97, Duff, 2nd 96 1-2, McCormick, 3rd 96, Duff. **WHITE**—Cock, 1st 91 1-2, Duff, 2nd 89 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 93, Duff, 2nd 91 1-2, do; hen, 1st 95 1-2, Dewar & Mitchell, 2nd 93, Duff; pullet, 1st 95, Duff, 2nd 92 1-2, do. **LEGHORNS**, white—C. ck, 1st 94 1-2 J A Daniel, Haysville, 2nd 94, F Wixon, Ingersoll, 3rd 93 1-2, Col & Laird, Brampton; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2 Wixson, 2nd 95 1-2, Pletsch, 3rd 95, Cole & Laird and Pletsch; hen, 1st 97 1-2, Cole & Laird, 2nd 96 1-2, Pletsch, 3rd 96 1-2, Wixon; pullet, 1st 98, Cole & Laird, 2nd 98, Pletsch, 3rd 97, Cole & Laird. **BROWN**—Cock, 1st 93, Coulson, 2nd 91 1-2, Dewar & Mitchell; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2, Pletsch, 2nd 95, Coulson, 3rd 95 Dr. Marty, New Hamburg, and Pletsch; hen, 1st 97, Dewar & Mitchell, 2nd 95 1-2, Pletsch, 3rd 95, Dewar & Mitchell, J Coulson and Pletsch; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, Marty, 2nd 96 1-2, Marty, 3rd 96 1-2, Coulson. **BLACK**—Cock, 1st 92 1-2, Wixon, 2nd 92, Pletsch; cockerel, 1st 96, Pletsch, 2nd 94, Wixon, 3rd 93 1-2, John Schuler, New Hamburg; hen, 1st 96, Daniels, 2nd 96, Wixon, 3rd 95 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, Schuler, 2nd 96 1-2, Pletsch, 3rd 96 1-2, Wixon. **GAMES**, B B R—Cock, 1st 94, Main, 2nd 93, Chamberlain Bros, Guelph; cockerel, 1st 94 1-2, Main, 2nd 92 1-2, Chamberlain Bros; hen, 1st 95, Main, 2nd 95, do, 3rd 94, L McIntyre, Norwich; pullet, 1st 94, Main, 2nd 94, McIntyre, 3rd 93 1-2, Main. **BROWN B RED**—Cock, 1st 94, McIntyre, 2nd 93, Munroe, 3rd 90 1-2, Daniel; cockerel, 1st 92 1-2, Daniel, 2nd 91, Munroe; hen, 1st 96, McIntyre, 2nd 94, do, 3rd 93, Munroe; pullet, 1st 92 1-2, do. **PYLE**—Cock, 1st 92 1-2, Chamberlain Bros; cockerel, 1st 92 1-2, do, 2nd 92, do; hen, 1st 94, do, 2nd 93 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 94, do, 2nd 93 1-2, do. **DUCKWING**—Cock, 1st 94, McIntyre, 2nd 93 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, do; hen, 1st 93 1-2, do, 2nd 92, do; pullet, 1st 96, do, 2nd 94, do, 3rd 92, Geo Smith, Berlin. **INDIAN**—Cock, 1st Daniels, 2nd do; cockerel, 1st do, 2nd do; hen, 1st do, 2nd do; pullet, 1st do, 2nd do. **POLANDS**—White—Cock, 1st 96 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 95, do; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 96

1-2, do; hen, 1st 98, do, 2nd 97, do; pullet, 1st 98, do, 2nd 97, do. White Bearded—Cock, 1st 97 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 96 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 97 1-2, do; hen, 1st 97 1-2, do, 2nd 96 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 95 1-2, do. Silver—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 96, do, 2nd 94, do; hen, 1st 97, do, 2nd 95, do; pullet, 1st 95, do, 2nd 95, do. Golden-bearded—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 95, do; hen, 1st 96, do, 2nd 95, do; pullet, 1st 97, do, 2nd 96, do. Golden un-bearded—Cock, 1st 93, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 94, do; hen, 1st 95, do, 2nd 91 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 94, do. White crested black—Cock, 1st 97 1-2, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 97 1-2, do, 2nd 97 1-2, do; hen, 1st 98 1-2, do, 2nd 97 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 96 1-2, do. HAMBURGS, black—Cock, 1st 96, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 95 1-2, Oke; hen, 1st 96 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 96, Oke; pullet, 1st 97, McNeil, 2nd do, 3rd 96, Oke. Golden Spangled—Cock, 1st 94, McNeil, 2nd 93 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 95, do; hen, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 92 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 94 1-2, do. Silver Spangled—Cock, 1st 93, McNeil, 2nd 91 1-2, Oke; cockerel, 1st 94, McNeil, 2nd 93, Munroe; hen, 1st 94, McNeil, 2nd 94, do, 3rd 92 1-2, Oke; pullet, 1st 93, McNeil, 2nd 93, Munroe. Golden Pencilled—Cock, 1st 94, McNeil, 2nd 92 1-2, do; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, do, 2nd 91 1-2, Oke; hen, 1st 93, McNeil, 2nd 92 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 95, do, 2nd 95, do. Silver Pencilled—Cock, 1st 93, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 94 1-2, do, 2nd 92, do; hen, 1st 93, do, 2nd 92 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 94 1-2, 2nd 94 1-2, do. CREVE COUR—Cock, 1st 96, Oke; cockerel, 1st 96, do, 2nd 93 1-2, do; hen, 1st 97 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 95, do. RED CAPS—Cock, 1st 94, Daniels, 2nd 92 1-2, Daniels; cockerel, 1st 93 1-2, Dr Niven, London, 2nd 91, Daniels; hen, 1st 91, do, 2nd 89, do; pullet, 1st 93, Dr Niven, 2nd 92, Daniels, 3rd 89 do. BANTAMS, Golden Sebright—Cock, 1st 94, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 96, do; hen, 1st 96, do, 2nd 96, do; pullet, 1st 96½, do, 2nd 95, do. Black-breasted Red Game—Cock, 1st 95, McIntyre, 2nd 94 1-2, Daniels; cockerel, 1st 91 1-2, McIntyre; hen, 1st 95 1-2, do, 2nd 93 1-2, Daniels; pullet, 1st 94 1-2, McIntyre, 2nd 94 1-2, do. Brown-breasted Red Game—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McIntyre; cockerel, 1st 90, do; hen, 1st 93, do; pullet, 1st 95 1-2, do. Pyle—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McIntyre; cockerel, 1st 91 1-2, do; hen, 1st 96, Oke; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, McIntyre, 2nd 95 1-2, do. Duckwing—Cock,

2nd 88, Hunergard; cockerel, 1st 94, McIntyre; hen, 1st 93 1-2, do, 2nd 90, Court & Spettigue; pullet, 1st 95, McIntyre. S. Sebright—Cock, 1st 95, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 94 1-2, do; hen, 1st 96 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 96, do, 2nd 95 1-2, do. Pekin—Cock, 1st 95, McNeil, 2nd 93, do; cockerel, 1st 96, do, 2nd 96, do, 3rd 91, C Kraft, New Hamburg; hen, 1st 96 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 95 1-2, do, 3rd 93, Kraft; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2, do. Black African—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McNeil; cockerel, 1st 97 1-2, do; hen, 1st 95, do; pullet, 1st 97, do. Japanese—Cock, 1st 95 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 95, do; cockerel, 1st 97, do, 2nd 94, do; hen, 1st 96 1-2, do, 2nd 96 1-2, do; pullet, 1st 97, do, 2nd 95 1-2 do. TURKYS, Bronze—Cock, 1st Main, 2nd Thomas Somerville, Haysville; hen, 1st Main, 2nd Somerville; cockerel 1st Main; pullet 1st do. Ducks, Rouen—Drake, 1st Main; duck, 1st Main. Pekin—Drake, 1st Coulson; duck, 1st Coulson. GEESE, Toulouse—Gander, 1st Ernst; goose, 1st Ernst. Embden—Gander, 1st Main; goose, 1st Main.

BREEDING PENS.

Light and dark Brahmas—1st Ernst. Black Langshans and black and white Cochins—1st and 2nd McNeil. Partridge and buff Cochins—McCormick, Pequegnat and Chamberlain. Hamburgs—1st and 2nd McNeil. Polands—1st and 2nd McNeil. White Leghorns—1st Wixon, 2nd Pletsch. Brown Leghorns—1st Pletsch. Barred Rocks—1st Pequegnat. White Rocks—1st Pequegnat. Black and white Minorcas—1st McCormick, 2nd Duff. White Wyandottes—1st McCormick. Gold and silver laced Wyandottes—1st Gray. Any variety Bantams—1st and 2nd McNeil. Game—1st Daniels. Black Leghorns—1st Pletsch, 2nd Wixon.

Gold medal for 10 highest scoring birds any one variety, McNeil. Silver medal for five highest scoring birds in Asiatic class, McCormick. Silver medal for five highest scoring birds in American class, McCormick. Silver medal for five highest scoring birds in Hamburgs and Polands, McNeil. Silver medal for 5 highest scoring birds in Game class, McIntyre. Silver medal for five highest scoring birds in Spanish class, Pletsch. Best Dorking cockerel Main. Best white Plymouth Rock cockerel, Pequegnat. Best white Wyandotte hen, Peine. Best breeding pen Plymouth Rocks, Pequegnat. Heaviest Turkey cock, Main.

MILTON POULTRY AND PET STOCK SOCIETY.

FOURTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

THE above Exhibition was held in the Town Hall of Milton, on December 30 and 31, 1891, and Jan. 1, 1892.

I had the pleasure of visiting this exhibition on Thursday, the 31st December, 1891. The Hall in which it was held is a capital one for the purpose though hardly large enough for the number of birds on view, the coops were well placed and showed off the occupants to advantage. I noticed that all classes of Poultry were well represented at this show as at others. I have attended lately. Leghorns took the lead, there being about 100 entries. In the other classes such as light Brahmas, Cochins, Hamburgs, Plymouth Rocks, Polands, &c., &c., there were fully the average number of entries and I must not forget Games of which there were some first-class birds. In fact I must say that the exhibition on the whole was a most attractive one, and the birds shown were fully up to any I have seen elsewhere. All the arrangements seemed perfect and I think the officers of the Society deserve much praise for the success their undertaking has achieved.

G. R. D.

PRIZE LIST.

HAMBURGS, black—cock, McNeil 1st, 96, Foster 2nd, 92, Ford 3rd, 91½; hen, McNeil 1st, 96, Henderson 2nd, 94, C Hoff 3rd, 93½; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 95½, Henderson 2nd, Ford 3rd, 93½; pullet, McNeil 1st, 97, Cockburn 2nd, 95½, Henderson 3rd, 95. S. S.—cock, McNeil 1st, 95½, Hoff 2nd, 92, Henderson 3rd, 91; hen, McNeil 1st, 96, 2nd 95, Henderson 3rd, 94½; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 95, Evans & McDonald 2nd, 92½, A Deacon 3rd, 91½; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 96½ and 95½, Evans & McDonald 3rd, 94. S. P.—cock, McNeil 1st 94; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 94 and 93½, Dawson 3rd, 92; cockerel,

McNeil, 1st and 2nd, 96 and 95½, Dawson 3rd, 91½; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 95½ and 94, Dawson 93. G. S.—cock, McNeil 1st, 94, McNeil 2nd, 90½, Cockburn 3rd, 90; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 95½ and 94½, Cockburn 3rd, 92; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 95½, Cockburn 2nd, 95, O'Brien and Colwell 3rd, 93; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 96½ and 96. G. P.—cock, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 94½ and 94, Foster 3rd, 91; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 95 and 93, E F Earl 3rd, 92; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 94, Foster 92½; pullet, McNeil 1st, 94, Foster 2nd, 88½, Earl 3rd, 87. A O V fowl—cock, McNeil 1st, 95; hen, McNeil 1st 97½, Cole 2nd 95½; cockerel, Lawrence 1st, 94½, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 94½; pullet, Ceers & Lovell 1st, 94, Lawrence 2nd, 92½. BANTAMS, Pekin—cock, McNeil 1st, 95, 2nd 93½, 3rd 91; hen, McNeil 1st 96, 2nd 96; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 96 1-2, 2nd 96, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd, 93; pullet, McNeil 1st 95½ 2nd 95½, Cockburn 3rd, 94. Golden Sebright—cock, McNeil 1st 93, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 89; hen, McNeil 1st, 96, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 94½, McNeil 3rd 93; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 95, Jarvis 2nd, 90½, Jones 3rd, 89; pullet, McNeil 1st 96, 2nd 92½, Waldie 3rd, 91½. Silver Sebright—cock, McNeil 1st, 93½; hen, McNeil 1st, 97, 2nd 94½; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 93½; pullet, McNeil 1st, 95, 2nd 94½. Black African—cock, McNeil 1st, 95, Waldie 2nd, 93½; hen, Waldie 1st, 94, McNeil 2nd, 94; cockerel, McNeil 1st, 94½, Geers & Lovell 2nd, 94; pullet, McNeil 1st, 95, Geers & Lovell 2nd, 93½. B B R Game—cock, E F Doty 1st, 91½, Cameron Bros. 2nd, 91½, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd, 91½; hen, Doty 1st, 95 1-2, Cameron Bros. 2nd and 3rd, 94 1-2 and 92 1-2; cockerel, Doty 1st, 94½, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 92½, McIntyre 3rd, 92; pullet, McIntyre 1st and 2nd, 95½ and 95, O'Brien & Caldwell, 94 1-2. Pyle Game—cock, O'Brien & Caldwell 1st 94 1-2, McIntyre 2nd, 94½, Earl 3rd, 91; hen, O'Brien & Colwell, 1st and 2nd, 93 and 92, Cole 3rd 87; cockerel, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 93, McIntyre 2nd, 90, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd, 90; pullet, McIntyre 1st and 2nd, 96 and 95½, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd 95. Duckwing—cock, Earl 2nd, 88; hen, McIntyre 1st, 96; Earl 2nd, 94; cockerel, McIntyre 1st, 92, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd and 3rd, 91 and 90 1-2; pullet, McIntyre 1st, 95, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd and 3rd, 88½ and 87 1-2. GAME, B B R—cock, Main 1st, 94, Earl 2nd, 93; hen, Main 1st and 2nd, 95 and 94 1-2, Earl 3rd, 94; cockerel, Main 1st, 95½, Earl 2nd, 94 1-2, Main 3rd, 94; pullet, Earl 1st, 95, Main 2nd and 3rd, 93 1-2 and 92 1-2.

A O V—cock, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 89½, hen, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 90½. Duckwing—cock, McIntyre 1st and 2nd, 95 and 92½, Earl 3rd, 91½; hen, Earl 1st 93, McIntyre 2nd, 92; cockerel, McIntyre 1st, 91½, O'Brien & Caldwell 2nd, 91½; pullet, McIntyre 1st and 2nd, 94½ and 94, O'Brien & Caldwell 3rd, 91½. Pyle—cock, Doty 1st, 93½, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, 93, Earl 3rd, 92½; hen, Geo. Chamberlain 1st and 2nd, 93 and 92½, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd 91½; cockerel, Doty 1st 95, Chamberlain Bros. 2nd and 3rd, 94 and 93; pullet, Earl 1st, 95½, Doty 2nd, 94½, Chamberlain Bros., 3rd 94.

TURKEYS—All prizes Jas. Main. DUCKS, Pekin—Coulson 1st, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd, Aylesbury—Cockburn 1st. GEESE, Toulouse—Cockburn 1st. Embden—Main 1st and 2nd. PLYMOUTH ROCKS, barred—cock, Somerville & Nixon, Stewarttown, 1st, 91, McGaw & Briggs, Hamilton, 2nd, 88½, Butcher & Ivey, Jarvis, 3rd, 87½; cockerel, Jos Pulfer Brampton, 2nd, 88½, Butcher & Ivey 3rd, 88½; hen, Sommerville & Nixon 1st 91½, Pulfer 2nd, 90½, Sommerville & Nixon 3rd, 88½; pullet, Sommerville & Nixon 1st 94, Pulfer 2nd and 3rd 92½ and 90½. White—cock, Sommerville & Nixon 2nd, 89½, Jones, Milton, 3rd, 84½; cockerel, J Coulson, Guelph, 1st 93½, Sommerville & Nixon, 2nd and 3rd, 91½ and 90; hen, Jones 1st 90½, Sommerville & Nixon 2nd, 89; pullet, Coulson 1st, 93, Jones 2nd and 2rd 92 and 92. WYANDOTTES, silver—cock, Butcher & Ivey 1st, 91; cockerel, Butcher & Ivey, 1st and 2nd, 92½ and 90; hen, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 91½; pullet, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 93, T Cockburn 2nd, 90, J Cole 3rd, 88 1-2. Golden—cockerel, Butcher & Ivey, 1st and 2nd 92½ and 91; pullet, Butcher & Ivey 2nd and 3rd, 92½ and 88½. White—cock, E. Lamprey 1st, 93; cockerel, Lamprey 1st, 91½, Butcher & Ivey, 2nd, 91, Jos. Dawson 3rd, 91; hen, Butcher & Ivey 1st, 93½, Dawson 2nd, 91 1-2; pullet, Lamprey 1st, 94½, Dawson 2nd, 94, Butcher & Ivey 3rd, 93. JAVAS—J D Robertson took 1st for cock. cockerel, hen and pullet. HOUDANS—cock, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 91, cockerel, Butcher & Ivey 1st and 2nd 90 and 90; hen, Butcher & Ivey 1st, 93; pullet, Butcher & Ivey, 1st and 2nd, 92½ and 91½. BRAHMAS, light—cock, J B Lawrence, Milton, 1st, 92½, Cole 2nd and 3rd, 91½ and 91½; cockerel, John Thorpe 1st, 94, Cole 2nd and 3rd, 91 and 90; hen, Cole 1st and 2nd, 94 and 93½, McGaw & Briggs, 3rd, 91½; pullet, J Cole 1st, 94½, McGaw & Briggs 2nd and 3rd, 91 and 91.

Dark—cock, McGaw & Briggs 2nd, 89, Evans & McDonnell 3rd; hen, McGaw & Briggs 1st 91; pullet, McGaw & Briggs 1st, 93½. COCHINS, black—cock, Wm McNeil, London, 1st and 2nd 96 and 92½; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 94 and 94; cockerel do 1st and 2nd 96 and 94; pullet, do. 1st and 2nd, 95½ and 95. White—cock, McNeil 1st, 95½, Cockburn 2nd, 93½; hen, McNeil 1st, 94½; cockerel, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 96 and 95, Robertson 3rd 91½; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd, 94½ and 93½, Robertson 3rd 92. Partridge—Cockburn 1st and 2nd, 91½ and 91½, W L Mitchell 3rd, 88½; cockerel, McNeil 1st 94½; hen, Mitchell 1st 92, Cockburn 2nd 88; pullet, McNeil 1st, 94½. Buff—cockerel, Colson 1st 91½; pullet, Colson 1st 92. DORKINGS, S. G.—cock, O'Brien & Colwell 1st, 91, Main 2nd 90; hen Main 1st 93½, 2nd 93; cockerel, Main 1st 92½, 2nd 91; pullet, Main 1st, 95, 2nd 93. Col.—cock, Main 1st, 91½; cockerel, Main 1st and 2nd, 92 and 90; hen, Main 1st and 2nd, 94½ and 92½; pullet, Main 1st and 2nd, 93 and 91. LANGSHANS, black—cock, F Goebel 1st 94, C J Eisle 2nd, 91, Cole 3rd, 91; cockerel, Cole 1st, 92½, Eisele 2nd 90½, Lamprey 3rd, 90; hen, Goebel 1st 93, Eisele 2nd, 92½, Goebel 3rd, 91½; pullet, Goebel 1st and 2nd, 94 and 93½, Cole 3rd 92. SPANISH—cock, J G Ford, 1st 90½, Geers & Lovell 2nd, 89; hen, J G Ford 1st and 3rd, 95 and 94, Geers & Lovell 3rd, 90; cockerel, Ford 1st, 91; pullet, Dr. Freeman 1st, 92, G. Laing 2nd, 91½; breeding pen, 1st Laing. MINORCAS, black—cock, Dewar & Mitchell 1st 91½, J Jarvis 2nd, 89, J. Roedler 3rd, 88; hen, Dewar & Mitchell 1st, 96, Robertson 2nd, 92, Laing 3rd, 92 1-2; cockerel, Roedler 1st, 94, J R Foster 2nd, 93, R Hemstreet 3rd, 92; pullet Robertson 1st, 96, Roedler 2nd, 94 1-2, Foster 3rd, 93 1-2; breeding pen, Laing 1st, 182. White—hen, Laing 2nd, 89, Cockburn 3rd, 88; pullet, Laing 2nd and 3rd 88 and 86. LEGHORNS, brown—cock, J Bradley, Milton, 1st, 92, Dewar & Mitchell 2nd, 91 1-2; hen, Dewar & Mitchell 1st and 2nd, 94 1-2 and 91, Bradley 3rd, 90 1-2; cockerel, Dewar & Mitchell 1st and 2nd, 95 and 94, Laing 3rd, 93; pullet, Sommerville & Nixon 1st, 93, J A Waldie 2nd, 93, Dewar & Mitchell 3rd, 92 1-2; breeding pen, Dewar & Mitchell 1st and 2nd. White—cock, Dewar & Mitchell 1st, 93, A Henderson, Omagh, 2nd, 92 1-2, P H Hamilton, Hamilton, 3rd 90 1-2; hen, Dewar & Mitchell 1st, 96, Geers & Lovell, Galt 2nd 94 1-2, Dawson 3rd, 94; cockerel, Geers & Lovell 1st 95, Hamilton 2nd, 94, Dawson 3rd, 94; pullet, Dewar

& Mitchell 1st, 96 1-2, Sommerville & Nixon 2nd, 96 1-2, Henderson 3rd 96 1-2; breeding pen, Dewar & Mitchell 1st. Black—Cock, Hamilton 1st 93, Waldie 2nd 90 1-2, Geers & Lovell 3rd 88 1-2; hen, C Johnson 1st and 2nd 95 and 94, Dewar & Mitchell 3rd 94; cockerel, Geers & Lovell 1st 95, Hamilton 2nd 93, Dewar & Mitchell 3rd 92; pullet, John-on 1st 96, Geers & Lovell 2nd 95, Dewar & Mitchell 3rd 95; breeding pen, Johnson 1st 185 1-2. POLISH, W C B—Cock, McNeil 1st 97 1-2, O'Brien & Colwell 2nd 92; hen McNeil 1st and 2nd 97 1-2 and 96, A Deacon 3rd 90; cockerel, McNeil 1st 96; pullet, McNeil 1st 96 1-2. W C—Cock, McNeil 1st and 2nd 95 and 94 1-2; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd 95 and 95; cockerel, McNeil 1st and 2nd 96 and 95 1-2; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd 95 and 94. Silver—Cock, McNeil 1st 93 1-2, hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd 93 1-2 and 91; cockerel, McNeil 1st and 2nd 93 and 91; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd 93 1-2 and 92 1-2. Golden—Cock, McNeil 1st and 2nd 94 1-2 and 93, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd 81 1-2; hen, McNeil 1st and 2nd 94 and 93 1-2, O'Brien & Colwell 3rd 91; cockerel, McNeil 1st and 2nd 95 and 92 1-2, Cockburn 3rd 92 1-2; pullet, McNeil 1st and 2nd 96 and 95, Cockburn 3rd 90 1-2.

SPECIALS.—Largest number of entries, McNeil, 2nd Dawson; highest scoring B B R Game cock, Main; largest number of entries in Asiatics, McNeil; largest number of entries in Hamburgs, McNeil; largest number of Spanish, Dewar & Mitchell; largest number of entries of Game, Earl; largest number of entries of Americans, Butcher & Ivey; largest number of entries of Bantams, McNeil; highest scoring game fowl Main; highest scoring B. Minorca pullet, Dewar & Mitchell; highest scoring B. Minorca pullet, J D Robertson; highest scoring light Brahma cock, Cole; highest scoring W F B Spanish hen, Ford; for exhibitor securing the most prizes, McNeil; highest scoring brown Laghorn hen, Dewar & Mitchell; highest scoring Hamburg fowl, McNeil; highest scoring B. Minorca, Robertson; highest scoring L. Brahma pullet, Cole; high scoring Blk. Leghorn (hen or pullet) Johnson; for the exhibitor coming the longest distance, McNeil.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

THE recent exhibition of this Association held in the town of Bowmanville was certainly the

best show the Association has ever held, and this means the best winter show ever held in Ontario. Competition was keen in almost all classes, notably so in Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns and Minorcas. The quality in all cases was high, and the birds shown in good feather and condition. Everything went off smoothly, with the exception of the mislaying of a coop of Mr. Bonnick's, which was quite accidental, and was much regretted. Mr. Hern, the Secretary, Mr. Moorcraft, his assistant, and the officers of the Association were indefatigable in providing for the wants of both exhibits and exhibitors, and are to be warmly congratulated on the largely increased entry, due, no doubt in part, to the addition of the 3rd prize.

*Light Brahmas.*—1st cock, fair, bad comb, good color and hackle; 2nd close up; 3rd a poor one, rough looking, bad legs, poor neck and wings. 1st hen a good one, nice head and comb, good color and hackle; 2nd not so good in neck, fair comb; 3rd fair. 1st cockerel we did not like, is stained (yellow) in color, especially hackle and back, moderate comb, large, good leg and toe feather; 2nd we liked better, though also a bit stained in color; poor comb, nice hackle and legs, latter lack feather a trifle; 3rd loose in comb. An unnoticed one, cut three for weight, and with a bad comb, has a nice hackle and is a good color. 1st and 2nd pullets tied at 95, 2nd cut 1 on weight, so should have been 1st. 3rd a very nice one, hardly mature enough.

*Dark Brahmas.*—1st cock a large one, good in color, sound breast, neat comb, a bit long in back; 2nd fair color, moderate comb and tail, lacks leg and toe feather; 3rd we liked, low set, good sound breast, moderate comb, lacks toe feather. Hens, a fair class, not much between winners. 1st cockerel a nice color but for being a bit

"strawy," loose comb, nice legs, good leg and toe feather, 2nd a shade better comb, runs 1st close; 3rd well up. 1st pullet a nice one, good head and comb, fair color, a bit light under neck and head and white in foot feathering; 2nd neat, dark toes, lacks leg and toe feathering, no white; 3rd runs 2nd close, lacks toe feather, nice color, best laced of lot.

*Buff Cochins.*—Only two exhibitors but a host in themselves. We certainly have not seen such quality at any previous show, a grand even lot. 1st cock, large, good shape, very even color; 2nd was the 2nd Industrial winner, a nice shape, low set bird, good rich color; 3rd a big even light colored fellow. 1st hen large, very sound in color and profuse in feather; 2nd also a grand one, not quite so even in color; 3rd a bit light in color. 1st cockerel large, well grown, very even, sound color, grand leg and toe feather; 2nd broader back and fuller breast, darker color but even, very profuse saddle and fluff, grand leg and toe feather, should prove invaluable as a breeder; 3rd, another very good one, even in color of the popular shade, good comb, legs and toe feather. 1st and 2nd pullets very sound rich color, grand all over; 3rd is larger but lacks weight, exceedingly profuse in feather, shapely. The class taken all in all was hard to find fault with, and was deserving of the highest praise.

*Black Cochins.*—Small class, but of excellent quality throughout as were the *Whites*; a pullet of the latter, 1st, being the pick of the lot, grand shape and clear color, very profuse in feather.

*Partridge Cochins* made large classes; good even quality—placed in such poor light could hardly see them.

*Dorkings* were a nice lot, and more of them than usual. We would like to see this useful variety in the hands of more breeders, and more freely shown. Silver-grays a grand class, good a

through; others good also, especially whites, which were awarded the cup for six highest scoring birds of one variety.

*Polands and Hamburgs.*—As usual it is hard to criticise; they were splendid all through. The 1st w. c. black Poland hen is about the best we have ever seen, large globular crest, well set on; others excellent.

*White P. Rocks.*—A very nice lot indeed, shown in grand fit. 1st pullet very shapely, good all over, except a bit pale in legs, scored 98½; others all good.

*Barred P. Rocks.*—Competition very keen; about 80 shown, and a considerable amount of talk caused by the judging. Cocks a good lot, we could hardly follow the judge in hens, which were a splendid lot; 1st large, good color and legs, bad comb; a well marked unnoticed one, good in color clear to the flesh, we thought entitled to a place. Cockerels also good; 1st is well barred and a good shape, but is a bit patchy in ground color; 2nd appeared to have a side sprig removed from comb, a grand shaped unnoticed one, well barred on surface, was distinguished by an almost white tail. Pullets an excellent class. There is a difference as to shade of color amongst judges which it seems impossible to decide.

*Langshans.*—Good, and more of one type than last year. Winners well placed.

*Spanish.*—Fair classes of nice quality. 1st cock is a little stained in face, good straight comb, good legs. Young birds not large in face, but of good texture.

*Black Minorcas.*—1st cock a nice type, a bit small, good color and comb, nice smooth lobes, good face and wattles; 2nd a big bird with very red face, good color, comb over from coop, wattles have been frozen; 3rd immense big body, broad breast and

back, a bit rough in lobe. 1st hen a grand one all over, cut only 4 and 2 of it for weight, fails a bit in comb, almost her only fault; 2nd and 3rd both very good. Chicks an extra nice lot, 1st cockerel looks like the disqualified bird at the last Industrial and finds his right place here; 2nd a nice one with a fair comb, grand color and good legs, fair lobes. Pullets an extra class all through. Six birds of Mr. Duff's in this class made a hard run for the cup and were beaten but by a fraction.

*White Minorcas* show a vast improvement over those recently shown and approach nearer the blacks now, but are not quite so large.

*Leghorns* made the largest class in the show. Whites were grand all through, cocks good. 1st hen a nice fine bred one, a trifle off in wattles and lobes and a shade pale in legs; 2nd and 3rd very close up. 1st pullet a nice shape and a grand one all over, beautiful leg color; 2nd and 3rd run her close. Black—a nice lot but few in number, good even quality. Brown—Immense classes of grand birds, fit to win any where. Rose-comb whites—Nice classes, of good quality; browns small classes but fair. Buffs—Two pairs shown, one nice even colored pullet, others only moderate in color.

*Andalusians*—Were few but good. *French*—Were more numerous than usual especially Houdans and of grand quality.

*Games*—Were good. Black-reds as usual ahead in quality, all birds good but in poor light and hard to see. Cockerels a grand lot indeed. 1st high up, carries wings a bit loose, good color, head, legs and shanks; 2nd most typical in class, well cut away behind, grand whip tail, well up on his pins which are stout and well placed under him, only moderate colour but should improve in this. Pullets, nice lot, 1st looks rough in legs for a pullet. Other varieties

better than usual, especially pyles, all shown in bad light. *Malays*—Some nice whites shown, good size, shape, color, legs and beak. *Indian Game*—Not large classes but good birds won.

*Wyandottes, golden*—show improvement. 1st cockerel a nice one, good breast and body, fair comb, poor wings. 1st pullet large, good color, bad comb and back, 1st cock a large fine colored good shaped bird with a poor comb; 2nd fails in breast, body, comb, neck and wings. 2nd pullet nice breast, shape and legs, poor back and comb. 2nd hen a nice shaped one with a very bad back, poor comb and pale legs. *Whites*—A nice class, good all through, prizes more divided than usual. *Silver*—We are glad to see a most pronounced improvement in this class and hope next fall to see a still better lot of young birds.

*Red Caps*—A nice lot of this useful breed, large in size and typical, all in nice shape.

*Dominiques*—A few good ones shown in the A. O. V. class.

*Bantams*—Japs we thought hardly as good as usual, several out of shape. 1st hen a little gem, 1st pullet also a good one, a bit larger; 2nd fair. 1st cockerel and 3rd pullet exceedingly nice whites. On looking at the cards we saw they had not been cut for tail. *Butterfield, me bhoj*, we put on those "specs" but may we be left handed in both eyes if we can find a white Japanese described in the Standard and we are puzzled to know how you scored them. The A. O. V. class is the proper place for these birds and they could easily have won there. The cockerel 2nd at Industrial, was also 2nd here and we could find no twist in comb now. *Pekins*—A nice class, 1st hen best in lot, good shape, deep rich color, good tail and cushion, small; 2nd a trifle larger; others good. *Sebrights*—Were very large classes



and better birds than we usually see. Black rose-comb—4 cocks tied for 1st at 94½, very even, we preferred third, nice shape, good comb, lobes and color; 1st has grey specks in wing tips but is a good one. 1st hen a real nice one in good shape; 2nd better in face, old feathers not all yet out. Chicks a good lot all through. White Polish—A nice little lot. Cock's comb as bad as ever.

*Game Bantams*—Were good classes, especially black-reds and pyles. 1st black-red cock a grand one all over, very typical, tight feathered, good head and whip tail; 2nd also good, a bit heavier in feather. 1st and 2nd hens two real good ones. 1st and 2nd cockerels, upstanding, and good in color, a bit heavy in tail. 1st pyle cock very upstanding, tight feathered, good head and wings and well carried tail; 2nd also nice, a shade longer in wing. 1st cockerel very upstanding but a bit long in back and wings, fair head and color. 1st cock and 1st cockerel we liked much, others good. Brown-reds—Good lot.

*Turkeys*—An extra grand bronze gobler in both young and old classes, others good.

*Ducks and Geese*—About as usual, good even quality.

PRIZE LIST.

**BRAHMAS, Light**—Cock, 1st 92 1-2, John Miles, Toronto, 2nd 91 1-2, J M Hern, Bowmanville, 3rd 88, Wm Hodgson, Brooklyn; hen 1st 95, John Cole, Hamilton, 2nd 94 1-2, J H Saunders, London, 3rd 92 1-2, Hern; cockerel 1st 94, Thorp & Scott, London, 2nd 93 1-2 Saunders, 3rd 92 1-2, Cole; pullet 1st 95, Saunders, 2nd 95, Cole, 3rd 94, A Veale, Cedar Dale. **Dark**—Cock 1st 92, Miles, 2nd 91, Hodgson, 3rd 90 1-2, C J Daniels, Toronto; hen 1st 91, Jas McLaren, Owen Sound, 2nd 90 1-2, R Oke, London, 3rd 90½, Miles; cockerel 1st 91 1-2, Daniels, 2nd 91 1-2, Thorp & Scott, 3rd 91, A & D Bogue, London; pullet 1st 92 1-2, Oke, 2nd 91 1-2 Daniels, 3rd 91 1-2 Miles. **COCHINS, buff**—Cock 1st 92, 2nd 91 1-2, 3rd 91, Geo G McCormick, London; hen 1st 95 1-2, 3rd 93½, McCormick, 2nd 94, F C Hare, Whitby; cockerel 1st 94, 3rd 93 1-2, Hare, 2nd 94, McCormick; pullet 1st 96, 2nd 95 1-2, Hare,

3rd 94 1 2, McCormick. **Partridge**—cock 1st 92 1-2, 2nd 91 1 2, Bogue; hen 1st 93, 2nd 92 1-2, Bogue, 3rd 89 1-2 Daniels; cockerel 1st 94 1-2, Bogue, 2nd 93, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, New Hamburg, 3rd 92, Daniels; pullet 1st 93 1-2, Bogue, 2nd 92, Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 3rd 92 Daniels. **Black**—cock 1st 95, 2nd 93 1-2, Wm McNeil; pullet 1st 94, 2nd 94 McNeil. **White**—cock 1st 93, McNeil; hen 1st 92, cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2, pullet 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 95, McNeil. **LANGSHANS**—Cock 1st 96, F Gobel, New Hamburg, 2nd 94 1-2, E McCormick, Newmarket, 3rd 94, J O LaBelle, Bowmanville; hen 1st 96, Geo Bartlett, London, 2nd 95 1-2, LaBelle, 3rd 95 1-2 Robt McCurdy, London; cockerel 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 95, LaBelle, 3rd 94 1-2, Bartlett; pullet 1st 96 1-2, Bartlett, 2nd 96, Daniels, 3rd 96 LaBelle. **DORKINGS**—**Silver grey**—Cock 1st 90 1-2, Bogue, 2nd 90, Allin Bros, Newcastle; hen 1st 94 1-2, J B Wilson & Son, Oshawa, 2nd 93, Allin Bros, 3rd 92 1-2 Bogue; cockerel 1st 95 1-2 Wilson & Son, 2nd 94 1-2, Jas Main, Milton, 3rd 92 1-2 Corcoran & Cale, Stratford; pullet, 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 95 12, Corcoran & Cale, 3rd 94 1-2, Bogue. **Colored**—Cock 1st 94, Bogue, 2nd 90, Wilson & Son; hen 1st 94, Wilson & Son, 2nd 93 1-2, 3rd 93 1-2, Bogue; cockerel 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 94 1-2, Bogue, 3rd 93 1-2, R G Martin, Marysville; pullet 1st 96 1-2, 3rd 94 Bogue, 2nd 95 Corcoran & Cale. **White**—Cock 1st 94, 2nd 94; hen 1st 97, 2nd 97, 3rd 96 1-2; cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2, 3rd 94; pullet 1st 97 1-2, 2nd 97, 3rd 94 1-2, Bogue. **GAMES, black-red**—Cock 1st 93 1-2, Main, 2nd 92 1-2, 3rd 91, Wm Barber & Co, Toronto; hen 1st 95, Barber & Co, 2nd 94 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol, Kingston, 3rd 94 Main; cockerel 1st 94 1-2, Main, 2nd 93 1-2, 3rd 93 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol; pullet, 1st 95, Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 94 1-2 Main, 3rd 94 1-2, Barber & Co. **Brown-red**—Cock 1st 95 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 91, Barber & Co; hen 1st 96, Barber & Co, 2nd 93, Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 91, Daniels; cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 94½, Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 93½, Barber & Co; pullet 1st 95, 2nd 94½ Oldrieve and Nicol. **Duckwing**—Cock 1st 94½, 2nd 93 1-2, Barber & Co, 3rd Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 93 1-2, 2nd 93, Barber & Co, 3rd 91, Oldrieve & Nicol; cockerel 1st 92, 3rd 90, Barber & Co, 2nd 91 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol; pullet 1st 94 1-2, 2nd 94, Barber & Co, 3rd 93 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol. **Pyle**—Cock 1st 93 1-2, 2nd 91, Barber & Co, 3rd 88 1-2, Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 94 1-2, 3rd 92, Barber & Co, 2nd 93 Oldrieve & Nicol. Any other Standard game—Cock 1st, hen 1st, 97, 2nd 95 1-2, 3rd 95; cockerel, 1st 64 1-2, Daniels, 2nd Barber & Co; pullet, 1st

93 1-2, Daniels. **Malay**—Cock 1st and 2nd, hen 1st and 2nd; pullet 1st and 2nd, Daniels. **Indian Game**—Cock 1st and 2nd, Daniels, 3rd D G Davies, Toronto; hen 1st Daniels, 2nd and 3rd Davies; cockerel 1st, Wm Langdon, Port Hope, 2nd and 3rd Daniels, pullet 1st and 3rd Daniels, 2nd Langdon. **PLYMOUTH ROCKS, Barred**—Cock 1st 94 J B Clark, Dunnville, 2nd 90 and 3rd 90 (tie divide) A Hobbs, Bowmanville, Pequegnat & Chamberlain; hen 1st 94 1-2 Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2nd 93 Allin Bros, 3rd 92½ C W Eckardt, Ridgville; cockerel 1st 96, 2nd 94 Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 3rd 93 1-2 Clarke; pullet 1st 96 1-2 Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2nd 93 Clarke, 3rd 92 1-2 J D Smith, Port Hope. **White**—Cock 1st 92 1-2 Pequegnat & Chamberlain; hen 1st 95 1-2 Pequegnat & Chamberlain, 2nd 94 Allin Bros, 3rd 93 Wm Hall, Napanee; cockerel 1st 95, 3rd 94 Thos Hawes, Whitby, 2nd 95 Hall; pullet 1st 98 1-2 Chas Bonnick, Toronto, 2nd 96 1-2 Hall, 3rd 96 Allin Bros. **WYANDOTTES, Silver**—Cock 1st 92 1-2, J H Saunders, 2nd 92 1-2 Jacob Dorst, Toronto, 3rd 89 1-2 S M Clemo, Dunnville; hen 1st 93 1-2 J E Meyer, Cobourg, 2nd 92 1-2 Clemo, 3rd 92 John Gray & Co, Todmorden; cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 93 1-2 Clemo, 3rd 93 1-2 Meyer; pullet 1st 93 1-2, 3rd 93 Clemo, 2nd 93 Gray & Co. **Golden**—Cock 1st 94 1-2 Frontenac Poultry Yards, Kingston, 2nd 88 1-2 Gray & Co; hen 1st 94 Frontenac Yards, 2nd 88 1-2 Gray & Co; cockerel 1st 93, 3rd 91 1-2 Daniels, 2nd 91 1-2 Gray & Co; pullet 1st 95, 2nd 93 1-2 Gray & Co, 3rd 93 J D Smith. **Black**—Hen 1st, pullet 1st, Daniels. **White**—Cock 1st 96, 3rd 93, McCormick, 2nd 95 Clemo; hen 1st 95 1-2, 2nd 95 1-2, McCormick, 3rd 93 1-2 Clemo; cockerel 1st 95 Corcoran & Cale, 2nd 94, 3rd 92 1-2, McCormick; pullet 1st 95 1-2 Corcoran & Cale, 2nd 95 G. McCormick, 3rd 94½ Clemo. **JAVAS**—cock 1st 96 W R Knight, Bowmanville; hen 1st 95 1-2 Knight, 2nd John Colson, Guelph, 3rd 94 1-2 W H Reid, Kingston; cockerel 1st 95 1-2 Colson, 2nd 95, 3rd 93½ Daniels; pullet 1st 97 1-2 Knight, 2nd 96 Colson, 3rd 93, Daniels. **SPANISH, black**—cock 1st 93 1-2, 2nd 92 1-2; hen 1st 94 1-2, 2nd 91½, 3rd 91 1-2, Hare; cockerel 1st 93 1-2 Allin Bros. 2nd 91 1-2, 3rd 91 1-2 Hare; pullet 1st 97 1-2, 2nd 95 3rd 94 Hare. **MINORCAS, black**—cock 1st 95 Thos. Rice, Whitby, 2nd 91 1-2, 3rd 91 Thos. A. Duff, Toronto; hen 1st 96, 3rd 93 1-2 Geo McCormick, 2nd 94 1-2, M E Mitchell, Milton; cockerel 1st 95, 3rd 93½ McCormick, 2nd 94½ Duff; pullet 1st 97 (pref) Duff, 2nd 97 3rd 97 McCormick. **White**—cock 1st 93½

2nd 92 Duff, 3rd 90½ Robt Scott, London; hen 1st 96, 3rd 95, Duff, 2nd 95 Scott; cockere/ 1st 96, 2nd 94½, 3rd 93½; pullet 1st 95½, 2nd 94, 3rd 93½ Duff. LEGHORNS, white, S C—cock 1st 94½ Rice, 2nd 93½, H Grier, Owen Sound, 3rd 92 D C Trew, Lindsay; hen 1st 97 Rice, 2nd 95½ 3rd 95, Grier; cockerel 1st 94½ 2nd 93 Rice, 3rd 91½ Trew; pullet 1st 98 2nd 96 Rice, 3rd 95 Grier. Brown—cock 1st 92 12 Mitchell; hen 1st 94 1-2, 2nd 93½ Rice, 3rd 93 John Pleisch, Shakespeare; cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2 Rice, 3rd 93, Thos Power & Son, Bowmanville; pullet 1st 95, Rice 2nd and 3rd 94½ tie divide Power & Son and Hall Black—cock 1st 94½ Mitchell, 2nd 93, Pletch; hen 1st 95, 3rd 94 Daniels, 2nd 94 Mitchell; cockerel 1st 95½ Hawes, 2nd 95 Jas McLean, Bowmanville, 3rd Robt Scott; pullet 1st 95, 3rd 94 1-2, Pleisch, 2nd 94½ Hawes. Brown rose-comb—cock 1st 97½; hen 1st 94 Clemo; cockerel 1st 94½, Frontenac Yards, 2nd 93, Hall, 3rd 92 1-2 Gray & Co; pullet 1st 95, Gray & Co., 2nd 94 1-2 Frontenac Yards, 3rd 94 Hall. White rose-comb—cock 1st 95 Hall, 2nd 93 1-2 W J Bell, Banda; hen 1st and 2nd (tie) 96 Hall, 96 Bell, 3rd 95 Hall; cockerel 1st 96, 3rd 94 1-2 Hall, 2nd 95 Gray & Co.; pullet 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2 Bell, 3rd 93 1-2 Hall. ANDAI USIANS—cock 1st 93, 2nd 92 Knight; hen 1st 95 1-2, 2nd 93 Knight, 3rd 92 1-2 W H Dustan, Bowmanville; cockerel 1st 93 Dustan, 2nd 92 1-2 Knight, 3rd 92½ J Westaway, Bowmanville; pullet 1st 94½ Knight, 2nd 93½ Dustan, 3rd 92½ Westaway. HOUDANS—cock 1st 95 1-2 D C Trew, 2nd 94 1-2, C Stockwell, London, 3rd 93 1-2 Bogue; hen 1st 96, 2nd 95 Hern, 3rd 94 1-2 Trew; cockerel 1st 94, 3rd 92 1-2 Trew, 2nd 93 1-2 Hern; pullet 1st 97, 2nd 94 1-2 Hern, 3rd 94, Trew. CREVE CŒUR—cock 1st 94; hen 1st 96; cockerel 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 94; pullet 1st 97 1-2, 2nd 97, R Oke. LA F. ECHE—cock 1st 97; hen 1st 97 1-2, R. Oke. POLANDS, W. C. B—Cock 1st 97 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 96 Bogue; hen 1st 99 McNeil, 2nd 97 Bogue; cockerel 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94½ Bogue; pullet 1st 97 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 97½ Bogue. Golden—Cock 1st 93 Bogue, 2nd 93 McNeil; hen 1st 94 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Bogue; cockerel 1st 93 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 90 1-2 Martin; pullet 1st 98 McNeil, 2nd 95 Bogue Silver—Cock 1st 92 Bogue, 2nd 92 McNeil, 3rd 90 Martin; hen 1st 93 1-2, 2nd 93 Martin, 3rd 93 Bogue; cockerel 1st 93 1-2 Bogue, 2nd 92 1-2 Martin, 3rd 91 1-2 McNeil; pullet 1st 95 1-2 Bogue, 2nd 93 1-2

McNeil. White—Cock 1st 97 1-2 B. gue, 2nd 95 McNeil; hen 1st 96 McNeil, 2nd 95 Bogue; cockerel 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94 Bogue; pullet 1st 96 Bogue, 2nd 95 McNeil White bearded—Cock 1st 98, 2nd 96, hen 1st 97 1-2, 2nd 96 1-2. cockerel 1st 96 1-2, pullet 1st 98, 2nd 94 1-2 McNeil. Golden or silve. unbearded—Cock 1st 93, hen 1st 94, 2nd 93, cockerel 1st 95 McNeil, 2nd 93 Bogue; pullet 1st 94 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 90 1-2 Bogue. HAMBURG, G S—Cock 1st 94 McNeil, 2nd 92 Bogue; hen 1st 93 Bogue, 2nd 92 1-2 McNeil; cockerel 1st 96 1-2 Bogue, 2nd 94 McNeil; pullet 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 91 1-2 Bogue. S S—Cock 1st 94 McNeil, 2nd 91 Bogue, 3rd 90 Oke; hen 1st 94 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 93 1-2 J J Mason, Bowmanville, 3rd Oke; cockerel 1st 94 Bogue, 2nd 93 1-2 McNeil, 3rd 92 1-2 Martin; pullet 1st 95 1-2 Mason, 2nd 95 McNeil, 3rd 94 Martin. G P—Cock 1st 94 Bogue, 2nd 93 1-2 McNeil; hen 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94 Bogue; cockerel 1st 94 1-2, pullet 1st 96 McNeil. S P—Cock 1st 95 McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Bogue; hen 1st 95½ do, 2nd 95, McNeil cockerel 1st 96 McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Bogue; pullet 1st 97 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 95 Bogue. Black—Cock 1st 96 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94 A Hobbs; hen 1st 96 McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Oke, 3rd 93 1-2 Mason; cockerel 1st 95 Oke, 2nd 95 McNeil, 3rd 93 Hobbs; pullet 1st 96 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 95 Oke, 3rd 94 1-2 W J Bell. RED CAPS—Cock 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2 Daniels, 3rd 93 1-2 J S Niven, London; cockerel 1st 94 1-2, Niven, 2nd 90 F H Brown, Port Hope, 3rd 89 1-2 Daniels. Any other variety—Cock 1st McNeil, 2nd Daniels; hen 1st McNeil, 2nd Daniels; cockerel 1st McNeil, 2nd Knight, 3rd Daniels; pullet 1st McNeil, 3rd Daniels. BANTAMS, Game, black red—Cock 1st 97 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95 Barber & Co, 3rd 94 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 96 Barber & Co, 3rd 96 Oldrieve and Nicol; cockerel 1st 96, 2nd 95, 3rd 94 1-2 Barber & Co; pullet 1st 96, 3rd 95 do, 2nd 96 Oldrieve & Nicol. Brown red—Cock 1st 93, hen 1st 91, 2nd 89 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol. Duckwing—Cock 1st 95, 2nd 94 1-2 Barber & Co, 3rd 90 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 96, 2nd 95 Barber & Co, 3rd 91 Oldrieve & Nicol; Cockerel 1st 95, 2nd 92 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 90 Barber & Co; pullet 1st 95 1-2, 2nd 95 Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 95 Barber & Co. Pyle—Cock 1st 95 1-2, 3rd 93 1-2, Barber & Co, 2nd Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 95 1-2, 2nd 94, Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 94 Bonnick; cockerel 1st 93 1-2, J T Mackenzie, Toronto, 2nd 93, 3rd 89 1-2, Barber & Co; pullet 1st 96, 2nd 95 1-2, Barber & Co,

3rd 92 Mackenzie. SEBRIGHT, Golden—Cock 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 92 1-2 Oke; hen 1st 96 Oke, 2nd 95 McNeil, 3rd 94 Oldrieve & Nicol; cockerel 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Oke, 3rd 92 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol; pullet 1st 96 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 96 1-2, 3rd 94 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol. Silver—Cock 1st 96 1-2 Oke, 2nd 94 McNeil; hen 1st 97 Oke, 2nd 96 1-2 McNeil; cockerel 1st 95 1-2, 2nd 94 McNeil, 3rd 94 Oke; pullet 1st 96, 3rd 93 McNeil, 2nd 95 Oke. BLACK AFRICAN—1st 95 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95 1-2 McNeil, 3rd 95 1-2 Corcoran & Cale; hen 1st 95 1-2 McNeil, 2nd 95 1-2 Oke, 3rd 94 Oldrieve & Nicol; cockerel 1st 97 McNeil, 2nd 95 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 93 1-2 Oke; pullet 1st 95½ McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Oldrieve & Nicol, 3rd 94 Oke. PERIN—Cock 1st 95 1-2, 3rd 94 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 94 1-2 Clemo; hen 1st 97, 2nd 95, McNeil, 3rd 94 Clemo; cockerel 1st 96, 2nd 96, McNeil, 3rd 95 Clemo; pullet 1st 97, 2nd 96 1-2 McNeil, 3rd 95 Oke. JAPANESE—Cock 1st 96 McNeil, 2nd 92 1-2 Oke; hen 1st 98 McNeil, 2nd 97 Oke; cockerel 1st 97, 3rd 95 1-2, McNeil, 2nd 96 1-2 Oke; pullet 1st 98 1-2, 3rd 94 McNeil, 2nd 96 1-2 Oke. Polish—Cock 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 95 1-2, hen 97, 2nd 97 —. TURKEYS, Bronze—Cock 1st 96 1-2, 2nd 96 W J Bell, 3rd 96 Main; hen 1st 91 1-2 Main, 2nd 91 J L Brown, Hampton, 3rd 90 Bell; cockere/ 1st 97 Main, 2nd 94 1-2 Brown, 3rd 94 1-2 Bell; pullet 1st 95 1-2 Main, 2nd 94 1-2 Bell, 3rd 93 Hodgson. White—Cockerel 93, pullet 93½ Hern. GEESE, Toulouse—Gander 3rd 83½ Hodgson; goose 2nd 89 Bogue; gander bred in 1891 3rd 83 Hodgson; goose bred in 1891 1st 98 Bogue, 2nd 76 Hodgson. Bremen—Gander 1st 91 Main, 2nd 85 1-2 Geo Davey, Whithy; goose 2nd 89 Main, 3rd 85 Davey; gander bred in '91 1st 94 Main, 2nd 86, 3rd 82 Davey, goose 2nd 89½ Main, 3rd 80½ Davey. DUCKS, Aylesbury—Drake 1st 93½ Bogue, 2nd 94 1-2 Martin; duck 1st 95 Bogue; drake bred in '91 1st 98 Bogue, 2nd 93½ Martin; duck 1st 97½ Bogue, 2nd 95½ Martin. Rouen—Drake 1st 98 Martin, 2nd 90 Knight, 3rd 93 Main; duck 1st 98 Martin, 2nd 97½ Main, 3rd 96½ Knight; drake bred in '91 1st 98 Main, 2nd 93 Knight; duck 1st 98 Main, 2nd 96 Knight. Pekin—Drake 1st 99 Bogue, 2nd 96 Corcoran & Cale; Duck 1st 97 Bogue, 2nd 96 1-2 Corcoran & Cale; drake bred in '91 1st 98 Bogue, 2nd 96½ John Coulson, 3rd 95 Martin; duck 1st 97½ Bogue, 2nd 96½ Coulson, 3rd 94½ Allin Bros.

**SPECIALS.**—For the best average score of six birds, silver cup, A & D Bogue; best bird in the largest class, Rice; heaviest doz. eggs, Dun-tan. **BRAHMAS**—best cock or cockerel, Thorpe & Scott; hen, Cole; cockerel, Thorpe & Scott; cock or cockerel (Lansdowne strain) Saunders; hen or pullet (Lansdowne strain), same. Dark, cock or cockerel, Miles. **COCHINS**, buff—cock McCormick, Partridge cockerel, Bogue; cock, same, highest scoring P. Cochins, same. Black cock, McNeil. White, hen, same. **LANGSHANS**—cock, Goebel; cockerel, Labelle. **DORKINGS**, white—cock, Bogue. **PLYMOUTH ROCKS**, barred—hen, Piquegnat & Chamberlain. White—cockerel, Hawes. **WYANDOTTES**, white—cock, McCormick, 2nd same. Silver faced, cockerel, Climo. Golden faced, same, Silver pullet, same. Golden or silver cockerel, same. **GAMES**, B B R—cockerel Main; cockerel, same; cock same. Pit, cock, Daniels; cockerel, W Barber & Co. **MINORCAS**, white—cock Duff, 2nd same; hen same, 2nd same, 3rd same; pullet same. Black, cockerel McCormick, 2nd same. **LEGHORNS**, white—cock Rice. Brown, pullet same. Pair buff, Daniels. **ANDALUSIANS**—best pair chicks, Westaway; best Andalusian, Knight; highest scoring 4 same. **HAMBURGS**, black—cock McNeil; cockerel Oke; pullet McNeil. **POLANDS**, W C B—cock McNeil. White, (unbearded), cock Bogue. Silver, cockerel same. **HOUDANS**—cock Trew; hen Hern, cockerel Trew; pullet Hern; cock and hen Trew. **CREVE CŒUR**—pullet, Oke. **LA FLECHE**—cock same. **RED CAPS**—cock Daniels, cockerel Main. **BANTAMS**, B. B. R.—cock, Oldrieve & Nicol; hen, Barber & Co. Silver Sebright, cock Oke. Pekin, pullet McNeil; cock or cockerel, McNeil. **DUCKS**, Pekin—duck or drake, Bogue. Rouen, Martin.

OTTAWA SHOW.

**A** NICE show was held here about the same number of entries as last year, but a great improvement in quality in some varieties, notably light Brahmias, Games and Minorcas. Cochins were few, and ducks and geese were not as good as last year. The weather was very cold, and visitors to the show were not as numerous as the Directors would have wished.

PRIZE LIST.

**BRAHMAS**—Cock 1st 93½ Jas Penny, Owen Sound, 2nd 90½ J M Hern, Bowmanville; hen 1st 94½ Hern, 2nd 94 do; cockerel 1st 94 Penny, 2nd 93½ Haycock & Kent, Kingston; pullet 1st 94½ Penny, 2nd 93½ Haycock & Kent. Dark—Cockerel 1st 91 Wm Cooch, Ottawa; pullet 1st 92 U Bonneville, Danville, 2nd 88 Cooch. **COCHINS**, Buff—Cock 1st 94½, hen 2nd 89½, cockerel 1st and 2nd 94½ and 90, pullet 1st and 2nd 93½ and 92 E A Connell, Ottawa. White—Hen 1st and 2nd 91½ and 90½ Connell. **LANGSHANS**—Cock 1st 94½ Cooch, 2nd 94 F Auclair, Ottawa; hen 1st 94 Cooch; cockerel 1st and 2nd 94½ and 93½, pullet 1st and 2nd 95 and

94 Auclair. **DORKINGS**—Cock 1st 91½ Allin Bros, Newcastle; hen 1st 94½ Corcoran & Cale, Stratford, 2nd 93 Allin Bros; cockerel 1st and 2nd 95½ and 93 Corcoran & Cale. **PLYMOUTH ROCKS**, barred—Cock 2nd 89, hen 1st 92½ C J Devlin, Ottawa, 2nd 92 J C Stockwell, Danville; cockerel 1st 92 Haycock & Kent, 2nd 91½, pullet 1st 94½ Allin Bros, 2nd 92½ Jas Jacques, Ottawa. White—Cock 1st 94 H Wallace, Woodstock, 2nd 92 W B Munro, Almonte; hen 1st 95½ Allin Bros, 2nd 94 Wallace; cockerel 1st 95 Munro, 2nd 93½ G C Howison, Brockville; pullet 1st 95 Wallace, 2nd 95½ Howison. **WYANDOTTES**, Silver faced—Cock 2nd 89 Corcoran & Cale; hen 1st 94 Stockwell, 2nd 89 Corcoran & Cale; cockerel 1st 92 R W Haydon, Almonte, 2nd 91½ C D Raymond, Ottawa; pullet 1st 93½ R W Haydon, 2nd 93 R McLachlan, Metcalf. White—Cock 1st 92½ Corcoran & Cale, 2nd 92, hen 1st 94½ Higman, Ottawa, 2nd 94, cockerel 1st 92 Corcoran & Cale, 2nd 91½, pullet 1st 95 Higman, 2nd 94½ Corcoran & Cale. Golden faced—Cock 1st 94, 2nd 93, hen 1st 94, 2nd 89 Haycock & Kent; cockerel 1st 93½, pullet 1st 90½ John Bedlow, Brockville. **BLACK SPANISH**—Hen 1st 92 Corcoran & Cale; cockerel 2nd 89½, pullet 1st 93½ Bedlow. **MINORCAS**, black—Cock 1st 95 T Rice, Whitby, 2nd 89, F W Molson, Montreal; hen 1st 96 Rice, 2nd 92, cockerel 1st 93½, 2nd 93 Molson; pullet not yet decided. **LEGHORNS**, White—Cock 1st 94½ Rice, 2nd 89½ R Switzer, Ottawa; hen 1st 97, 2nd 95½, cockerel 1st 95½, 2nd 95, pullet 1st 97, 2nd 95 Rice. Brown—Cock 1st 90 J R Morri on, Carleton Place; hen 1st 97, 2nd 95½, cockerel 1st 95½, 2nd 95½, pullet 1st 96½, 2nd 95½ Rice. Black—Hen 1st 94½ Rice, 2nd 92 Switzer; pullet 1st 94½ Rice. Rose-comb—Hen 1st 93½ Louis Davy, Owen Sound; cockerel 1st 93½ Haycock & Kent, 2nd 93 Davy; pullet 1st 96, 2nd 95½ Hern. **GAMES**, black-red—Cock 1st 95 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 93½ Geo Kelly, Ottawa; hen 1st 95½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95 Kelly; cockerel 1st 97 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95 Bonneville; pullet 1st 96 Gray & Mason, Ottawa, 2nd 95½ Oldrieve & Nicol. Brown red—Cock 1st 92½, hen 1st 96 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 92 Cooch; cockerel 1st and 2nd 92½ and 91 Oldrieve and Nicol; pullet 1st and 2nd 95½ and 94 Oldrieve & Nicol. Silver duckwing—Cock 1st 92 E Edwards, Ottawa, 2nd 91 Bonneville; hen 1st 94, 2nd 92½ Edwards; cockerel 1st 92½ Kelly, 2nd 90, pullet 2nd 89½ Edwards. Golden—Cock 1st 94 Oldrieve & Nicol; hen 1st 94½ Edwards, 2nd 94½, cockerel 1st 91½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 89½ Kelly; pullet 1st 96, 2nd 95½ Oldrieve & Nicol. Pyle—Cock 1st 92½, hen 1st 96 Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95½ Cooch; cockerel 1st 95, pullet 1st 96½, 2nd 96 Oldrieve & Nicol. Indian—cockerel 1st and 2nd Smith, Ottawa; pullet 1st Smith, 2nd Cooch. A O V—Pullet 1st Cooch. **HAMBURGS**, Golden S—Cockerel 1st 93½, 2nd 91½ Foster, Greenbush. Black—Cock 1st 93½ David Comley, 2nd 93, hen 1st 93, Hern, 2nd 90½, cockerel 1st 93½ Comley, 2nd 93, pullet 1st 95½ Hern, 2nd Foster. **POLISH**, W C B—cockerel 1st 93, 2nd 92, pullet 92½ Bedlow. Silver, hen 1st and 2nd 95½ and 95½, cockerel 92½, Hern. **HOUDAN**—cock 1st 92½, hen 1st 96, 2nd 95½, cockerel 1st 92½ Hern, 2nd 89 Lowden, Montreal, pullet 1st and 2nd

95½ and 95 Hern. **RED CAP**—cockerel 1st 94, pullet 1st 92, Bedlow. **BANTAMS**, black-red game—cock 1st 97, 2nd 96½, hen 1st 97 Oldrieve & Nicol; 2nd 96 Robt McKinstry, Ottawa; cockerel 1st and 2nd 95½ and 95½, pullet 1st and 2nd 96½ and 96 Oldrieve & Nicol. Brown-red—cock 1st 94½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 92 W C Baldwin, Ottawa; hen 1st 96½ do, 2nd Oldrieve and Nicol; cockerel 2nd 89½, pullet 1st 90½, Cleary and Delaney, Ottawa. Duckwing—cock 1st 94½, hen 1st 96½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 94½ Bonneville; cockerel 1st 95½, 2nd 92½, pullet 1st 97, 2nd 96½ Oldrieve & Nicol. Pile—cock 1st 95, 2nd 95, hen 1st 97, 2nd 96, cockerel 1st 94½, pullet 1st 96½ Oldrieve & Nicol. Golden Sebright—cock 1st 93½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 92 Cleary & Delaney; hen 1st 95½, 2nd 94½, cockerel 1st 95½, 2nd 95½, pullet 1st 97½, 2nd 97 Oldrieve & Nicol. Silver Sebright—hen 1st 9½, pullet 1st 95 Rice. Rose-comb black—cock 1st 95½, 2nd 95, hen 1st 96½ Corcoran & Cale, 2nd 95 E F Murphy, Ottawa; cockerel 1st 95½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95½ Murphy; pullet 1st 96½ Oldrieve & Nicol, 2nd 95 Corcoran & Cale. Pekin—cock 1st 93, hen 1st 94, 2nd 93½, J I Gill, Ottawa; cockerel 1st 93½ Stockwell, 2nd 93 Gill; pullet 1st 94½ Stockwell, 2nd 94 Gill. Japanese—hen 1st 96, cock 1st 94 Foster; pullet 1st 97½ Rice. A O V—cock 1st 95, hen 1st and 2nd 97 and 96½ Oldrieve & Nicol. **TURKEYS**, bronze—cock 1st Smith, Ottawa; 2nd A Thompson, Allan's Corners; hen 1st Thompson, 2nd Bonneville; cockerel 1st and 2nd Thompson; pullet 1st Bonneville, 2nd Thompson. **GEESE**, Toulouse—1st Bedlow, Embden, 1st Thompson. **DUCKS**, Rouen—(old) 1st Thompson, (young) 1st and 2nd Oldrieve and Nicol. Aylesbury, (old) 1st Wallace, (young) 1st Thompson. Pekin, (old) 1st Thompson, 2nd Wallace, (young) 1st Thompson. **PEA FOWLS**—1st Alex. Stewart, Hintonburg.

HAMILTON SHOW.

**T** HE Hamilton P. P. and P. S. Association show is over and all our visiting Exhibitors went home with their prize money in their pockets, and I believe well pleased with the way their birds and themselves were treated. Although hardly as many entries as we would liked to have seen and could have accommodated, still there were a lot of fine birds on exhibition as the scores will prove. Our building could not have suited better for accommodation and light, we did not require to turn on the gas until near six o'clock any evening, our coops were considered ahead of anything seen for some time. Comments were frequent on it being learned that London, Galt and Guelph fanciers were conspicuous

by their absence, especially the latter, considering we always pay our visitors their prize money and our boys have always contributed largely at their shows. Mr. Sharp Butterfield did the judging and was as keen sighted as ever considering the way he could find white feathers, wry tails and crooked backs, which meant a few disqualifications, otherwise everybody seemed well satisfied with his judging. Many thanks are due Messers Main, Daniels, Jackson, Fox, Barber & Co., and O'Brien & Colwell for their large entries as well as others, we all regretted very much, Mr. Editor, that it was impossible for you to pay us a visit, but trust you will be with us next year if spared, herewith please find prize list.

**BRAHMAS**. Light, cock, 1st 93½ McGaw & Briggs, Hamilton, 2nd 92 C S Jackson, International Bridge; hen, 1st 95 Jno Cole, Hamilton, 2nd 93½ J T Gofston, Brantford; cockerel, 1st 92 Jno Cole, 2nd 92 E Gurry, Canning, pullet, 1st 95½ Cole, 2nd 94 McGaw & Briggs. Dark—cock, 1st 93 McGaw & Briggs, 2nd 91 C J Daniels, Toronto; hen, 1st 94 and 2nd 88½ McGaw & Briggs; cockerel 1st 90½ Daniels, 2nd 89 Thos Cockburn, Hamilton; pullet, 1st 92 McGaw & Briggs, 2nd 92 Daniels.

**COCHINS**. Buff—Cock, 1st 91 Jackson, 2nd 91 W H Anderson, Bartonville; hen, 1st 91 Jackson, 2nd 89 Cockburn; cockerel, 1st 92 A Sachs, Hamilton, 2nd 86½ Cockburn; pullet, 1st 93 Jackson, 2nd 91½ Sachs. Part-ridge, cock, 1st 91 Cockburn, 2nd 89½ Anderson; hen, 1st 90½ Jackson, 2nd 89½ Cockburn; cockerel, 1st 92 Jackson, 2nd 89 Daniels; pullet, 1st 92 Daniels, 2nd 88 Jackson. White, cock, 1st 93 Cockburn, hen 1st 92 Cockburn, cockerel 1st 92½ Anderson, pullet 1st 92 Cockburn.

**LANGSHANS**—Cockerel 1st 93 D C Work, Hamilton, 2nd 89 Anderson, pullet 1st 94 Daniels, 2nd 92½ Work.

**DORKINGS**—Silver Gray, cock, 2nd 88½ Jas Main, Milton; hen 1st 95½ Main, 2nd 89½ O'Brien & Colwell, Paris; cockerel, 1st 95 Main; pullet, 1st 93½ and 2nd 92½ Main. Colored, cock, 1st 89½ Main; cockerel 1st 94 Main; pullet 1st and 2nd 95½ Main. A.O.V., cockerel, 1st 92 O'Brien & Colwell.

**HAMBURGS**—Spangled, cock, 1st 93½ A Henderson, 2nd 93½ Daniels; hen, 1st 95 Daniels, 2nd 94½ Henderson; cockerel, 1st W Wyndham, Hamilton; pullet, 1st 95½ Wyndham, 2nd 94½ Gofston. Pencilled, cockerel 1st 92 W Spence, Hamilton; pullet 1st 92½ Spence; hen 1st 94½ and 2nd 93 Spence. Black, cock 1st 92½ Daniels; hen 1st 93½ Henderson, 2nd 92½ Cockburn; cockerel 1st 94½ Henderson, 2nd 92½ Daniels; pullet 1st 96 Henderson, 2nd 94 Cockburn.

**LEGHORNS**—Brown, hen 1st 93 and 2nd 92½ Gofston; cockerel 1st 92½ Work, 2nd 92 S Wilson; pullet 1st 95 Ford & Waldie, Milton, 2nd 94½ J Eustice, Hamilton. White, cock 1st 94 P H Hamilton, Hamilton, 2nd 90½ Henderson; hen 1st 93 Spence, 2nd 93 E

Gurry; cockerel 1st 93 Spence, 2nd 92 Hamilton; pullet 1st 96 Henderson, 2nd 94 Hamilton. Black cock, 1st 93 Spence, 2nd 92½ Hamilton; hen 1st 93 Johnson, Milton, 2nd 92½ Hamilton; cockerel 1st 94 Johnson, 2nd 92½ Adam Cook; pullet 1st 94½ Johnson, 2nd 94½ Spence.

**SPANISH**—Black, cock 1st 90½ Ford and Waldie; hen 1st 93 J Down, Hamilton, 2nd 92½ Ford & Waldie; cockerel 1st 90 Eustice, 2nd 89½ Gurry; pullet 1st 93 Eustice, 2nd 90 Gurry; breeding pen Gurry 362½.

**MINORCAS**—Black, cock 2nd 88½ H Fearman; hen 1st 92½ and 2nd 92 T J Senior, Hamilton; cockerel 1st 90 Senior; pullet 1st 93 Cook, 2nd 92 Senior.

**ANDALUSIANS**—Hen 1st 95 Dustan, 2nd 93 Gofston; cockerel 1st 94½ Dustan; pullet 1st 94 Dustan, 2nd 92 Gofston.

**GAMES**, B B R—cock 1st 94 Main, 2nd 92½ Barber and Co., Toronto; hen 1st and 2nd 97 and 95 Main; cockerel 1st: 93½ Main, 2nd 93 Barber and Co.; pullet 1st and 2nd 96 and 94½ Main. Pyle, cock 1st 93½ O'Brien and Colwell, 2nd 93½ Barber & Co.; hen 1st 95 Barber and Co., 2nd 93½ O'Brien and Colwell; cockerel 1st 92 Barber and Co., 2nd 91½ Gurry; pullet 1st 95 Barber and Co., 2nd 92 Gurry. Duckwing, cock 1st and 2nd 95½ and 93 Barber and Co; hen 1st and 2nd 94½ and 93 do; cockerel 1st and 2nd 93 and 90½ do; pullet 1st 2nd and 96 and 93½ do. Indian, cock 1st and 2nd Daniels; hen 1st do; cockerel 1st and 2d M Richardson, Hamilton; pullet 1st and 2d Daniels. Pit, cock 1st Fairy Poultry Yards, Hamilton, 2d W Harper, Hamilton; hen 1st and 2d Wilson; cockerel 1st Wilson, 2d Harper; pullet 1st Wilson, 2d Harper. A O V, cock 1st and 2d Daniels. HOUDANS—cock 1st 94½ O'Brien and Colwell, 2nd 93 Wilson; pullet 1st and 2d 94 and 91½ Gurry.

**PLYMOUTH ROCKS**, Barred—Cock 1st 92 McGaw and Briggs; cockerel 1st 94 Wilson, 2nd 91 Work; pullet 1st 94 Wilson, 2nd 83 Work, breeding per. 1st H Hazel (city) 2nd W Lane (city). White, hen 1st 94½ Wyndham, 2nd 90 Gurry; cockerel 1st 90½ Wyndham, 2d 90 Gurry; pullet 1st 93 Wyndham.

**WYANDOTTES**—S L, hen 1st 92 O'Brien and Colwell, 2nd 90 S Clemo, Dunnville; cockerel 1st 93 and 2nd 93 Clemo; pullet 1st 93½ and 2d 93 Clemo. Golden, cock 1st and 2d Daniels.

**JAVAS**—Cock, 1st 97 Geo Behrens, Hamilton; hen 1st 91½ Daniels, 2d 91½ Behrens; pullet 1st 97½ and 2d 90½ Daniels.

**POLISH**—Golden, cock 1st 92 O'Brien and Colwell, 2nd 89½ D Work; hen 1st 91½ Work, 2d 91½ O'Brien and Colwell; cockerel 1st 92 Work, 2d 92 Cockburn; pullet 1st 93½ O'Brien and Colwell, 2d 92 Work. W C B, cock 93 O'Brien and Colwell.

**BANTAMS**, B B R game—cock 1st 94½ O'Brien and Colwell, 2nd 94 Barber and Co.; hen 96½ Daniels, 2d 96 Barber and Co.; cockerel 1st 96 Daniels, 2nd 94 O'Brien and Colwell; pullet 1st 96½ Daniels, 2d 96½ O'Brien and Colwell. Duckwing, cock 1st and 2nd 95 and 88½, hen 1st and 2d 96 and 94½; cockerel 1st 95 Barber and Co., 2nd 92½ O'Brien and Colwell; pullet 1st 94½ Barber and Co., 2nd 91 O'Brien and Colwell. Pyle, cock 1st 93½ Barber & Co., 2d 92 O'Brien and Colwell, hen 1st 96 Barber and Co., 2nd

93 O'Brien and Colwell; cockerel 1st 93 Barber and Co., 2d 92½ O'Brien and Colwell; pullet 1st 96½ Barber and Co., 2nd 96 do. Scabright, cock 1st 93 Harper, 2d 83½ Daniels; hen 1st and 2d 94½ and 94½ Daniels; cockerel 1st 91½ O'Brien and Colwell, 2d 90½ Daniels; pullet 1st 95 do. Black African, cock 1st 93½, hen 1st 92½ Ford and Waldie. Pekin, cock 1st 93 Clemo; hen 1st and 2d 95 and 93 Wyndham; cockerel 1st 94½ Daniels, 2d 94 Cockburn; pullet 1st 93 Daniels, 2d 93 Wyndham.

**TURKEYS**, Bronze—Cock 1st Main; hen 1st do; cock young do; hen young do. Ducks, Pekin—Drake 1st Hamilton; duck 1st Hamilton, 2d O'Brien and Colwell; drake young 1st Hamilton, 2d O'Brien and Colwell; duck young 1st Hamilton, 2nd O'Brien and Colwell. Rouen, drake 1st and 2d Main; duck 1st and 2d do; drake young Main and O'Brien and Colwell. Aylesbury, drake 1st O'Brien and Colwell, 2d Cockburn; duck Cockburn; drake young do; duck young do.

**GEESSE**, Toulouse—Gander Cockburn; goose do. Embden, Gander 1st Main, 2d O'Brien and Colwell; goose 1st Main 2d O'Brien and Colwell.

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