

POULTRY NOTES.

No. 41.

Below, you will find answer to the Prize Contest given by the Fancier's Review. By comparing this number and the one that contains the questions you will have a better conception of the facts.

- 1. Barred Plymouth Rocks. 2. Thoroughbreds are more desirable for farmers than crosses. 3. Scoring. 4. Standard should be illustrated. 5. Perches most desirable. 6. The secret is cleanliness. 7. Awards should be published. 8. The American Poultry Association should meet in New York.

You see by the above that it is the universal opinion that the Barred Plymouth Rocks are the best "all purpose" fowl we have to-day and it will pay farmers to make a note of it.

That pure bred are more desirable for the farmer than crosses, as they cost no more to keep and give better results. W. B. GERMAN.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Friday Happenings.

- Mayflower landed on Friday. Bastille was burned on Friday. Moscow was burned on Friday. Washington was born on Friday. Shakespeare was born on Friday. America was discovered on Friday. Lincoln was assassinated on Friday. Queen Victoria was married on Friday. Battle of Marengo was fought on Friday. King Charles I. was beheaded on Friday. Battle of Waterloo was fought on Friday. Julius Caesar was assassinated on Friday. Battle of New Orleans was fought on Friday. Joan of Arc was burned at the stake on Friday. Declaration of Independence was signed on Friday.

The Best Authorities.

Such as Dr. Dio Lewis, Prof. Gross, and others, agree that catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease. It therefore requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which affectually and permanently cures catarrh. Thousands praise it.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, jaundice, biliousness, sick headache, constipation and all troubles of the digestive organs.

A Unique Magazine.

A unique experiment will be tried in the February issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. The entire number has been contributed in prose, fiction and verse by the daughters of famous parentage, as a proof that genius is often hereditary. The work of thirty of these "daughters" will be represented. They will comprise the daughters of Thackeray, Hawthorne, Dickens, James Fenimore Cooper, Horace Greeley, Mr. Gladstone, President Harrison, William Dean Howells, Senator Ingalls, Dean Bradley of Westminster, Julia Ward Howe, General Sherman, Jefferson Davis and nearly a score of others. Each article, poem or story printed in this number has been especially written for it, and the whole promises to be a successful result of an idea never before attempted in a magazine.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for years. Having tried a number of remedies advertised as "sure cures" without obtaining any relief, I had resolved never to take any other patent medicine, when a friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm. I did so with great reluctance, but can now testify that after using it for six weeks I believe myself cured. It is a most agreeable remedy—an invaluable Balm.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn.

Passmore. "So you are married, I hear?" Hipple. "Yes." "Gone to live with the girl's parents, I suppose?" "No; they have come to live with me."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

DEATH OF THE PRINCE.

Albert Victor, the Heir Presumptive to England's Throne Gone.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Prince Albert Victor, the Duke of Clarence and Avondale, died at Sandringham this morning at 9.15.



ALBERT VICTOR DUKE OF CLARENCE.

The news of the death of the Duke of Clarence has caused widespread grief, and already demonstrations of the public feeling are everywhere apparent. On all public buildings flags are displayed at half-mast, and throughout the whole of London the sad intelligence has been received with expressions of the deepest sorrow.

By the death of the Duke of Clarence and Avondale, Prince George of Wales becomes the heir of the Prince of Wales, and, therefore, heir presumptive to the throne.

INSANE THROUGH FEAR.

Dread of Train Robbers Renders Mrs. Northrop a Maniac.

ALLIANCE, O., Jan. 18.—Several weeks ago, Mrs. Rosa Northrop, accompanied by her seven-year-old daughter, left San Diego, Cal., to visit relatives in this State, several of whom live near here. Mrs. Northrop took considerable money with her, and being of a nervous disposition was greatly worried with the fear that in her trip across the continent train robbers would force her to give up the money. This so preyed upon her mind that she lost her reason, and when the train stopped at a way station in Iowa, she took her child, and started across the prairie to escape from the imaginary robbers.

After wandering around for a day and a night the woman and child were found by an attendant of an orphan asylum near which they had wandered, nearly dead from exposure. The lady was in such a condition that she could give no account of who she was. Her child, however, an unusually bright little girl, told who they were and said an uncle lived in Nebraska. He was notified of Mrs. Northrop's condition, and arriving the next day brought the mother and daughter to this city.

Mrs. Northrop is now at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lydia Baldwin, a few miles north of this city, a raving maniac. She is constantly seeking to escape or commit suicide to get away from the robbers whom she believes are still after her.

A LONG SEARCH.

The Bodies of the Entombed Hill-Farm Miners Almost Reached.

DUNBAR, Pa., Jan. 17.—Within the next few days the mystery of the Hill-farm mine will probably be solved. Within that time the miners who had been working for months are expected to penetrate the right heading, where twenty-two miners are known to have been entombed on that fateful June morning in 1890. In the dip heading it is now known that the other seven men of the ill-fated twenty-nine met their doom.

All these months Mine Boss Doran has been at work with his forces quenching the fire and lowering the waters until now the fire is known to be compressed within a small area, though it will take perhaps years to finally extinguish it, as it is supplied with air from numerous fissures which cannot be smothered. The cost to the Dunbar Furnace Company has been enormous. Water is being pumped from the right heading and the dip heading. The pumps at the bottom of the slope have been found intact. They were slightly rusted, but after a little overhauling were put to work at their old duties. Months will be consumed before the mine will be cleared of water, but the fate of the imprisoned miners, together with just how and when they died, may be learned at any time.

FORGERY OR BLACKMAIL.

A Strange Suit Now to be Tried in a Quiet Ohio Town.

CANTON, O., Jan. 18.—Some time ago proceedings were commenced by Edward Snyder, proprietor of a tin store in Massillon, against Peter G. Albright, a prominent banker of that place, to collect the money claimed to be due on a \$30,000 promissory note. Snyder is jealous of his wife and made an accusation against the banker, which Albright did not deny. Albright gave a note for \$30,000 at the same time signing a confession acknowledging his guilt. This Snyder now says is in the hands of his attorney.

When the note was presented the signature was denied by Albright, who claimed it was a blackmail, and its payment was refused. The suit was then brought. The case has been postponed from time to time, but both sides now claim they are ready for the contest.

His Hair Turned White.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., Jan. 18.—At Five Points, this county, John Burton, recovering from the grip, fell in a faint while walking. While unconscious his hair turned white. He is now rapidly recovering.

Spring Elections.

At the February election constables and assessors will be elected for three years; under the new law each district elects but one assessor, who does all the registering and assessing, and in the third year of his term makes the triennial assessment—hence the importance of exercising judgment in the selection of competent men may be selected. The new election law of the State goes into effect March 1, 1892. Under the new law the judges and inspectors elected next month will be required to hold the election next November. Election boards therefore should be chosen with a view to thorough competency and responsibility.

Dr. Mecker's Medicines are pure and a sure cure for whatever they claim. Lung-tion for colds. Speedy relief for pains, internal and external. Blackberry Cordial for bowel complaints, for young and old. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by all druggists. Manufactured by H. C. & J. A. Olmstead, Williamsport, Pa. All put up in 25 and 50 cts bottles. 6-19-1 yr.

Bunting. "I had a letter from your home to-day. Your mother has been very ill."

Mrs. Bunting. "Poor dear mamma! Is she better?"

"Calm yourself. You must prepare for the worst."

"Oh, is she dead?"

"Oh, no. I said you must prepare for the worst. She is coming to visit us."

Persons who have engraved plates for visiting cards, can have cards printed from their plates at THE COLUMBIAN office. We are also prepared to fill orders for engraved invitations or cards on short notice. Our work is done by one of the leading engravers of Philadelphia, and is guaranteed as to quality and style. Samples can be seen on application. Don't send out of town for what can be ordered at home.

Old Lady. "No use talkin', I used to say this higher eddication of gals was all folderol; but I see I was wrong. There's my granddarter, for instance. She's just a wonder."

Friend. "I understand she graduated with high honors."

Old Lady. "Yes, graduated from Vassar, and she kin do what neither her mother nor me could ever hope to do if our lives depended on it."

Friend. "Indeed! And what is that?"

Old Lady. "She kin tell the time a train is goin' to start by lookin' at a railway guide."

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. mar-6-1y.

"Since you think yourself so smart," said the exchange editor, glancing backward over his shoulder, "perhaps you can tell why the letter 't' is like Lord Byron."

"I don't believe it is," retorted the financial editor, beligerently.

"The letter 't' is like Lord Byron," said the exchange editor, raising his voice, "because it gives to immortality immortality."

And the other man, with a hunted look in his eye, raised the window and stuck his head out to get fresh air.—Chicago Tribune.

Don't experiment with your health.

You may be sure of the quality of your medicine, even if you have to take much of your food upon trust. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and no other. It is the standard blood purifier, the most effective and economical.

Her Father (furiously)—"What do you mean by wanting to marry my daughter?"

Poor-dick—"If you knew how hard up I was, you'd know I meant business."

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Housekeeper. "I know that milk fresh from the cow is warm, but that you left here yesterday was hot—hot and thin, too, just as if boiling water had been poured in it."

Milkman. "Oh, the milk's all right, mum; no water in it; no indeed, mum."

Housekeeper. "Then how came it to be almost boiling hot?"

Milkman. "Why—er—you see, mum, some of the cows has typhoid fever."—Good News.

Murdered.

The body of Julius Baer was found by freighters five miles west of here Tuesday morn, in a terribly mangled condition. His head and face were smashed, so as to be hardly recognized, and numerous wounds were found on his body. Mr. Baer was agent for the great blood medicine, Sulphur Bitters. Robbery was undoubtedly the motive, as he was well known to have a large sum of money on his person. As we go to press there is no clew to the perpetrators.—Colorado Press. 1-22-2t.

"There," said the wife of the president of the wrecked bank, as she gave the finishing touch to her toilet, "If your bank has failed that is no reason why I should hide myself. I intend to show myself at the opera to-night."

"Very well, my dear," said her husband, "show yourself if you wish to; but don't you think," he added, as his eye took in the cut of her corsage, "that it were better to conceal something?"—New York Press.

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Jimson (to merchant)—"What is the charge for this pair of shoes?" Merchant—"I shall charge you five dollars."

Jimson (starting out)—"Don't forget to charge it."

Under the main entrance to one of our churches a poor woman, shivering with cold and holding a baby in her arms, appealed to the charity of the passers by.

"Why, your infant is of pasteboard?" said a gentleman, as he tapped its nose, which sounded hard and resonant.

"Oh, I beg your pardon, Monsieur. It is so cold I left the real one at home."

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