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THE TRENT.—Since writing you some four months ago very little sport has been had in this part of the river, owing, I think, to the fearful destruction which I mentioned in that letter. A friend staying with me has tried for pike on many occasions, but at present without success, although he has gone out on very promising days. I am afraid this part of the river will not for some time get over the poisoning, as I have not heard of any one having had much sport below Barton for the last six months. A. O. W. (Newton)

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FISHING.—The heavy rain and gale winds rendered this river and the tributaries scarcely sufficient to protect the brown trout, and quite prevented the ascent of either salmon or sea-trout, so that the October fishing was very little. However, this unusual occurrence has its advantages, for the trout are now in season, and it is found that they are much larger than the unusually large salmon for next season's rod-fishing. During some weeks there was a very large supply of white trout in the upper tidalway pools, and I expect that the salmon-fishing in this river next season will equal, if not exceed, that of last year. The weather is now moderate, and anglers may therefore expect as many others in Ireland, sportsmen will be likely to visit.—*Irelands News*.

TROUT AND SALMON.—I received on Friday last a beautiful salmon, weighing between 20lb. and 25lb., caught in the above-named river by a friend living near Meurice. He states that the river is now in fine condition, and on the 16th inst. he had taken several more fish, one of which weighed nearly 10lb. weight. My fish was in fine condition.—A. O. W. (Newcastle).

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THE TAY—In order to procure ova for the Stormontshire salmon propagation establishment, the net was set to work a few days ago in the river Tay, near Perth. Considerable fruit was the result, but out of forty fish taken, consisting of female grilse, only two were found suitable for the purpose. The remainder were sold to the local market at a price of 20 shillings a score. No river seems to be better warded than the Tay and her numerous tributary streams. The waddlers from all parts report great success in the fishery, but in the Tay the fish are so numerous that beyond any supply that has been noticed for years past, the extra supply is not likely to be required. The fishery is, however, a very creditable one in a great measure to the very awkward season which this river suffered from in the past dry summer, during which the fish were preserved in the river in great numbers. The fishery was commenced in the early part of the fish having already completed the operation and departed, and are ready to turn seaward. Three of the forty fish above mentioned were sent to the establishment, and the remainder were sold to the local market. These river hadd out to pondich, there has not been one poisoning can

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SKATING

ATES AND SKATE-FASTENINGS

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I have not yet seen a skate made entirely of metal on a principle that seemed good enough to supersede the wooden sole, but I think that must come, and I would like to hear the experience of any gentlemen who tried any of the new kinds described last year.

CYCLOS.

CHES.

CORRESPONDENTS

Q 3. — (Both). — We were to acknowledge your correction duly received.
A. — (Hindmarsh). — Thanks for your wise contributions.
Q 4. — (Hindmarsh). — I am obliged to you for the assistance and the accompanying paper.
A. — The law you notice is owing, simply to the existence of a White Fawn at the GLASTON, DERBURY, J. FROST, and OTHERS. — The solutions sent to our last issue were not correct.
Q 5. — (Birmingham). — We are indebted for the next enigma; the game, however, is too weakly played on both sides.
A. — I am sorry for the small number of correct contributions, but the problems are not nearly so up to the mark, and may be solved in half a dozen different ways.
Q 6. — (A). — A work on the double chess, or chess for four, was brought out, we believe, by MESSRS LEITCHES, of FLEETWOOD, who also sell the boards and men.

W No. 828.—By C. BEN
BLACK.

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WHITE.
White to play, and mate in 5 moves.

SOLUTION TO PROBLEM 157.

WHITE.	BLACK.
1. P to K R 5	1. P takes P
2. K1 to K K1 7	2. P Queens
3. K1 to K R 8	3. Any move.
4. K1 to Q 8, mate.	

The variations are obvious.

CHESS IN THE PROVINCES.
An interesting home-and-home match between the chess-club of Huddersfield and Bradford was brought to a close on the Saturday before last, at the latter town. The terms of the match were that six chosen players of

Bradford should count with six chosen players of Huddersfield, each pair contesting three games, and the victory to belong to the largest total score. The first fixtures took place at Huddersfield, with a pretty equally-balanced result; but in the return encounter, at Bradford, the players of that town secured a decided triumph, by having gained on the whole play eighteen games against twelve, with two draws. The following is a detailed statement of the combats:

BRADY.		HODGKINSFIELD.		DEWIS.	
G. Tegeler	2	J. Watkins	1	...	...
E. Warner	1	G. Brock, jun.	2	...	...
J. Pety	2	E. Eastwood	0	...	...
T. A. Knowles	2	J. H. Robinson	0	...	...
H. Amnellberg	1	D. Marden	2	...	...
W. F. Vane	2	W. F. Vane	2	...	...
A. Menning	2	P. Schlosberg	0	...	...
A. O. Shaders	1	J. H. Jones	2	...	...
T. Fieldend	2	W. J. Miller	0	...	1
A. A. ...	2	W. J. Miller	0	...	...
W. C. Ferrand	2	Samor	3	...	...
B. Broughton	1	D. A. Cooper	0	...	...

It will be perceived that, owing to the absence, or early resignation, of James Cooper, Robinson, and Schellenger, four games were scored by default against Huddersfield. On the spot of the match the *Sheffield Daily Telegraph* writes: "The Huddersfield team, which has been the backbone of the Huddersfield Club having long enjoyed the reputation of being the strongest in Yorkshire, the present contest has excited a lively interest in the neighbourhood, and as well as among the adherents of the several games, and our townsmen have reason to congratulate themselves on the successful issue of their encounter, and on having been able, by their persistent determination to achieve victory over a previous opponent, to show that when they were an avowed defeat in a previous position, they were no longer so." We append the only game of this entertaining affair which has come

King's Gambit declined.	
WHITE.	BLACK.
Mr Tegehr, K to Q 4	Mr Wilkinson K to Q 4
1 P to K 4	1 B to Q 4
2 Kt to K 3	2 P to Q 4
3 P to K 3	3 B to K 3
4 K to Q 4	4 Castles on
5 P to K 5	5 Q to K 3 (d)
6 P to K 3	6 P to Q 4
7 Kt takes B	7 P takes K 3
8 Q takes P (d)	8 Q takes B P
9 Kt takes B	9 Q to K 4, ch
10 K to B 7	10 P to K 5
11 P takes P	11 Kt takes P
	12 Q to K 4, ch
WHITE.	BLACK.
Mr Tegehr, K to Q 4	Mr Wilkinson K to Q 4
15 Kt to K 3	16 Kt takes Kt
16 Castles	17 Q to Q 2
17 B takes Kt	18 Kt takes K 3
18 K to K 4	19 Kt to Q 3
19 P to K 4	20 Q R to K 3 (d)
20 Q R to K 3 (d)	21 R to K 3
21 R to K 3	22 Q to K 3 (d)
22 Q to K 3 (d)	23 B takes B
23 B takes B	24 P to R 6
24 P to R 6	25 K to B 6
25 K to B 6	26 K takes Kt
26 B to Q 3	27 B to Q 3
	K Black resigned

(b) Again the variations springing from Kt to Kt 5 seem to recommend themselves, owing to White's having played Q Kt to B 4 as his fourth move instead of

(c) This is played with good judgment. Black might have taken the P pawn, so as to preserve his control for the having to move his K next move would not be very disastrous. (d) Black ought not to have put a moment in bringing out his tardy Q K, and the subsequent tribulation may be traced to this premature move. (e) It is interesting that if he now push Pawn to K K 4, Black will attack the Q with ... and thus move B to K 4. (f) This intent: Black might have moved B to K 4, though even then Mr Teufel as a good deal the best of the situation, and winning as he did, of a player of Mr Teufel's class, it is not clear that he could have done better. (g) It is, however, just to Mr Wackindson to add, that in our opinion, his play in this game is not up to his mark.

It will be in the recollections of our chess-playing readers that a match at chess between the Huddersfield and Bradford clubs was contested in the month of April last, the Huddersfield club winning by the very large majority of 22 games to 18. The Bradford club then issued a challenge for a return match at Bradford, on Saturday last, in the defeat of the Huddersfield club. It will soon be the score below that Bradford succeeded in winning exactly half of the total number of games to be played. As Huddersfield at this point of the match had a lead of 12 games to 10, the Bradford club had been drawn, it was deemed unnecessary to play out the remainder of the score standing—Bradford 5; Huddersfield 12; drawn games 3; undecided 4.

It may also be observed, that if the results of both matches be added together, the score would be Huddersfield 41 games, and Bradford only 36. The Huddersfield club here, with their moral spirit, already challenges their late antagonists to a competing match to be played towards the end of the season, and until this is decided we think that optimism as to the comparative strength of the two clubs is not warranted. We are, however, convinced that the Bradford gentlemen are the great improvers, and they are, therefore, the party to watch in the future. We have pleasure in putting on record the very handsome and hospitable reception they have always given to their opponents. They are, in fact, the most popular of clubs, and we are sure that the members who are sure must have laboured here to secure the efficiency of the club.

MATCH AT CHESS BETWEEN HUDDERSFIELD AND SHEFFIELD.—Since the match with Bradford the Huddersfield club has already entered into another match with that of Sheffield. The present score in this affair gives to Huddersfield 8, Sheffield 3, drawn 7; the finish is to be played at Sheffield to-day, Dec. 3.

FOOTBALL.

MATCHES TO COME.

At Kilburn, Dec. 18.—Forest Football Club v. "N. K. k."

LL. v. The School, began on

Three days' play was decided in favour of the Lower Rooms by two goals to none. The goals were kicked by Greenhalgh and Phillips.

HOWARD AND HUNTSMAN v. GENTLEMEN AND WRIGGS.—This match began on the 4th, when no goal was kicked, but on the 7th a goal was kicked by Stevens, the huntsman, for the Howards, and on the 9th, another by J. J. Emerson.

DURFELLES v. THE SCHOOL. was begun on the 14th, when a goal was kicked for the Ds-ables by Phillips. On the 16th another goal was kicked for the

FOOTBALL AT UPPINGHAM SCHOOL.

THIRTY.—This, the first mat

very thirty upon the mole, and after a spirited game of nearly two hours, won by a bully. Messrs Childs, Dankes, Sandilands, and Huxsey, are especially worthy mention, as having played well. Score: First Fifteen, two bullies; Next Thirty, one bully. Annexed are the names of the Fifteen: C. Childs, E. L. Nettleship, W. Dankes, L. M. D'Ursey, W. Storey, C. B. Babinington, G. Briggs, A. Williams, C. Ridley, J. H. Sandilands, S. Touris, T. Hartley, E. Townley, H. Ritchell, and T. B. Huxsey, Kays.

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(ADVERTISEMENT).—Did you see the long Russian Boots in the Exhibition?—S. W. Norman has received a supply of the Boot Legs and Elk skins, particularly adapted for Shooting Boots. A good assortment of self-protected Chastain Boots in stock.—(Ed. Western Argus, Caldwell, and

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Mr. F. Nightingale as Bravo, age 1, with winning penalties and selling allowances about 5 miles.
130 lbs 40 (over) ————— Mr. Mumford 1
Mr. E. Ripchick as Bravo, 4 yrs (60) ————— Wadlington 2
Mr. E. Lohr as Jockey, age 1 (60) ————— Wadlington 3
Mr. Franklin Cokersey, aged (40) ————— Matthews 4
Mr. Ira Lohr as Jockey, age 1 (60) ————— Matthews 5
Betting: 5 to 1 against Bravo, 5 to 2 against The Dun, and 4 to 1 against Flying Bough. The race led for a short distance, but was soon passed by Bravo, with flying start. Flying Bough, who was in the lead, was overtaken by the Greyhound, though The Hunts led. Bravo continued the lead to the turn at the end of the track. Flying Bough, who was in the lead, was overtaken by the Greyhound, who raced together to the finish, where they stopped their horses under the impression that it was the chase. This gave Bravo again the lead, and Corbett, who was in the lead, was overtaken by the Greyhound, who won the first line round, the favourite had the rest of the race to himself, and won by a quarter by six lengths. He was bought by Mr. Reynolds for \$100.

PROGRAMME OF READING STEEPLE-CHASES.

BETTING AT TATTERSALL'S.
MONDAY.—That Christmas is coming, the Corner gives undoubted proof. The attendance gets small by degrees, and except that this afternoon was the last one for the season, there is nothing to distinguish it from anything in the time of year, and that business got through, a little deulatory business on the Drury road place, and a few more, and the day was over. The horse fair, which was held on the same place, during the winter. Oppressor and Brother to Miss were backed for some little money, and the Duke and Breadbasket were much up and down. The same price was paid for the horse fair, and the same price was paid for the same place. Liddington was firm; and among the outsiders, Ariel, The Buck, and Zephyr, were alone mentioned. A dull afternoon closed with the same price.

THE DEERY.	Trainer.	Monday.	Thursday.
22. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100. 101. 102. 103. 104. 105. 106. 107. 108. 109. 110. 111. 112. 113. 114. 115. 116. 117. 118. 119. 120. 121. 122. 123. 124. 125. 126. 127. 128. 129. 130. 131. 132. 133. 134. 135. 136. 137. 138. 139. 140. 141. 142. 143. 144. 145. 146. 147. 148. 149. 150. 151. 152. 153. 154. 155. 156. 157. 158. 159. 160. 161. 162. 163. 164. 165. 166. 167. 168. 169. 170. 171. 172. 173. 174. 175. 176. 177. 178. 179. 180. 181. 182. 183. 184. 185. 186. 187. 188. 189. 190. 191. 192. 193. 194. 195. 196. 197. 198. 199. 200. 201. 202. 203. 204. 205. 206. 207. 208. 209. 210. 211. 212. 213. 214. 215. 216. 217. 218. 219. 220. 221. 222. 223. 224. 225. 226. 227. 228. 229. 230. 231. 232. 233. 234. 235. 236. 237. 238. 239. 240. 241. 242. 243. 244. 245. 246. 247. 248. 249. 250. 251. 252. 253. 254. 255. 256. 257. 258. 259. 260. 261. 262. 263. 264. 265. 266. 267. 268. 269. 270. 271. 272. 273. 274. 275. 276. 277. 278. 279. 280. 281. 282. 283. 284. 285. 286. 287. 288. 289. 290. 291. 292. 293. 294. 295. 296. 297. 298. 299. 300. 301. 302. 303. 304. 305. 306. 307. 308. 309. 310. 311. 312. 313. 314. 315. 316. 317. 318. 319. 320. 321. 322. 323. 324. 325. 326. 327. 328. 329. 330. 331. 332. 333. 334. 335. 336. 337. 338. 339. 340. 341. 342. 343. 344. 345. 346. 347. 348. 349. 350. 351. 352. 353. 354. 355. 356. 357. 358. 359. 360. 361. 362. 363. 364. 365. 366. 367. 368. 369. 370. 371. 372. 373. 374. 375. 376. 377. 378. 379. 380. 381. 382. 383. 384. 385. 386. 387. 388. 389. 390. 391. 392. 393. 394. 395. 396. 397. 398. 399. 400. 401. 402. 403. 404. 405. 406. 407. 408. 409. 410. 411. 412. 413. 414. 415. 416. 417. 418. 419. 420. 421. 422. 423. 424. 425. 426. 427. 428. 429. 430. 431. 432. 433. 434. 435. 436. 437. 438. 439. 440. 441. 442. 443. 444. 445. 446. 447. 448. 449. 450. 451. 452. 453. 454. 455. 456. 457. 458. 459. 460. 461. 462. 463. 464. 465. 466. 467. 468. 469. 470. 471. 472. 473. 474. 475. 476. 477. 478. 479. 480. 481. 482. 483. 484. 485. 486. 487. 488. 489. 490. 491. 492. 493. 494. 495. 496. 497. 498. 499. 500. 501. 502. 503. 504. 505. 506. 507. 508. 509. 510. 511. 512. 513. 514. 515. 516. 517. 518. 519. 520. 521. 522. 523. 524. 525. 526. 527. 528. 529. 530. 531. 532. 533. 534. 535. 536. 537. 538. 539. 540. 541. 542. 543. 544. 545. 546. 547. 548. 549. 550. 551. 552. 553. 554. 555. 556. 557. 558. 559. 560. 561. 562. 563. 564. 565. 566. 567. 568. 569. 570. 571. 572. 573. 574. 575. 576. 577. 578. 579. 580. 581. 582. 583. 584. 585. 586. 587. 588. 589. 590. 591. 592. 593. 594. 595. 596. 597. 598. 599. 600. 601. 602. 603. 604. 605. 606. 607. 608. 609. 610. 611. 612. 613. 614. 615. 616. 617. 618. 619. 620. 621. 622. 623. 624. 625. 626. 627. 628. 629. 630. 631. 632. 633. 634. 635. 636. 637. 638. 639. 640. 641. 642. 643. 644. 645. 646. 647. 648. 649. 650. 651. 652. 653. 654. 655. 656. 657. 658. 659. 660. 661. 662. 663. 664. 665. 666. 667. 668. 669. 670. 671. 672. 673. 674. 675. 676. 677. 678. 679. 680. 681. 682. 683. 684. 685. 686. 687. 688. 689. 690. 691. 692. 693. 694. 695. 696. 697. 698. 699. 700. 701. 702. 703. 704. 705. 706. 707. 708. 709. 710. 711. 712. 713. 714. 715. 716. 717. 718. 719. 720. 721. 722. 723. 724. 725. 726. 727. 728. 729. 730. 731. 732. 733. 734. 735. 736. 737. 738. 739. 740. 741. 742. 743. 744. 745. 746. 747. 748. 749. 750. 751. 752. 753. 754. 755. 756. 757. 758. 759. 760. 761. 762. 763. 764. 765. 766. 767. 768. 769. 770. 771. 772. 773. 774. 775. 776. 777. 778. 779. 780. 781. 782. 783. 784. 785. 786. 787. 788. 789. 790. 791. 792. 793. 794. 795. 796. 797. 798. 799. 800. 801. 802. 803. 804. 805. 806. 807. 808. 809. 810. 811. 812. 813. 814. 815. 816. 817. 818. 819. 820. 821. 822. 823. 824. 825. 826. 827. 828. 829. 830. 831. 832. 833. 834. 835. 836. 837. 838. 839. 840. 841. 842. 843. 844. 845. 846			

BETTING AT MANCHESTER.

FRIDAY.—There was a little doing on the Derby to-day at the price quoted, but bettering a little, except upon the longlists, is likely to be felt for the next month or two.

THE DERBY.

5 to 1	agst Liddington (1)	25 to 1	agst Brother to Minnie (1)
100 to 8	— The Duke (1)	28 to 1	— Bedminster (1)
100 to 8	— Bredalbane (1)	40 to 1	— Brahms (1)
14 to 1	— Chattanooga (1)	50 to 1	— Zephyr (1)
25 to 1	— Oppression (1)	100 to 15	— Ostrager (1)

SALES OF HORSES.

AT TATTERSALL'S, HYDE-PARK-CORNER, MONDAY, NOV. 25.

NL 6 vrs, by King of Trumps—Old Colular's dam... (Mr Riles)
NLS 7 vrs, by King of Trumps—Old Colular's dam... (Mr Riles)
NLS 8 vrs, by King of Trumps—Old Colular's dam... (Mr Riles)
NLS 9 vrs, by The Knight of Carols—Felicious... (Mr Strickland)
NLS 10 vrs, by The Knight of Carols—Felicious... (Mr Strickland)
NLS 11 vrs, by Orlando—The Arrow (Catharine) dam... (Mr Hetherington)

MARQUESS OF BATHURST'S

EAST HAMPS, 4 vrs, by Kingston—Red Duke... (Mr Blackford)
TRUMPS, 4 vrs, by King of Trumps—old Duke... (Mr Prior)
DUCES, 4 vrs, by Fill-Gardner—Pauline (red in France)... (Lord Kilmuir)
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QUADRILLE, 4 vrs, by Fawcote—Devil-dam... (Mr Watts)
ALBION, 4 vrs, by My Lord—Maiden... (Mr Watts)
ALBION, 4 vrs, by Droughda—Maid of Newton... (Mr Vivian)
LAST LONDON, 4 vrs, by Newmarket—Lady Melbourne... (Mrs J. G.)

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STEPPLE-CHASE FIXTURES.

DECEMBER.
Reading Grand Open Military and Hunt ... 4, 7 | Doglegion Hunt ... 29 | Ealing ... 30, 37
JANUARY.
A harvest with Hunt ... 24, 36

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SHOOTING

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Good Ol' Sam" appears to me simply to re-state as existing all that has been said before he says, "While large proprietors choose to employ the services of a few men, who are paid for their services, and who are, as I have said, the only persons who are paid for their services, it is, in my opinion, the duty of the proprietors to employ a large number of men, who are paid for their services, and who are, as I have said, the only persons who are paid for their services." "How is the battle to be avoided? This is the precisely the question that I am asking, and which I should be obliged to him if he can solve. O. C. says, "The only way to avoid the battle is to avoid the battle, by the thundering fiat of public opinion down upon it. Show, by example, that it is a wasteful, extravagant, senseless, and unprofitable practice; and keep on showing this, until some few leading sportsmen begin to see the sense of the thing, and to stop it. I have been in the game now had a good many years' experience of gambling public opinion, and I am quite sure that this is the plan, and the only plan, by which to carry out any beneficial measure or to rectify any abuse. And now we have the opportunity of doing this, and of showing to the world that joining in a battle becomes conscious that he is doing an unprofitable and bloodthirsty thing.

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Fair play makes good sport; but it is decidedly unfair, and, therefore, I am happy to say, irreconcilable with the character of an Englishman to pen in a lot of pheasants and "murder" them. Let us then pause and consider, before we thoroughly lose that model of perseverance, pluck, and good temper—the hearty British sportsman.

READY-AYE-READY

MOORS AND MANORS.
BEDFORDSHIRE.—Lerrow How.—The Leitch has been entertaining a party at Laton Hous, including the Duke of Devonshire, at Crumley, Eng., &c. The following is the result of four days' shooting:—Nov. 22: 231 pheasants, 12 partridges, 5 woodcock, 41 h. 33 rabbits, 4 vespers; Nov. 23: 260 pheasants, 7 partridges, 53 h. 30 rabbits, 2 vespers; Nov. 24: 231 pheasants, 12 partridges, 107 rabbits; Nov. 25: 222 pheasants, 3 partridges, 66 hares, 149 rabbits, total, 1518 pheasants; 23 partridges; 6 woodcocks; 436 h. 385 rabbits; and 4 vespers. Total of all, 2572. On each day two, some days three, foxes were viewed.

BUTE.—Mr Colquhoun and Lieut. Colquhoun, 4th Dragoon Guards, were shooting on the Kyle of Bute, killed. In two days last week also.

every variety of British game. Monday, Nov. 21 (a wet and stormy day): Grouse, black cock, wild duck, woodcock, rabbit, rose & Wednesday, Nov. 23 3 black game, 1 grouse, 6 partridge, 3 woodcock, 2 snipe, 2 hares.

SUFFOLK—MELFORD HALL—Lord and Lady Alfred P have been entertaining a select circle of friends at Melford Park, Suffolk. On two days Lord Alfred, accompanied by Lord Clarendon, Lord Alexander Paget, Mr Hammond (British Consul at Ceylon), Capt. E. S. Bruce, and Mr N. Barnardiston, shot through the preserves, and bagged 1549 head of game.

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THE RECENT TRIAL OF SMALL-BONE RIFLES.

SEN.—In your report of the trial of small-bore rifles held at Woolwich and given in your paper last week, you stated that I founded protest on the simple circumstance of Mr Rigby's barrels not being browned. As this statement is more calculated to mislead than to instruct your readers, I trust you will allow me the space to correct this error.

The whole of Mr Rigby's barrels were not only not browned in barrels, but the whole of the work was in the most unfinished state. The barrels were so badly engraved, and the rifling was so defective in circumstance I should neither have noticed nor objected to had not the circumstances (which were all in the finished state), not been disqualified being ysteth of an inch too small in the bore. This I could

altered in less than three hours. The letter, issued by the council of the National Rifle Association I will admit that I should be disqualified for having infringed Rule III, the bore of my barrels being .450. Instead of On the other hand, I contend that Mr. Rigby ought also to have been disqualified, as he infringed three of the Rules—viz., II, V, and VI. As Mr. Rigby did not, then Mr. Rigby did not supply the second place, he did not (and, of course, could not) deliver six complete rifled at the office of the Association before 11 o'clock a.m. on 21st inst., as he banded in his rifle in the soft undisturbed state of the barrel, and, after that, he did not appear in the third place. The secretary of the Association is unable to retain one of his rifle patterns.

In concluding this letter, I beg to call your attention to a letter which appeared in the *Daily Telegraph* of the 29th inst., which is written

Mr. Donald, who went from slips with the lead, reached the hare pump and, cleverly commanding himself, drove pass in grand style to the road of the kill, when he brought her back and Salviotti got in a few fast, easy, snappy strokes. Donald was not past and effected a good kill, running his course quick in his supple form. The difference between Mainmait and Minneimait I did not see. Hannah was too fast for General Lee, who, when in, ran so cheeky with his hare, that although showing good pace, he was cleverly defeated. Lapland, in a fine style, was a good runner, but he was a little slow, who, after being in for a couple of seconds, was little use in his course.

After going a short distance, and gradually increasing his lead, Reid made a move on the outside three lengths in advance of Baldrick, and wrenched it by three or four times; an exchange of points then took place, and the lead had a boldness about it. Reid then made a fine go-by again and was again in the lead, and he was not to be dislodged from his possession, and leading to covert, won cleverly.

For some distance, when King Charles, who appeared as if unslighted, passed, and, reaching his bare half a dozen lengths in advance, brought Reid back, and cleverly keeping his place, scored the first five or six points.

Cup.—**Second Tie:** Pastime and Billy-go-by-'em were slipped right of the spectators; the former, upon coming in view, gave six lengths, and after bringing her hare round she never offered an opponent a chance throughout a good trial. In the end the pair ran locked together until nearing the hare, which finally in favour of Emilia, who wrenched and brought her

The prize old Turkeys weighed 60lb., 61lb., and 62lb., respectively; young Turkeys 41lb., 47lb., and 49lb. Last year the heaviest pen Geese were mottled, and weighed 77lb.; the heaviest Turkeys, 55lb.

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PRIZE LIST.

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HAPPY, s.d., exhibitor, Mr. Duffell, 90, St. George's Road, Hove, Sussex.
SPINNA, f., exhibitor, Mrs. J. A. Duffell, 90, St. George's Road, Hove, Sussex.
SUPPINI, f., exhibitor, Mr. St. George Gore, Houghton Hall, Wickwallow; breeder,
 and Henry Bantling Corrie, about 3 yrs.)
GREYHOUNDS.—Dogs: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. J. Faulkner, 16, St.
 Michael's Street, Exeter (Felix, 7y. 7m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr. J. Hancock, 4, Phillips-street,
 Birmingham (Oscar, 2 yrs.).—Bitches: 1st, exhibitor, Mr. W. Rhodes, Kidder-
 minster; breeder, Messrs. Gurney & Co., Derbyshire (Brinsforda, 4y.), 2nd,
 exhibitor, Mr. W. W. Jackson, 8, Newmarket-road, Birkenhead (Birdie, 4y.).
NAMES. T. M.: Curlew, exhibitor, Mr. E. K. Smithson, High-street, Wedne-

Foxhounds.—*Alce*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Hon. W. H. T. North, Master of the Warwickshire (Saffron, 3 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Hon. W. H. T. North (Bedford, 3 yrs).—*Brown Bitches*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Hon. W. H. T. North (Lightning, 3 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Hon. W. H. T. North (Lightning, 3 yrs).—*Black*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, the Duke of Sutherland (Saffron, 3 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. G. Milne, Jas. Master of the Warwickshire (Saffron, under 2 yrs).—*Bitches*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Hon. W. H. T. North (Lavender, 3 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Viscount Curzon, M.P., Master of the Atherton (Kaylin, 2 yrs); highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. G. Milne, Jas. (County); commended, exhibitor and

OTHER HOUSERS:—*Doyle*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. Goldrat, 13, Post Office Bldg., New York; 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. Goldrat, 13, Post Office Bldg., New York; 3rd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. Goldrat, 13, Post Office Bldg., New York.

HARRIS:—*Doyle*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. W. Chapman, St. Louis; 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. W. Chapman, St. Louis; 3rd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. W. Chapman, St. Louis.

HOUSERS:—*Doyle*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. H. S. Hudson, Bricklayers' Guild, Portland (Vermont), 3 yrs; 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. W. Hudson, Portland (Vermont), 3 yrs; 3rd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. H. S. Hudson, Portland (Vermont), 3 yrs.

EAGLES.—*Dogs* (not exceeding 14 inches): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr P. Booth, Edgbaston, Birmingham (Cricket, 2y. Tin.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr E. A. N. Geyde, Crownant Court, Worcester (Chorus, 1y. 10m.; bred from two Cheshire dogs).—*Bitches*: 1st, exhibitor, Mr P. Booth; breeder, Mr J. G. Gramwood (Raby, 3y. 3m.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr P. Booth (Blue Bell, nearly 8 months).

Nottingham, {Jock, 12 mos.; exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. Urrill, Canham-lane, Nottingham; {Lionel, 18 mos., exhibitor and breeder, Messrs J. & A. Sandley, Jarrold-hill, Baildwin-street, Glasgow; {broader, J. Morgan [aged 4], High-street, Birmingham; {broader, M. J. D. Gorse Old Manor House Radcliffe-upon-Frome (Young Archer). [The class generally commenced]—{Alcohol, 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Stevenson Chester (Patch, 7 3m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr H. Hopcroft, The Vale, Newton, Notts.; {broader, Mr T. Page (Venus, 12 months); commended, Mr C. Collins-street, Nottingham; {broader, Mr J. Wilson, Nottingham (Violet, 1 5m.); 3rd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Wilson, High-street, Birmingham; {broader, Mr J. Stevenson, Chester (Rally, 2 3m.).

POINTS—**LAKESIDE** (Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. Sean, Lincoln (Peter, 3y, sm.); 2nd, exhibitor, Sir St. George Gore, Bart. (Finn, about 4 yrs); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. W. R. Brockton, London (Sweeney, 3y, sm.); commended, the late Mr. T. Hale (Bacon, 4y, sm.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. J. W. B. Smith, London (Hale, 3y, sm.).

POINTS—**LAKEVIEW** (Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. J. W. B. Smith, London (Dun, 3 yrs); commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. J. W. B. Smith, London (Dun, 3 yrs); commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. R. S. Cumberbatch (Manton, 3 yrs). *Dogs*: 1st, exhibitor, Mr. T. Smith, Red Lodge, Wolverhampton; breeder, the late Mr. H. Gilbert (Major, 2y, sm.).

Yucca: 2nd, exhibitor; Mr N. Edwards Vaughan, Rheola-Nestle, Glasgow, exhibitor; breeder, Mr G. Moore, Apperly Hall (Major, 2d, Sm.). *Batches*: 1st, exhibitor; Mr J. C. Macdonald, Glasgow, exhibitor; breeder, Mr H. Basse (Duke, 6th, 2nd); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. C. Antrobus, Kelso, Scotland (Major, 2d, 3rd); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr W. F. Bayly, 185, Fulham-road, Brompton, London; breeder, Mr H. Gilbert (Blossom, 4 yrs); recommended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr T. Statter, Standish, Manchester (Major, 2d, 3rd)—*Melrose* race (Champion Race) 1st, exhibitor, Mr Vernon, Northampton, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. C. Wrigley, Barry (Don, 2d, 4th), 2d, exhibitor, Mr G. S. F. May, 10, St. James's Place, London.

progeny breeder; the sire Mr H. Gilbert (same, 3 yrs); highly commended,
exhibitor, Mr W. Leet, jun., the Cottageville, King's Norton (sai, 16 months);
highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. H. Whitehouse, Ipsley Court,
Warwickshire (Filt, 1 yr, 7 mo). Dogs: lat. exhibitor and breeder, Mr T. C.
Henson, May's Hill, Henley-on-Avon (Carlo, 3 ym.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder,
Mr R. G. Blandford, Henley-on-Avon (Scott, Birmingham) (Easper, 2 ym.); highly
commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. M. Williams, Worcester (Lionel,
highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. C. Anstruther, Eaton Hall,
Cheshire (Wanger, 1 ym.). Boats: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. C.

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1st prize, (Melbourne), 1st North Cumberland; breeder, Mr R. Alkinson, Bowe,
 2nd prize, (Melbourne), 2nd, 1st. *Dogs*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. H. White-
 head, 2nd, 1st. *Sheep*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. H. Whitehead, 2nd,
 3rd. *Swine* (Flesh): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. Garth, Wimbledon
 (Bull, 2nd, 6th). *Horses*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. Garth, Wimbledon
 (Gill, 1st, 6m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr J. H. Whitehead, Ipsley Court, Warwick-
 shire; breeder, Mr A. Kendrick, Egbaston (Bells, 3 months); highly com-
 mended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr H. G. Smallwood, Hutton-hill, Enderbury,
 Birmingham (Sells, 2nd, 3m.).
 ST. LUTHER (Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor, Mr R. Garth,
 2nd, 1st. *Sheep*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. H. Whitehead, 2nd,
 3rd. *Swine* (Flesh): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. Garth, Wimbledon
 (Bull, 2nd, 6th). *Horses*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. Garth, Wimbledon
 (Gill, 1st, 6m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr J. H. Whitehead, Ipsley Court, Warwick-
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 mended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr H. G. Smallwood, Hutton-hill, Enderbury,
 Birmingham (Sells, 2nd, 3m.).

Knight, Chertfield-Isle, Clwick-lane, Swanscombe-upon-Tyne (Nk); yrs.; highly commended, exhibitor. Mr C. B. Haynes, Old Weir, Harewood (Bsh; 6 yrs.); days; 1st, exhibitor and breeder. Mr P. Blackett (Rako, 1y, 4m.); 2nd, exhibitor. Mr N. Beasley, Chapel Brampton, Northampton; breeder. Mr Dutton, Wellington (Neison, 4 yrs.); highly commended, exhibitor and breeder. Mr E. Leitch, York; 1st, exhibitor. Mrs M. A. Notis (Trudis, 18 months); 1st, exhibitor and breeder. Mr J. R. Bachler (Hornsea, 18 months); 1st, exhibitor and breeder. Mr W. G. Vearse, Morfen Vicarage, Bradford; breeder. Mr J. Russell, Weymouth (Brain, 18 months); commended, exhibitor and breeder. Mr E. S. Rogers (Blot, 18 months); commended, exhibitor and breeder.

(months)—BLACK AT TAN (Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor, Rev. T. George (Kent, about 4y. 6m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr. J. A. Hanley, Malmesbury (Wilt., 1891); 3rd, exhibitor, Mr. J. Jobling (Mald., 3 yrs.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. J. Jobling (Mald., 3 yrs.); 4th, exhibitor, Mr. J. Jobling (Mald., 3 yrs.).—BLACK AT TAN (Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor, Mr. L. E. Wilson, Bedford; breeder, Mr. Maholin (Reuben, 1y. 6m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr. T. L. Ewson; breeder, Lord Longborough (Rowland, 1y. 6m.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. J. Carling, Birmingham; breeder, the late Mr. J. Burdett (Birmingham, 14 months). (A very good class.) *Stakes*: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr. P. Hackett, Tyne (Ben, 3 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr. J. C. Calver, Tyne (Ben, 3 yrs.).

Champion Class): 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr W. Hutchinson, jun., Harbour House, Kingstown, Dublin (Bob, 7y. 6m.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr W. Watts, Bromsgrove, S.W.; breeder, Col. Truman (Ranger, 6y. 6m.); highly commended, exhibitor, Capt. T. Allaway, Highbury House, Lydney; breeder, Mr H. Coffey, Westmeath (Bake, 7y. 6m.) [A good class of dogs; the prize for bitches withheld].—Dogs: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Major Stanghoun, Myton Hall, York.

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INVERSION II - FOLIOLE WITH STIPULE AND STIPULE BRANCHES

ASTIFF DOGS.—1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr E. Hanbury, The Great Western, Wills (Duchess, 3y. sm.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr Wbury (Prince, 1y. sm.) 3rd, exhibitor, Mr W. Barker, Church-lane, Hants.; breeder, Mr J. Hinks (Tiger, 2y. sm.)

NEWFOUNDLAND DOGS.—1st, exhibitor, Mr T. Robinson, Woodlands, High Shields; breeder, Mr Emmerson (Carlo, 3y. 6m.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr J. Charnock-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham (Carlo, 3y. 3m.); 3rd, exhibitor, Mr T. Robinson, Huddersbrook, Hudd. (Wallace, 2y. 6m.)

REEF DOGS.—1st, exhibitor, Mr E. Giffen, M. B. Bedford, Woodlands, High Shields.

row, 7 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr T. Woulton, Deapenock, Cumbria (2nd, 5 yrs.); commended, exhibitor, Mr F. Coldick, West Be; breeder, Rev. W. F. Hapton, Bishops Frome, Herefordshire (Cover, 3); commended, exhibitor, Mr J. W. Palethorpe, Wilmer Grange, Harrogate, Gr (Cover, 5, 8m.).

ALPACAS.—1st, withkid; 2nd, exhibitor, Mr R. S. Dickinson, Leamington (Boils, about 5 yrs.).

ALL DOGS.—1st, exhibitor, Mr J. Lamphier, Soho-sreet, Handsworth, Birmingham (Kling Dick, about 6 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr J. B. Figg, Orm.

Mr. Holland Nelson, 3y. 2m.; highly commended, exhibitor
 1902, Mr J. Hales, North-street, Wolverhampton (Jack, 3 yrs.); highly
 commended, exhibitor, Mr R. Heathfield, Henley Lodge, Handsworth, Birmingham
 1903, Mr J. Lamphear (Old Nick, under 2 yrs.); highly commended, ex-
 hibitor and breeder, Mr J. Hales, North-street, Wolverhampton (Sting, 2
 yrs.); commended, exhibitor, Mr H. F. Wright, Rose-hill, Dudley; breeder, Mr
 Phillips (Young Dick, 7 months); *Duchess*; is, exhibitor and breeder, Mr
 Phillips (Madge, 11 months); and, exhibitor, Mr F. Reeves, Oxford-street,
 Birmingham (Fanny, 2y. 3m.); highly commended, exhibitor and breeder.
Blacks (Three); is, exhibitor and breeder, Mr Phillips (Maudie, 11 months);

FULL TERRIERS—1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Hinks, Philip-street, Birmingham (Madmen, 2 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Hinks (3 yrs.); 3rd, exhibitor, Mr V. E. Walker, Herkes-wall Hall, Coventry; 4th, J. Hinks (Pass, 2 yrs. 6m.); 5th, highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Hinks (Wasp, 10 months); 6th, highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Hinks (Furk, 10 months); 7th, commended, exhibitor, Mr J. M. Little, Holbeach, Birmingham; 8th, exhibitor, Mr Ellis (Venture, 3 yrs.).

BERKES-SMOTH-HAIRES (except Black and Tan): 1st, exhibitor

Mr. J. T. Hinko (Compass, 3 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr. J. Forster, at Coombe-street, Birmingham; breeder, Mr. G. Aston (Tiny, 1 yr, highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. J. Forster; breeder, Mr. G. Aston (On the Lady 9 months, Myrtle 9 months).—BLACK AND TAN: 1st, exhibitor, breeder, Mr. G. Fitter, 3, High-parc-corner, Newcastle-road, Birmingham (My, 4y, 6m.); 3rd, Mr. J. T. Robson, Holderness-road, Hull; breeder (Lily, 2y, 6m.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. A. Weir, 3, 3, Birmingham (Snip, about 17 months); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr. A. Weir, 3, 3, Birmingham (Sue, 16 months).—CATS: 1st, exhibitor, Mr. E. W. Boye, Dundee.

broeder, Mr H. Smith, 78, Shaw-leach, Stockport (Herc., 8m. 2w.); (H. mended, exhibitor, Mr H. Smith; brooder, Mr Longson, Widdow's Road); highly commended, exhibitor, Sir C. Watson, Bart., 3, Montpelier, Chelsea (Huff, 2 yrs.)—DANES DUNSTON: 1st, exhibitor, Mr. H. 1, Uxlos-street, Barningham; brooder, Mr Mitchell, Aberley (Dartmouth); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr T. B. Wright, Quarry House, Great Bar (Huff, 2 yrs.)—SCOTCH (or Broken-haired): 1st, exhibitor, Mr F. Eden, Co. Saloni (Albert); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr F. Eden (France); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr C. Mansfield, Long-acre, London (Puss, 2 yrs.); highly commended,

tor, Mr E. Hoyer, Westgate, Bradford; breeder, Mr H. H. Grim, 18 Monckton Road, Bradford; 1st, exhibitor, Mr G. K. Collis, Foxfield House, Bradford; breeder, Prince Malhotz (Fritz, 7 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr H. Day, 5 Bank, Salford, Birmingham; breeder, Mr S. L. Foster, Walsall (Sons, 5 to 6 Dons); 1st, exhibitor, Mr C. Bamford, The Leys, Cambridge; breeder, Mr C. Cooke, Great Stanmore (Prince, 2 yrs.); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr T. V. Prior, Cheltenham; breeder, the late Mr H. Gilbert (Topsy, 2 yrs.); exhibitor, Mr W. Macdonald, Cremorne Arms, Chelsea; breeder, Mr C. Norton (Prince, 4 yrs.); highly commended, exhibitor, Mr J. Bennett, 10, St. James's Place, London.

7th. **Toyey** 1 yr.; highly commended exhibitor, Mr D. Saunders, 16-row, Birmingham; breeder, Mr J. Chaplin (Fauch, 12 months).

ITALIAN GREYHOUNDS—1st, exhibitor, Mr C. Mandeville, Long-acre, London; breeder, Mr H. Duckworth (Flow, 4 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. Orchard-street, Osbury (Flow, about 12 months).

MALTESE DOGS—1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. Mandeville, 101, Leech, Borough, London (Pido, 5y. 4m.); 2nd, exhibitor and breeder, Mr Mandeville (Pido, 7y. 6m.).

PANIELS—BLUEGRAYS: 1st, exhibitor, Mr R. James, St Andrew's

Wich (Prince, 2 yrs; 2nd exhibitor and breeder, Mr R. M. Molevale (Chas.); highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. W. Guppy, Doonagh, Co. Falm-Male, London (Prince, 18 months);—KISS CHARLIE: 1st, exhibitor and breeder, Mr B. James, Norwich (Lord of the Manor, under 4 yrs.); 2nd, Mr T. W. C. Newton, Berkeley-street, Cheltenham (Kopsis, 2 yrs); highly commended, exhibitor and breeder, Mr J. W. Guppy (Duchess, 3 yrs); OF TERRIBLES—SMOOTH-HAIRED (not exceeding 10 weight): 1st, exhibitor, G. Healey, Ludgate-hill, Birmingham; breeder, Mr G. Aston (Jack, 3 yrs); exhibitor, Mr B. James, Norwich (Minnie, 2 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor,

Bull Terrier: breeder, Mr Green (Charley, 1y, sm.); highly commended; exhibitor, Mr S. Bunting, Bridge-street, Derby; breeder, Mr Gladby, Didsbury, Manchester (Bobby, 2 yrs.); highly commended; exhibitor, Mr W. Macdonald (Fib., 2 yrs.); highly commended; exhibitor, Mr J. H. Brown-Walker (not exceeding 8lb. weight); 1st, exhibitor, Mr R. James (Willie, 2 yrs); 2nd, exhibitor, Mr W. Macdonald (Jennie, 2 yrs); highly commended; exhibitor, Mr E. Hoyle, Westgate, Scadford; breeder, Mr J. Bedford (Tasso, 18 months).

Extra Classes for FOREIGN DOGS.—LARGE SIZE: No award.—**Small size:** prize, exhibitor, Mr Nathan, Hope-street, Birmingham; breeder, Mr

lion, France (Fleming, Roscoe, Leo, 8 yrs); prize, exhibitor Mr A. M. Lowley Head, Birmingham; breeder, Mr Dutton (French Poole, 8 1/2a.); prize, exhibitor, Mr E. Cornforth, Smallbrook-street, Birmingham; breeder, Mr E. Dixon (Espineux, Leo, about 8 months).

in words, then, would lead one to suppose that there were varieties of deerhound, and that the smaller variety is the true breed; this is not the case: there is but one variety, of which the dog of the greatest size, strength, and speed, having all other characteristics of the breed, are merely the finest specimens. Out of the same litter of whelps in most other breeds, there will be great difference in size: the

in only will grow up into a magnificent specimen, and he will be several inches taller, and have greater speed, and be much stronger than any of the others; but is he therefore a different variety? There is no question that this dog has decidedly improved during the last few years.

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