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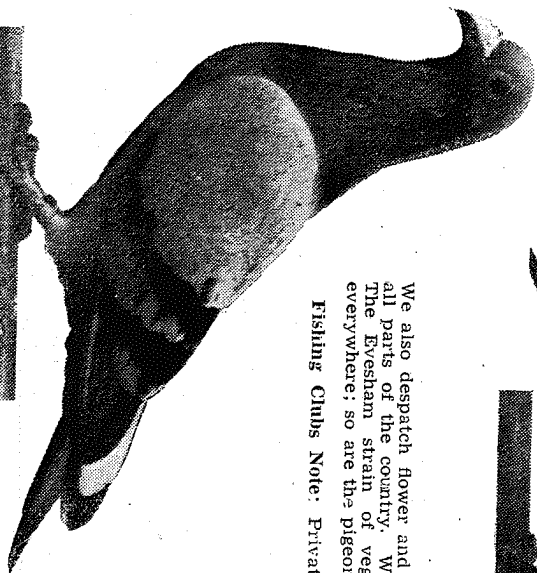
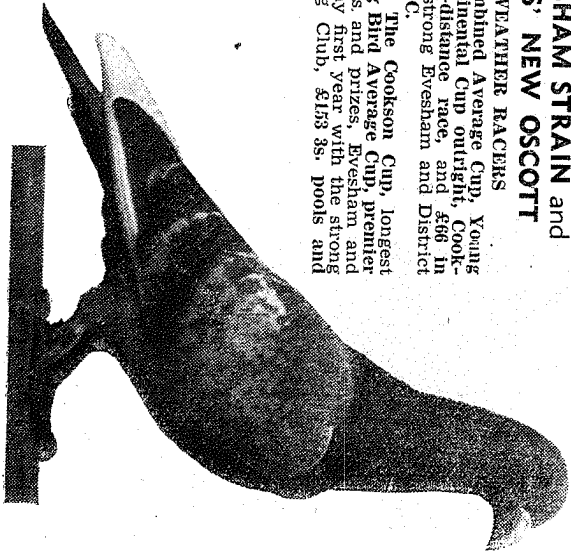
My 1943 wins were: Combined Average Cup, Young Bird Average Cup, Continental Cup outright, Cookson Cup for best long-distance race, and £66 in prizes and pools in the strong Evesham and District F.C. Also pools in N.F.C.

My 1944 wins were: The Cookson Cup, longest distance race, and Young Bird Average Cup, premier winner £77 5s. 2d. pools and prizes, Evesham and District F.C. Also in my first year with the strong Central Counties Flying Club, £153 8s. pools and prizes.

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A Small Select Stud of RACING GURNAYS

My birds are housed under ideal conditions, as many visitors to my loft have testified; all refer to the wonderful condition and quality of the inmates. Expense was of secondary importance when my foundation pairs were purchased from such noted fanciers as Messrs. G. Snell, A. Brown, and J. Tomkins, and I bought of their best **Racing Pairs**, as a close scrutiny of the pigeons enumerated below will prove. Much time and thought is given to the selection of the pairs suitable for mating and only after long deliberation is a mating decided upon. I have at present **about twenty pairs**, and all are **descendants of Champion Picture, Le Fonce Angouleme, Champion 39, Mealy Cock 451, Young Hawk, etc.**

Herewith listed a few of my present stock pigeons—

A **grandson** of the famous Belgian Ace,
Le Fonce Angouleme.

Two sons of Champion 39, probably the best racer in O. I. Wood's loft. These were obtained from Geo Snell (Lyme Regis).

A **son of A. Brown's Mealy Cock, 451.**

A sister to the best Hen in the same fancier's loft.

A **grand-daughter of J. Tomkins' Marennes winner** (495 miles) by half-an-hour.

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The Irish Home of the Gurneys

I have now one of the finest teams of Gurneys in the fancy got together regardless of cost. They have bred many winners in 1944. A few Squeakers will be available during the coming season. See below brief particulars for a few of the pairs housed at these lofts, and see previous Diaries for wins of the above strain; also R.P. and H.W., 7/3/42, for the late O. I. Wood's Dispersal Sale.

No. 1 PAIR

Black Cheq. Cock, NURP38, NW165, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 29, Dispersal Sale. **Sire, Young Hawk**, winner of nineteen 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes from 1924 to 1928; also ninety-five first Pool prizes. **Dam, 1042943**, Direct Gurney, No. 94 Gurney's Dispersal Sale, Grand-daughter of **Le Fonce Angoulême**, the best pigeon in Gurney's Loft. Winner by half-an-hour of Angoulême Grand National. 165 is sire and grand-sire of many winners. **Mr. M'Ternaghan, Ballymena**, had two from him, 1944 one winning hard Holyhead race and both timed well up in the Irish Young Bird National from Millford Haven.

No. 2 PAIR

Blue Hen, NURP40, NWY2060, bred by the late O. I. Wood, 36a Dispersal Sale. **Sire, Young Hawk**, see above. **Dam, 1785**, grand-daughter of **Young Hawk**. **Sire 859** from **Young Hawk** blood. **SQUEAKERS £5 each**

Bronze WF. Cock, Belge 38/1501508, Reel Bon, direct Gurney. See photo, **Mr. Hart, of Birmingham**, advert. **H.W. Stud Book.**

Blue Check Hen, Belge 37/1550518, direct Gurney. This pair was bred by **M. Gurney**, being described by him as bred from his favourites, retained after his sale in 1936. **SQUEAKERS £5 each**

No. 3 PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP37, NW172, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 28, Wood's Dispersal Sale. **Splendid racer**, won 1938 Pools Orpington, 1st Folkestone and Pools 1939, 1st Folkestone, and Pools, flown Pont, L'Éveque. **Sire, 240**, son of **Young Hawk**. **Dam, 1042932**, direct Gurney. **SQUEAKERS £5 each**

Bronze Pied Hen, NURP41, WDF49, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 29a Dispersal Sale. **Sire 98**, son of **Young Hawk** and **1042943**. **Dam 1038** from **Direct Pair 104293** and **1031452**. 49 is dam and grand-dam of many winners. **She is dam of Mr. M'Ternaghan's two birds mentioned in No. 1 Pair.** **SQUEAKERS £5 each**

No. 4 PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP37, NW172, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 28, Dispersal Sale. A splendid racer; wins include 2nd Tours, 3rd Tours, son of the splendid Gurney stock pair, 1001149 and 1001145. 1001149 is son of **M. Gurney's champion yearling** which won 17 big money prizes in 17 consecutive Sundays, competing in two races as two-year-old won both of them. 1001145 is a daughter of **M. Gurney's Bordeaux**, winning every year in long events.

Bronze Hen, NURP41, WDF49, bred by the late O. I. Wood, nestmate of 49 (see No. 3 Pair). From 98, son of **Young Hawk** and **1038**, 49 is dam of two prize-winners, 1944. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 5 PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP41, WDF16, bred by the late O. I. Wood. **Cock of C Pair, Dispersal Sale, Sire 1720**, a great racer from 225 and 502. **Dam 3927**, daughter of the good stock pair 1001149 and 1001145. 16 is sire and grand-sire of winners.

Blue Cheq. Pied, NURP38, NW150, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 28a Dispersal Sale. **Sire 1042943**, sire **1031489**, dam **1042926**, a daughter of **Le Bray** and **Le Courre, Dam, Ecaille Femelle, 1031422**, sire **Le Joseph, dam Ecaille juile.** **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

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No. 6 PAIR
Penc. Blue Cock, NURP41, WDF2369, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 13 Dispersal Sale. **Sire, the good stock cock 1001149** (see No. 4 Pair). **Dam 213** from **1042909** and **1042934**, direct Gurneys.
Dark Cheq. Hen, Belge 38/1501539, direct Gurney, bred from **M. Gurney's** favourites, retained after his 1936 sale. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 7 PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP41, WDF314, bred by the late O. I. Wood, **Cock of D Pair** in Dispersal Sale. **Sire Blue Cock, Belge 35/1049212**, bred from **Le Jacques 32/1319969** and **Ecaille Fonces 33/1135039**. **Le Jacques** from **Poisant de Barroigne**, son of **Leon**, 2nd Grand National. **Dam, Blue Cheq. Belge 36/1013090** sire **Le Fonce Angoulême**, the Ace of Aces. **Dam, Femelle Fonce of Beau Fonce** a great racer for Gurney.

Blue Cheq. Hen (Thicket), NURP37, NW53, bred by the late O. I. Wood, **Hen of D Pair, Dispersal Sale, Sire, 35/1042010** from **Le Beau Fonce** and **Femelle Blue, daughter of Le Fonce Angoulême**, the Grand National winner. **Dam 33, 1042912** Ecaille Chair sire, grand-son of **Le Favori**. **Dam, daughter of Le Bragard**, the brother of **Le Fonce Angoulême**. 53 also carries **M. Gurney's** ring, being bred specially for him had he lived. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 8 PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP39, NW1064, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 50, Dispersal Sale. **Sire, 1042878**, direct Gurney. **Le Blue Jacques II** grand-son of **Le Bragard**, dam **1042886**, Ecaille Chair, direct Gurney.

Black Cheq. Hen, NURP40, NW2246, bred by the late O. I. Wood. **Dam, of C Pair, Dispersal Sale, Sire, 1042909**, a grand-son of **Le Bragard**. **Dam, 167**, daughter of the good stock pair 1001149 and 1001145 (see No. 4 Pair). **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 9 PAIR

Blue Cock, NURP41, WDF32, bred by the late O. I. Wood, No. 5, Dispersal Sale. **Sire, 1042912**, direct Gurney; **sire, Le Jacques**; **sire, Le Beau Fonce** de Barroigne, dam **Ecaille Fonce**. **Dam 1013090** from **Le Fonce Angoulême**. **Dam Femelle Fonce**, daughter of **Beau Fonce**.

Blue Hen, NURP41, WDF18, bred by the late O. I. Wood, 13a, Dispersal Sale. **Sire 120**, sire 240, son of **Young Hawk**. **Dam 1042932**, direct Gurney. **Dam 128**, sire 75, sire 1042911. **Dam 564**, daughter of **Young Hawk**. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 10 PAIR. THE PICTURE PAIR

Blue Cheq. Cock, NURP35, 1091, Memory. Bred by **Mr. F. S. Bacon**, Manchester. **Sire, Pictureson**, from **Mr. Fred Shaw's champion Picture**. **Dam of 1091** is reproduction of one of his best stock hens. 1091 is sire and grand-sire of many winners for **Mr. Bacon**.

Blue Cheq. Hen, NURP37, CB87, The Picture Hen, bred by the late **W. J. Jasper**, sister of cock known as the **Picture Cock**. **Sire, 203**, a big winner from **Champion Picture**. **Dam of 87** is also a grand-daughter of **Champion Picture**. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

No. 11 PAIR. THE APOLLIO PAIR

Black Cheq. Cock, NURP32, CB166, bred by the late **W. J. Jasper**, a brother of the cock known as **Apollio** **Cock 130**, 123 **Jasper's Sale List**. **Sire, Mr. Fred Shaw's Champion Apollio**. **Dam of 166** is sire and grand-sire of many winners. **Sire, Mr. F. S. Bacon (Manchester), NURP38 3143**. **Bon Bon**. Bred by **Mr. F. S. Bacon** (Manchester). **Sire, Heats**, a big winner, sire and grand-sire of many winners of a grand-son of the **Masterpiece**. **Dam of 3143** is 101, grand-daughter of **Champion Apollio**. 3143 is dam and grand-dam of many of **Mr. Bacon's** best birds. **SQUEAKERS £4 each**

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Returning to North Wales in March, 1944, and having retained several of my stock birds, I decided to race Young Birds with the Mold Club. The young bird season proved a very hard one, but my birds did well in good competition and proved that pedigree racing stock certainly pays

RESULTS

TWO FIRSTS, TWO SECONDS, TWO THIRDS winning Y.B. Average Cup and 70% of the Pools and Prize Money

STRAINS

The late O. I. WOOD'S GURNAYS, DR. ANDERSON'S BRICOUX, and J. J. BAIRD'S SOFFLE & CITS

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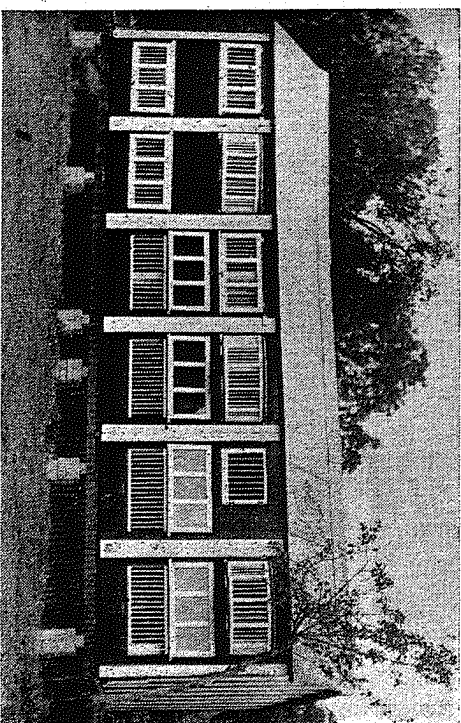
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THE HOME OF THE RACING GURNAYS
18 Pairs will be mated 15 February, 1945, from the under-mentioned pairs.

SQUEAKERS WILL BE SOLD AT £3 EACH

- PAIR 1 Red Cheq. Cock, 2005, from 104 x 3080. Picture Blood.
1A Red Cheq. Hen, 2011, from 4133 x 4961. Picture Blood.
- PAIR 2 Red Cock, 2003, from 8316 x 72. Old Raye, Plume Casse.
2A Red Cheq. Hen, 2044, from 104 x 3080. Picture.
- PAIR 3 Blue Cock, 4962, from 4158 x 4620. Ch. Picture.
3A Blue Hen, 2010, from 4561 x 3494. Apollo, Aerial Torpedo, Vital Spark.
- PAIR 4 Mealy Cheq. Cock, 2051, from 4561 x 3494. Apollo, Aerial Torpedo, Vital Spark.
4A Bronze Hen, 8312, from Ia Coupe. Young Bosser.
- PAIR 5 Bronze Cock, 2059, from 140 x 85. Apollo.
5A Mealy, 2097, from 4561 x 3494. Apollo, Aerial Torpedo, Vital Spark.
- PAIR 6 Bronze Cock, 9001, from 94 x 245. Ch. Picture, Plume Casse.
6A Blue Cheq., 2047, from 4954 x 245. Ch. Picture.
- PAIR 7 Red Cheq., 8316, from Gurnay's Old Blue Hen. Old Raye, Verrier, Plume Casse.
- 7A Black Cheq., 5564, from 94 x 245. Ch. Picture, Plume Casse.
- PAIR 8 Bronze Cock, 3668, from 14 x 85. Apollo, Ch. Picture.
8A Red Hen, 2004, from 8316 x 72. Old Raye, Plume Casse.

OSWALD I. WOOD

ILKLEY, YORKSHIRE

The Home of the Gurnays

M. R. Gurnay says:—"Mr. O. I. Wood has the best and purest GURNAY blood in England."

SEASON 1937 in the strong Wharfedale and District F.C. (7-bird limit) my birds won FIVE CUPS:—

1st Old Bird Inland Average. 1st All Old Bird Races Average. 1st All Races Old and Young Bird Average. 1st Cross Channel Points Trophy. 1st All Races Points Trophy.

My 1st PRIZES IN CROSS-CHANNEL RACES since 1925 include 1st Prizes from—AMIENS (nine), ORLEANS (three), CAEN, PONT L'ÉVEQUE, PARIS, LE MANS, VIERZON, MELUN, NEVERS — all different races.

Others have bred 1st Prize Winners from my birds of which following are some Cross-Channel 1st Prizes—AMIENS, PONT L'ÉVEQUE, FONTAINBLEAU, GUERNSEY, RENNES, NANTES, MARENNES, DOL, LA TESTE, VITRE, etc., etc.

SINCE 1922 IN RACES OVER 230 MILES, INCLUDING MARSEILLES (804 miles) AND BARCELONA (900 miles) IN THE STRONGEST COMPETITION MY BIRDS HAVE WON:—

268 1st, 2nd and 3rd Prizes.

820 1st Pool Prizes.

713 Other Pool Prizes.

Total, One thousand, eight hundred and one (1,801)

ALL THE ABOVE HAVE BEEN WON IN RACES FROM THE COAST OR FROM CROSS CHANNEL.

NOTE.—Both my clubs are 7-Bird Limit. My loft is the most Westerly in both Clubs.

YOUNG HAWK, 415-23. Bred and raced by Mr. O. I. Wood. A pure **OLD BLUE HEN**, whose descendants won £45,000 for Mons. Gurnay in seven years. The dam of **YOUNG HAWK** was a grand-daughter of **PETITE ECAILLE VIERZON** on one side and a great grand-daughter of **ANGOULEME** on the sire's side. **YOUNG HAWK** won 19 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes from 1924 to 1928 and won 1st £1 pool seventeen times. Ninety-five 1st Pool prizes.

OSWALD I. WOOD'S ADVT.—continued

Mons. R. GURNAY was publicly proclaimed by that great fancier, Mons. George Gits, of Antwerp, as "THE EMPEROR."

The Gurnay strain is known as—"THE WORLD'S GREATEST STRAIN."

The Gurnay strain is admitted by all to be the most fixed to type strain of the present generation.

The Gurnay blood likes hard work and most of the big wins have been against head winds.

The Gurnay blood and the Gurnay methods both originate from Mons. Hansenne, who was a great friend of Mons. Gurnay.

The Gurnay strain is the Hansenne strain UP-TO-DATE.

Mons. Gurnay won £4,000 in three races only. £9,400 in one season, and £45,000 in seven seasons' racing.

A few recent successes include—in four races from Orleans, Chateauroux, St. Vincent and Angouleme M. Gurnay won 194,000 Francs. In one race in 1934 the winnings were 40,000 Francs. Verhoye Raye won 1st Angouleme and 19,000 Francs. At Orleans with two pigeons only winnings were 75,000 Francs, etc., etc.

THERE IS NOTHING TO BEAT THE TRUE GURNAY AS A CROSS OR PURE.

PETITE ECAILLE VIERZON.

Bred and Raced by Mons. R. Gurnay, Verviers.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon and his nestmate Angouleme are the two most important birds in Gurnay history. Practically all the big winners are descended from these two pigeons and their brother Masterpiece.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon was a grandson of Le Gros, who won 1st and £1,000 in four successive races. Le Bossu the nestmate of Le Gros won £2,000 in four seasons' races.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon won £1,600 in 16 races, never out of the money. Is described by Mons. Gurnay as the best bird he ever had.

Angouleme, the nestmate of Vierzon, won 14th Grand National, 1st £40 pool and sired 1st prize winners every year even from 9 to 13 years of age.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon was the sire of Mr. F. Shaw's Champion Apollo, winner in Manchester F.C. of 1st Worcester, 1st Bath, 1st Bournemouth, 1st Quernsey, etc. His brother, Masterpiece, was the sire of Mr. F. Shaw's Champion Repeater, winner of 1st Worcester, 1st Bournemouth, 1st Marnes, in one season. Also of M. Gurnay's La Tache, who was sold with his hen to U.S.A. for £190.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon was the sire of Telephone, who won 38th Grand National when M. Gurnay won 1st £ 12th. Sold with his to U.S.A. for £192.

Petite Ecaille Vierzon was grandsire of Record, the great Gurnay stock hen, which, when paired to The Great Bon Bleu, bred sons to win £10,000 including Bronze Favourite, the winner of 1st Grand National Angouleme by half an hour (1,643 birds) and Cigarette, 12th Grand National Angouleme.