

The CHAMPION MAJOR Family

FOR REFERENCE

CHAMPION MAJOR: Twice winner of Fed., and sire of eleven Fed. winners.
KENLEY BLUE: Won over 30 prizes, including seven 1sts, twice 1st Fed., and sire of seven Fed. winners.
THE COMBINE COCK: 1st Newhaven, 1st Melun, 1st Up-North Combine Nevers (3,745 birds) and the only bird clocked-in on day of liberation.
NEVERS GIRL: 3rd Nevers (600 miles), 2nd Newhaven, 5th Nevers, 1st Club, 2nd Fed. Arras, 1st Club, 1st Fed., 4th Combine Nevers (4,398 birds). She is bred from two Nevers winners, and hown the Channel eight times.
RED MIRANDE: 1st Club, 2nd Fed., 18th Combine Nevers (4,641 birds), 1st "G" Section, Mirande National (800 miles).
 Nevers Girl and Red Mirande have the Ch. Major blood in them.

No. 1 PAIR

BLACK PIED COCK, NURP44-S931. Bred by S. J. Grove (Evesham). Sire, Hite and a daughter of Ch. Major. Dam, 4018, bred by R. W. Beard. Sire, 81, No. 2 on R. W. Beard's dispersal list. Grandson of Ch. Major. Dam, pure Fed., hown Marennas twice on day (510 miles), 127, brother to 81, won 1st Fed., twice 2nd Fed., twice 5th Fed., over 2,000 birds each race.
BLACK PIED HEN, NU38-RB888. Bred by R. W. Beard. Sire, Ch Major x 300, daughter of the Yorkshire San Sebastian record breaker; liberated at 5 a.m., clocked-in at 10-15 next morning (750 miles). 888 is dam of many winners, including winner of 2nd Bath, N.R.C.C. 1942; 3rd Lerwick, N.R.C.C. 1946.

No. 2 PAIR

BLACK COCK, NUHW43-T5123. Bred by S. J. Grove (Evesham). Sire, 920, same sire as cock in No. 1 pair. Dam, 45, bred by F. W. Marriott. Sire, 922 (1st Weymouth) from 968 x 1206. 968, son of 4948, nest-mate to Triumph 1206, daughter of 535, son of Ch. Major. Dam of 45 is 890 (2nd Fraserburgh, only four home on day). Princess Marina and dam of Prince George blood.
ARMSTRONG (Gosforth), SIRE, 601, son of Ch. Major x The Chocolate Putman hen. Dam, 47, daughter of Ch. Major x 8099, bred by R. W. Beard, grand-daughter of Ch. Major, also of Kenyon's What's Wanted, winner of £600.

No. 3 PAIR

STRAWBERRY MEALY COCK, NEHU41-C4617. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sire, The Combine Cock, Dam, Nevers Girl.
STRAWBERRY MEALY HEN, NEHU44-B6202. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sire, 8709, son of The Combine Cock x Nevers Girl. Dam, Red Mirande.

No. 4 PAIR

BLACK COCK, NUHU46-E4853. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sire, 9406, sire, 46, son of Ch. Major x 8099, grand-daughter of Ch. Major. Dam, 888, daughter of Ch. Major (then in No. 1 pair). Dam of 4853 is 336, daughter of Ch. Major x 866 from Kenley Blue and 216, daughter of Ch. Major. 336 is dam of many winners.
BLACK HEN, NEHU45-B1036. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sire, 9 and son of Ch. Major x 810, daughter of Red Mirande. Dam, 46, Sire, 873, from 138, daughter of Ch. Major and dam of many winners, including 1st Lerwick Fed. (over 2,000 birds), only race entered. Dam of 10 is 160, daughter of Kenley Pride, four times San Sebastian, twice Mirande, and a big winner at all distances.

SQUEAKERS 40/- EACH

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No. 5 PAIR

BLACK PIED COCK, NEHU44-B6214. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sire, 601, son of Ch. Major. Dam, 47, daughter of Ch. Major.
BLACK HEN, NEHU46-E4852. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Sister to cock in No. 4 pair.

SQUEAKERS 40/- EACH

No. 6 PAIR

BLACK PIED COCK, NURP41-AX480. Sire, 42, Sire, 968, son of 4948, nest-mate to Triumph. Dam from 535, son of Ch. Major and a hen bred by J. J. Baird from his Ch. Producer x Ch. Margaret. Dam of 480 is 817, Grand-daughter of 95, dam of Prince George. 480 is responsible for some good winners, including 2nd and 3rd Perth smash, 3rd Fraserburgh, 1st Perth, 2nd Berwick 2nd Fraserburgh, 2nd Thurso, etc.
BLUE GHEO. HEN, NUHV45-A50. Bred by J. Armstrong (Gosforth). Grand-daughter of 1st, 2nd and 4th Combine winners from Nevers (600 miles). Sire, 8079, son of The Combine Cock x Nevers Girl. Dam, 728. Sire, 6121; 2nd Club, 4th Fed. Nevers; 4th Nevers; 1st Club, 3rd Fed. Nevers; and is one of four brothers to win from Nevers. Dam, 6128; 1st Club, 1st Fed., 2nd Up-North Combine, Nevers 1987 (3,745 birds).

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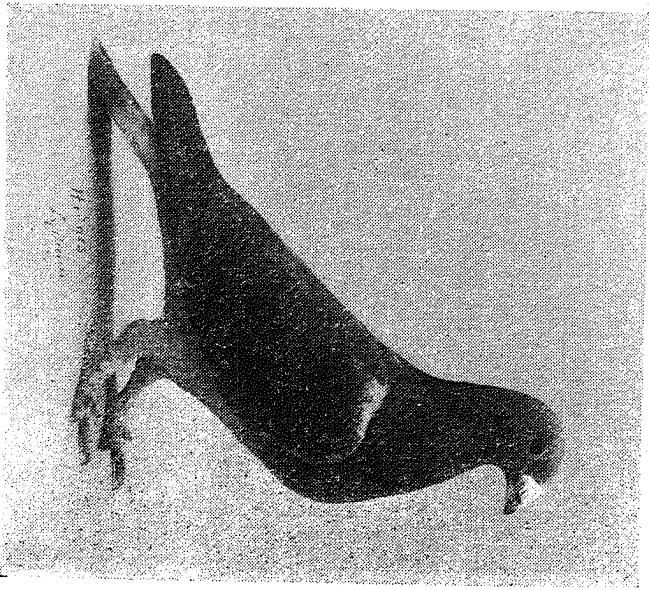
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(Bred and Raced by the late O. I. Wood)

Won **19 1st, 2nd and 3rd Prizes, 95 1st Pool Prizes** in races over 200 miles, 1924—1928

YOUNG HAWK is the base of my small select team.

Two Sons, One Daughter and several grandchildren, also five birds bred by **M. RENIER GURNAY**, are in my loft.

A 1st, two 3rds and several other positions were won in 1947 old bird racing, averaging two entries per race. This despite lack of spare time due to pressure of work.

A FEW BIRDS WILL BE FOR SALE IN 1948 AND EGGS FROM RACERS.

Squeakers 50/- to £5. Old Birds £4 to £10 Eggs £1 pair.

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1947 again proves this team can win on both Routes.

Being off the line of flight birds are handicapped from the start, but overcome this difficulty by being amongst the winners on both routes, more so from the longest races.

Every Bird has to "toe the line." Old Birds through to Lerwick (North) and Penzance (South); Young Birds: Aycliffe (North), Yeovil (South). Yearlings have to race 3 to 400 miles, either route each season.

25 Races in 1947. Average Entry per Race: 6 Birds. Losses: 3 old and 1 young bird. Lerwick 560, Penzance 350, Aycliffe 200, Yeovil 210, miles.

See 1947 Stud Book for quality of Stock.

My small team of Barkers are being blended together on the same lines.

YOUNGSTERS FOR SALE during 1948, £3 EACH.

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Only two for Sale from the Barkers'. Own Rings, if desired.

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THE ENGLISH HOME OF THE GURNAYS

CHAMPION GURNAYS DIRECT
Imported by Fred Shaw

My Gurnays were the first importation of winning Gurnays sent over and purchased by me from Fred Shaw. The following are the names of the noted pigeons, they were: **Great Unknown**, **Advance Guard**, **Telegraph**, **Favourite's Brother**, **Special Blue**, **Blue Smoke**, **Tact**, **Biddy**, **Warrior**, **Laura**. I also purchased sons and daughters of **Petite Ecaille Vierzon**, **Angouleme**, **The Masterpiece**, **Record**, **Old Blue Hen**, **Bronze Favourite** (the National winner), **Silent Knight**, **Royal Blue Bell**, **Cherry**. Later I added **Plume Casse**, **Dandy**, **Dainty**, **Three Bars**, **Maidan** (the last four pigeons were responsible for the majority of Fred Shaw's wins), **Big Winner** and **Exhibition**. I also introduced six sons and daughters of **Champion Picture** and **Champion Apollo**. I have purchased eleven own sons and daughters of **Petite Ecaille Vierzon**. **Petite Ecaille Vierzon** was Gurnay's greatest stock cock. He is grand sire of **Champion Apollo**, **Champion Apollo** and **Cherry** were partly responsible for the 1936 National F.C. San Sebastian winner. **Champion Picture** and **Champion Apollo** were undoubtedly the two best Gurnays that ever raced in the **British Isles**. The majority of these birds were acquired when this great fancier was breaking world records with direct additions during the last 14 years.

The following is an extract from a letter which I have received from South Africa:—

"I have just won the South African Grand National (section) with a daughter off your Mealy Hen."

I have introduced 50 GURNAYS into my loft, bred by GURNAY and FRED SHAW, through FRED SHAW. These also have produced winners at every stage to Libourne and San Sebastian. £3,000 has been spent introducing my Bricoux and Gurnay strains.

I OFFER BIRDS FROM THIS CHOICE LOT OF DIRECT GURNAYS:—

Adults, £2 each.

1939 Squeakers, £2 each.

I SHALL RESERVE 25% OF MY DIRECT GURNAYS FOR COLONIAL FANCIERS.

W. J. JASPER,

"Summerfield," Coventry Road, Sheldon, nr. B'ham.

THE ENGLISH HOME OF THE BRICOUX

CHAMPION BRICOUX DIRECT

My first draft of eleven in 1924 was specially bred for me by Dr. Bricoux, who stated when ordering, "It is understood that they are of my very best." They are own sons and daughters of his famous National winners, viz.: **Old Bekeman** (his best stock cock), **Jules Cesar**, **Janot**, **St. Vincent**, **Little Red**, **Good Grey**, **Good Ched**, **Grand Mosaic**, **Big Grey Cock**, **Hunchback**, **Small Red One**, **Merritt's importations**, etc. I have since added the whole of **Capt. Merritt's importations**, which were personally selected by him in conjunction with late **Lt.-Col. Osman**, from Dr. Bricoux's loft, also the best stock birds of the late **A. P. Taft**, which were purchased at a big figure, Ring Nos. 2308123 and 2308124. I also purchased 14 direct Bricoux during 1934 and 1936, which comprise the very essence of Dr. Bricoux's famous pigeons, including all his racing winners, such as: **Jules Cesar**, **Beau Rouge**, **Rousse Le Libourne**, **Champion 35**, **La Fameuse Derby Docteur**, **Little Fir**, **Little Girl of Flem**, **Famous Pau Hen**, **Paralysed**, **Black Flight**, etc. I have had three own sons and daughters of **Jules Cesar**. I have introduced 50 birds of **DR. BRICOUX Strain into my loft**, the majority of which were acquired when this great fancier was breaking world records, with additions during the last 14 years, these have produced winners at every stage to Libourne and San Sebastian.

I have received a letter from South Africa, from which the following is an extract:—

"We have started our Y.B. races and I have had a field day. In the first race I won the first three positions, in the second race I won the first five positions and in the third race last Saturday the first four positions. The Bricoux which I imported from you were responsible for the winners. The weather has been atrocious and yet the birds have stood up to it."

I OFFER BIRDS FROM MY ORIGINAL IMPORTATIONS FROM DR. BRICOUX:—

Adults, £2 each.

1939 Squeakers, £2 each.

I SHALL RESERVE 25% OF MY PURE BRICOUX FOR COLONIAL FANCIERS.

W. J. JASPER,

"Summerfield," Coventry Road, Sheldon, nr. B'ham.