1905 PEGG'S GREEN - PIGEON AND POULTRY SHOW



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A SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION

The fifth annual show under the auspices of the Pegg's Green Pigeon and Poultry Society was held at the New Inn, Pegg's Green on Saturday. Prizes were offered in 19 classes, which were well filled, there being some 350 entries, slightly in excess of last year's number. Some capital birds were shown. During the day, the show was extensively patronised. The arrangements were well carried out by a committee of the following members: Messrs J. Pargeter (chairman), T. Hall (vice-chairman), F. Morley, Jos. Morley, junr., L. Hogg, F. Morley, J. Horn, Jos. Bradford, G. Barkby, Jas. Barkby, W. Wilton, W. Birch, A. Hinds, Jos. Mee, and J. Martin.

Mr. Jos. Morley, senr., is the treasurer of the society

Secretarial duties were ably discharged by Mr. J. Wilton. Messrs J. Bradford, and G. Barkby acted as stewards for the pigeon classes and Messrs J. Pargeter, J. Horn, L. Hogg, and W. Birch for the poultry. The judges were Messrs J. N. Harrison, of Belper, poultry and variety pigeons, and A. Gaunt, of Ripley, flying homers, and the following is a list of the awards for the pigeon classes.

- **Class 1.**—Flying homer, cock or hen, flown 100 miles: 1, Boulton and Smith, Bagworth; 2, Sharpe and Son, Ellistown; 3, G. W. Smith, Thorpe Farm; 4, Mattock Bros., Fleckney; vhc, Mrs. Taylor, Belper, and Morley and Billings, Pegg's Green; hc, J. E. Wilton, Coalville, and J. Tivey, Belton.

- **Class 2.**—Flying homer cock, any age: 1, S. W. Hallam, Thringstone; 2, Mrs. Taylor, Belper; 3, Sharpe and Sons; 4, R. Cockerill, Thornton; vhc, A. Massey, Stanton-under-Bardon, and Mattock Bros. (2); hc, T. Stacey, Whitwick, and Barkby and Bradford, Pegg's Green.

- **Class 3.**—Flying homer hen, any age: 1, Mrs. Taylor, Belper; 2, S. Peat, Sutton-in-Ashfield; 3, Barkby and Bradford; 4, A. Massey; vhc, G. Frearson, Swannington; hc, G. Hewitt, Shepshed, J. Allen, Nailstone Lodge, S. W. Hallam, and Knight and Ottey, Whitwick.

- **Class 4.**—Flying homer cock or hen, flown 100 miles, rung 1904: 2, T. Haywood, Swannington; 3, S. W. Hallam; 4, Sharpe and Sons; vhc, Boulton and Smith and Sharpe and Sons; hc, J. W. Dexter, Fleckney.
- **Class 5.**—Flying homer, cock or hen, rung 1904.—1, S. Peat; 2, S. W. Hallam; 3 and 4, J. Allen; vhc, J. Bird, Melbourne, S. W. Hallam, and C. Cross, Hugglescote; hc, T. Haywood.

- **Class 6.**—Any other variety, cock or hen: 1, J. E. Swaffield, Kingstone; 2, J. H. Orton, Sutton-in-Ashfield; 3, R. G. Johnson, Earlestown; 4, F. H. Everett, Ashby; vhc, J. W. Waterfall and Son, S. Allen, Coalville, J. W. Eley, Willington, and J. Wilson, jun., Saltcote; hc, Morley and Billings, R. G. Johnson and Gibbons and Burdett, Markfield.