

# **Additions and Corrections to the Forty-Fifty Edition of the Standard of Perfection**

## **Weight Omissions**

Page 16 – SIZE AND WEIGHT

#2. Applying Disqualifications: Disqualifying weights for adult specimens shall apply at all times but do allowance should be made for decreased weights in adult birds in the molt during late summer and fall season. Disqualifying weights for young specimens shall not apply until December 1<sup>st</sup>.

Page 22 – GENERAL DISQUALIFICATIONS – WEIGHTS

Weight is a breed characteristic. Any bird (except Beltsville Small White Turkeys) that deviates more than 20% either up or down from the weight listed for its' breed, sex, and age should be disqualified. Example – in a bird with a standard weight of 5 pounds, a range of 4 to 6 pounds is within the scope of “the standard weight”. This rule applies to all large fowl, bantams, ducks, geese, Guinea Fowl, and Turkeys (except Beltsville Small Whites).

## **Sponsorship Corrections**

### **Large Fowl**

PAGE 64, Blue Jersey Giants Male, R. L. Vaughn

PAGE 64, Blue Jersey Giants Female, Robert Rennolet

PAGE 64, White Jersey Giants Male, Charles H. Coll

PAGE 64, White Jersey Giants Female, George C. Marvin

PAGE 65, Lamonas Male & Female, Dale McNeill (In Honor of Dorothy Coulson-Cole)

PAGE 72, Columbian Plymouth Rocks Male & Female, Charles M. Lemire

PAGE 99, Blue Langshans Male & Female, Reese Rhodes

PAGE 104, Buff Cornish Female, Walt Leonard

PAGE 104, Dark Cornish Male & Female, Charlie Stenson

PAGE 106, White Cornish Male & Female, Johnny Batson

PAGE 109, Colored Dorking Male, Craig Russell

PAGE 116, White Orpington Male & Female, Cecil Moore

PAGE 143, White Minorcas Male & Female, Charles M. Lemire

PAGE 143, Buttercups Male, Weymouth Family, Fred M. II, Darlene, E, & Fred M. III

PAGE 148, Barnevelders Male & Female, Shohomish County 4-H (In Honor of Audrey Bannon)

PAGE 161, Silver Penciled Hamburgs Male & Female, Robert F. Tefft

PAGE 171, Black Marans Male & Female, Beverly Ann Davis  
PAGE 172, Black Copper Marans Male & Female, Beverly Ann Davis  
PAGE 177, Bearded Buff Laced Polish Female, Evelyn Buelow (In Honor of Myron Buelow)  
PAGE 189, Brown Red Ameraucanas Female, Michael Gilbert  
PAGE 190, Self Blue Ameraucanas Male & Female, Ameraucana Breeders Club  
PAGE 217, Crele Old English Games Male, John L. Mead  
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PAGE 220, Red Pyle Old English Games Male & Female, Clifford W. Douglass  
PAGE 224, Black Breasted Red Phoenix Male, Michael & Carsen Dean & Tom Stricker  
PAGE 224, Black Breasted Red Phoenix Female, Toni & Jim Rivers and William Saunders  
PAGE 235, Red Shoulder Yokohamas Male & Female, Horst W. Schmutde

### **Bantams**

PAGE 240, Red Pyle Modern Games Male & Female, John Wunderlich  
PAGE 254, Self Blue Old English Games Male & Female, Carol Ann Kinzer  
PAGE 256, Spangled Old English Games Male, W. Howard & Betty Webb  
PAGE 261, White American Serama Male & Female, Josiah Woodfield & Leigh Schilling Edwards  
PAGE 288, Buff Plymouth Rock Male & Female, Clell Agler  
PAGE 291, Speckled Sussex Male & Female, Robert C. Mongold (In Honor of Richerd J. Biery)  
PAGE 292, White Faced Black Spanish Male & Female, Joe L. Templeton  
PAGE 301, Silver Penciled Hamburg Female, Belinda F. Merkley  
PAGE 307, White Rosecomb Male, Lloyd Thomas Kane

### **Waterfowl**

PAGE 378, Pekin Duck Male & Female, Harry & Vi Halbach  
PAGE 379, Rouen Duck Male, Fred Limberg  
PAGE 383, Silver Appleyard Duck Male & Female, Ryan Rhodes  
PAGE 392, Black & White Magpie Duck Male, James Clever & Joseph Anderson

## **Splash Ameraucana Large Fowl**

Admitted November 12, 2023, Columbus, Ohio

**Standard shape requirements the same as for the breed description of Large Fowl Ameraucanas.**

### **COLOR – MALE**

COMB, FACE, AND EAR-LOBES: Red.

BEAK: Horn to black.

EYES: Reddish bay.

BEARD AND MUFFS: White to sooty white with blue splashes

HEAD: Blue and white with a faint bluish-gray tinge.

NECK: Hackle – Blue and white with a faint bluish-gray tinge.

Front of Neck – sooty white with blue splashes.

BACK: Blue and white with a faint bluish-gray tinge.

Saddle – Blue and white with a faint bluish-gray tinge.

TAIL: Sooty white with blue splashes.

WINGS, INCLUDING WING FRONTS, SHOULDERS, WING BOWS AND COVERTS: Sooty white with blue splashes.

Primaries – sooty white with blue splashes.

Secondaries – sooty white with blue splashes.

BREAST: Sooty white with blue splashes.

BODY AND STERN: Sooty white with blue splashes.

LEGS AND TOES:

Lower Thighs – Sooty White with blue splashes.

Shanks and Toes: Bluish slate, bottoms of feet and toes white.

### **COLOR – FEMALE**

COMB, FACE, WATTLES AND EAR-LOBES: Very pale, matching color of the skin.

BEAK: Horn to black.

EYES: Reddish bay.

BEARD AND MUFFS: White to sooty white with blue splashes.

HEAD: Sooty white with blue splashes.

NECK: Sooty white with blue splashes.

BACK: Sooty white with blue splashes.

TAIL: Sooty white with blue splashes.

WINGS, INCLUDING WING FRONTS, SHOULDERS, WING BOWS AND COVERTS: Sooty white with blue splashes.

Primaries – Sooty white with blue splashes.

Secondaries – Sooty white with blue splashes.

BREAST: Sooty white with blue splashes.

BODY AND STERN: Sooty white with blue splashes.

LEGS AND TOES: Lower Thighs - Sooty white with blue splashes.

Shanks and Toes: Bluish slate, bottoms of feet and toes white.

### **DISQUALIFICATIONS**

Any appearance of rust in plumage. More than 50% blue in the plumage. (See General Disqualifications and Cutting for Defects).

### **GENERAL INFORMATION CORRECTIONS**

PAGE 2 - PROTESTS & COMPLAINTS: Board adopted new wording that reflects the person making the protest must be an APA member and increases the fee to \$250.00.

PAGES 6-15 - GLOSSARY OF TECHNICAL Terms: Figures 25, 26, & 27 are on page 35. Figures 37 and 39 are on page 37. Figures 41 & 46 is on page 38. Figures 59 and 60 are on page 40.

PAGE 28 - DESCRIPTION OF COMMON PLUMAGE COLOR AND COLOR PATTERNS: SELF BLUE – MALE AND FEMALE: )Page 28) In all sections preference to be given to a medium shade of clear blue, free from lacing, shafting, mealiness and messiness, with no contrast in color between any of the sections, a harmonious blending of all sections desired; the male sex

feathers of hackle, back, saddle, and wing-bows carrying a metallic gloss of the same basic hue of the general plumage, free from green, purple, or bronze sheen.

PAGE 49 - LANDFOWL GENERAL SCALE OF POINTS - #6 Skull and face - total 4, White Shape 3 - White Color 1.

### **AMERICAN CLASS**

PAGE 50 - YEAR ADMITTED TO THE STANDARD: Dominique - 1874, White Jersey Giants - 1947.

PAGE 52 - BUCKEYES - SHAPE - FEMALE - TAIL: Tail angle should be 30 degrees above horizontal, figures 1 and 2 are on page 30.

PAGE 52 - BUCKEYES - COLOR - MALE AND FEMALE - PLUMAGE: General surface color an even shade of rich mahogany bay in all sections, with the exception that the unexposed primaries and secondaries and the main tail may contain black. Male sickles and covers should be shaded bay and black, thus avoiding sharp contrast between body and tail.

PAGE 53 - CHANTECLERS - SHAPE - MALE AND FEMALE - FLUFF: Moderately full.

PAGE 53 - PARTRIDGE CHANTECLERS: Remove specific disqualifications listed.

PAGE 53 - PARTRIDGE CHANTECLERS - COLOR - MALE AND FEMALE - PLUMAGE: See "Partridge" on pages 27 & 28.

PAGE 55 - DELAWARE - SHAPE - MALE - SHANKS: Medium length, smooth.

PAGE 55 - DELAWARE - SHAPE - FEMALE - WATTLES: Medium size, well developed, well rounded.

PAGE 56 - DELAWARE - SHAPE - FEMALE - LOWER THIGHS - Medium length, well feathered, stout. SHANKS- Medium length, smooth.

PAGE 63 - BLACK JERSEY GIANTS - COLOR - MALE AND FEMALE - SHANKS AND TOES: Nearly black, with a tendency towards willow, black preferred; bottoms of feet yellow.

PAGE 71 - BLUE PLYMOUTH ROCKS - COLOR - MALE AND FEMALE - PLUMAGE: See "Blue" on page 24.

PAGE 75 - RHODE ISLAND REDS - SHAPE - MALE - WATTLES: Medium size, uniform, free from folds or wrinkles.

PAGE 78 - WYANDOTTES - INTRODUCTION: Buff Wyandottes made their first appearance in 1891. These were light colored Rhode Island Reds, but though lacking in type and off in color.

PAGE 79 - WYANDOTTES - SHAPE - FEMALE - COMB: (See Figure 22 on page 35)

PAGE 80 - BLUE WYANDOTTES - COLOR - MALE AND FEMALE: See "Blue" on page 24.

PAGE 83 - SILVER LACED WYANDOTTES - COLOR - MALE - BEAK: Dark horn, shading to yellow at point.

PAGE 83 - SILVER LACED WYANDOTTES - COLOR - FEMALE - BEAK: Dark horn, shading to yellow at point.

### **ASIATIC CLASS**

PAGE 86 - ADMITTED TO THE STANDARD - Silver Laced Cochins - 1965, White Cochins - 1874, Black Langshans - 1883, Blue Langshans - 1987, White Langshans - 1893.

### **ENGLISH CLASS**

PAGE 102 - AUSTRALORP MALE - LOWER THIGHS: Moderately long; SHANKS AND TOES: Moderately long.

PAGE 103 - AUSTRALORPS – COLOR – MALE AND FEMALE – SHANKS AND TOES: Black in young, shading to dark slate in mature specimens; bottoms of feet and toes, pinkish white.

PAGE 103 - CORNISH – INTRODUCTION TO SECOND PARAGRAPH: White Cornish were produced from White Malay-Dark Cornish crosses in 1890 and were admitted to the Standard in 1898.

PAGE 107 - WHITE LACED RED CORNISH – COLOR – MALE AND FEMALE – SECONDARIES: Upper web, white; lower web, rich dark red edged with white, the red and white extending around the ends into the upper webs in a progressive manner so that the upper secondaries also show rich dark red on the surface with a white lacing.

PAGE 107 - DORKINGS INTRODUCTION: The name “Columella” is misspelled twice.

PAGE 107 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – MALE – COMB – SINGLE: Rather large, straight and upright, evenly serrated with six well defined points, front and rear points shorter than the other four.

PAGE 107 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – MALE – ROSE: Square in the front, firm and even on the head, terminating in a well-defined spike extending horizontally well back of head; top, comparatively flat, covered in small rounded points.

PAGE 108 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – MALE – TAIL: All of the wording concerning MAIN SICKLES and LESSER SICKLES AND COVERTS should be deleted.

PAGE 108 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – FEMALE – COMB – SINGLE: Similar to that of the male but much smaller and falling over to one side.

PAGE 108 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – FEMALE – COMB – ROSE: Similar to that of male, except much smaller.

PAGE 108 - DORKINGS – SHAPE – FEMALE – HEAD: Medium in size.

PAGE 109 - DORKINGS – COLORED DORKINGS – COLOR – MALE – SADDLE: Straw with a wide black stripe extending down the middle of each feather.

DORKINGS – COLORED DORKINGS – COLOR – MALE – WINGS – SECONDARIES: Upper webs, black; lower webs, white.

PAGE 111 - DORKINGS – RED DORKINGS – COLOR – MALE – SECONDARIES: Upper webs, black; lower webs bay, shafts black.

PAGE 114 - ORPINGTONS – SHAPE – MALE – HACKLE: Abundant.

PAGE 114 - ORPINGTONS – SHAPE – FEMALE – TAIL – COVERTS: Abundant.

PAGE 115 - BLACK ORPINGTONS – COLOR – MALE AND FEMALE – SHANKS AND TOES: Black in young, shading to dark slate in mature specimens; bottoms of feet and toes, pinkish white.

PAGE 118 - REDCAPS – SHAPE – FEMALE – SHANKS: Medium length.

PAGE 118 - REDCAPS – COLOR – MALE – SICKLES AND COVERS: Greenish black.

PAGE 118 - REDCAPS – COLOR – FEMALE – BACK AND BOWS: Rich brown each feather ending with a bluish black spangle, shaped like a half-moon.

PAGE 119 - SUSSEX – SHAPE – FEMALE – WINGS: Medium in length, well-folded, carried closely o the body without drooping.

PAGE 120 - LIGHT SUSSEX – COLOR – MALE – FRONT OF NECK: “White” should be removed.

PAGE 121 - LIGHT SUSSEX – COLOR – FEMALE – BACK – CAPE : White.

PAGE 122 - SPECKLED SUSSEX – COLOR – MALE – NECK – FRONT OF NECK: “Same as breast” should be removed.

PAGE 123 - SPECKLED SUSSEX – COLOR – FEMALE – BACK: See Figure 48 on page 39.

### **MEDITERRANEAN CLASS**

PAGE 124 - ADMITTED TO THE STANDARD: Single Comb Black Tailed Red Leghorns – 1929, Single Comb Columbian Leghorns – 1929, Single Comb Light and Dark Brown Leghorns – 1874 (Admitted as Single Comb Brown Leghorns, divided into Light and Dark in 1923), Single

Comb Silver Leghorns – Admitted in 1894 as Silver Duckwing Leghorns; changed to Silver only in 1910.

### **CONTINENTAL CLASS**

PAGE 172 - BLACK COPPER MARANS – MALE – SHANKS AND TOES: Light to mid-slate, showing pink between the scales. Bottoms of feet pinkish white.

### **ANY OTHER STANDARD BREED CLASS**

PAGE 186 - AMERAUCANAS – SHAPE – MALE AND FEMALE – EAR LOBES: Small, oval.

PAGES 186 & 187 - AMERAUCANAS – SHAPE – MALE – BACK: Medium length, broad, carried slightly elevated at shoulders. SADDLE: Medium length, abundant, with smooth transition to tail.

PAGE 186 - AMERAUCANAS – SHAPE – FEMALE – BACK: Medium length, relatively broad, slightly elevated at shoulders. CUSHION: Moderate, providing smooth transition to tail.

PAGE 187 - AMERAUCANAS – SHAPE – MALE AND FEMALE – BODY AND FLUFF – BODY: Medium length, broad, full, deep. STERN: Fluff moderately short.

PAGE 187 - AMERAUCANAS – SHAPE – MALE AND FEMALE – LEGS AND TOES – TOES: Four on each foot, straight, well-spread.

PAGE 188 - BLUE WHEATEN AMERAUCANAS – COLOR – MALE – TAIL – SICKLES AND COVERTS: Blue, some orange shafting in sickles.

PAGE 188 - BLUE WHEATEN AMERAUCANAS – COLOR – FEMALE – TAIL: Light blue, outer web edged with wheaten, top two feathers stippled with wheaten.

PAGE 190 – SELF BLUE AMERAUCANAS – PLUMAGE: Add: Indistinct barring is a defect.

PAGE 225 - BLACK BREASTED RED PHOENIX – WINGS – PRIMARIES: Black, except lower edges of lower webs, which should be a dark reddish orange. SECONDARIES: Exposed surface showing enough dark reddish orange to make a dark reddish orange wing bay, the dark reddish orange expanding in upper feathers until the top secondary shows entirely dark reddish orange; remainder of secondaries, black.

### **OLD ENGLISH GAME BANTAMS**

PAGE 256 - SPANGLED OLD ENGLISH GAME BANTAMS: (Spelling correction.)

### **HEAVY DUCKS**

PAGE 374 - MUSCOVY DUCKS – COMMON DEFECTS: No “Common Defects” should be listed.

PAGE 378 - WHITE MUSCOVY DUCKS – DISQUALIFICATIONS: Feathers other than pure white in any part of the plumage, except dark markings commonly found on the head of the young specimens. (See General Disqualifications and Cutting for Defects.)

**NOTE:** This document is a work in progress. If any given class is not listed at this time then it is still being examined for errors. Feel free to contact the APA Office at 740-876-4845 or [apasecretaryadkins@gmail.com](mailto:apasecretaryadkins@gmail.com) if you believe that this document contains any errors.