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Photos on page 53: two photos at bottom of page are Portuguese Tumblers. See page 16 for more on this topic.



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While those of us who live north of the equator are working on our breeding season, the folks "Down Under" are gearing up for their show season. Michael Spadoni, the President of the Melbourne Pigeon Society, sent a show report with some lovely photos.

We also have the first part of an article on the German Pigeon Museum and Brad Child continues his series on Loft Hopping in Hessen with more beautiful breeds including the Amsterdam Tumbler, Dutch Tumbler and Gent Cropper.

Our "Breed of the Issue" is Racing Homers and we have two great articles on Rare Colors with quite a bit of genetic information mixed in. Also, an article on the Ceremonial Release business and the next part of Hubert Eysermans' excellent series on Success in Racing.

Hope you enjoy the issue!

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IN THIS ISSUE... We are very excited to begin a series of articles on the Diving Breeds. Sam DaMommio, who has flown some of these breeds, has interviewed a number of long-time fanciers who breed and fly these very distinctive brids. He begins with the Donek on page 18.

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Sam DaMommio has another installment in his series on the Diving breeds. Phil DeCarlo interviews a very successful Reinaugen breeder. And we have some encouraging news on the avian flu. Plus Part One of our coverage of the National Young Bird Show.

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Correction: In our last issue on page 36, the yellow check American Show Racer was bred and exhibited by Abe Karam.

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Sam DaMommio has another installment in his series on the Diving breeds, this time with a Voute breeder. Phil DeCarlo takes us to the rooftops of Brooklyn, New York to experience the pure thrill of flying. Mick Basset sent some lovely photos and an article on one of Germany's most successful breeders. And our breed of the issue is the Fantail.

Hope you enjoy!

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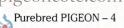
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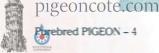
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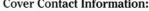
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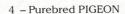
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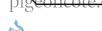
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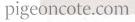
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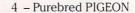
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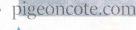
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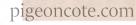
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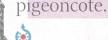
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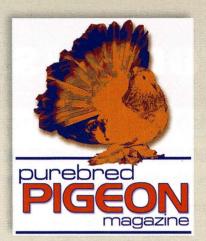
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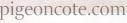
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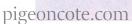
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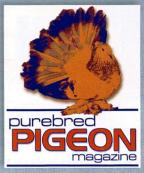
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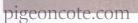
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