

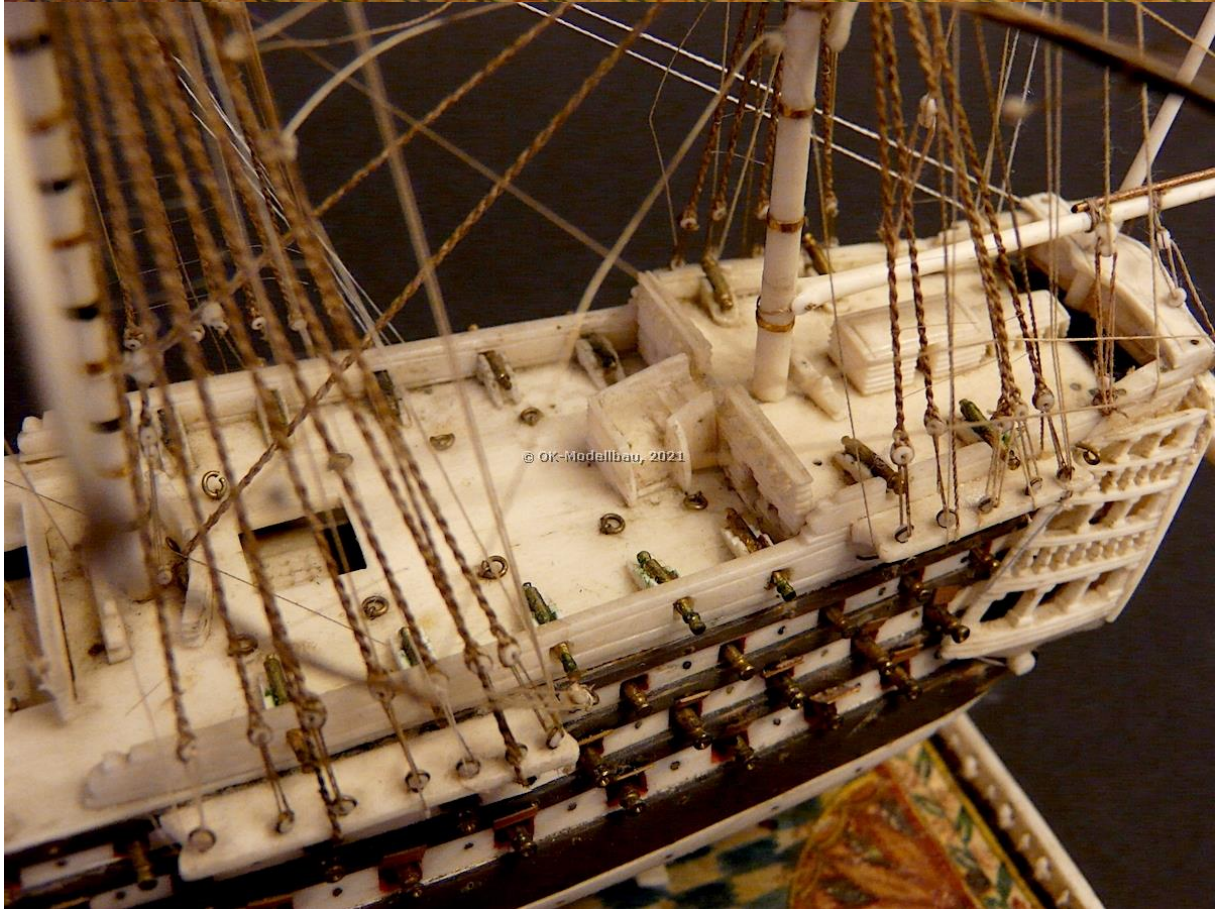
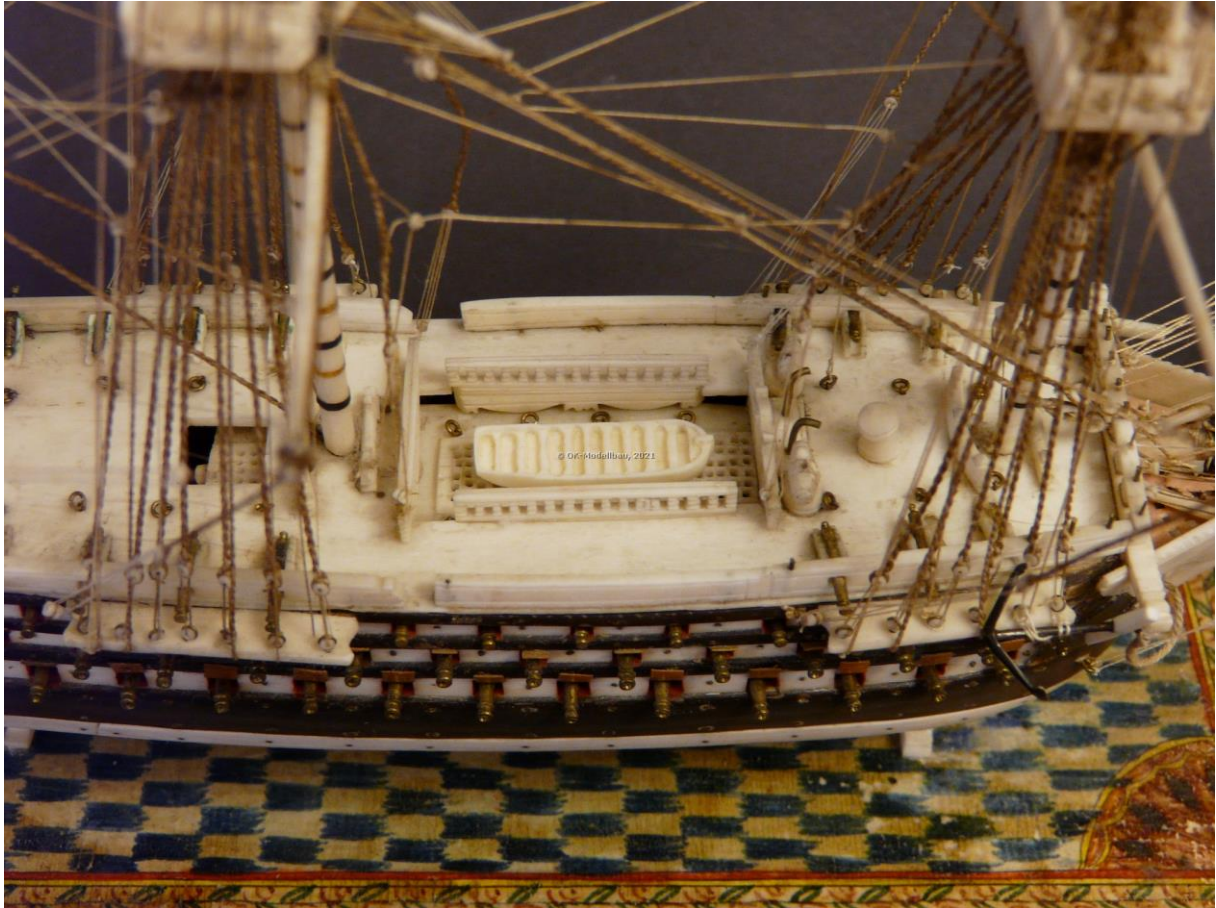
A Private collector in Hamburg

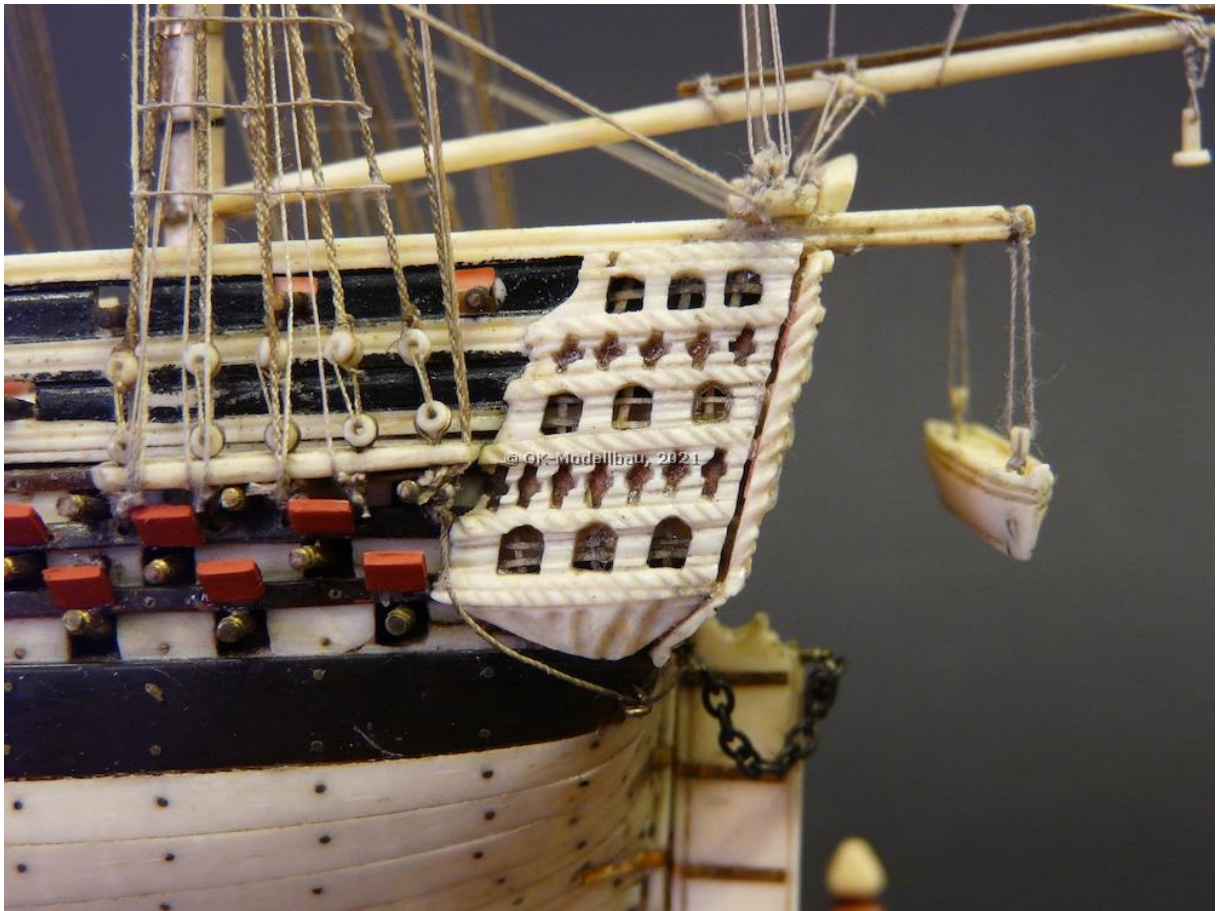
A POW Bone Ship Model of a British First rate warship with 118 cannon, circa 1800. Gunwales made of baleen. It is presented on its nicely polychromed base. Height: 28 cm. (11 in.); Length: 32 cm. (12½ in.); Width: 10 cm. (4 in.).

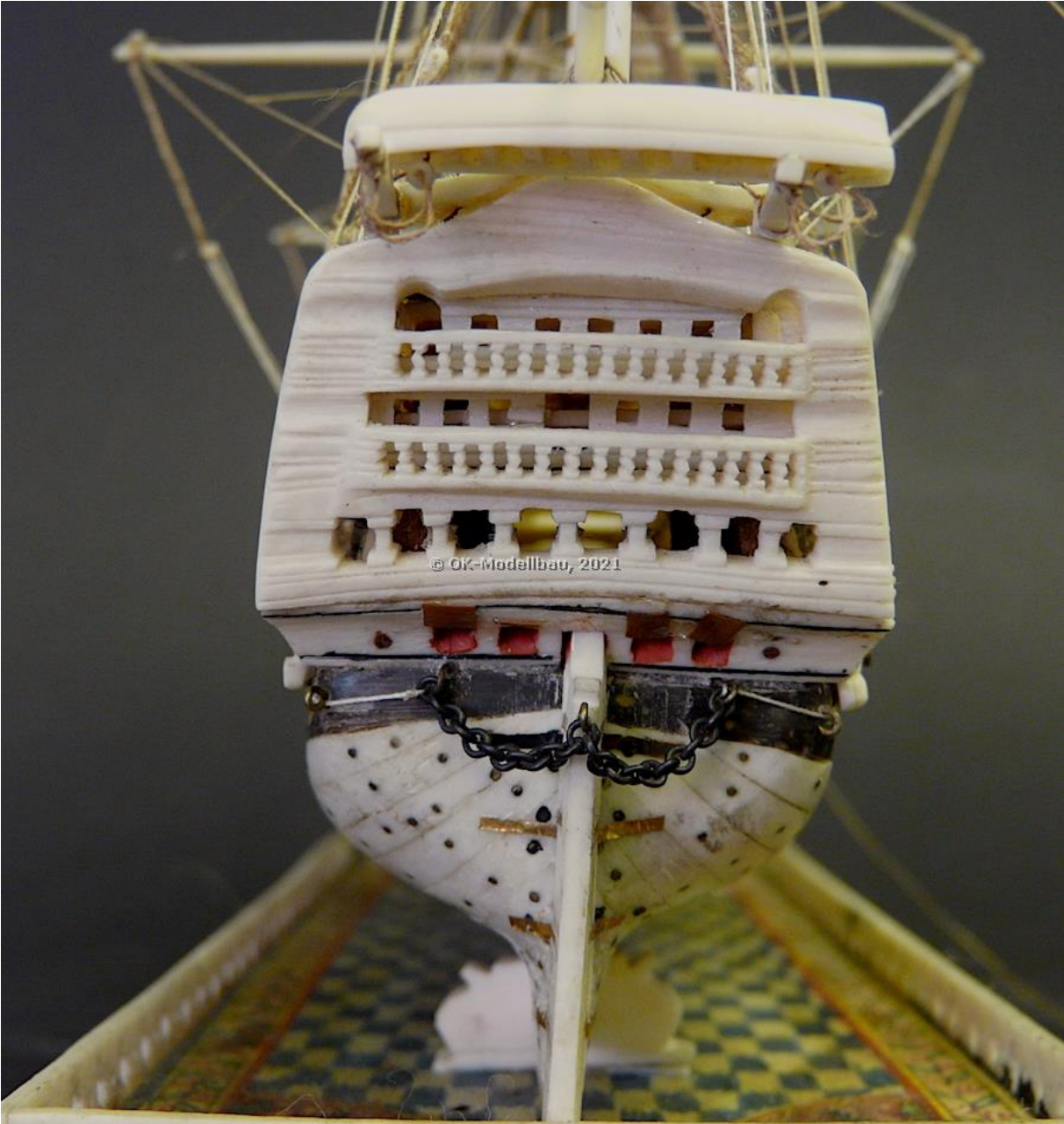
Provenance: Belonged to the collection of Claude and Jeanine Vérité, Paris, until it was sold on June 24, 2014 as lot 51 at Christie's, Paris, for € 6,250. The Vérité family has been running the Carrefour gallery on Boulevard Raspail 141 in Paris since 1937, from father Pierre (1900-1992) to son Claude (1928-2018) and his wife Jeanine Vérité (1928-). The gallery deals with African and oceanic sculptures, but also with classical archeology and ship models.

The present owner acquired the model during auction at VAN HAM, Cologne, on September 26th, 2020 under lot 106.

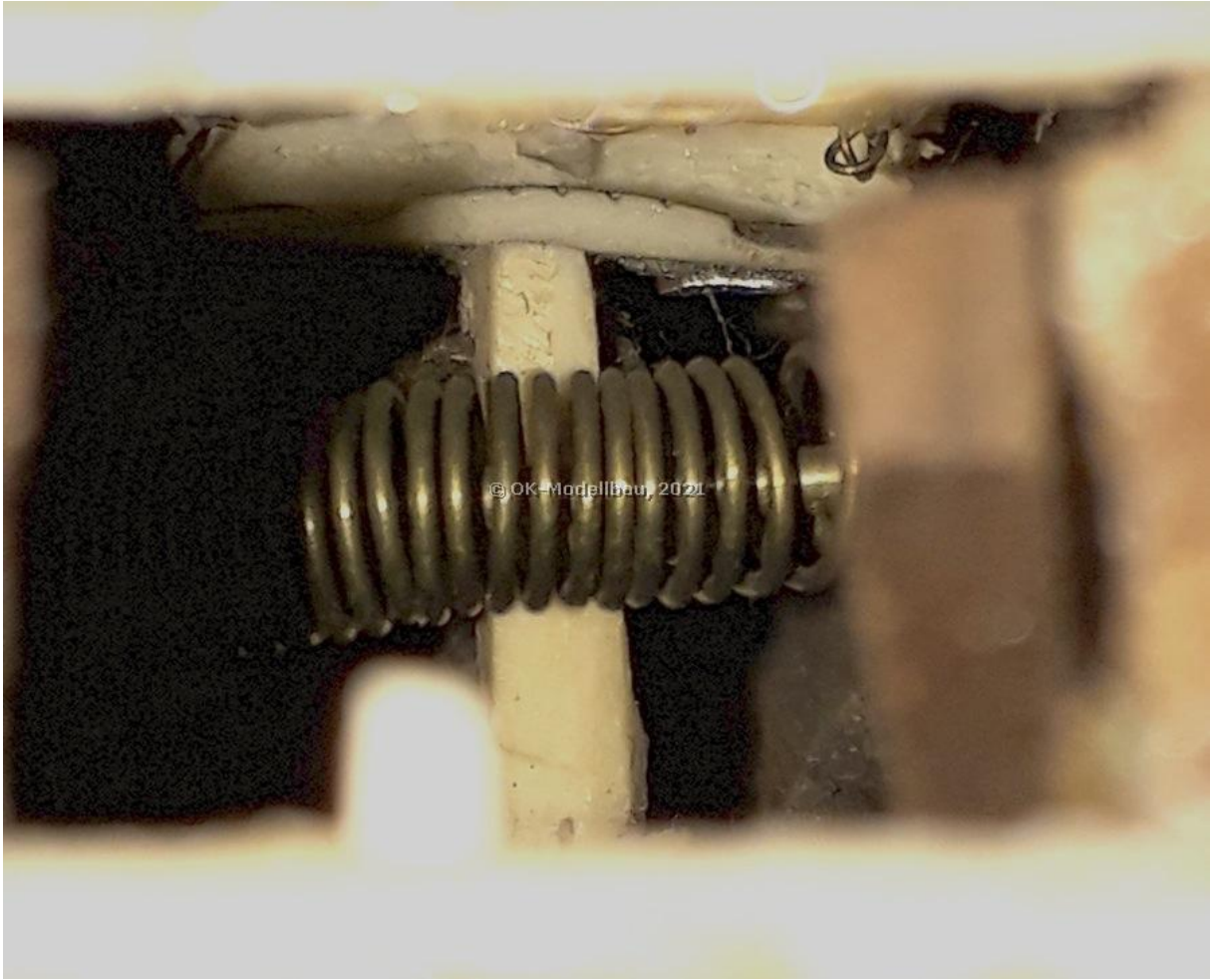












Gun retraction mechanism