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CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB.

EXECUTIVE MEETING.

(Official Report.)

A MEETING of the Executive of the Canadian Kennel Club was held in Toronto, on February 1st, 1892. President, T. G. Davey, and the following members present: Messrs. C. A. Stone, J. S. Williams, J. G. Mitchener, Toronto; W. B. Palmer, Woodstock; and H. B. Donovan, Secretary.

Ontario Collie Club. The following letter was read:—

Toronto, Jan. 9th, 1892.

To the Secretary of the Canadian Kennel Club:
DEAR SIR,—

At the Toronto show last fall I offered Vice-President Wesley Mills of the C. K. C. that I would recommend to the Ontario Collie Club to hand over our Kennel Club Register to the C. K. C.

I started the O. C. C. in 1884 and as the D. C. K. C. Register was virtually inoperative and I had been striving ever since I first came to Canada to improve the breed of Collies I got the O. C. C. to make very stringent registration rules. I forget exactly what they were, but I think all dogs had to be imported and registered in the E. K. C. S. B. or else proved to our satisfaction to be from English registered stock.

Most of the dogs that were first registered have long since gone to their happy hunting grounds but those records are too valuable to be lost. As the C. K. C. now seems to be

getting into useful working order and to be trying to keep its registrations pure, there seems to me to be no further use for our O. C. C. registrations and it would be better to combine the two. People sending to me during the last year to register, I have always referred to you, but Mr. Burland, Secretary of the O. C. C. tells me that some insist on registering in the O. C. C. as well.

I would, therefore, on behalf of the O. C. C., offer to hand over to you our Register on condition that you preserve the same as part of your own records and grant free registration in your book to those few dogs which may still be unregistered in your book (if there are any.)

Yours truly,

C. GREVILLE HASTON.

President of the Ontario Collie Club.

Moved by Mr. Williams, seconded by Mr. Palmer—That proposition be accepted on the understanding that any dogs unregistered in the C. K. C. R. must comply with new rules referring to registration and listing. Carried.

World's Fair Bench Show.—The following correspondence was read:—

Chicago, Ill., U.S.A., Jan. 14, '92.

H. B. Donovan, Esq.,

Sec'y Canadian Kennel Club.

DEAR SIR,—

Referring to your letter of the 11th inst., I beg to state that I have this day communicated with the Secretary of the American Kennel Club, and have taken the liberty of enclosing copy of your letter, and have asked him for such suggestions as he cared to offer in connection with the subject. The question will be decided, and I will advise you on receipt of a reply from Mr. Vredenburg.

Yours respectfully,

W. L. BUCHANAN,

Chief, Department of Agriculture.

(In charge Dep't of Live Stock.)

New York, Jan. 19th, '92.

Mr. H. B. Donovan,

DEAR SIR,—

I beg to advise you that I received a communication from Mr. W. I. Buchanan of the World's Fair Commission, enclosing your letter to him of Jan. 11th, in which you suggest that the rule of the World's Fair Bench Show be changed so as to place the C. K. C. on the same footing as the A. K. C. This matter was submitted to the Advisory Committee at its meeting held yesterday, and it was ordered that your request was deemed reasonable and fair, and the Committee recommended to the World's Fair the granting of the same.

As under the rules of the World's Fair it is necessary for the Secretary to furnish certificates of all dogs registered that are to be shown, the A. K. C. has fixed the price for that service at 50c. for each certificate so issued. As I am directed to confer with you on this subject, I beg to suggest that the fees for these certificates be made uniform with your Club and our own, and would be glad if you would bring this matter before your Club or any appropriate committee that a sum may be agreed upon, at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you for an early reply, I remain,
Yours truly,

A. P. VREDENBURGH, Sec'y.

It was decided to charge a fee of 50c for each certificate required by the World's Fair Committee to accompany each entry. This will be the only expense attached to entry.

Wilson vs. Nelles. A letter was read from the A. K. C. stating that Mr. C. M. Nelles, Brantford, had been disqualified by that body. A telegram was also read from Mr. Wilson, stating that Mr. Nelles had straightened the matter out, and wanting to withdraw the charge. The following communication was read from Mr. Nelles:—

Brantford, Feb. 1st, 1892.

To the Executive Committee,
Canadian Kennel Club:

GENTLEMEN,—I hereby protest against the action of the Advisory Committee of A.K.C. in disqualifying me in the case of *Wilton vs. Nelles*, inasmuch as the A.K.C. has no jurisdiction in this matter, the offence which is claimed having been committed in Canada by a Canadian and a member of the C.K.C.

The A.K.C. should in the first instance have notified the C.K.C. of the facts and ask them to report upon the case. They having failed to do so, I hereby request the Executive Committee of the C.K.C. to notify the A.K.C. that they cannot accept their action in the matter, and also to demand of them accepting any entries I may make at the coming shows.

I remain, gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

CHAS. M. NELLES.

Moved by Mr. Williams, seconded by Mr. Mitchener—That we uphold the action of the A.K.C., and await their further decision. Carried.

The Mercer case was deferred owing to the continued illness of Mr. Mercer, who wishes to appear before the Committee in person.

Evans case. A further communication was read from Mr. Stewart, regarding refusal of Mr. Evans to register his dog, and it was resolved that no further action be taken.

Mr. Geo. Bell's case. The Secretary reported progress and stated that Mr. Bell and Mr. Kerby had agreed to meet the Advisory Committee of the A.K.C. (to whom this matter has been referred) at New York. The President of the C.K.C. agreed to be present to watch the case in the interest of the Club.

New Members. The following new members were received:—C. A. MacHaffie, C. H. Akerley, H. P. Thomas, C. H. Smith, P. Hart, Montague Smith, A. F. Grant, J. W. Brown, H. Meade, G. B. Sweetnam, and R. W. Boyle.

The By-Laws, etc. were finally revised, a copy of which has since been sent to each member.

H. B. DONOVAN,
Secretary.

HAMILTON KENNEL CLUB.

H. B. DONOVAN, Esq.,
Sec'y C. K. C., Toronto.

DEAR SIR,

I AM instructed by the Hamilton Kennel Club to claim dates for our annual Bench Show in the month of September next, to be held during the week immediately preceding the date of the Toronto Bench Show.

I am, dear sir,

Yours truly,

A. D. STEWART,
Hon. Sec'y H. K. C.

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB REGISTRATIONS.

Breeders and owners are requested to read these registrations carefully, and if any error is discovered to at once acquaint the Secretary so that correction may be made for the Annual Stud Book.

BEAGLES.

DOGS.

1713. Swamp, whelped October, 1889, white, black and tan, by Elora Ranger, out of Elora Blue Bell; owner, Jno C Stockwell, Danville, P.Q., breeder Hiram Card, Elora, Ont.

BITCHES.

1711. Ula, whelped April 4th, 1890, white, black and tan, by Swamp, out of Bunnie; owner, Jno C Stockwell, Danville, P.Q., breeder same.

1712. Bunnie, whelped November, 1888, white, black and tan, by Blue Cap, out of Minnehaha; owner Jno C Stockwell, Danville, P.Q., breeder, Hiram Card, Elora, Ont.

1715. Flute, whelped February 6th, 1891, black, tan and white, by Rallywood C 978, out of Vesper C 979; owner, Dr Colman, Jarvis, Ont., breeder same.

COLLIES.

DOGS.

1705. Roy, whelped July 25th, 1891, color not given, by Roslyn Wecker, out of Beauty II; owner, C H Akerley, Tonawanda, N.Y., breeder same.

1731. Cruso, whelped Oct. 1891, white, black and tan by Corston out of Topsy I; owner, J Briggs Myers, Harrisburg, Pa.; breeder W H Beattie, Wilton Grove, Ont.

1732. Corston II., whelped Oct. 1891, sable and white, by Corston out of Topsy I; owner, John A McGillivray, Toronto, Ont.; breeder W H Beattie, Wilton Grove, Ont.

1733. Collie, whelped spring 1891, black, tan and white, by Corston, out of Topsy I; owner John Roatledge, Hyde Park, breeder, W H Beattie, Wilton Grove, Ont.

1734. Ben Nevas, whelped spring 1891, black, white and tan, by Corston, out of Topsy I; owner Jas. Edwards, Chatham, breeder, W H Beattie, Wilton Grove, Ont.

1735. Fletcher, whelped Sept. 25th, 1890, sable and white by Metchley Wonder II, out

of Marigold; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1736. Oliver, whelped Sept. 25th, 1890, sable and white, by Metchley Wonder II, out of Marigold; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1737. Russel, whelped May 7th, 1891, sable and white, by Metchley Wonder II, out of Manilla; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1738. Huron, whelped August 7th, 1890, sable and white, by Metchley Wonder II, out of Jess; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1739. Cumming, whelped Sept. 16th, 1891, sable and white, by Bonnie Dunkeld A 7353, out of Daylight; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1743. Strathearn, whelped July 3rd, 1891, sable, by Metchley Wonder II, out of Merry; owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1765. Moncton Beauty, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white, by Scotland's Star (imp.) out of Grange Beauty; owner, Jas G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

1766. Moncton Hero, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white, by Scotland's Star (imp.), out of Grange Beauty; owner, Jas G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

1767. Moncton Laddie, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white, by Scotland's Star (imp.) out of Grange Beauty; owner, J G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

1768. Scotland's Wonder, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white by Scotland's Star (imp.) out of Grange Beauty; owner, Jas G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

1769. Mac, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white by Scotland's Star (imp.) out of Grange Beauty; owner, Jas G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

BITCHES.

1726. Viola, whelped May 19th, 1889, sable and white, by Gowrie Chief, out of Flora McDonald II; owner, E F Doty, Toronto, Ont., breeder Wm. Robertson, Scotland.

1740. Vignette, whelped March 25th, 1891, black and tan, by Metchley Wonder II out of Madge, owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1741. Folly, whelped March 25th, 1891, black and tan, by Metchley Wonder II A 17554, out of Madge A 7420, owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1742. Mistletoe, whelped July 3rd, 1891, sable and white, by Metchley Wonder II, out of Holley, owners, McEwen & Gibson, Byron, Ont., breeders same.

1764. Grange Beauty, whelped Sept., 1890, sable and white, by Ch. Metchley Wonder 23002, out of Lady Fan (imp); owner, Jas G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder, Jos. Laycock, Calgary, N. W. T.

1770. Princess May, whelped Oct. 3rd, 1891, sable and white, by Scotland's Star (imp.) out of Grange Beauty; owner, J G McDonald, Moncton, N. B., breeder same.

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DANDIE DINMONT TERRIERS.

DOG.

1791. Dandy, whelped Aug. 19, 1891, pepper, by Gipsy Davie, out of Kelso Flirt; owner, W H Thorne, St. John N.B., breeder, Arch'd Steel, Kelso, Scotland.

BITCH.

1792. Vic, whelped July 22nd, 1891, pepper, by Edenside, out of Nell; owner, W H Thorne, St. John, N.B., breeder, A Steel, Kelso, Scotland.

FOX TERRIERS.

SMOOTH, DOGS.

1755. Pewter, whelped August 28th, 1891, black, white and tan, by Pitcher, out of Elora Tatters; owner, T J Fitzsimmons, Toronto, breeder same.

1781. Pawnbroker, whelped August 28th, 1891, white, black and tan, by Pitcher, out of Elora Tatters; owner, T J Fitzsimmons, Toronto, breeder same.

1782. Jags, whelped August 28th, 1891, white, black and tan head, by Pitcher, out of Elora Tatters; owner, T J Fitzsimmons, Toronto, breeder same.

1783. Rags, whelped August 28th, 1891, white, black and tan, by Pitcher, out of Elora Tatters; owner, T J Fitzsimmons, Toronto, breeder same.

1788. Arden Rip, whelped October 26th, 1891, white, black and tan, by Arden Jack, out of Arden Gip; owner, G W Prescott, Toronto, breeder same.

1793. Arden Crib, whelped October 26th, 1891, white, black and tan markings, by Arden Jack, out of Arden Gip; owner, G W Prescott, Toronto, breeder same.

1794. Arden Percy, whelped December 8th, 1891, white, black and tan markings, by Punch C 645, out of Gipsy Jane; owner, G W Prescott, Toronto, breeder same.

BITCH.

1784. Mischief, whelped August 28th, 1891, white, black and tan, by Pitcher, out of Elora Tatters; owner, T J Fitzsimmons, Toronto, breeder same.

FOX TERRIERS.

WIRE-HAIR, DOGS.

1707. Compton Mack, whelped September 13th, 1891, white, by Dartmoor Snow-broom C 1544, out of Dartmoor Flirt C 1543; owner, F S Wetherall, Compton, Que., breeder same.

1708. Compton Tatters, whelped September 16th, 1891, white, by Dartmoor Snow-broom, C 1544, out of Dartmoor Fairy, C 1542; owner, F S Wetherall, Compton, Que., breeder same.

1710. Compton Pincher, whelped September 13th, 1891, white, black patch on left cheek, black spot on right ear, by Dartmoor Snow-broom, C 1544, out of Dartmoor Flirt, C 1543; owner, F S Wetherall, Compton, Que., breeder same.

BITCHES.

1706. Compton Wail, whelped September 13th, 1891, white, by Dartmoor Snow-broom, C 1544, out of Dartmoor Flirt, C 1543; owner, F S Wetherall, Compton, Que., breeder same.

1709. Compton Nettle, whelped September 16th, 1891, white, marked black and tan spots on left eye, right ear, black spot on root of tail, by Dartmoor Snow-broom, C 1544, out of Compton Fairy, C 1542; owner, F S Wetherall, Compton, Que., breeder same.

GREAT DANES.

DOG.

1720. Don Caesar Jr, whelped June 22nd, 1891, dark mouse with brindle markings, by Champ imported Don Caesar A 6046, out of Alma; owner, Shirley Stewart, Queen's Park, Toronto, breeder, S Hanser, Osceola Mills, Wis.

MASTIFF.

BITCH.

1797. Beaufort's Lass, whelped March 24th, 1891, light fawn, black muzzle and ears, by Champ Beaufort A 15130, out of June; owner, H Falconer, Shelburne, Ont., breeder, J L Winchell, Fair Haven, Vt.

POINTERS.

DOGS.

1749. Lord Graphic's Star, whelped December 17th, 1889, liver and white, by Lord Graphic, out of Minnehaha; owner, Sam Holmes, Chatham, Ont., breeder, Thos Thornton, Cleveland, Ohio.

1786. Count Graphic, A 20233, whelped August 25th, 1889, white and liver, by Lord Graphic A 10049, out of Lassie Faust A 20232; owner, Caton & Milkins, Leamington, Ont., breeder, F Caton, Randall, Ohio.

BITCHES.

1750. Graphic's Diana, whelped September 3rd, 1891, liver and white, by Lord Graphic, out of Minnehaha; owner, Sam Holmes, Chatham, Ont., breeder, Thos Thornton, Cleveland, Ohio.

1785. Duchess Graphic, A 20234, whelped August 25th, 1889, white and liver, by Lord Graphic A 10049, out of Lassie Faust, A 20232; owner, Hess Milkins, Leamington, Ont., breeder, Frank Caton, Randall, Ohio.

SETTERS.

ENGLISH, DOGS.

1756. Brighton Ranger, whelped December 16th, 1891, black white and tan, by Rhiulas, out of Lassie; owner, T G Davey, London, Ont., breeder same.

1758. Brighton Bert, whelped Jan'y 13th, 1891, black and white, by Luke, out of Lady Flush; owner, T G Davey, London, Ont., breeder same.

1760. Brighton Jasper, whelped January 27th, 1891, black, white and tan, by Canadian Jester, out of Canadian Lillie; owner, T G Davey, London, Ont., breeder same.

1761. Brighton Jimcrack, whelped January 27th, 1891, black, white and tan, by Canadian Jester, out of Canadian Lillie; owner, T G Davey, London, Ont., breeder same.

1771. Belvidere Shylcock, whelped May 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Rock, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1772. Belvidere Sport, whelped May 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Rock, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1776. Belvidere Sam, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas, 1262, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1777. Belvidere Scamp, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas, 1262, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1778. Belvidere Scout, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas, 1262, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1779. Belvidere Spot, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas, 1262, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1780. Belvidere Shot, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas, 1262, out of Belvidere Maud, 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1796. Ponto, whelped August, 1890, white, evenly marked black face, ticked body, by Manitoba Gladstone A 7157, out of Western Bell A 14999; owner, Jno Ayre, Toronto, Ont., breeder, John Thompson, Winnipeg, Man.

BITCHES.

1721. Miss Kingston, whelped October 15th, 1891, orange and white, by Kents Rex A 20832, out of Blue Bell; owner, C H Corbett, Kingston, breeder same.

1722. Countess Kingston, whelped Oct. 15th, 1891, orange and white, by Kents Rex A 20832, out of Blue Bell; owner, C H Corbett, Kingston, Ont., breeder same.

1723. Miss La Salle, whelped February 15th, 1891, blue belton body, black and tan head, by King Glad's A 18658, out of La Salle A 18659; owner, C H Corbett, Kingston, Ont., breeder same.

1728. Blue Bell, whelped Dec. 4th, 1888, orange and white, by Glenburnie A 6978, out of Flo II A 6977; C H Corbett, Kingston, Ont., breeder same.

1729. Pride of Kingston, whelped Oct. 15th, 1891, white, black and tan by Kent's Rex A 20832, out of Blue Bell; owner, C H Corbett, Kingston, Ont., breeder same.

1757. Brighton Ruth, whelped December 16th, 1891, black and white by Rhiulas, out of Lassie; owner, T G Davey, London Ont., breeder same.

1759. Brighton Leddersdale III, whelped July 27, 1891, black and white, by Canadian Jester, out of Canadian Lillie; owner, T G Davey, London, Ont., breeder same.

1773. Belvidere Skip, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas 1262, out of Belvidere Maud 722, owner W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1774. Belvidere Silk, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas 1262, out of Belvidere Maud 722; owner W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1775. Belvidere Sue, whelped December 8th, 1891, blue belton, by Ightfield Rhiulas 1262, out of Belvidere Maud 722; owner W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder same.

1787. Belvidere Bell, whelped May 8th, 1891, black and white, by Rock out of Belvidere Maud 722; owner, W S Smith, London, Ont., breeder, Belvidere Kennels.

GORDON SETTER.**BITCH.**

1730. Winnipeg, whelped 1890, black and tan, by Bendigo, out of Basy, E 10268; owner, J L Campbell, Simcoe, Ont., breeder, E L Parsons, Taunton, Eng.

IRISH SETTERS.**DOG.**

1741. Jim, whelped March 27th, 1891, red, by Shaun Rue, out of Kerry Gow; owner, Chas. Helmer, Flint, Mich., breeder John F Quill, Toronto.

BITCH.

1745. Mag, whelped March 27th, 1891, red, by Shaun Rue, out of Kerry Gow; owner, A W Helmer, Flint, Mich., breeder, John F Quill, Toronto.

SPANIELS, COCKER.**DOGS.**

1714. Rueben, whelped March 8th, 1891, black, by Bob Obo C 251, out of Topsy C 323; owner, Chas. E. Scarle, Hamilton, Ont., breeder same.

1717. Russet, whelped Oct. 30th, 1891, red, by Red Rover II., out of Flossie; owner W B Palmer, Woodstock, Ont., breeder, Victoria Kennels.

1719. Jack of the Waldoons, whelped April 19th, 1891, black with streak of white under chest, by Pekoe C 75, out of Neva; owner R H Crump, Masonville, London, Ont., breeder, J A Spracklin, Woodstock, Ont.

1724. Kingston Obo, whelped September 25th, 1891, black, by King of Obo, out of Dora; owner, C H Corbett, Kingston, Ont., breeder, J D G Shaw, Kingston, Ont.

1727. Lykes' Black Prince, whelped July 15th, 1891, black, by Black Dufferin, A 20043, out of Lady Stanley, C 257; owners, Luckwell & Douglas, Woodstock, Ont., breeders same.

1746. Amusement, whelped June 29th, 1891, black, by Obadiab, out of Amusement; owner, G Bell, Toronto, breeder same.

1747. Black Count, whelped July 12th, 1891, black, by Black Dufferin, A 20043, out of Maggie, C 1478; owner, Geo Douglas, Woodstock, Ont., breeders, Luckwell & Douglas, Woodstock, Ont.

1748. Black Jacket, whelped September 28th, 1890, black, by Ch Brant, 5856, out of Woolstock Dinah; owner, W J Wallace, Montreal, Que., breeder, C M Nelles, Brantford, Ont.

1762. Nip, whelped Apl. 21st, '91 black, by Ch Jersey, out of Pansy Butler; owner, Geo B Sweetnam, Toronto, breeder, J P Willey, Salmon Falls, N. H.

1763. Tuck, whelped Apl. 21, '91, black, by Ch Jersey, out of Pansy Butler; owner, Geo B Sweetnam, Toronto, breeder, J P Willey, Salmon Falls, N. H.

1790. Facination, whelped June 29th, 1891, black, by Obadiab, out of Amusement; owner, G Bell, Toronto, breeder same.

1795. Black Prince, whelped May 2nd, 1891, black, by King Roy, C 815, out of Gipsy Queen, C 646; owner, W G McCullagh, Kingston, Ont., breeder same.

BITCHES.

1716. Gipsy II, whelped December 8th, 1890, black and white, by Jack, out of Toney; owner, Hugh McGilberty, Independence, Iowa, breeder, Mr Lang, Port Perry.

1725. Mona, whelped, date not given, red, by Ch Red Jacket, out of Ula; owner, W B Palmer, Woodstock, Ont., breeder, J D G Shaw, Kingston, Ont.

ST. BERNARDS.**R C., DOGS.**

1753. Lord Hualpa, whelped December 17th, 1890, orange, white markings, dark shadings, by Alton, out of Keepsake; owner, Iroquois Kennels, Tonawanda, N. Y., breeder, F E Lamb, Baltimore, Md.

1789. Bryan, whelped (date unknown), orange and white, by Monk, out of Cleopatra; owner, W H Scherer, Carthage, Cinn., Ohio, breeder, Mr. Peters, Toronto.

BITCHES.

1718. Mygnon, A 16685, whelped Sept. 26th, 1889, orange brindle, slight blaze collar, by Beauchamp 10615, out of Delb, owner, Iroquois Kennels, Tonawanda, N. Y., breeder not given.

1751. Princess Monh, whelped Feb. 24th, 1889, orange, white markings, dark shadings, by Marquis of Stafford out of Egon; owner, Iroquois Kennels, Tonawanda, N. Y., breeder not given.

1752. Croisette, whelped June 3rd, 1890, orange, white markings, dark shadings, by Casper, out of Liche; owner Iroquois Kennels, Tonawanda, N. Y., breeder not given.

1754. Bohemian Girl, whelped June 14th, 1889, orange, white markings, very little shadings, by Beauchamp, out of Florida; owner, Iroquois Kennels, Tonawanda, N. Y., breeder Miss Whitney, Lancaster, Mass.

NOTES AND COMMENTS**HAMILTON KENNEL CLUB.**

A REPORT of the annual meeting will be found in another column. We heartily congratulate the officers and members on the club's immense membership roll, which is due in great part to Mr. Stewart's executive ability, supported by the ready sympathy of the other officials.

MR. F. H. P. MERCER, OTTAWA, owing to his continued serious illness, has been greatly afflicted in his kennels. Mr. Mercer has now been sick or away for over six months and during

this time his kennelman allowed the dogs to get into a pitiable state, in fact so bad were they that no less than seven succumbed. The balance of the kennel, nine, are now in the hands of Mr. Spracklin, Woodstock, who is earning an enviable reputation as a handler, and are being put in proper shape. Mr. Mercer's kennels will in future be located in Woodstock, he keeping but Champion Johnny as a house companion. The dogs will not be shown during the spring circuit.

MR. GEO. BELL, TORONTO,

takes quite a string to Chicago, including the field Spaniels Newton Abbot Farmer, What Not and Bob, the Cockers, I Say, Amazement, Amusement and Black Pete, and a Scotch Terrier of Mr. Fraser's.

MR. J. SMILLIE, TORONTO,

is sending his imported Beagle bitch Melody, 1st Toronto Club show to be bred to Hornell Harmony Kennels' Champion Royal Krueger.

MR. W. H. THORNE, ST. JOHN, N. B., who has just returned from England, brought over with him a brace of Dandie Dinmont puppies a few months old. They are well bred and from winning parents.

HELD OVER.

There are several letters, etc., on matters not needing immediate attention, which we are obliged to hold over. Our readers will see the GAZETTE, even with extra pages, is very crowded this month.

THE A. K. C. SECRETARY

informs us that the registrations in the next vol. of A.K.C.S.B. will number 4300. The volume will also contain every win made in 1891.

FIELD TRIALS AND THE C. K. C.

Several owners of field trial winners have written us, complaining because the C. K. C. takes no recognition of their dogs or wins. We feel the justness of the point, and understand the Executive of the C. K. C. will shortly devote a special meeting entirely to the consideration of this whole matter. In the meantime the Secretary would be glad to receive suggestions from breeders and owners, so that he may be able to lay their views intelligently before the Committee. We need hardly say the columns of the GAZETTE are open for full discussion of the subject.

MR. J. LORNE CAMPBELL, SIMCOE, owing to pressure of private business, will not be able to keep a large kennel of Gordon Setters, and has reluctantly parted with his well known Becky Sharp, to a gentleman in New York. For some time at any rate he will keep nothing but one or two for his own use in the field.

THERE ARE FEW BULL TERRIERS in Canada and we are glad to note any increase in their numbers. Mr. A. E. Smith, Montreal, has now a litter of eight, six dogs of which his hopes are high. They are out of My Queen a winner of numerous prizes by the well-known Champion Jubilee and are all as their owner says "speckless."

MR. GEO. BELL, TORONTO, we hear has bought back that good little dog Obadiah from the party to whom he disposed of him in Lexington, Ky. His reason for so doing is that bitches to whom he was bred prior to the sale have since whelped some wonderfully good puppies, two especially, out of Amazement, being particularly promising.

CAPT. F. H. D. VEITH, OTTAWA,

has sent us a photo of his own taking depicting a pleasant shooting scene on the Rideau River. The occasion was just as he and his henchman Louis Albert were about preparing tea, some ducks lit just opposite and of course the sportsman's spirit rejoices in the incident and takes advantage of it. Three of Capt. Veith's Clumbers are shown in the picture.

IN LAST ISSUE

we announced the fact that Mr. Phil. Hart, Belleville, had imported a St. Bernard bitch from Miss Whitney. Further particulars are now to hand which we give in the owner's words. "I take pleasure in announcing the arrival at my kennels of the rough-coated St. Bernard bitch, Superba, sire Sir Herbert, (Ch Plinlimmon x Ch. Queen Jura), dam Myrtle, (Alpx Myrtle). I purchased her of the Miss Whitney, Lancaster, Mass. and hope she will fulfil her present promise and make a good bitch worthy of her illustrious ancestors. Her sire, Sir Herbert, is one of the most valuable animals ever imported is a litter brother of the famous lamented Alton, and he had a show career in England under the name of Hillshaw that promised success but was purchased by Miss Whitney his present owner while yet hardly beyond puppyhood and has never been before the public in America. If nothing happens her she will be seen among the big ones this fall."

THE TORONTO KENNEL CLUB

has been quite vigorous the past month and has held three or four meetings at one of which two excellent papers were read by (Dr. R. A. Campbell, V.S.) and Mr. J. S. Williams, both of which papers will be found elsewhere.

PROF. WESLEY MILLS' NEW BOOK,

we are pleased to learn, is having a very large sale already. A very able review of it by a "Canadian Cynologist" appears in another column.

DEATH OF MR. H.P. HARRISON, TORONTO.

At a recent meeting of the Toronto Kennel Club, Mr. Geo. Sweetnam was requested to draft a resolution of condolence upon the death of the late H. P. Harrison, and to forward the same to the family of the deceased. The resolution is as follows:—

"The Toronto Kennel Club have heard with regret of the death of the late Henry Pierce Harrison, who, from the first inception of the Club had been one of its most devoted and active members, ready at all times with works and substance to promote the best interests of the Club. In regular meeting assembled this 21st day of January, 1892, they desire to extend to the widow and family of the deceased member their heartfelt sympathy in the irreparable loss they have sustained in the death of a loving and affectionate husband and father, and to commend them to that higher power who alone can provide solace and comfort in the darkest hours of life."

The late Mr. Harrison will be better known to some of our readers as the owner of the Collie Nancy, 1st open class, last Toronto show, and Toronto Wonder 3rd novice and puppy classes and H. C. open class. We deeply regret his demise.

THE STUD BOOK

is proving a work of much greater magnitude than we anticipated, entailing an immense amount of clerical work. If delayed a short time we must beg our readers indulgence.

HAMILTON KENNEL CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE second annual meeting of the Hamilton Kennel Club was held on Thursday evening, 4th February, in the Forester's Hall on James Street. There was a large attendance of members, and the proceedings throughout were most harmonious and enjoyable.

Mr. A. D. Stewart was in the chair as President of the Club, and reviewed the work done during the year, paying a high compliment to his brother officers who had laboured unceasingly to bring the club to its present state of usefulness. Mr. Stewart intimated that he intended to resign his office as President, as he thought that honors such as this should go round, and he knew that there were many present from whom a capable and industrious chief officer could be chosen.

The Treasurer's report showed that there were 242 members in good standing on the Club roll, and a balance on hand to the credit of the Club of \$25 and no debts outstanding. The report was adopted unanimously, and a vote of thanks was then passed to President and officers for their efficient work during the year.

It was decided to ask the new Executive Committee to devise ways and means at an early date by which the guarantors who had subscribed \$700 to pay off the loss accruing from the late bench show might be paid off.

It was decided to hold the annual Bench Show in September, just before the Toronto fixture, and the Secretary was instructed to claim the necessary dates without delay.

It was also decided to hold a one night local show during the month of March, open to members of the Club only.

A motion to increase the annual membership fee from \$1 to \$2 was voted on and carried.

The rules lately passed by the Executive Committee of the C. K. C. relating to "champions" and "novice classes" were discussed at length, and it was the unanimous opinion of the meeting that a great mistake had been made and that the rules referred to should be reconsidered, as they were in no way beneficial to Canadian breeders or exhibitors.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the C.K.C. to this effect, and to ask for the co-operation of other Canadian Kennel Clubs in the matter.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—Patron, Wm. Hendrie; President, Andrew Murdoch; 1st Vice-President, Dr. Griffin; 2nd Vice-President, E. Tinsley; Treasurer, C. W. Tinsley; Hon. Secretary, A. D. Stewart; Fin. Secretary, H. P. Breay; Hon. Vet. Surgeon, Dr. Mole; Committee, Wm. McDonald, Jno. Hackett, F. R. Close, J. C. Hore, R. B. Harris.

BARKLETS.

NOW that the rules of the C.K.C. are being revised, would it not be well to consider the propriety of requiring dogs owned in Canada to be registered in the C. K. C. S. B., before being allowed to compete at any show held under Club rules? I have not forgotten the arguments advanced by those breeders in the U.S. who so strongly opposed a similar proposition when submitted to the A. K. C., but I think it will be admitted that time has proved the wisdom of the move there, and it seems to me to be worthy of a trial on this side of the line. The question that so agitated the minds of our American cousins—that of expense—need not be considered

at all in relation to this matter. Under our rules a member of the Club can register as many dogs as he may own, free. To become a member costs but \$2 per year, and there are few indeed who would not pay out more than that sum in a year for registering their dogs. Compulsory registration therefore would have the effect of increasing the Club membership, and enlarging our annual Stud Book. Such registration would also relieve Show Secretaries of much trouble now experienced after every exhibition, in looking up particulars necessary to enable them to register prize-winners. Only those who have had this to do are aware of the difficulties to be encountered.

As the C.K.C. rules are not likely to be called into active service for some months yet, I would suggest, Mr. Editor, that further action in respect to printing be deferred until this, and other proposed changes can be fully discussed and settled in the interests of all concerned.

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The season is at hand when the policemen of our cities will again take the canine census and collect a tax of at least \$2 on every bitch and \$1 on every dog that cannot be safely stowed away in the attic or cellar, until the minion of the law has completed his rounds. In the rural districts the assessor performs this service—unless the dog happens to be away visiting when that officer calls. However, the tax appears to effect no diminution in the number of curs that infest our cities. How these ungainly creatures, with no more parentage than had "Topsy," continue to find owners willing to pay the sum demanded, is one of those things the ordinary fancier cannot understand.

In connection with this subject, it may be of interest to those who own kennels in Ontario to know that any number of pure bred dogs may be

kept, under certain conditions, on payment of an annual tax of \$10. The clause in the Act which governs this matter reads as follows:

"Provided nevertheless that the owner or possessor of a kennel of pure bred dogs, which are registered in the Canadian Kennel Register, may in any year obtain from the Treasurer of the municipality a certificate of having paid to such Treasurer the sum of \$10 as a tax upon such kennel for that year, and upon the production thereof to the assessor, the owner or possessor of such kennel shall be exempt from assessment and any further tax in respect thereof for the said year."

A friend in England, who is in touch with kennel interests over there writes, "I am sorry to say a good few over here try to make capital out of the long distance that separates them from foreign buyers, and I have no hesitation in saying that to my knowledge not an average of two out of five of the dogs that cross the herring pond are worth half the money that is paid for them." Comment is unnecessary.

"The Dog in Health and in Disease," a new work by Dr. Wesley Mills, is to hand. It comes from the well-known publishing house of D. Appleton & Co., New York, and is printed and bound in their usual attractive style. In it the Dr. tells all that is worth knowing of the origin, history, breeding, etc., of man's "speechless associate," describes in every day language the ills to which he is subject, and the proper remedies. The illustrations are models of well-known celebrities of the present day and are admirably executed—in fact the book as a whole is up to the times, and only needs to be seen and read to be appreciated. It will find a place in the libraries of our intelligent breeders.

BARKUS.

THE ST. BERNARD.

BY J. S. WILLIAMS, TORONTO.



IN years gone by, before the tunnel was cut through the Alps, it was necessary for all travelers from the

North who desired to visit Rome, to cross the dangerous mountain passes. The good old monk, Bernard de Menthon having crossed many times on his perilous visits to the "Eternal City," conceived the idea of establishing a safe retreat in time of need, away up near the mountain crest. Believing himself specially called to this work, he obtained permission from his Church to set out upon his noble mission.

It was in the early fall of 956 A.D., that he, with a stout heart, journeyed with his ever faithful dog, (since known as the St. Bernard dog) to the beautiful but barren spot where now stands the Hospice, a lasting monument to him and his faithful companion. The St. Bernard dogs are the largest of their race and the good work they have done is familiar to reading people throughout the world.

The origin of the St. Bernard dog is a matter of great uncertainty, and the monks of St. Bernard themselves are unable to throw any light upon the matter beyond pointing out to visitors the portrait of Bernard de Menthon, in which he is accompanied by a large dog possessing many Bloodhound characteristics. The value of any data, however, is greatly diminished from the fact, that, in the early part of the present century, the breed nearly died out and the monks were compelled to re-cross the few dogs they had left with

others which they obtained from outside the Hospice.

It was during a terrible snowstorm in 1812 that the services of the monks and dogs were in such constant request that even the female dogs were called into service. The latter being less robust and not so thoroughly trained and hardened to the work as the males met with fearful fatality and we are told that not one survived the ordeal. This left the monks with only male dogs and the question naturally arose as to how the breed should be perpetuated.

One writer states that a cross with the Newfoundland was first tried and afterwards abandoned.

Another authority says the monks did make a success of the Newfoundland cross after the second generation, and that the failure of the first cross was attributable to the long shaggy hair which distinguished the "half-breeds." This long, loose hair accumulated the snow and the dogs became weighted down in their work and many of them perished—but the monks persevered and crossed the most likely of their half-bred bitches with their original dogs and in this way reconstituted the race of dogs that are now at the Hospice. These dogs, (he says) notwithstanding their cross with the Newfoundland have the same valor and courage as the ancient race, because by an intelligent and systematic choice they rear for service and reproduction only such pups as approach most closely to the original type and standard.

A third writer gives it as his opinion that the blood of the Pyrenean Wolfhound was at this time introduced into the breed and that it still remains there. The tendency to a lanky wolf-like form combined with a light tapering muzzle which frequently crops out in well-bred litters gives some strength to this theory. Personally I do not attach so much importance to this reconstitution of the St. Bernard

race as some writers appear to manifest. They all agree that in-breeding was practiced, that the original dogs were used as sires until the true St. Bernard type was thoroughly re-established, and there can be no question that the Standard of the St. Bernard is higher to-day than ever before in the history of the breed. The most probable account of the origin of the St. Bernard dog is that of M. Schumacher, who says, "According to the tradition of the holy fathers of the Great St. Bernard these dogs descend from a bitch of Denmark, (Bulldog species) and a Mastiff of the Pyrenees (Shepherd's dog.) The descendants of this crossing have inherited from the Danish dog its great size and strength, and from the Pyrenean Mastiff its intelligence and exquisite sense of smell, and the faithfulness and sagacity which the St. Bernard has acquired and displayed during the period of 900 years, give them a glory throughout the world which well entitles them to the merit and name of a distinctive race for themselves."

The manner in which the monks make use of these dogs is described as follows:—

In the winter season the dogs are sent out in pairs (one old, one young). A certain number are sent over the route on the Italian side of the mountain towards Aosta. Two or more couples make the journey on the Swiss side towards Martigny to a distance of about nine miles from the Hospice. They all go just to the last of the cabins of refuge which the monks have constructed for the benefit of travellers. Even when the snow has fallen at night the dogs find their way unerringly and do not deviate from their regular track one yard. The marks of their feet leave a track which is easy for travellers to follow as far as the Hospice. Two dogs are made to go over this track together, so that if one perishes the other will complete the trip. When

the dogs arrive at the cabins of refuge they enter them to see if any travellers are there seeking shelter, in which case they entice them to follow. If they find any travellers who have succumbed to the cold, they try to revive them by imparting warmth in licking their hands and face which frequently produces the desired effect. In addition to this the dogs are supplied with brandy and other restoratives which they carry in a leather barrel attached to the collar, so that when consciousness is restored the sufferer can avail himself of the remedies at hand, should all of these means prove inefficient the dogs return in all haste to the Hospice, where they know how to make themselves understood and the monks immediately set out well provided with restoratives, and in this way hundreds of lives have been saved, one dog alone having a record of about 40 lives saved to his credit.

The St. Bernard was introduced into England about 25 years ago, Tell being the first Champion ever created among St. Bernards in that country. Mr. J. C. Macdona, who imported Tell having also the honor of establishing the first important kennel of St. Bernards in England. Tell was not a large dog but he was full of character which he transmitted to his offspring, his blood being in the most celebrated St. Bernards that have ever been in this country. Another grand dog imported by Mr. Macdona was Alp but he was not as successful as a stud dog as Tell, still I notice his name in the pedigrees of some of our "cracks" of to-day. Among other prominent names of early importations into England are Sir Charles Isham's Leo a good stud dog, sire of Champion Abbess, the mother of Champion Hector, Hector sold for £250, an exorbitant price for a St. Bernard in those days; also Mr. J. H. Murchison's Thor, Mr. Sander's Russ, Mr. Macdona's Menthon,

Mr. Murchison's Jura, Mr. Joyer's Barry and Mr. Bowman's Oscar and others of later date, whose names are familiar to breeders of St. Bernards to-day.

THE POINTS OF THE ST. BERNARD:—

The head is large, square and massive; the face not too long, but square at the muzzle, with flew approaching that of the Bloodhound, but not so heavy. The stop distinct, showing off the great height of brow and occipital protuberance, which is specially marked. Ears of medium size, carried close to the cheeks. Eyes dark and intelligent, sometimes showing the haw, in that respect also partially resembling the Bloodhound.

The neck is lengthy and slightly arched on top with well developed dew lap, sloping shoulders and wide chest. The legs should be straight with large feet and double dew-claws if possible, but at least single. The appearance is showy and gay, giving the observer an impression that the dog is possessed of intelligence, strength and activity in a marked degree. In color orange-tawny or red is most fashionable. Many prefer a brindle, either dark red or gray, particularly if tiger-marked, which gives a very showy appearance when relieved by white markings. In temperament, if carefully and properly reared, they are mild and affectionate, more so than almost any other class of dog; easily taught and obedient to the slightest command of their masters. The coat in the rough-haired dogs is shaggy but flat in texture in order to resist the snow; and in the smooth, close and hound-like.

With the completion of the tunnel through the Alps, many thought that the interest in the St. Bernard would diminish, and that the "calling" of this noble dog had gone. Not so however, their deeds of valor had gained for them a lasting place in the affections of civilized people throughout the

world, and, instead of passing into oblivion, their fame has steadily increased until to-day, they stand upon the very pinnacle of popular favor. Men and women have sought them for companions, and their magnificent proportions, majestic bearing, combined with a keen intelligence and sensitive loving disposition, well qualify them for that position of confidence and trust. They are not aggressive, yet when called upon will display a determination and courage, which I believe to be unsurpassed by any animal that walks upon the face of the earth. Personally I regard them as the true Christians of the canine race. Other breeds have their respective spheres of usefulness, but the St. Bernard stands alone the only dog that can point us to a history of nearly 1000 years in which their lives have been devoted, almost exclusively, to acts of mercy and love.

DISEASES OF DOGS.

BY F. A. CAMPBELL, V. S., TORONTO.

BEFORE this Society it is unnecessary to apostrophize the dog. We all know his noble, sterling character; his kind, affectionate nature and his other many good qualities; but it is only of late years that this friend of man has had his sicknesses and ailments attended to with the care and consideration that ought to be expended on them. Twenty years ago the educated veterinarian would not condescend to treat a dog, and when sick the poor animal was relegated to the dog fancier, usually an ignorant man understanding nothing of anatomy, physiology or pathology; trusting to his few specifics for the cure of any disease which, as a rule, were comprised by distemper, mange and canker.

At the present time, the advance of civilization and the high values placed on many animals make it an object for the veterinarian to take up and study the diseases of the dog. So that its ailments are now better understood, and a rational method of treatment prescribed.

Formerly two standard remedies were syrup of buckthorn and sulphur, which, unless properly prescribed are useless.

There are a great many erroneous ideas about dogs. One of them is that a dog should not be fed on meat as causing distemper and worms. Another is the prevalence of rabies or madness. If a person gets bitten the dog must be destroyed, if not killed the person goes mad. Now, I think I get more dog bites than any one in the city, and I never take any precautions, such as cauterizing, and I have never felt any bad effects from them, in fact I have never seen a case of rabies but have been called to see a great many supposed cases.

Another fallacy is that every skin disease is mange, and consequently contagious. Mange is also a disease I have not met with, although skin diseases comprise about one half the diseases of the canine race. I find in my practice that intestinal worms cause the death of a great many dogs, especially before they are a year old. It is a good practice to give the puppies when about six weeks old, a few doses of santonine, say $\frac{3}{8}$ to one grain, at about an interval of a week, as one dose rarely brings them all away. I have seen pups that have never had anything but the mother's milk be full of worms. If the worms do not kill the pups when young, they are sure to affect them when older by producing colic or inflammation of the bowels and stomach.

The symptoms of worms are well defined, in some cases only a little derangement is noticed; in others profound disturbance results. The morbid effect of worms in dogs cannot be exaggerated. That they may give rise to convulsions, chorea, paralysis, epilepsy, and other affections of the nervous system is very generally conceded. The more common symptoms of worms are great abdominal distension or bloating, vastly disproportionate to the amount of food eaten; indigestion, colic pains, diarrhoea, vomiting, emaciation, voracious appetite, nose hot and dry, cough, offensive breath, disturbed dreamy sleep, and a rough dry harsh coat. Frequently puppies as well as old dogs lose the use of the hind legs, and recover as soon as the discharge of the worms occur.

For the expulsion of the round worms, and they are the most common, numerous drugs have been recommended. It must be remembered that the effect of medicines vary in dogs the same as in man; remedies that would be effectual in some cases, being totally inoperative in others. When one remedy has failed, another had better be tried. The treatment for round worms should always be premised by fasting for about twelve hours for a pup and twenty-four for an old dog. I find that the pulv. areca nut and santonine and oil of male shield fern are about the most reliable vermifuges we have, given in the form of a pill wrapped in paper in the proportions of about two grains of the nut to each lb. of dog and one to five grains of santonine and 5 to 15 drops of male shield fern.

There are other vermifuges used, such as turpentine, ground glass, etc. The former is very apt to affect the kidneys and bladder and produce painful irritation of the urinary passage and sometimes complete stoppage of the urine, if given in too large doses.

About fifteen drops twice a day for about three days if no bad symptoms supervene. It may be given with milk or beaten up with a raw egg, or in a little oil. Sour milk given to puppies two or three times a week is a very good preventative, as also is powdered charcoal. The latter is a good vermifuge, and it aids digestion and is perfectly harmless, easily obtained, and its administration is advisable as a preventative. It may be given two or three times a week in the food. Tenia or tape-worm is not so common as the round worm, and the symptoms are more vague and indefinite. Disturbances of the digestion, nutrition and the nervous system occur, but in many instances not sufficiently prominent to clearly indicate their presence. When the appetite is voracious and the animal seems strong, active and apparently in good health yet poor in flesh, and tonics do no good, then tape-worm should be suspected and the discharges from the bowels carefully examined. The appearance of segments of the worm would be conclusive evidence. It is advisable that all facts be weighed carefully and every effort made to positively determine the existence or non-existence of the presence of tape-worm. If a doubt remains, give the animal the benefit of the doubt and administer a vermifuge. The cure of tape-worm can only be said to be complete when the head is expelled. The faeces should be carefully examined to see if the head has come away. It is necessary that the animal should be prepared before giving the vermifuge by fasting.

Among the best remedies for tape-worm are, areca nut, male shield fern and Kossoo.

I find that areca nut is the safest and surest in its effects on tape-worm but if it fails others may be tried after a short interval. The dose of areca nut is 2 grains to each pound of dog given in a pill wrapped in paper; the dose of male

fern is from 5 to 15 drops and should be given well beaten in a raw egg. Two or three hours after the vermifuge is administered a dose of castor oil should be given.

The subject of canine diseases being too extensive for a single paper to-night I shall only touch on worms, diseases of the ear and skin, these diseases being more common and more within the scope of the lay dog fancier. It does not always require the skill of a veterinary surgeon, unless in case of a surgical operation.

Chronic otitis or Canker.

Prick-eared dogs are not so subject to this disease as the flap-eared, or smooth-coated dogs as the long-haired Setter, rough-coated St. Bernard, the Newfoundlands, or the long-haired Spaniels. Chronic otitis is an inflammation of the lining membrane of the auditory passage extending to the outer surface and to the tympanum itself. Causes are very often obscure and considerable difference of opinion exists amongst authors on the subject. I am of opinion that it is most common in water-dogs or dogs that are in the water a great deal. It may be induced by cold, foreign bodies getting into the ear, an over-secretion of the wax of the ear, which acts as a foreign body and sets up inflammation, improper feeding, overfeeding with insufficient exercise, sometimes by falls; blows or anything which lowers the vitality of the dog will predispose to canker. It is easily diagnosed, and not to be mistaken for any other. The first symptom we have of its presence is the shaking of the animal's head, generally to the affected side. If we make an examination of the ear, we find there a redness and a collection of reddish matter. There will also be present a bad odor. This is very diagnostic. Sometimes the inflammation is confined to the flap of the ear, and this is often called external canker. But the tendency of

the disease is to attack the internal ear. If the disease is neglected it may terminate in ulceration, and is then very difficult to control.

There are a great many specifics advertised for canker, but the majority are worse than useless, and in some cases positively harmful. In treating canker the mildest remedies should be used. It is best to begin the treatment by a mild dose of physic, and attend to the general comfort of the patient. Do not begin by pouring strong lotions into the ear. Give him a good nourishing diet with plenty of vegetables with cod liver oil, iron or quinine, and plenty of exercise. Commence the local treatment by mildly syringing out the ear twice a day with warm water in which a little permananate of potash or boracic acid has been dropped. If there is much hair around the ear it had better be clipped off as it prevents cleanliness and that is of the greatest importance in the treatment of canker. Bathing the head with hot water has a very soothing effect, and has a tendency to allay the inflammation. If the discharge is great, and swells much, local applications are needful, such as acetate of lead, sulphate of zinc, sulphate of copper, about 5 grains to an ounce of water. It is good treatment to change the remedy occasionally. In some cases the prominences of the ear rub against one another which keeps up the irritation, and to prevent this a cap should be worn.

Inflammation of the flap of the ear often occurs as the result of internal canker caused by injuries, such as bites from other dogs &c. The cases are treated much the same as internal canker, the same applications, attention to the general health and diet.

Deafness.—May be either congenital or may come on any time from various causes such as catarrh causing occlusion of the Eutachian tubes or from rheum-

atism. Quinine if persisted in for a length of time has been known to produce deafness. Accumulations in the external passage may cause deafness or paralysis of the auditory nerve. In some cases it is hereditary.

Treatment is useless in those cases where it is caused by accumulations in the passage or by rheumatism. Deaf puppies should be destroyed. Where deafness is suspected the ear should be well syringed with warm water to remove any accumulations if there are any. Little can be done for deafness in old dogs except to tone up the system by generous diet and tonics such as iron, arsenic, cod liver oil, &c. If it is due to rheumatism, the iodide of potash in 1 to 5 grain doses once a day, will have a very good effect.

We frequently have abscess of the flap of the ear caused by bites or bruises. The treatment in these cases is by making a free opening at the lowest place with a lancet and syringing out with a solution of iodine and keeping it open until the sac is closed up.

Diseases of the Skin.—There are several diseases of the skin common to the canine race which are met with in every day practice, and the most common of these is eczema in its various forms. Eczema either appears as minute blisters, pimples or small elevations covering pus. These are divided into vesicular, papular and pustular. The first is the most common form, and the vesicles are minute, transparent and glistening, slightly elevated, and pressed together in irregular patches with little or no redness between them. The fluid in the vesicles soon becomes gummy, and it may be absorbed but is more commonly discharged, adheres to the surface, dries up rapidly and forms crusts which is the beginning of the disease. The skin becomes reddened moist and swollen; successive crops of the vesicles form, the discharges from which

are a constant source of inflammation, and thus the disease spreads. The progress of the pustules is the same as the vesicular.

When the disease appears in the form of papules they either change into vesicles, and run the course described, or dry into scales and crusts.

Eczema rubrum, eczema squamosum and other terms are used to designate certain forms of the disease belonging to the subsequent stages.

Eczema simplex is used to designate the mildest form of the disease, yielding more readily to treatment.

Eczema may be acute or chronic. The latter is the most common and attacks all parts of the body, and is most difficult to cure. All forms of the disease are accompanied by intolerable itching. The causes are generally the result of diet, want of exercise, sudden changes from heat to cold or vice-versa, frequent washing without sufficient drying, or want of cleanliness in sleeping accommodation. It sometimes follows an attack of distemper, or other debilitating disease. Worms are also a cause. Old dogs are very subject to it, caused by high feeding want of exercise, and uncleanness. The coat of long haired dogs often comes completely off, leaving a thickened, scarred and naked skin. Dogs of a highly nervous temperament are very subject to it. Eczema is not contagious, but if the secretions are profuse, and a healthy dog lie for any length of time with a sufferer, the disease in all probability would be transmitted. Eczema is curable and an animal once having it may have another attack. In long-haired dogs the disease is more difficult to cure.

The treatment of Eczema is not an easy matter. While the internal treatment is positively essential it must not be employed indiscriminately. In commencing the treatment of a case the digestive organs must be first attended

to. If worms are suspected it would be advisable to get rid of them as there cannot be perfect health while they are there. Give a vermifuge followed in a few hours by a dose of purgative medicine.

If the patient is emaciated, give tonics such as iron, cod liver oil, quinine and arsenic. As arsenic has a specific action on the skin, it is most frequently prescribed along with sulphate of iron. In my opinion the doses of arsenic usually given to dogs are too large and increasing the quantities I do not approve of. I much prefer to give what is called a curative dose in preference to what is called a physiological dose, as it is the curative effects we want and no other. If small doses are given they do not require to be increased to get the effect. The system is only capable of taking up a small quantity of the drug, the rest passing out unchanged by the kidneys. If the appetite is poor everything should be done to coax the patient to eat by giving him from the hand raw meat finely chopped, milk, eggs, beef-tea, chicken broth, mutton broth, a little at a time and often. While the internal treatment is important the local is no less so, and in some cases even more.

In no disease have more external remedies been prescribed than in eczema and much harm has been done by their indiscriminate use in the acute form. To study each case is imperative. In most cases when the acute form makes its appearance the first thing to do is to remove the hair so as to get at the whole of the affected parts. Then carefully wash with tepid water and a soft sponge drying well with cotton batting, apply benzoated oxide of zinc ointment, balsam of Peru, boracic acid ointment or an ointment that I have used with great success composed of beta naphthol, prepared chalk, green soap and lard. I find it superior to most of the remedies

recommended in this complaint. It acts as an antiseptic, dries up the discharge and allays the irritation always present in eczema. The next day after applying it as a dressing it is advisable to wash the parts with warm water and green soap to remove the scales.

In the treatment of chronic eczema one must expect to meet with cases that are obstinate and difficult to cure but more often they will yield to judicious treatment. In some very bad chronic cases the hair follicles have become destroyed and the skin left in a thickened condition which cannot be remedied, nor the hair made to grow. It must be remembered that a cure of chronic eczema cannot be effected by one means alone but changes to others must be made as the alterations in the conditions vary. It cannot be certified how a remedy will act in every case, certain applications in some instances will allay the irritation and in others intensify it.

In old chronic cases if all other remedies fail I find the following application composed of sulphur, whale-oil, turpentine, carbolic acid and kerosene, which acts as a counter-irritant or mild blister and drives away the eczematous inflammation. The after treatment consists of mild applications and frequent washings with soft soap to remove the scurf.

We have other skin diseases which are not so common, among them is mange, which I find to be one of the rarest. In a practice covering seventeen years I have never met a case of mange pure and simple, although, if dog fanciers had their way it would be one of the commonest diseases, causing the dog quack to reap a rich harvest from his mange cure.

Of true mange there are several forms but none of them likely to come under your notice. I will not describe them any more than to say that they

are caused by an insect which burrows under the skin and is contagious.

Purigo.—In purigo we have a disease manifesting itself by slightly reddish and very itchy papules about the size of a pin's head. This eruption may appear differing little or none from the surrounding skin and be seen with difficulty, but to the touch it is quite obvious as the finger passes over the region affected, the papules causing quite a rough and uneven surface. Intense itching causes scratching, the papules are laid bare and are succeeded by blood-red crusts of about the same size.

The causes of this disease are not well known, but from my experience should think that debility, poverty of blood, worms, were the chief causes. The disease is chronic and at times very obstinate. In young animals it yields readily to treatment, but in old dogs is almost incurable. When it attacks puppies frequent washings with green soap and afterwards using an ointment composed of sulphur and lard are sufficient, one grain doses of sulphur may be administered if the itching is very great the beta naphthol ointment might be used.

Erythema—is an inflammation which appears in the form of superficially inflamed patches. The symptoms are redness, some tenderness and slight itching. It is due purely to local causes, damp bed, and mud and dirt. It is not contagious. It yields readily to local applications, such as have been recommended for other skin diseases.

Erysipelas—is an inflammation of the skin which tends to spread rapidly over large surfaces accompanied by severe constitutional symptoms. The disease is assumed to be blood poisoning. It is caused by falls, blows or exposure to cold.

The symptoms are great pain, redness, swelling, with great constitutional

disturbances, dry nose, injected eye, staring coat, high hard pulse.

The treatment must be constitutional as well as local. The administration of remedies that have a tendency to reduce inflammation, such as aconite in drop doses every two or three hours conjoined with tr. of opium if the pain is very great. The local treatment must be such as will reduce the inflammation, allay the pain, and prevent the disease from spreading. The best advice I can give you if one of your dogs gets erysipelas is to call in a competent veterinary surgeon.)

WILSON vs. NELLES.

Editor Gazette,—

KINDLY publish the following letter from Mr. Wilson to the C. K. C. in connection with the complaint lately lodged against me by Ed. A. Wilson with the Canadian Kennel Club, a copy of which he has forwarded me.

Yours truly,

CHAS. M. NELLES.

Brantford, Feb. 6th, 1892.

[COPY.]

Philadelphia, Feb. 3rd, '92.

Canadian Kennel Club,

GENTLEMEN:

I have this day received a perfectly satisfactory settlement from Mr. Nelles and do withdraw my charge against him. Mr. Nelles' settlement is more than fair to me.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) ED. A. WILSON.

Send us on a post card, the names of your friends who keep a dog, or dogs.

TORONTO CLUB SHOW.

THERE was a goodly array of dogs and a large crowd of spectators at the Toronto Kennel Club's competition in Richmond Hall on the night of Feb. 5th. The judges were Messrs. R. W. Boyle, C. A. Stone and J. S. Williams. The most notable competition was in the class for Greyhounds. Where the judges thought quality did not merit 1st, the blue was not awarded. This is the prize-list, cards being awarded in every case:—Gordon Setters—R. Wright's Victor, 2nd. Irish Setters (bitches)—J. G. Mitchener's Lady O'Shea 2nd. Bull Terriers—W. Elder's Surprise 1st. Toy Spaniels—R. P. Forshaw's Topsy and Royal Rose, 1st and 2nd. Great Danes—S. Stewart's Don, 2nd. Beagles (dogs)—J. G. Mitchener's Guy 1st, W. Vassey's Chimera 2nd, C. Campion's Duke 3rd; (bitches)—C. Campion's Judy and Queenie 2nd and 3rd. Greyhounds (dogs)—F. Habart's Dick and Jim 1st and 2nd; (bitches)—H. Thompson's Bed of Stones and F. Habart's Glen equal 1st, C. Campion's Beatrice 2nd, J. F. Scholes' Harmony 3rd. Cocker Spaniels (dogs)—J. G. Mitchener's Dono 1st; (puppies)—P. J. Keating's Zero 1st, J. B. Sweetnam's Nip and Tuck 2nd and 3rd; (bitches)—P. J. Keating's Jennie, 1st. Collies—C. Campion's Heather Belle 1st, J. G. Mitchener's Scottie 2nd. Fox-Terriers (bitches)—J. G. Mitchener's Cariton Vic 2nd. Toy Terriers—S. Stewart's Tiny 2nd. Silk-haired Terriers—H. Thompson's Queenie 1st. Irish Terrier's (bitches)—P. Brown's Peggy 1st; (puppies) P. Brown's Betsy 2nd. Scotch Terriers—J. F. Scholes' Beau 1st. Fox Hounds (dogs)—C. Campion's Hunter 2nd.

THE DOG IN HEALTH AND DISEASE.

BY WESLEY MILLS, M.A., M.D., D.V.S. AND
PROF. OF PHYSIOLOGY, ETC., MCGILL
UNIVERSITY.

(Reviewed by a Canadian Cynologist.)

THE publication of this work marks a new era in the history of the literature on the dog. Dr. Mills has treated his subject from the standpoint of the accomplished scientist, and yet has managed to express himself so clearly that every chapter has been brought within the range of the non-professional reader. The true cynologist will be pleased with the tone of the work, as it places the various questions discussed on the highest possible plane; and the aesthetic aspect of the subject, as opposed to that of the mercantile, has never been lost sight of for a moment.

The first portion of the work has been devoted to the dog in health, and in this part, the History, Classification &c., as well as management, are treated in a comprehensive manner. Dr. Mills is well-known, has at all times urged many rational reforms in the care and management of dogs, and has never hesitated to speak and write freely, when he thought good could be accomplished.

Those who have thought him to be a "faddist" will learn when they read his book, that he has had a scientific basis for everything that he has urged, and it is not possible for the most conservative to take exception to the impartial manner in which he has covered the whole ground. True it is that Dr. Mills has not failed to state his own views, but he has done so in the most modest and painstaking way.

The Author's researches in the field of physiology have enabled him to speak authoritatively on medical sub-

jects, that have too frequently been relegated to a secondary position in books on the dog, not only because the writers were scientifically not qualified to write on these, but also because they failed to realize the fact, that to successfully treat and care for a dog in poor health, something more than a general knowledge of comparative medicine was required. Dr. Mills has made this very plain, and intelligent veterinarians who have been relying too much on "general principles" in the past, will not fail to recognize the merits of the work; and non-professional readers will find many practical hints in regard to the management of sick pets that will at once commend themselves by reason of their common sense and simplicity.

It is satisfactory too to know that Dr. Mills can speak from practical as well as theoretical knowledge. The Author is a true scientist, and writes in the scientific spirit, carefully eliminating all doubtful theories, and in order to be in a position to speak with accuracy, he has had a large kennel, in which most of the types of dogs now cultivated have been found at some time, within the last few years.

There can no longer be excuse for any owner of dogs who possesses this rational Practice of Medicine, doctoring his sick pets in accordance with the good old methods, handed down by tradition, that smack more of the ignorance of the fifteenth than of the enlightenment of the nineteenth century.

The Author has scored a well merited success, and it is gratifying to note that his publishers have fully realized the importance of the work, and in consequence have spared no expense in putting the book on the market in beautiful shape. The plates are exquisite and numerous, and far ahead of anything of the kind before attempted in America, and are printed in the most artistic manner. These plates are

generally representations of some well known standard prize-winner and convey at once the proper idea of the type, as it should be. No doubt this is the correct method of illustrating a book of this kind, as it is a difficult matter to get any artist to produce an ideal picture that will satisfy any one.

Not the least important feature in connection with the work is the fact that the publishers have, wisely we think, placed the price at such a reasonable figure that is easily within the reach of all.

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MR. STEWART AND THE C.K.C.

Editor Gazette,—

I HAVE read carefully your editorial remarks upon the letter I sent you for last month's GAZETTE and confess to being very much disappointed. You have not disproved my contention, although you have tried to do so, that it is unwise because it is confusing to have the annual meeting of the C.K.C. take place in September when the new board of officers is elected, and yet make the annual fee payable in January. How can it possibly be unfair to any of the members to settle upon a fixed date upon a basis which would be readily understood by all and which would not be confusing? You assert that the year's business does not end until 31st Dec. If this is the case, how does it come that a new set of officers is elected in September to transact the Club's official business three months before the official year ends. The very funny rules to which I took exception in my last letter were framed and passed by the newly appointed Executive Committee on the 18th Dec. How then do you reconcile this discrepancy with your present utterance?

As to the rules passed by the Executive Committee and to which I took exception, you say that there are two sides to every question, but so far, although you have had ample time to do so, you have not given your readers either one side or the other. Will you kindly take the matter up and discuss it fully from the standpoint of a teacher, which position as Editor of the GAZETTE you certainly occupy.

I say without hesitation, and there are few indeed who will disagree with me, that the rules lately passed referring to "Champions" and "Novices" are absurd to a degree and quite indefensible. I would like to see you attack these absurdities, (for I still call them so) and show by so doing that although you are the paid Secretary of the C.K.C., you cannot as Editor of the only dog paper in Canada, swallow and defend every piece of folly which may emanate from the Executive Committee. Failing this, please come out squarely in defense of the absurdity and let us see the "other side of the question" you refer to.

I think the C.K.C. is likely to spring into sudden prominence now that it can boast of such rules as these, for it is likely to become a laughing stock in the eyes of the dog world all round the face of the earth.

Awaiting your comments.

I am, Sir,

Your obdt. servt.,

A. D. STEWART,

President Hamilton K. C.

[We strongly object to the tenor of Mr. Stewart's letter, it is offensive in tone and antagonistic in spirit.

1st. We see no reason why the financial year may not end at any time most convenient to the great majority of the Club's members, and the year beginning Jan. 1st and ending Dec. 31st is by custom and precedent of the Club so fixed.

2nd. Mr. Stewart has been crying "fire" before any fire was apparent. A proof copy of the Rules and By-Laws was sent to each member of the Committee for an expression of opinion and the vote of the majority was against the change in novice class, so that this contention is disposed of.

3rd. The 500 entry clause received the support of the greater part of the Executive, and we quite agree with their decision.

4th. However the decision had gone, we would not have written of the action of as representative a board as the Committee of the C.K.C. as "idiotic." Such expressions are far from being in good taste and but lead to dissension and discord. Gentlemanly and friendly discussion will accomplish what vindictive tirade and would-be sarcasm can never do.

5th. Until these matters were finally settled we did not feel in a position to give an opinion. We do so this month and we hope "squarely" enough to suit Mr. Stewart.

6th and finally, we do not look on Mr. Stewart as our mentor and object to three cornered personal discussions. The following paragraph from a letter of Mr. Stewart's to *Forest & Stream* may explain our meaning:

We have in the *Kennel Gazette* a paper in Canada devoted to the interest of the dog and his breeder. Unfortunately, however, the editor of that paper, which is the official organ of the C.K.C., is also secretary of that body, and I am watching anxiously now to see whether, as the editor of the *Kennel Gazette*, Mr. Donovan will smite these idiotic resolutions hip and thigh, or whether he will feel himself bound to support the committee through thick and thin because he is its paid servant.

As Mr. Stewart was a defeated aspirant for the position of Secretary, his animus is pretty obvious. His insinuations are both ungenerous and unjust.

Yes, "the C. K. C. is likely to spring

into sudden prominence." 21 new members were received at the meeting of the Executive in December, 11 at that held this month, and at this writing (Feb. 10th), eight more are applying for admission. This certainly is a bad sign and shows how rapidly the Club is going to the "demintion bow wows."

Any communication written in a friendly spirit, no matter on what subject of interest to Canadian cynologists will receive a hearty welcome to the pages of the GAZETTE, but we most certainly will decline letters written in the tone of that of Mr. Stewart.—ED.]

Editor Gazette:—

I WAS very much surprised to see in the last issue of the GAZETTE the action taken by the Executive Committee of the C.K.C., relative to Novice classes and Champions.

I think Mr. Stewart is right in his objections to the rules referred to, and he is not in my opinion, speaking too strongly, when he calls them absurd and idiotic.

If the new rules are persisted in, the novice classes may as well be abandoned at once, for they will not be novice classes at all, and the purpose for which they were introduced will be completely frustrated. It is manifestly unfair to Canadian breeders to allow English prize-winners to compete against their young green stock, and I hope that the Executive Committee will yet see this and gracefully withdraw the rule before further ill-feeling is developed.

As for the Champion rule, I think a big mistake has been made here too. It would have been easy to demand that the number of wins in the Challenge classes should be increased before the coveted title was obtained, or that the wins in the Challenge classes should

be made where not less than a certain number of animals were exhibited.

But to make the honor won by a dog of a certain breed depend upon the number of dogs of other breeds entered at any show is to my mind an absurdity of the very worst type.

I hope that this matter will be freely and fully discussed in your columns.

If our Canadian breeders and exhibitors submit to such rules as these they must be more careless than I take them to be.

Yours truly,

A. MURDOCH,
Vice-President, H.K.C.

Editor Gazette:—

I HOPE when this reaches you that you will have a number of letters from members of the Club expressing their views re proposed rules by Executive Committee. I want to enter a protest against rules for Champion and Novice classes. Mr. Stewart has fully expressed my ideas as to these classes and I firmly believe that a large majority of our members will agree with him, I don't believe that Canadian breeders will consent to a prize-winner in England being entered and exhibited here in the novice class. I hope that there will be such an expression of opinion against these two rules that the Executive Committee will be convinced that they have erred in judgment and will correct them at once.

Yours truly,

JAS. C. GUILLOT.
Royal St. Bernard Kennels, Windsor,
Feb. 4th, 1892.

C. K. C. NEW RULES, &c.

A BRIEF revision of the C. K. C. rules just issued may prove profitable.

BY-LAWS.—Article 1, Section 5.—The Stud Book Committee shall scrutinize the registrations appearing each month in the *Gazette*, investigating each, and shall send them, initialed to the Secretary for final insertion in the Annual Stud Book; and all complaints of errors or omissions in the pedigrees of dogs registered shall be referred to the Committee to investigate and report to the Executive.

The addition of a Stud Book Committee to the officers of the Club was much needed, and the work of such a body will be seen in the correctness of future pedigrees.

Article 4, Section 1.—No dog can be registered in the C.K.C.S.B. unless pedigree for three generations is given or it has won not less than two first prizes at any bench show recognized by the C.K.C. or A.K.C.

Section 2.—A listed record shall be kept for dogs not eligible for registration under above rule.

The raising of the standard of registration had become an absolute necessity and should prove an unmixed blessing. It seems hard, however that the progeny of dogs already registered, unless pedigree for three generations can be given, are not eligible for registration, and this one point alone shows the fallacy committed in the beginning by not adopting a stringent registration rule.

Rule II—2. Every dog competing at any show held under the Rules of the Canadian Kennel Club must be entered in the Canadian Kennel Club Register or be listed, (American dogs excepted).

3. Every dog entered at any show held under these Rules and owned in the United States must be registered or listed with the American Kennel Club or the Canadian Kennel Club, before being allowed to compete.

The old rule was found to be annoying and perplexing both to show Secretaries and the Secretary of the Club,

and we know of several instances in which winning dogs have never been registered. This rule entails no hardship as the members are entitled to free registration for all dogs, and but few exhibit who are not members.

Rule X.—1. A dog suffering from eczema, mange or any contagious or objectionable disease shall be disqualified and forfeit any prizes which may have been awarded to it, and shall at once be removed from the show building. The regularly appointed Veterinarian shall alone decide as to mange or contagious disease, and his decision must be given in writing.

Rule X should do away with the trouble experienced with some dogs shown last fall.

Rule XV.—4. The Novice class shall be understood to be for a recognized breed for which a regular class has been provided, and for competition in which a dog shall not have won a prize at any recognized show in Canada, the United States or Britain.

After the proofs of By-laws, etc., sent to members of the Committee had been returned, it was found the majority were in favor of retaining the old rule, which has been done, the only difference being that the word England has been changed to Britain, which is obviously correct. We agree with this decision, though even as it now reads a dog like Melac, the Great Dane shown at the late Toronto show, could have been entered in the novice class. The Committee, however, thought it unwise to touch on the wins of the various continental kennel clubs.

Rule XV.—7. A dog to compete in a challenge class must have won four first prizes exclusive of Puppy or Novice classes and classes not confined to one breed, at shows approved by the Canadian Kennel Club, a list of which, together with these Rules, must be published in the premium list and catalogue of each show. A dog to be eligible for the title of Champion must have won three 1st prizes in the Challenge class, one of which must have been won in a show of 500 entries or over.

We are quite in accordance with this section. It has been advanced that a dog's standing depends not on the num-

ber of dogs in the show but on the number in the individual class in which he is competing. This is in the main correct, but a dog good enough to win in a large class in a show of less than 500 entries is certainly good enough to win in a show of a greater number than this, and as a rule it will be found the largest classes are seen at the largest shows. It will be noted that it requires but one win in a show of 500 entries or over out of the three necessary to qualify for the title of Champion. We believe that this rule will increase the number of entries all round at our Canadian shows and shall feel disappointed if not more than one reaches the desired mark.

These rules as a whole, have not been revised since 1889, and have this time been pretty thoroughly gone into. We hope that they may prove workable, without change, for several years to come, as continual change is vexatious both to exhibitors and show officials.

KENNEL REGISTER.

We make no charge for entries in this column, all we ask is that registration be made in the following form. Write plainly.

NAMES CLAIMED.

Mr. W. H. Thompson, Hamilton, claims the name "Hamilton St. Bernard Kennels" for his kennel of St. Bernards.

Nip—Geo. B. Sweetnam, Toronto, claims the name Nip, for solid black Cocker dog, whelped 21st April, 1891, by Champion Jersey—Pansy Butler, breeder J. P. Willey, Salmon Falls, N. H.

Tuck—Geo. B. Sweetnam, Toronto, claims the name Tuck, for solid black Cocker dog, whelped 21st April, 1891, by Champion Jersey—Pansy Butler, breeder, J. P. Willey, Salmon Falls, N. H.

Actor and Actress—By Elora Kennels for white and tan Beagle dog and bitch, whelped Jan. 24th, 1892, by Drummer, out of Maud.

Banjo, Bellbird and Bessie—Fox one black, white and tan dog, two bitches, same litter.

BRED.

Annie Gordon 924—Clyde 691—on Feb. 1st, 1892, C. A. Gibb's Gordon Setter bitch Annie Gordon to same owner's Clyde.

Dot—Pepper—G. W. Prescott's smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Dot, C.K.R. 713, Dec. 20th and 21st 1891, to J. O. Bennett's Pepper, C. K. R. 969.

Lady Black—Black Robbie—Jan. 18th, G. H. Allward's, Waterloo, Ont., black Cocker bitch Lady Black to same owner's Black Robbie.

Miss La Salle—Kent II.—Kingston and Bancroft Kennels (Kingston, Ont.) English Setter bitch Miss La Salle (1723) to Cohannet Kennels Chg. Kent II. (12670 A.K.C.S.B.) 19th January, 1892.

Girly—Red Roland. J. D. G. Shaw, Kingston, black Cocker bitch, Girley, to W. B. Palmer's Red Roland. January 21, 1892.

Ina—Red Roland. H. A. Henderson, Rochester, N. Y., black Cocker bitch, Ina, to W. B. Palmer's Red Roland. January 15.

WHELPS.

Maud Torrington—Gem of the Season—Mr. A. L. Page's, Stanley, N. J., Greyhound bitch Maud Torrington, on Jan. 27th, 10—8 dogs, by A. W. Purbeck's Gem of the Season.

Periwinkle—Rosco—Mr. J. Smillies, Toronto, Beagle bitch Periwinkle, C.K.R. 1352, on Jan. 19th, 92, 5—2 dogs by owners Rosco, C.K.R. 1353.

Flora—Racer—Mr. J. Smillie's, Toronto, Harrier bitch Flora, on Jan. 25th, 1892, 4—2 dogs, by F. L. Mabee's Racer.

Arden Gip—Punch—On December 7th, G. W. Prescott's smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Arden Gip, two dogs and five bitches to Arden Punch, C. K. R. 645.

Brantford Bonita—The Brant Cocker Kennels black Cocker bitch Brantford Bonita whelped February 8th, eight pups (5 dogs) 4 red by their champion Brantford Red Jacket.

SALES.

Miss Kingston—Kingston and Bancroft Kennels, Kingston, have sold orange and white English Setter bitch Miss Kingston C 1721, whelped 15th Oct., 1891, by Kents Rex A 20832, Blue Bell C 1728 to Mr. C. H. Jackson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Prince.—King Charles Spaniel dog, from R. P. Forshaw, Toronto, to Mr. Ben Davis, Toronto.

Royal Rose.—King Charles Spaniel bitch, from R. P. Forshaw, to Mr. Geo. Scott, Toronto.

Royal Nell.—King Charles Spaniel bitch, from R. P. Forshaw, Toronto, to Mr. H. Meade, Toronto.

Mr. G. W. Prescott, Toronto, has sold the following:

Arden Coronet—Smooth haired Fox-Terrier dog Arden Coronet (C.K.R. 1704), Judy—Suffolk Coronet, to M. G. Cameron Esq., Toronto.

Lady Coronet—Smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Lady Coronet (C.K.R. 1702), out of

July (C.K.R. 644) — Suffolk Coronet (C.K.R. 1175), to Messrs. Wilson & Ruby, Toronto.

Arden Beauty — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Arden Beauty (C.K.R. 1703) out of July (C.K.R. 644) by Suffolk Coronet (C.K.R. 1175) to J. F. Coffey, Esq., Rosedale.

Arden Percy — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier dog Arden Percy, by Punch out of Gip, to B. L. Selby, Esq., Toronto.

Arden Lulu — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Arden Lulu, by Punch out of Gip, to W. & E. A. Badenach, Montreal.

Arden Riot — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier bitch Arden Riot, by Punch out of Gip, to Joseph Stearns, Esq., Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Arden Crib — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier dog Arden Crib, by Arden Jack — Arden Gip, to Lionel G. Wingham, Esq., M.D., Toronto.

Arden Rip — Smooth haired Fox-Terrier dog Arden Rip, by Arden Jack — Arden Gip, to C. W. Brandon, Esq., Toronto.

Compton Pincher — Compton Kennel have sold the wire haired Fox-Terrier dog Compton Pincher (C.K.C. 1710) by Imp. Dartmoor Snowbroom (C.K.C. 1544) — Imp. Dartmoor Flint C.K.C. 1543, to W. M. Hopkins, Esq., Sherbrooke.

Compton Mack — Wire haired Fox-Terrier dog Compton Mack (C.K.C. 1707), same litter, to C. S. McDougall, Esq., Lennoxville.

Compton Tatters — Wire haired Fox-Terrier dog Compton Tatters (C.K.C. 1708) by Imp. Dartmoor Snowbroom (C.K.C. 1544) — Imp. Compton Fairy (C.K.C. 1542), to — Drake, Esq., Compton.

Elora Kennels, Elora, Ont., have sold,

Roamer — black, white and tan Beagle dog, whelped Nov. 1887, by Elora Drummer out of Daisy to J. E. Kelley, Chatham, Ont.

Elora Yell — black, white and tan Beagle bitch, whelped July 22nd, 1889, by Blue Cap, out of Minnehaha, to C. E. Tompkins, Elora, Ont.

DEATHS.

Imp. Compton Fairy — On Nov. 15th, Imp. Compton Fairy (C.K.C. 1542).

Derby Topsy — On Jan 16th, 1892, Mr. R. Merritt's, Victoria, B.C., Fox-Terrier bitch Derby Topsy, (C.K.R. 1276). — Run Over.

NOTES.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Dr. D. Gordon, V. S., Ottawa, who died last week of gripe. His Greyhounds are to be disposed of. Dr. Gordon had recently been elected a member of the C.K.C.

Mr. W. B. Palmer, Woodstock, is sending three red Cockers to New York, namely, Red Roland, Red Rose and Mona.

The Royal St. Bernard Kennels, Berna II., whelped a grand litter of 13, on the 9th inst., most of them are beautifully marked. These pups are sired by Earl Douglas, a son of Lord Bates and owned by the Dudley Kennels of Detroit. Can any breeder in Canada beat the record of Berna II? She has whelped in three consecutive litters as follows: Jan. 1st, 1891, 14 pups, July 14, 15 pups, Feb. 9th, 13 pups, 42 pups in 13 months and 9 days.



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