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"SPANIELS."

At the request of a few admirers of the Cocker, but not of the long and low type, we reprint the article which originally appeared in the Stock-Keeper under above heading. This is the communication which brought out Major R. Claude Kane's reply, printed in last GAZETTE.

C.K.C. MODE OF ELECTION.

At the President's request we reprint below the part of constitution covering the election of officers. It may be a little elaborate, but gives every member, no matter how distant, an opportunity of exercising his voting power:

CONSTITUTION.

3. The officers of the Club shall be a Patron, an Honorary President, President, a 1st Vice-President, four other Vice-Presidents, a Secretary-Treasurer and an Executive Committee of twelve members, to be elected at the annual meeting.

Voting for members and officers of the Club shall be by ballot.

4. Nomination to any office must be restricted to those who are then duly accepted members, and should be restricted to those who consent to stand as candidates and who are enabled to give the requisite attendance at the meetings, and to preform the other duties devolving upon them by virtue of their position.

Should there be a tie upon a vote for any office, the Chairman of

Retiring officers are eligible for re-election if duly nominated.

The President, Vice-Presidents, Members of the Executive Committee, and Secretary-Treasurer shall be elected annually.

Nomination for office must be made at the nomination meeting in August.

Nomination may be made by letter addressed to the Secretary up to the day of the meeting, or by presence at the meeting.

When the nomination is closed, a suitable ballot slip showing the nominations for officers and directors shall therewith also be sent by mail to each member, requesting him to signify his choice thereon and return the same duly signed to the Secretary, so as to reach him not later than the morning of the day of the election.

Ballots to be returned in a specially printed envelope and marked Ballot.

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Should only the requisite number be nominated to fill any office or offices, he or they shall be declared duly elected; but in the event of more than a sufficient number being nominated, a ballot shall be taken, when the candidate or candidates, to a number sufficient to fill such office or offices, receiving the highest number of votes, shall be declared duly elected.

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The nomination or special executive meeting of the Club shall be held in Toronto the first week in August. Due notice of this meeting shall be given to every member.

5. The annual meeting shall be held at such time and place as shall be decided at the previous annual meeting; but the exact date upon such conduct on the part of the W.K.C." shall be fixed by the Executive Committee.

MR. JOS. R. MACGREGOR,

proprietor of the Mount Royal Kennels, Dr. Wesley Mills, methods of Mr. MacGregor that he has presented him with poor law. the bitch in question.

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MERCER VS. MILLS.

the recent decision arrived at in this case as reported in added to the law: If a dog happens to stray away from its last GAZETTE, and not alone on this side but also in England, owner, shoot him at once, then go to the owner's house and particularly in the Stock-Keeper where it is alluded to in shoot him and his family, not forgetting any other valuable terms the reverse of fair in its issue of June 15th. As we dogs that he may have in his kennel." understand it, this case was not one of appeal at all, but an There is a serious side to the owner of the sheep, in this, which

application for a new trial which was granted on the ground that the case was one to go before a jury and not for the presiding judge to decide. As it is now before the courts we will decline further mention of it until finally decided.

MR. MIGHTON DEAD.

We regret to learn of the demise of Mr. Mighton, Mr. Saunders partner in the Maple Leaf Kennel of Collies. The deceased resided in Hamilton, being engaged with a large firm there. Death resulted from a severe fever.

SHARGAR.

Dr. W. H. Drummond, the owner of the Irish Terrier Shargar lost from the last New York Show writes as follows:

"I may state that up to present time I have not been notified by the Westminster Kennel Club of the loss of my Irish Terrier Shargar, at the W.K.C. Show in New York; and no attention whatever has been paid by Mr. Mortimer the Club's Secretary, to communications addressed that official by me. Might I ask the Canadian Kennel Club through your columns, what interpretation might be placed

We cannot understand Mr. Mortimer's laxity in this, it is unusual with him. At present we know he is in England. The C.K.C. has no power to do anything, but as the show of Chatham, is a trainer of dogs for the field, who does his was held under A.K.C. rules it might be well to refer the work quietly and effectively. He has been presented by the matter to that body. We have a strong impression that the value of the dog could be recovered from the Club if suffiwith the Gordon Setter bitch, Mount Royal Wanda. She was cient proof were forthcoming to show that the loss was bred by this Kennel and has been a winner at several of owing to negligence of the Club's employees. It is all very our Canadian shows. Mr. MacGregor has trained several well to print rules stating the non-responsibility for loss, but pups for the Mount Royal Kennels and the proprietor has the law courts, as in the case of common carriers, would been so pleased with the results and the straightforward overrule this. The rule may be all right but it is mighty

SHEEP KILLING DOGS.

Mr. Irving L. Smith, of Montreal, writes us in a rather humorous (?) strain in reference to the article on sheep killing dogs reprinted in June GAZETTE from the Canadian Live-Stock Journal. He writes :-

"I have just been reading over your article on sheep There seems to be a good deal of misinterpretation of killing dogs. There is just one more clause that should be

our correspondent has overlooked. Our sympathy is of vhc at Cleveland, third Chicago, and vhc, reserve at course on the side of the dog owner; but we cannot over- Hamilton. look the fact that dogs not under proper control may become a menace to the public weal. No later than last week a case was tried in Welland were Henry and William Carmichael and Joseph Rohr, residing near Fonthill, were charged before Police Magistrate Hellems with harboring a sheep-killing dog which killed some sheep belonging to Edgar Swayze. They were assessed \$31 for the sheep and \$14.75 costs.

STARDEN'S KING

is growing in favor as a stud dog and rightly so, as we notice two of his get this season won over seven hundred and fifty dollars in stakes.

GOOD WORDS FOR THE C.K.C.

The following paragraph is from the Victoria (B.C.) Home Journal, a smartly written weekly in which is devoted a column to dogs and sporting :-

"Owing to the honest and straightforward manner in which the affairs of the Canadian Kennel Club are conducted, it is no longer thought derogatory to a dog to be registered in their stud book, and dog owners all over Canada are hastening to register their dogs with the home club. Any parties in this city having dogs eligible can obtain all necessary forms from J. B. Carmichael, the agent of the Kannel Gazette."

THE GAZETTE TOO.

Referring to the GAZETTE the same paper says :-

"The Canadian Kennel Gazette is published monthly at Toronto, and is invaluable to anyone wishing to keep posted on the doings in dogdom back East."

COLLIES AT GUELPH.

The Central Exhibition, Guelph, is offering a class for Collie dogs and also one for Collie bitches, in their schedule.

NEW COLLIES IN MONTREAL.

Mr. Arthur F. Gault of Montreal, recently received a good brace of sable and white Collies from England, a dog bred by Mr. Tom. Stretch, and a bitch bred by Mr. Sutcliffe. They are to come out at Toronto, all well.

NANCY,

that nice Collie bitch imported by the late H. P. Harrison, Toronto, has been bought by Messrs. Cleather & Rathbone of "Spratts." Under Mr. Davidson she won for the challenge class. Look at it this way, first,

SCOTCH BONIVARD,

Mr. Hart's new stud St. Bernard seems to be doing excellently, as we hear of several nice litters owning him as sire and many more "coming on." Mr. Hart recently sold one of Bonivard's sons to Mr. Terry, of New York.

ISLAY,

the Skye Terrier bitch imported by Mr. C. H. Smi h of St. Stephen, N.B., recently died a few days after giving birth to a litter of nine, which unfortunately are all dead too. The loss is distinctly a heavy one to Mr. Smith and also to the breed in Canada.

IS "CHALLENGE" MEANINGLESS?

Forest and Stream in its issue of June 30th says :-

"In a contemporary we notice a letter primarly caused by the confusion relative to the title of champion and the erroneous idea that the word 'challenge' may also be used in front of a dog's name which is eligible to that class. As there seems to be a question as to whether one is not perfectly justified in saying challenge So and So, it may be well to explain this for the benefit of those who are not well versed in the titular order of things under A. K. C. rules and also for those who should know better. When a dog has won four first prizes in an open class he is compelled to compete in the challenge class. This, however, conveys no particular distinction upon the dog except the fact that he is entitled to compete in presumably better or higher company. In this class he is expected to win three first prizes, and one of these first prizes must be won at a show in which there are 500 entries. Upon winning the third prize under the above conditions the dog becomes entitled to be called "champion" without any further competition, and this the only title a dog may aspire to under our show rules. Challenge So and So is meaningless, except that it shows that the dog is in the challenge class. One might as well say "open So and So" in distinction to puppy or novice class dogs. A ruling should be made by the A.K.C. regarding this misuse of the word "challenge" as a prefix, as its use is apt to put a fictitious value on a dog with those who are not conversant with the canine roll of honor."

We distinctly take issue with our contemporary on this. The word challenge shows that a dog has a record behind him, which a dog eligible for the open class may not have. It also shows the dog to be ineligible for the open class (where challenge class is provided) and for this reason alone is worthy of being retained. The only restriction we would make would be the compulsory rule of having both words challenge and champion spelled out in full and not abreviated. There is no parallel between the novice and puppy classes cited, any dog which has not qualified for higher honors is eligible for the open class, but an "open" dog is not eligible first in Toronto, in both 1891 and 1892, and in 1891 took the use of the prefix challenge, shows at a glance the class

firsts in the open class gives him an increased value not at all "fictitious," but in real good coin, and lastly the general use of both prefixes would in the eyes of the novice place the dog in exactly the position to which he belongs. We should like to have an expression of our readers' opinions on this matter.

COLLIE MEN,

says the Licensed Victualler's Gazette, still seem to to be all at sixes and sevens in regard to type of head. Some judges prefer the long narrow skull, whilst the majority certainly favor the old-fashioned sort with a broader skull. Mr. John Rae, last week at the Collie show, didn't follow any particular type of head, as he awarded prizes to both sorts. A bit of a paradox this, surely? However, this careful judge didn't go very far wrong, and his awards were received with the minimum of grumbling .- Scottish Fancier.

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB AFFAIRS.

Editor Gazette:

THINK it a good apportunity this month to send a message to the members of the C.K.C., in order that when September comes they may have some idea of what has been done during my year of office, and also what may be expected of them in order that our Club may continue to keep its place amongst the flourishing institutions of the country. I am happy to say that the clouds which menaced the Club in 1893 have all disappeared with the exception of a small financial one which I hope may be disposed of like the rest.

The first duty which was imposed on the Executive was making an agreement with the A.K.C. This, as you are all aware has been accomplished, all except its final ratification by the members at the General Meeting in September, and I think it is as fair an arrangement as could be expected or obtained. The text of this has already been published in the GAZETTE.

At the solicitation of the Club the Minister of Finance has placed dogs on the free list with other animals imported for the improvement of stock.

The Constitution and By-Laws have been revised and distributed. This has been no light work, as many changes were introduced and the reading some to be so explicit in order to easily understand without the possibility of misconstruction, that I hope it may be long before any further changes may be deemed necessary. There

for which the dog is eligible; second, the winning of four have been no complaints made in regard to any of your members during the year that have not been satisfactorily adjusted, with one exception, which so far has not been dealt with by your Executive, no member has been suspended during the year.

I would call the attention of the members to the rule in our By Laws in regard to the election of officers for the coming year.

(Perhaps you, Mr. Editor, would kindly publish the rule dealing with the election in this issue, as the amended rules may not be in the hands of the members before the time necessary for balloting.) [We have pleasure in printing elsewhere.-ED.]

I hope your selections will be for the good of the C.K.C., which I have no doubt they will.

I now come to the next vital point and the one on which depends the future of our Club, i.e., finances. Up to the present we have scraped along, but now if we carry out our agreement with the A.K.C., to publish a Canadian department in their Stud Book, we must have more money. The A.K.C. agrees to publish our registrations for fifty cents each entry, such entry to be compiled by our Secretary and sent before the 10th January, of each year, with the tees.

In order to do this it will be necessary for each member wishing to have their dogs entered in the Canadian department of the A.K.C. Stud Book to pay for the same, consequently all free registrations must be done away with.

The present system of registration is almost useless, as no Stud Book will pay to publish in Canada, nor is there room for two Stud Books on this continent. The first book has turned out a great loss to the publisher - nor will he attempt to publish another under existing circum-

Therefore I wish to bring this matter before the members early so that some definite plan may be thought out before the general meeting in September. I do not myself make any suggestion but I leave this matter to be discussed and thought over by the members. It is no use to expect to get anything in this world without paying for it. If having our dogs registered adds to their value in disposing of them it must be paid for by those who reap the benefit, therefore the owners and exhibitors will have to pay for the registration of their dogs in order to exhibit or sell, and this I think will not be an altogether unmixed evil, as it will prevent our stud book being filled up with many worthless entries.

If the members think that it will be impossible to carry out this arrangement with the A.K.C. they will have to revert to the old system and enter their dogs in both clubs in order to show in either country, and no notice will be taken of wins or disqualifications, which will be a very serious question to face. I have given this subject a great deal of thought, and fought out each clause of the agreement with the A.K.C., and I am prepared to abide by it, as the best in the interests of all owners and exhibitors in the Dominion. If the members see fit not to ratify the agreement and to pay for what they will get, I will be very sorry to think that I have failed to please them but I can truthfully say that I have done the best I could for them with my poor abilities. At present the Club is in debt and some means must be taken to remove this at the earliest possible moment. Members of the C.K.C. think over these points. Let us "put our shoulder to the wheel." A little united effort and all there is needed will be accomplished.

Yours obediently,

J. S. NIVEN,

Pres. C.K.C.

NOTES FOR NOVICES.

By "ONE IN THE KNOW."

ANY young Collie fanciers who have exhibited fair specimens of the breed, well reared and with good coats, have been somewhat surprised that their dogs have not and do not get very high up the prize list. The cause of this is very often set down to "favouritism" on the part of the judge. The want of success on the show bench, however, is very often traceable to faulty ear-carriage.

The ear-carriage of a Collie used to be of very little moment, so long as the dog had a big heavy coat and fairly long head, but now-a-days is of the most vital importance. The orthodox ear-carriage now insisted upon, and which contributes to the "character" of a Collie so much, as an almost erect placement and carriage of the ear, the tips of which should fall forward and not sideward as has been held by one judge. This latter form of ear-carriage is the very one for which so many Collies are penalized, together with a too low ear carriage.

If the ears in a puppy are inclined to "drop" too much they may be trained to grow more erect by sticking a thin piece of leather, cut the shape of the ear, on to the inside of the ear with cobbler's wax. By keeping the cartilage of the ear upright in this way the sinews grow stronger as the puppy develops, and when the leather comes to be removed it is often found that the ears fall into the desired position.

As a great deal depends upon how dogs are shown in the ring, at the critical moment when the judge bestows upon them his final examination, prior to marking the fatal figures opposite their numbers in his book, it may be of some little advantage to novices to tell them what is a good thing to have in their hand in order to induce their dogs to show. This is a little piece of hard boiled liver. It will induce Fox-terriers to pull themselves together and get "both ends up," as well as other Terriers, Pomeranians, and other breeds of dogs who are required to show themselves off in this way. Collies, too, by this means may be induced to get their ears up, and some of them their flags, too, which, in a Collie, should be carried down. Here is a difficulty, and a point that requires watching in the case of a Collie.

In such breeds as Spaniels, Setters, Pointers, and other sporting dogs, this expedient won't do at all, for instead of requiring "both ends up," in Spaniels, at any rate the reverse is demanded, and any such exhibition in the ring in the case of this breed might be fatal to their chance of success. A Spaniel's ears and tail both should be carried down, therefore, instead of anything being employed to make the dog expectant, or at all jubilant in the ring, the opposite should be aimed at, and a little mild chastisement administered to the dog before being taken in the ring.

I am in a position to give my readers many wrinkles relative to the preparation of dogs' coats for show, but in what I say I shall avoid trenching upon "fakers'" art, and simply tell any young fancier friends how to get the coat of their pets up by legitimate means, leaving them to learn the rest for themselves if they are inclined to embark upon the perilous practice of trying to supersede nature, with all its penal consequences in connection with the Kennel Club staring them in the face. In such a case I can only give them "Punches" advice, which was "don't."—The British Fancier.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE ENGLISH BLOODHOUND CLUB OF AMERICA.

ARTICLE I.—NAME.

Section r. The name of the club shall be the English Bloodhound Club of America.

ARTICLE II.—OBJECT.

The object of the club shall be to improve and to encourage the Bloodhound breed of dogs in America, and to assist in establishing their more general use in connection with the detective service of the country.

ARTICLE III.-MEMBERSHIP.

Section 1. Membership shall be divided into three classes; active, associate and honorary.

Section 2. Active members must be residents of the United States of America. They alone shall hold office and have the right to vote.

ARTICLE IV .- MANAGEMENT.

Section 1. The management of the club shall be vested in a president, one vice-president, and a secretary and treasurer, who together shall constitute an executive committee.

ARTICLE V.—DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

Section r. The president shall discharge the usual duties of his office, preside at all meetings of the club and of the executive committee, appoint all chairmen and committees, call special meetings of the club, or of the executive committee, and enforce the provisions of the constitution and by-laws of the club.

Section 2. The vice-president shall discharge all the duties of the president in case of his death, absence or inability to to act.

Section 3. The secretary and treasurer shall discharge the usual duties of his office, keep the records of the club and of the executive committee, and attend to all correspondence, give all notices, collect all dues, and make all disbursements as directed by the executive committee.

Section 4. The executive committee shall have full charge of the affairs of the club, including the election, expulsion, and suspension of members, provided however, that in the case of suspension or expulsion, the aggrieved member may appeal to the club.

ARTICLE VI.—COMMITTEES.

Section 1. There shall be standing committees as follows: Membership. Finance.

Section 2. Appointment to these committees shall be made by the president on his election, from the active members of the club, and shall hold good until the annual election. Honorary associate members may be appointed to serve as special committees only. The president shall be ex-officio a member of every committee.

ARTICLE VII-MEETINGS.

Section 1. There shall be an annual meeting of the club prior to July 1 in each year.

The executive committee shall meet at the call of the president. Special meetings of the club or of the executive committee may be called at the pleasure of the president. He must call a special meeting of the club or of the execu-

tive committee on the written request of five members of the club.

All meetings shall be held at the time and place designated in the call. Twenty days' notice of all meetings of the club shall be given.

ARTICLE VIII.- DUES.

Upon election to active or associate membership, \$10 shall be charged as initiation fee, and each succeeding year thereafter an amount not exceeding \$5 shall be levied on each active and associate member.

ARTICLE IX-AMENDMENTS.

Section 1. Amendments to the constitution shall be proposed in writing by one active member and seconded by another. A copy of the proposed amendment shall be sent to each member of the club at least 20 days before the same can be voted on. The constitution may be amended only by a two-thirds vote of members present at a meeting of the club. The by-laws may be suspended by a two-thirds vote of those present at a meeting of the club.

ARTICLE X-EXPULSION AND SUSPENSION.

Section 1. The executive committee may by a two-thirds vote expel or suspend a member for conduct unbecoming a gentleman, and for conduct which in the opinion of said committee may be detrimental to the interests of the club.

Section 2. Charges may be preferred by an active member of the club. They shall be presented to the executive committee in writing, signed by such member. A copy of the charges shall be sent to the member against whom they are made, together with at least 20 days notice of the time and place of hearing on the same. The accused member may be present at the hearing, and shall be given full opportunity to state his defense in person or by his representative.

ARTICLE XI-NOTICES.

All notice or notices directed to be given by this constitution and by-laws shall be given by depositing the notices in the post office, postage prepaid, addressed to the address of the member as contained in the membership roll of the club. Any notice so deposited shall be deemed sufficient for every purpose.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I-ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Section 1. Immediately upon the adoption of the constitution and by-laws and at the same meeting the club shall, by ballot, elect a president, a vice-president, and a secretary and treasurer, to hold office for the term of one year.

Section 2. At each regular annual meeting of the club

thereafter, the club shall elect a president, one vice-president, all meetings of the executive committee. and a secretary and treasurer.

Section 3. The officers thus elected shall in all cases hold office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE II-ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

Section 1. Candidates for membership shall be proposed by one member and seconded by another in writing.

The application shall be sent to the secretary of the club, who shall send the same to the chairman of the membership committee, or, in his absence, to one of the members of that committee. The membership committee shall report thereon to the executive committee, who shall vote upon the same. Three negative votes shall be sufficient to reject the application.

ARTICLE III-PAYMENT OF DUES.

Section r. The annual dues shall be payable on July 1, of each year.

The secretary shall give notice to all members in arrears, and two months after such notice has been given, any member still in arrears shall forfeit his membership in the club.

ARTICLE IV-ASSESSMENTS.

Section 1. No general or special assessments shall be levied for any purpose.

ARTICLE V-ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Section 1. The order of business at all the regular meetings of the club shall be as follows:

- I. Roll call.
- 2. Reports of officers.
- 3. Reports of committee.
- Unfinished business.
- 5. New business.
- Election of officers.
- 7. Adjournment.

Section 2. The order of business at all special meetings of the club shall be as follows:

- I. Roll call.
- 2. Special business.
- 3. Adjournment.

Section 3. The order of business at all regular meetings of the executive committee shall be in discretion of the

Section 4. The order of business may in all cases be suspended on motion duly carried.

ARTICLE VI.-QUORUM.

Section r. Five members shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of the club.

Section 2. Two members shall constitute a quorum at

ARTICLE VII.—RULES OF ORDER.

Section 1. The president shall decide all disputed questions of order. His decision shall be subject to an appeal to the meeting.

Section 2. Cushing's Manual shall be the authority of the club.

STANDARD Adopted by the English Bloodhound Club of America

Value. Head including wrinkle Flews Shoulder and chest Back and back ribs . Legs and feet Color and coat

The head and wrinkle (value 20) is the peculiar feature of this breed, and it is accordingly estimated at a very high rate. In the male it is large in all its dimemsions but width in which there is a remarkable deficiency. The upper surface is domed, ending in a blunt point at the occiput; but the brain case is not developed to the same extent as the jaws, which are very long and wide at the nostrils, hollow and very lean in the cheek and notably under the eyes. The muzzle should be deep and square. The brows are moderately prominent, and the general expression of the whole head is very grand and majestic. The skin covering the forehead and cheeks is wrinkled in a remarkable manner, unlike any other dog. These points are not nearly so developed in the bitch; but still they are to be demanded in the same proportionate degree.

The ears and eyes (value 10). The ears which should be set on low are long enough to overlap one another considerably when drawn together in front of nose; the leather should be very thin, pendulous, and should hang very forward and close to the cheeks, never showing the slightest tendency to "prick," they should be covered with very soft, short, silky hair. The eyes are generally hazel, rather small and deeply sunk, with triangular shaped lids showing the third eyelid, or "haw," which is frequently but not always of a deep red color.

The flews (value 5) are remarkably long and pendent.

sometimes falling fully two inches below the angle of the board again for their return trip home at no extra expense,

The neck (value 5) is long, so as to enable this hound to drop his nose to the ground without altering his pace. In the front of the throat there is a considerable dewlap.

The Chest and Shoulders (value 10). The chest is rather wide than deep, but in all cases there should be a good girth; shoulders sloping and muscular.

The back and back ribs (value to) should be wide and deep, the size of the dog necessitating great power in this department. The hips, or couples should be especially attended to, and they should be wide, or almost ragged.

The Legs and Feet (value 15). The legs must be straight and muscular and the ankles of full size. The feet should be round and cat like.

The Color and coat (value 10). In the color the Bloodbound is either black and tan or tan only, as is the case with all black and tan breeds. The black should extend to the back, the sides, top of neck and top of head. It is seldom a pure black, but more or less mixed with the tan, which should be a deep rich red. There should be little or no white. A deep tawny, or lion color, is also coveted, but seldom found. The coat should be short and hard on body, but silky on the ears and top of the head.

The stern (value 5) is like that of hounds, carried gaily in a gentle curve, but should not be raised beyond a right angle with the back.

The symmetry (value 10) of the Bloodhound, as regarded from an artistic point of view, should be examined carefully and valued in proportion to the degree in which it is developed. The height should be from 25 to 27 inches at the shoulder for dogs, and a little less for bitches. The weight of dogs should be about 80 pounds and upwards, bitches somewhat less.

TORONTO DOG SHOW.

TRANSPORTATION RULES, ETC.

Editor Gazette :-

NCLOSED find the railway and express arrangements for the Toronto Industrial Exhibition Association's Bench Show of Dogs to be held at the City of Toronto, September 11th to 15th next. I think I have to a great extent overcome the difficulties hitherto experienced by shippers by express.

Dogs can now be shipped by express, attended to en route, delivered at the grounds at Toronto and placed on Association, 143 Liberty Street, New York City

which, when all is taken into consideration brings the transportation down to about the same figure as baggage.

Those attending Toronto this year can procure special cars either by railway or express

> C. A. STONE. Sec. & Supt. of Bench Show.

PASSENGER RATES TO TORONTO.

The Grand Trunk Railway of Canada will issue single First-Class Fare Tickets from all points west of and including Prescott, Suspension Bridge and Buffalo, Detroit and Port Huron, including tributary branch lines. Niagara Falls Line Steamers via Port Dalhousie route, from Welland Branch and stations on line east thereof. Canadian Pacific Railway same terms as the Grand Trunk Railway. Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg Railroad will issue tickets at a fare and one third. The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroads has promised and will no doubt give a low rate over their lines. Michigan Central will do the same as other Canadian lines. Kingston and Pembroke Railway same as Grand Trunk Railway. Bay of Quinte Railway & Navigation Co. same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. Canada Atlantic Railway same as Grand Trunk Railway.

TRANSPORTATION OF DOGS.

Grand Trunk Railway of Canada will carry dogs to Toronto over all their lines, charging regular fare going and returning them free. Canadian Pacific Railway same as Grand Trunk Railway. Canada Atlantic Railway same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. Michigan Central same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. Bay of Quinte Railway and Navigation Co. same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. Kingston & Pembroke Railway same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. New York & New England Road one dog free and \$1 for each additional. Central Vermont Railroad from points in Canada same as Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway. Concord and Montreal Railroad dogs on chains excess baggage rates. New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, dogs in crates at regular excess baggage rates. The Wabash Railroad will carry dogs as baggage I to 100 miles 25 cents, 100 to 250 miles 50 cents, over 250 miles 75 cents per dog. The Fitchburg Railroad Co., for rates apply to J. R. Watson, General Passenger Agent, Boston. Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg R.R. will carry dogs at reduced rates. Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton R.R., for rates apply to D. G. Edwards, General Passenger Agent, Cincinnati, Ohio. Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad and Toledo, Saginaw & Muskegon Railroad have a rule allowing a reasonable number of dogs to be carried in baggage cars. Special cars for transportation of Dogs. The Trunk Line Association, which compose the following railroads, viz: Grand Trunk Ry. (in U.S.), N.Y.O. & W. Ry., Lehigh Valley Rd., Pennsylvania Rd., N.Y.C. & H.R. Rd N.Y.L.E. & W. Rd., Cent. Rd. of N.J. Balt. & Ohio Rd., West Shore Rd., D.L. & W. Rd. Phil. & Read. Rd. Ches. & Ohio Rd. will furnish to exhibitors on application special baggage cars at the following rates, not exceeding 500 miles 25c per mile, between 500 and 625 miles inclusive, \$125 per car., and over 625 miles 20c. per mile. Exhibitors must make their own arrangements at least ten days before requiring cars by applying to William Fleming, Secretary Trunk Line

EXPRESS CO. RATES.

American Express Co., National Express Co., United States Co., Wells, Fargo & Co., Canadian Express Co. and Dominion Express Co. will charge double rates going, returning dogs to destination free. Exhibitors are reminded that the dogs shipped by express are delivered at the grounds at Toronto and returned free of charge. Permits will be issued on application to the Express Co's allowing owners or attendants to visit and attend to their dogs when en route.

SPECIAL EXPRESS CAR.

The following Express Co's will furnish special cars. Exhibitors by clubbing together may obtain special cars straight through to Torontoattend to their dogs en route and have their dogs delivered at the grounds and returned to the cars at no extra expense. National Express Co. state that they will start a special car from New York to run through to Toronto and arrange so that shippers en route can put their train stops. They will also arrange to pick up dogs along the line of the Fitchburg Road between Boston and Rotterdam Junction for the same train. If there is not enough from both lines to run two cars through will match the cars at Suspension Bridge and put all in one car from there. They will also start a car from Chicago which will be applicable to Michigan and points west of Port Huron and Detroit. The rates are double merchandise going, returning free; the Company will furnish full particulars upon application to G. W. Slingerland, General Supt., 145 Broadway, New York City. The American Express Co. will furnish a special car from New York, Boston and Chicago, charging from New York \$3.70 per 100lbs., minimum charge \$370 per 100,000lbs. This includes transportation both ways and will permit of men riding with the animals to take charge of them. Wells, Fargo & Co. Express will furnish special cars from New York or Chicago, picking up shipments en route, allow attendants to inspect and attend to the wants of their dogs provided they are passengers on the same train, charging double merchandise rates, returning free; minimum charge \$185 from New York, \$235 from Chicago, will do the same from Boston if necessary. United States Express Co. will issue permits allowinging shippers to attend to attend to their dogs en route from Philadelphia, Yew York and Boston by applying to C. H. Crosby, 87 and 89 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

The above arrangements are certainly very complete and must have cost Mr. Stone an immense amount of trouble.

THE WHIPPET AS A COMPANION.

BY FREEMAN LLOYD.

HERE are people who have no idea how to treat a dog, and, furthermore, mortally hate them for some reason or another. There is a saying that one should always beware of a man who dislikes children I know. and dogs, and that when the later will have nothing to do with a stranger, there is something undesirable about him. of ten retrieve, and as he will go through fire to seize the

say from personal obervation he is a most affectionate animal, and very sharp as a house-dog.

I own a Whippet that is always kept in the house, and do not wish for a better companion. She keeps herself as fit as if she were in the hands of a trainer. It appears to me that a Whippet is delighted to have an article to pull about in order that he may have a run. I am certain that a Whippet positively loves racing, and that most of them try to beat the other dogs in the heat right out. Of course they run to their masters, but I fancy there is a tremendous lot of rivalry and jealousy in the minds of the dogs, and they like to show their hindquarters to the other competitors. As Somerville says, "Let cavillers deny that brutes have dogs in this car at all points on the West Shore Railway where the reason. Sure 'tis something more." Whippets are also addicted to savaging each other, and this again shows their jealous disposition.

> My opinion is that clothing should be discarded when a Whippet leaves the racing-track and takes up his position as a house pet, because if the sheets are then kept in use the animal begins to shiver and shake and appear delicate.

> I presume it is well known that the owners of Whippets in Lancashire and the north of England give them the choicest of food, and it has been said that their families suffer in consequence. Perhaps it is ungenerous to blame the owner for acting in this manner, for it must be remembered that the dog is often the bread-winner, and by feeding it in a luxurious manner the owner hopes to get the animal into such trim as will enable him to win a race of importance, and with the money pay anything that may be owing to the tradespeople and landlord. The dog is kept as a moneymaking machine pure and simple, and he takes his share of the good things that are about.

> When times are hard the dogs have to suffer. While the recent prolonged coal-strike was going on, in the very districts where Whippets are bred, they had a bad time of it, but even then the men stuck to their dogs, and paid no heed to the fair offers that were made those who were desirous of securing the right blood.

> From continual intercourse with the family the Whippet has become an affectionate creature, desirable both as a house-pet and and as a companion. They are never happy unless they are doing something to amuse themselves, and the lookers-on at the same time, and there is as much fun to be had out of them as companions as from any other dog

The Whippet that has been trained, will nine times out However, in writing of the Whippet as a companion, I must object of his quest, it can be imagined by those who are conversant with the ways of trick-dogs that you can excite them to do anything. I know a man who possesses a Whippet, which in a stage sketch would be worth a lot of money. Anything you will point at she will spring at, seize, and hang on.

One Christmas night we were enjoying ourselves in the way of the homely Britisher, and a friend came into the room, his head incased in a huge mask which bore a proportionately prominent nose. It was the work of an instant for the Whippet in question to spring at the intruder, and with the dash of a falcon she fastened on the offending member. In all my life I do not think I ever saw such an excruciatingly funny incident as the dog hanging on to the false nose worn by my friend, who naturally was frightened.

I have often remarked to my friend that there is money in this dog for stage purposes, and although there was an offer made for the little performer, so fond were the family of her that they absolutely refused even to let her out to an enterprizing gentleman, who was prepared to give her a trial engagement.

All these properties are necessary if the dog is to be used as a companion. He must be smart and lively, neat in appearance, and "all there" when required. Again Whippets are so pretty and shapely, and if you acquaint yourself with their points you will find that you are quickly developing a sound knowledge of the breed.

training them for a meeting, it can be comfortably done in the Whippet may be equalled, but never surpassed. his spare hours, and I cannot think of anything more invigorating to those persons who have sedentary occupations than putting a brace of these dogs through their paces. To rise in the morning with the lark, and take the Whippets for a long walk would do a lot for the health, and again another spin after the bustle of the day is over would open the lungs and assure long life. Added to this the owner can place himself in the position of a racehorse owner, and study the doings of other dogs, and when the time arrives try his own on their merits.

I am firmly convinced, from the number of Whippet Clubs springing up all over England, that race-meetings will be held everywhere, and I know of no greater pleasure than that provided by the visit to the various towns. A man could spend his holiday in many a worse way than giving his favourites and pets a spin over the track owned by some neighbouring club. Again the ownership of good dogs is conducive to the enjoyment of the association with men and refer to. women whose society is in most cases desirable, and day by day the better-class people are appreciating the fun and good sport to be had out of Whippeting.

I do not think anyone will question that a better representative of a British sportsman than Sir John D. Astley, Bart. does not exist. His name is known throughout the world, as that of a man who is fair, square, and the greatest supporter of all that is manly and straightforward in the way of sport and athletics. Well, Sir John is the President of the National Whippet Racing Club, which I think can be taken as a guarantee that everything connected with Whippeting can be made the most pleasurable of followings.

When a man owns a Whippet or two as companions, and can try them together, or with his friends' dogs, there springs up a friendly rivalry, and I do not see why the Whippet Clubs of England should not exceed in number those of the Homing pigeon societies. The Whippet can be trained at much less expense, and, furthermore, he can be looked upon as a daily companion. The risk of losing him is little, and when the day of racing comes round, you are there to encourage him in his rush for victory, and, furthermore, you can back him if it is your desire to wager. What better companion in the world could there be named than the Whippet? He will do anything in reason that any other dog can accomplish. He is handsome, lively, intelligent, and sharp. He is at ease in the house, and at home on the track, and as he does not carry a large coat, and his feet are not of the kind to carry cakes of mud, he is not an undesirable If a man owns a brace of Whippets and resolves on dog for the residence. Therefore, as a companion alone, The Bazaar.

SPANIELS.

ROM only reading your columns, it is evident that show committees have to do their utmost to fill even a proportion of their classes, and I think that one reason of their thus failing to attract dog-owners in general, and also the fact that shows are becoming gradually confined to professional showmen and dealers, has been rather overlooked.

I refer to the almost total alienation of the support of sportsmen, and I particularly define sportsmen as a class quite distinct from shooters and showmen. In a letter re "Cocker Spaniels" published in your issue of March 23 last, and signed "A Sportsman," there is an indication of what I

Take almost any breed of sporting dog which has been adopted by showmen, and you will find that another type has been introduced to suit the showmarket thus created,

distinct definitions as applied to specimens of that particular breed. Perhaps no breed has been more divided against itself than the Field Spaniel. This is the breed par shooting of moderate size, and who does not employ a regular keeper or beaters, and who is glad to shoot fur and feather as they come. This class of men numbers thous ands throughout the country, with quite as many dogs, and nine out of ten of these will be Spaniels. What attraction has the modern show for these men? Take the last so-called National Show at Birmingham, with two exhibits in the Sussex class for more than twice as many prizes! Next came a line of cumbious shining black brutes, which might trot across a tennis lawn, but otherwise would be more at home in a Bath chair; not one among them fit to beat out blackthorn and gorse for six hours at a stretch, nor physically fit to hunt big straggling hedgebanks and blind ditches, where the game is invariably found on a rough shoot. The open secret is that these animals are simply so much merchandise, and are valued by their owners for what they can fetch home in prizes and stud fees, and are famous according to the figure which some wealthy speculator can be induced to give for them.

To a sportsman this is not an exhibition of dogs suited to his various purposes, but simply an exhibition of skilful grooming upon animated hearth-rugs! The sportsman asks for a hunter and the showman offers him a lumbering Clydesdale with the coat of a Belgian horse, such as one sees at funerals, to use a "horsey" simile.

As regards Field Spaniels the chances of co-operation between showmen and sportsmen to produce a type of dog both attractive and useful are probably too remote, but perhaps an effort can be made to preserve the characteristics of his smaller brother, the Cocker, such as referred to by your correspondent, and so much appreciated by sportsmen. Only last week a Spaniel judge, writing in the Kennel Gazette, refers in terms of praise to a Cocker as being "long and low." This ridiculous fad on the part of showmen has been the curse of Spaniel breeding. Granting meanwhile that a Cocker should be under 13in., and about 6in. of this daylight, what in the name of common sense is the use of breeding for extra length? I defy any man to prove that a dog can jump a ditch, work a steep rough dingle, penetrate gorse, or cross a ploughed field better because he happens to be of extra length.

Let showmen learn the practical use of a breed and breed accordingly, and they will find a larger market, while committees will have well-filled classes and the accompany- to Rev. J. C. Tolmie's Barney, June 9th, 1894.

and that "show" and "working" become two necessary and ing advantages. If Spaniel showmen will not breed sporting dogs for sport let them join the Schipperke and Pug brigade, where they cannot do much harm.

The finest breed of the dogs of England to-day is the excellence for the sportsman who has perhaps a rough Foxhound. He has been kept in the hands of sportsmen and is bred from workers for work.

Apologising for the amount of ink spilt.

SPORT AND SHOW, BUT SPORT.

KENNEL REGISTER.

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

WHELPED.

Jetty-Moses-G. Barclay Bruce's, Gordon Setter Jetty, C.K.C.S.B. 3266, E.K.C.S.B. 31258, by Moses, C.K.C.S.B. 3264, three dogs and six bitches, May 30th, 1894.

Invercauld Beauty-Finsbury Hero-Maple Leaf Kennels Collie bitch Invercauld Beauty five dogs and three bitches to same owners Finsbury Hero, July 18th.

From J. A. Spracklin, Victoria Kennels:

Jan. 5th, 1894, Bess, black and tan by Dude, 9 pups, 4 black, white and tan; 5 black and tan, 7 dogs.

Jan. 6, Flirt II. by Dude, 3 pups, 2 reds, 1 black and white, 3 dogs. Jan. 9, Flora by Rover. (red) 8 pups, 6 black and 2 red, 6 dogs.

Feb. 27, Frisky III. by Jap, 5 pups, all black, 3 dogs. March 15th, Maud S. by Dude, 5 pups, all black, 3 dogs.

March 21, Ruby II. by Red, 8 pups black and white, 5 dogs.

March 30, Spotess by Sir Robert, 7 pups black and white, and red

and white, 1 dog. May 24, Spracklin's Flirt by Sir Royce, 11 pups, 9 black, 2 black

and white, 6 dogs

May 29, Little Dot by Jap, 3 pups, 2 black and 1 red, 2 dogs. June 10, Nellie Blye by Dude, 5 pups, 1 liver and tan, 1 black and tan and 3 black, 3 dogs.

June 10, Chloe by Rover, 9 pups, 3 liver, 6 black, 5 dogs.

June 17, Pansy by Dude, 8 pups, 5 black and tan, 3 black, 3 dogs. July 2, Dot's Sister by Sir Roger, 8 pups all black, 6 dogs. These are all Cocker Spaniels.

June 2, Maud (Clumber) by Rover, 8 pups, 4 red and white, 4 fawn and white, 4 dogs.

May 23, Rough (wire-haired Fox Terrier) by Jack, 4 pups, 3 dogs. May 25, Spotess, smooth Fox Terrier by Bob, 5 pups, 1 dog.

May 26, Little Dot (wire-haired Fox Terrier) by Landlord, 4 pups,

June 1, Polly, (smooth Box Terrier,) by Landlord, 2 pups, 1 dog. July 10, Fanny (smooth Fox Terrier) by Bob, 1 dog.

Rideau Flossie-Red Obo-On July 13th, Rideau Kennels' Rideau Flossie (Obo-Gipping Floss), seven (4 dogs) by Red Obo, (Red Roland-Devon Beauty).

BRED.

Otterburn Pearl-Andy D .- C. Y. Ford, Kingston, Pug bitch Imp. Otterburn Pearl to S. H. Slifer & Sons, Andy D. (Ch. Penrice-Lady Clover), June 1st and 3rd, 1894.

Leah - Barney - J. L. Scott's rough-coated St. Bernard bitch Leah

Bess-Red Olo - Mr. Elmer, Kingston, black Cocker bitch Bess to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, March 7th, 1894.

- Red Obo-R. Barr, Kingston, liver bitch to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, March 24th, 1894.

Jess-Red Obo-C. M. Taylor, Lyn, black Cocker bitch Jess to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, April 14th, 1894.

- Red Obo - Mr. Sackett, Cape Vincent, black Cocker bitch to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, April 21st, 1894.

Green Craft Nellie-Red Obo-T. McK. Robertson's black bitch Green Craft Nellie to same owners Red Obo, March 22th, 1894.

Soubridge Brunetto-Red Obo-Geo. Nicol's

liver bitch Soubridge Brunetto to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, March 23rd, 1894.

Black Bess—Red Obo—S. Healey's black Cocker bitch Black Bess to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, April 27th, 1894.

Una—Red Obo—E. Walsh, Kingston, black Cocker bitch Una to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo

Black Cocker-Red Obo-W. Twigg's, Kingston black Cocker bitch to T. McK. Robert-

Notes and Seed Obo, April 30, 1894.

Rideau Flossie—Red Obo—Mr. P. G. Keys, Ottawa, black Cocker bitch Rideau Flossie to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo, May 11th,

Cora G .- Red Obo .- T. McK. Robertson's black and tan Terrier bitch Cora G. to same

owners Red Obo, May 19th, 1894.

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