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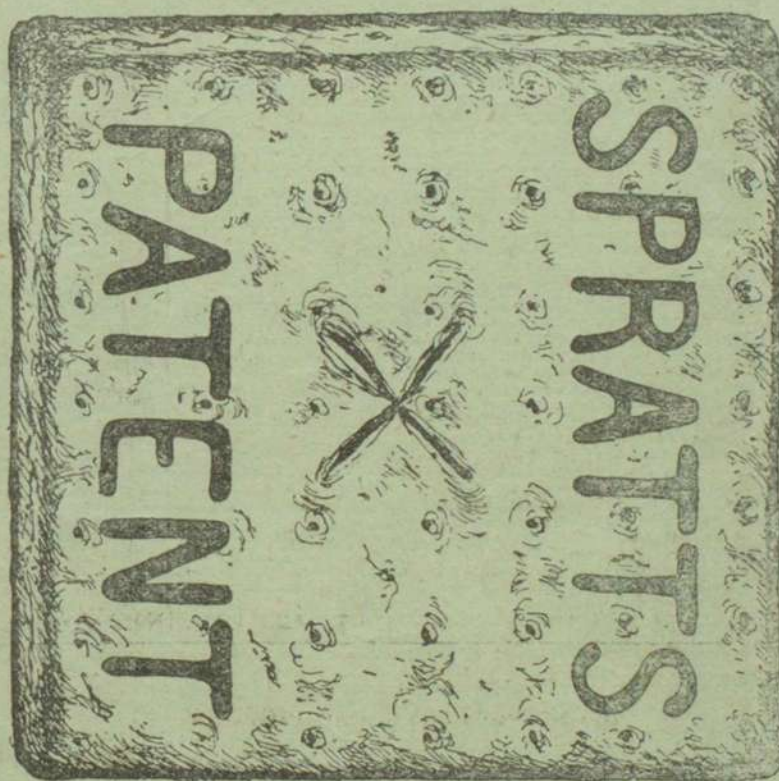
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C. K. C. MEETING.

A MEETING of the C. K. C. Executive will be held on Friday, April 19th, during horse show week. Any local Clubs who intend availing themselves of the new rule permitting the smaller shows to be held under C.K.C. rules should, if possible, be prepared at the meeting to lay before the Committee their schedule, list of judges, etc., as no later meeting may be available.

THE C.K.C. AND THE A.K.C.

X The Secretary of the C. K. C. has up to date not been officially advised of the action taken by the A.K.C. at their annual meeting on the proposition laid before that body by the C. K. C. In the *American Kennel Gazette*, however, we find the following, part of the minutes of the annual meeting held in New York on February 22nd last:

Mr. Vredenburg—Under the head of general business I suppose the matter of the Canadian Kennel Club properly comes up, although it was acted upon by the Executive Committee at the last meeting. The Executive Committee ordered that they must take action within ninety days after that meeting.

Dr. Foote—Was it not the intention of that motion to limit the time to this meeting?

Mr. Vredenburg—The time does not expire until the 6th day of March, but I think it was the intention to extend it until this meeting.

The Secretary then read the communication of the Canadian Kennel Club, which is as follows:

TORONTO, Feb'y, 9, 1895.

A. P. Vredenburg, Esq., Secretary American Kennel Club, New York:

Dear Sir,—The following motion was passed at the Executive meeting held yesterday "re A.K.C.: That this Club will be willing to recognize an agreement on the basis of a mutual recognition of wins and disqualifications, the wins at shows held under C.K.C. rules to be published in the A.K.C.S.B. All dogs exhibited from Canada in the U.S. to be listed or registered with the A.K.C. All dogs from the U.S. shown in Canada to be listed or registered with C.K.C."

Prize winners in either case where qualified *must be registered* with the club under whose auspices the show is held."

Messrs. T. G. Davey, R. McEwen, and F. S. Wetherall were appointed a committee to confer with the A.K.C. If further information is necessary please advise me. Yours truly,

H. B. DONOVAN, Sec. Treas.

Mr. Vredenburg—I have just held an interview with Mr. Davey, who I believe is the only one of that Club present, and he handed me a letter written by Dr. Niven, President of the Canadian Club, to Mr. McEwen, who is not present. Mr. Donovan, the Secretary of the Canadian Kennel Club, has sent an official communication to the American Kennel Club, in the way of a corrected proof, which is to be published in the *CANADIAN KENNEL GAZETTE*.

Dr. Foote—If I understand that properly that brings us back to nearly the same position in which we were before when we broke of relations with the Canadian Kennel Club, with possibly a very slight exception. The principal object we had in the appointing of a committee the last year or more ago to meet their committee was to make arrangements for the establishment of a single stud book, and it seems to me that the agreement between those committees was most favorable to both clubs, and I am certainly opposed to any agreement which will leave two stud books. If we cannot come to an agreement which will leave but one stud book, I think we might just as well stay where we are, and if a motion is in order, I will move that the proposition on the part of the Canadian Kennel Club be not accepted, and if the previous agreement is not accepted by the Canadian Kennel Club before March 6, that we break off all relations in the matter.

Mr. Vredenburg—Don't you think it would be better to leave it to the committee which was appointed by this club, and let that committee report at the next meeting.

Dr. Foote—My only objection to that is that we acted upon this matter a year ago. The Canadian Kennel Club did absolutely nothing until last September. Their first act was derogatory to the arrangement made, and since then I do not think they have accomplished anything except to make a proposition to us which virtually places us in the same relation which we severed three years ago, and at the last meeting we gave them ninety days in which to accept the arrangement, and I should like to have some action taken which will terminate the matter when the ninety days expire. They seem to think we have everything to lose; and we seem to think they have everything to lose, and we might just as well find out now who will be the loser by breaking off any relations which have heretofore existed between the two clubs.

Mr. Watson—Your motion is to put a stop to the thing?

Dr. Foote—Yes, when the ninety days expire.

Mr. Watson—That will put us in the position that we recognize nothing done by them. At the time that old contract was wiped out we refused to acknowledge their disqualifications, and I think that was a great mistake. I quite agree with Dr. Foote about the stud book. They have no stud book, and the fact of their registering or listing anything is nothing at all, because we have no opportunity of ascertaining the particulars. I do advocate our recognition of their disqualifications. We do not want the Canadian Club to send their disqualified men to show with us, nor would we want our disqualified men to show with them.

Dr. Foote—Can we not by special act recognize their disqualifications, and if they wish to do that with us, they may?

Mr. Brooks—We have that agreement with them now.

Mr. Vredenburg—I think it would be right, as I recommend, to pass a resolution ratifying the action of the Executive Committee of May, 1893.

Dr. Foote—I move that the action of the Executive Committee of May, 1893, relative to our relation with the Canadian Kennel Club be ratified by this meeting.

Motion seconded and carried.

Dr. Foote—Now I move that their present communication be tabled, and that we abide by the motion of the December meeting relative to the old agreement accepted by us at our last February meeting.

Mr. Watson—I cannot see the use of that, because we have no agreement. We are not wiping out anything by our motion.

Dr. Foote—The word "agreement" is perhaps improper there. I should have said, and I desire it embodied in my motion, that the "report" of the committees be accepted.

Mr. Watson—I move that the matter be referred to the committee with instructions to accept a mutual agreement as to disqualifications.

Dr. Foote—We can take special action recognizing their disqualifications, and they can do the same if they wish.

Mr. Watson—I agree to that. I make a motion that the American Kennel Club recognize the disqualifications of the Canadian Kennel Club under a mutual agreement.

Dr. Foote—I will second that motion after my motion has been acted upon.

Mr. Watson—But if it was referred to us as a committee, we would then have to come back again and report to you and ask you to give us definite instructions whether or not to close with them.

Mr. Moorehead—Why not leave it to the committee with power to act?

Mr. Brooks—That is practically the motion, that this committee make an agreement with the Canadian Kennel Club with regard to disqualifications.

Dr. Foote—In the first place, haven't we got to take some action upon this proposal made to us by the Canadian Kennel Club?

Mr. Watson—My motion was that the communication be left to the committee that is still in existence, with instructions to make an agreement with regard to disqualifications.

Mr. Vredenburg—I think Dr. Foote's idea is this: we have a communication here from the Canadian Kennel Club which requires action in some way. His idea is to receive that communication and lay it upon the table. That disposes of that. He then branches out into something new and advocates the passage of a resolution by which this club will recognize all suspensions and disqualifications imposed by the Canadian Kennel Club. We end it there. We do not care whether they recognize our disqualifications or not, but we voluntarily will recognize theirs, and all that is necessary to be done by this club is to notify the Canadian Kennel Club that we have not acted upon their letter, but we have passed a resolution by which we recognize their disqualifications.

Dr. Foote—Now, I move to lay this communication from the Canadian Kennel Club on the table.

Mr. Webster—It seems to me that that communication from the Canadian Kennel Club is a final one, and you must either accept it or reject it.

Dr. Foote—I will substitute in my motion the word "reject."

Mr. Vredenburg—Why would it not be well to pass a resolution that this club decides to stand upon the action of its Executive Committee at its meeting of May, 1893.

Dr. Cryer—I think the day will come when the line between the United States and Canada will be wiped out, and I think it would be well for the American Kennel Club to wipe it out in regard to dog matters. Let us sail under our own colors, and if they care to sail with us under our rules, well and good.

The motion of Dr. Foote that the proposition contained in the letter from the Canadian Kennel Club be rejected was seconded and carried.

Mr. Watson—I now move that we recognize the suspensions and disqualifications of the Canadian Kennel Club.

Motion seconded.

Mr. Shellhass—I would like to move an amendment to Mr. Watson's motion. It is very desirable that we recognize the disqualifications of the Canadian Kennel Club. On the same principle, if we disqualify a man we want to prohibit that man from showing as much as we can. For that reason I would like to move as an amendment that the Canadian Kennel Club be conferred with, say by the committee already appointed to confer with it, and that it be suggested to them that disqualifications be mutually agreed upon, such committee being given power to act.

Mr. Morris—I second that motion.

Mr. Watson—I accept that amendment.

Motion as amended carried.

The plain inference from the foregoing is that all relations between the two Clubs have now ceased, but that the A.K.C. through a committee will apply for reciprocity of suspensions and disqualifications. Whether the C.K.C. will agree to this one item remains to be seen.

MR. BELL APOLOGIZES.

In the same organ appears the following letter from Mr. Geo. Bell:

TORONTO, Feb. 19, 1895.

To the Executive and Advisory Committees of the American Kennel Club:

Gentlemen,—I hereby respectfully solicit my relief from the disqualification imposed on me by your body, and in so doing wish to apologize for everything in my letter, in answer to the charges of your Club dated Oct. 5th, 1894, that is offensive to you, begging your pardon for my wrongful act in so doing. Such parts of that letter as are strictly a defence against the charges formulated against me before you, I wish to renew, but to withdraw all offensive portions.

As a partial excuse for my addressing you in the terms I did, I wish to state that in so doing I acted under the advice of Mr. W. Wade, of Hulton, Pa., of whom I took counsel in the matter, and that I bitterly regret having acted on such unwise advice.

Yours respectfully, G. BELL.

On motion of Dr. Foote the matter was referred to the Advisory Committee.

THE MONTREAL KENNEL ASSOCIATION.

Some important matters were discussed and settled by the Montreal Kennel Association, which met on March 5th at the Natural History Hall. Dr. Wesley Mills presided. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Resolved that the Montreal Kennel Association does not approve of the cropping of dogs' ears, and sympathizes with the movement in England and elsewhere to abolish the practice. As the amount of pain inflicted in docking a dog's tail with a sharp instrument, when a very young puppy, is insignificant, and the healing process very rapid, the Association does not feel called upon to express a strong opinion against this practice on the ground of cruelty, though many of the members are against all such methods of so called "improving" the appearance of the dog, believing that they are unsound in principle.

"Resolved that in order that persons in Montreal and vicinity who may desire to purchase pure bred dogs, may know who the reliable breeders of such dogs are the officers and members of this Association do furnish to those who may make such request, the addresses of reliable persons in Montreal and other parts of Canada who breed the different varieties of high class dogs, more especially as we have reason to believe that stolen, indifferently bred and otherwise inferior animals are disposed of to purchasers in this city.

"Inasmuch as a large number of lost, strayed or stolen dogs are never recovered in spite of the efforts of their owners, it is hereby resolved that the Montreal Kennel Association is of opinion that all persons who come into possession of dogs that do not belong to them would at once report the details to the Central Police department,

those losing dogs doing the same, many more dogs would be recovered and a better state of public opinion on this question engendered.

"It is further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Chief of Police and that he be asked to kindly co-operate in this; also that a copy of the same be sent to the city papers."

There was a large number of people present. Dr. Mills spoke distinctly on these motions, stating that a list of suspected dog-stealers was being compiled and that effective measures would be adopted to stop this scandalous practice. A new scheme suggested was the formation of an anti-dog-stealing club, with funds subscribed so that dog-stealers could be speedily prosecuted.

FIRST TO ACT.

This Association is the first to act on the cropping question, in Canada, and evidently purpose keeping in touch with all live questions of the day relating to the dog.

MONTREAL SHOW.

An effort is being made to induce the Montreal Exhibition Association to hold a bench show under C.K.C. rules in September next, from the 17th to 20th. Mr. J. S. Robertson and others have taken the matter in hand.

THE TORONTO KENNEL CLUB,

will hold their Fifth Annual Bench Show on Thursday and Friday, 25th and 26th April next. The location has not been definitely fixed upon, but a large building on King street is, we believe, being negotiated for and which if secured, will be admirable in every way for the purpose. The Bench Show Committee is composed of the following gentlemen: Mr. J. F. Kirk, President; Mr. J. S. Williams, 1st Vice-President; Mr. C. A. Stone, 2nd Vice-President; Committee, Messrs. Geo. B. Sweetnam, A. A. Macdonald, D. Lally McCarthy, H. P. Thompson, F. Habart, A. P. Burritt, H. B. Donovan, J. Lorne Campbell, C. J. Mead, F. L. Mabee, J. L. Spink, A. Cecil Gibson, W. H. Cawthra, P. J. Smyth, J. B. McLean, Fred Beardmore, J. D. G. Shaw, while Mr. W. P. Fraser is again Secretary and Treasurer. The following gentlemen have been invited to judge, Mr. John E. Thayer, proprietor of the famous Hillside Kennels, Lancaster, Mass., and whose crack Fox Terriers and Scottish Deerhounds are always a feature in themselves at the principal American Bench Shows, has been asked to judge Fox Terriers, Greyhounds, Russian Wolfhounds and Scottish Deerhounds. Mr. Montague Smith, of Forest, Ont., has kindly consented to adjudicate upon the Setters

and Pointers, while Mr. J. F. Kirk, and there are few better all-round judges in America, will take the remaining classes. The Toronto Kennel Club's Shows have been very attractive to fanciers in the past and this year will be no exception to the rule.

A SENSIBLE DECISION.

At the last meeting of the Canadian Kennel Club it very sensibly modified the 500-dog, and the \$500 rule. It was shown that the operation of these two rules was to prevent the smaller clubs from holding shows, thus working an injury to the kennel interests of the Dominion.

The agreement between the A. K. C. and the Canadian Club having been broken, the latter club was left free to control its own actions, and therefore availed itself of this early opportunity to abrogate a foolish and suicidal rule.—*Field Sports.*

Pacific coast breeders are still laboring under a like disability, it being impossible for them, unless at an almost prohibitory expense, to get a dog into the challenge class, their shows not yet reaching the 500 limit. A lengthy and strong appeal to the A. K. C. for relief was presented at the annual meeting.

MR. L. A. KLEIN,

we learn, is now on his way to Europe, and on his return will be accompanied by a quartet of the best Dachshunds to be found.

MRS. J. A. PITT, OF MONTREAL,

is getting over from England a brace of Blenheim Spaniels to add to her already large kennel of dogs. Mr. Klein has kindly consented to look after their comfort on the voyage.

MR. FRASER'S "SCOTTIES"

are now offered at stud to owners of good bitches. Lovat has already proved himself a good sire, being the sire of Highland Fling, Mr. Fraser's New York winner. St. Clair Don, the other dog, is by champion Rascal.

MR. A. A. MACDONALD,

has for disposal several brood bitches, some prize winners, also some excellent puppies, both wire and smooth haired, from Dark Eye and {Beverwyck King Pin, out of winning dams.

VENIO BLOOD FOR CANADA.

Mr. A. A. Macdonald has just imported from Mr. Robert Vicary, of England, the smooth Fox Terrier bitch Venoga, in whelp to the famous Venio. Venoga is a beautiful type of bitch, made on lovely lines, cleanly finished throughout and every inch a lady. The only time she was shown in England was at the Fox Terrier Club Show, at Oxford,

where she was reserve. She is by D'Orsay out of Velzie, she by Venio out of Verena, she by Veni and Valetta. Thus she has as grandsires Venio and Stipendiary, the pillars of the English stud. Her litter from Venio will introduce into Canada a nucleus of the best blood in existence.

CANADIAN FOX TERRIER CLUB.

This flourishing organization is attracting several new members to its ranks, and thus promoting the welfare and interests of the Fox Terrier. Members will be glad to hear that at the Toronto Kennel Club Show next month, Mr. A. A. Macdonald, the President of the Club, will offer two specials of five dollars each, one for the best Fox Terrier dog, the other for the best bitch, bred in Canada, and the property of a member of C.F.T.C.

A MEMBER OF THE VICE-REGAL STAFF, visited the Mount Royal Kennels not long since to look at the dogs. The Collie, Royal Squire, was greatly admired and a proposition for his purchase was at once made, but was as promptly declined, as the young dog has already several engagements in the stud. After examining some of the other dogs the visit was concluded, but not without an order for a dog. "Mount Royal" reports this visitor well up in the qualities of dogs, both physical and mental.

THE BRAEHEAD KENNELS, OF MONTREAL, have just imported from the Seminole Kennels, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, one of the best bred Collie bitches in the States, and in whelp to their celebrated stud dog Golddust. She has been registered with the C.K.C. as Braehead Sweet Lassie.

JIM BLAINE, JR.,

whose photo we print in this issue, is the property of the Waban Kennels, of Newton, Mass., and is a son of the famous Jim Blaine. On the 29th of April next he will be two years old and is a massive, strong dog of fine character and expression. He has not been used at stud nor has he yet been shown, but is to come out at Boston this spring.

MR. LAIDLAW,

while at New York show, sold the winning Cockers Baby Ruth, Rideau Reine and Commodore, to Messrs. Townsend & Bloodgood, of Marlboro, Mass., for a good price.

THE ST. BERNARD BITCH LINDA,

which we have before now favorably commented on, has unfortunately died within two days of whelping. The

post mortem proved the cause of death as inflammation from internal fat. Linda, it will be recollected, was second to Lady Judith last fall at Toronto. To Mr. Gorman the loss is a heavy one.

PHOTOS.

Our thanks are due to Mr. C. P. Simpson, of Montreal, for a large photograph of his kennel of Deerhounds, and to the Quinte Kennels, of Belleville, for a cabinet size group of Spaniel and Beagle puppies.

AT CHICAGO.

Mr. George Douglas sold Woodland Prince and also the reserve bitch Rosalind, to a Chicago fancier.

MR. J. F. KIRK, TORONTO,

has met with a serious loss. He had sold Rosedale Sam (Obo III—Modjeska) at a nice figure to a party in the States, and was to have shipped him this (Monday) morning to his purchaser. The dog was stolen from his yard on Saturday night or early Sunday morning. He is a small dog about 20 lbs. weight with one hole punched in his right ear. We should like to see these dog thieves from which Toronto is suffering brought to justice.

MR. T. G. DAVEY,

has sold a half interest in Brighton, Tobe, his great field trial winner, to the Eldred Kennels of Philadelphia.

PREFIX IMPERIAL.

Mr. Jos. A. Laurin, Montreal, claims the word Imperial as a prefix for his kennel of dogs.

A DOG'S GRIEF.

"Don," in Toronto *Saturday Night*, chronicles a touching incident of the fidelity of a dog to the memory of his owner and grief for his non-appearance. It is recounted as follows:

I think the most pathetic thing that has come under my notice for years occurred when I was in the ticket office of the Grand Trunk on the corner of King and Yonge streets on Monday. It was there that one of my nearest and dearest friends, until his sudden death on Monday morning, was passenger agent. When I went in to enquire the particulars of Phil Slatter's death his dog came rushing in, hunted every corner of the building for him, and was out like a flash.

Within fifteen minutes that poor heart-broken animal was there thrice, and would pay no attention to any hand or voice while his master could not be found, and at the sad home on Gerrard street nothing but violence could restrain that faithful animal from lying beneath the coffin or prevent him, with his paws on the black box, from whining mournfully for the word of recognition that he would never again hear.

Of the great army of friends that Phil Slatter had in this city and all over the Province—and there never was a bigger-hearted, more generous or kindly man—how many of us will remember him or mourn for him as incessantly, and with such whole-heartedness as that poor broken-hearted dog? It is a commentary on the mutations of time and the forgetfulness of humanity that even the dog can teach us lessons in fidelity, humility and absolute and unqualified devotion.

THE BEDLINGTON TERRIER.

BY H. BEDLINGTON.

IT has always been somewhat of a mystery to me that the Bedlington Terrier is not more popular among all real dog lovers. True the breed has only of late years gained any publicity, yet when we point out, that the pedigrees of some of our famous dogs of the present day can be traced back as far as 1792 it can hardly be said the breed is a new one.

The earliest record we have of the Rodbury Terrier (Rothbury Terrier) as the Bedlington was first called, and as old Billy Hedley and other old fanciers still maintain it should be called, is in "The life of James Allan" the famous Northumbrian Piper, published at the beginning of the present century, and compiled from, *viva voce* testimony of the famous piper himself.

William Allan was much famed for his skill as an Otter hunter, and was much in request among the Northumberland gentry as a man who could always show them good sport, and for this purpose he always kept a number of Terriers of this breed.

He owned two favorite Terriers, Peachem and Pincher by name. He had taken particular pains in training Peachem, and such was his confidence in this animal that when Peachem once gave mouth on the trail of an Otter, Old Willie would remark: "he would sell the Otter's skin." When much reduced in circumstances, a gentlemen—probably by way of trial—offered him fifty guineas for this dog, which he refused, showing he had a true love for the animal.

We have it on good authority that Joseph Ainsley, a mason, first gave the name of Bedlington to this breed of Terriers in 1825, but that the breed had been in existence many years before no one will deny.

To Ainsley's Young Piper belongs the honor of being the first Bedlington Terrier. His dam Phoebe, a black bitch with brindled legs, and a tuft of light colored hair was brought from Bedlington in 1820 and given to Andrew Riddle of Framington, she afterwards passed into the hands of Ainsley who put her to Jas. Anderson's Piper, a slender built liver colored dog weighing 15lbs. and standing 15 inches high, a very game dog, and from the union Young Piper was bred.

Phoebe's pedigree through her dam, A. Riddle's Wash, can be traced back to Squire Trevelyan's Flint, a dog that was whelped in 1782.

We have it that this breed, were the friends and companions of the tinkers, ratcatchers and gypsies of Northum-

berland, especially of a celebrated family of ratcatchers named Makepeaces, they journeyed from one gentlemen's estate to another, clearing them of their vermin, their Terriers were a grand lot and always ready.

It was after "Piper" Allan, (James Allan) that the numerous Bedlingtons of the name of Piper are called, if space would permit, many interesting stories of the gameness and pluck of these Terriers and their owners could be related.

The breed is well known throughout the north countries of England and lowlands of Scotland, but is very scarce in Ireland. To the United States and Canada many of the best specimens came a few years ago, Mr. W. S. Jackson, of Toronto, being a leading breeder some years ago.

Every miner around Newcastle on Tyne is proud to own one of this breed. These rough masters have always been most devoted to their dogs, and have in fact stuck to them so closely that one writer advances this as the reason for the breed being so strongly isolated, arguing that the north country owners, have done all in their power to keep them from becoming common property. For my own part although I can hardly accept this theory, I do not believe their early owners are to blame for the poor position the Terriers hold—not, however, so much for a selfish desire to keep their good thing to themselves, as by the somewhat questionable character they have given them.

Everyone knows that a miner's dog must be ready for all sorts of work, from a bit of quiet poaching to a deadly fight, unfortunately for the dog's character, the Bedlington proved an apt pupil, and so it happened that while he was gaining a good name as a game Terrier, he was also getting a character for being strongheaded and unduly pugnacious.

Now before one dubs a Bedlington Terrier with the bad name of "quarrelsome" it would be well to remember that "circumstances alter cases" and that it is quite possible for a dog to behave badly with a bad master, and to reform under better companionship.

Having bred these dogs for many years I feel I can testify to their character with some authority. Speaking not only of my own, but of the many others I have known, I can safely say I have found them grand companions, as they are hardy, affectionate, very teachable, and plucky to an extraordinary degree.

If properly brought up, they absolutely don't know what fear means, while their powers of endurance are really wonderful.

I have heard them called, and I think it somewhat appropriate "The aristocrats of the Terrier family." They certainly have a very stately way of carrying themselves, with their tail carried straight with a slight curl at tip, and a



R.C. ST. BERNARD JIM BLAINE JR., OWNED BY THE WABAN KENNELS, NEWTON, MASS.

look almost of disdain for other dogs and ready to defend themselves at any time.

It certainly is very interesting to watch a trained Bedlington draw a racoon out of a three or four foot wooden chute, the coon is placed with his back against the end, then the dog has to draw its prey out head first, then the battle royal commences; for its size, strength and weight, I know of no animal that fights more ferociously than a black swamp coon, his favorite position to defend himself is on his back, where he brings his claws as well as his teeth into play; it is a fight to the death, in which the Terrier is the victor.

A mere glance at the Bedlington is sufficient to give one a real notion of work, there is nothing stiff or clumsy about them, and there really seems to be nothing one could wish altering in their build.

The skull is narrow and somewhat conical, jaw long and punishing, with grand pincer teeth and fair sized nose, neck long and light, yet extremely muscular, shoulders and body strong, without being in the least bulky, legs set up near together well under the body, and perfectly straight, feet a good size, without any tendency to spread, tail rather short, thick and tapering.

The most fashionable color at present for a Bedlington is dark blue, at one time however the liver color was "all the go," while also there are sandies and a mixture of blue, black and liver color.

The Terriers coats are fairly short and very wiry, should be hard and weather resisting. One of the most noticeable features is the topnot, which however should not be too heavy. The ears are large, hang close to the cheek and are free from long hairs except a little tuft at the tip, eyes should be dark and set near together.

CANADIAN WINNERS AT DETROIT.

Mastiffs—J. A. Spracklin's Ripplette 2nd in open bitches.

St. Bernards—Royal Kennels Scion Lomond 3rd open, George Barron's Imperial H.C., Royal St. Bernard Kennels smooth bitch Empress of Windsor 2nd open, local class Royal St. Bernard Kennels Scion Lomond and Empress of Windsor 1st and 2nd.

Russian Wolfhounds and Greyhounds—Here the Terra Cotta Kennels had a big innings, winning many firsts and other prizes.

In *Pointers* the Leamington Kennels won several firsts on their dogs, as well as seconds.

English Setters—Second open dogs, R. Bangham's Dash Antonio, also 3rd in local class.

Irish Setters—Third open dogs, Douglas & Chambers' Toronto Blarney. V.H.C.R. open bitches, same owners, Toronto Biddy. V.H.C., Forest Kennels' Forest Sunset.

Gordon Setters—Second open dogs, Forest Kennels' Guy. V.H.C.R. open bitches, same owners, Mount Roy Wanda.

Collies—V.H.C.R. open dogs, John Saunders' Canadian Monarch. V.H.C., same, Finsbury Hero. Bitches, V.H.C., same, Nora.

Dachshunds—Bitches, open class, 1st Venlo Farm Kennels' Hexe von Venlo.

Fox Terriers—Wire-haired dogs, V.H.C. open, Compton Kennels' Compton Vindex. First open bitches, same, Roath Rennie.

Irish Terriers—J. B. McLean's Canadian Ambassador and Deramore Biddy, V.H.C. and 2nd.

Field Spaniels—Challenge class, dogs or bitches, 1st J. A. Spracklin's Daisy Deane. Open class, dogs, 2nd J. A. Spracklin's Nonpareil; bitches, 1st J. A. Spracklin's Spracklin's Belle.

Cocker Spaniels—Challenge class, bitches, 1st Andrew Laidlaw's Baby Ruth. Open class, black, dogs, 1st Andrew Laidlaw's Commodore; bitches, 1st Andrew Laidlaw's Cora II., V.H.C. J. A. Spracklin's Violet. Other than black, bitches, 1st Andrew Laidlaw's Fanny.

Irish Water Spaniels—Open, dogs or bitches, 1st Andrew Laidlaw's Dennis.

Skye Terriers—Dogs or bitches, V.H.C.R., P. & H. Smith's Barnaby Rudge.

SPECIALS—Best rough-coated St. Bernard dog entered from the Dominion of Canada, Scion Lomond. Best smooth-coated St. Bernard entered from the Dominion, Empress of Windsor. Best rough-coated St. Bernard dog in local class, Scion Lomond. Best kennel of four Russian Wolfhounds, Terra Cotta Kennels. Best Wolfhound, Ataman IV. Best English Setter with a field trial record from the United States or the Dominion, Dash Antonio. Best kennel of four Cocker Spaniels, Andrew Laidlaw. Best black Cocker Spaniel, Baby Ruth. Best kennel of four Cocker Spaniels in the local class, Corktown Kennels. Best black Cocker Spaniel in the open class, Commodore. Best Fox Terrier entered from the Dominion of Canada, Roath Rennie.

NEW YORK DOG SHOW.

MR. W. P. FRASER kindly furnishes us with the following notes: There is not the least doubt about it, the Westminster Kennel Club's show was a gigantic success. With an entry—the largest on record—of 1,616, it only remained for the public to endorse this with their attendance, which they did not fail to do. Old exhibitors, looking dubiously, were inclined to shake their heads and tell you, "Do not think there are as many people here as last year," but a stranger could only gaze upon the aisles and galleries crowded with the beauty, wealth and fashion of New York and wonder how the gathering could be larger or more representative. It is difficult to imagine a more suitable place than Madison Square Garden for a bench show, and there the best of everything in dogs is to be seen. Mr. James Taylor, of England, commenced his work promptly at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and it was Thursday before he had finished. In some classes previous awards were upset by him, but he gave general satisfaction. There always will be some grumblers.

Mastiffs were little better than last year, perhaps show a slight falling off, still it is a treat to see such a specimen as Beaufort's Black Prince, owned by Mr. J. L. Winchell. St. Bernards were the largest group in the show and contained some remarkably fine specimens, Sir Bedivere being awarded the prize for the best St. Bernard dog and Rustic Beauty for the best St. Bernard bitch in the show. Great Danes, although showing some good ones, are not on the up scale, and Newfoundlands as usual were very weak both in quality and quantity. Deerhounds had only three entries, and the fine entry usually sent from the Hillside Kennels, owned by Mr. John E. Thayer, was greatly missed. Bloodhounds were the best lot ever shown in America.

Russian Wolfhounds are increasing in popularity, and rightly so, for they are beautiful animals. The Terra Cotta Kennels, of Hamilton, with Mr. Tulk in charge, won in challenge bitches with Princess Irma, and again in open dogs with Ataman IV., a good one, their recent importation from Russia. Greyhounds were "warm," and here again the Terra Cotta Kennels held their own. In English Foxhounds Mr. Joseph Smith, of Guelph, upheld the honor of the "west countree" with his good sound bitch Vexation, who won well from Rosemary, all gone behind and crooked as a cow. Pointers were a capital class, and Mr. George Gould had two good winners in Miss Rumor and Ridgeview Comet, purchased from Mr. T. G. Davey of London.

English Setters, another good group. Gordon Setters were the best seen at New York for many a long day; and Irish Setters were a show in themselves and created a lot of interest. Miss G. Shippen was made the happiest young woman in the show when her splendid young dog landed first honors in the open dog class.

Canada had three representatives in Irish Water Spaniels. Mr. Andrew Laidlaw won with his dog Dennis, and Mr. T. A. Carson, of Kingston, with his nice bitch Marguerite. Clumbers showed much improvement.

Cockers were about the same "old racket." It was generally the three "Canucks," George Douglas, Andrew Laidlaw, and C. M. Nelles, fighting at the finish, with George first past the wire.

Collies were one of the grandest collections ever seen, and aroused a great deal of enthusiasm.

The open dog class introduced American fanciers to the English crack Rufford Ormonde, who, despite a badly sprained foreleg, was awarded the blue ribbon, the runner up being Mr. Henry Jarratt's grand young dog Domino II. The Woodlawn Kennels were first and second in open bitches, with Woodlawn Sunset and Flora May. Poodles showed a grand variety, and Bulldogs an amazingly strong class, His Lordship winning the \$250 grand trophy given by the Bulldog club of America for the best Bulldog in the show, with King Orry perhaps pressing him a bit for the coveted honor.

The Bull Terrier section commanded attention, and perhaps never before in America has such an exhibition of these Terriers been seen. Vesper Bell, who has done her share of winning for Canada and Mr. W. Hammall, could only get third in challenge bitches. Dachshunds, reinforced by the entries of the English exhibitor, Mr. E. S. Woodiwiss, which reached the show just in time for judging, were a good lot. Beagles were a splendid collection, the Hornell-Harmony Kennels and H. L. Kreuder dividing the honors. There was only one Fox Terrier from Canada, Dark Eye, and he in the wire-haired division. The old dog seems ring shy and would not face the music, or he might have been a notch higher than reserve. There were some rare good ones in the smooths, the Messrs. Rutherford and Belmont winning the first prizes. That good and well-bred dog Warren Safeguard is responsible for some grand youngsters, and Canadian breeders might take a tip and turn their attention in this direction with advantage. The cracks Cribbage and Surrey Janet, won in the wire-haired challenge classes, and Sudcliffe Banker, a dog by Meershook Bristles, brought out from England by George Thomas, was

first home in open dogs. The winner is a nice symmetrical, well-balanced chap, with long head and good expression, although perhaps a bit bitch-faced. The winner in open bitches was Bushy Bramble, a nice Terrier, with the markings of her sire, Venio. There was considerable surprise when Mr. Mayhew reversed the decision of last year, and put Mr. Belmont's grand smooth Fox Terrier Blemton Victor II. over Mr. Hunnewell's wire-haired dog Cribbage, giving Blemton Victor II. the award of the best Fox Terrier in the show. It is said Mr. Belmont will send his dog to England.

Irish Terriers were another nice lot. Deramore Biddy, Canada's representative, had an easy win in open bitch class, but went down before Hempstead Farm's Brian O'K., and Toon & Thomas' Brigg's Best, the latter a rare good youngster, by the well bred Jack Briggs, who has some good puppies to his credit. Black and tans and Dandie Dinmonts were not better than have been seen before, and Bedlington were decidedly weak. There are better Bedlingtons in Canada than were shown at New York. Scottish Terriers, with 46 entries, were a rattling good lot, and in this class the judge, Mr. Taylor, reversed some previous decisions. Kilroy beat Old Tirie in the challenge dogs.

Bellingham Bailiff turned the tables on Wankie Tam, and won after a good race from Wankie Tam and Kilstree. Kilstree was only just off the boat. Highland Fling won in puppies for Mr. W. P. Fraser. Yorkshire Terriers and Toy Spaniels had some good ones, but Pugs were the worst lot ever seen at New York.

THE TOY SPANIEL.

BY MRS. J. A. PITT.

(A paper read before the Montreal Kennel Association.)

MR. PRESIDENT, Ladies and Gentlemen,—To me has fallen the honor of being the first lady member called upon to prepare a paper to be read before your Association.

I well know that among our members there are many who could do greater justice to their favorites, but I claim there is not a greater or more consistent lover of the dog in this room to-night, and although like the proverbial lover, I may be unable to express all I feel, I will trust to your indulgence and proceed to tell you what I know about Toy Spaniels.

The name Spaniel is said to indicate the introduction of

will repay the trouble by being sleek and healthy, and as engaging a little companion as any one need desire.

Before describing the points it may be of interest to mention some of the most successful exhibitors and breeders of the present day. In England, Mrs. Stone (formerly Mrs. Buggs), who was the breeder and owner of the sensational King Charles, Alexander the Great, that carried all before him twenty years ago, is still a successful exhibitor; Mrs. Tidman, owner of Little Lauriate, probably one of the best King Charles' in England to-day; Miss Apps, owner of the Blenheims Lecta and Syrene, winners at the last Birmingham show. Mrs. Blayney, Mrs. Berrie, Mrs. Forder, Mrs. Collis, and Miss Violet Cameron, are all successful exhibitors. Mrs. L. E. Jenkins is a successful breeder of all four varieties; she is the owner of the King Charles, Harford Jumbo—the Blenheim, Bendigo Bousie—the Ruby, Golden Whiskey—also the beautiful tricolor Day Dream, all of which are well known winners. Mr. A. H. Megson, so well known to the Collie fancy, is also a successful breeder of toy Spaniels, and I hope to be able to give you an opportunity of seeing a couple of specimens from his kennels at our coming show.

In the United States, among the principal breeders are Mrs. Senn, of New York, who had the misfortune of having eight of her dogs poisoned at the show in that city last month; the Merry View Kennels, Philadelphia, E. W. Morris, of Hackensack, N.J., and A. H. Gilmore, Worcester, Mass., the owner of Reuben, probably smallest and one of the best Ruby Spaniels in America. In Toronto Mrs. Ben Davis and Mr. Allan Trebilcock are enthusiastic breeders and successful exhibitors of these dogs.

The following are the descriptions and points of the four English varieties as drawn up by the Specialist Club:

Head—Should be well domed, and in good specimens is absolutely semi-globular, sometimes even extending beyond the half-circle, and absolutely projecting over the eyes so as nearly to meet the upturned nose.

Eyes—The eyes are set wide apart, with the eye-lids square to the line of the face (not oblique or fox-like). The eyes themselves are large, so as to be generally considered black; their enormous pupils, which are absolutely of that color, increasing the description, from their large size; there is also a certain amount of weeping shown at the inner angles.

Stop—The stop, or hollow between the eyes, is well marked, as in the Bull dog, or even more so, some good specimens exhibiting a hollow deep enough to bury a small marble.

Nose—The nose must be short and well turned up

between the eyes, without any indication of artificial displacement afforded by a deviation to either side; the color of the end should be black, and it should be both deep and wide, with open nostrils.

Jaw—The lower jaw must be wide between its branches, leaving plenty of space for the tongue and for the attachment of the lower lips, which should completely conceal the teeth; it should also be turned up or "finished," so as to allow of it meeting the end of the upper jaw, turned up in a similar way as above described.

Ears—The ears must be long so as to approach the ground. In an average-sized dog they measure 20 inches from tip to tip, and some reach 22 inches, or a trifle more. They should be set low on the head and be heavily feathered. In this respect the King Charles is expected to exceed the Blenheim, and his ears occasionally extend to 24 inches.

Size—The most desirable size is from 7 lbs. to 10 lbs.

Shape—In compactness of shape these Spaniels almost rival the Pug, but the length of coat adds greatly to the apparent bulk, as the body when the coat is wetted looks small in comparison with the dog, still it ought to be decidedly "cobby" with strong stout legs, broad back, and wide chest. The symmetry of the toy Spaniel is of importance, but it is seldom there is any defect in this respect.

Coat—The coat should be long, silky, soft and wavy, but not curly. In the Blenheim there should be a profuse mane extending well down in front of the chest. The feather should be well displayed on the ears and feet, where it is so long as to give the appearance of their being webbed; it is also carried well up the back of the legs. In the King Charles the feather on the ears is very long and profuse, exceeding that of the Blenheim by an inch or more. The feather on the tail (which is cut to the length of about $3\frac{1}{2}$ or 4 inches) should be silky and from five to 6 inches in length, constituting a marked "flag" of a square shape, and not carried above the level of the back.

Color—The color varies with the breed. The King Charles is a rich black and deep tan, tan spots over the eyes and on cheeks, and the usual markings on the legs are also required. The Ruby Spaniel is a rich chestnut red, the presence of a few white hairs intermixed with the black on the breast of a King Charles Spaniel or intermixed with the red on the chest of a Ruby Spaniel shall carry great weight against a dog, but shall not in itself absolutely disqualify; but a white patch on the chest or white hairs on any other part of a King Charles or Ruby Spaniel shall be a disqualification.

The Blenheim must on no account be whole colored, but should have a ground of pure pearly white, with

bright rich chestnut or ruby-red markings evenly distributed in large patches. The ears and cheeks should be red with a blaze of white extending from the nose up to forehead, and ending between the ears, in a crescentine curve. In the centre of this blaze there should be a clear spot of red of the size of a sixpence. The tri-color or Charles the First Spaniel should have the tan of the King Charles with markings like the Blenheim in black instead of red on a pearly white ground. The ears and under the tail should also be lined with tan. The tri-color has no spot, that beauty being peculiarly the property of the Blenheim.

The only name by which the tri-color, or black, white and tan in future shall be recognized is Prince Charles. That in future the all red toy Spaniels be known by the name of "Ruby Spaniel," the color of the nose to be black. The points of the Ruby being the same as those of the King Charles, differing only in color.

I thank you, Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen, for your attention, and trust I have this evening been the means of winning some more admirers for the toy Spaniel.

TORONTO "CITY DADS" ON DOGS.

Editor Gazette:

TURF, *Field & Farm*, of February 22nd, contains a very interesting account of how the executive of your city council considered the advice tendered them by a committee of your Humane Society on a proposed enactment on the subject of dogs in general, and their running at large in particular. Of course it is rather risky to have an opinion on the merits of a proposed enactment when you don't know just what the provisions of that enactment are; but, the solid downright sense of Alderman Frankland is undeniable, and I should not be a bit surprised by hearing that he was fond of dogs, as certainly his views were exactly in the best interests of dogs.

According to *Turf, Field & Farm's* account, a Humaner said that there were some men he would rather see shot than a good dog, whereupon Ald. Frankland said that that settled it, and that he was not for any softening down of the proposed dog ordinance, that he had seen women carrying dogs in their arms and leaving little children to walk, etc. I take it that the results accomplished by the Humaners simply amounted to convincing your city dads that the more they went contrary to the notions of the delegation of the Humane Society the nearer they would come to doing their duty to the public, and they might come to far worse conclusions than that.

Now, I fancy, that I have been "in dogs" long enough for you, Mr. Editor, (and perhaps some of your readers) to

know that I am somewhat of a dog lover, but I declare it is enough to make me ashamed of my love for dogs to read the wretched gush and arrant rant some people get off about them. "Somebody's" dog dies suddenly, "somebody" jumps to the conclusion that the dog was poisoned, and writes to the kennel papers a lot of rot about his "beautiful ——" and "the cowardly wretch that poisoned him." Now the chances are ten to one that the fellow who slops over a dog thus only values the money the dog was worth, that if given him his price you might take the dog out and hang it by the tail for all he cares, and in very many cases "Somebody" just jumps to the conclusion that his "beautiful ——" was poisoned, whereas inflammation of the bowels or any of an hundred diseases might have carried it off. Of course I am not condoning dog poisoning, but there is a wretched habit some people have of exalting dogs above men. Some years since there was a dog in a New York town that was a public pest, ravaging everywhere, upsetting garbage barrels, defiling goods exposed for sale at stores, stealing every eatable that came in his way and finally an indignant sufferer shot the pest, and what a row-de-dow was kicked up, surely! What was the sufferer by this pest to do—bring suit against the dog's owner? Well, that would be fine. The owner had ten dollars to the sufferer's one and would have broken the latter in law suits.

As the matter is presented so far, your City Council propose enacting that dogs on the streets must be kept under control. What could be more sensible and proper? Suppose one of my Mastiffs is loose on the street and frightens a child into fits, will it do the parents of the victim any good to tell them that a Mastiff is the special guard and protector of persons? I guess not. What concerns them is the "special" injury to their child. The fact is that the sooner dog owners have it hammered into them that the public have rights that they (the dog owners) must respect, the better it will be for both dogs and dog owners, and the more rant and rot we have on the matter, the farther off that time will be put. I have not the least doubt that I was a member of a Humane Society before one of your Toronto Society's members was, but a dozen years of fighting fanatical extremists wearied me with their methods and has caused me to doubt whether cruelty to animals is a greater evil than "Society" methods of its repression. Therefore, I hail the spunk and good sense of your city fathers.

Oakmont, Pa., Feb. 25, 1895. Yours truly, W. WADE.

[Mr. Wade's letter gives owners a pretty plain hint that for the public good their dogs must at all times be kept under proper control. Until this is done dogs will be looked upon by the ordinary individual as more or less of a pest, mostly more. As a matter of fact, well bred, valuable dogs

are not allowed to run at their own sweet will, but it is equally true that the streets of Toronto, and doubtless the streets of other cities, too, are overrun with numberless useless curs, a menace to health and rest, not to mention other evils. For this the true dog lovers and the owners or breeders of fine stock are compelled to suffer. At first the City Council proposed to enact a bylaw compelling the muzzling of all dogs at large, but this has finally been modified so as to permit of dogs accompanied by their owners or persons acting in their behalf going without the appendage. There does not appear to us to be anything unreasonable in this, looking at it from an unbiased standpoint.—ED.]

Since writing above a petition signed with 1500 names has been presented to a full meeting of the Council. A daily paper reports as follows:

THE MUZZLERS MUZZLED.

Ald. McMurrich presented a petition signed by 1500 ratepayers against the "iniquitous dog by-law." The Council refused to go into committee on the amended dog by-law. This means that the old by-law remains in force, and as the Mayor facetiously remarked, "The muzzlers are themselves muzzled." (Laughter.)

A GOOD WORD FOR CANADA.

Editor Gazette:

AS an old "Canuck" ever should do, I have always recommended to my American friends Canadian breeders as the best people from whom to buy stock. More than one of my American friends, however, have not been treated with that truly Canadian honesty which I have nearly always found in my dealings. I will give the particulars of our complaints later on. For the present I wish to say that I shall always deal with my Canadian brother fanciers from whom I have received square, liberal and kind treatment, and while I do not wish to take the liberty of a free adv. for anybody, I feel that I must say a good word in particular for Mr. Joseph Kennedy, of Hamilton, from whom (and through your paper) I bought some six Spaniels for my kennels and one for a friend. The dogs were all in A1 condition and exactly as represented. This letter is a free will offering, as I have not had any word from Mr. Kennedy in over a year. Hoping to give you a list later on of what I have been the cause of importing from Canada,

Believe me, sincerely and truly yours,

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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.

SALES.

Bay View Kennels, Trenton, have sold:

General Grant—R.C. St. Bernard dog puppy, General Grant, by Lord Dalhousie ex Princess Bess, to Edwin Morgan, Alliance, Ohio.

Bay View Kennels R.C. St. Bernard bitch Mamie to their imported Lord Dalhousie, Dec. 15th, '94.

Mr. A. A. Macdonald, Toronto, has sold the following Fox Terriers: *Aldon Rector*, by Beverwyck Kingpin—Beverwyck Twinkle, to Mr. P. Thacker, Toronto.

Aldon Pictor, same litter, to Mr. Robt. Simpson, Toronto.

Aldon Aster, same litter, to Mr. Van Blarcom, St. Louis.

Aldon Kingbolt, by Beverwyck Kingpin—Bonaly Breda, to Mr. Van Blarcom, St. Louis.

Aldon Consul, by Beverwyck Kingpin—Beverwyck Blondine, to Mr. Charles Moss, Toronto.

Aldon Fair Queen, by Beverwyck Kingpin—Beverwyck Blondine, to Mr. E. P. Malony, Guelph.

Fox Terrier puppy by Beverwyck Kingpin—Dorothy to Mr. J. J. Kingsmill, Jr., Toronto.

Mr. Alexander Gibbs, Montreal, has sold:

Seymour Ladas—White, tan head, Fox Terrier dog by Cathcart Kennels' Plumber out of Rosalie, to J. R. Buchanan, Montreal.

Elora Kennels have sold:

Elora Bob—Black, white and tan Beagle dog, whelped March 4th, 1894, by Elora Drummer out of Bell of Shandon, to P. Palmer, Creek Bank, Ont.

Elora Fiddler—White and tan Beagle dog, whelped May 4th, 1894, by Elora Trueboy out of Young Blue Bell, to Ed. Cushing, Goldstone, Ont.

Music—Blue ticked Beagle bitch, whelped 1892, pedigree unknown, to T. Mitchell, Rothsay, Ont.

Elora Trombone—Black, white and tan Beagle dog, whelped July 21st, 1894, by Elora Drummer out of Elora Blue Bell, to B. A. Fox, Moore's, Pa.

Elora Tuneful—Black, white and tan bitch, same litter, to same.

Elora Doctor—Black, white and tan Beagle dog, whelped Aug. 17th, 1894, by Elora Drummer out of Honest May Belle, to same.

Elora Lucy—Black, white and tan Beagle bitch, whelped Sept. 17th, 1894, by Elora Drummer out of Bell of Shandon, to same.

Cathcart Kennels have sold:

Two dog puppies by Plumber—Nettle, to E. Price, Wolsely Barracks.

Dog puppy, same litter, to A. Converse, Quebec.

London Clipper, C.K.R., by Plumber—London Rose, to H. Roy, Ottawa.

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Princess Maud—Scion Lomond—Dec. 26th, 1894, Mr. R. R. Oesterich's St. Bernard bitch Princess Maud to J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond (Lord Melrose—Alani).

Princess Dora—Scion Lomond—Feb. 27th, 1895, Mr. H. Myrrick's St. Bernard bitch Princess Dora to J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond (Lord Melrose—Alani).

Lady La Belle—Scion Lomond—Jan. 7th, 1895, Mr. A. Langutt's St. Bernard bitch Lady la Belle to J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond (Lord Melrose—Alani).

Maud—Scion Lomond—Jan. 25th, 1895, Mr. Edward Andrew's St. Bernard bitch Maud to J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond (Lord Melrose—Alani).

Nell—Scion Lomond—March 12th, 1895, Mr. George Finsell's St. Bernard bitch Nell to J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond (Lord Melrose—Alani).

Lalla Rookh—Duke of Wellington, II., Feb. 8th, 1895, Osborne Kennels (Mrs. Pitt) St. Bernard bitch Lalla Rookh C.K.C. 1891 bred to Mr. T. S. Vipond's Duke of Wellington II C.K.C. 1393.

Little Nell—Reuben—Feb. 3rd, 1895, Osborne Kennels (Mrs. Pitt) Blenheim Spaniel bitch Little Nell, imported, to Reuben A.K.C.S.B. 34110 of Ruby Kennels, Worcester, Mass.

Rideau Rill—Corktown Cupid—On Jan. 4 and 5, 1895, E. Goodall's, Ottawa, Ont., black Cocker bitch Rideau Rill (Bob Obo—Cleo) to Corktown Kennels' Corktown Cupid (Obo Jr.—Dot Smirle).

Dot—Corktown Cupid—On Jan. 30th and 31st, W. J. McGrath's, Ottawa, Ont., black Cocker bitch Dot (Major—Tip) to Corktown Kennels' Corktown Cupid (Obo—Dot Smirle).

Dot Smirle—Red Obo—On Feb. 15th, 1895, Corktown Kennels' Ottawa, Ont., black field Spaniel bitch Dot Smirle (Bob Obo—Tough) to T. McK. Robertson's Red Obo (Red Roland—Devon Beauty).

Enone—Nerve—On Feb. 15th, 1895, Corktown Kennels', Ottawa, Ont., black Cocker bitch Enone (Obo Jr.—Tough) to Dr. S. S. Davidson's Nerve (Ch. Othello—Desdemona).

Nellie—Beverwyck Kingpin—Jan. 25th, 1895, Mr. H. Piper's, Toronto, smooth Fox Terrier bitch Nellie, to Mr. A. A. Macdonald's Beverwyck Kingpin.

Tinker—Beverwyck Kingpin—C. Shannon's, Kingston, smooth Fox Terrier bitch Tinker to A. A. Macdonald's Beverwyck Kingpin, November 16th.

Beverwyck Twinkle—Beverwyck Kingpin—A. A. Macdonald's smooth Fox Terrier bitch Beverwyck Twinkle to owner's Beverwyck Kingpin, Dec. 13th.

Bonaly Breda—Dark Eye—A. A. Macdonald's smooth Fox Terrier bitch Bonaly Breda to owner's Dark Eye, Dec. 17th.

Aldon Blue Bonnie—Beverwyck Kingpin—A. A. Macdonald's wire-haired Fox Terrier bitch Aldon Blue Bonnie to owner's Beverwyck Kingpin, Dec. 26th.

Dark Eye—F. Mabey's, Toronto, wire-haired Fox Terrier bitch — to A. A. Macdonald's Dark Eye, Dec. 21st, 1894.

Aldon Vigilant—Dark Eye—A. A. Macdonald's wire-haired Fox Terrier bitch Aldon Vigilant to owner's Dark Eye, Jan. 11th, 1895.

Beverwyck Kingpin—Mr. H. Piper's, Toronto, smooth Fox Terrier bitch — to A. A. Macdonald's Beverwyck Kingpin, Jan. 25th, 1895.

Gypsy Nell—Beverwyck Kingpin—S. R. Jones', Toronto, smooth Fox Terrier bitch Gypsy Nell to A. A. Macdonald's Beverwyck Kingpin, Feb. 11th, 1895.

WHELPED.

Lady Rosa—Still in the Ring—On Nov. 13, H. P. Thomas', Belleville, Cocker bitch Lady Rosa, seven (five dogs), to Geo. Bell's Still in the Ring.

Fosta—Tip Obo—Jan. 6th, 1895, H. P. Thomas', Belleville, black Cocker bitch Fosta, five (three dogs), to his Tip Obo.

Chippy—Corktown Cupid—On Oct. 8th, 1894, J. F. Garrou's, Ottawa, Ont., black Cocker bitch Chippy (Tip Obo—Gypsey), five, by Corktown Kennels' Corktown Cupid (Obo Jr.—Dot Smirle).

Frisco—Prince—On Dec. 10th, L. Loy's, Columbus, O., Maltese Terrier Frisco, five (two dogs), by Wheeler's Prince.

Flirt—Plumber—On Jan. 12th, 1895, Alexander Gibbs', Montreal, Fox Terrier bitch Flirt, four dogs, by Cathcart Kennels' Plumber.

Skye—Gleniffer—On Jan. 19th, 1895, Alexander Gibbs', Montreal, Skye Terrier bitch Skye, four (three dogs), by Wm. Hall's Gleniffer.

Lady la Belle—Scion Lomond—On March 10, 1895, Mr. A. Langutt's, Detroit, St. Bernard bitch Lady la Belle, four dogs, two bitches by J. C. Guillot's Scion Lomond.



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