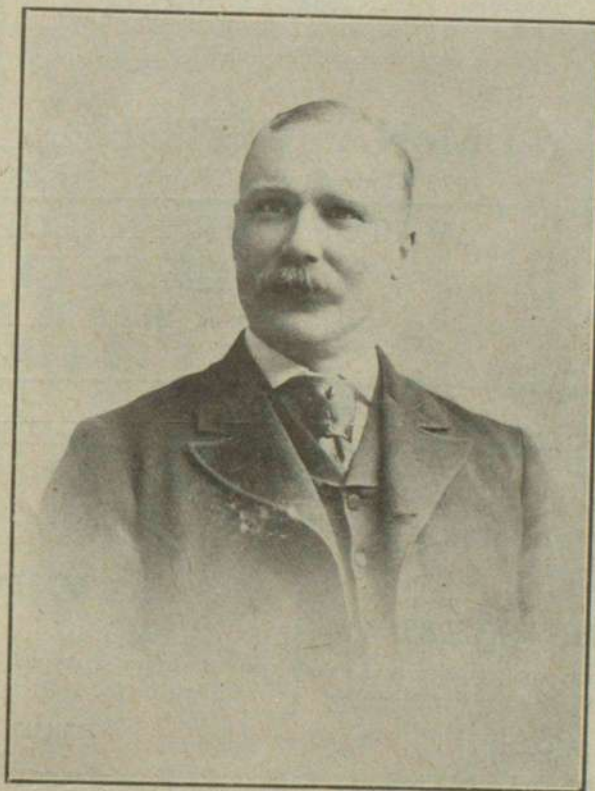


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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We have the honor of announcing to our readers that His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, has consented to allow his name to be enrolled as the patron of this club.

We are indeed fortunate in having the name of such an important personage on our list and feel sure that one and all will realize the great benefit the dog fancy will derive by having a representative of the Crown as a patron of the Canadian Kennel Club.

Members are requested to notice the date, time and place of our next general meeting and make an effort to be present, as matters of importance are to be discussed.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Board of Directors meet at 8 p.m. in the offices of the Club, 774½ Yonge Street, Toronto, on May 1st, 1917.

A GENERAL MEETING will be held in the offices of the Club, on Tuesday, May 22nd, 1917 commencing at 8 p.m. sharp.

Important to Breeders

All litters born after January 1st, 1916, must be reported to the Canadian National Live Stock Records within 60 days of date of birth, otherwise individual registration will be refused. Forms for the purpose supplied on application.

After January 1st, 1917, only the produce of recorded sires and dams will be eligible for registration. Be governed accordingly.

Individual pups of a litter with unrecorded sire and dam placed on record will be eligible for registration this year. After January 1st, 1917, only produce of recorded sires and dams will be eligible.

Dogs out of bitches recorded in the Canadian Kennel Club Stud Book which are sent over to the United States to be bred will be eligible for registration providing the sires are recorded in the American Kennel Club Stud Book in the name of the party who certifies to the service.

When a pure-bred dog is sold, to go to the United States, the vendor should fill in an application for transfer of ownership, and forward it with the

certificate of registration, along with the necessary fee for transfer, to the National Live Stock Records, Ottawa. The name of the purchaser will be endorsed on the back of the certificate, which should then be sent to the purchaser.

GET FAMILIAR WITH THE DOG SHOW RULES

This is to You

Breeders and dog lovers when buying that new dog, be sure that if it is registered, that it is transferred in your name before the next show you are showing at, as there is a fine of \$1.00 imposed in the Canadian Kennel Club Rules and Regulations, VI., "When the name of the exhibitor differs from that under which it was registered." Also, when making your entries, be sure that you enter correctly in every detail.

If there are any of our readers who are still in doubt regarding the procedure of registration, we shall be pleased to explain every detail to them if they will call or write either to this office or to the National Live Stock Records, Ottawa, where all information can be obtained.

Our Front Page Illustration

The subject of our front page illustration needs little or no introduction, his position as First Vice President of the parent body, The Canadian Kennel Club, and for many years President of the Toronto Kennel Club, are ample proof of what the fancy think of his sterling traits.

Mr. Atkinson is a Yorkshireman by birth, a true sportsman in every sense of the word, a gentleman of numerous business activities and a staunch friend of the fanciers.

For many years he represented the cage-bird section on the Canadian National Exhibition Board and officiated as superintendent and secretary of many of our successful dog shows, and a more painstaking, enthusiastic and conscientious official it would be hard to find.

Mr. Atkinson's canine tastes have not covered a wide field of breeds, having devoted his energies to nothing but Fox Terriers, hence, he has an excellent knowledge of this breed and had often been requested to act as judge of his favorite variety, but we only remember him officiating in that capacity on one occasion, and that was "on pressure." He has imported, bred and exhibited many fine specimens, but space forbids me to elaborate on them.

Our subject's activities have not been confined to breeding and exhibiting dogs, for he has gone further afield and embraced officialism with a zest and success that makes him an administrator of no mean order.

NOTICE.

Any of our readers who have complaints to make regarding the registration of pedigrees, etc., will confer a favor on the Complaint Committee by sending in their matter in a concise and brief form. Long drawnout epistles are unnecessary and take up valuable time. Just state your troubles in as concrete form as possible and keep to the point.

HASTY HOMAGE, THE SENSATIONAL WIRE FOX TERRIER, COMES TO CANADA

The following is a cutting from "Our Dogs" regarding this new arrival:

Mr. Chris. Houlker has, we learn, just sold his sensational Wirehaired young home-bred dog, Hasty Homage, to our Scottish-Daschund friend frae Edinburgh, Mr. Wm. R. Aitken, now of Montreal. Hasty Homage is only 13 months old now, but has, with few opportunities, "made history" in the show ring, and has lowered the colors of many swell youngsters. His most sensational feat, probably, was at the Penistone Agricultural Show in the autumn, where, under no less authorities than Messrs. J. J. Holgate and H. Croft, he annexed eight firsts and a special or two. He is bred "in the purple," being a son of Ch. Collarbone of Notts, his dam being by Ch. Catch 'Em of Notts.

This promising youngster arrived safe and sound, and should be a valuable asset to Mr. Aitken's strong team of Wires. For a puppy he has a remarkable record on the show bench, having defeated many of the top-notchers on the other side under such judges as Messrs. Glynn, Reper, Cook, and Crabtree. His wonderful record stamps him as being in the first flight and we may safely predict a continuance of his successes on this side of the ocean.

One of his kennel-mates in his new home will be the old favorite Ch. Hawes Broom, who is just as fit as ever, acts like a puppy and retains all his old fire and vim. He is without doubt one of our most popular stud dogs and has probably sired more winners than any other Wire in this country.

Another inmate of these kennels who is making his mark at stud is Leeds Idol. At the last show held in Montreal his progeny were all in the money and he himself captured first in limit and open. With such a team of stud dogs and the high class matrons we may expect "big doings" in the future from these kennels. Mr. Aitken does not confine his attention to Fox Terriers alone, for beside these he owns the grand team of Dachshunds and Scotties, including the recently imported bitch Sheela Gala, a big winner and sister to Ch. Elwyn Adam.

Our Mail Bag

The following is a letter received from one of our readers in Vancouver, B. C. We shall be pleased to publish any reply to same that will help to solve our Western fancier's request. Editor, Kennel and Bench:

Dear Sir—

In the English Standard for Bull Terriers I see that dogs who are marked behind the set on of head are disqualified. I also see that according to the American Standard for that breed that markings behind the set on of the head are a handicap and not a disqualification. What I want to know is this: Can a dog who is marked on the body win in its class in a show in this country held under Canadian Kennel Club rules? The reason I ask this is because in this country there are numerous judges who follow the English Standard for all breeds, and then again you occasionally meet judges who are following the Standard set down by the various Specialty Clubs in U. S. A. If there was a Bull Terrier specialty club in this country I would have addressed this letter of enquiry to their secretary, but as there is not any that I am aware of, I take the liberty of referring this letter to Kennel & Bench. Maybe on enquiry through the columns of your publication would cause a little discussion on the subject amongst the various breeders in Canada.

G. E. H.

NOTICE.

We wish to call the attention of the fanciers that all registrations, transfers, duplicate certificates, copies of pedigrees, registration of litters; prefix, affix and kennel names, annual renewal of the last three named, and membership fees, should be sent direct to Ottawa, thus saving delay as they have to be forwarded by Toronto Office. Remember that when writing to Live Stock Record Department, no postage is needed not even for registered matter.

OUR LONDON LETTER

Under the title of "War Worn Dogs," "The Times" publishes a very interesting account of the part some dogs have played in the present war, of which I am giving here some extracts.

War dogs—dogs who have been in the fighting on land and sea—are frequently arriving from abroad, and many are passed on to the Backbridge premises of the Dogs' Home (Battersea) for the quarantine period. The most interesting occupant of the kennels at present is a fox terrier, the companion of General Townshend through the siege of Kut. The dog was in poor condition when landed, but there is every indication that when, next month, he leaves his place of internment he will be in perfect health. Happy days are in store for him under Lady Townshend's care. A kennel-mate for the dog from Kut is a survivor of the sinking of the *Arabia*. A naval captain's big black retriever is home after going through fire and water in the Near East. He bears scars inflicted by enemy bullets. Two fine bull-terriers at the Home have not seen their masters for over two years. The men are prisoners of war in Germany. Some fine dogs from the Vosges, of a semi-wolfish breed, have also taken up temporary residence at Backbridge. Others there saw the conquering of Togoland. Of one it is told how he was captured in German East Africa just as a native was leading him away to be cooked for dinner.

The reading of the above "Times" account reminds me of the fact that dogs will certainly occupy a beautiful page in the history of the present war, and surely our brave four-footed auxiliaries will not, in sagacity, fidelity and valour be behind their predecessors of whom history and legend speak volumes.

The Armorican chanters have chanted the high deeds of the dog Cavall the hunting companion of the King Arthur on the moors of Tintagel and in the woods of Caerlion where the King of the Round Table hunted the wolf and the wild-boar. Cavall had left the mark of his foot on a certain rock which remained as famous in Breconshire as the mark of the foot of St. Mildred in the isle of

Thanet or that of the camel of Mahomet at Mecca. One of the Breconshire mountains near the town of Rhagader-Gwy, is still known under the name of "Carn-Cavall," and in order to preserve the memory of the hunt where Cavall triumphed over the famous boar of Froynt, Lady Charlotte Guest had engraved the reproduction on one of the stones of the mountain in question, on which an oval notching so resembles the mark of a dog's foot that one is forced to recognize there the origin of the tradition. It is not known whether Cavall had been buried under this mausoleum, or whether he had followed King Arthur to the enchanted isle of Avalon. He merited to have been admitted to the same heaven as his master.

In different parts of Scotland are found several monuments relating to another hero of the canine species, the dog Bran, the companion of Fingal. This dog was gigantic in size, if one may judge same from the rocks called "The Pillars of Bran," to which he had to be fastened during the combat his master has had with a Danish chief, in the neighbourhood of the Castle of Dunolly. The final disappearance of Bran was as mysterious as that of Cavall. An Irish legend has it that, after having for many hours pursued a stag, as white as snow, he jumped after him into the lake of the County of Clare. The stag disappeared as soon as he had touched the water, and a beautiful woman appeared in its place, and, putting the hand on the head of the dog, she dragged him into the abyss. The rock from which the dog jumped into the water is called "Craig-a-Bran," and the whole countryside bears the name of "Fiarnach-Bran," the seigniory of Bran. In the county of Sutherland can also be seen a "Cairn-Bran," and the Gaelic tradition has it that Bran had died there and had been buried there after a furious fight with Ilcorp, a dog belonging to a Sutherland chieftain, whose heart Fingal tore out in order to avenge the death of his dog.

In the sagas of the North the Irish Wolfhound is shown as the companion of Olais, Tinars, Kiartans, in their rocky grottoes or on the deck of their "sea-dragons." A worthy emulator of

Samr was Kiki, the dog of Olaf Trygvason, that gloomy Norwegian king who had been the first to try to introduce Christianity at the point of the sword among the savage shoremen of the sea. What shall I say about the marvellous Saner, which, as the old Snorro has it, had been made king of Drontheim! Saner possessed the sagacity of three men, and when he barked he said one word, and barked two! He had a collar and a chain of gold and silver, and his "courtiers" carried him in their arms when the weather and the roads were bad! Was Saner devoured by wolves? This is one of the obscure points of the legend.

Cruft's great championship show (on the 7th, 8th and 9th of February), has been and gone. Unfortunately it was not as great a success as it usually is, although the general quality of the exhibits was good. The number of entries was 2,500, i.e., about one thousand less than in pre-war times. Several circumstances had contributed to the diminution in entries, but the principle is, of course, the war. The attendance also left much to be desired. One of the Kennel Club's Ambulance Cars was exhibited and attracted a great deal of attention, as it well deserved. "The Times" of the 9th February contained a somewhat "sarcastical" "review" of Cruft's Show, of which I give here some extracts, which will no doubt amuse your readers.

"There were dogs named in..... strange fashion. It must be one of the most fascinating branches of dog-fancying, this choosing of names..... There is a large, heavy-jowled hound there too, the living presentment of a well-known statesman..... Round these benches one is struck with the number of familiar faces. These dogs are human in more sense than one. They are, some of them, the counterpart of men and women one knows. There was a delightful Irish Water Spaniel. He looked Irish..... He sat there with a twinkle in his brown eyes, and when he was taken for a walk along the hall the only other animal that he showed a tendency to fraternise with was a small dachshund of sad aspect. The Dachshunds looked sad. One of them watched the judging of the bulldogs from a safe distance, and made audible and Teutonic comment. Another, naturalized, no doubt, paraded openly with a flaunting

bow of red, white and blue ribbons. A year or two ago these foreigners would have been called Blucher Beauty or Frankfurter Wurst. To-day they have English names, more English than the Bulldogs and the Fox Terriers..... There are no exhibits from the Royal kennels for the first time for years, and those that do exhibit should see a portent as well as an example in this..... There is a sad time coming for the house dog. He is all that is claimed for him. He is companionable, but this quality outweighs his usefulness. We are not Maoris that we should use him in any other way, for the Maoris kept a breed of dogs purely for food purposes. Indeed it was the only animal on four feet, with the exception of the rat, that they had to eat, so they made a study of fattening him. In the meantime owners of dogs must set their kennels in order.

G. HOROWITZ.

51 Knighton Park Road,
Sydenham, London, S. E.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Our readers will be pleased to hear that our leading canine specialist, J. A. Campbell, V.S., has promised to supply us with a series of articles on the most prevalent diseases of the dog. Coming, as they do, from one who has had a life-long experience as a breeder, exhibitor, veterinarian, and one of our staunchest supporters in the dog game, they should prove invaluable to the fanciers.

The doctor has made it a point to mingle with breeders so as to familiarize himself with the peculiarities of the various breeds, and thereby acquired an experience that is not possessed by many members of his profession.

The first of these articles will commence in our next issue and will appear from time to time as space permits.

COMING EVENTS

The Bulldog Breeders' Association have fixed the date for their annual specialty show and the secretary and officials are now hard at work making arrangements for what is (expected to be) the largest specialty show held by the association. Further particulars will appear later in these columns.

KENNEL AND VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Questions relating to the treatment of ailing dogs MUST be addressed to the editor of "Kennel & Bench" and must reach us no later than the last mail at the end of each month, if answer is to appear in next issue. Advice to breeders in this column is free of charge.

ADVICE BY MAIL—Where an urgent reply is requested a fee of \$1.50 must be enclosed with letter to the editor.

Post Mortem Examinations—

Carcasses for examination MUST be sent prepaid to Dr. J. A. Campbell, 8 Edward St., Toronto. A fee of \$2.00 MUST accompany the carcass in all cases, or else it will be destroyed without examination.

Questions must be brief. In every case breed, sex, age and conditions observed should be given; proper name and address must be given (not for publication), also nom de plume over which he wishes questions answered. J. F., London, Ont.

Q.—I have an Irish Setter eight months old. He appears to have a deformed mouth. It's upper jaw overlaps the lower nearly an inch, with the result that the two big teeth of the lower jaw have made holes in the flesh of the roof of the mouth. It is unable to close its mouth and there is a constant flow of saliva over the lips.

(a) Is there anything that can be done to remedy this?

(b) Does the dog suffer? Will it interfere with him as a show dog?

A. Have a veterinary surgeon chloroform the dog and cut off with a strong pair of bone cutters the offending teeth, or he may use of pair of blacksmith's pinchers. Then smooth down any ragged edges with a fine file. If this is not done the teeth will grow much longer before he gets older, and the suffering will increase. Being overshot is a very objectionable feature from a show point of view. J. M. L., Toronto.

Q. I have a Boston dog just over a year old that has a red growth about the size of a pea inside of one eye, which has been there for the past three months. I bathed it regularly with cold tea and boracic acid lotion without any improvement.

A. The growth is a third eyelid

which has been displaced and enlarged by irritation for some time. This trouble is a common occurrence with Bostons and Bulldogs. Medicinal treatment is of no avail. It must be cut out. This should be done by a veterinary surgeon or a physician, under the influence of cocaine. There is no danger of injury to the eye if the dog is securely held. In some cases a blue film covers the eye while the growth is present, but soon disappears after the operation if bathed with ordinary boracic acid solution. W. H., Alliston.

Q. One of my Foxhounds about four years old that was in the best of condition suddenly took what seemed to be a fit. It became quite stiff and lay panting. It did this about half a dozen times and then died. I feel sure that he must have been poisoned. Could anything have been done to save him?

A. There is not a doubt that it was strychnine poisoning that killed your dog. You might have been able to save him if you had got him to vomit the contents of the stomach. Usually in such cases medical assistance is not at hand, and until that can be obtained the dog should be immediately made to vomit. Two very good household remedies are ordinary table salt or mustard. A dessertspoonful of either in half a pint of warm water. If results are not obtained in ten minutes, repeat. It is very essential that a dog with strychnine poisoning should be kept as quiet as possible as any noise or interference aggravate the symptoms. F. S., Vancouver.

Q. What is the treatment for fits in half-grown puppies. I breed Boston terriers and have had several die when they are about six months old.

A. The fits may be due to teething troubles or worms. If the former have all loose puppy teeth removed and give them large bones to gnaw at. If worms are suspected, treat for same. Feed twice daily, meat, bread and vegetables, 1-3 each and avoid excitement. H. W., Balmoral, Man.

Q. I have an old cocker spaniel that has not been well for some time. His appetite is very changeable, drinks lots of water and often vomits after eating and at times becomes very

bloated. What can be done for him?

A. Symptoms indicate chronic indigestion. Give two tablespoonfuls of castor oil and a few hours afterwards commence giving the following mixture:

Acid Hydrochlor Dil...one drachm
Tinct. Capsicumhalf drachm
Liq. Bismuthtwo drachms
Waterup to four ounces*

Give a teaspoonful of this mixture four times a day. Try feeding minced cooked tripe and bread crumbs; two light feeds a day.

ENGLAND BARS DOG SHOWS

Importations of Dogs to This Country May Be Increased

Another instance of the way in which the war has affected the dog-breeding industry in England is furnished by the news just received here that the last championship show of a series, which practically began as long ago as 1877, was held in Manchester on Feb. 28, under the management of the Collie Club. In referring to this The Field says:

We hope the resumption of shows that really matter will not be long delayed, for as a season—which is already regarded as one of the slackest on record—advances it is more apparent than ever that the industry of dog breeding for profit or for pleasure has received a blow which is really stunning by the restrictions imposed in accordance with the edicts of the Board of Trade. One does not want to say much one way or the other, but the seriousness of the present position must be realized by all thinking men and women, and assenting to one or the other of the schemes for the establishment of shows which shall be attractive throughout a time which must be deadly dull is an action not unlike a drowning man catching at a straw.

For some time the reports from the other side indicated that the war had interfered seriously with the showing of dogs, and for that reason Americans have been able to purchase richly bred animals at lower prices than heretofore. The abandonment of championship shows is likely to still further bear the market for dogs abroad with the probability that the importations to this country will be larger and better than in previous years.

COMING EVENTS

The Montreal Kennel Association

The members and executive are certainly to be congratulated for the rejuvenation of the dog game in Montreal and vicinity. To hold five members' shows and four open shows in sixteen months is somewhat of a record. The next open bench show, under Canadian Kennel Club rules, will be held Friday and Saturday, May 18 and 19, in the Coliseum Hall, Guy Street, under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire. Coincident with the acceptance of His Excellency to become patron of the association comes the intimation that the M. K. A. have decided to donate the entire profits of this show to the benefit of the Wounded Soldiers' Association. This is as it should be and may success crown their efforts.

The following judges have been selected to officiate: Mr. Geo. W. Quintard, Mr. M. S. Baldwin and Dr. J. E. DeMund. With such an array of talent success seems assured, for all these gentlemen are able to give an expert opinion on the merits or demerits of your dogs without fear or favor. From the number of enquiries received already the club feels assured of an exceptionally heavy entry, and it would not be a big surprise if over 500 dogs are benched, thus making it a four point show. It will be a great opportunity for owners looking for championship points. This show will eclipse any heretofore held, not only in point of numbers, but because there may be several coming champions unearthed. The members of the M. K. A. have been very much alive and besides having some good home-bred ones, a goodly number have been imported. There are many dark ones and, be it said, there may be some startling upsets.

Specialty clubs have responded nobly to the request for specials and the number and value of local specials donated is already, like the show, "par excellence." Cups and trophies there are in abundance, a good many of the fifty dollar kind, and the money prizes which have been arranged in each class should suit the most fastidious. Some of the cups and trophies are to be

won two or three times, some open to all, others open only to members of the M. K. A. In regard to the latter, it may just be mentioned it would be worth while to be a member if only to have the opportunity to get a string on some of the valuable prizes to be awarded. Premium lists and entry forms may be obtained from the Secretary, W. Holmes, 52 Melrose Ave., N. D. G., Montreal. It is to be hoped all fanciers will respond with as many entries as possible. During these times of stress our pockets are touched both good and often. But it must be remembered we cannot do too much and we shall all of us be glad when the profits are counted up to find that our dog-loving friends have responded to the call on behalf of a noble cause.

Canadian National Exhibition Dog Show

Mr. E. T. Milburn has been appointed Chairman of the Dog Show Committee, and Mr. Fred W. Jacobi, Secretary and Superintendent.

Increased prize money will be offered in the limit and open classes.

The prize money in the various classes is as follows:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Variety Classes ..	15.00	8.00	5.00	2.00
Puppy Classes ..	7.00	5.00	2.00	
Junior Classes ..	8.00	5.00	2.00	
Novice Classes ..	8.00	5.00	2.00	
Limit Classes ..	9.00	5.00	2.00	
Open Classes ..	10.00	6.00	3.00	
All other classes	8.00	5.00	2.00	

Mr. A. Clinton Wilmerding, New York, N.Y., will judge Sporting Spaniels, and Mr. C. H. Mower, Burlington, Vt., Boston Terriers. Other judicious appointments will be announced in a later issue.

CORRECTION

An error crept into our write-up of Mrs. H. E. Short's Variety Kennels on page 17 of our January and February issue. We credit her with shipping one dog and one bitch to the Melita Kennels of Seattle, Wash. It transpires that the bitch was the only one to leave for the well-known Melita Kennels.

Our Recent Shows

TORONTO KENNEL CLUB'S EVENING SHOW

This club held the last of their evening shows for the season in the Broadway Hall on March 6th, and it proved to be just as successful as its predecessors. The hall was packed with an interesting throng of fanciers and the classes were so well filled that the judges had to do some tall hustling to get through their work the same evening.

Boston Terriers showed up well and Judge Beaumont had some real hot classes to adjudicate. Many promising youngsters were brought out that should be heard of later, the pick of these being Mr. Ingram's New York winner Little Woman, who went through her classes with ease, being followed in the open by Mr. Levack's Dolly Rex and Mr. Wannen's Queenie. In the dog section Little Pete, owned by Mr. Levack, asserted himself by winning 1st limit and open, his nearest rival being Mr. Brennan's Derby Speed. Another promising youngster worthy of mention was Mr. C. McQuillan's Clifton Ginger, who was top-dog in a well-filled novice class. Bulldogs made a fair show and Mr. Bert Preston's awards were well received. Puppy novice and limit classes brought out our most promising young stock, while the open class saw Mr. H. A. Wilson's Coster Diamond 1st, Mr. H. Holgate's King Moston 2nd, and Mr. Munson's Bill Louvain 3rd. In the classes for the opposite sex, Mr. Giles' Sunny Morn went through her classes, followed by Mr. Gordan's Queenie Girl.

Bull Terriers—The task of judging this section was allotted to the old-timer, "Inferno" John Miles. In bitches, Mr. J. Foster's Walnut Cheeky headed the poll in limit and open. Next in order came Mr. Cruise's Belle. Mr. Odell brought out a dog pup of promise in Charlswood Jasper, who was placed 1st puppy and 2nd in the remaining classes, being defeated by Mr. F. Cole's Garry Owen.

Cocker Spaniel made a small but select group and were carefully judged by Mr. F. W. Whittemore. Mr. P. Herd showed a good tri-color dog in Lord Clyde, who won his classes and was afterwards special for best dog in show owned and bred by exhibitor.

Another classy dog in this section was the black dog Captain Scott, owned by Mr. T. Huckle, who accounted for three firsts and special for best novice in show. There were several nice bitches present, the winner in limit and open being Mr. Foster's Lady Pungan.

Toys—The judging of this section was left in the capable hands of Mr. J. McNaughton, who commenced with Poms. Mr. Waggatt's rich orange dog Gleniffer Model was an easy winner, followed in the open class by Mr. Eyden's Sailor Prince. In bitches, Mr. G. Ward brought out a typical shaded sable in Charm of Beauty, who not only won her classes with ease but "charmed" the judges into giving her the cup for the best dog or bitch in the show, any breed. Mr. W. McPhearson showed two good ones in Wee Meg and Eye Bright.

Pekingese saw Mrs. H. A. Wilson's imported dog Noswal Neto on top, Mrs. Delaney achieving a like result in Toy Black and Tans with Gay Boy. Mrs. R. Card showed a nice coated Maltese female in Emer De Malta, who won the open class.

POMERANIAN CLUB OF CANADA

This club held their annual evening show, open to all breeds, in the Broadway Hall, Toronto, on March 27th. An excellent classification and large list of Specials brought out a huge entry, including many of our best specimens. The attendance was a record one and the energetic secretary and officials deserve great credit for the excellent arrangements. These pleasant evening shows have come to stay and are doing much in helping to swell the ranks of the fanciers. Each show brings out new fanciers, new judges, and new dogs, who in time will be figuring in our big events. Poms, Collies, Boston Terriers, and Bulldogs made the largest sections with a fair sprinkling of Toys. The larger breeds were lacking in numbers. Mrs. Walker was the judge elect for Poms and her awards were well received. Mr. J. McNaughton's good black dog Defender accounted for 1st Open Blacks. Mrs. Brigg's good bitch Little Gem being 1st in Bitches, same color. Mr. J. Waggett showed a good brace of rich orange, in Gleniffer Model and

Lily Sunflower, the former winning 1st Open in the class for that color, and the latter 1st Open Bitches. Mrs. Eyden's Sailor Prince was an easy winner in Open Choc. Dogs. Mr. Nightingale's Cumberland Pride accomplished the same in bitches. Mr. Johnson's Zetland Pride made a good showing, winning 1st Puppy and 1st Novice in big class. McNaughton's Defender won the cup for best Toy in show. Cumberland Pride won Special and Reserve.

Collies with the expert J. D. Strachan as judge, brought out a big entry, Mr. G. Ashbee's Ch. Campbell Sterling being 1st Open Dogs, followed closely by the good dog Bellfield Creator, owned by Mr. J. Gray. Mrs. Newton's young dog Major did quite a lot of winning in his classes, as did Mr. Robert's Bud. The bitches were well represented, the winner in Open being Mr. D. Wheeler's Edgbaston Alice. Mr. Donaldson's Campbell Select also gave a good account of her qualities by capturing several of the blue ribbons. Mr. Mitchell's Queenie also captured several ribbons, including 1st Novice and Limit Bitches.

Campbell Sterling won Special for best Collie in show.

Boston Terriers were a nice section, the task of adjudicating this breed was left in the capable charge of G. A. Beaumont. Open bitches saw Mr. Warren's Quennie G. on top, followed by Mr. Brennan's Virginia Girl, who was also second in Novice, being defeated by Mr. E. Scott's Queenie. The dog classes were not so well filled, the Open Class saw Mr. Henderson's Clifton Chummie first, Mrs. Graham's Bumble Bee second and Mr. Knipe's Shongs third.

Capt. C. S. McDonald made his initial bow as a judge of Cocker Spaniels. Amongst the most prominent winners in this variety was Mr. F. Lewis' Calmo Perfecto, 1st Open Black, the same owner's dog Lucky Deever, being first in Open Parti-Color. Mr. Bowerbank's Paderewski was the winner in Open Red dogs, the most prominent winner in bitches being Mr. W. E. Mitchell's Lady Pennyann, who captured the three blues in Novice, Limit and Open.

Bulldogs turned up well and were judged by Mr. N. K. Swire. There

was a good entry of bitches, Mr. Gaull's Sandfield Muggins going right through her classes from Puppy to Open, followed by Mrs. Anderson's Vixen Lily and Mr. Gordon's Queenie Girl. In the Open class the latter was dropped for Stone Wall Ruby, owned by Mr. Hayball, the same owner's King George being first in Novice Lightweight dogs, but was beaten in the Open by H. A. Wilson's Coster Diamond. The Open Heavyweight dogs was won by Mr. H. Holgate's King Jack, who was awarded special for best Bulldog.

The task of judging Toys was allotted to our old friend Mr. John Kenyon. Pekingese brought out a fair entry, Mrs. Matthew's Ching Chewn being first puppy and the same owner's Fee Ching 1st Limit and Open bitches, Mrs. Farmer's Ising winning the Open dogs, Mrs. Delaney's Toy Black and Tans Gay Boy and Wild Rose winning Open Dogs and Bitches. Toy Spaniels saw Mr. Wigger's Punch on top, followed by Mr. Channing's Devonshire Lad. Other breeds were badly represented.

The judge for all other breeds was the all-rounder Mr. J. Waggett. Unfortunately this section was badly supported. Mr. Routley showed a good Russian Wolfhound in Nicklos. In Bull Terriers, Mr. Foster had an easy win with Walnut Cheeky. Mr. Mouney's Irish Molly did likewise in Irish Terriers, while the Airedales saw Mrs. Murray's Skibo first in Novice and Limit.

The special for best in the show fell to Mr. D. Wheeler's Collie Edgebaston Alice, and special for best of opposite sex to Mr. F. Lewis' Cocker Spaniel.

ONTARIO COLLIE CLUB

This club held another of their successful evening shows in Toronto on March 12th. It was bigger and better than ever, more dogs, more fanciers and more evidence that the Collie is becoming one of our popular varieties. Amongst the many reasons for this activity is the fact that the club is well organized and conducted by a staff of officials who interest themselves in the club and its members. Each and everyone is doing his best and doing it well, hence the reason for this advancement in the cult of the Collie.

The judge for this event was the secretary of the club, Mr. F. Metcalfe, our leading authority on the breed. All the classes were well filled and the awards were as follows:

Puppy dogs under six months—1st, W. J. Rowe's Campbell Style; 2nd, G. Newton's Major; 3rd, Mr. Robert's Bud.

Puppy dogs under twelve months—1st, Mr. D. Wheeler's Willow Charm; 2nd, Campbell Style; 3rd, Major.

Junior dogs—1st, Mr. Everett's Lord Cavendish; 2nd, C. A. Rosevear's Otterburn Rodger; 3rd, F. V. Viveash's Campbell's McGregor.

Novice—1st, Lord Cavendish; 2nd, Bud; 3rd, Otterburn Rodger.

Limit dogs—1st, C. Gray's Billfield Creator; 2nd, Mr. Weyme's Prince Charlie; 3rd, Lord Cavendish.

Open dogs—1st, J. D. Strachan's Coltness Clinker; 2nd, Bellfield Creator; 3rd, Prince Charlie.

Green class dogs—1st, Campbell Style; 2nd, Major; 3rd, G. Jones Monteith.

Canadian-bred open dogs—1st, Prince Charlie; 2nd, A. E. Watson's Orion Prince; 3rd, S. H. Taylor's Bonnie Laddie.

Canadian-bred junior dogs—1st, Lord Cavendish; 2nd, Mr. Mayall's Boy; 3rd, Otterburn Rodger.

Breeders' dogs—1st, Lord Cavendish.

Puppy bitches under six months—1st, W. H. Taylor's Daisy; 2nd, J. Donaldson's Flossie.

Puppy bitches under twelve months—1st, G. Whichello's Queenie; 2nd, F. Frear's Crescent Perfection; 3rd, Mr. Tomlinson's Tango Topsy.

Junior bitches—1st, Mr. Donaldson's Campbell Select; 2nd, Queenie; 3rd, Crescent Perfection.

Novice bitches—1st, Queenie; 2nd, Crescent Perfection; 3rd, Mr. Carter's Princess Jessie.

Limit bitches—1st, J. D. Strachan's Coltness Kim; 2nd, Queenie; 3rd, C. Willis' Vie Perfection.

Open bitches—1st, Campbell Select; 2nd, Coltness Kim; 3rd, Queenie.

Green class—1st, H. Everett's Princess Topsy.

Canadian-bred bitches, open—1st, Campbell Select; 2nd, Coltness Kim; 3rd, Queenie.

Canadian-bred junior bitches—1st, Queenie; 2nd, Coltness Jessie; 3rd, C. A. Rosevear's Dorothy.

Breeders' bitches—1st, Coltness Kim; 2nd, Princess Jessie.

Tri-color bitches—1st, Campbell's Select; 2nd, Queenie; 3rd, Princess Jessie.

Campbell Cup for best in show was won by J. D. Strachan's Coltness Clinker. Special for best junior in

show went to Mr. Donaldson's Campbell Select. Special for best puppy in show won by D. Wheeler's Willow Charm. Special for best puppy bitch, G. Whichello's Queenie. Special for best puppy dog, Mr. Rowe's Campbell Style. Special for best shown by a lady was awarded to Miss Strachan's exhibit.

BULL DOG BREEDER'S ASSOCIATION OF CANADA

This enterprising club held the last of their evening shows in Toronto on March 14th. An excellent classification brought out a nice entry for Mr. Thomas of Montreal to adjudicate. All the classes were well filled and as a fitting wind-up to these events Mr. H. A. Wilson offered for competition a valuable cup and medals for the best dog or bitch sired by the "Diamond Stud" dogs Coster Diamond and Walnut Crib. This competition was the tit-bit of the evening and brought out eight entries. The winner turned out in Vixen Lily, owned by Mr. L. G. Anderson. Mr. Hayball's Sally, reserve. The placings in other classes were as follows: Puppy Dogs—1st, Mr. Hornsby's Jellicoe; 2nd, Mr. G. Gaull's Sandfield Marquis; 3rd, Mr. Gunn's Blockade. Puppy Bitches—1st, Mr. Anderson's Vixen Lily; 2nd, Mr. Hayball's Queenie; 3rd, Mr. Gordon's Queenie Girl. Novice Dogs—1st, Mr. Munson's Bill Louvaine; 2nd, Mr. Hornsby's Jellicoe; 3rd, Mr. Gunn's Blockade. Novice Bitches—1st, Vixen Lily; 2nd, Mr. Marsden's Woodhey Duchess; 3rd, Mr. Gordon's Queenie Girl. Open Dogs—1st, Bill Louvaine; 2nd, Mr. Hornsby's Jellicoe; 3rd, Mr. Gunn's Blockade. Open Bitches—1st, Mr. H. Darrell's Miss Cheetham; 2nd, Mr. Renwick's Blue Diamond; 3rd, Mr. Anderson's Vixen Lily.

The best dog in the show, either sex, went to Mr. Darrell's Miss Cheetham.

PREFIXES

Etonian—G. E. Halliday, 3353 Eaton St., Vancouver.

Lincoln Kennels transferred from Jack McLaughlin to McLaughlin and Doig.

Duneldine—D. D. Elder, 933 Bloor W., Toronto.

Narrow Lake—R. W. Crump, Wilkie, Sask.

Imperial—J. A. Provost, Montreal, Que.

Marlborough—A. J. Lewis, Gray Creek, B. C.

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING AND BANQUET OF BULLDOG CLUB OF CANADA

The first annual meeting of the above club was held in the Queen's Hotel, Montreal, February 27th, and a very satisfactory report was made. This included a membership of nearly fifty, cash in bank well over \$100.00, one evening show, one Kennel Club show when fifty-five dogs were benched, over ten silver cups and specials given by the club to prize winners and won outright. A puppy show and sweepstake to be held in March all go to prove that the business of the club is being conducted on the right lines, and also that the club contains members who have the best interests of the breed at heart.

H. L. Thomas was re-elected President; G. A. McBean, 1st Vice; A. J. Williamson, 2nd Vice President; Robt. Mills, Treasurer; T. Rowley, Secretary. Executive Committee, Messrs. Ogden, Miller, Phillips, Almon and Francis; Veterinary Surgeon, Dr. Robinson.

A very enjoyable evening was spent when the club held its first banquet. Thirty-eight members and guests sat down to an excellently served dinner and later enjoyed a musical programme that was "a winner all the way." The principal toasts were "The King," proposed by the President; "The Army and Navy and Aerial Forces," proposed by Mr. Williamson, replied to by Lieut. Fortune; "The Lady Members," proposed by Mr. Phillips, replied to by Mr. McMahon. Mr. H. L. Thomas, in asking for the toast "Our Guests," drew attention to the fact that the policy of the club was to always, as far as possible, create amicable relations between the various canine associations, and it gave him great pleasure to know that the President, Sec-

prime factor in making the evening such a success. The following artists were present: Messrs. L. I. McMahon, Hicks, Cobb, David Rees and El'ams. A vote of thanks to the above gentlemen for the services so generously given, concluded the evening's entertainment.

T. R.

SHORT BARKS

Mr. Hayball, of Toronto, has purchased from Mr. H. Holgate, the typical Bulldog King George, a winner at Ottawa and Montreal.

Mr. G. S. Jackson, of New Glascon, has sold four Smooth Fox Terrier dog puppies to Messrs. Bailey & Cummings. These high-class youngsters are by Clapton Glegarian, out of Bluenose Maggie. The sire gave quite a creditable account of himself at the recent New York Show and the dam being an exceedingly well-bred one, predicts a great future for these new additions to the Clapton Kennels.

Lady Canuck, the Wire Fox Terrier bitch, presented her owner, Mr. Doyle, of Toronto, with six puppies by Sam Bamford's Drumclap Darkie.

Mrs. S. A. McCallum, of London, Ont., informs us that she has purchased from Mr. P. Devenny, of Sarnia, the French Bull bitch Princess Caesar" which she has mated to her stud dog Marmonte Pearre. Mrs. McCallum has also bought a very typical young female from Mr. Kelland, of Auburn, N. Y. This bitch is a granddaughter of Ch. Nellcote Yamin and Noswal Nabob. These "Frenchies" are bred in the purple and their new owner, who is a great admirer of the breed, is naturally expecting good

ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE LINE

There was an important meeting of the Executive Committee of the American Kennel Club last week at which several important cases came up for trial. One of the happenings was the reinstatement of Frank F. Dole, who had been suspended until May 13. The suspension was lifted to date from April 13.

The committee upheld the decision that the Delaware Valley Farms Kennel was entitled to the use of that name. M. M. Palmer, who owns the Valley Farms Kennel of Connecticut, objected to the Georgia fanciers taking the name which was made noteworthy by J. B. Thomas and the Russian Wolfhounds that he exhibited. Mr. Palmer says he will appeal to the American Kennel Club itself, and that if the decision is not reversed he will appeal to the courts for the protection of the kennel name which he claims to have purchased from Mr. Thomas.

The Faux Pas case, Faux Pas being the French Bulldog which C. G. Hopton declared a winner at Boston, will be re-opened on the ground of new evidence. At the last hearing Mr. Hopton's placing was changed on the ground that a veterinarian had declared the dog unsound. Since that time Faux Pas was exhibited at the Westminster Show and passed both judges and vets.

SHORT BARKS

Billy Village, the well-known Winnipeg handler and of Madison Kennel fame, has withdrawn from the Sutton Kennels, and is again flying under his

COLLIE CHATTER

By J. D. Strachan

Last month I told you "Dear Readers" how our good brother fancier, Colonel Robert McEwan, Byron, Ontario, spilled the beans at the big New York Show, with his Collie female Wishaw Queen, who went clean through to winners and "then some," by winning special for the best Collie in the show, an achievement every Canadian Collie fancier was proud of. Well, the old pendulum swings two ways, you know, and at the Interstate Collie Club Show the tables were reversed, Ch. Alstead Ardsheil Demdy taking the coveted position, leaving reserve for Wishaw Queen. At the same show Ch. Alstead Laund Luminous went to winners, same owners (Mrs. C. M. Lunt), home bred tri-color Alstead Aeroplane reserve.

Dame Rumour has it that Montreal's big show on May 18 and 19 is going to be a regular hum-dinger, and if the club can show as many real specials for Collies as they are showing for other breeds, Boston Terriers for instance, then I would like to see Toronto Collies well to the front at that fixture. Dr. De Mund certainly scared some of us last September, but probably it was one of his "off days." I got "mine," as you know, but will go back again, sure enough.

Before you read these notes Detroit Show will have "been and gone." Sam Bamford is taking the Toronto "showing" over, and will no doubt return in due course, with a full share of the "spoils." Two Ontario Collies are taking the trip with Sam.

The Pomeranian Club held an all-round show on the 27th of March. The writer judged the Collie section and certainly got more pleasure out of the doggies than I did from the owners. Why will Collie owners not

and when I asked, "Why all the meriment?" he said, "Well, I'm not that kind of a dog." But say, wasn't he just the cutest pup you ever saw in a ring for his age? Absolutely true to type, he was, and his "everywhere-is-home-to-me" style. Is this all the compensation you have to offer? Well, I placed him first in his class and he deserved the honor, too. His owner should be proud of him. He is a born shower.

And our old friend Tom Milner judged all breeds at Brandon Show, and I hear he earned the appreciation of all the dog lovers of that "Wheat City of the West." I wish those responsible for the appointment of our exhibition judges would take notice of the efficient Canadian material we have to work on, and draw from, right here in the Dominion. More power to you, Tom.

If the Collie entries at the recent evening shows make the "governing bodies" smile, why couldn't they raise sufficient enthusiasm to run an all-round affair themselves? Think it over.

How is this for a Collie's name—of course I mean a "Scotch" Collie—"Bobbie Burns." Good! Well, I should say! This Scotch Collie, like everything else Scottish, has been "there." "Bobbie" has done his "bit." He has seen most of the early fighting in France, and is now a celebrity amongst Collies. If Collie lovers would like to meet Bobbie Burns and his worthy master, Jack Munro, just say so, and I will try and have you meet them at the Toronto Kennel Club's show on the 12th, 13th and 14th of April at the Arena Gardens, Toronto.

Latest. The champions in Collies at the late Crufts Show—the landmark

CANADIAN AIREDALES SUCCESSES IN THE STATES

The Cleveland and Canton Shows, held last month in the American circuit, saw the Canadian colors carried to the front by Mr. Norman McKenzie's Airedales. At the first mentioned fixture Ch. Polam Maxim won 1st open, winners and reserve for best in show any breed, and along with his kennel mate Marshfield Milkmaid, captured the Spratt's Trophy for best brace in show, any breed. Marshfield Milkmaid also won 1st open and winners.

At Canton the same brace won 1st open and winners in each sex, two silver cups and two medals. These dogs were jockied to victory by our noted handler Bert Swann.

SHORT BARKS

The Chinook Kennels have sold their good Bulldog Chinook Buster Penfold, to Mr. T. Standford, of Edmonton. This dog should do much good to the breed in the West.

Among the bitches that have visited Mr. H. A. Wilson's Walnut Crib are Countess Nell, owned by Mr. W. Davis; Mrs. E. Horton's Mary Crumpsall, Mr. Pickard's Biddy, and Mr. Bamlett's Duchess of Lynd.

Mr. A. Lepine, of Montreal, has bought a good Wire Fox Terrier bitch in England. Before leaving she will be mated to the noted dog Watteau Warrior, so we may be on the "qui vive" for some classy youngsters emerging from the Malden Kennels in the near future.

Mr. N. Jackson's Bull bitch Lady Violet recently paid a visit to Mr. H. Holmstedt's King Jack. Another mating

IMPORTATIONS

Mr. Sam Bamford has recently imported the winning show and stud Airedale Ch. Rebound Oorang. This dog has had a remarkable career in the Old Country, having won over 200 prizes including five championships, and as a proof of his abilities in transmitting his good qualities to his progeny he has sired such dogs as Ch. Cherry Tree Queen, Ch. Chessmoor Cleo and Rejected Kitty, who also won two certificates towards her title. This dog should be a useful asset to the Walnut Kennels and the Airedale fancy in general.

Another dog that has just crossed the water for the Walnut Kennels is Laidon Dock & Doris, a young Scotch Terrier of great promise, having won at Cheetham Hill and Southend, the only time shown. At the latter place he was reserve to his full brother Ch. Tip O' Deeside.

Mr. H. A. Wilson, of the Diamond Bulldog Kennels, recently imported from England the Bull bitch Catton Sally. She is reported to be very typical with big ribs, short back and low to ground. Before leaving she was mated to Norwich Eclipse, a dog that is making fame as a stud dog, having already sired four champions.

Mr. C. E. Locke, of Tara, recently imported from Miss Marion Du Pont, of Montpelier, Vermont, a registered Dalmation pup by the name of Montpeliers Captain A. K. C. 219707. This is a very promising puppy by Montpeliers Duke of Cleveland, out of Windholme Belle.

Mr. J. Waggett, of Davisville, Toronto, has just received from the Old Country a brace of Toy Pomeranians. The dog was purchased from Mrs. Boag, of Paisley, Scotland. He is a typical specimen, four lbs. weight, rich orange color, and since his arrival on this side has already won four firsts at the Pomeranian shows. The female is also a brilliant orange, full of quality and bred in the purple, her pedigree containing the best possible blood. She comes from Mrs. Sutter's celebrated Scottish Kennel. Mr. Waggett is a life-long breeder and

judge of all breeds and expects good results from this brace, both on the show bench and as a breeding proposition.

SHORT BARKS

We hear of an unusually large litter of Wire Fox Terriers out of Walnut Melody, by Drumclump Darkie. There was no less than twelve when the owner, Mr. Sam Bamford, made his scrutiny.

A new addition to the collie fancy in the Peg is J. Winthrop, whose bitch accounted for 3 firsts and 2 specials under Judge Reeves at Winnipeg, and 2 firsts at Brandon. This bitch, College Sensation, is a daughter of Ch. College Supreme, and bids fair to uphold mother's name.

Geo. Pole, of St. James, Winnipeg, caused a sensation at Brandon with his young Airedale puppy Midland Queen, going through to winners and hit the high spots in variety classes. Mr. Poole is but a novice and this performance should "tickle him to pieces." (Call again George, Old Boy.)

Mr. W. A. Robinson, of Brockville, Ont., reports a nice litter of Boston Terriers by Mr. Brennan's Nobby, out of Lady Sparkle, also a litter of four by the same dog out of Queenie. Our Brockville fancier is expecting something great from these litters.

Mr. C. H. K. Baillie, of Winona, has recently added to his kennel of Scottish Terriers by purchasing a very attractive bitch from Mr. W. T. Marlatt, of Oakville. Mr. Baillie has forwarded the bitch to Kentucky to be bred to the well known British Champion, Ems Morning Nip. This dog is winner of nearly 100 prizes in England and is sire of some of the best-known Scotties in England and America, such as Top o' the Morning, Littlebury Dinah, Bruntfield Nipper, etc. Mr. Baillie is arranging to send another bitch to the well-known Scottie—Albourne Crow, the dog which accounted for the chief winnings at Westminster and Philadelphia shows.

We hear of a grand litter of five Fox Terriers, Wires, out of Mr. Aitken's good bitch Ruby Superb, by the same owner's Leed's Idol. Naturally our Montreal enthusiast is expecting some top-notchers out of this bunch.

Mr. Harry Wild is rejoicing over a litter of five Collie pups out of his good bitch Ferrier Queen, by J. D. Strachan's Coltness Clinker.

Mr. R. Gattey's Riverdale Violet also gave birth to two puppies by the same sire.

Mr. E. C. Howard, of Montreal, reports a very promising litter of ten Irish Setter pups (eight males and two females) out of Sonora Norma, by Tyrone Terry. Both sire and dam are the property of Mr. Howard, and are very typical specimens of the breed. Naturally he is expecting something good amongst this litter.

We hear that the Bull Terrier fanciers are contemplating forming a specialty club. Surely we have enough good fanciers and good dogs of this variety to make a real successful organization.

We are requested to announce that Mr. Jas. T. Cumming, of New Glasgow, N.S., has taken over an interest with Mr. Bailey in the Clapton Fox Terrier Kennels, whose activities in the Smooths are well known. It is the intention of this partnership to launch out into the Wires, and with this object in view they have already laid the foundation by mating the good bitch Clapton Veracity to Ch. Wireboy of Paignton. Naturally, good results are expected. Negotiations are under way for other Wires, so that we may expect to see these kennels well represented at our future shows.

NOTICE

We request all our patrons who send in anything for publication, either advertising or reading matter, to try and get it to us before the 20th of the month and even earlier if possible. Matters coming in late, delay the publications, nearly every month. We do not like to omit anything; but it will be necessary to do so unless your copy gets here in time.

THE COLLIE CLUB OF AMERICA

The annual meetings of the Collie Club of America was held at 220 Madison Ave., New York City, February 21st, 1917, at 9 p.m., with Vice-President W. Ormiston Roy in the chair.

Present: W. Ormiston Roy, Mrs. C. M. Lunt, Mrs. May H. McCurdy, Miss Minnie Bullocke, Miss Eileen Morretta, Miss Genevieve Torrey, Dr. Harry J. Bascom, Dr. O. P. Bennett, Messrs. John H. Blackwood, Fred Leighton, Thomas F. Morris, Joseph Reid, Patrick Tully, J. B. Cooper and T. E. L. Kemp.

Voted.—To omit the reading of the minutes of the previous meetings of the executive committee as they had all been published in the kennel papers.

The secretary's report was read and accepted.

The treasurer's report was read and laid on the table, but the Board of Directors were authorized to accept it if duly audited and found correct.

The chair appointed Dr. E. W. Dwight and Robert A. Murray as auditors.

Dr. O. P. Bennett and Fred Leighton were appointed tellers by the chair.

The following vice-presidents were elected for the ensuing year, being elected by secret ballot, 24 ballots were cast:

Patrick Tully, 1st Vice-President, 19 ballots.

Dr. O. P. Bennett, 2nd Vice-President, 17 ballots.

Mrs. May H. McCurdy, 3rd Vice-President, 17 ballots.

Miss Elsie G. Hydon, 4th Vice-President, 17 ballots.

J. L. Card, 5th Vice-President, 14 ballots.

T. F. Morris, 6th Vice-President, 13 ballots.

The other officers who were unanimously elected were:

President, Dr. O. B. Bennett.

Secretary, Miss Genevieve Torrey.

Treasurer, Mrs. C. M. Lunt.

Dr. O. P. Bennett resigned as vice-president and Miss Minnie Bullocke was elected to fill the vacancy.

At this point Mr. W. Ormiston Roy resigned the chair to Dr. O. P. Bennett.

Voted.—To approve the application of the Interstate Collie Club to be-

come a member of the American Kennel Club.

After a good deal of discussion of the present financial condition of the club it was voted to adjourn.

NEW YORK SHOW CORRECTIONS

We hasten to correct an omission in our review of the New York Show. This was in the Irish Setter section, where we omitted to credit our Montreal bitch Ch. Lansdowne Ruminant Rhu, owned by J. C. Hanna, Esq., with winning first open and winners in an extra strong class containing no less than four with the prefix "Ch." to their name. "En passant" this is the fourth winners this grand specimen has captured at New York Show in the last five years. Another achievement by our Canadian Setters was the winning of the Memorial Cup offered for the best team of four Setters, or Pointers, in the show, by the above mentioned bitch along with Mrs. Sturdee's Morty O' Callaghan and two American "Irish." This was quite an honor for our Canadian stock.

SHORT BARKS

Mr. J. McNaughton is placing at stud his winning Pom. McNaughton's Defender. This typical little black dog has sired several promising youngsters that should be amongst our future prize winners. The last litter by him was out of Mrs. Foster's Quennie, who presented her owner with two Blacks and one Chocolate. Another recent visitor to this dog was Dixie, owned by Mrs. Hanah Wentdon. This female is a classy one so good results are expected from this mating.

Mr. C. Van Camp, the proprietor of the Belgian Kennels, Montreal, informs us that his Griffon Bruxellois are "multiplying exceedingly." During the past three weeks his records show the following arrivals: Mirado Montreal, three pups by the famous dog Peppermint of St. Margaret; four pups by Bobbie, out of the New York winner Queen Elizabeth; also another litter of four by Peppermint of St. Margaret out of Sisterdoll. These quaint looking little dogs are one of the latest fads in society across the line where high prices are being paid and classes provided for them at the feature events.

CLUBS' REGISTER

Secretaries please note!

We receive constant inquiries from our readers requesting the names and addresses of the secretaries of our various Specialty Clubs in Canada, and we deemed it advisable to open up a list of same for the mutual benefit of the clubs and fanciers.

Club secretaries are requested to send in their names and addresses for publication in this column.

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The knowledge necessary to the proper handling of a dog in the ring may be attained only by attending a few shows and watching the behaviour of the well-known exhibitors or handlers. Practically every variety calls for a dicerent method of showing. For instance, a terrier needs to be on the alert, active and constantly on the "qui vive." A bloodhound, on the other hand, should be encouraged to put his nose to the ground, so that the loose skin on his head may appear to the utmost advantage.

From the moment the beginner enters the ring he should devote the whole of his attention to his dog, so that he can display him to the best possible advantage, and in leading it around the ring see that it is kept between himself and the judge. Do exactly as that official tells you and refrain from making any remarks or suggestions except in answer to the latter's questions.

One great mistake that is often made even by old exhibitors, is working and worrying a dog all the time he is in the ring, with the result that by the time the judge has sifted out the undesirables, the dog is weary and tired, and often refuses to show himself just at the critical moment. The exhibitor should always keep an eye on the judge and allow his dog to stand at ease whenever the judge is not looking at him, so that when the right time comes the dog will show all the better for his temporary rest. Keep him well under control, so that he will not snarl or try to fight the other exhibits, as by so doing you are apt to annoy the judge and lessen your chances of success.

From the clever division who hand out information from the ring-side you will hear whispers of innumerable little tricks of the trade, but there is only one trick worth mastering and it is, play the game like a true sportsman, with due consideration for the susceptibilities of others, and earn for yourself a reputation as an exhibitor who never resorted to shady tricks, who shows his best dogs in their best form, and who wins and loses like a gentleman.

Some exhibitors and particularly young and unschooled exhibitors, are apt to think that all their geese are swans and submit them for competition under this illusion. Their hopes having been falsely and unjustifiably raised, are dashed to the ground. They must, perforce, find an excuse to their friends for their defeat. Invariably this excuse takes the form of either the judge not knowing the breed or that some of his pals were showing under him and scooped the pool.

The beginner should bear in mind that there always was, always is and always will be honest differences of opinion as to the merits and demerits of dogs, and the show ring is the only ground on which, for purpose of comparison, their merits may be tested.

One essential factor in getting the best results is showing your dog in the best possible condition; to attain this, a systematic course of exercise is necessary.

The desire for exercise is a dog's natural instinct. The very restlessness of puppies shows this. It not only increases the growth and development of the muscles, but also the healthy use of the heart muscles, the muscles of respiration and the muscular elements of all parts.

A dog that leads a sedentary life is the most liable to suffer from a weak heart and disordered digestion. By the word "condition" we mean the highest pitch of perfection into which an animal can be brought through carefully regulated exercise. We need, however, to use a little judgment when dealing with dogs for exhibition, because it may be necessary to increase or diminish the weight of an animal. Sporting dogs, of course, need more than those of the non-sporting varieties. For instance, the "acme of speed" required in such breeds as Greyhounds can only be attained through regularity of exercise.

For the larger and less active varieties, nothing beats plenty of walking on the hard roads. Four or five miles a day would not be deemed excessive for such breeds. The faulty hind-quarters and cow-hocks that are so prevalent in these breeds could be remedied if taken in time. By encouraging the dog to jump you would bring into play those limbs and muscles affected.

What is the cause of so many of our terriers appearing in the ring with weak pasterns and large open feet? Nothing but the lack of exercise on the hard roads. If you have not time to spare for these long walks train your dog to run after a ball. After a few lessons he will begin to enjoy it, and the benefit derived will compensate you for the trouble. Toy dogs, of course, do not require to undergo the amount of exercise required for other breeds, but a reasonable amount performed regularly is the key-note to perfect development. In the hot months of the year early morning and evenings are the most suitable times for exercise, so that more work with less fatigue can be given than during the middle of the day. It should also, if possible, take place before feeding, or if impracticable, not until some hours afterwards. Such things as running or long walks on a full stomach are injurious. Besides this, the meal is relished far more after exercise than before it. Of this we have proof in ourselves.

Dogs that are intended for exhibition should be taught as soon as possible to go on the lead or chain. No exhibition should rely on a dog showing naturally in the ring. The crowd of dogs and people tend to bewilder and frighten him, and the cocky little fellow at home becomes a slinking cur with tail between his legs and has to be dragged round the ring. A dog that stands well in the ring and will do as you wish may frequently take a coveted award above the unmanageable creature who will never allow his good points to be shown to perfection.

Some dogs are naturally nervous and shy. In such cases it is necessary to commence preliminary preparations as soon as possible. The best time for these lessons is just prior to a meal, so that he may associate the lesson with good things to come. The trainer should provide himself with tit-bits to induce and reward good behaviour. For this purpose there is nothing better than small pieces of hard-boiled liver, which has such attraction for a dog that after a few lessons he will stand stock still with his eyes fixed on the dainty morsel and his ears and tail erect.

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