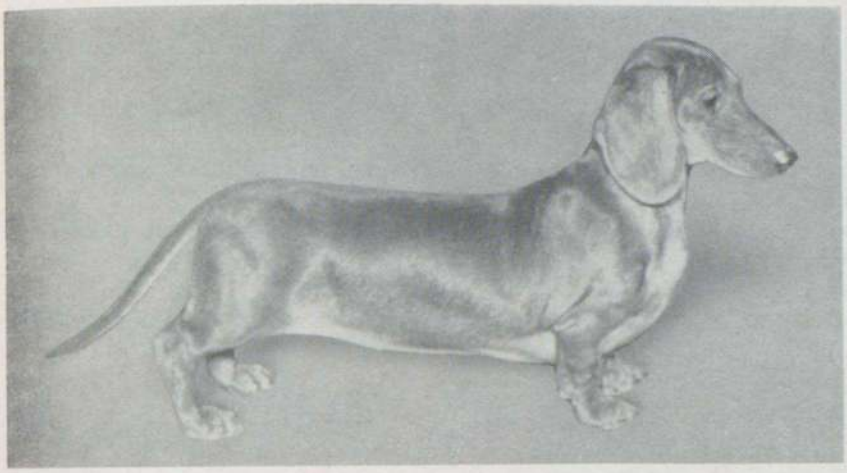
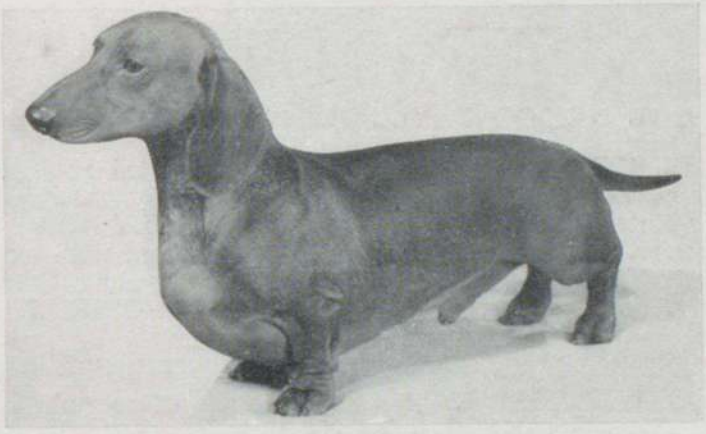
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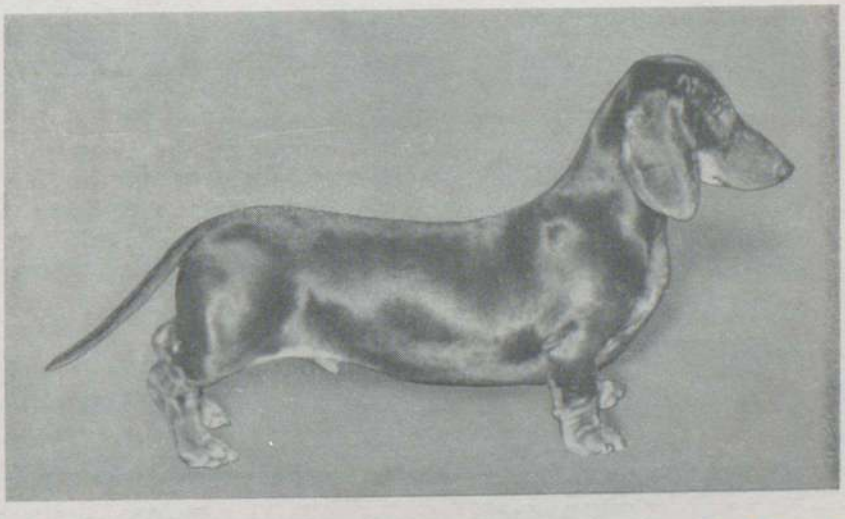
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INSPECTION BEFORE REGISTRATION?

. . . Re Kennel Rating correspondence (*Dogs*, December, 1959)

We agree with your correspondent. Kennels should be rated, and by a competent authority, certainly not the SPCA.

Our kennels are so spectacularly clean that every visitor remarks: "Cleaner than our kitchen at home!" Therefore we find it appalling that we should be officially lumped together with any and all kennels, regardless of standard. Our feeding standards are as high as those of cleanliness and comfort for the dogs.

There are kennels where no animal should be allowed, people who should never own a dog (or any animal). Filthy kennels, ill-fed kennels. Kennels selling purely for profit, where breed standard is something to be scorned. Recently there was an actual conviction on this island, but we all know how ghastly conditions must be for that to happen. Many go unconvicted because of lack of direct evidence—frightened people.

Why not request the CKC in something like the following terms:

That no kennel-name be accepted for registration until that kennel owner's premises shall have been inspected by a competent authority?

We suggest that two persons, if possible, inspect a kennel, and that the standards be strict and the administration of rules strict and unbiased. Some person who is no longer actively in dogs, or some person capable of judging conditions but not necessarily connected with dogs, who would report to the CKC.

As an alternative and perhaps saving long delays, a kennel name could be accepted for registration subject to confirmation after inspection. This should also be made to apply to boarding kennels. Whilst these do not necessarily register a name, nevertheless they open and the

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MEMO FROM THE EDITOR

CANADA has lost one of her outstanding women and Canadian dogdom one of its greatest boosters. Undoubtedly Eileen McEachren, through her 40 years of breeding and her unfailing belief in the excellence of Canadian dogs and their breeders, has elevated this country in the eyes of fanciers throughout the world.

You are familiar with the record of the magnificent Kerry Blues of Tailteann, of Mrs. McEachren's many activities and speaking engagements before influential dog associations and with her record-making trip to Europe and its resultant recognition for Canadian dogs.

Although your editors became acquainted with her only five years ago, it was a privilege to learn to know her as a person whose character, ability and heart made her a truly great individual.

Perhaps her greatest appeal was her tremendous zest for living. As a child and throughout her lifetime she shared with her father a love of the outdoors, of hunting and of dogs and horses.

She loved life and all living, growing things; her home and flowers showed her skilled hand. Her great vitality was apparent in her many interests—in the arts as well as sports. In the former she was not only an art collector but studied under famous artists and painted commendably. As a concert dancer her most outstanding appearance was one in the ballet corps of the Metropolitan Opera. She has acted in summer and local theatre and was one of the leading supporters of Canadian Little Theatre and opera. As a sportswoman she was not only a fine equestrienne and swimmer but was once runner-up in the Canadian Women's Open Golf Championship.

Later her activities centered almost entirely around her kennels and in travel. As a result of almost a lifetime of work with dogs she has left a legacy in her magnificent Kerries throughout North America, in the founding of The Bermuda Kennel Club and in the knowledge she shared with other breeders and particularly in her writings in the handbook of the United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club (of which she was a governor).

She began her study of animal husbandry nearly 40 years ago with horses, showing and riding her favourites to top wins in some of the world's stiffest competition at Madison Square Garden. Among her early dogs were Greyhounds, Corgis, Sealyhams, Airedales, Boston Terriers and Fox Terriers. She became interested in Kerry Blue Terriers in 1937 when her father's horse trainer brought back Tailteann Fan Dancer from the kennels of Henry Fottrell of Dublin. She kept the male, Tailteann Padraig, from the first litter then purchased a mate, Kilderry Susabelle. Her famous horse, Sharavogue (who during his show career won 67 firsts) and Padraig passed away the same day and were buried in the same grave.

Soon after she purchased Ch. Kenmare Masterpiece who in his day became almost legendary as a show winner and the foundation for the stock which in turn have made the Tailteann family the world's greatest in the breed.

Her success was not achieved overnight. It was a long hard pull involving an intense study of genetics, of victory mingled with bitter disappointment and of the constant endeavour to meet the high standard she set for herself and everything concerning Tailteann. Only in recent months did she conclude she was nearing her goal.

She was, in a sense, a woman who walked alone, dedicated to what was to become her life work. As in the case of many great individuals, she was shy and oftimes misunderstood. Those who were privileged to know her outside of the ring found another side — a warm-hearted, entertaining and stimulating friend.

There never will be another Eileen McEachren.

The Editor

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proper person could be informed of their opening and inspection made without warning.

J. G. HARRIS

Five-Mile Kennels,
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. . . re Kennel Rating, I have to add another claim. Our dog seemed to be in perfect health when it left the kennel; it had been wormed and was clean, but it had not got a temporary distemper vaccination. The breeder didn't believe in vaccinations. When the dog grew older we had it vaccinated but I guess the virus was already in its blood; it fell ill a few months later. We lost our little dog about a week ago after it had been sick for over six weeks. Its suffering and death caused much heartbreak and tears.

The veterinary who looked after her and gave her the vaccination months ago was not able to recognize the disease after three visits, and took it rather easy. When we changed to another veterinary, it was already too late. Now we ordered technical literature about care of dogs so we will not completely depend on these veterinaries in the future.

I agree with Mr. Noel Pearson — money seems to be all that counts. People don't seem to have any sense of responsbility, not to mention feelings. We are newcomers to this country and these realizations don't make life any easier for us.

As these little red long-haired Dachshunds are our favorites we plan to buy another one. But how can we make sure we are really going to get a healthy dog? I would not even be satisfied with a certificate from a veterinary as I would fear he might work with the kennel. Can you please give me any advice? Can you name me a kennel that breeds above mentioned dogs and is well for a good and healthy stock?

URSULA LESCHUK

Toronto, Ont.

Names of reliable Dachshund breeders are being forwarded.—Ed.

INSIGHT VS. ONSLAUGHT

. . . Two letters appearing in the December issue of *Dogs* must not be allowed to go unanswered as they could eventually duplicate the fiasco that took place at the Royal Winter Fair and brought about the cancellation of the dog shows, much to the regret of the same detractors who today would be glad to have the shows returned.

Much to the consternation of the complainants who decided many years ago to "pressure" the Royal Winter Fair, they found themselves literally "booted out" and the Fair Board discovered by renting the space to various companies and organizations they made more money than having the place filled with dogs and disgruntled exhibitors.

In writing complaints it is best to be accurate and I will deal with the letter from Dorchester, Ont. first.

(a) The show does not consist of three two-day dog shows but two shows of

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(c) The statement "picking up quick points" is most inaccurate as many fine dogs from the U.S.A. and Canada are in attendance and it has always been considered quite a feat to win at the Ex.

(d) I also must point out no person is compelled to attend the Exhibition Dog Shows. If they do not like the shows — they can stay at home.

With respect to the letter from Oro Station, Ont., the CNE shows are today the most important shows.

The complaint re two-day shows must be assessed in dollars and cents in fairness to the Ex, and for them to have thousands of square feet of space deriving no financial revenue for only three days instead of five days would be most unsound.

Many people exhibit at the C.N.E. and travel 700 and 800 miles and think the shows are excellent.

The CNE cannot be blamed for the weather. If it is hot or humid, they certainly are not at fault.

While the parking space is not the best in the world, it still is the best available and everyone is accorded room to park.

I can see no problem in having dogs walk on cement. It would be costly to put in new flooring or broadloom for a few days. A dog should be expected to walk on cement.

Discussion with other exhibitors does indicate the benching is clean and that is the main requisite at a dog show.

On the CNE side I state the following—

(a) I know of no show that contributes better prize money in Canada.

(b) The show is swept and disinfected continually.

(c) Men are employed to watch the dogs throughout the night.

(d) Washrooms are clean.

(e) The rings are large, with plenty of light, and have proper matting on the floor for good traction.

(f) Mr. Phil Jacobi does an excellent job as show superintendent and his supervision of the shows is as good, and in many instances better, than his U.S. counterparts.

Constructive criticism is always helpful but I do feel if the members of the CKC would form a committee and endeavour to get back into the Royal Winter Fair it would be far better than running down an Exhibition that is not exclusively in the dog show business.

BRUCE MCRAE

Toronto, Ont.

NEW YEAR'S BABIES

. . . Our Pekingese, Mandarin's Lotus Blossom was born on New Year's day, 1958. This year on New Year's Day she whelped four beautiful puppies for us. We think this is quite a coincidence and I'm wondering if they are the first Peke babies this year.

I enjoy *Dogs in Canada* and always turn to the back to read "It's a Dog's Life" first.

MRS. RUBY CHAPIN

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NO "EASY" WINS

. . . It's the first of March, 1958 and we are planning to go to the Sportsmen's Show. Hoping to donate prizes, we find it is too late, but a Booster show is arranged. We don't want to ship dogs so a neighbour agrees to take his truck. Two days later he announces he can find no one to take care of his cows. A friend in Peterborough drives up (to Boulter, Ont.) with wife and small boy and we embark for Toronto at four in the morning. The truck, comfortable for the dogs, is a glutton for oil; we stopped 11 times to pour in a quart during the first 100 miles. At Peterborough we transferred to the car, fearing we might miss Friday's show entirely. Due to a new motor job we rolled down the highway, but not very fast . . . through a traffic tangle, but there we are at last, greeting friends. Must rush dogs to rest room. Back to bench, they are calling our breed; no time to brush off dust, no time for anything. We are in the ring. What number is this, a voice booms? The slips are in our bag which was hastily thrown on the bench. One is Canadian Bred, one American bred, one is 12, which is 13? Wish I were at home. The little Canadian-bred trembles so I can hardly hold her up. I tremble and no one holds me up. But she goes Best of Opposite and Best Canadian Bred. How in the world did that happen?

Next day is our big day. We meet so many nice people and talk dog until we are tired. By ten p.m. we have walked the dogs twice. We've piled everything in readiness to start home. Red won't stay on the bench any longer but pleads to go home. By 11 p.m. people start asking if we want to be put out with the cat. Our escort starts toward us, but suddenly has some unfinished business. Half an hour later he returns. "You stay here. I'll bring the car and pick you up at the ramp. It's about half a mile away — won't take me long."

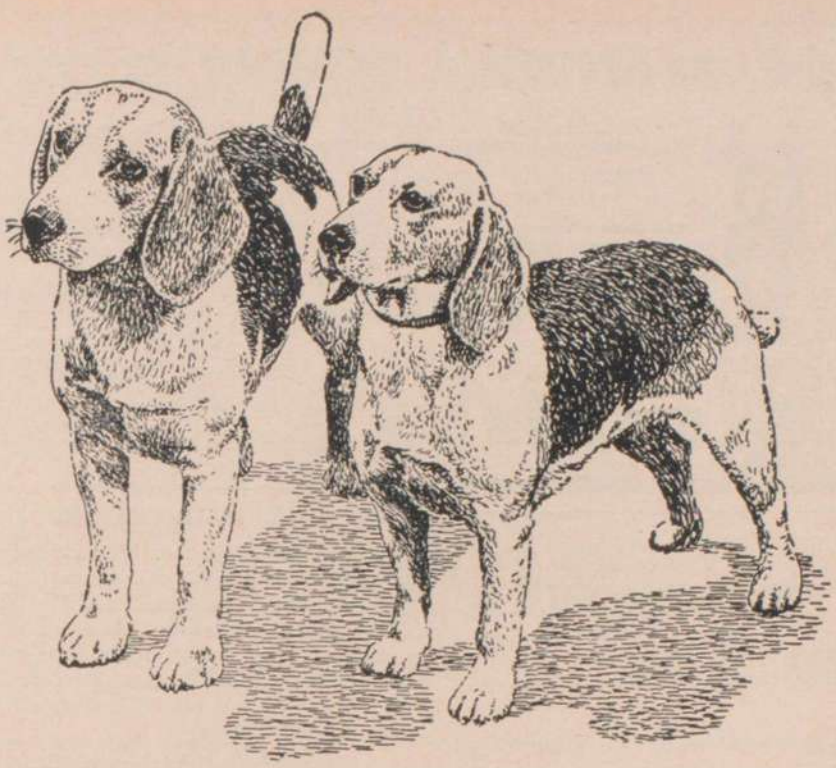
We are on the road at last. But we stop at a gas station. There's a car for sale and he must try it out. We get to Peterborough at 3.00 a.m. where our good neighbour has been waiting with his truck to bring us the rest of the way home. He was to fix a cage for the dogs but all he has is a tarp. So we wrap it around old Red and Cookie and they are smart enough to cuddle down. But Redgie is fussy so we take her in the cab. It's a bitterly cold night and one can't help wondering what would happen if the truck broke down. But it worked beautifully and we whizzed along the frozen road. Two deer crossed in front of us. We knew we were nearing home.

And now we are planning for this year's show. Will we go? We've lost our dear Old Red, but we have his son and his daughter. We just must go and meet all the folks and see their lovely dogs and find out what they've been doing all year. Meet us at the Sportsmen's Show!

MRS. E. LAVOY

Conroy Marsh Kennel, Reg'd.,
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What a refreshing outlook! We're looking forward to meeting this inveterate exhibitor this year.—Ed.



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Although Mrs. McEachren was not active in Obedience, her sudden and untimely death will surely leave a gap in the Canadian dog fancy which will not easily be filled.

BUD FLANAGAN
Secretary,
Oshawa Obedience Association

The loss of Eileen McEachren will not really be felt by many in the dog fancy for some time — just as her fervent enthusiasm for Canadian dogdom was not appreciated by us all when she was among us.

Canada has never produced a more loyal Canadian than Eileen McEachren. At home and abroad she was 100% for Canada and all things Canadian. Her European trip last year, where at every opportunity she rose to her feet at function after function in many countries to tell the world about Canadian achievements in dogdom, brought us tremendous recognition. She genuinely believed that our ideas, both new and old, were superior to those of the rest of the dog world. Those that were obviously not, she sincerely believed could be corrected during the next year of our being.

As President of The Canadian Kennel Club she gave us prestige and earned us respect. These are two things that neither money nor brains alone can instill into a negative soul. Those who knew her intimately saw a very different side of her to what was generally seen at dog shows. Eileen McEachren made mistakes as all great people do and hers were oftentimes magnified through her tremendous enthusiasm. Her biggest failing was an over-abundance of enthusiasm in her love of Kerry Blue Terriers and The Canadian Kennel Club. Truly great failings to admire and respect. There were times when this great drive that she exhorted brought her name too close to her competitors and rivals in the fancy. It was only then that she was misunderstood.

The legion of friends at home and all over the world that she made, marvelled at her zest for living and her fabulous energy. Her organization in anything she did was a work of art. The thousands of miles she travelled, up early and late to bed with few days of real rest was not done entirely for herself (as she had command of all material things through birth) but for Kerry Blues and Canadian Dogdom. It is the privilege of living, to at times give an over-exhuberance to our own personal problems and disappointments. The interpretation of our appearances often vary with the degree of success or moderation (particularly in dogs) we have encountered. Eileen McEachren had received both great success and bitter disappointment in her great love, The Dog Game. But the greatest disappointment of all rests with us, as with having gained much experience in all fields of the fancy, she had so much to give to it during the next few years. Outside the dog fancy Eileen McEachren did trojan work in so many fields without one iota of fanfare. That she will be missed is an understatement. She is missed.

Eileen McEachren is dead. Long live her memory and may we realize and treasure her many great contributions to the Canadian dog fancy.

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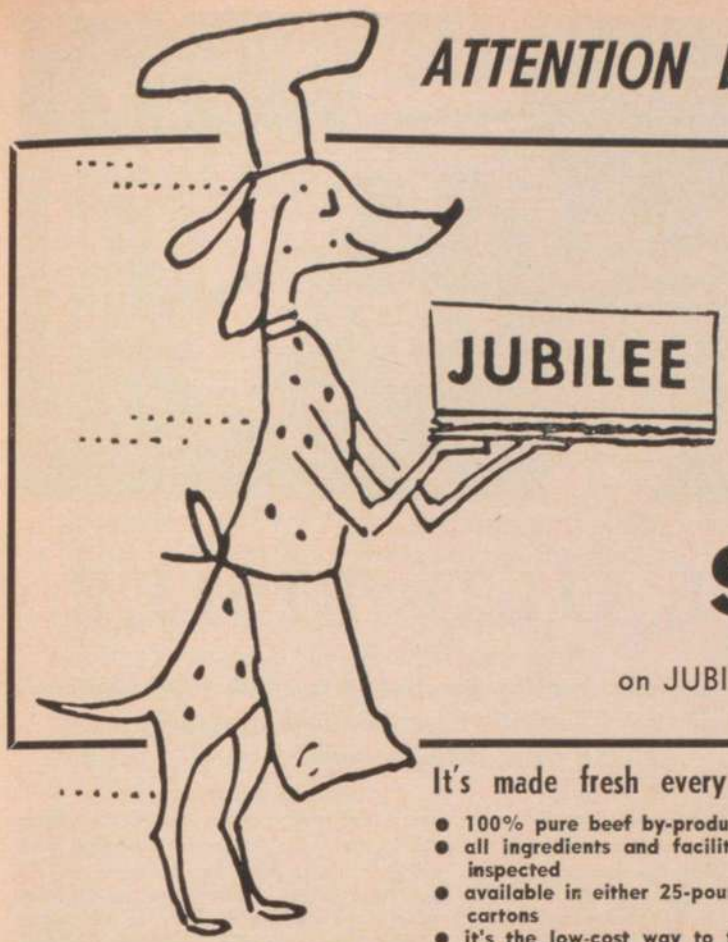
STUB-TAILED PUG

. . . I have a Pug of good breeding which I bred to a champion stud. She had her litter on Sunday, December 7. She also was a little rough on one, severing the cord; it bled to death. Another pup was born with a stub tail plus a split nose. This one I fed on the bottle, but I don't think it will turn out to be very much. but why with a stub tail? My vet told me it was due to an infection in the womb and definitely not a throw-back.

Can any other breeders help me? Should I include this one in registration along with the rest which are all healthy?

CLARRIE BRYAN
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Any assistance experienced Pug fanciers could give reader Bryan will, we know, be appreciated.—Ed.



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PEN PAL

. . . I am writing to thank you for inserting my letter (re a Pen Pal in Canada). I had many replies and have made some very nice pen friends as a result.

One lady actually called in at my home, whilst on a visit to this little Isle. She saved my letter and kept the address. Unfortunately I was not at home and she informed my mother a later visit was impossible due to sailing for Canada. I am sorry to have missed her and hope she may write. Again, many thanks and all good wishes to *Dogs in Canada* magazine.

EILLEEN MCGUINNESS

"Norwood",
15 Queen's Road,
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COVER STORY

Wunderbar Kennels Reg'd., owned by Mrs. Patrice Fisher, Ancaster, Ont. is represented by several fine Dachshunds on this month's cover. The Standards, Miniatures and Afghans at Wunderbar will soon be housed in new quarters. The kennels themselves are of angle iron and stainless steel, with cement runs. The interior will have oil heat, running water and other amenities of a well-run establishment. The surroundings will be landscaped by Mrs. Fisher, an avid gardener.

The Wunderbar breeding program is being carefully laid and a deep study undertaken. For the fairly recent imports, outcross studs have been imported as well.

Ch. Party Doll brought honour to the kennels in 1959, winning nine Best Opposite Sex, one Best of Breed and group placing, all in 11 times shown, defeated only once by a female. A real trouper, she came home in the middle of the show season, had six puppies, then went right back when they were eight weeks old to take her first defeat and finish with two more Best Opposite Sex wins. Ch. Britto v. Kirsh was victor in two shows over the top American Dachshund. Says Mrs. Fisher, "It isn't the win one makes, it is what one defeats that counts."

A little female (carrying five puppies) went Best Opposite Sex in three straight shows. Whirlaway was shown once and was Winners Dog for four points. Merribit, Miniature Long-hair, reports her owner, was top winning "minnie" in the Southern Ontario area — Best of Breed every time shown but once.

All Wunderbar females sold as pets are spayed to prevent inferior puppies being placed on the market. In the Miniatures, states Mrs. Fisher, all exceeding nine pounds will be culled. Because the stock is of English origin where the weight is 11 pounds, this will require rigid pruning. More stock will be purchased from kennels which have true Miniatures of many years' breeding.

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THE OLD TIMER

"You don't get a winning dog by starting work the night before a show," said the Old Timer, "or being just like the cow's tail—behind."

"So," said the Old Timer, "it's February and what are you doing about it."

We'd been giving his kennels their regular weekly going over and the Old Timer's question took me by surprise, because I was on my knees lifting one of the false floors from his big roomy cages so we could get at the underneath with disinfectant. I straightened up, relieved at the interruption.

"So it's February," I repeated, "and what am I doing about it. Nothing but breaking my back giving this place its annual going over . . . and of course hoping you'll let me survive to see another springtime."

The Old Timer snorted.

"Just about what I expected from today's generation," he said. "Give 'em a little muscle work to do and it nearly kills 'em. Soft shirts — soft living — soft hands, they all go together. But it's February and what are you doing?"

"What do you mean, what am I doing? You can see," I answered.

"I'm talking about that good pup of yours. It's seven weeks to show time and how near ready is the pup for the shows?"

"Strange," I said, "I had planned to strip him out this weekend."

"And how long will it take him to grow a coat?" the old Timer asked.

I had no answer there. I knew it would take a minimum of eight weeks, with luck to get any kind of a coat in, and as the Old Timer had reminded me, it was less than seven weeks to the first show.

"Gosh," I said "the winter's gone faster than I expected. I didn't realize the date — but surely, with a puppy, they'll excuse lack of coat."

"You know," said the Old Timer, "I'm just about ready to give up on you. Ever since I first knew you, I've been trying to teach you to plan ahead — to select your stud dog before the female comes in season — to have your whelping arrangements ready in advance of the whelping date — to start working on your dogs well in advance of the spring shows — but somehow or other you seem to arrange it so you're just like the cow's tail — always a little behind.

"Now this youngster of yours — the best puppy you've ever bred and a much better one than you deserve and you're planning to take him into the ring half-coated and I suppose with no education at all."

"Education," I asked, "what do you mean?"

"Well, according to my figures the pup's almost eight months old now," said the Old Timer, "has he ever had a lead on him?"

I hemmed and hawed a bit and then explained.

"Well, he was only a baby when the cold weather came," I said. "I couldn't take him out on a lead in the snow and slush in the winter, a youngster like that."

The Old Timer pulled out a chair. He reached for his pipe and loaded it methodically.

"Time for a little education for you my lad," he said, as he struck a match and held it to the bowl of the pipe. "School's in, now sit down and get ready for your lesson.

"Now there are certain basics that every good dog man knows — and they apply whether you've got a terrier that needs trimming or a Chihuahua that only needs its nails and whiskers trimmed—and the first of the basics is that you don't get a winning dog by starting to work on it the night before a show.

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"But there are born showmen," I argued.

"Sure there are," the Old Timer said, "just like there are born athletes. But Roger Bannister didn't run the four minute mile just because he was born with the right kind of muscles. And Inghemar Johannsen didn't become the world's heavyweight champion because he was born with fast reflexes. They became what they are because they worked with what nature had given them and because they had the right kind of instruction. Its just the same thing with a dog.

"Now that puppy of yours – he's getting on to maturity now. He's strong and he can be stubborn and he's got the ability to put up a real fight against the lead–such a fight that his introduction to it could become an unpleasant experience. But if you'd started putting a lead on him when he was a baby it could have been a game–sure it might have taken a while to lead break him–but when he'd got used to it it could have become something he enjoyed.

"And he's old enough now to have some brains and to react to strange circumstances. Start taking him out into traffic today and he's going to wonder about it–might even wonder about it so much that he'll become confused and terrified. But if you'd started taking him out in your car and onto the street among crowds at two or three months it would have been just another of the strange things that happen to a puppy in the course of growing up. Sure he'd have been curious, but he'd have adjusted to each new situation in a matter of minutes. Now adjusting could take more than as many hours.

"I see what you mean," I said.

"And have you done anything about getting him used to being set up?"

I had to admit that was another thing I had overlooked.

"Now there's something you can start almost as soon as the youngster leaves the nest," the Old Timer said. "How much time is it going to take out of your busy day to get down on the floor and play with him a bit and wind up the play by setting him up – opening his mouth so you can see his bite,–feeling his quarters and going over neck, withers and croup. If you do that he's going to be used to it by the time he's in a ring and he's not going to have to learn the exercise the hard way. And how about strangers?"

I had an answer for the Old Timer here. The youngster is a bouncy one. He's started runners in the stockings of a couple of my wife's friends in demonstrating his friendliness for them. He'd spilled a drink over the trousers of a friend of mine by trying to climb into that friend's lap just at the wrong time. So we'd banished him to the kennels when friends came to call. I explained the reason to the Old Timer. His answer was a snort.

"And I suppose you shouted at him when he did this?" he asked.

I admitted I had.

"Just what I expected," he said, "killing exactly the quality you want in a show dog–fearless of and confidence in strangers. But I don't think it's too late."

"Okay, what do I do?" I asked.

"Strip him tonight, but do it darn carefully, so he doesn't develop a fear of grooming. Get him lead broken at once. Start taking him out in your car. Walk him around the parking area at the shopping centres. Take him downtown and walk him on the main streets. And when friends come in don't hide him away. Let him be with them. Set him up and ask them to go over him. Try to keep him under control but make sure he gets used to strangers."

"But what if he tears another pair of stockings or spills another drink?"

The Old Timer looked at me.

"Son, you've already got maybe a hundred dollars invested in raising that puppy. You're going to invest another three or four hundred–maybe more–in taking him around to the shows. Now a good pair of ladies' stockings cost maybe a couple of dollars. My advice to you is to buy half a dozen pairs, assorted sizes."

The Old Timer paused and relighted his pipe.

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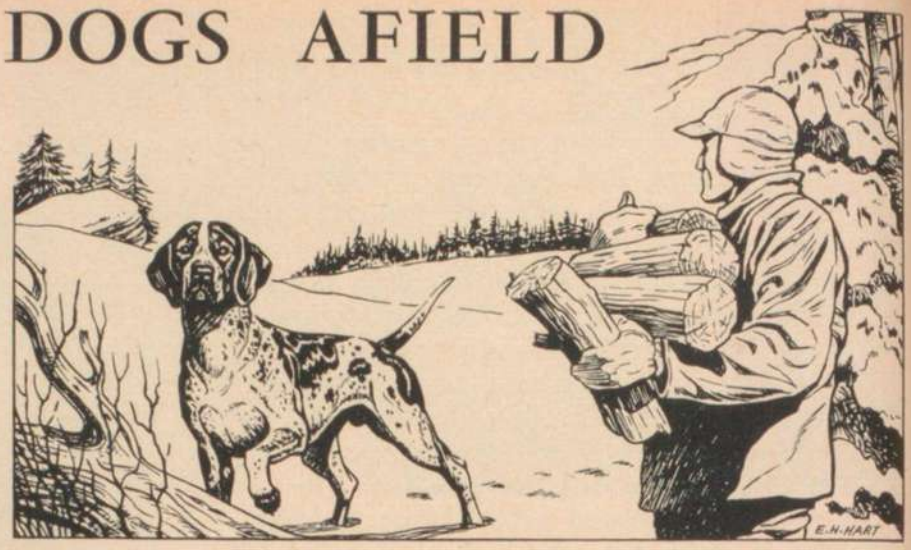
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DOGS AFIELD



by DAVID BLAKE

Must a hunting man sacrifice the gaiety and action of his gun-dog's tail for the bench?

I'd like to discuss a subject that may well be considered controversial. I have mentioned it at various times in the past, but feel none the less strongly about it. It is the matter of tail docking. There are altogether too many dogs of sporting breeds, whose tails have been docked to a length – or should I say shortness – as to leave them with practically no tail at all. This, to me, is an abomination for which I can find no possible excuse.

Cockers, Springers, Shorthairs, Weimaraners, wherever you find them, bred and docked by a bench show breeder, mature with practically no tail at all. For what reason must a sporting dog have the stern of a Doberman?

Much of what a dog has to say, he tells you with his tail. Certainly the action of the tail in the field has a tale to tell. The gayness of a Springer and his way of going is expressed by his tail action and the change of tempo as he scents a bird and moves in to push it into the air for the gun is part and parcel of the thrill of gunning over a flushing dog.

Can the presence of a few inches of tail change the soundness of a dog in the ring? Can the breeding program be changed by allowing a modicum of expressiveness to remain? The answers are obviously no, but why, then, must the merry Spaniel be completely bereft of his flag?

Years ago the Europeans found it practical to remove that part of a pointing dog's tail that was forever in trouble when beat about in the bush. This was purely an expedient and undoubtedly eliminated considerable pain and nuisance throughout the lives of sparser coated dogs. They left remaining, however, sufficient tail to amplify action and facilitate balance and to emphasize the intensity of a dog on point. The modern bench breeder on this continent does not leave these dogs this much equipment. They are not even left enough to cover their embarassment should they wish to put their tails between their legs – a privilege traditionally accorded the canine race.

And recently the heritage of the Hungarian Vizsla is being encroached upon. This breed, with a very sensitive, finely modeled tail, has been docked only at the very end, removing only that part which comes to grief. Thus the Vizsla has an appreciable tail left to add flow to its gait and style to its point. Lately I've seen these dogs docked to the length of the heavier-boned Shorthairs, depriving them of their individuality and distinctiveness.

I suggested controversy. Actually I find it difficult to imagine arguments to support the almost complete removal of tails of the docked sporting breeds, but let's go on one step further and cite an example of the illogic that can result from rocking chair thinking.

The standard of the Brittany Spaniel, a pointing breed, states that a dog with a tail more than four inches long shall be disqualified, not penalized as for a fault, but disqualified as for an inherited characteristic detrimental to the breed. Known as the "bob-tailed spaniel", this rule would be logical if all or most of the breed were whelped with naturally bob tails. From the figures I have been able to accumulate, about forty per cent of Brit pups are born with abbreviated appendages. The remainder are docked – and there is no objection to docking. It is practiced and expected. Why, then, if a litter of pups is all docked and one, perhaps the largest, matures with a tail five inches long, should he be ineligible for show, and the others eligible? What is there about the basic philosophy and purpose of dog shows that makes it logical that a dog is ineligible one day and eligible the next after a five buck ses-

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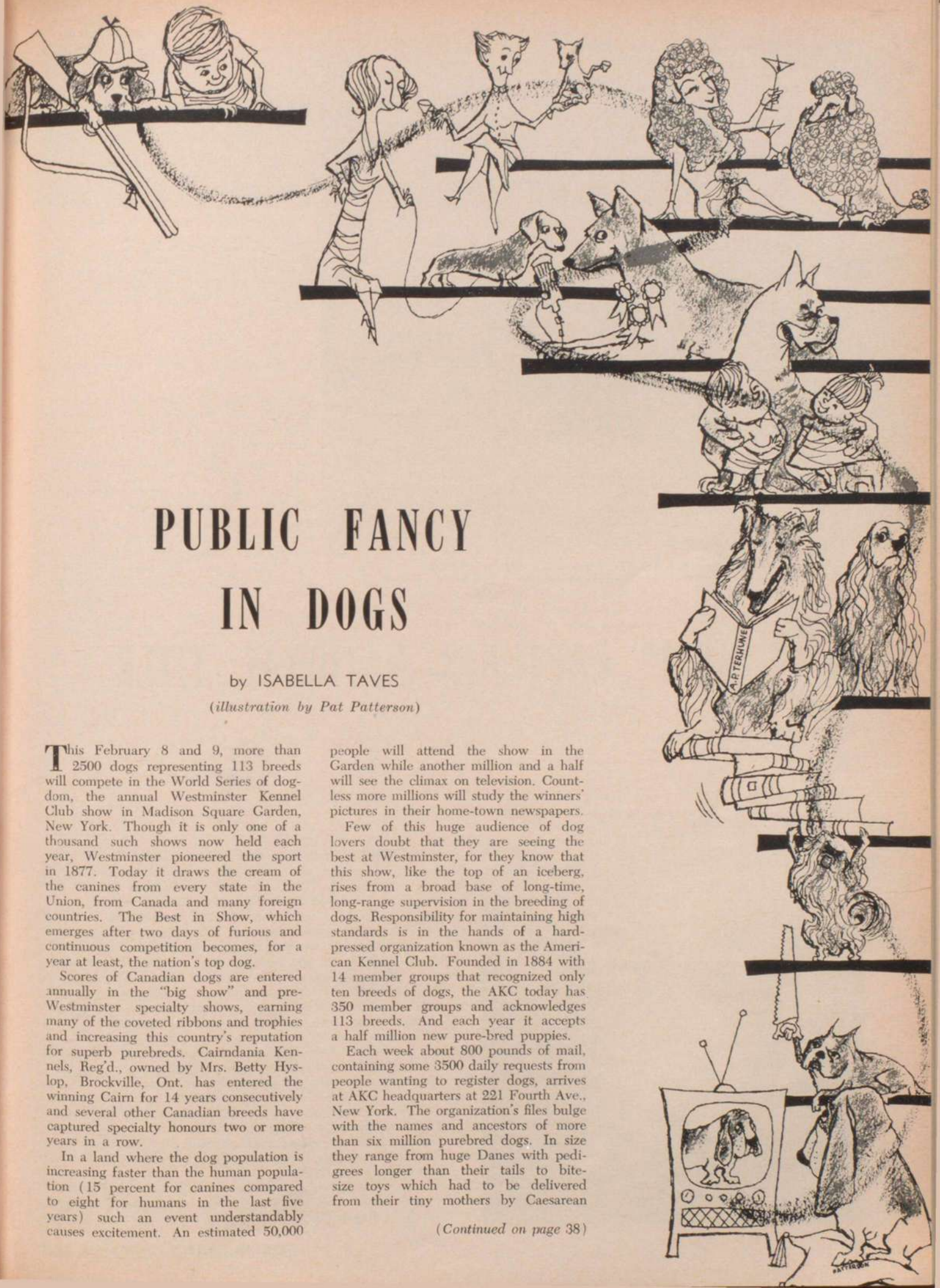
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PUBLIC FANCY IN DOGS

by ISABELLA TAVES

(illustration by Pat Patterson)

This February 8 and 9, more than 2500 dogs representing 113 breeds will compete in the World Series of dogdom, the annual Westminster Kennel Club show in Madison Square Garden, New York. Though it is only one of a thousand such shows now held each year, Westminster pioneered the sport in 1877. Today it draws the cream of the canines from every state in the Union, from Canada and many foreign countries. The Best in Show, which emerges after two days of furious and continuous competition becomes, for a year at least, the nation's top dog.

Scores of Canadian dogs are entered annually in the "big show" and pre-Westminster specialty shows, earning many of the coveted ribbons and trophies and increasing this country's reputation for superb purebreds. Cairndania Kennels, Reg'd., owned by Mrs. Betty Hyslop, Brockville, Ont. has entered the winning Cairn for 14 years consecutively and several other Canadian breeds have captured specialty honours two or more years in a row.

In a land where the dog population is increasing faster than the human population (15 percent for canines compared to eight for humans in the last five years) such an event understandably causes excitement. An estimated 50,000 people will attend the show in the Garden while another million and a half will see the climax on television. Countless more millions will study the winners' pictures in their home-town newspapers.

Few of this huge audience of dog lovers doubt that they are seeing the best at Westminster, for they know that this show, like the top of an iceberg, rises from a broad base of long-time, long-range supervision in the breeding of dogs. Responsibility for maintaining high standards is in the hands of a hard-pressed organization known as the American Kennel Club. Founded in 1884 with 14 member groups that recognized only ten breeds of dogs, the AKC today has 350 member groups and acknowledges 113 breeds. And each year it accepts a half million new pure-bred puppies.

Each week about 800 pounds of mail, containing some 3500 daily requests from people wanting to register dogs, arrives at AKC headquarters at 221 Fourth Ave., New York. The organization's files bulge with the names and ancestors of more than six million purebred dogs. In size they range from huge Danes with pedigrees longer than their tails to bite-size toys which had to be delivered from their tiny mothers by Caesarean

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Photo by Oliver Krog.

National Retriever Champion, 1959 was FTC Rhett of Coldwater (II), owned by H. L. (Hal) Streight of West Vancouver, B.C. and handled by Ken Gibson.

"RHETT" CAPTURES NATIONAL TITLE

by C. R. Burton

Judges for the thrilling 1959 National Retriever Championship were, l. to r.: Keith Coughlan, Vancouver; Hector Grant, Burnaby, B.C. and Frank Cockrall, Edmonton, Alta.



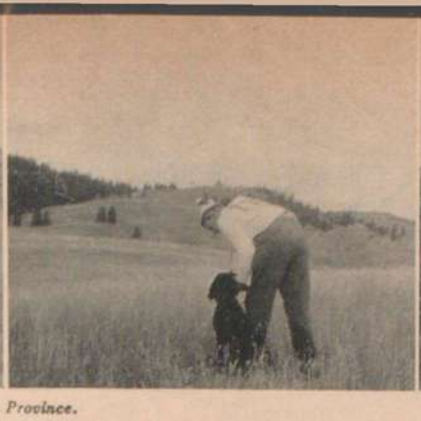
The tenth National Championship Stake was completed at Vernon, B.C. on October 23, 24, 25, 1959. Host club was The Vernon District Fish Game & Forest Protective Association.

Qualifications for an invitation to run in the "National" are the winner of the 1958 National Championship Stake and any Retriever or Irish Water Spaniel which had placed first, second, third, or fourth in an Open All Age Stake at a Canadian Kennel Club Licensed Retriever Trial run in 1959 in Canada under their rules and regulations. Sixty-four Canadian and American Retrievers were qualified, of which 21 accepted the invitation and 20 started on the morning of October 23. Unfortunately "Peppers Jiggs", owned and handled by Bob Pepper of Kirkland, Washington, U.S.A., was scratched due to a serious illness.

The day dawned dull and chilly and all contestants were required to meet at the "Super-Valu" parking lot in the centre of the City of Vernon where the Manager, Mr. Evans, served free coffee for all. This was a cheerful occasion where old friends met and new friends were acquired.

The large cavalcade of cars with retrievers and owners followed by onlookers left the parking lot, preceded by a Royal Canadian Mounted Police car and the Mc-







Photos by Mike Cramond, Vancouver Province.

L. to r.: A section of the large gallery; Jack Runnells of Edmonton gives his FTC Robber of Carmoney a line in the 8th series; FTC Rhett of Coldwater (II) with handler Ken Gibson delivering in the final tense 10th series. Later he was awarded the 1959 title by Minister of Justice Davie Fulton. Right, top: Only three dogs were fighting it out as USA FC and Amateur FC Jibodad Topper delivers his Mallard to owner-handler James W. Bryan of Bremerton, Wash. Centre: FTC Craigend Rock in action with owner-handler Jack Smyth of Maplewood, B.C. Bottom: FTC Loves Black George in the thrilling Series #10 with handler Lloyd Love. Owned by Dr. Paul Jackson, Vancouver.







Intosh Girls Pipe Band, to the outskirts of the city.

The cars with retrievers and onlookers proceeded to Wye Lake on the Okanagan Indian Reserve about six miles northwest of Vernon, where the first series commenced.

The *first series* was a triple retrieve over water using Mallards. The first duck was thrown across Wye Lake in water behind a natural barrier of a small island, (80 yards), the second duck to the left shore of Wye Lake in the water where the wind drifted the bird under some overhanging branches; the third duck was thrown in the water about twenty yards to the left front of the retriever on line.

The three judges, Mr. Frank Cockrall, Edmonton, Alberta, Mr. Keith Coughlan, Vancouver, B.C. and Mr. Hector W. Grant, Burnaby, B.C., called all retrievers back for the second series, with the exception of a 2½ years old Labrador "Ace of Country Club" owned by Robert Postlethwaite of North Vancouver, B.C.

The second series was a "Blind" Mallard over water about 90 yards out with the bird placed behind a log jutting out into the water about 20 yards from shore.

In this series two retrievers were dropped; FTC Onnie of Graingers, Yellow Labrador, owned and handled by Don Brooks of Calgary, Alberta, FTC Rathrippens Black Star, Labrador, owned and handled by F. H. Dartnell, Hamilton, Ontario.

This was the final series of the first day leaving 17 retrievers in for the third series the following day.

Saturday was another cold raw day with fog and rain during the morning but clearing up in the late afternoon.

The third series opened with a triple retrieve on land using pheasants and in light fog. Number one bird was thrown to the far right about 75 yards and in fairly heavy cover of grass and old tree branches, the second bird was thrown to the left front about 60 yards in bush and the third bird thrown about 15 yards in front of the dog. The visibility was poor and the wind slight.

The judges dropped two retrievers after this series: Crevamoy's Princess Kelly owned and handled by Clifford Cowan of Pitt Meadows, B.C. and FTC and Ch. Blyth's Queen of Spades owned and handled by Mrs. W. H. Copeland of Grimsby, Ontario.

The fourth series opened with 15 retrievers still in. It was a triple retrieve using Mallards over water.

This was a new lake, the retriever on line was to mark the first Mallard thrown from the shore across the lake into the water about 15 yards out and about 95 yards from the retriever. The second Mallard was thrown over a bluff into the water about 40 yards to the left of the retriever and the third bird was thrown about 30 yards into the water to the right of the retriever. The visibility was foggy and a fairly strong wind blowing from left to right which drifted the first Mallard either in shore or down the lake for about 30 yards from the original fall. All 15 retrievers completed and were called back for series five.

Series five was a double mark using pheasants, with the first bird being thrown down hill about 65 yards in thick cover of high weeds and old barley and the second pheasant thrown about 25 yards to the right of the retriever on line into thick cover in a gully. All retrievers completed and were called back for series six.

Series six was a land blind with a diversion shot fired to the left front of the retriever on line. The pheasant was placed on a hillside in thick cover about 120 yards from the retriever on line. This required the retriever to go down hill over combined barley stubble and then uphill in thick cover of weeds and old barley to the pheasant. This was a difficult test and required expert line and expert handling of the dog. The following eight retrievers were dropped after this series: FTC Smudge's Pitch, Labrador, owned and handled by Clifford Hunt of Grimsby, Ont., Bing of Penelope, Labrador, owned and handled by W. J. Hutchinson, Van Wagner's Beach, Ontario, FTC CE-Pine Sandy Duke, Chesapeake Bay, owned and handled by Cyril W. Hicks of Winnipeg, Man., FTC Black Squeek of Netley Creek, Labrador, owned and handled by George Duganis of Winnipeg, Man., FTC Jet of Spook, Labrador, owned and handled by Gordon Lindemere, of North Vancouver, B.C., FTC Valentine Luke, owned and handled by W. J. Bisziel, of Edmonton, Alberta, C.D. (Can. and Am.) Stonegates Golden Tamarack, Golden Retriever, owned and handled by Dr. Duncan Croll, of Winnipeg, FTC Van Wagner's Kernel, owned and handled by W. J. Hut-

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HOW DACHSHUNDS FARED IN '59

In all of last year's busy show season, barely an event passed in which a Dachshund did not place in the group. In many instances group placings were made by several types of Dachshunds, which throws cold water on the theory held by some that you can't expect to place with a Dachshund other than the Standard Smooth.

During the year several Dachshunds earned exceptional glory for themselves and the breed. Most outstanding was George Kynoch's Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight, a Standard Smooth puppy who took a Best in Show, Best Canadian Bred in Show four times and Best Canadian Bred Puppy in Show nine times. Other Best in Show winners were Am. Ch. Monica of Heying-Teckel, owned by Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Eisen; Can. and Am. Ch. Edgelough Coco, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sinclair, Standard wire-hair; and Casper's Annette, Standard Smooth owned by A. and K. Casper. Best Canadian Bred in Show wins were also earned by J. A. H. Irving's Bonshaw Black Jack, Standard Smooth; Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher, Am. CD, owned by A. W. S. Preddy.

Show	Date	Dogs Shown	Group Placing	Name of Dachshund	Type
	Feb.				
Alberta KC	21	131	1	Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher Am. CD	St. WH
			3	Can. and Am. Ch. Double Stretch of the Wall	St. Sm.
			4	Yclept Russet George	St. LH
	Mar.				
Victoria City KC	13	154	4	Ch. Starshine v.d. Daniels	St. Sm.
Can. National Sportsmen's Show	18	336	1	Am. Ch. Kleetals Venture	St. Sm.
Can. National Sportsmen's Show	19	353	1	Am. Ch. Kleetals Venture	St. Sm.
Can. National Sportsmen's Show	20	366	1	Am. Ch. Kleetals Venture	St. Sm.
	Apr.				
Kent KC	11	255	1	Calypso of Gera	St. Sm.
			3	Kopje's Merribit of Wunderbar	Min. LH
			4	Am. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
Bermuda KC	17	45	4	Bettina von Mazarin	St. Sm.
Bermuda KC	18	46	4	Bettina von Mazarin	St. Sm.
Kiwanis Club of Kerrisdale	17	192	2	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
Kiwanis Club of Kerrisdale	18	192	3	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
The Ladies KC of Canada	25	286	2	Am. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
The Ladies KC of Canada	26	282	2	Can. and Am. Ch. Kleetals Venture	St. Sm.
	May				
Ottawa KC	1	229	3	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
Hull and Dist. KC	3	203	2	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
Calgary Kennel & Obedience Club	1	114	1	Ch. Del Rey Trinketina	Min. Sm.
" "			2	Yclept Russet George	St. LH
	2	125	1	Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher	St. WH
			3	Ch. Del Rey Trinketina	Min. Sm.
Regina Kennel & Obedience Club	4	81	2	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
	5	79	3	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
Moose Jaw KC	7	68	4	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
Moose Jaw KC	8	78	1	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
Moose Jaw KC	9	85	2	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
Forest City KC	9	296	3	Am. Ch. Calypso of Gera	St. Sm.
Hub City KC of Saskatoon	11	85	3	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
"	12	77	3	Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers As.	15, 16	122, 121	1	Danks Marimba	St. Sm.
			1	Casper's Annette	St. Sm.
Fort Garry KC	14	95	4	Wunderbar's Stefan Mathews	St. Sm.
Edmonton KC	15	141	2	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
			3	Ch. Del. Rey Trinketina	Min. Sm.
Edmonton KC	16	141	2	Burnie v.d. Fletcher	St. Sm.
			4	Ch. Del Rey Trinketina	Min. Sm.
B.C. Ladies KC	17	179	2	Casper's Lancer	St. Sm.
B.C. Ladies KC	18	157	1	Casper's Annette	St. Sm.
			4	Am. Ch. Tinas Coma Flambe	St. LH
Barrie KC	16	313	3	Tippy v.d. Daniels	St. Sm.
Tantramar KC	16	138	2	Lisa's Heidi	St. Sm.
Tantramar KC	18	131	4	Herr Booker v. Wilhelm	St. Sm.
Perth County KC	18	234	2	Dresel's Party Doll	St. Sm.
Alberta KC	18	111	1	Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher	St. WH
			3	Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
Alberta KC	19	98	2	Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			4	Sonnenheim's Anka	St. LH
Sarnia KC	23	181	2	Am. Ch. Maxsohn Elmer	St. LH
Aurora & Dist. KC	30	314	2	Am. and Can. Ch. Kleetal's Venture	St. Sm.
	June				
Progressive KC	6	337	4	Can. and Am. Ch. Calypso of Gera	St. Sm.
Can. Save the Children's Fund	17	187	3	Ch. Zachary of Gera	St. Sm.
Can. Save the Children's Fund	18	185	1	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
Kingston and District KC	20	196	4	Ch. Zachary of Gera	St. Sm.
Greater Vancouver KC	26	179	2	Am. Ch. Flair of Gera	St. Sm.
Greater Vancouver KC	27	192	1	Am. Ch. Casper's Lancer	St. Sm.
Hamilton KC	27	297	1	Am. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
			4	Am. Ch. Maxsohn Elmer	St. LH
Halifax KC	29	166	4	Red Max.	St. Sm.
	July				
Shearwater KC	1	131	3	Red Max	St. Sm.
Ontario County KC	4	248	1	Heidenheim's Prelude	St. Sm.
Miramichi Kennel & Obedience Club	11	81	3	Davey Lin's Vance	St. Sm.
Lakehead KC	16	142	2	Am. Ch. Cal Shur's Dark Clipper	St. Sm.
Lakehead KC	17	138	1	Am. Ch. Cal Shur's Dark Clipper	St. Sm.
Lakehead KC	18	134	2	Am. Ch. Cal Shur's Dark Clipper	St. Sm.
Kawartha KC	18	272	3	Heidenheim's Prelude	St. Sm.
Northern Alberta Canine Assoc.	25	89	2	Star Dust v.d. Daniels	St. Sm.
	Aug.				
Kitchener-Waterloo KC	1	284	2	Ch. Heidenheim's Prelude	St. Sm.
Coronation KC	14	122	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			3	Am. Ch. Jag-Wire of Lin-Wal	St. WH
Coronation KC	15	121	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			2	Am. Ch. Jag-Wire of Lin-Wal	St. WH
Moncton KC	15	148	2	Sherlitt's Hi Larry	St. Sm.
Fredericton KC	17	123	3	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
Fredericton KC	18	123	2	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
N. Brunswick KC	20	126	2	Koorenny's Skeets	St. Sm.
N. Brunswick KC	21	127	4	Am. Ch. Pegremos Black Flare	St. LH
Simcoe	22	240	2	Am. and Can. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
Three Rivers Regional Fair	23	101	2	Di-Mar's Irresistible	Min. Sm.
New Glasgow KC	29	90	3	Dorville's Cleopatra	St. Sm.
Central Canada Exhibition	29	197	4	Ch. Heidenheim's Prelude	St. Sm.
Ottawa KC	30	176	4	Ch. Heidenheim's Prelude	St. Sm.
	Sept.				
Can. Nat'al Ex.	2, 3	306	1	Sherlitt's Dr. Hank	St. Sm.
			4	Am. Ch. O'Dolan's Great John L.	St. WH
Can. Nat'al Ex.	4, 5	348	2	Am. and Can. Ch. Kleetal's Venture	St. Sm.
Pacific Nat'al Ex.	4	208	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			4	Am. Ch. Tubac's Tuppence	St. WH
Pacific Nat'al Ex.	5	219	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			4	Am. Can., Mex. Ch. Tubac's Wee Johann	Min. WH
Pacific Nat'al Ex.	7	215	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			2	Am. Can., Mex. Ch. Tubac's Wee Johann	Min. WH
Working Dog Asso.	8	198	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			2	Am. Can., Mex. Ch. Tubac's Wee Johann	Min. WH
Working Dog Ass.	9	188	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers Assoc.	11	192	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers Assoc.	12	203	1	Ch. Silverdale Noble Knight	St. Sm.
			4	Erica M of Neill's Nest	Min. Sm.
Oakville & Dist. KC	12	320	2	Am. and Can. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
Canaid Canine Club	13	329	1	Am. and Can. Ch. Edgelough Coco	St. WH
Pictou County KC	19	105	3	Flare of Yewden	Min. LH
			4	Davey-Lin's Vance	St. Sm.
	Oct.				
Wallaceburg KC	3	166	2	Direct Red of the Walls	St. Sm.
			3	Temple-Manor Eliza Jane	Min. LH
Canadian All Pets	9	208	2	Britto v. Kirsch	St. Sm.
Canadian All Pets	10	219	2	Am. Ch. Ed-El-Fra's Pica Ro	St. LH

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Canadian All Pets	11	198	2	Am. Ch. Celloyd Daniel	St. Sm.
Victoria City KC	23	116	1	Am. Ch. Monica of Heying Teckel	St. Sm.
Victoria City KC	24	119	1	Am. Ch. Monica of Heying-Teckel	St. Sm.
Bermuda KC	29	78	3	Johannis Strauss	Min. Sm.
Bermuda KC	30	75	2	Johannis Strauss	Min. Sm.
			4	Hubertus Franziskus	St. WH
Bermuda KC	31	76	3	Hubertus Franziskus	St. WH
			4	Johannis Strauss	Min. Sm.
Calgary Kennel & Obedience Club	Nov. 13	142	1	My Little Sepperl	St. Sm.
			3	Am. and Can. Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher, Am. & Can. CD	St. WH
			4	Yclept Russett George	St. LH
Calgary Kennel & Obedience Club	14	144	2	Am. and Can. Ch. Brush Cut v.d. Fletcher, Am. & Can. CD	St. WH

DACHSHUNDS ARE SUCH INDIVIDUALS!

by Agness Hammond

While all Dachshunds have many traits in common, each dog has his own very definite personality. In the wire-hairs, my Miniature Sage Brush has a perplexed and worried little face. If I leave her at home alone she sheds real tears. She scuttles around the house, a busy little housewife, wanting to be sure she isn't missing anything that goes on. Her husband Pasha is highly excitable. He will come running to me, screaming his lungs out, whenever he meets a situation he cannot understand. Explain it to him and he is happy. Then my friend Brush Cut, the Standard Wire-haired. He always seems to me to be a most self-possessed fellow, strolling casually into the show rings and obedience trials with a bored look on his face, taking all the top honours. But I understand that in his home, he is as rambumptious as any other Daxie. And Scoffie, another Standard Wire, who goes around looking very aristocratic and ignoring overyone but his loved mistress, but who is a big baby when alone with her.

The Smooths, whom I know best, have a multitude of temperament. They vary as much as we humans and have moods as we do. Old Schnapps would accept a reprimand from no one but me. If anyone else rebuked him he would solemnly walk over to the front door and deliberately dirty, then sneer at the unfortuante one with whom he was annoyed. Dear old Winkie, who has never in her life needed a harsh word spoken to her, is loved and loves the whole world. Double Trouble, who is just as his name implies, always up to mischief and rushing over to tell you what he has been up to. His father Stretch, who surveys his harem with an aloof air, then rolls over and ask you to rub his tummy. Quito, short for Mosquito, so named as whenever guests arrive, buzzes around the room, behind and underneath the furniture, peering out to see what strange creatures these might be, and although now 11 years old, still continues this routine. Sepperl, whenever he sees anyone about to sit down, dashes for the chair and slides into it ahead of him. Zeug, fiercely protective and ready to chew the leg off anyone who would lay a hand on me. Jennie and Fritz, the mighty hunters, who never missed a day after gophers or mice, until they finally left me, just a week apart, aged 15 and 16 years. Their puppies have all inherited this strong hunting spirit. George, William and Henery who decided to go for a hunt one winter day. About dusk I got worried and followed their tracks in the snow, over the hill and down to the river. They had jumped in and swum to an ice floe on which were the tracks of wild ducks. Then back to shore and upstream, up over the hill, past the hay stacks, where there were signs of much digging after mice, onward and overlapping the tracks of two coyotes. Into the timber and then signs of their dragging something along. They were on the doorstep when I reached home, their tongues lolling out and happy grins on their faces, guarding their prize, a very defunct deer head! Their sister Heidi, who adored car driving, would sit up on her rear on the back seat, gazing out the window, and nodding sweetly at each passerby, for all the world like visiting royalty. These are all Standards. The wee Miniatures vary as much in temperament. Little Trinket, slow, placid and friendly. Lollypop who cannot stay still for two consecutive minutes, full of curiosity and investigating the slightest noise. When the canary arrived Lollypop spent an entire week trying to climb the wall to get high enough to reach him, without success, but with the loss of considerable weight. Farthing, very dainty and ladylike and condescending to let you hold her and tell her how beautiful she is. Rudolph rules the house with a rod of iron and a voice like a hoarse rooster, but cries like a baby if I don't take him to bed at night. And our old lady Trinketina, who sits quietly back, watching the uproar that daily goes on around her, secure in the knowledge that she will always be honoured and cared for.

The Long-hairs also have their charm. There are my friends the Yclept Russet Standards, Toad, Jezebel and others, who come to town from the country and like well behaved children follow their mistress through the busy streets, never straying and minding their manners. They come to the shows and cheerfully go through their paces. Then happily return to the country where they become transformed into terrific hunters, tearing over the prairies all day long. On the contrary, my Miniature Amsel turns from a sweet-tempered young lady, into a roaring demon when she attends a show, shrieking insults at all the other dogs and generally behaving like a very badly brought up little urchin. If the mood strikes her, as soon as we enter the ring, she will refuse to walk. We leave the ring in humiliation and up goes her tail and she struts along at the end of her lead, jeering at the dogs on the benches. Astrid is totally different and goes to a show determined to please everyone. She pleads for people to come and talk to her; she adores to be cuddled. But let her see a mouse at home and she is just the right size to bolt under the sofa after him. Our little boy Romeo is still very much of an adolescent. One day he is sweet as pie, the next bold as brass. But as yet he is very deferential to his elders and will move from his warm spot under the stove if one of the old dogs wants that place.

In the matter of health, intelligence, temperament and so on, there is actually little to choose between the six varieties. I think all Daxies, properly reared, are strong and healthy dogs, no more prone to troubles than any other breed. In a household with small children I would sooner see a standard pup as I feel he is better able to withstand the onslaughts of the "human" pups. In courage all Dachshunds think they are very big dogs. Intelligence? They have plenty of that and Dachshunds of all six varieties are earning their obedience degrees.

Temperament is, as with all dogs, to a great degree a matter of upbringing. We mold their personalities to our way of life; or is it that the Daxie molds us to his way of thinking? Whichever it is you may be sure that your Daxie will always maintain his individuality.

THE DACHSHUND CLUB OF CANADA

by Leo Bodemer

The Dachshund Club of Canada are now in their sixth year, as the club was founded on October 17, 1954. This past year has been a wonderful year. Membership to the club is open to those who own a purebred Dachshund. Our club is made up of members across Canada, also United States. At the present time we have 53 members.

I would like to tell you a little about the Dachshund Club and its activities. We have regular monthly executive meetings, on the first Sunday of every month. In the past years we moved from one city to another, at our members' homes.

The beginning of 1959 we held the meetings at Stratford, Ont. at Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bodemer's. Since June we have had them at Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Lindsay's, Willow Cove near Burlington, Ont. The minutes of our meetings are printed, then sent out to all members. This is the work of the secretary, Carl Sharen of Sarnia — also Dr. Bridgman of Walkerton. With members receiving the minutes they know what is being done in the club. Many members live a great distance from the meeting place but they can feel they are part of the club by receiving the minutes.

Our new President for 1959 was Ernie Lindsay who did a wonderful job all year. Ernie also had another job of writing the news items for *Dogs in Canada*, also the *American Dachshund* magazine. Just keep up the good work, Ernie, we don't know what we would do without you.

One of our highlights for 1959 was a talk by Dr. Fred Bridgman of Walkerton, Ont. The subject was "Properly balanced Vitamin Diets for Brood Females Before and After Mating Time". This was very interesting and educational to all of us.

Our July meeting was a day to bring your picnic basket also to bring our puppies for the Puppy Fun Match. It was enjoyed by all. This is always an exciting day in bringing out those new puppies, to see if they will show themselves properly. We had classes of all ages and varieties. There were 17 puppies competing from two to 10 months of age with Joe Chatfield of London, Ont. as judge. Joe did a very good job of judging, and the puppies were all of good quality.

Everyone was pleased to see our new banner for the club which is very beautiful, made by Mrs. Lena Lindsay. It is made of deep velvet, with gold satin lettering and with gold fringe. (Thanks again, Lena.)

September was a big month for the Dachshund Club members, as this is the month we held our Fourth Annual Specialty Show at Burlington. It was also our First Futurity Match, which was held with the Burlington and District All Breed Show. This is always a busy day for all Dachshund breeders, because they can show their dogs at two shows on one day and get double points. Mr. Spradling was the judge, who did a very good job.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chatfield for winning our Special Trophy two years in a row; in 1958 Ch. King's Diana, in 1959 Barney, a son of Ch. King's Red Rocket and Ch. King's Diana. It was our largest entry of Dachshunds and of four varieties. We had five Miniature Long Hair, four Miniature Smooth, six Standard Long Hair, 32 Standard Smooth. This gave us a total of 47 Dachshunds, and 11 puppies in our First Futurity Standard Smooth. Our 1960 Futurity will be open to all breeds of Dachshunds. I hope you are making your plans to have your Dachshund entered for our Second Futurity Match in September. For information on Futurity contact Mrs. N. T. Smith, 267 Pine Cove Rd., Burlington, Ont.

Right now we are planning an All Breed Sanction Show on February 6, 1960 at Waterdown, Ont. Our judges for this show will be Mrs. Margaret Carroll, Group 1; John Marks, Groups 2-3, Best in Show and Best Canadian Bred; Mrs. Pat Fisher, Group 4-5; Norman Smith, Group 6.

To have these successful shows we need trophies, so at this time I would like to thank Mrs. Elizabeth Sharen of Sarnia, our trophy chairman, and all those who were so kind in donating trophies for our shows.

The President of the C.K.C., Mr. Walter Brown, and The Canadian Kennel Club Board of Directors has authorized a committee. They are going to study all matters pertaining to the registration, breeding and exhibition of Dachshunds.

I do hope all Dachshund breeders have read this "Notice to Dachshund Fanciers" in the December issue of *Dogs in Canada* on page 38J. If you have any information to help this committee please write to Mr. Walter Brown.

Now that you have read this article, I hope that you will become a member of our Dachshund Club of Canada, if you are not already a member.

Anyone interested in joining will receive a warm welcome. Fee, one person $3.00 annually; joint membership $4.00. Write to our treasurer Mr. Joe Chatfield, 110 Oak St., London, Ont.

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DACHSHUND FUTURITY

by Ernie Lindsay

The Dachshund Club of Canada held their first Futurity during 1959. To the best of our knowledge this was also the first such match to be held in Canada for any breed.

A Futurity should not be confused with the better known "Sweepstakes". For here one deals with the future and what that will produce, rather than the present.

The purpose of a Futurity can be explained in a very few words: "I have enough confidence in this female that, if bred correctly, she will produce me winning pups". To show this confidence she is nominated *before* being bred with a fee charged for this service. If you have ill luck and she does not come in season in time, or she does not conceive when bred, you have gambled and lost either the nomination fee or that and the second installment. Females can be nominated at anytime up to eight months before the show date.

The second installment is due on the date of the service and this contribution must be made before the pups are born. With this payment you include the name, number and breeder of the stud dog used, as well as the date of service.

The third installment becomes due when the pups are born and must be paid five months prior to the date of the match. Here is where you start to pick your puppies. For this installment is made for *each* puppy that shows promise by simply designating the sex. In a litter of five you may decide that two of the females shall be sold for pets only but the other three look promising so you send in a fee for these three stating sex, or at this time the entire litter looks very good and so you gamble and send in the fee for each of the five. Should one or more puppies be sold after you have entered them in the Futurity the new owner has the privilege of keeping up the payments, and in fact if you still feel the puppy worthy, they should be encouraged to keep the puppy eligible. This is also a strong selling point and puppies have been sold for large amounts because they were entered in such a Futurity.

The fourth installment is due when the puppy becomes three months old and must be made three months before the show. Here again you weed them out and "keep alive" the entry of those that still look good and drop the ones that you feel have not come up to expectations. Here you give the puppy's name and color. Here is where you should encourage the new owner to make the installment if the puppy sold has developed as promised.

The last installment is made at the time entries close for the show (or match). If the match is held with a Specialty Show the pup must be entered in one of the regular classes and the Futurity is considered an additional class with either the regular entry fee for such a class or a special fee may be made for the Futurity; this is at the discretion of the Club. The Judging of the Futurity comes after the Best of Breed judging if the same judge is doing both the Specialty and the Futurity. But if a separate judge has been engaged for the Futurity, these classes can be taken before the start of the breed.

This first Futurity was open to Smooth Standard Dachshunds only and 18 females were nominated. Seventeen were kept alive with the second installment. Twenty-three puppies were entered at the time of the third installment, four of these were dropped at the fourth and six junior and five senior were shown.

The second Futurity is open to all coats and both Miniature and Standard. *All* fees are divided as follows:

18% of total take to cover expenses.
20% of total take to winning pup.
10% of total take to breeder of winning pup.
15% of total take to Best Opposite Sex to winning pup.
5% of total take to breeder of Best Opposite Sex.
5% of total take to 1st in each class (Jr. Puppy male, Jr. Puppy female, Sr. Puppy male, Sr. Puppy female).
3% of total take to 2nd in each class.

Trophies are provided for the Best Puppy, Best Opposite Sex and Best Canadian Bred.

The Dachshund Club would be pleased to send copies of their nomination and entry forms to any breed Club or persons interested, upon request to the Dachshund Club Secretary, Mr. Ernie Lindsay, Willow Cove (SUB) Burlington, Ont.

DOROTHY DAVIS HARDY ON DACHSHUNDS



Q. On the subject of Dachshund eyes, some breeders seem to prefer a round eye. What is your opinion?

A. The eyes were slitted originally and should remain slant-eyed, almost Egyptian-like.

Q. Is there any practical reason for this?

A. Yes. The slitted eye is constructed in keeping with their method of going down a hole, working under the quarry. They can see slightly through the slit without getting their eyes full of dirt and so becoming crippled.

Q. There is a lot of talk about straighter legs in the Dachshund. What is your opinion?

A. The Dachshund is three-quarters front. The legs, to be correct, should fit around an imaginary egg-shape. They are so designed for his work of hunting and pursuing his quarry in burrows. If the shape is distasteful to anyone, I would suggest going into another breed.

Q. In the matter of coats, from what country would you say the best Wire-haired Dachshunds are now imported?

A. Strangely enough, from Ireland. Even the English and German fanciers, long credited with superior stock, are buying and breeding from Ireland.

Q. Many people consider the Long-haired Dachshunds have a sweeter disposition than the Standard Smooth. Do you believe this?

A. That's not entirely so. Don't forget that all hounds have a good disposition. I'd say all the varieties have a sweet and even temperament. True, there are a few sharp ones, but this is occasionally brought out by close breeding.

Q. What about shy Dachshunds?

A. As in every breed, there are a few. Perhaps some of the shyness results from the introduction of the varying coats. In the case of the Wire, some are more phlegmatic, huskier and physically solid, stemming from the introduction of the Dandie Dinmont for coat. We find the broader head as well. Occasionally the Dandie is brought into Smooth Dachshund breeding by the English and Germans.

Q. How do you know whether your Wire or Long-hair will reproduce in kind?

A. In Canada, three generations of breeding must be accomplished before a coat or type can be registered, just to make sure.

Q. What about Miniatures?

A. In three generations you get a true Miniature.

Q. Was any other breed introduced to produce the wee ones?

A. Yes, for a while the Miniatures were squat and bandy-legged, so the Miniature Pinscher was introduced. Then other Miniature Pinscher qualities had to be bred out again.

Q. Outside of size, is there any difference in the construction of a Miniature as compared with the Standard Dachshund?

A. Yes, it should not have the same spring of ribs or as deep a chest as the Standard. He goes down narrower burrows and could become trapped if he had the same proportions.

Q. Should other bloodlines be introduced in all three sizes of Dachshunds from time to time?

A. Yes, you should. For example, it has been found necessary to help stiffen the coat in the Smooth.

Q. Some breeders appear to be after a longer ear. Is this advisable?

A. Too long an ear tends to make "fox fodder" of a Dachshund. The smaller, neater ear doesn't flop across the face and blind him in a burrow.

Q. In the Southern States particularly, a number of breeders appear to wish to change the Standard. As a breeder and exhibitor, what is your opinion?

A. I personally feel that the Standard as it now stands is both effective and efficient.

Q. Have you any special advice to anyone buying a Dachshund?

A. Yes, one thing in particular. Pay more attention to the bloodlines than to the owner's "lines".

Mrs. Hardy is one of the most respected breeders and handlers in North America. She is a fund of knowledge in both care and showing of dogs and is now in her 26th year of working with dogs. At the close of World War II she had the unique position of serving with the armed forces in de-training war dogs for their re-entrance into civilian life.—Ed.

YOU CAN'T REALLY PICK DOG OF THE YEAR

by Jack Baird

Mr. Baird is one of the best known obedience judges and dog writers, and is special dog columnist for the New York World-Telegram and Sun.

IT is possible for coaches, players or scribes to pick an All-American football team, an All-Star baseball team, or name the player of the year in any sport. But there can be no dog of the year because there are too many facets to the sport.

There are shows that run from 100 to 2500 dogs, obedience trials in the hundreds, and field trials that cover many phases of work. In this latter category there are almost-nationwide championship events, and the topper in these can be king or queen of that special sport, yet on the year's work, lag far behind greater dogs.

The American national title holder in English springers is E. W. Wunderlich's F. T. Ch. Brackenbank Tangle, from Joliet, Ill., handled by Elmore Chick. In Cockers it is Dean Bedford's F.T. Ch. Greatford Charlie, an English import handled by Larry MacQueen. In Retrievers the black Labrador, Spirit Lake Duke, took the title a second time for Mrs. George Murnane of Syosset, N.Y., handled by Joe Schomer. In the pointing breeds there is a new star every weekend.

Pekingese a Possibility

No dog can actually be accepted as the national champ unless he could sweep all the major shows of the country. On the record built up over the years, the Pekingese, Ch. Chik T'Sun of Caversham, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Venable of Atlanta, Ga., handled by Mrs. Clara Alford, with a new world record of 122 or more bests in show, still cannot be rightly classed as the dog of the year.

Granted this Pekingese did win the famed spring International show at Chicago, which is second only to Westminster, the majority of wins were in smaller shows than those won by the late Bang Away of Sirrah Crest, the Boxer owned by Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Harris, which had 121 bests of show. So each year has to be unto itself, and each division of the dog sport must have its own king or queen.

Only one dog made an outstanding mark in more than one division and might logically be called dog of the year. That is the pert Miniature Schnauzer, Jonaire's Pocono Rough Rider, owned by Dick and Betty Stanton of Lancaster, Pa.

Impressive Wins

The first competitive dog ever owned by the Stantons and always handled by Dick, a retired dentist, this charmer in May became the first dog in any breed to become a show champion and also the holder of all four obedience degrees in both the United States and Canada. In the course of competing in both, he nailed down many perfect scores and many times the top trophy for obedience in open trials.

The spotlight also has to shine on probably the oldest dual champion still able to place and win in field trials. This is the imported Brittany spaniel, Wippy de la Vallee Bourrault, owned by Mrs. R. R. Machlett of New Canaan, Conn. Wippy, who will be 12, March 3, was in the thick of many a field trial this fall and was considered the dog to beat.

One thing is certain: the dog show of the year is Westminster at Madison Square Garden, limited to 2500 blue ribbon dogs because of space. It is the only show to have survived the wars without losing its meeting, and, among consecutive sporting events in America, is only one year younger than the oldest, the Kentucky Derby.

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DOGS and PEOPLE

For many, the old year went out much the same as any other. But to other members of the dog world, their families and friends, the final week of 1959 was the blackest of the entire year. The world of canine publishing lost two old-timers. *Mrs. Phyllis Robson*, columnist for the English *Dog World*, one-time editor of *Dogs in Canada* and inveterate dog show enthusiast, died. She had not enjoyed good health for some time. As a permanent memorial, her name will continue to appear at the head of the column "Rambling Around", which she produced for many years, as long as the publication *Dog World* continues . . . *Bert Heath*, publisher of *Kennel Review* died just prior to the writing of this column, in California. The writer had the pleasure of chatting with him during the PNE show in Vancouver early last September . . . Died, in an automobile accident near Ottawa, *Robert J. (Bob) Smuck*, 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Smuck, (Willow-Acres Kennels) Inglewood, Ont. . . . Died, *Hugh J. Chisholm*, (Strathglass Kennels) Port Chester, N.Y., Welsh Terrier breeder well-known to many Canadians . . . *P. H. "Pete" Moore*, New Westminster, B.C., passed on just before Christmas. One of the outstanding cattle breeders in North America, he was a former director of provincial government farms at Essondale, Tranquille and Colquitz, and as superintendent of the colony farm at Essondale he developed a world-famous Holstein herd. Mr. Moore also made a great contribution to the scientific breeding of genuine hunting and exhibition Labrador Retrievers. He was a former member of The Canadian Kennel Club and brother of former CKC director Dinty Moore.

Mrs. Shirley de Boer, Toronto handler, with infant daughter was in an automobile accident. Mrs. de Boer was badly shaken and treated in hospital for minor injuries, while the baby was seriously injured. . . . *Mrs. Jane Devlin*, Toronto, active member of the All Terrier Club of Canada, suffered a fractured leg on New Year's Day.

Deepest sympathy is extended to members and friends of bereaved families. To those in distress through accident or illness, sincere wishes for complete recovery and continuing good health.

American Champion Blue Music Of Ronas Hill, owned by Ken Goldfarb, North Bellmore, New York and bred by *Mrs. G. F. Lovett* of Ronas Hill Kennels, Stittsville, Ont., has just been chosen in the annual Collie Review Awards, as the greatest winning Collie in the East,



for 1959. This is the first blue merle Collie in several years to receive this award and the only Canadian-bred Collie ever to do so. Ch. Blue Music of Ronas Hill was sired by Can. and Am. Ch. Blue Minstrel of Ronas Hill, out of Ch. Ebony Elegance of Ronas Hill. Another son of Ch. Ebony Elegance, Can. Ch. Coppertone of R.H., is believed to be the only Canadian-bred Collie to win a Group in the States, which he did at Jackson, Mississippi, in April.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniell-Jenkins of Rouge Hill, Ont., have both been on the sick list. The former is recuperating from a spinal condition, while the latter, at the time of writing, was confined to the Ajax Hospital . . . A card from *Ted Gundersen*, Ottawa, postmarked Clearwater, Florida, reports a big show of 575 dogs, an increase of 125 over 1959. This Canadian judge drew the largest entry of 149; 45 Boxers, 35 Shepherds, 29 Dobermans, 20 Collies and the balance in Shelties and Great Danes.

Miss Kestevan Balshaw, Kleinburg, Ont., attended the Cocker Specialty held annually at the Roosevelt Hotel, New

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The Ladies' Kennel Club of Canada Inc. have donated a trust fund to The Canadian National Institute for the Blind of $4,000 *for the purchase of Seeing-Eye Guide dogs. In the past the club has donated* 22 *guide dogs to the Blind in Quebec (at* $550 *each) made possible by LKC shows. L. to r. Mr. W. Milton, superintendent of the CNIB (Quebec), Mrs. W. G. Krauser, a director of the LKC, Dr. Labelle, chairman of the CNIB Board; Mrs. Pamela B. Mack, LKC president making the presentation and Mrs. J. Dempster, a club director.*

IN THE FIELD

by Andrew Cumming

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When the first article of *"In The Field"* was published in the December issue of *Dogs in Canada*, this writer asked that the people conducting other types of field trials contribute articles of general interest. After two months, we have not received a single item. Are the Beagle men the only ones who are interested in their sport? Come on fellows, let me have some help, believe me I am going to need it.

As many of the beaglers know I spent almost four months in a cast this past Summer and missed most of our trials. I managed to get rid of the cast late in October and discarded my crutches a week later. At the end of the next week I left for Virginia to attend some of the American trials.

I first went to the National Beagle club trial at Aldie, Virginia. This was their 70th Annual Trial; they conducted their first trial in 1889. I entered one of my bitches in a class of 86. This was a good entry for this class but was by no means a large one. This past Summer, one club had 196 entries in the 13" bitch class. You can readily see that the judges had a real problem to pick the four best ones from this number.

In the 13" bitch class at the National, one of the bitches had 914 points but needed a third win to complete her championship. Several bitches had from 300 to 600 points, but needed that third win.

From there, we went on to the Old Dominion trial at Cumberland, Virginia on the North Carolina border. We spent the evening with Beryl Bishop, one of the foremost breeders and handlers in the United States.

We left the Old Dominion trial and came back to the York and Adams Beagle Club in the lower part of Pennsylvania. This club has without doubt the best facilities of any that I have visited. They have converted an old farm house into a club room and have constructed a new concrete block dining room on the side. Their kitchen is spotless and is well equipped with modern cooking and serving equipment. Their kitchen and dining room are well managed by their ladies auxiliary.

Their running grounds cover about 350 acres, which is fenced on three sides. The fourth side is a project for this year. The grounds are well stocked and most of the running is done in open fields in full view of the gallery. This club is considering trapping some of the rabbits and removing them from the grounds. They actually have too many rabbits. We in Canada have a lot to learn on both property and wild life management, before we will be able to run these large classes without the problem of insufficient game.

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COMING SHOWS AND TRIALS

COMING EVENTS
COMING CHAMPIONSHIP SHOWS

(* Indicates All-Breed Shows)
(O.T.—Denotes Licensed Obedience Trial in conjunction with Championship Show).

*February 20, 1960—ALBERTA KENNEL CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. Mrs. Dora Moore, Show Secretary, R.R. #4, Calgary, Alta. (O.T.)

*February 21, 1960—ALBERTA KENNEL CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. Mrs. Dora Moore, Show Secretary, R.R. #4, Calgary, Alta.

February 27—DOMINION COLLIE & SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, at Weston, Ont. (Specialty Show for Breeds in Group 3). Mrs. Mary Hart, Show Secretary, R.R. #2, Pickering, Ont.

*March 11-12, 1960—VICTORIA CITY KENNEL CLUB, at Victoria, B.C. (Two Shows). Miss Barbara R. Watt, Secretary, 966 Heywood Ave., Victoria, B.C.

March 13—THE ASSOCIATION OF SPECIALTY CLUBS OF B.C., at Vancouver, B.C. (Specialty Show for Boxers, Collies, Shetland Sheepdogs and Breeds in Group 4). Mrs. Elsie D. Murray, Secretary, 4854 Lanark St., Vancouver 12, B.C.

*March 16-17-18—CANADIAN NATIONAL SPORTSMEN'S DOG SHOWS, at Toronto, Ont. (Three Shows). Mr. Peter Lindsay, Secretary, 80 Bloor St. W., Toronto, Ont.

March 19 — CANADIAN NATIONAL SPORTSMEN'S DOG SHOWS, at Toronto, Ont. (Limited Breed Show). Mr. Peter Lindsay, Secretary, 80 Bloor St. W., Toronto, Ont.

March 19—DOMINION COLLIE & SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, at Toronto, Ont. (Specialty Show for Collies and Shetland Sheepdogs). Mrs. G. Drewe, Secretary, 11 Farrel Avenue, Willowdale, Ont.

March 19—BOXER CLUB OF CANADA, at Toronto, Ont. (Specialty Show for Boxers). Mr. John D. Marks, Show Secretary, R.R. #1, Richmond Hill, Ont.

*April 2—FREDERICTON KENNEL CLUB, at Fredericton, N.B. Mrs. Janet B. Glenn, Secretary, 280 Gibsen St., Fredericton, N.B.

April 16 — THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF GREATER OTTAWA, at Ottawa, Ont. (Specialty Show for German Shepherds). Mr. Percy Doane, President, Box 92, Britannia Heights, Ottawa, Ont.

*April 23, 1960—KENT KENNEL KLUB, at Chatham, Ont. Mrs. Olive Mills, Secretary, Charing Cross, Ont. (O.T.)

*April 24—SARNIA KENNEL CLUB, at Point Edward, Ont. Mrs. J. C. Logan, Show Secretary, 300 Bright St., Sarnia, Ont. (O.T.)

April 29 — THE POODLE CLUB OF QUEBEC, at Montreal, Que. (Specialty Show for all Poodles). Mrs. E. A. Chandler, 36 Easton Ave., Montreal West, Que., Secretary.

*April 29-30, 1960—CALGARY KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. (Two Shows). Miss B. I. Dargie, Secretary, 2016 - 25th St. S.W., Calgary, Alta.

*April 30—MIRAMICHI KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Chatham, N.B. Mrs. Dorothy L. Weston, Secretary, Box 225, R.C.A.F. Station, Chatham, N.B.

*April 30-May 1, 1960—THE LADIES KENNEL CLUB OF CANADA INC., at Montreal, Que. (Two Shows). Mrs. Evelyn McCullough, Secretary, 26 Golf Ave., Pointe Claire, Que.

*May 6, 1960—THE OTTAWA KENNEL CLUB, at Ottawa, Ont. Mrs. Lyle W. Jackson, Secretary, 467 Sunnyside Ave., Ottawa 1, Ont.

*May 7, 1960—THE OTTAWA KENNEL CLUB, at Ottawa, Ont. Mrs. Lyle W. Jackson, Secretary, 467 Sunnyside Ave., Ottawa 1, Ont. (O.T.)

*May 14 — FOREST CITY KENNEL CLUB, at London, Ont. Mr. George A. Astles, Secretary, 757 Elizabeth St., London, Ont. (O.T.)

*May 20-21—VANCOUVER ISLAND DOG FANCIERS ASSOCIATION, at Victoria, B.C. (Two Shows, Two Obedience Trials). Mrs. F. H. Webb, Secretary, 21 Wildrose Ave., Victoria, B.C.

*May 21, 1960—BARRIE KENNEL CLUB, at Barrie, Ont. Mrs. Vina Jones, Secretary, R.R. #2, Minesing, Ont.

*May 21-23, 1960—TANTRAMAR KENNEL CLUB, at Amherst, N.S. Mr. R. E. Merrill, Secretary, 53 Willow St., Amherst, N.S. (Two Shows).

May 22 — THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, at Vancouver, B.C. (Specialty Show for German Shepherds). Miss Winifred Dorchester, Secretary, 2938 Mathers Ave., West Vancouver, B.C.

*May 23-24—ALBERTA KENNEIL CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. Mr. E. W. McDonald, Secretary, 304 Hendon Drive, Calgary, Alta. (Two Shows).

*May 23, 1960—PERTH COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, at Stratford, Ont. Mrs. Lovella Symonds, Secretary, 137 Albert St., Stratford, Ont. (O.T.)

*May 27-28 — EDMONTON KENNEL CLUB, at Edmonton, Alta. (Two Shows). Miss E. M. MacKay, Secretary, 11842-65 Street, Edmonton, Alta.

*May 28 — AURORA & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB INC., at Aurora, Ont. Mrs. Mary Hart, Secretary, R.R. #2, Pickering, Ont.

*May 30-31—THE HUB CITY KENNEL CLUB OF SASKATOON, at Saskatoon, Sask. Mrs. Laurence Yuille, 321 9th St. E., Saskatoon, Sask., Secretary. (Two Shows).

*June 2-3 — MOOSE JAW KENNEL CLUB, at Moose Jaw, Sask. (Two Shows). Mrs. Mary Miller, Secretary, 256 Ominica St., Moose Jaw, Sask.

*June 4 — MOOSE JAW KENNEL CLUB, at Moose Jaw, Sask. Mrs. Mary Miller, Secretary, 256 Ominica St., Moose Jaw, Sask. (O.T.)

*June 4, 1960—THE PROGRESSIVE KENNEL CLUB OF CANADA LTD., at Toronto, Ont. Mrs. Martha Stevens, Show Secretary, 1698 Gerrard St. E., Toronto, Ont.

*June 6-7 — REGINA KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Regina, Sask. (Two Shows). Mrs. Evelyn Wuttke, Secretary, 1766 Edward Street, Regina, Sask.

June 11 — THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG BREEDERS ASSOCIATION INC., at Toronto, Ont. (Specialty Show for German Shepherds). Mr. Herb Burrows, Secretary, Brock Rd. N., R.R. #1, Pickering, Ont.

*June 11-12, 1960—THE LADIES KENNEL CLUB OF CANADA INC., at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que. (Two Shows, Two Obedience Trials). Mrs. Evelyn McCullough, Show Secretary, 26 Golf Ave., Pointe Claire, Que. (O.T.)

June 12—CENTRAL ONTARIO BEAGLE CLUB, at Streetsville, Ont. Mr. P. B. Jacobi, Secretary, R.R. #3, Woodbridge, Ont. (Specialty Show for Beagles).

*June 18 — KINGSTON & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB, at Kingston, Ont. Mrs. Vera O'Donnell, Show Secretary, 54 Collingwood St., Kingston, Ont.

*June 24-25, 1960—EVANGELINE KENNEL CLUB, at Berwick, N.S. (Two Shows). Mrs. A. Z. Whitman, Show Secretary, Auburn, N.S.

July 1-2—SHEARWATER KENNEL CLUB, at Dartmouth, N.S. Mr. Andrew C. McMillin, President, Topsail Blvd., Woodlawn (Dartmouth), N.S. (Two Shows).

*July 2 — ONTARIO COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, at Oshawa, Ont. Mrs. H. F. Porter, Show Secretary, 213 Roxborough Ave., Oshawa, Ont.

*July 9, 1960—THE SIMCOE KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Simcoe, Ont. Mrs. Dorothy Mehlenbacher, Secretary, Fisherville, Ont. (O.T.)

*July 14-15-16 — LAKEHEAD KENNEL CLUB, at Fort William, Ont. (Three Shows) Mrs. M. Young, Secretary, 2028 Rankin Street, Fort William, Ont.

*July 16—RESTIGOUCHE KENNEL CLUB, at Dalhousie, N.B. Mr. George Appleby, Secretary, P.O. Box 601, Dalhousie, N.B.

*August 6 — KITCHENER-WATERLOO KENNEL CLUB, at Preston, Ont. Mr. Wilbert J. Gross, Show Secretary, 499 Guelph St., Kitchener, Ont. (O.T.)

*August 15-16 — NEW BRUNSWICK KENNEL CLUB, at Saint John, N.B. (Two Shows). Mr. Robert B. Laskey, Secretary, c/o 271 Regent Street, Fredericton, N.B.

*August 17-18—FREDERICTON KENNEL CLUB, at Fredericton, N.B. Mrs. Janet B. Glenn, Secretary, 280 Gibson St., Fredericton, N.B. (Two Shows).

*August 20—MONCTON KENNEL CLUB LTD., at Moncton, N.B. Mrs. Erma P. Morrison, Show Secretary, Suite 108, 1111 Main St., Moncton, N.B. (O.T.)

*August 20, 1960—THE OXFORD COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, at Woodstock, Ont. Mr. S. G. Burgess, Secretary, P.O. Box 180, Woodstock, Ont.

*August 28, 1960—HULL & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB, at Aylmer, Que. Mrs. Pamela Sims, Show Secretary, 412 Somerset St. W., Ottawa, Ont.

*September 6-7—WORKING DOG ASSOCIATION OF B.C., at Vancouver, B.C. Mrs. Elsie D. Murray, Show Secretary, 4854 Lanark St., Vancouver 12, B.C. (Two Shows).

*September 24—CONCEPTION BAY KENNEL CLUB, at Harbour Grace, Nfld. Mrs. Margaret E. Saltman, Secretary, Harvey St., Harbour Grace, Nfld.

September 24, 1960—DACHSHUND CLUB OF CANADA, at Burlington, Ont. (Specialty Show for Dachshunds). Mrs. N. T. Smith, Show Secretary, 267 Pine Cove Rd., Burlington, Ont.

*September 24 — BURLINGTON & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB, at Burlington, Ont. Mrs. D. Engels, Secretary, 1036 Marley Cres., Burlington, Ont.

*October 15 — LONDON CANINE ASSOCIATION, at London, Ont. Mr. Robert A. Revell, Secretary, 491 King St., London, Ont.

November 5 — GROUP 6 CANINE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION, at Weston, Ont. (Specialty Show for the Breeds in Group 6). Mrs. Albert Farrell, Show Secretary, 95 Sandown Ave., Toronto 13, Ont.

November 27—GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ONTARIO, at Waterdown, Ont. (Specialty Show for Golden Retrievers). Mr. Rodger Drysdale, Secretary, 555 Weir Ave., Oakville, Ont.

COMING LICENSED OBEDIENCE TRIALS

February 7, 1960—THE HAMILTON OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Hamilton, Ont. Mrs. Jean Giacomelli, Secretary, 51 Wardrope Ave. S., Stoney Creek, Ont.

March 6 — OSHAWA OBEDIENCE ASSOCIATION, at Oshawa, Ont. Mr. William L. McHugh, Trial Secretary, R.R. #2, Oshawa, Ont.

March 16-17-18-19—CANADIAN NATIONAL SPORTSMEN'S DOG SHOWS, at Toronto, Ont. (Four Trials). Mr. Peter Lindsay, Secretary, 80 Bloor St. W., Toronto, Ont.

May 1, 1960 — CALGARY KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. (Two Trials). Miss B. I. Dargie, Secretary, 2016—25th Street S.W., Calgary, Alta.

May 1 — BRANTFORD OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Brantford, Ont. Mr. Walter Konradt, Secretary, 16 Cooper St., Dundas, Ont.

May 15 — THE RICHMOND DOG TRAINING CLUB, at Richmond, B.C. (Two Trials). Mrs. Dolly Wall, Trial Secretary, 2640 S.E. Marine Drive, Vancouver 16, B.C.

May 22—ALBERTA KENNEL CLUB, at Calgary, Alta. Mr. E. W. McDonald, Secretary, 304 Hendon Drive, Calgary, Alta. (Two Trials).

May 28-29, 1960—MOUNTAIN CITY OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Senneville, Que. Mrs. Wallace Ward, Asst. Trial Secretary, 3 Sunny Acres Drive, Baie d'Urfee, Que. (Two Trials).

June 1, 1960—SASKATOON OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Saskatoon, Sask. Mrs. Joan Wiik, Trial Secretary, 442 Avenue S. North, Saskatoon, Sask. (Two Trials).

June 3-4 — THUNDER BAY DOG TRAINING CLUB, at Fort William, Ont. (Two Trials). Mr. L. G. Heald, Secretary, 2215 Ridgeway Street, Fort William, Ont.

June 4—GREATER VICTORIA DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, at Victoria, B.C. Mrs. Marjorie Sless, Trial Secretary, 1553 Charlton Rd., R.R. #3, Victoria, B.C. (Two Trials).

June 5 — REGINA KENNEL & OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Regina, Sask. (Two Trials). Mrs. Evelyn Wuttke, Secretary, 1766 Edward St., Regina, Sask.

June 5, 1960—THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF CANADA, at Toronto, Ont. Mrs. Margaret Davies, Secretary, Valley Farm Rd. S., R.R. #3, Pickering, Ont.

June 12, 1960—BURLINGTON & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB, at Burlington, Ont. Mrs. R. J. Erskine, Obedience Secretary, 820 Tanager Ave., Burlington, Ont. (Two Trials).

August 16—SAINT JOHN OBEDIENCE CLUB, at Saint John, N.B. Mrs. I. C. Searle, Secretary, Cec-Nich, Renforth, Kings Co., N.B.

August 17-18—RIVER VALLEY OBEDIENCE & FIELD TRIAL CLUB, at Fredericton, N.B. Mrs. Gertrude Storey, Secretary, Hanwell Road, Fredericton, N.B. (Two Trials).

December 4 — THE RICHMOND DOG TRAINING CLUB, at Richmond, B.C. (Two Trials). Mrs. Dolly Wall, Trial Secretary, 2640 S.E. Marine Drive, Vancouver 16, B.C.

COMING LICENSED FIELD TRIALS

April 16-17—FRONTIER BEAGLE CLUB INC., at Herdman, Que. Dr. Fred A. Horsley, Secretary, Box 149, Huntingdon, Que. (For Beagles — Pack).

April 23-24 — CREDIT VALLEY BEAGLE CLUB, at Baltimore, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Andrew Cumming, Secretary, 122 Royalavon Cres., Islington, Ont.

April 30-May 1, 1960 — CORNWALL BEAGLE CLUB, at Cornwall, Ont. Mr. Arthur W. Levere, Secretary, 1311 Lascelle Ave., Cornwall, Ont. (For Beagles on Hare).

April 30-May 1-2 — THE AIRWAY BEAGLE CLUB, at Gardiner Mines, C.B., N.S. (Beagles). Mr. Lionel Petrie, Secretary, Irish Brook Road, New Waterford, N.S.

May 7-8, 1960—LACHUTE BEAGLE CLUB, at Lachute, Que. Mr. Raymond Belanger, Secretary, 409 Monmouth, Montreal, Que. (Beagle Trial).

May 7-8 — THE RICHMOND LIONS RETRIEVER CLUB, at Richmond, B.C. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. Reg. Williams, Secretary, 206 McDonald Road, Richmond, B.C.

May 7-8—GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF ONTARIO, at Fullerton, Ont. Mr. Rodger Drysdale, Secretary, 555 Weir Avenue, Oakville, Ont. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels).

May 13-14-15-16, 1960 — CAPE BRETON BEAGLE CLUB, at Mira, Cape Breton, N.S. Mr. G. Warren Anderson, Secretary, 33 Haig St., Sydney, N.S. (For Beagles on Hare).

May 14-15 — REGINA RETRIEVER CLUB, at Stoney Beach, Sask. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mrs. David Dean, Secretary. 2346 Montreal St., Regina, Sask.

May 14-15—TA-I-O BEAGLE CLUB, at Hemmingford, Que. (For Beagles). Mr. Alvin Florea, Secretary, 300 LeMoyne St., Montreal, Que.

May 21-22—KELOWNA & DISTRICT ROD AND GUN CLUB, at Kelowna, B.C. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. A. J. Blanchard, Secretary, 784 Elliott Ave., Kelowna, B.C.

May 21-22—THE MONTREAL GUN DOG CLUB, at Hudson, Que. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mrs. Pamela B. Mack, Field Trial Secretary, 6450 Cote de Liesse Rd., Dorval Stn., Que.

May 21-22-23—ATLANTIC BEAGLE CLUB INC., at East Uniacke, N.S. (Beagles). Mr. William M. Wilson, Secretary, S.S. #1, Site 7, Bedford, N.S.

May 21-22-23—SASKATOON RETRIEVER CLUB, at Saskatoon, Sask. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. Don Lardner, Field Trial Secretary, 2141 Cairns Ave., Saskatoon, Sask. (Two Trials).

May 28-29 — NIA-PENN BEAGLE CLUB, at Cayuga, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Ralph Frayne, Secretary, 281 St. Paul St., St. Catharines, Ont.

June 4-5 — THAMES VALLEY BEAGLE CLUB, at Napier, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Ronald Hawthorne, Secretary, R.R. #8, London, Ont.

July 30-31 — CANADIAN NATIONAL BEAGLE CLUB, at Napier, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Murray Ross, Secretary, 4185 Dougall Ave., Windsor, Ont.

August 6-7 — ELGIN COUNTY BEAGLE CLUB, at Forest, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Gary Allen, Secretary, R.R. #7, St. Thomas, Ont.

August 13-14 — THE RICHMOND LIONS RETRIEVER CLUB, at Richmond, B.C. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. Reg. Williams, Secretary, 206 McDonald Road, Richmond, B.C.

August 20-21 — WENTWORTH BEAGLE CLUB, at Cayuga, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Albert Ford, Secretary, 448 Maple Ave., Hamilton, Ont.

August 27-28 — THAMES VALLEY BEAGLE CLUB, at Napier, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Ronald Hawthorne, Secretary, R.R. #8, London, Ont.

August 27-28—SOUTH WESTERN ONTARIO RETRIEVERS TRAINING CLUB, at London, Ont. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. Mark J. Seguin, Secretary, 155 Cobourg Street, Stratford, Ont.

September 3-4—CREDIT VALLEY BEAGLE CLUB, at Cayuga, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Andrew Cumming, Secretary, 122 Royalavon Cresc., Islington, Ont.

September 10-11 — REGINA RETRIEVER CLUB, at Stoney Beach, Sask. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mrs. David Dean, Secretary, 2346 Montreal St., Regina, Sask.

September 10-11—SUDBURY & DISTRICT KENNEL CLUB, at Burwash Game Reserve. (For Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels). Mr. Orest W. Andrews, Field Trial Chairman, 301 Sixth Ave., Lively, Ont. (Two Trials).

September 17-18 — PETERBOROUGH BEAGLE CLUB, at Peterborough, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. John A. Hunt, President, 164 Victoria St. N., Port Hope, Ont.

September 24-25 — UNITED COUNTIES BEAGLE CLUB, at Baltimore, Ont. Mr. R. L. Yearwood, Secretary, R.R. #3, Cobourg, Ont. (For Beagles).

September 25—NIAGARA SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB INC., at St. Catharines, Ont. (For Spaniels excepting Irish Water & Brittany). Mr. Thomas Atherton, Secretary, 40 Lorne Ave., St. Catharines, Ont.

October 1-2 — NIA-PENN BEAGLE CLUB, at Peterborough, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Ralph Frayne, Secretary, 281 St. Paul St., St. Catharines, Ont.

October 15-16—OTTAWA VALLEY BEAGLE CLUB, at Ottawa, Ont. (For Beagles). Mr. Gerald A. Hunt, Secretary, Box 9, Bell's Corners, Ont.

October 22-23 — OSHAWA BEAGLE CLUB, at Peterborough, Ont. Mr. John Matthews, Secretary, 75 Oshawa Blvd. S., Oshawa, Ont.

October 29-30 — WENTWORTH BEAGLE CLUB, at Cayuga, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Albert Ford, Secretary, 448 Maple Ave., Hamilton, Ont.

November 5-6 — TRI-CLUB BEAGLE CLUB, at Baltimore, Ont. (Beagles). Mr. Andrew Cumming, Secretary, 122 Royalavon Cresc., Islington, Ont.

APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION OF KENNEL NAMES

(NOTE: The following names MAY NOT be accepted as registered kennel names: any proper name, any historical name, the name of any post office in Canada, any names listed in the official Canadian Railway Guide, any geographical name or place in Canada, qualitative or descriptive adjectives, colours, surnames, (except in the case of an applicant who has, prior to January 1, 1958, registered more than ten dogs with his surname as a prefix, and it is otherwise not unacceptable), nouns in common every day use, kennel names registered in a foreign country, any names which may be misleading as to origin or relationship, any name of a breed or any name which is indicative of a breed).

The following applications for registration of kennel names have been received by The Canadian Kennel Club. Any objections to same must set forth details of the objection and must be received by the Secretary, 667 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., on or before March 10, 1960.

ALWOOD — Allen B. and Doris E. Moore, Cobourg, Ont.
BYTOWN — Ann G. Shemilt, Knowlton, Que.
CIN-JOCK — Mrs. Dorothy Lappalainen, Port Arthur, Ont.
CLOWIN — Mrs. George H. Cloakey, Calgary, Alta.
DELL-ACRES — N. J. Rabay, Calgary, Alta.
FOUR OAKS — Barry E. Fitzgerald, Willowdale, Ont.
FUNTROP — Dr. J. C. Portnuff, Westmount, Que.
HAMPSHED (LOURAY) — John G. Hamilton, Belleville, Ont.
JAN-BO — Robert K. Fleury, Esquimalt, B.C.
KYNOLO (GOOD SPORT, AMCOSPA)—Jack Kriens, Cardiff, Ont.
LAND 'O' LAKES (LAKE HEAD) — Ronald J. Evans, Burlington, Ont.
MAR-TEK-KI—Mrs. Ward S. Hallman, Kingston, N.S.
MEIDENSTEIN — Heinz A. Gebauer, Sarnia, Ont.
OSSENBURG — Gerhard Kotiza, St. Genevieve de Pierrefonds, Que.
SERENE (WURDIG) — Mrs. Lydia Sims, Trepanier, B.C.
SUND-TOWN (SUN-TOWN) — Howard L. Lenehan, Thistletown, Ont.
TEE-AL-OH — Alison Howard, Beloeil Stn., Que.
WAYGAR — A. V. Attfield, Vankleek Hill, Ont.
WAYSIDE — Mrs. John W. MacKenzie, Magundy, N.B.

CLUB NOTES

Names of judges may be used only if the club's show advertisement appears in ***Dogs in Canada.***

Wins of dogs which will be or have been reported in The Canadian Kennel Club "Show and Trial Results" cannot appear in these columns. However, unusual items, such as three or more puppies from one litter becoming champions, do constitute news.

Make your club notes meaty and interesting. Remember 300 words is the limit.

All Terrier Club of Canada
by Eileen M. Stewart
R.R. #2, Aurora

Our January meeting was saddened by the passing of one of our club members, Mrs. Eileen McEachren, whose recent death caused such profound shock and regret. A short period of silence was observed at the opening of our meeting as a tribute of respect to her memory.

The 1960 club officers were introduced by our retiring president, Mr. Albert Kaye. They are as follows: president, Mr. James McFarlane; 1st vice-president, Mr. John Devlin; 2nd vice-president, Mr. C. T. Wright, secretary, Mrs. Jane Devlin.

Unfortunately Jane was unable to be present, having slipped on the ice recently and fractured her leg. We do hope that this injury heals quickly and does not hamper her activities for too long.

The meeting was very busy with preliminary plans for our annual show. (The March issue of *Dogs* will carry notice of our judges, locality and date.)

As quite a number of "Terrier folk" will be attending the Westminster show our February meeting date has been postpned for one week and we will meet on the 18th of the month instead of the second Thursday.

Alberta Kennel Club
by Mrs. Barnes
1808 6-St. N.E., Calgary, Alta.

We now find ourselves in the New Year and trust you all had a festive season. 1959 was a very good year. We accomplished a great deal toward our aims and objects, to breed, train and promote in Canada.

Graduation of the club's obedience school was held December 13 and was well represented with an attendance of approximately 50 persons. There were 18 dogs competing with classes being split up into two, large all breed and small all breed. Winner of the highest score in the school was a Miniature Poodle, eight months old Nicolette owned and handled by Denice Nightscales, with a score of 180. Highest scoring dog in large dogs was a Labrador owned by Mr. Dore.

The competition was judged by Dave Smith, Jim McDonald and Evelyn Kenny. Particular thanks to them for making the obedience school the success that it was. Also thanks to our obedience chairman Mr. E. A. Moore. He will be succeeded by Mr. Clark.

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DOGS AND PEOPLE

York City, where her year old particolor male, Merikay Ministrel Man, went Best of Winners over 48 partis for five points. In the three American shows in which he has been entered Minstrel Man has been BOW each time, chalking up a total of 12 points.

One of the most interesting and handsomely-produced magazines we have seen is the new magazine *Inu No Sekai* which, being interpreted, means Dog World. This first issue of Japan's new dog magazine carries little in English, other than in a foreword containing an acknowledgment by publisher *David C. Daw* to other canine magazines for their assistance. This he also does graphically in a page reproducing the logos of contributing magazines, including *Dogs in Canada*. Mrs. W. Gottschalk, of Toronto, was also invited to contribute an article.

Died: *Mr. Hugh Chisholm* of New York City, one of America's most active Terrier men. He was vice-president of The Associated Terrier Clubs, vice-president, secretary, treasurer of The Westchester Kennel Club, on the Board of Governors of Westminster Kennel Club and vice-president of The Welsh Terrier Club.

The President, Officers, Directors, and Members,
The Canadian Kennel Club,
667 Yonge Street,
Toronto 5, Ont.

15th January, 1960.

We have examined the accounts of The Canadian Kennel Club for the year ended 31st December, 1959, and submit herewith Statements and Schedules as follows:

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1959	
Statement of Revenue	Statement 1
Statement of Expenditures	Statement 2
Profit and Loss Statement	Statement 3
Schedule of Salaries Paid	Schedule 1
Schedule of Travelling Expenses	Schedule 2
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Schedule of Investments and Insurance	Schedule 4
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Memorandum of Costs re Election of 1960 Board of Directors and 1959 Referendum Ballot	Schedule 6

The accounts receivable, inventories and prepaid date fees in the Balance Sheet; the distribution of revenue and expenditures to departments and the analyses of expenses in Schedules 1, 2 and 3; and the statistical data contained in Schedules 5 and 6; are shown in accordance with the information supplied by the Secretary-Treasurer, and were not independently verified by us.

Subject to the above, in our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and related Statements of Revenue and Expenditures present fairly the financial position of the Club as at 31st December, 1959, and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

CRAIG, NORMAN, FAIRLEY & WELSH,
Chartered Accountants.

THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

(Incorporated Under the Live Stock Pedigree Act, Canada)

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1959.

ASSETS

Current:			
Cash on hand and in banks		$ 7,373.92	
Accounts receivable	$ 216.52		
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	170.23	46.29	
Investments, at cost (Schedule (4))	$59,487.80		
Accrued interest thereon	552.08	60,039.88	
Inventories			
Forms, books, office supplies, identification supplies, at estimated cost	$ 1,500.00		
Measuring standards, at cost.	393.00	1,893.00	$69,353.09
Fixed:			
Office furniture & fixtures at cost		$14,662.44	
Less: Accumulated depreciation		10,948.11	3,714.33
Deferred Charges:			
Prepaid postage		$ 106.57	
Prepaid insurance		200.81	307.38
			$73,374.80

LIABILITIES

Current:			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		$ 4,573.01	
Prepaid date fees		1,360.00	
Balance of cost of 1958 Stud Book		2,930.63	
Balance of share of expenses of Live Stock Records Office		2,365.87	$11,229.51
Surplus and Reserve:			
Surplus			
Balance, 31st December, 1958		$57,743.28	
Add: Net profit from Statement 3		3,473.38	
		61,216.66	
Reserve for cost of printing Stud Books			
Balance, 31st December, 1958	$3,200.00		
Less: Cost of preparing copy for 1948-49 Stud Book	2,271.37	928.63	62,145.29
			$73,374.80

Signed, subject to our report of even date attached.

CRAIG, NORMAN, FAIRLEY & WELSH,
Chartered Accountants.

Toronto 7, Canada
15th January, 1960.

Statement 1.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959

Reference No.		Show & Trial Section	Balance	Total
1.	Registrations, transfers, etc.	$	$ 94,783.41	$ 94,783.41
2.	Membership fees		26,957.00	26,957.00
3.	Recording fees	13,668.00		13,668.00
6.	Listing fees	1,553.50		1,553.50
7.	Advertising in Stud Book		658.00	658.00
8.	Identification material sales		1,222.05	1,222.05
9.	Interest on bonds		2,197.31	2,197.31
10.	Sale of judges' books	982.54		982.54
12.	Sale of Stud Books		417.00	417.00
13.	Engraved certificates sold	330.00		330.00
14.	Forms and books sold		171.85	171.85
16.	Sale of magazines		22.25	22.25
17.	Date fees	70.00		70.00
18.	Recording titles & searches	77.35		77.35
19.	Priority date fees	70.00		70.00
20.	Sale of rules and regulations	61.55		61.55
23.	Kennel license & kennel name certificates		2.25	2.25
26.	Sale of measuring standards	245.00		245.00
		$ 17,057.94	$ 126,431.12	$ 143,489.06

Statement 2.

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959

		Show & Trial Section	Balance	Total
1.	Share of expenses of Live Stock Records Office	$ 4,391.40	$ 44,539.01	$ 48,930.41
2.	Office salaries (Toronto) (Schedule 1)	7,970.00	25,421.00	33,391.00
3.	Publication of official business	6,180.93	3,823.74	10,004.67
4.	Rent	420.00	4,380.00	4,800.00
5.	Travelling (Schedule 2)		8,755.57	8,755.57
6.	Printing Stud Book (Volume 62, 1958)		5,929.39	5,929.39
8.	Magazines to members		5,503.13	5,503.13
9.	General (Schedule 3)		408.16	408.16
10.	Postage		2,133.66	2,133.66
11.	Office supplies		2,621.92	2,621.92
12.	Miscellaneous printing	1,937.44	1,855.38	3,792.82
13.	Legal fees		876.75	876.75
14.	Telephone	84.00	661.15	745.15
15.	Audit and Election Commission		1,100.00	1,100.00
16.	Maintenance salary (Schedule 1)		780.00	780.00
17.	Identification material costs		908.97	908.97
18.	Depreciation of furniture and fixtures		509.65	509.65
19.	Meetings (except travelling)		1,197.93	1,197.93
20.	Refunds of fees (Ottawa)		659.46	659.46
23.	Light	23.96	215.63	239.59
25.	Engraving certificates	223.80		223.80
26.	Maintenance		261.58	261.58
28.	Unemployment insurance	87.72	141.26	228.98
29.	Insurance (Schedule 4)		262.89	262.89
30.	Addressograph plates		119.97	119.97
31.	Telegraph		127.36	127.36
32.	Christmas gifts to staff	75.00	112.00	187.00
33.	Prizes	100.00		100.00
35.	Bank charges		61.27	61.27
39.	Investigation		11.00	11.00
42.	Directors		200.00	200.00
43.	Promotion, publicity and public relations		2,098.60	2,098.60
44.	Council Chairmen's allowances		400.00	400.00
45.	Purchase of measuring standards	245.00		245.00
46.	Fellowship		1,500.00	1,500.00
47.	Donations		250.00	250.00
48.	Postage on members' copies of "Dogs in Canada"		450.00	450.00
		$ 21,739.25	$ 118,276.43	$ 140,015.68

Statement 3

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959

Show and Trial Section			
Expenditures (Statement 2)	$ 21,739.25		
Less: Revenue (Statement 1)	17,057.94	Loss	$ 4,681.31
Balance			
Revenue (Statement 1)	$126,431.12		
Less: Expenditures (Statement 2)	118,276.43	Profit	8,154.69
Net profit for the year 1959 transferred to Surplus Account			$ 3,473.38

Schedule 1

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES PAID
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959.

	Show & Trial Section	Maintenance	Balance	Total
Permanent Staff				
Mr. N. F. Brown			$ 7,500.00	$ 7,500.00
Mr. T. S. Adams			5,200.00	5,200.00
Mr. B. A. Whitebread			4,310.38	4,310.38
Miss A. Coughlin			3,911.01	3,911.01
Miss H. M. Locke			3,266.25	3,266.25
Mrs. C. Trowell	$3,220.00			3,220.00
Mrs. M. Loveridge	2,267.00			2,267.00
Mr. B. Porter		$750.00		750.00
Mrs. S. Leandro	2,483.00			2,483.00
Mrs. A. Watt			62.00	62.00
Temporary Help				
Miss Ruby Turner			943.36	943.36
Mr. R. Selchow		30.00		30.00
Miss Sheila Smith			228.00	228.00
	$7,970.00	$780.00	$25,421.00	$34,171.00

STATEMENT OF THE EMERGENCY FUND
AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1959

Balance, 31st December, 1959		$ 739.60
Deduct: Loan to member	$ 225.00	
Less: Repayments to date	30.00	195.00
Cash in bank, 31st December, 1959		$ 544.60

REPORT

At the request of the Board of Directors of The Canadian Kennel Club, the above statement has been prepared from the records of the Club and information obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer, and is in agreement therewith. We have verified the Cash in bank balance as at 31st December, 1959.

Toronto 7, Canada.
15th January, 1960.

CRAIG, NORMAN, FAIRLEY & WELSH
Chartered Accountants.

Schedule 2

SCHEDULE OF TRAVELLING EXPENSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959.

Walter Brown	$ 499.50
Mrs. Alva McColl	171.00
V. W. Williams	1,082.50
J. A. H. Irving	1,082.50
J. C. Anderson	877.80
Wm. Dawson	845.45
Mrs. J. Gove	666.40
Mrs. P. B. Mack	605.77
Robert Little	564.55
Robert L. Blyth	397.45
J. W. MacCallum	285.45
W. H. MacKendrick	368.50
Mrs. N. T. Smith	448.25
Mrs. M. Southcott	436.45
N. F. Brown (Secretary-Treasurer)	424.00
	$8,755.57

Analyzed as follows:

Annual Meetings	$ 3,692.65	
Semi-Annual Meeting (Board)	4,317.52	
Other Board Meetings	370.00	
Other	375.40	$8,755.57

Schedule 3

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL EXPENSE ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1959

Moving and storage (files)	$ 102.00
Tabulating referendum voting	65.04
Flowers	52.00
Express	47.49
Buttons (Board)	45.00
Towel supply	24.00
Taxi and car tickets	21.00
Classified advertising	11.05
Money Order charges	10.06
Provincial Treasurer (Commission re oaths - Sec.)	10.00
Lunches	7.25
Ribbons (Members at A.G.M.)	5.27
Rental of safety deposit box	5.00
Pet shop directory	3.00
	$ 408.16

Schedule 4

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
AS AT 31st DECEMBER. 1959.

			Date of Purchase	Par Value	Cost	Market Valuation	Yield at Cost*	Yield at Market*
1. Canadian Pacific Railway	5%	Feb. 1, 1983	23-6-58	$ 7,000.00	$ 6,895.00	$ 5,985.00	5.10%	6.20%
2. Province of Ontario	3%	Oct. 15, 1975-77	20-10-50	11,000.00	11,055.00	7,700.00	2.97	5.70
3. Hydro Elec. Power Comm. (Ont.)	5%	Apr. 1, 1977	1-4-57	7,000.00	7,000.00	6,300.00	5.00	5.90
4. Province of Ontario	4-1/2%	Dec. 1, 1976	6-12-56	8,000.00	7,760.00	6,640.00	4.725	6.10
5. Hydro Elec. Power Comm. (Ont.)	3%	Apr. 1, 1968-70	27-7-50	8,000.00	8,004.00	6,400.00	3.00	5.55
6. T. Eaton Acceptance Co. Ltd.	4-1/2%	Apr. 1, 1976	12-4-56	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,112.50	4.5	6.25
7. Dominion of Canada	4-1/2%	Sep. 1, 1983	15-9-58	4,000.00	3,933.90	3,380.00	4.61	5.70
8. Dominion of Canada	3%	Dec. 15, 1960	2-3-59	5,000.00	4,835.00	4,920.00	5.30	4.73
9. Province of Ontario	6%	Nov. 15, 1977-79	28-10-59	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,912.50	6.00	6.15
Apex Publishers & Publicity Limited 490 Common shares, no par value 490 Non-cumulative redeemable 5% Preferred Shares of $5.00 Par Value each					4.90			
				$60,000.00	$59,487.80	$50,350.00		

*Calculated to maturity

SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE AND FIDELITY BOND COVERAGE
AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1959.

Coverage	Insurer	1959 Expense
$ 10,000 - Fire	Western Assurance Co.	$ 58.50
$ 7,500 - Fidelity Bond - Mr. N. F. Brown	Imperial Guarantee & Accident Insurance Co.	31.25
$ 1,000 - Fidelity Bond - Miss H. M. Locke	Dominion of Canada General Insurance Co.	5.00
$ 1,000 - Robbery & Burglary	Imperial Guarantee & Accident Insurance Co.	50.00
$100,000 - Property damage, bodily injury and employers liability	Imperial Guarantee & Accident Insurance Co.	74.14
$ 40,000 - Tenants liability (fire)	Imperial Guarantee & Accident Insurance Co.	44.00
		$262.89

Schedule 5

ESTIMATE OF UNIT COST (PER DOG) FOR RECORDING SHOW AND TRIAL AWARDS

Recording fees in 1959 totalled $13,668 (Statement 1) which, at 50 cents per dog meant a total of 27,336 dogs entered in competition (13,668 x 2). Total expenditures for the Show and Trial Section totalled $21,739.25 (Statement 2). Therefore estimated unit cost per dog based on these figures amounted to 79.52¢ in 1959.

These statistics, together with those of the previous seven years, follow in tabulated form:

Year	Recording Fees	Dogs Entered	Show & Trial Section Expenses	Estimated Unit Cost
1959	$13,668.00	27,336	$21,739.25	79.52¢
1958	12,798.50	25,597	18,722.31	73.14
1957	11,179.50	22,359	16,872.27	75.41
1956	10,441.50	20,883	18,284.79	87.55
1955	9,652.50	19,305	16,290.40	84.38
1954	8,527.50	17,055	14,785.17	86.7
1953	9,033.00	18,066	14,789.23	81.86
1952	7,637.50	15,275	14,648.42	95.9

NOTE: In addition to recording show and trial awards, the Show and Trial Section does a considerable amount of filing and other necessary work in keeping the Club's records.

JUST TO REMIND C.K.C. MEMBERS THAT.....

1. The Annual General Meeting of The Canadian Kennel Club will be held in the Mayfair Room, King Edward Sheraton Hotel, Toronto, on Saturday, February 13th, 1960, commencing at 10:00 A.M. Members of the Club are cordially invited to a luncheon which will be served during the noon intermission.

2. Membership in The Canadian Kennel Club is for the calendar year, and renewal of membership is due on January 1st regardless of when a person was admitted to membership or renewed his membership in the previous year. Renewal fee should be forwarded direct to the Canadian National Live Stock Records, Ottawa, Ont. Please DO NOT forward renewal fee to The Canadian Kennel Club at Toronto.

3. Those who employ the tattooing method of identification should note that the identifying letter for dogs born in Canada in 1960 is the letter 'R'. A dog born in Canada in 1959 would be identifiable with the year letter 'P' even though such dog was not tattoo marked and/or registered prior to December 31, 1959.

Schedule 6

MEMORANDUM OF COSTS RE ELECTION OF 1960 BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND 1959 REFERENDUM BALLOTS

	Election of Board	Referendum Ballots	Costs Combined
Printing ballots and notices	$ 100.46	$ 220.34	$ 320.80
Envelopes			94.53
Election Commission fee			500.00
Tabulating Referendum Ballot	65.04		65.04
Printing in magazine (December 1958 issue)*		36.84	36.84
Printing in magazine (April 1959 issue)		64.28	64.28
Printing in magazine (October 1959 issue)		45.62	45.62
Printing election material (October 1959 issue)			326.19
Office supplies (estimated)			100.00
Postage, outgoing ballots			145.00
Postage, returned ballots			55.33
Cost of recording discussion at Annual General Meeting		188.80	188.80
Labour costs (estimated)	250.00	500.00	750.00
			$2,692.43

*This cost included in 1958 financial statements

CANADIAN NATIONAL LIVE STOCK RECORDS

The Canadian Kennel Club

Members, 1959 3,981
Pedigrees recorded to December 31st, 1959: 455,976

REGISTRATIONS, ETC., BY PROVINCES FOR 1959

	Registrations	Transfers	Exports	Litters	Members Ordinary	Members Associate
Ontario	13,886	14,009	545	4,398	1,111	991
Manitoba	1,241	1,221	105	351	67	95
Saskatchewan	759	772	36	227	68	66
Alberta	1,803	1,803	12	590	115	174
British Columbia	3,162	3,019	128	1,081	233	268
Quebec	3,370	3,365	110	1,081	222	220
New Brunswick	580	589	11	169	58	41
Nova Scotia	952	914	11	310	74	79
Prince Edward Island	24	17	-	10	3	1
Newfoundland	89	83	1	25	8	11
United States	680	48	-	2	36	25
Yukon	40	24	-	9	1	1
Bermuda	23	10	-	6	3	4
Great Britain	-	-	-	-	2	-
Central America	-	-	-	-	1	1
Europe	-	-	-	-	1	1
TOTAL	26,609	25,874	959	8,259	2,003	1,978

Ottawa, January 11th, 1960

"F.G. Hodgkin"
Accountant

CANADIAN NATIONAL LIVE STOCK RECORDS

In Account With
THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1959

Showing final adjustments in accordance with number of operational items.

Final adjustment and apportionment of actual expenses of Record Office	$48,930.41	
Refunds of excess fees	659.46	$49,589.87
Received on account	$47,224.00	
Balance owing Record Committee	2,365.87	$49,589.87

RECEIPTS

Received for fees, etc., January 1st, 1959 to December 31st, 1959	$121,740.41

"Milne, Honeywell & Burpee" C.A.
Auditors

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONAL ITEMS CHARGED TO CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB

by CANADIAN NATIONAL LIVE STOCK RECORDS

	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
Ind. Registrations	17,019	18,816	17,831	18,602	11,975	13,174	14,110	13,905	14,753	17,782	19,630	21,527	23,573	26,609
Transfers of Ownership	17,295	19,025	18,209	18,882	13,151	13,647	14,427	13,838	14,391	17,364	18,988	20,801	23,152	25,874
Memberships	2,610	2,945	3,445	3,616	3,411	3,092	3,089	2,992	3,149	3,202	3,486	3,602	3,672	3,981
Litters Registered	5,697	6,586	6,569	6,167	5,354	4,844	5,095	4,696	5,113	5,899	6,174	6,839	7,470	8,259
Duplicate Certificates	183	165	152	289	152	112	107	103	155	187	109	136	113	144
Re-Issued Certificates	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	12	23	25	37	58	54	52	39
Kennel Names Registered	186	150	121	135	95	100	113	131	112	165	220	240	294	327
Tattoos Allotted	21	6	11	267	1,747	916	736	810	729	929	1,031	1,125	1,296	1,330
Export Duplicates	1,342	1,336	1,287	1,362	979	962	1,006	957	938	914	.....	.....	.....	.....
Export Duplicates (Prev. years)	76	126	26	81	143	62	59	...	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfer notices to Secretary	3,937	4,726	5,029	4,667	4,410	911	805	537	545	636	703	827	867	1,014
Copies of Ind. Reg. to Secretary	4,255	4,704	4,456	4,650	2,994	3,269	3,528	2,318	2,459	2,964	3,272	3,588	3,929	4,435
Stud Books Mailed	2,033	1,626	874	47	11	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Posting Champions	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,128	1,172	1,260	2,150	739	876	930	1,217	1,246
Agreements re Sales	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	14	18	15	8	6	19	42	52
Tabulated Pedigrees	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	2	18	118
Import Certificates	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164	170
Litter Kits issued	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	999
Total C.K.C. Operational Items	54,654	60,211	58,010	58,765	44,091	42,244	44,273	41,588	44,534	50,826	54,540	59,690	65,859	74,597
Paid by C.K.C.	$17,226	$20,339	$21,626	$25,679	$18,037	$19,365	$20,785	$22,973	$24,477	$28,640	$32,584	$37,490	$38,361	$48,930
Cost per Operational Item	31.5¢	33.78¢	37.28¢	43.7¢	40.9¢	45.84¢	46.95¢	55.24¢	54.96¢	56.35¢	59.74¢	62.80¢	58.24¢	65.59¢

(Explanatory notes: Commencing in 1951 adjustments were made in the rates on which the Club was charged with certain items. For example, in 1950 and previous years the Club was charged one full operational item for each notice of transfer of ownership which the Live Stock Records Office sent to the Secretary, but in 1951 the charge was decreased to 1/4 item per notice; thus, while there were 3644 transfer notices in 1951, we were charged with 911 operational items. The charge for such notices was decreased to 1/6 item in 1953. The Club is charged at the rate of 1/2 operational item for each re-issued certificate of registration. The Secretary is provided with a carbon copy of each certificate issued for dogs individually registered in the Club's records. Previous to 1953 the charge was 1/4 item for each such copy; but this charge was decreased to 1/6 item in 1953. Previous to 1955 the Club was charged 1/3 item for recording an agreement re conditional sale of a dog; this was changed to 1/2 item in 1955. Each extended pedigree issued by the Records Office is charged to the Club at 2 items. Commencing with 1958 the Club was charged at the rate of 1/2 item for each Import Certificate issued by the Records Office. The issuance of litter kits commenced in 1959 and the Club was charged at the rate of 1/6 item for each such kit in addition to 1 item for the litter certificate included in the litter kit. Previous to 1955 the Club was charged at the rate of two items for the posting of a title on the records at Ottawa; this was reduced to one item in 1955.)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THE SECRETARY-TREASURER REGARDING 1959 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ASSETS

The Club's portfolio of investments (see Schedule 4) was increased in 1959 by the purchase of bonds having a par value of $10,000. These were $5,000 Dominion of Canada 3% bonds, due December 15, 1960, yielding 5.3% at cost, and $5,000 Province of Ontario 6% bonds due November 15, 1977-79.

Purchase of office furniture and equipment in 1959 amounted to $531, of which $250.00 was expended for a used electric graphotype machine for embossing addressograph plates for the Club's mailing system.

Prepaid postage of $106.57 represents unused postage on the postage meter machine.

Prepaid insurance represents the unused portion, at December 31st, of the premiums paid on insurance and fidelity bonds listed in Schedule 4.

LIABILITIES

Prepaid date fees amounting to $1,360.00 represents the date fees received before December 31st on shows and trials to be held in 1960.

Balance of cost of 1958 Stud Book (Volume #62) is the actual cost of printing the volume (apart from the cost to prepare the copy at the Live Stock Records Office). Copies of this volume were delivered in December, and a few copies are available (price $1.00) to members who have not yet ordered their copies.

While the Club makes a monthly payment to the Live Stock Records for their work in maintaining the Club's registration records, the exact amount of our share of Live Stock Records Office expenses is not fixed until after the close of business on December 31st. When these costs were calculated it was found that a balance of $2365.87 was owing to balance the account.

Under surplus there is an amount of $928.63 reserved towards the printing of stud books not published in their respective years. This reserve amounted to $3200 in our 1958 statements, but was decreased by payment to the Live Stock Records office for the preparation of copy for the combined Volumes #52-53, copies of which are now available to members at $1.00 per copy.

REVENUE

Revenue in 1959 increased by $12,809.14 over 1958. Included in this total was an increase of $9,139.08 for registration, transfers, etc. fees at the Records Office, an increase of $2746 for membership fees, and an increase of $869.50 for recording fees. The remaining revenue accounts showed a net increase, in total, of $54.56.

EXPENDITURES

The Club's share of expenses of the Live Stock Records Office increased from $38,361 in 1958 to $48,930 in 1959, an increase of $10,569. The operational item cost which, when multiplied by the total number of operational items handled for the Club, determines the amount payable for the year, increased from 58.24¢ in 1958 to 65.593¢ in 1959, an increase of 12.62%. Of the increase of $10,568 approximately $5,485 stems from the increased operational item cost, the balance through the increased volume of business which the Records Office handled for the Club in 1959.

Office salaries at the Club's head office increased by $1,281 over the previous year although salaries in relation to income actually decreased from the previous year.

Publication of official business in "Dogs in Canada" increased, over 1958, by $816.08. Included in this increase is a cost of $343.51 covering the publication of new breed standards, or changes in standards, the Board believing that before any new standard, or change in standard, is approved, fanciers in the breeds concerned should have advance notice of and be given an opportunity to submit their comments and objections before any decision is made to adopt a new or altered standard. This increase in cost also includes the cost of publishing, in "Dogs in Canada", a list of clubs and associations, this for the information of those interested. Each club or association listing included the name of an official to whom those interested might write. The total cost of $10,004.67 also includes the following items: Show and trial awards, cancellations, titles, etc., $5,813.48; monthly listing of coming shows and trials, $367.45; list of C.K.C. Officers, Directors and Representatives, $297.89; Minutes of Board Meetings, $1.780.25; minutes (condensed) of the 1959 Annual General Meeting, $79.12; announcements and notices, $203.60; financial statements (quarterly and annual),$236.57; proposed amendments, $283.70; notice re kennel names applied for, $131.14; report of Obedience Council Chairman, $33.40; election report, $11.56; election material (October issue), $326.19.

Travelling expenses increased from $5935 to $8755.

Printing of Stud Book #62 amounting to $5929.39, represented a decrease from the cost of publishing the 1957 Volume (#61), $6,675, although the 1958 volume was slightly larger.

There was a slight increase in the cost of magazines sent to members, this because of a higher membership enrollment.

General expense decreased from $868.55 in 1958, to $408.16 in 1959 (see Schedule 3).

Office supplies decreased from $3121 in 1958 to $2621 in 1959.

Miscellaneous printing costs increased from $3003 in 1958 to $3792.82 in 1959 , an increase of $789. Included in this increase was the cost (about $250.00) for the litter kits used in 1959, reprinting the Club's By-laws in uptodate form and supplying a copy to each member (the first time since 1956) at a cost of $475, and supplying show and trial-giving clubs (at no cost) with printed information and identification forms for American exhibitors at a cost of $300.00. Other items included in miscellaneous printing are: printing the Dog Show Rules, Field Trial Rules, and Obedience Trial Regulations in to upto-date form $918; referendum ballots, $220.34; election ballots and notices, $100; judges' books (covers and inserts) $525; messages to members $325;etc.

There were decreases in the following expenditure accounts (1958 figure in brackets): telephone $745.15 ($810.00); depreciation of furniture and fixtures $509.65 ($513.25); refunds of fees (Ottawa) $659.46 ($867.34); maintenance expenses of $223.80 ($493.94); addressograph plates $119.97 ($229.47); investigation expenses $11. ($222.65).

There was no significant change in each of the following accounts: legal fees, audit and election commission, maintenance salary, meetings expenses, light, engraving certificates, unemployment insurance, insurance, telegraph, Christmas gifts to staff.

With a view to increasing and widening interest in pure-bred dogs a promotion, publicity , and public relations programme was instituted, 1959 costs totalling $2098.60.

With a view to reimbursing the Chairman of the Field Trial Council and the Chairman of the Obedience Council for their expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties, an annual allowance of $100.00 each was instituted, and made retroactive to 1958, hence costs on this account in 1959 totalled $400.

The cost of measuring standards purchased and sold in 1959 amounted to $245.

A fellowship of $1500 was established for research at the Ontario Veterinary College on diseases of dogs.

The Club has undertaken to reimburse the publishers for the actual cost of postage on copies of "Dogs in Canada" mailed to members for the months of June to December (1959) inclusive. The amount of $450 shown in the statement represents an estimate of the actual cost for the amount will not be known until the Board is informed of the outcome of representations which it authorized representatives of the Club to make to postal authorities in Ottawa with regard to the policies followed in setting these charges.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

It is interesting to note that the Club's revenue at the Live Stock Records office in each month during the years 1957, 1958, and 1959, showed an increase over the corresponding month in the previous year. The total increase in revenue in 1959 over 1958 was very close to 10%, and some indication of the increase in the Club's volume of business can be gleaned from the following statistics:

	1957	1958	1959
Members enrolled	3,602	3,672	3,981
Individual dogs registered	21,527	23,573	26,609
Litters registered	6,839	7,470	8,259
Transfers of ownership	20,801	23,152	25,874
Championship shows	98	114	122
Licensed obedience trials	61	91	101
Licensed field trials	63	67	78
Dogs entered in competition	22,359	25,597	27,336

NOTICE RE AMENDMENTS

This notice has a dual purpose: first, to inform members of The Canadian Kennel Club regarding the results of the vote on proposed amendments included in the referendum ballot mailed to voting members last November; secondly, to acquaint clubs, officials, exhibitors, etc. of amendments to the Dog Show Rules, the Obedience Trial Regulations and Standards, and the Field Trial Rules and Regulations effective January 1, 1960. The amendments are numbered in accordance with the numbering on the referendum ballots.

Proposed Amendment No. 1

This amendment was approved by a vote of 309 in favour, 111 against. It deleted Chapter 7 of the Dog Show Rules in effect prior to January 1, 1960, and substituted an entire new Chapter 7.

For the guidance of show-giving clubs selecting judges, and those who may wish to accept judging engagements, Section 1 of this new Chapter should be noted. It reads as follows:

> "No person is eligible for approval to judge a breed at a show held under these Dog Show Rules unless he shall have:
>
> (a) been approved as judge of that breed by the national Kennel Club (recognized by The Canadian Kennel Club) of the country in which he resides; or
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> (b) been approved as judge of that breed by an Examining Committee and the Board of Directors prior to December 31, 1959; or
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> (c) been approved by The Canadian Kennel Club as judge of that breed at a show held under the Dog Show Rules of The Canadian Kennel Club prior to January 1, 1959; or
>
> (d) been finally approved to judge that breed after meeting all the requirements as set out in Section 2 of this Chapter."

With regard to Subsection (d) of Section 1 it should be noted that the remaining Sections of Chapter 7 provide for the procedure to be followed where a person seeks to establish his eligibility to judge a breed or breeds for which he is not eligible for approval in accordance with Subsections (b) and (c). This will include a formal application, the taking of written and oral examinations, possible apprenticing, and before any final decision is reached on the application (assuming that both written and oral examinations are successfully passed) approval to judge at one show only, at which the applicant's work is closely observed and reported on.

This new Chapter 7 does not provide for any change in the previous requirement that a person residing in another country, in order to be eligible for approval to judge a given breed or breeds in Canada, must be eligible for approval to judge the same breed or breeds at shows held in the country in which he resides. It does provide the Board with the power to fix certain key breeds for which a person must be approved as judge before approval may be given for that person to judge a group at the group level, and the Board to fix certain key breeds or prescribe other requirements for a person to judge Best in Show or other General Specials.

Proposed Amendment No. 3

This amendment to the Dog Show Rules was approved by a vote

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MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

NOVEMBER 17, 1959

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of The Canadian Kennel Club was held in the Club's offices, 667 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ontario, on Tuesday, November 17, 1959, commencing at 10.00 A.M. with the President, Walter Brown, in the Chair, and the following members of the Board present: Mrs. Alva McColl, Robert L. Blyth, J. W. MacCallum, W. H. MacKendrick, Mrs. N. T. Smith, and Mrs. M. Southcott.

MINUTES

3 M 22. MINUTES OF MEETING HELD OCTOBER 20, 1959.

The Secretary reported that all members of the Board had been provided with a draft copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on October 20, 1959.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#500-59) "THAT, the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on October 20, 1959, as corrected, be adopted."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

5 F 4. INVESTMENTS

The Secretary reported that the Investments Committee had reported to the Board the purchase of - $5,000 - Province of Ontario 6% Debentures, due 15 November, 1977/79. Coupons 15 May and November. Principal and Interest payable in Canada. Price - 100 and accrued interest, net.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mr. Blyth:
(#501-59) "THAT, the action of the Investments Committee be endorsed."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

5 F 2. APEX PUBLISHING & PUBLICITY CO.

Mr. MacKendrick and the Secretary:
(1) reported that with a view to implementing the provisions of resolution #446-59, they had discussions with the Misses Dunn and Peer on appropriate changes in the existing agreements relating to the publication of "official business" and postage on members' copies;
(2) reported that during these discussions it had been pointed out that:
(a) it is a common arrangement between publishers and a subscription agency or agent that the publishers receive 50% of the regular subscription price and the subscription agency or agent the other 50% where the subscription is received by the publisher through a subscription agency or agent;
(b) a number of complimentary copies are distributed each month to judges, libraries, etc. and it is felt that these complimentary copies serve the interests of the Club as well as the publishers;
(3) recommended that the terms authorized by resolution #446-59 be amended to provide that the Club would pay actual printing costs of official business of the Club included in:
(a) copies mailed to members; (b) copies mailed to each paid subscriber where the publishers receive not less than 50% of the regular subscription price; (c) plus an additional 25% of the total of (a) and (b) to cover complimentary copies.

Following discussion it was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#502-59) "THAT, pending a report to the national Board at its next annual meeting on the discussions with post office officials and the publishers of "Dogs in Canada", no action be taken to amend the current agreements, however the Secretary be and is hereby authorized to pay postage on members' copies from and including the June (1959) to the April (1960) issues on the understanding that this is entirely without prejudice to the existing agreements or any changes which may later be effected in said agreements."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

5 F 17. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1959.

The Secretary reported that each member of the Board had been provided with a copy of the financial statements for the nine-months period ending September 30th, 1959, together with explanatory information with regard to any significant changes from the same period in 1958.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#503-59) "THAT, the statements be received and published."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

REGISTRATION, STUD BOOKS AND RELATED MATTERS

7 R 39. BELGIAN TERVUREN

The Secretary:
(1) reported that Wm. Stewart, Royal Oak, B.C. had imported a Belgian Tervuren from the United States for which he had been furnished an American Kennel Club certificate of registration, and had sought information with regard to registration of this dog in the Club's records;
(2) reviewed the report received from The American Kennel Club with regard to its recognition of the Belgian Tervuren as a breed distinct from the Belgian Sheepdog, and the decision of the Board at its annual meeting in February that it would not, for the time being at least, authorize a similar action by The Canadian Kennel Club.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#504-59) "THAT, the matter be referred to the annual meeting of the Board for consideration."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary was instructed to:
(1) inform Mr. Stewart of the action taken;
(2) communicate with Mr. D. B. Hudson and Mr. H. T. Munro requesting their views.

COMPLAINTS, CHARGES AND PROTESTS

8 C 1. COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE (POLICIES).

The Secretary:
(1) reviewed the policy, set by the national Board on the recommendation of the Complaints Committee, with regard to the handling of complaints of alleged failure on the part of sellers to provide purchasers with certificates of registration;
(2) reported that the Committee was of the opinion that the number of complaints of this nature still being received indicated that the policy had not been as effective as had been hoped when it was recommended, and it was felt that the Board, at its annual meeting in February, should consider a new policy;
(3) reported that the Committee was of the opinion that a temporary policy, along the following lines, should be carried out to a limited degree in order that its effectiveness may be assessed and reported on at the annual meeting of the Board:
(a) when a complaint of this nature is received, the complainant be asked to submit, in duplicate, a sworn declaration outlining the details of his complaint;
(b) upon receipt of a sworn declaration, in duplicate, from the complainant, the Secretary to forward one copy to the defendant with advice to the effect that he had a specified number of days in which to:
(i) submit to The Canadian Kennel Club any necessary applications and fees in order that the purchaser may be furnished with a certificate of registration; or
(ii) claim the right to have the complaint investigated by an Advisory Committee as provided in Article XV of the Club's By-laws;
and in the event the defendant failed to submit, within the specified period, the necessary applications and fees or a request for investigation by an Advisory Committee, the Complaints Committee would place a report before the next succeeding meeting of the Board, and the Board would then be in a position to deal summarily with the charge of complaint and exercise its disciplinary powers without further formality or opportunity for the defendant to be heard.

-----Mr. MacKendrick left the meeting.

Following discussion it was regularly moved by Mr. Blyth, seconded by Mr. MacCallum:
(#505-59) "THAT, the Secretary forward a report on this proposal to the national Board, and draft suggested legislation along these lines for the consideration of the Board at its annual meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

REGISTRATION, STUD BOOKS AND RELATED MATTERS

7 R 26. PEDIGREES FOR IMPORTED DOGS.

The Secretary:
(1) reported that The American Kennel Club, in re-adjusting recently its schedule of fees, had increased to $5.00 the registration fee for the registration in its records of any dog for which registration in its records would not be based on prior litter registration in its records, however, an exception had been made in the case of Canadian dogs for which their standard registration fee of $2.00 would apply;
(2) pointed out that this is an advantage to Canadians not only as it concerns dogs which may be exported from Canada to the United States, but also in the case of dogs which Canadians register with The American Kennel Club;
(3) reported that in discussing the foregoing with the Executive Vice-President of The American Kennel Club he had been informed of the labour involved in their preparing and providing The Canadian Kennel Club with a three-generation pedigree for a dog exported to Canada from the United States;
(4) pointed out that it is the fixed policy of The American Kennel Club to not register any dog for which a full three-generation pedigree is not on record or filed with the application, and as the Canadian certificate issued for a dog imported into Canada from the United States would show only two generations of ancestry, no useful purpose was served in continuing the policy of asking The American Kennel Club to provide, without charge, a three-generation certified pedigree, nor would any useful purpose be served by insisting that the Canadian importer, at his expense, obtain such a document;
(5) reported that after consultation with the President, the national Board had been consulted on the question of amending the present

policy to the extent that The American Kennel Club would be asked to provide only a two-generation certified pedigree;
(6) reported that the following members of the Board had voted in favour of such a change of policy: Mr. W. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Blyth, Mr. Irving, Mr. MacKendrick, Mr. Little, Mrs. Southcott, Mrs. Smith, and Mr. Anderson; and no member of the Board had recorded a vote against the proposed change of policy;
(7) reported that because of this recorded vote, an appropriate instruction had been passed on to the Canadian National Live Stock Records, and The American Kennel Club had been informed of this change of policy.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#506-59) "THAT, the Secretary's action be endorsed."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

7 R 60. ISSUANCE OF DUPLICATE CERTIFICATES.

The Secretary read a letter from the Canadian National Live Stock Records who:
(1) reported that Mrs. Marjorie C. Bird, Brampton, Ont., a member of the Club, had applied for ten duplicate certificates to replace certificates lost in a fire which had destroyed her home;
(2) enquired whether a special rate should be applied to the issuance of these ten duplicate certificates.

Mrs. Smith pointed to a previous occasion when a member, in the same circumstances, was charged only the operational item cost for each duplicate certificate issued to replace those lost in a fire.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Southcott, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#507-59) "THAT, Mrs. Bird be charged only the operational item cost for the ten certificates lost when her home was destroyed by fire."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

-----Luncheon intermission.

When the meeting resumed Mr. MacCallum took the Chair at the President's request.

7 R 38. STUD BOOKS

The Secretary reported that:
(1) an invoice, in the amount of $2,271.37, had been received from the Canadian National Live Stock Records for the preparation of copy for the combined volumes #52 and #53 (for the years 1948-1949), and this cost, together with the cost of printing 300 copies of the combined volumes, would place the total cost slightly in excess of $4,000 an amount substantially in excess of that previously estimated;
(2) the Registration Committee had discussed with the Director of Live Stock Records the cost of preparing the copy, and had been informed that in the case of combined volumes #52-53 unusual operations were involved in the way of segregating the records of dogs to be reported and in the preparation of indexes;
(3) based on the cost of publishing the 1957 volume the cost to have published volumes #52-53 in the customary form would have been in excess of $11,000, therefore in publishing these volumes in the format approved by the Board, there was still a saving in excess of $7,000.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#508-59) "THAT, the Secretary pay the account submitted by the Canadian National Live Stock Records."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
ABSENT (temporarily): Mr. Brown.
Motion carried.

The Secretary reported on further developments with regard to the payment of sales tax on stud books, these developments indicating that the matter had not yet been satisfactorily resolved. The Secretary was instructed to follow up the matter and place a further report before the Board.

7 R 15. LITTER KITS

The Secretary:
(1) read a letter from the Director of Canadian National Live Stock Records who outlined the additional work involved in the issuance of litter kits, and who reported that the Record Committee felt that a charge of 1/6 of an operational item should be assessed against the Club for each litter kit issued;
(2) reported that the Registration Committee had discussed this matter with Mr. Hodgkin, Director of Canadian National Live Stock Records, on November 17th, and during the discussion it had been pointed out that when the Club instituted the practice of issuing litter kits, it had done so in anticipation that not only would this be a service to breeders, but also that it would assist the processing of applications for registration of individual dogs at the Live Stock Records Office.

In the discussion which followed it was agreed that as the litter kit system had only been in effect about six months, it would be difficult for the Canadian National Live Stock Records to assess the advantages of the new system until a much higher proportion of individual registrations are being effected through the use of applications issued to breeders in the form of litter kits. It was agreed that, in these circumstances, the Board might, under protest, pay the proposed charge on the understanding that it would be reviewed in 1960, and payment would be without prejudice to any arrangements made between the Club and the Record Committee in the future.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#509-59) "THAT, the operational item charge (1/6) levied by the Record Committee be paid for 1959, under protest, and on the understanding that this is entirely without prejudice to any arrangements made between the Club and the Record Committee after this year."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary reported that:
(1) previous to the announcement of the issuance of litter kits it was an acceptable practice for a breeder, when applying for the registration of a litter, to forward with the litter application (or any time thereafter), an application for the individual applications for registration of any puppies in said litter;
(2) the question had been raised as to whether or not a breeder must await the issuance of a litter kit before he may apply for the individual registration of puppies in a litter;
(3) this question had been discussed with Mr. Hodgkin on November 17th, and at that time it was agreed that a breeder need not await the issuance of a litter kit before submitting application for registration of individual dogs in a litter for which he had submitted application for registration of litter to the Records office.

After discussion it was agreed that, out of consideration for breeders who may have reason to seek immediate registration of individual dogs, an announcement would be published in "Dogs in Canada" informing breeders that they need not await the issuance of a litter kit in order to proceed with registration of individual dogs in a litter for which they had submitted, or were about to submit, an application for registration of litter to the Records office.

7 R 34. PROCESSING APPLICATIONS

The Secretary:
(1) pointed to a previous instruction of the Board concerning the acceptability of applications for registration and an instruction given to the Live Stock Records office to return applications when such applications were not submitted by the person responsible for registration;
(2) pointed to a previous report to the Board to the effect that, on the Board's instruction, the President and Secretary had discussed this matter with the Record Committee in June, at which time it was understood the Director of the Canadian National Live Stock Records would conduct a further survey at a later date and submit a report to the Board;
(3) read a letter from the Director of the Canadian National Live Stock Records who reported that, while a survey conducted over a ten-day period in March indicated that under the policy authorized by the Board 22.02% of lots of applications received would have to be returned in accordance with that policy, a survey conducted during a working week in October had revealed that only 15.85% of lots of applications would have to be returned, a decrease of approximately 25%;
(4) reported that the Registration Committee had discussed this matter with the Director of Canadian National Live Stock Records on November 17th, and that at that time it was agreed that this substantial reduction was undoubtedly brought about by reason of the message addressed to members earlier in the year, and information published periodically in "Dogs in Canada".

During the discussion which followed it was pointed out that, of the survey conducted in October, there were 92 lots of applications which would be returned in accordance with the policy set by the Board, but of these 92 lots, 41 concerned dogs which had been registered in the Club's records. It was agreed that, pending a further survey, the Board's previous instruction would be carried out so far as it concerned applications for registration submitted by persons not responsible for registration. It was also agreed that in those exceptional circumstances where the Live Stock Records office deems advisable, they may make exceptions to this prescribed policy.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#510-59) "THAT, the Canadian National Live Stock Records be instructed to implement the policy, previously authorized by the Board, at an operational item cost of 1/4 item per lot returned, this to apply, at this time, to applications for registration only, the Live Stock Records office to have the right to use its discretion in making exceptions to this policy."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

7 R 13. VIZSLAS

The Secretary:
(1) reported that, in accordance with instructions previously given by the Board, he had communicated with The American Kennel Club with regard to Vizslas, and in particular with regard to their policy in dealing with certificates for Vizslas issued by the Field Dog Stud Book if, at a future date, The American Kennel Club recognizes the Vizsla for registration purposes;
(2) reported that a copy of the confidential reply received from The American Kennel Club had been forwarded to each member of the Board;
(3) read letters received from Mr. Anderson and Mr. Irving;
(4) reported that he had forwarded to Mrs. Mack, copies of certain documents placed before the Board at its semi-annual meeting by Mr. Irving, with a request that she discuss these documents with Mr. A.G. Gerle.

Following discussion it was agreed that the matter would be held in abeyance pending receipt of a report from Mrs. Mack, which would be placed before the Board for its consideration.

COMPLAINTS, PROTESTS AND CHARGES

8 C 7. REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The Secretary:
(1) pointed out that at its semi-annual meeting, the Board, by resolution, instructed the Secretary to prepare, for consideration of the Board at its next annual meeting, proposed amendments on a restrictive type of registration of dogs;
(2) reported that with a view to expediting the drafting of legislation which would achieve the purpose visualized by the Board and yet,

at the same time, receive Ministerial approval, arrangements have been made for the Complaints Committee to discuss this matter with Dr. F. J. Leslie, the Chief Registration Officer of the Department of Agriculture;

(3) reported that, at the meeting on November 16th attended by the Complaints Committee, Dr. Leslie and the Secretary, Dr. Leslie:
   (a) reiterated the Department's objection to any legislation which would provide for a distinction between certificates issued by the Club;
   (b) suggested that the Board consider possible arrangements whereby dogs sold as pets on the understanding that they would not be used for breeding purposes, would not be registered in the usual way, but arrangements be made for issuance of a certificate (not to be designated as a "certificate of registration") which would likely be satisfactory to both the breeder and purchaser;

(4) reported that the Complaints Committee felt that the solution suggested by Dr. Leslie had a great deal of merit and the Committee believed that this suggested legislation would serve the same purpose as that visualized by the Board when it adopted resolution #406-59.

In the discussion which followed, the following points were considered:

(1) whether it would be possible to later issue a certificate of registration for a dog for which such a special certificate had been previously issued;
(2) whether, under this arrangement, it would be necessary for a dog to be identified by tattoo markings or nose-prints;
(3) what changes would need to be made in connection with the issuance of litter kits;
(4) the necessity for appropriate changes in the schedule of fees presently set forth in Article XXXV of the Club's By-laws;
(5) the necessity to make special arrangements with the Record Committee for the Live Stock Records office to process these applications and issue the special certificates;
(6) what registration numbering system would be followed.

Following this discussion it was regularly moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:

(#511-59) "THAT, the report be received as progress and be referred to the annual meeting of the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary reported that:

(1) pursuant to resolution #407-59, the Complaints Committee had also discussed with Dr. Leslie, the proposed amendments with regard to the keeping of private breeding records and the identification of dogs outlined in the Special Committee's report considered by the Board of Directors at its semi-annual meeting.
(2) Dr. Leslie was of the opinion that there would be no difficulty in obtaining Ministerial approval of the amendments suggested by the Committee on these particular subjects.

8 C 10. COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE (SPECIFIC CASES)

The Secretary reported that the Complaints Committee felt that the procedure outlined earlier in this meeting (File 8 C 1) should be followed in those cases where a person was the subject of three or more complaints regarding non-delivery of certificates of registration.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#512-59) "THAT, the Complaints Committee be and is hereby empowered to implement the policy outlined at this meeting, as a temporary policy, in such cases as it deems advisable, and the policy outlined be referred to the annual meeting of the Board for consideration as a permanent and fixed policy for the handling of all complaints of this nature."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary reported that:

(1) during the course of the Complaints Committee meeting with Dr. Leslie on November 16th, Dr. Leslie had reported that the Department had completed its investigation of the several complaints against a certain individual, and while not prepared to undertake prosecution proceedings it would assist the Club if it is prepared to do so;
(2) the matter had been discussed by the Complaints Committee which felt that the entire file, including the reports of the investigating officers, should be reviewed by the Complaints Committee which would then place its recommendations before the Board for consideration.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#513-59) "THAT, the file be referred to the Complaints Com mittee for discussion with Dr. Leslie and the Club's solicitor, and a report with recommendations be placed before the Board at its December meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary reported on another complaint which was fully discussed and appropriate action taken by the Board.

INTERNAL AND ADMINISTRATION

9 A 47. LISTED DOGS

The Secretary:

(1) pointed to the plan with regard to listed dogs which he had placed before the Board at its semi-annual meeting in the form of proposed amendments to the Dog Show, Field Trial and Obedience Rules, and the instruction of the Board that these be published in the December issue of "Dogs in Canada" and referred to the next Annual General Meeting for discussion;
(2) pointed out that at the semi-annual meeting Mr. Irving had pointed to a serious weakness in the plan outlined by the Secretary at that meeting, and reported that he had re-drafted the proposed amendments with a view to overcoming that weakness;
(3) reported that the revised proposed amendments had been forwarded to the Board with a memo dated November 2nd;
(4) read letters received from Mr. Anderson and Mr. Irving.

It was regularly moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Blyth:

(#515-59) "THAT, the revised amendments drafted by the Secretary be published in the official organ for discussion at the next Annual General Meeting.
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

-----The President returned to the Chair.

9 A 49. ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1960 ANNUAL MEETINGS

The President pointed out that at each of the last two Annual General Meetings a luncheon had been provided for members in attendance, and at the last Annual General Meeting a most interesting film had been shown, and enquired whether the Board wished any special arrangements made in connection with the next Annual General Meeting.

Mrs. Smith suggested that Mr. John Neff, the Executive Vice-President of The American Kennel Club, be invited, as the Club's guest speaker at the luncheon, and to meet with the Board at some time during its annual meeting.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:

(#516-59) "THAT, the Secretary invite, as a guest, Mr. John Neff to be the guest speaker at the Annual General Meeting luncheon, and to meet with the Board on February 14th."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

9 A 31. BOARD MEETINGS

The Secretary sought an instruction with regard to the calling of the next meeting of the Board.

It was noted that the date for the next regular meeting of the Board would be December 15th. After discussion it was agreed that it would be preferable for the Board to meet a week earlier (on December 8th) and therefore, instead of calling the regular meeting for December, this meeting would simply adjourn to re-convene on December 8th.

9 A 65. PATRON

The Secretary pointed out that, for many years the Club had been honoured by the Governor General being the Club's Patron, and sought an instruction with regard to an approach to the new Governor General.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mr. Blyth:

(#517-59) "THAT, the Secretary convey the Board's best wishes to the new Governor General and request that he honour the Club by accepting an appointment as Patron of the Club."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

9 A 67. APPOINTMENTS FOR 1960

The Secretary:

(1) pointed out that the new Section 10 of Article XIII of the By-laws no longer requires the Board consider recommendations from Field Trial clubs with regard to the appointment of Field Trial Representatives.
(2) pointed to the discussion at the last annual meeting of the Board with regard to the correct procedure to be followed in making appointments of Field Trial Representatives and Obedience Representatives;
(3) sought an instruction with regard to the policy to be followed at this time in order that appointments may be made at the next annual meeting of the Board.

Following discussion it was agreed that:

(1) each club holding field trials under the Club's rules should be asked to submit a recommendation with regard to the appointment of a Field Trial Representative in its zone for its particular type of field trial activity;
(2) in the case of appointment of Obedience Representatives and Field Trial Representatives for the Province of Ontario, the Secretary would communicate direct with the clubs eligible to submit recommendations, requesting that their recommendations be submitted so as to be received by The Canadian Kennel Club not later than January 15, 1960; after January 15th the Secretary would provide each Ontario Director with a list of the clubs to whom he had written and a list of the recommendations received, the Ontario Directors to place a full report including their recommendations, before the annual meeting of the Board in February;
(3) in the case of each electoral zone outside of Ontario, the Secretary would ask the Provincial Director to communicate with the eligible clubs, inviting each eligible club to submit a recommendation, such recommendation to be submitted, on a special form provided by the Secretary, so as to be received by the Secretary not later than January 15, 1960; after which date the Secretary would provide each Provincial Director with a list of recommendations received from clubs in his (or her) electoral zone; each Provincial Director to place before the annual meeting of the Board, a report which would include the names of the clubs to whom he had written, the list of recommendations received from clubs in his (or her) electoral zone, and his recommendations as to those whom he feels should be appointed.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Southcott, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#518-59) "THAT, the Secretary be, and is hereby instructed

to carry out the plan as agreed at this meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

9 A 27. OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Mrs. Southcott suggested that to overcome the inadequate ventilation facilities in the room in which the Board holds its annual meeting, arrangements should be made by the Secretary to rent an air conditioner.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Southcott, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#519-59) "THAT, this Club rent an air conditioner for our annual meetings."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

10 MM 31. MEMBERS WITH OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

The Secretary:
(1) reported that he had received from the publishers of "Dogs in Canada" a list of members with overdue accounts;
(2) pointed to Article VII, Section 2 of the By-laws which reads:
"No person, partnership, or company shall be eligible for, or continue to enjoy membership who:
(c) is indebted to the Club of the publishers of the official organ for advertising or other services for a longer period than three months after the account is due unless satisfactory arrangements have been made for the payment of same."

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#520-59) "THAT, the Secretary notify each member with an overdue account that if, before December 31, 1959, the account is not paid in full or satisfactory arrangements have not been made with the publishers for the payment of same, renewal of membership for 1960 would not be accepted until the account is paid in full.
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary was instructed to provide the Canadian National Live Stock Records with a list of the overdue accounts and an instruction that renewal of membership for 1960 is not to be accepted without prior consultation with the Secretary.

10 MM 2. APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

The Secretary placed before the Board the application for associate membership of an individual against whom there were two outstanding complaints, and after consideration the application was rejected.

The Secretary also reported on several other membership matters.

10 MM 14. POLICIES WITH REGARD TO MEMBERS

The Secretary reported that:
(1) in adopting resolution #329-59, the Board had decided that membership privileges would not be accorded an applicant for membership until his application for membership is approved;
(2) during Mr. Hodgkin's meeting with the Complaints and Registration Committees on November 16th, this ruling of the Board had been discussed;
(3) Mr. Hodgkin had pointed out that during the course of a year several hundred applications for membership are received at the Records office, and many of these are accompanied by applications for registration;
(4) Mr. Hodgkin had also pointed out that to carry out the policy ordered by the Board would necessitate special notations on the records in order that the Board's order could be effectively carried out;
(5) during the course of a year very few applications for membership are not approved.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#522-59) "THAT, the Secretary take this up with the national Board by mail."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

DOG SHOWS

11 D 25. APPLICATIONS FOR DATES

The Board was informed that on November 17th an application had been received from the Boxer Club of Canada for permission to hold a specialty championship show on February 27th.

Following discussion, it was agreed that an exception should not be made to the Dog Show Rules which require that such an application be received by The Canadian Kennel Club not less than four months in advance of the proposed show.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#523-59) "THAT, we adhere to the four-months rule."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Board was informed that the London Canine Association had applied for permission to hold a championship show on October 15, 1960.

It was agreed that the application be approved but the Secretary would inform the London Canine Association that such approval has been given on the understanding that the Association would appoint as show officials persons thoroughly competent to discharge the duties called for by their respective offices.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. McColl, seconded by Mr. Blyth:
(#524-59) "THAT, the application be approved."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Board was informed that the Kingston & District Kennel Club had applied for permission to hold a championship show and licensed obedience trial on June 18, 1960.

Following discussion it was agreed that:
(1) the application to hold a championship show would be approved;
(2) in view of reports received on trials held by the Kingston & District Kennel Club, consideration would be given its application for permission to hold a licensed obedience trial only after that Club had appointed, as Obedience Trial Chairman, a person having a thorough knowledge of the Obedience Trial regulations and Standards, and able to make all the necessary preparations for and the actual conducting of a licensed trial.

FIELD TRIALS

13 FT 33. COONHOUND FIELD TRIAL RULES

The Secretary read a letter from The Black & Tan Coonhound Club of Canada who:
(1) reported that instead of forwarding, for the Board's consideration, two sets of field trial rules for Coonhounds, they would, in due course, forward only a proposed set of rules for "Night Hunt Trials (Wild Coon Trials)";
(2) reported on the various licenses required in connection with the conducting of a Coonhound Trial, and expressed the view that this could seriously hamper entries in such trials.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#525-59) "THAT, the Secretary take up with Dr. Clarke, of the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests, the matter of licenses required for Coonhound trials."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

13 FT 28. RETRIEVER TRIALS

The Secretary read a letter received from an individual who complained that at the end of a recent licensed trial held by a certain gun dog club, the judges decided to cancel one test, which had been staged, "on the grounds that it was too difficult."

Mr. Blyth:
(1) stated that the Secretary had forwarded to him a copy of the individual's letter;
(2) expressed the view that cancellation of a test already held would be contrary to Chapter 10, Section 6 of the Field Trial Rules and Regulations;
(3) recommended that the trial-giving Club and Mr. Alex Wilson, the Maritime Field Trial Representative for Retrievers, be asked to submit a report on this complaint.

The Secretary was instructed to carry out Mr. Blyth's recommendation.

Mr. Blyth:
(1) referred to the Board's wish that he prepare a resume of the address given by Mr. Alex Wilson at the semi-annual meeting of the Board, a copy of the resume to be sent to each Field Trial Representative for comment;
(2) stated that he was quite prepared to carry out the Board's wish, but having received information about a number of proposed amendments to the Field Trial Rules, principally in connection with Retrievers, which would be reported in the December issue of "Dogs in Canada" he felt it would be preferable for Mr. Wilson to submit his comments on the proposals soon to be discussed at the Annual General Meeting.

It was agreed that Mr. Blyth would not proceed as authorized by resolution #477-59; instead the Secretary would communicate with Mr. Wilson.

GOOD AND WELFARE

14 G 6. GENETICS

The Secretary read a letter from The Genetics Society of Canada outlining its plans with regard to a publication on genetics, and inviting the Club to become a "sustaining member" of the Society.

The Secretary was instructed to ask the Society to provide a copy of its Constitution and By-laws and information with regard to the financial obligations of a member, and then refer the matter to the annual meeting of the Board for consideration.

REGISTRATION, STUD BOOKS AND RELATED MATTERS

7 R 64. EDUCATIONAL LITERATURE

Mrs. Smith suggested that for the benefit of those needing advice in connection with registration, a brief set of instructions, outlining registration procedures step by step, be printed and made available on request.

The matter was ordered held over for study.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:30 p.m. this meeting adjourned to reconvene in the same place at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 8, 1959.

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DECEMBER 8, 1959

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of The Canadian Kennel Club which commenced on November 17, 1959, reconvened in the Club's offices, 667 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ontario, on Tuesday, December 8, 1959, at 10:00 a.m. with the President, Walter Brown in the Chair, and the following members of the Board present: Mrs. Alva

McColl, Robert L. Blyth, J. W. MacCallum, Mrs. Pamela B. Mack, W. H. MacKendrick, Mrs. N. T. Smith, and Mrs. M. Southcott.

MINUTES

3 M 23. MINUTES OF MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 17th - DECEMBER 8th.

The Secretary sought an instruction with regard to the publication of the earlier part of this meeting, there being no other "official business" to be reported in that section of the next issue of "Dogs in Canada". It was agreed that the minutes should be published if it is possible to publish corrected minutes for the meeting as a whole.

The Secretary stated that the correct Item number for "Appointments for 1960" (Page 13 of draft minutes of November 17th, is #9 A 67 (not #9 A 59, as shown in draft minutes).

REGISTRATION, STUD BOOKS AND RELATED MATTERS

7 R 11. GERMAN STUD BOOKS

The Secretary:

(1) referred to the Board's previous decision with regard to recognition of German stud books maintained by member associations in the Verband von der Deutsche Hundewesen;

(2) reported that he had obtained from The American Kennel Club a list of German stud books the list being in two parts as follows:-
   (a) a "primary list" comprising those German stud books which are recognized for the purpose of registration in The American Kennel Club's records of dogs imported from Germany;
   (b) a "secondary list" comprising those German stud books for which export certificates are not recognized for individual registration of dogs imported from Germany, but are considered when The American Kennel Club receives an application for registration of a litter whelped in the United States as a result of a mating of a dog imported from Germany, registered in any of the stud books comprising this "secondary list" to an A.K.C. registered dog;

(3) recommended that the Board authorize an application to the Chief Registration Officer of the Department of Agriculture (in accordance with the provisions of Article XXVIII, Section 1 of the Club's By-laws) for the addition to the Club's list of recognized stud books of those records appearing in the A.K.C's "primary list", and the Registration Committee continue to deal specifically with applications for registration of dogs imported from Germany accompanied by documents issued by any of the stud books appearing on the A.K.C's "secondary list".

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacCallum, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#527-59) "THAT, following up a previous decision of the national Board, the approval of the Chief Registration Officer of the Deparment of Agriculture be sought in connection with recognition of those German stud books listed on The American Kennel Club's "primary list" of stud books."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.

Motion carried.

7 R 48. TITLES ON CERTIFICATES

The Secretary:

(1) reported that the Canadian National Live Stock Records had sought detailed instructions as to what titles should appear on certificates and just how these should be shown;

(2) reported that he had prepared detailed instructions, based on previous decisions of the Board, but suggested that this list should be reviewed by the Registration Committee before it is despatched to the Records Office.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. McColl:

(#529-59) "THAT, the Registration Committee prepare a list of the titles to be shown on certificates of registration issued by The Canadian Kennel Club, and the manner in which these titles are to be shown."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.

Motion carried.

7 R 65. LHASA APSO - SHIH TZU CROSS

The Secretary read:

(1) a letter which Mrs. Fraser W. Bruce, Westmount, P.Q. had addressed to the Canadian National Live Stock Records with which she had enclosed an application for registration of a litter resulting from a mating of a female registered in the Club's records as a Shih Tzu, to a male registered in the Club's records as a Lhasa Apso;

(2) letters received from The American Kennel Club and the Kennel Club (England) which indicated that both organizations regard the Lhasa Apso and Shih Tzu as distinct breeds.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#530-59) "THAT, the Canadian National Live Stock Records be instructed that it is not to register a litter resulting from the mating of a dog registered as a Shih Tzu to a dog registered as a Lhasa Apso; and the Secretary conduct a survey of the Lhasa Apso registrations and present a report to the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.

Motion carried.

7 R 37. LITTER APPLICATIONS

The Secretary read a letter from Mr. Irving who sought information as to the Club's powers to compel registration of an imported stud dog when said dog was the sire of a litter born in Canada out of a female registered in the Club's records. It was agreed that this question be held in abeyance until the Board is provided with the details of an actual case, which Mr. Irving is seeking.

The Secretary recommended that the Board consider the possibility of providing breeders with a "Stud Certificate Form" which:

(1) could be in triplicate (one copy to be retained by the owner of the stud dog, one copy to be retained by the owner of the female, and the other copy to be attached to the application for registration of litter form);

(2) would be completed at the time of mating, with provision (on the back of the form) for the terms of the mating to be set forth in full, with space for the owner of the stud dog to acknowledge receipt of any cash payment representing the agreed stud fee);

(3) would be attached to the application for registration of litter form, by the owner of the female, and would be accepted in lieu of the signature of the owner of the sire on the application for registration of litter form if the stud fee was a cash payment and the owner of the sire had acknowledged, on the Stud Certificate Form, that he had received the stud fee in full.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Southcott, seconded by Mrs. Smith:

(#531-59) "THAT, the Secretary work out the details of his proposal, and present a report to the annual meeting of the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.

Motion carried.

7 R 24. KENNEL NAMES COMMITTEE

The Secretary reported the following decisions of the Kennel Names Committee:

(1) application for ALWYN not approved because of its similarity to ALDWIN (A.K.C. registered);

(2) application for HAL-'N-AL not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name AL-N-DAL;

(3) application for MISTYBRAE not approved because of its similarity to MISTAHAE (C.K.C. registered);

(4) application for PON-SUE not approved because of its similarity to POND VIEW (A.K.C. registered);

(5) application for TULLAMHOR not approved because of its similarity to TULLAMORE (A.K.C. registered); alternative selection of KILLEARN not approved because of its similarity to KILLANE (C.K.C. registered); alternative selection of GLENBURNIE not approved because it is place name listed in Canadian Railway Guide;

(6) application for BRIAR PATCH not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name BRIER RUN; alternative selection of HOPALONG not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name TAG-A-LONG;

(7) application for WILLOWPOND not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name WILLODONN; same applicant's alternative selections of HEATHERBANK and HEATHFIELD not approved, these being A.K.C. registered kennel names; other selection of EDGEMONT approved;

(8) application for SAKINAW LAKE approved, the Committee feeling that it would be impractical to attempt a check of all applications which may correspond to the names of Canadian lakes;

(9) application for ALFRIED not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name ALFORD;

(10) application for JOS-MAR not approved, the Committee sustaining an objection received from the recorded owner of the kennel name GEOMAR;

(11) application for GLENWILD not approved as this is an internationally known kennel name of a former breeder of Borzois;

(12) application for PLEASANT VIEW not approved as this is a kennel name registered with the A.K.C.

It was regularly moved by Mr. Blyth, seconded by Mrs. McColl:

(#532-59) "THAT, we accept the Committee's report."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.

Motion carried.

The Secretary reported on several kennel name matters, and after consideration the Board took appropriate action.

7 R 25. REPORT OF REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

The Secretary reported that the Registration Committee had:

(1) authorized the registration of the Spaniel (American Cocker) BLACK MID-NITE, whelped the property of Mrs. P. Talbot, Hamilton, Ont. (born August 27, 1959 by BROOKWOOD DANNY BOY (325950) ex PHYL'S PRIDE OF ERIN (392020); and the recording of transfer of this dog to F. L. Ullman, Hamilton, Ont.; date of transfer: November 1, 1957;

(2) authorized the registration of a litter of Boxers whelped April 9, 1958, by TATTYKEEL'S ROYAL REX (351749) ex FAERIE QUEENE OF KILCOMAN (364613), the property of H. A. Rattray, Pouce Coupe, B.C.;

(3) authorized the registration of the Labrador Retriever RIKILIGAMA CREAM MIST, imported by John R. Sharpe, Ottawa, Ont., on the basis of documents issued by The Canine Club of Ceylon;

(4) declined to authorize the registration of a dog, described as a Smooth Collie, on the grounds that its pedigree shows interbreeding of Rough Collies with Smooth Collies;

(5) declined to authorize the registration of a Boxer imported from Germany by a Mr. McConnell of Edmonton on the grounds that the importer is unable to provide a certificate issued by the recognized Boxer Club in Germany;

(6) authorized the registration of a litter of Doberman Pinschers, whelped the property of Peter A. Kursell, London, Ont., on August 29, 1958, by CURT V. MANNERHEIM (308300) ex TROLLHATTAN'S EVANGELINE (364946);

(7) authorized the registration of the Flat-coated Retriever TRIGGER OF RIVERFORD from the name of S. Alwyn Grayson to the name of A. G. Walwyn, dog brought to Canada from England by Mr. Grayson

with the required documents issued by the Kennel Club (England);
(8) authorized the recording of transfer of ownership of the Dachshund (Smooth) LEAVER LORELEI (369988) from the name of H. W. Beaverstone, Edmonton, Alta., to the name of Thomas Hunka, Lancaster Park, Alta.; date of transfer: January 1, 1959;
(9) authorized the recording of transfer of ownership of the Beagle MUR-EL-ENNS C-LADY from the name of E. L. Lee, Edmonton, Alta., to the name of Mrs. Evelyn Sherratt, Edmonton, Alta.; date of transfer: September 9, 1958;
(10) authorized the issuance of a duplicate certificate of registration for the Beagle WAL-DOR'S CAPTINA CHARMER (379388), the recording of transfer of this dog from the name of Mme. Lionel Poirier, Montreal, P.Q., to the name of Napoleon Filion, St. Andre Avellin, P.Q., and recording of transfer from Mr. Filion to the name of Pierre Gagnon, St. Hermas, P.Q.; date of transfer: September 17, 1958;
(11) authorized the recording of transfer of ownership of the Dachshund (Standard Smooth) INGA OF MARBAEKS (436457) from the name of Patricia R. Jewell, Winnipeg, Man., to the name of Miss Louis May Harrison, Boissevain, Man.; date of transfer: July 22, 1959;
(12) declined to authorize registration of a German Shepherd dog purchased by F/O J. H. Jette from Mrs. Anne N. Dittrich, in view of a written agreement that the dog was sold "without papers";
(13) declined to authorize registration of the Dalmatian, CANDY MUFFIN, imported from England by Mrs. A. Sherwood, Hudson Heights, P.Q. on the grounds that a full three-generation pedigree is not available;
(14) declined to authorize registration of dogs, described as "Rough Collies", born the property of Peter Smith, Cecil Lake, B.C., the sire being registered in the International Sheepdog Society (England) stud book, the dam being unregistered;
(15) declined to recommend to the Board that the Merritt Hound be placed on the list of recognized breeds (correspondence with Chas. E. Gould, Ancaster, Ont.);

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mr. Blyth:
(#534-59) "THAT, the report of the Registration Committee be received and recorded in the minutes of this meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

7 R 27. REGISTRATION OF DACHSHUNDS

Mrs. Mack reported that a member had imported a Long-haired Dachshund (weighing 13-1/2 lbs.) from the United States, and wished advice as to whether this dog is eligible for registration as a Miniature Dachshund.

The Board noted the standing resolution setting forth the weight limit (9 lbs.) with regard to registration of imported Miniature Dachshunds, and the fact that at least one of the dogs named in the pedigree of the dog referred to by Mrs. Mack had been exhibited and registered in Canada as a Miniature Dachshund.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#535-59) "THAT, this question be referred to the Special Committee on Dachshunds."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

7 R 25. REGISTRATION OF VIZSLAS

Mrs. Mack reported that:
(1) as requested, she had asked Mr. A. G. Gerle to carefully examine the extended pedigrees of two Vizslas imported from the United States with Field Dog Stud Book certificates of registration;
(2) while Mr. Gerle recognized certain of the dogs appearing in these pedigrees, he was of the opinion that not all of the imported dogs from which these dogs had descended were bred in and/or imported from Hungary;
(3) Mr. Gerle was of the opinion that The Canadian Kennel Club should avoid registration of Vizslas imported from the United States until the breed is recognized by The American Kennel Club, and accord recognition only to those Vizslas imported from the United States for which The American Kennel Club has issued certificates of registration.

After discussion it was agreed that the Board would avoid possible later complications if it followed the policy recommended by Mr. Gerle.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Mack, seconded by Mr. MacKendrick:
(#536-59) "THAT, we do not register, on the basis of prior registration in the Field Dog Stud Book, any Vizslas born in Canada or the United States; and any applications received be held in abeyance until the breed is recognized by The American Kennel Club, at which time the applications will again be reviewed by the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

COMPLAINTS, CHARGES AND PROTESTS

The Secretary reported on several complaints and charges, and after consideration the Board took appropriate action with regard to each.

----- Mrs. McColl took the Chair at the President's request.

8 C 1. REPORT OF COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE (POLICIES)

The Secretary reported that since the last meeting of the Board a number of complainants had been informed that if they wished further consideration of their complaints of alleged non-delivery of certificates of registration, then the details of their complaints would be required in the form of a statutory declaration.

Mr. MacKendrick:
(1) pointed out that the complaints dealt with in this fashion were those where an individual person was the subject of two or more still unresolved complaints;
(2) expressed the view that where there are several complaints of this nature against an individual person, disciplinary proceedings should not be confined to those cases where the request for a statutory declaration had been carried out; rather that all complaints against said person should be dealt with seriatem, at a single hearing, whether all such complaints are supported by a statutory declaration or not.

Following discussion, it was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#541-59) "THAT, the Club's solicitor be asked whether the Club can deal simultaneously with a signed but unsworn complaint against a person when it also deals with a sworn declaration of complaint against the same person."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary then dealt with the report of the Complaints Committee in relation to several specific complaints.

INTERNAL AND ADMINISTRATION

9 A 49. ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1960 ANNUAL MEETINGS

The Secretary:
(1) reported that in accordance with resolution #516-59, an invitation had been extended to Mr. John Neff, Executive Vice-President of The American Kennel Club, to be the guest speaker at the luncheon during the Annual General Meeting and to meet with the Board during its annual meeting in February;
(2) read a letter from Mr. Neff who felt that he must decline the invitation for at that time of the year many important shows are held in the New York area and his presence in that area at that time of the year is imperative, but he would be delighted to meet with the Board in the spring or summer.

It was regularly moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Blyth:
(#544-59) "THAT, the letter be read at the annual meeting of the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

The Secretary sought an instruction with regard to a luncheon such as had been served in recent years, at the Annual General Meeting.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Mack:
(#545-59) "THAT, the luncheon which has been held at the Annual General Meeting be continued, and the Secretary be instructed to make appropriate arrangements."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. Brown, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

It was agreed that Mr. MacKendrick would arrange for entertainment, to take about 20 minutes, during the luncheon intermission.

9 A 31. BOARD MEETINGS

The Secretary enquired whether it was the Board's wish to hold any further meetings before the end of the year.

It was agreed that, except in the case of an emergency, there would be no need for further meetings in 1959.

-----Following a luncheon intermission the meeting resumed with the President in the Chair.

9 A 29. OFFICE FORMS AND STATIONERY

The Secretary suggested, and it was agreed, that all communications, reports, etc. sent to members of the Board would be on punched stock in order that each member of the Board could, without difficulty, place any of the material on binders.

9 A 68. MICROFILMING RECORDS

The Secretary reported that he was preparing, for the Board's consideration, a report on the possibility of placing many old records on microfilm in order that files may be utilized for new records.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

10 MM 2. APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

The Secretary sought confirmation of approval given applicants for membership reported on lists #47 to #52 inclusive.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mr. Blyth:
(#546-59) "THAT, the applications for membership reported on lists #47 to #52 inclusive be approved, and the applicants be admitted to membership."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

10 MM 6. MESSAGE TO MEMBERS

The Secretary:
(1) pointed out that at the semi-annual meeting of the Board it had been decided that a message would be addressed to all members when notice is given each member regarding renewal of membership for

the new year;
(2) suggested that this message include a report on some of the decisions of the Board during the year which it is felt may be of interest to the membership generally.

It was regularly moved by Mrs. Mack, seconded by Mrs. McColl:
(#547-59) "THAT, the Secretary be requested to make a resume of the business transacted through the year, this report to be incorporated in the message to members, and presented at the Annual General Meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

10 MM 32. RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP NOTICES

The Secretary reported that it was the suggestion of the Live Stock Records office that the words "Please bill me" be deleted from the renewal of membership notices customarily mailed to all members on or about December 28th of each year.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Smith:
(#548-59) "THAT, the words "Please bill me" be deleted from the notice regarding renewal of membership."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

DOG SHOWS

11 D 1. APPROVAL OF JUDGES

The Secretary reported that:
(1) an Examining Committee composed of Herbert Webber (Chairman), Vernon Saunders and Ernest Howe, had submitted a report recommending approval of the application of Lawrence Garvie, Fredericton, N.B., as a judge of all Cocker Spaniels and the breeds in Groups 3 and 4;
(2) an Examining Committee composed of Walter Brown (Chairman), Wm. McDerment, J. W. MacCallum, Ian C. Miller and R. T. Lawrence, had submitted a report recommending approval of the application of Frank E. Jones, Minesing, Ont. as judge of all breeds in Group 1 (other than Retrievers and Irish Water Spaniels for which Mr. Jones had been approved on a previous occasion);
(3) an Examining Committee composed of Walter Brown (Chairman), Wm. McDerment, J. W. MacCallum, and Ian C. Miller, had submitted a report recommending approval of the application of W. T. Freeman, Oro Station, Ont. as judge of Samoyed.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mr. MacCallum:
(#549-59) "THAT, the reports be received and adopted, and appropriate additions be made to the list of approved judges."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

11 D 4. DISQUALIFICATIONS

The Secretary read:
(1) a letter from Mr. Irving who:
(a) reported that Mrs. Whitehead of Victoria had given him a certificate issued by Dr. M. L. Olsen, Victoria, certifying that the Pomeranian GOLD BLACKACRE BRANDY'S SON had sustained certain specified injuries as a result of being hit by a car in January 1959;
(b) pointed out that while the Dog Show Rules disqualify a dog which is lame, this dog's lameness "is not congenital but the result of an accident";
(c) stated that Mrs. Whitehead was anxious to continue showing the dog;
(2) the certificate issued by Dr. Olsen.

A discussion followed on whether a dog which is lame may continue in competition when: (a) the lameness is certified by a veterinarian to be "caused by a temporary condition" (see "Official Veterinarian Opinion" form); (b) the lameness, whatever its cause, appears to be permanent.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mr. MacCallum:
(#550-59) "THAT, this dog be allowed to compete but that all requests of this nature be dealt with individually, on its merits, by the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mr. MacCallum, Mr. MacKendrick.
AGAINST THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mrs. Mack, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion lost.

No other action was taken.

11 D 10. JUDGES' CRITIQUES

The Secretary reported that with a view to early implementation of the Board's decision to ask officiating judges at championship shows to submit critiques, he had been corresponding with Mr. Williams on this subject, and:
(1) reported that Mr. Williams was of the opinion that as soon as possible an appropriate message should be addressed to each judge outlining the purpose of and procedure to be followed in connection with their critiques;
(2) reported that Mr. Williams had suggested that the Board elect a "council" in each zone to carefully assess the critiques submitted by judges; the critiques to be numbered for this purpose rather than identified by the names of the judges submitting them;
(3) tabled Mr. Williams' draft of a form to be used by officiating judges when writing their critiques;
(4) suggested that the critique on each dog awarded Best of Breed, or the runner-up to Best of Breed, be on a separate card or page in order that these critiques may be filed, in due course, in such a way that all critiques on a single dog would be together for readier comparison.

Following discussion it was agreed that in order to ensure the success of this programme the national Board should decide all details before the programme is implemented.

It was regularly moved by Mr. MacKendrick, seconded by Mrs. Mack:
(#551-59) "THAT, in view of the mechanical and distributional problems which still have to be resolved, this matter be referred to the annual meeting of the Board."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

It was then regularly moved by Mrs. Smith, seconded by Mrs. Southcott:
(#552-59) "THAT, this Board recommends to the incoming Board that at its annual meeting it take this matter up under "Urgent Matters" and appoint a Committee of three to resolve all problems and present a report later in the meeting with a view to implementing the plan as soon as possible after the Annual General Meeting."
FOR THE MOTION: Mrs. McColl, Mr. Blyth, Mr. MacCallum, Mrs. Mack, Mr. MacKendrick, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Southcott.
Motion carried.

11 D 25. DATES

Mr. MacKendrick:
(1) reported that as a part of the promotion campaign an effort is being made to interest a commercial firm in the staging of a championship show of much larger proportions than heretofore held in Canada;
(2) enquired whether, in the event the effort is successful, an application to hold such a show would be approved.

Following discussion it was agreed that if a properly constituted club or association is organized to conduct such a show, its application for date or dates would be dealt with the same as for any other club or association applying for a date or dates.

The Secretary:
(1) reported that in accordance with an instruction given by the Board at its semi-annual meeting (File #9 A 58 - August 14th) he had forwarded to each member of the Board copy of a letter (dated June 4th) received from Miss Agness Hammond, President of the Calgary Kennel & Obedience Club, with regard to that Club's application for priority rights and on the granting of show dates;
(2) reported on letters since received from Mr. Anderson, Mr. Irving and Mrs. Gove;

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of 435 in favour, 21 against. It prohibits the administration of drugs in any form to dogs competing at shows, and provides for disciplinary action where this rule is violated.

Proposed Amendment No. 6

This amendment to the Dog Show Rules was approved by a vote of 418 in favour, 40 against. It changes the championship requirements to the extent that, where a dog places in a group, such group placement will not constitute "competition" within the meaning of Chapter 21 unless there are five or more breeds competing in the group.

Proposed Amendment No. 7

This amendment to Article 7 of the By-laws of The Canadian Kennel Club was approved by a vote of 350 for, 25 against. It provides that the Board may order, in particular cases arising out of death or partnership, the rights of membership which may be enjoyed by any person. This amendment is not in effect until approved by the Minister of Agriculture for Canada, and an announcement will be made when such approval is received.

Proposed Amendment No. 8

This amendment to the Dog Show Rules was approved by a vote of 270 for, 119 against. It provides a show-giving club with the option of continuing to provide for variety groups and General Specials or of limiting the judging at its show to the breed level. Where the show-giving club wishes to limit judging to the breed level it must give notice to that effect in its premium list.

Proposed Amendment No. 9

This amendment to the Dog Show Rules was approved by a vote of 242 for, 112 against. It deletes from the Dog Show Rules the specified requirements of what must appear in premium list, and in effect leaves it to the Board to prescribe the size, form and content of premium lists for championship shows.

Proposed Amendment No. 10

This amendment to the Field Trial Rules and Regulations was approved by a vote of 308 for, 13 against. It prohibits the administration of drugs in any form to dogs competing at field trials, and provides for disciplinary action where this rule is violated.

Proposed Amendment No. 11

This amendment to the Obedience Trial Regulations and Standards was approved by a vote of 315 for, 13 against. It prohibits the administration of drugs in any form to dogs competing at obedience trials, and provides for disciplinary action where this rule is violated.

The club was proud to have Mr. Jack Anderson, president of the Alberta Kennel Club and C.K.C. director Alberta, present the trophies and certificates.

In the future Mrs. Barbara Rutledge will take over as Secretary of the Obedience Club from Mrs. Evelyn Kenny who has so ably performed this duty for the past year and a half. Our new school will be opening January 15, 1960.

We were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mrs. Eileen McEachren on December 28. Canada and the world have lost a truly great lady and dog lover. Our sincere and deepest sympathy goes to her family.

The Associated All Hungarian Breed Club of North America

by Mr. A. G. Gerle

12034 *Depatie St., Montreal, Que.*

Just recently I received word from Budapest, Hungary that the dog shows there are winning back their popularity. Not only are the spectators turning out in greater numbers but the exhibitors are more and more enthusiastic.

In the late fall, at the All Breed Championship Dog Show in Budapest, there were 517 entries out of which 133 were Hungarian breed shepherding dogs, 32 Vizslas, 40 Spaniels, 69 other type Hunting dogs (Beagles, Hounds, Setters and Pointers), 111 were German Shepherds, 89 other type of working dogs and the rest belonged in the Toy Group.

This show was held October 4 under ideal weather conditions on the spacious grounds usually used for harness racing. The most interesting event of the show was the demonstration of the different hunting breeds. The handlers of the dogs were dressed in the national hunting costume of the country from which the dogs originated. The demonstration started with the Hungarian National Pointers, the Vizslas — their handlers all dressed in the hunting costume of the time of Matthias Corvinus (1443-1490) and the real climax came when they presented the actual pheasant hunting from horseback, complete with Vizslas, Falcons and guns.

One of the participating Vizslas in the event, a female, Ch. Csikcsicsoi Air-Nora, has since then arrived in Canada and is in the possession of the writer.

There were 16,000 watching in the audience, most of them there to see the hunting dogs perform because, as it is well known, the Hungarians are an age-old hunting nation.

The Boston Terrier Club of Hamilton

by Mrs. J. W. Duckett

67 *Spadina Ave., Hamilton, Ont.*

The December meeting of the club was held on December 2. This meeting was not so well attended but considering the busy time of the year and the fact that everybody was preparing to attend our specialty match the turnout was fairly good.

Our guest for the evening was Mr. Wm. Kirk, well known authority on obedience who, along with his wife, made our meeting swing along. Mr. Kirk's address gave a full description of all the different forms of obedience training. Our club is now considering something new in the fact that we may start up an obedience class for Boston Terriers only.

Our big all-age Specialty Match was held on December 5 and it was a terrific success. The attendance in general, as well as the exceptionally large entry, was beyond our expectations. The results of the match were as follows: Best in Match, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Surrette's "Cindy"; Best of Opposite Sex, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordy's "Hagerty's Ace of Aces"; Best of Winners, Mr. and Mrs. Surrette's "Cindy"; Winners Male, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordy's "Hagerty's Ace of Aces"; Reserve Winners Male, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nuttall's "Hagerty's Handsome Ace"; Winners Female, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Surrette's "Cindy"; Best Canadian Bred in Match was also "Cindy"; Best Canadian Bred Puppy, Mrs. James McFarlane's "Hagerty's Wee Jewell"; Best Male Puppy in Match, Mr. Nuttall's "Hagerty's Handsome Ace"; Best Female Puppy in Match, Mrs. McFarlane's "Hagerty's Wee Jewell"; Best Bred By Exhibitor, Mr. Surrette's "Cindy"; Best Litter in Match, Mrs. James Crosgrove's litter sired by Ch. Hagerty's Mighty Handsome.

Our trophy table was a sight to brighten any exhibitor's eyes. Fifty-five beautiful prizes were given in all. The classes in general were filled to capacity with some having as many as 10 and 12 entries and the quality of all the dogs and puppies was exceptionally high.

Our well known judge of the evening was Staff Sgt. George Kennedy who deserves a tremendous amount of thanks and credit for the great job he did in selecting his winners.

Boxer Club of Canada

by Jack Nowack

158 *Gordon Rd., Willowdale, Ont.*

The following officers for 1960 were elected at the annual general meeting: President, R. L. Brockington; 1st Vice, Dr. F. Clement; 2nd Vice, V. F. Jeffries; Secretary, Joan Jeffries; Treasurer, S. Whitmore.

The Christmas Party was a really big success. It was held at Stan and Eve Whitmore's new home and a gay time was had by all.

We were sorry to hear of Shirley DeBoer's car accident just before Christmas and hope that by the time this is read Shirley and her little girl will be well on the road to recovery. Shirley's four months old Boxer pup was killed in the accident and this was a sad loss indeed as it was as promising a puppy as one could wish for.

Plans are well underway for the Boxer Specialty Show to be held at the Sportsmen's Show. Everyone is hoping it will be as successful as our previous shows have been.

We're all looking forward to the Working Group show which will start off the Boxer season in Toronto this year on February 27. It should be lots of fun and let's hope some really promising young stock will arrive on the scene.

Burlington & District Kennel Club

by Roy L. Dafoe

3047 *Woodland Park Dr., Burlington, Ont.*

January meeting saw an excellent turnout of the membership in our new meeting place, Waterdown Memorial Hall.

Final arrangements have been made for the March 5 Sanction Show to be held in this Hall and the club is again, this year, following the show with the very popular dinner. Speaker will be Mr. J. Stetson of Peekskill, New York, and this should prove to be a very worthwhile evening. In order to be sure of tickets to this dinner, advance reservations should be made by contacting Mrs. D. Engles, 1036 Marley Crescent, Burlington, Ontario.

A special vote of thanks was made to Mr. Harry Wilkinson and his committee for the way in which they handled the Christmas dinner and party.

Mrs. Cook reports that she has been swamped with calls for puppies through the Club Puppy Register. Mrs. Smith outlined some of the plans for future meetings this year. In February there is to be a team competition with teams from various all-breed clubs. The subject will be dog show rules.

Judges have been approved for the June 12 Obedience trial and are as follows: Mrs. A. Casgrain, Westmount, Que., Mr. J. Giacomelli, Stoney Creek, Ont., Miss M. Dillaway, Buzzards Bay, Mass., and Mr. E. Averill, Birmingham, Mich.

At the December 6 Graduation Class with Mrs. Walls, Ancaster, judging, eight dogs qualified. Winner in children's class was Mr. J. Tice, Waterdown with his German Shepherd, score 178. Top score was won by a German Shepherd owned by Mrs. H. Richards of Hamilton, 196. Others qualifying were: Sable Collie, 192½ owned by Mr. J. Campbell, Burlington; German Shepherd, 192 owned by Mr. K. Gowan; Collie, 184 owned by Mr. E. Wiles; German Shepherd, 191 owned by Mr. M. Irish; Brittany Spaniel, 186½ owned by Mr. J. Clark; German Shepherd, 180½ owned by Dr. D. Tutton. Certificate for most improved dog went to a Cocker Spaniel owned by Mrs. Buta of Burlington. New classes commenced January 3 in the Waterdown Memorial Hall.

The Canadian West Highland White Terrier Club

by Catherine McGill

51 *Riverhead Dr., Rexdale, Ont.*

A regular meeting of our club was held on Friday evening, December 11 at the home of Mrs. S. J. Navin, Gormley, Ont.

Mrs. T. S. Adams, club President, took the chair and we discussed our recent Sanction Show, which was a great success and gave the club members much satisfaction to put up such a fine effort.

We are making plans for future shows. After a fine meeting, Mrs. Navin served refreshments. We were all pleased to see Mrs. Navin settled in her lovely new home at Gormley.

Our next meeting is our annual general meeting to be held at the office, National Cash Register Co. of Canada, 875 Bay St., Toronto, following which we plan to have dinner at the St. Charles.

The Dachshund Club of Canada

by Ernie Lindsay

Willow Cove (Sub. P.O.), Burlington, Ont.

Although the weather and road conditions were rather treacherous, we had a fairly good attendance at our first regular monthly meeting of 1960, held at the home of the Lindsays, Burlington, Ont. January 3.

We were especially pleased to have Fred and Lily Turner in attendance again. Lily has been breeding Dachshunds possibly longer than any of our members, but due to poor health is unable to attend our meetings very often. Fred has retired from his Government work now, and is devoting his full time to the dogs.

Our newly elected President, Dr. Fred Bridgman of Walkerton, took the chair

and opened the meeting, by thanking us for the honor bestowed upon him once again.

After dealing with considerable correspondence, some of which was pertaining to inter-breeding and being turned over to the special C.K.C. Committee, the next main item on the agenda was discussion and planning for the All Breed Sanction Show, which our club is sponsoring, to be held in Waterdown Memorial Hall, Waterdown, Ont. on February 6.

This being our first effort on such a project, it seems to be quite a task for so few of the members are in the immediate area, but hope that we can put it over in such a manner that all our club members may feel proud of same.

Our next meeting date has been moved forward to January 31, in order to rehearse final arrangements, one week prior to show date.

We were all shocked and so sorry to hear of the very sudden death of Mr. A. F. Sheppard, St. Catharines, Ont., who passed away without any warning while attending to his dogs. We extend our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Sheppard.

As a reminder, we do hope breeders of all six Dachshund breeds have been nominating those Brood Females for our 2nd Futurity Match. Please contact Futurity Chairman, and look for Futurity write up elsewhere in this issue of *Dogs in Canada*.

Dominion Collie & Shetland Sheepdog Association
by Mrs. Joan M. Souch

First, for all the members of the DC & SSA I wish to say thanks to the Editors and Publishers of *Dogs in Canada*, Miss Kaye Peer and Miss Elizabeth Dunn for putting out such a wonderful magazine and for giving this association room to announce all the club doings. May 1960 be even a better year for you both.

Many of you are probably wondering who your new Vice President is: Ross Souch, 598 Carlyle Court, Oshawa, Ont.

We are so pleased to be able to tell you officially that we now have a branch in Montreal. We send our best for 1960 to this group of hard working people. We are so glad to have you with us.

Plans are really shaping up for our Working group show which is to be held February 27, 1960 at the HMCS Illustrious Hall at Weston, Ont. Judges are: Mr. Reginald Cleveland and Mrs. Alva McColl. Dogs are not requested to be at this show all day. Due to weather, exhibitors just have to come an hour before judging. We do hope the entry will be good on our first venture of this sort.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Mary Hart, Pickering has been made an Honourary Member of this Association. We also wish to thank Mary for all her help.

We are pleased to report that one of our members is doing well in the U.S.A. with his Sheltie puppy. Can. Ch. Rosslynn's Dainty's Dividend was Best of Winners for a 3 point major at Munro, Mich. November 7. She is ably handled by Horace Hollands. Owner of this sensational puppy winner is Mr. Grant Ross, Greenfield, Que.

English Springer Spaniel Club of Canada
by Lilah S. Lymburner

The annual meeting of the club was held at the home of the President, Morley Fisher and Mrs. Fisher in Toronto with a good attendance. George E. Tabner, Byron, Ont. was elected President with Leslie Bunker, Rexdale, Vice-President; Secretary-Treasurer is Lilah S. Lymburner, Port Colborne and the directors are Robert J. Walgate, Buffalo, N.Y., Henry P. Nicholson, St. Catharines, E. Haggis, London and Mrs. Patricia Sacre, Bolton. The latter is also Trophy Secretary. Andrew Dunn of Port Credit is Honorary President.

Plans for coming activities were discussed. The annual Specialty Show will be held in conjunction with the Sportsmen's Shows in March and plans for the annual Championship Field Trials were also discussed. It is expected that it will be held in September 1960 at Port Colborne. An important change in plans for the coming trials is that full grown pheasants will be used for the Open Stake. This is the stake in which points are awarded for a championship and after using pigeons in the past year, it was agreed that in spite of the cost to the club, pheasants should be used for this important stake at the trials.

Because there seems to be some confusion on the part of those judging English Springer Spaniels since the new Standard was adopted, the club decided to secure copies of the Standard to be provided to the Canadian Kennel Club. It is hoped that in connection with those especially, who are working toward a judging approval, copies will be provided. The new Standard states in specific manner those things which should be penalized and it is felt that at least some judges have been unaware of this or unfortunately, if they were, chose to disregard the Standard.

At the close of the meeting a buffet supper was enjoyed by the members bringing a close to another successful year for the club.

The Forest City Kennel Club
by Rita M. Smith

The monthly meeting of the club was held in the club rooms, January 6. The President presided.

Three of our members who have been unable to attend the meetings for the past few months turned out at this meeting and we were all very pleased to see them back.

Now that holidays are over we hope to get down to real work in our club and try to make this very young year one of our best yet.

Plans for our coming show on May 14 are really underway and this was the big discussion at this meeting.

I sincerely hope all who attended our club Christmas party in December had as marvelous a time as I did. I thoroughly enjoyed myself and it was most encouraging to see our London veterinarians turn out for this get-together. I am sure they enjoyed it as much as the members surely did, and I would like to thank Bob Chatfield who acted the role of St. Nick so realistically. "Thank you Bob."

The meeting was adjourned and lunch was served by our convenor, Mrs. Alexis Atkinson assisted by Mrs. MacKenzie.

The German Shepherd Dog Breeders Association Inc.
by Anne Gerigs
Pickering, Ont.

Owing to the holidays our club meeting will not be until January 12.

Don't forget our Booster Show, February 27. Our judge will be the well known Mr. Redge Cleveland. Mr. Cleveland's name appears on the first list of approved judges selected by the Board of Governors of The Shepherd Dog Review (February 1929), During the years following, Mr. Cleveland has judged all over the world and must have accumulated knowledge and experience equal to any present day judge, local or foreign. It would be gratifying to see Mr. Cleveland's experience acknowledged with a good entry at our show.

Our hats are off to the D.C. and S.S.D. Assoc. for organizing this Working Dog Show. I guess folks this is our big club news for this month.

Under the direction of those responsible for it our Specialty Show is shaping up nicely.

Always finish with a smile: Question: What do people mean when they speak of a Shepherd as being outstanding? Answer: That's a Shepherd that is let out and stands on the back porch all day waiting to get back in.

The German Shepherd Dog Club of Canada
by Warren Parkinson

Winter 1960 and plans for another year of progress are being formulated. This is the time when all aspects of our club will be re-examined in an effort to improve and progress. Progress though, can only be made by a constructive re-examination. If you're on the team, you must be for it.

What better way to greet the Spring season and boost our great breed, than another Sportsmen's Booster Show. This is the showcase of Canadian dogs, where Shepherds are presented to a large interested public. It's a real opportunity for us to promote German Shepherds, "the worlds finest working dog," as well as compete for generous sparkling trophies, the symbols of show honours. Don't miss this big Gala Spring Show!

Our popular all breed training classes at Fort York Armouries are again in full swing. The obedience committee in charge, held a meeting at the Reid home December 9, to go over the exact training procedure, step by step, in order to completely standardize all training teams. Bill Miller and Alex Gunn where warmly welcomed into the fold, to fill vacancies.

Here and there: Hearty congratulations to our President, Mary Southcott, on her election to the CKC Board of Directors; our popular Obedience Trial is moved forward from September to June 5 to better accommodate those entered in our own classes; two parties to report, first, the training committee honoured Joe and Verna Sheppard with suitable gifts, for their conscientious club service, and second a work party spent several Sundays recently getting newlyweds Gordon and Evelyn Garrett settled in their country home. We join all the dog world in mourning the loss of Mrs. Eileen McEachren, Canada's most successful dog breeder.

Greater Victoria Dog Obedience Training Club
by Mollie Hudson
2615 Cranmore Rd., Victoria, B.C.

Our Fall trials have come and gone. The weather gave of its best cold snap and the heating in the Hall went wrong. All this suited the dogs but drove the spectators into a well heated gallery which overlooks both rings.

About 43 dogs were entered in each Trial which made a pleasant afternoon and evening's work.

The highlight of the day was the winning of the coveted 200 marks by "Mossbanks Major C.D.X., T.", a Golden Labrador owned by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bates of Victoria, in Utility in the second Trial under Mrs. Jean Lyle of Vancouver. This makes Major's 2nd leg. He has trained with us since his puppy days and is genuinely loved by all of us. This is the Club's second dog to get 200 in a C.K.C. Trial.

In Novice "B", Dr. A. S. Clarke of Kelowna sent his Black Labrador "Squaw of Neckakodul" to compete for her last C.D. leg. She was handled by Mr. Fletcher, who conducts the classes in Kelowna B.C. This dog made 199 under Mr. G. Donaldson of Victoria, in the second Trial. Mr. Williams of Victoria handled a Yellow Labrador owned by Mr. G. K. McLean of Calgary, "Cowichan Major". This dog, after six weeks training, tied for first place against Mr. William's German Shepherd "Greyswell Nightshadow" T.D. and "Squaw of Neckakodul" and won the trophy in the run-off, in the first Trial.

Another six weeks' training wonder was Mrs. Sheilah Roberts' Corgi Ch. Bhilwara Enchantress with 194 marks in the first Trial.

The results of these trials were very pleasing to our Club as our dogs took most of the trophies and the marks were very good.

The Hamilton Obedience Club
by Mary Ledingham
Pine Crest Survey, R.R. 2, Ancaster, Ont.

The club rounded off 1959 with a gala Christmas dinner and dance arranged by Mrs. Howard Bowler. There were gifts for all, a cup and saucer for each lady and handsomely covered pocket notebooks for the men. Numerous spot dances provided even more loot for the lucky winners. Mrs. H. Cole was presented with a token of the club's appreciation for the time she has so unselfishly devoted to club activities by our president, Mrs. O. R. Langford. Club pins for degrees won during 1959 were presented by Mr. F. Tremain for C.D., to: Mrs. H. Cole, Mr. John Jarvie, Mr. John Koekman, Mrs. G. Ledingham, Mrs. F. Oldland, Mr. F. Oldland, Mr. D. Oxley, Mrs. Jean Ryder (absent), Mrs. Catherine Toohey and Mr. David Ward.

C.D.X. pins went to Mrs. W. C. Diamond, Mr. L. Essiambre, Mr. W. Finn, Mr. F. Jaslowski and Mr. D. Oxley and Mr. G. Gotts received his U.D. pin.

Club activities for 1960 got off to a good start with the first class of our winter training course on January 4. Howard Bowler, chairman of this training series, welcomed the new trainees and explained the purpose of our club. Bill Burr showed his film starring handlers and dogs of the Hamilton Obedience Club in all the various phases of obedience work. "Live" demonstrations were given by Mrs. Duncan and her Welsh Corgi, Pepy, a graduate of our last training class. Mrs. C. R. McKay and Pat, her German Shepherd, did C.D.X. work and Spike, a Boston Terrier and his owner Mr. Jake Giacomelli, showed the U.D. work. Mr. David Ward and Calla, his Doberman Pinscher, and Mr. Gordon Gotts and his Wire Haired Terrier, Scamp, joined the first three demonstrators for the long sit and down.

At our January meeting Spike, a Boston Terrier owned by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Giacomelli, presented, on behalf of our club, a cheque to help swell the Easthaven building fund to Mrs. J. E. McKillop, administrator of the Easthaven School for Retarded Children. The June double trial was discussed and our members were pleased to learn that Mr. Jake Giacomelli has agreed to accept the position of chairman for this event.

The Hub City Kennel Club
by Mr. Lloyd R. Heimbecker
1528 Ave. F No., Saskatoon, Sask

The club held its monthly meeting last night on January 8, which was a real success. We were pleased to welcome so many new members.

Dr. Sear was our guest speaker who did a very fine job on enlightening us on some of the canine diseases.

We also had our Saskatchewan director, Mr. Wm. Dawson, to tell us a few things about the activities of The Canadian Kennel Club.

At the end of the meeting everybody felt well satisfied and went away knowing it was all worthwhile.

We are very sorry to report the death of Mr. Reg. Lewis' Boxer, Flash of Tara Lane, who was out for a walk and was accidentally hit by a car. Our sympathies go out to Mr. Lewis and family.

Hull and District Kennel Club
by E. Diana Gemmell
471 Golden Ave., Ottawa 3, Ont.

The monthly general meeting of the club was held on December 11.

A proposal that membership dues be raised was fully debated and ended in defeat of the motion, so club membership continues at the very reasonable dollar for the calendar year which it has always been.

Plans for our Sanction Show in February are being made. We expect to have the use of the Hull Armories for Sunday, February 21 and are happy to announce that judges for this event will be Mrs. Pamela Mack and Mr. Ken Ellis.

Our Championship Show for 1960 will be on Sunday, August 28 and plans for this show are already well in hand.

The meeting closed with movies of dog racing and showing, and the usual delicious refreshments produced by Mrs. A. E. Bales.

Huronia Dog Club
by Gerry Boynton
249 Tiffin St., Barrie, Ont.

Another year has passed and we, in our club, can look back on it with pleasant memories. Our trip to O.A.C. at Guelph was an event that will never be forgotten and we cannot urge other clubs and dog fanciers too strongly to visit at the Small Animals Branch of the college and see what wonderful facilities and support we have there.

At our meetings held within our own club, our round table discussions on our problems in breeding, grooming, showing, training etc. have always proved interesting and helpful to each other and have fostered a feeling of good will and comradeship out of these discussion meetings. We found, in one of our own members, Mr. Peter Harvey, a most interesting speaker with willingness to share his knowledge and help the other fellow. Peter gave us a talk on breeding that was another highlight of the year.

A third outstanding event was a visit to our club by Mrs. R. Coates who brought with her two of her Salukis and gave us a wonderful talk on the breed. It was one of the most interesting and enlightening talks we have ever heard.

Our year was somewhat marred by the illness of Maj. and Mrs. Brimstin, both of whom suffered heart attacks. We

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The Irish Setter Club of Canada
by Pauline Forrest
3074 *Balmoral Ave., Burlington, Ont.*

It was with great sorrow that our membership learned of the death of Mrs. McEachren. She will be sadly missed by all dog people.

The club does not hold a regular meeting during the month of December. However, on December 12 the annual Christmas party took place at the Cosy Restaurant in Burlington, Ont. Mrs. Ionson, our Social Convenor, was in charge of this evening and special decorations and gifts were appreciated by all present. This proved a very successful evening for members and guests. Mr. Honsberger thanked all members for their support during the past year and asked for their cooperation during 1960.

At the conclusion of the dinner, Mr. Honsberger presented the annual awards and following is a list of these awards: Best of Breed award went to Ch. Hollywood Hills Honor owned by Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Threlkeld of Halifax, N.S.; Ch. Dog Award was won by Can. and Am. Ch. Wautoma, owned by Mrs. Cheever Porter of New York City; Champion Bitch Award went to Ch. Brewsters Glenbow Red Margot, owned by Mr. W. F. Krem of Calgary, Alta. and Mr. Krem also won the coveted Breeder of the Year award.

A film was shown, courtesy of Mr. Ionson, and dancing and other entertainment concluded the evening at the restaurant. Members and friends then adjourned to the home of the Dafoes to complete the evening.

The writer appreciates all news items, etc., sent to her during the past year and, at this time, I would like to advise that for 1960 this column will be written by Mr. John English of 114 Seneca Drive, Ancaster, Ont. and I am sure Mr. English will appreciate any news items, etc., that you may come upon that would be of interest to our readers. Mrs. E. McGowan, of 280 Balsam Avenue, Oakville, Ont., is our Membership Convener for 1960 and for membership in The Irish Setter Club of Canada or any information on the breed, please contact Mrs. McGowan.

The Ladies' Kennel Club of Canada
by Miss Joan B. Kyle

At the first fall open meeting of the club the members unanimously voted Mrs. H. Jones as chairman of the Dog Show Committee. Working with Mrs. Jones on her committee are Mrs. W. G. Krauser, superintendent; Mrs. C. F. McCullough, secretary; Mrs. M. P. McCoy, trophies; Mrs. L. Dery, treasurer; Mrs. I. Hudson, ticket convenor; Miss J. B. Kyle, publicity.

At the last show committee meeting on December 2, Mrs. Jones reported that our show dates Saturday, April 30 and Sunday, May 1 have been approved by the C.K.C.

An outstanding selection of judges has also been approved and they have accepted their assignments. They are Mr. James Trullinger of Syosset, L.I.; Mr. Virgil Johnson of Savannah, Ga.; and Mr. George Owen of Palm Beach, Fla. Mr. Hudson Kallock is superintending both shows.

A change in location has been approved by this Committee for our spring shows. The new Town of Mont Royal

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The Dog Show Committee, in conjunction with the executive, is working hard towards holding two efficiently and smoothly run all-breed shows and have every hope that the 1960 Ladies Kennel Club shows will be among the top shows of the year in Canada.

On April 29, the day previous to these two shows, The Poodle Club of Quebec is holding its first Specialty Show.

We are looking forward to welcoming many old and new friends.

The London Canine Association
by John F. Harris

The December meeting was held at the Y.M.C.A., London, on December 9. Our President, Bill Cooper, was in the chair.

The meeting was mostly related to selecting judges for our coming show. Judges have been selected, awaiting C.K.C. approval. Many trophies have already been donated. Our show is to be held in 1960 at Belmont, Ont., 12 miles south of London in the Belmont Arena. The Lions Club of Belmont are going to serve hot meals.

At the close of the meeting a Christmas party took place which all members enjoyed.

Many prizes were won at the Bingo game, and a very tasty lunch was served by the ladies.

The Miniature Dachshund Club of Canada
by Kitty Wake
Box 1257, Banff, Alta.

1960 came in with a flourish, as far as Miniature Dachshunds go around here, and they go far, as we know! Agness Hammond's Ch. Teckelows Wee Sage Brush Webb, (Miniature Wire-haired) ushered into the world a baby boy and a baby girl at exactly midnight New Year's Eve. She was very kindly attended by her doctors, Dr. Bill Nagge and Dr. Bruce Watson. The puppies were sired by Pasha von Zwerdachkelheim who is as well as can be expected! Trinketina has taken over the care of the babies until Sage Brush in on her feet again.

We regret that 1959 passed rather quietly in the way of club activities. Since our president was so far away all summer, we were unable to hold another Specialty Show this year. (And besides, your secretary was very busy frantically trying to take care of Ghost River Ranch in her absence, no mean feat, if one is not gifted with Miss Hammond's energy and knowledge!)

The Miniature Dachshund Club of Canada Trophy for the year's show prowess goes again to Ch. Del Rey Trinketina, with a score of nine points, according to our scale; she won one Group First, two Thirds and a Fourth in the four shows she was in, which is in keeping with her fabulous record and now she is past her ninth birthday! In second place and close behind was Mr. N. R. Stephen's Am., Can. and Mex. Ch. Tubacs Wee Johann W, a Wire-haired who achieved two Group Seconds and a Fourth this year, which gave him seven points. We should proudly note that there were eight Miniature Dachshunds placing in the Hound Groups in Canada this year, which speaks very well for the breed and the increasing interest in it.

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The Moose Jaw Kennel Club
by Mrs. H. Bidewell

The December meeting of the club was held in the Public Library on December 6, with a nice number of new and old members present. Show business was discussed. Judges for our Spring shows have been approved by the C.K.C.

Our club members were very pleased with the good start made with an obedience training class currently in progress. Mrs. Mary Miller is conducting these classes with the help of Mr. Frank Duckworth and others from the Regina Kennel Club. We hope to hold further classes in the New Year.

We are looking forward in the New Year to more new members and a greater interest in the city and vicinity in obedience for our dogs and a lively kennel club.

Niagara Peninsula Retriever Training Club
by Wm. E. T. Hayden
1274 *Dunbar Road, Burlington, Ont.*

Off with the old! On with the new! December 12 was the last meeting of '59. Held as a general meeting at the Niagara Gun Club, the election of officers for 1960 was carried out following a smorgasbord "Par Excellant" and pleasant conversation was enjoyed by all, over a hot toddy, while everyone toasted their feet in front of a roaring fire.

Past President Bill Hutchinson, after acknowledging a well deserved vote of thanks and round of applause for a job well-done, expressed his appreciation to the other members of his executive and then handed the gavel to the president for 1960. Here is your new executive: President, Dr. M. F. Williams; 1st Vice-Pres., Wm. McCaughey; 2nd Vice-Pres., Wm. Altoft; Secretary, Mrs. Eleanor McCaughey, 226 East 33rd St., Hamilton; Treasurer, Mrs. Ethel Berry. Directors: Wm. J. Hutchinson, Fred Dartnell, Lloyd Jarvis, Dick Berry, Ralph Murphy, Doug Smith, Ross McAndrew Bern Irwin, Anthony Sacco. Bulletin Editor, Wm. E. T. Hayden, 1274 Dunbar Road, Burlington, Ont.

The new executive held its first meeting at the home of Dr. M. F. Williams on December 16. An executive meeting will be held on the first Wednesday evening in each month.

The Northern Alberta Canine Association
by Evelyn C. Powell
11705-123*rd St., Edmonton, Alta.*

The club has just finished a very successful year, having held six obedience schools and two dog shows.

The new executive for 1960 has been elected and plans are being made for a May show and the first Obedience Class of the New Year. Mr. Robert McKillop is the new president, succeeding Mr. Cy. White; Secretary, Mrs. G. T. McLaren; Treasurer, Mrs. Dianne Buckland; Committees headed by Mr. Robert Riddell, Mrs. L. Norman, Mr. G. T. McLaren, Mrs. K. W. Powell, all of Edmonton and Mr. R. V. Norgreg, Leduc. Vice-President is Mr. D. Smith.

Members having purchased new dogs for the 1960 shows are Mrs. Dianne Buckland, Old English Sheepdog; Mr. R. L. McKillop, Beagles, and Mrs. B. Branchflower, Boxers. These new additions to the Edmonton dogs should give a lift to the May show.

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Ontario County Kennel Club

by Mrs. Joan M. Souch

The December meeting was held at the CRA Hall at Gibb Street, Oshawa, Ont. The agenda for the evening was the coming show and election of officers for 1960. The show is to be held in July and the Judges are all approved except for the Obedience judge. We are definitely having Obedience this year and hope for a better entry than we had last.

The new executive for 1960 has not changed from 1959. All the executive were put in by acclamation. We have however a new office headed Press and Publicity and yours truly was elected for this post. President: Mr. M. E. Whiteside; Vice-President, Mr. H. Porter; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Vi Porter; Superintendent and Obedience Chairman, Mr. Ross Souch; Auditors: Mrs. Groshart and Mrs. Edna Whiteside. Last but certainly not least our Trophy Secretary, Mrs. Barbara Innes. Please forward all your pledges for trophies to Mrs. Innes.

Ending the year the members of the OCKC were quite pleased with 1959 efforts. At the beginning of 1959 this club only had six members but due to the efforts of such people as Mr. Whiteside and Mr. W. Clark the membership has grown with each passing month. Our newest members are Mr. and Mrs. John Patton.

We wish to thank Miss Kaye Peer and Miss Elizabeth Dunn for the past year of being able to participate in their magazine. Without *Dogs in Canada* all clubs and associations would be at a loss. We are looking forward to another year with this magazine and the people behind it.

The January 11 meeting was held at the CRA in Oshawa. The turnout of members was very, very good considering the weather. There were 13 members present but we are disappointed to report that the President, Mr. Whiteside and his wife were absent due to sickness. The chair was capably handled by Mr. H. Porter, our Vice-President.

We welcomed in two new members, Mr. and Mrs. H. Boorman, Oshawa people that are the new owners of a lovely Miniature Poodle.

Mrs. Souch was also given the job of entertainment and for our February meeting Mr. Dewsbury and Mr. Souch will show us films.

The January gift was won by Mr. Payton. We are very pleased to have Mr. and Mrs. Payton as members of our club. Mr. Payton talked to us about judging in the Maritimes. It was very interesting to note that the dogs in general in the Maritimes are on the same level as those in Ontario. In the Maritimes, dog shows are just like an evening out to the public. The groups are judged in the evening. Only one large ring is used and the chairs are grouped around the ring in four rows deep. These rows are filled and other spectators are standing. The Mayor gives an address before the groups are judged and presents the judge with a small token of appreciation.

More arrangements were made re our show to be held on July 2 in Oshawa. All the members are working hard and we are eagerly looking forward to our show.



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by Bette Jean Burton
Box 81, Stratford, Ont.

The November meeting of the club was held in the Agricultural Building on Albert St. The meeting was the election of new officers for the coming year. The new executive is as follows: President, Dr. H. Brightwell; Vice-President, Mr. L. Bodemer; Secretary and show secretary, Mrs. L. Symonds; Treasurer, Mr. H. Nichols; Obedience Chairman, Mr. C. C. Burton; and your truly, press correspondent.

Mr. C. Burton gave the report of his recent training class, which was very successful. The first trophy going to "Punky" a Springer Spaniel owned by Mr. A. Symonds and handled by his wife. The class was judged by Mr. A. Surrette assisted by Mr. W. Konradt. The club thanked Mr. Burton.

On December 14 the club held a social evening, after a brief business meeting, the members chose partners and played cards. The winners were Mr. J. Lowe, Mrs. L. Bodemer, Mrs. L. Symonds. A lovely Christmas lunch was served by the lady club members.

The Poodle Club of Quebec
by Mrs. E. A. Chandler
36 Easton Ave., Montreal West, Que.

The date has been approved for the club's first annual Specialty Show, to be held on Friday, April 29. It will be followed by the two Ladies' Kennel Club all-breed shows on Saturday and Sunday, giving Poodle owners a chance to make a champion in three consecutive days. The judge for our show will be Mr. A. W. Barrett, of Roadcoach Kennels, Dover, Mass., well known for their fine Poodles and Dalmatians.

Members of the club have been busy with plans for the show. In addition, winter activities of the club will include a series of Show Training Nights, which this year will be open to prospective exhibitors in all breeds. Would anyone who is interested in preparing their dogs for the coming Spring breed shows please call me at HU 6-5411 for further information. A small fee will be charged non Poodle Club members to cover the cost of the hall.

The Progressive Kennel Club (Inc.)
by Gertrude W. Drew

The first meeting of the New Year was held January 6 with a good attendance and Mr. C. Stevens assuming his usual position as President.

Out of respect for the late Mrs. Eileen McEachren the President asked that two minutes silence be observed.

It was nice to see our old friends the Griffins back after several months absence. Mr. Stevens has completely recovered from a nasty accident when he was scalded around the face and hands. Mrs. Stevens reports that their daughter was the victim of a car accident just

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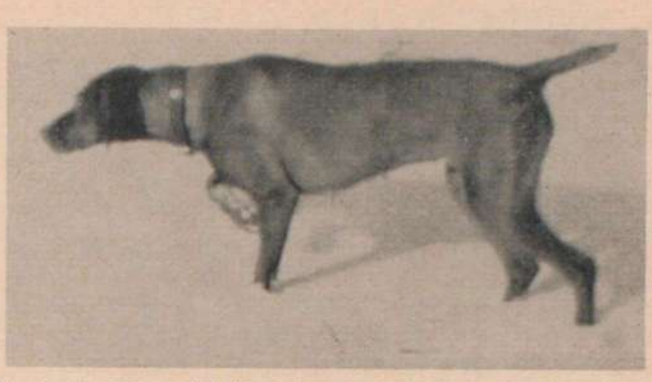
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There was a heavy agenda and some elections to clean up. Mrs. Mary Lake took over as Recording Secretary in the absence of Mrs. Paul.

Arrangements for a sanction show, to be held on February 14 in York Farmers Market Bldg., were completed. There will be a lunch counter where refreshments will be served. As the show falls on Valentine day the club is offering a special prize to the person exhibiting the most dogs (this does not apply to handlers). The building is located on the east side of Yonge just south of Thornhill. There are parking facilities for 200 cars. Anyone wishing information about the show should phone Mrs. Martha Stevens, HO 1-5139.

The following offices were filled at this meeting: Trophy Secretary, Mrs. K. Shanks; Bench Chairman, Mr. Roy Dewsbury; Advertising, Mrs. G. R. Purse; Education Program, Mrs. G. Drew. On the resignation of Mrs. Drew as Membership Chairman, Mr. Walter Brown was elected to this post.

The probability of having a banquet came up for discussion. The President felt very strongly in favor of this as part of the club's obligation to the hard working members. The voting was unanimously in favor. Social Convenor, Mrs. Maud Symons, was instructed to procure Pellers Banquet Hall for a date the latter part of February or early in March. Exact date will be given out at the next regular meeting.

The Provincial Irish Setter Club
by Gertrude W. Drew

We had no meeting in December in lieu of our banquet December 11. Our January meeting will have a heavy agenda as the executive have been taking care of urgent matters only.

The banquet proved to be a most successful and enjoyable affair, especially good food beautifully served. We can certainly recommend the Peller's Banquet Hall to dog clubs.

Club president Mrs. Gertrude Drew opened the party with a hearty welcome to members and friends. At the conclusion of the meal speeches were made by Dr. Shute, J. W. MacCallum and Dr. Clement. A special feature was the presentation of a wallet containing a dollar bill autographed by club members to Mr. Walter Brown, honorary president of this club. In his reply he commented on the bill, which he said he would cherish for the rest of his days. A load

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Just before Christmas the writer had a visit from the O'Byrnes, Irish Setter fanciers from southern Ireland who are visiting their daughter in Peterborough and a cousin in Hamilton.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paslow, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cloutier and Mr. and Mrs. J. Nunn as new members.

For information on Club activities and membership please contact Mrs. Mary Lake, 200 Maple Leaf Dr., Toronto 15, Ont. (CH 1-3709).

The Rhodesian Ridgeback Club
by Gwen Appell
4686 Marine Dr., Burnaby, B.C.

The club's third annual Sanction Show, January 9, attracted 115 entries from various parts of B.C., Vancouver Island and Washington. Once again, the enthusiasm of the club members was very much in evidence. Hand-painted murals of African scenery depicting Ridgebacks in their natural habitat — ring markers made in the shape of authentic African shields with crossed spears (duplicates of the club crests)— a beautiful, floodlit, black and gold trophy table — set off by shining new ring posts, all helped to make a perfect setting for competent judging by Mrs. Joyce Anson of Aldergrove, B.C. (formerly of England) and Mrs. Anne Mesdag, of Seattle, Wash.

Even the junior club members did their part by creating a mural of Canadian wild life to decorate the walls of the anteroom where dog lovers congregated to chat and enjoy refreshments. The Social Convenor outdid herself with a three foot long cake, a replica of the club's prize-winning float in the P.N.E. parade.

Most gratifying to our two judges was the large entry of Boxers and Shepherds, their own particular breeds. An interesting entry was the Shih Tzus, rarely seen at shows in this area.

Written critiques were prepared by the judges for the benefit of exhibitors. It is probably the first time in Canada that this has been done. It was obvious that the success of the show was accomplished by the wonderful teamwork of its enthusiastic and hard-working members. Best in Show was the Boxer who also was Best Canadian Bred Puppy.

The St. Catharines & District Kennel & Obedience Club
by Don Foster
131 Bunting Rd., St. Catharines, Ont.

The club held its first annual meeting December 14. The year's activities were reviewed and it was acknowledged that our first and second Obedience Trials were successful. We also ran two good membership matches and held three training classes in C.D. in which we acquired more members and prospective exhibitors for both show and trial. We are trying to interest people down this

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way in registered dogs and the thrill of participating in competition and the showing of their dogs.

We have obtained various articles of equipment like mats, hurdles, ropes, stands etc. We also purchased a lovely banner which was made up by Mrs. Robert H. Lohnes, Secretary of the Western Lakes Training Club, Buffalo. You will now be able to tell the St. Catharines gang by our club crests in red and white to be worn on a pearl grey shirt or jacket. The crest, designed by Patrick Howe, has a dog kennel designating show and a dumbell for obedience, with the club name forming a border.

Preliminary plans were gone over regarding our forthcoming Sanction Show February 20. It was agreed to apply for our Obedience Trials in May this year and to hold it in the Armouries. We then held our election of officers with Mrs. N. T. Smith presiding in which the following officers were elected: Mr. Hugh Monro, President and Mrs. H. Denny, Secretary, two years. Vice-President, Patrick Howe; Treasurer, Mrs. Inez McGuire, one year. Four directors for two years are Mrs. Hugh Monro, Mrs. Mary Johns, Mr. Richard Carpenter and Mr. Don Foster. Three one-year directors are Miss Joan Garbutt, Mr. Ken Sorenson and Mr. Dave Gilmore.

We then enjoyed refreshments put on by Mrs. Anne O'Malley and her committee and highlighted by a first anniversary cake.

The club expresses its appreciation to those who have helped the club start and carry on the various projects, particularly the officers of the Burlington Kennel Club and Hamilton Obedience Club.

Saint John Obedience Club
by Mrs. Ruth Tyner
230 *Cranston Ave., Saint John, N.B.*

The Saint John Obedience Club held their second anniversary dinner at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Irene Searle, Renforth, in the form of a Christmas party with the president, Mrs. Arthur Tremain presiding. There were 41 members and guests present. An enjoyable Christmas dinner was served by the ladies of the club. The special guests included Maritime Director Mr. Robert Little and Mrs. Little, Mr. Fred Blizzard, sportscaster for SHSJ-TV and Mrs. Blizzard, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith of Lincoln, N.B., Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Glenn and Mr. Bruce Little of Fredericton, N.B. and Miss T. Titus of Grand Mannan, N.B.

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Mr. Eldon Earle acted as Santa Claus and presented gifts to all from the Christmas tree with a special gift to our hostess, Mrs. Searle. The Maritime Director said a Scotch Grace, 2nd vice-president Mr. Greg Collins expressed regrets from our vice-president, Mrs. T. H. McGuire who was unable to attend and also proposed a toast to the Queen. Short addresses were given by Messrs. Little, Blizzard, Smith and Tremain and Mrs. Glenn. Mr. John Morrison and Mr. Karl Betholds showed slides of various members' dogs and of our classes.

A special toast was proposed to Group 3 in the kitchen; Mrs. Gertrude Billiard, Mrs. Dot Tremain, Mrs. Alice Brodie, Mrs. Nell Banks, Mrs. Ruth Tyner, and Miss Ann Banks. Before the dinner a moment of silent prayer was observed in memory of Mrs. M. Eileen McEachren.

Shearwater Kennel Club
by Valerie H. McMillin
Woodlawn, N.S.

Due to an outbreak of Klepsiella in the area it was decided to cancel the January meeting. This was done in view of the serious contagiousness of the disease and the fact that a great many of our members have puppies or are expecting litters; also it would appear that age is no deterrent to infection.

The nomination meeting will now be held in February, by which time we hope things will have settled down somewhat. Our annual meeting will also be postponed for one month until March.

The Simcoe Kennel and Obedience Club (Norfolk County)
by Mrs. Roy Bent
R.R. #2, Simcoe, Ont.

At our December meeting the following slate of officers was elected for 1960: President, Gerald Charter; Secretary, Mrs. Roy Bent; Treasurer, Mr. Roy Bent; Directors, Mrs. Florence Westbrook, Mrs. Robert Buckle, Mr. Joe Petillion and Mr. George Mehlenbacher.

It has been decided to appoint a publicity convenor as well as the social convenor and program convenor. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petillion and their daughter Jeanette are in charge of the program for the January meeting. Other members will take their turn supplying an interesting program for future meetings. However, it is up to the members to attend every meeting to make 1960 a banner year for S.K.O.C.

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New classes begin on January 13. Mrs. Lapilainen and Lance Heald will take the Novice entries and J. Haggerty the advanced class. J. Haggerty gave a talk and demonstration on obedience before the Port Arthur Rotary Club on January 5.

Dates for our coming Obedience Trials have been set and judges have been chosen. Mrs. Koski has indicated that she will convene an Easter Tea and Bake Sale to add, we hope, a sizeable sum to our bank account. All things considered, the T.B.D.T.C. had a very successful year.

The "200" Club

by Laura McNally

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The eagerly awaited club pins arrived just in time for Christmas. Members snapped them up with at last count only two pins left. The design of the pin is striking by virtue of its simplicity. All gold, a cutout figure 200 surmounts a plain bar on which is inscribed the word "Club". A small ring on the lower edge will enable tiny medallions signifying titles earned to be hung thereon.

Reflecting our optimistic viewpoint, the new 1960 schedule programs planned classes for judging procedure, trial stewarding and perhaps most important of all, a development system for additional trainers.

Our fellow obedience clubs will appreciate the problems involved in molding good trainers. Imagination, patience, an understanding of canine and human psychology, co-ordination and "good-timing" must all be considered part of even an average trainer. To achieve top results the elusive "born to be a trainer" trait must also be present.

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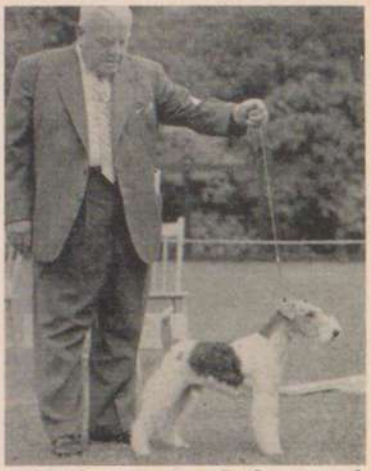


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A challenge to the advertiser

An ad appearing in the January, 1960 issue claims top wins in Wire Haired Terriers. I challenge this with the following: Since going back to breeding Wire Fox Terriers I doubt if there is a breeder of Wire Fox Terriers in Ontario that can top my wins for 1958-1959. As the Show records will prove, in 1959 alone our kennels won 16 first prizes; Winners, 16; Best of Breed, 13; Best Opposite Sex, 6; Reserve Winners, 4; Best Puppy, 4; Second in Group, 3 times; Fourth in Group, once — 63 ribbons in all. Come off it, boy — you cannot keep doing it, you must be checked up some time. A little advice from Ascot Kennels won't do any harm.

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PUBLIC FANCY IN DOGS

section; in breed they include some so obscure they are hard to spell, let alone recognize: Affenpinscher, Kuvaszok, Komondorok, for example.

Since less than one percent of these dogs will ever mount even the lowest rung of the show ladder that leads to Westminster, it is surprising that so many thousands of human beings each year keep on going to the trouble (sometimes considerable, for you have to trace a pup back to his grandparents on both sides) and minor expense (from $1 to $4 depending on the age of the dog and whether he is first registered with his litter) of getting their dogs registered with the AKC. John Neff, the AKC top administrative head, has a theory. "I suppose some owners plan eventually to breed or sell their dogs and want the AKC registration. Others simply want their pets' names in the roster. I guess people who get a well-bred dog take a kind of pride that he can be registered. I can't imagine a woman buying a Dior dress and not wanting the label."

Curiously enough, this quirk of vanity serves an interesting purpose. Each year, when the new registrations are all in, the AKC releases a list of the ten most popular dog breeds. This tells us a lot about what is happening to dogs these days — and to people. In the early days when dog breeding was largely a sport of wealthy men the registrations ran mostly to hunting dogs, Setters and Pointers. But at the turn of the century, the Collie became number one; from 1913 through 1922, Boston Terriers and Airedales ran neck-and-neck. Then came the German Shepherd, the Cocker Spaniel, and, in 1953, the Beagle. He has been the most popular dog in America ever since.

It is interesting to trace the forces which make a breed popular. Dogs featured in literature, films and on television have earned for their breeds brief seasons in the sun. The writings of Albert Payson Terhune helped make Collies a national favorite. Movie dogs Rin Tin Tin and Strongheart boosted the popularity of German Shepherds. Because of the TV Basset Hounds Cleo and Morgan, the Basset, originally intended for hunting, is today sitting on cushions instead of in wet grass. (Although the Basset isn't yet in the AKC top ten, he is number 13, up from 31 in 1955.)

Many other kinds of dogs which were originally bred for definite working reasons, are now popular because we whimsical human beings find their appearance amusing. The placid Bulldog, for example, was bred in England for bull-baiting, and his strong underslung jaw was developed so he could grab the bull's nose and hang on. Dogs with short legs like the Scottish Terrier and Dachshund (his name translated from the German is Badger Dog) were bred that way so that they could follow game into holes and fight it out. Even dogs that go through life looking like animated mops, with hair obscuring their eyes so that it is sometimes hard to tell one end from the other, were bred with the fringe as protection, either against the cold (as in the case of the Old English Sheepdog) or against the wear and tear of hunting foxes in rough rocks and crevices (the Skye Terrier).

Westminster's Best in Show, if he is a particularly appealing or dramatic dog, can have a lot to do with making his breed popular. In 1948 a Bedlington Terrier named Night Rocket won Best in Show and public fancy was caught by "the little dog that looked like a lamb." Boxers, a comparatively new breed (less than 100 years old), were greatly helped by Westminster wins: Warlord of Mazelaine in 1947 and Mazelaine's Zazarac Brandy in 1949, Bang Away in 1951. A Cocker named My Own Brucie worked similar magic for his breed in 1940 and 1941.

Other fine dogs have left the public unimpressed. Storm, the beautiful Doberman who won Best in Show at Westminster in 1952 and 1953, is still regarded by many dog experts as the most exciting animal they have ever seen. Yet the Doberman remains, in the public mind, a dog to chase burglars.

When Queen Elizabeth was married, she and her husband were much photographed with her Corgis, and there was a burst of interest in the breed. But it was brief partly, experts suspect, because Corgis, while charming, have a tendency

to be mistaken for mongrels among the uninitiated. It is, apparently, not particularly pleasing for a proud owner to be walking his pure-bred pup and have strangers on the street stop to ask: "What sort of a mixture is he, anyway?"

The Westminster show is not a popularity contest. One judge explains: "The competition for Best in Show is not primarily between the six dogs that reach the final ring. The question a judge of this division has to ask himself is which dog is closest to perfection according to the standards of his own breed — and an all-breed judge has to know well the standards for all the 113 breeds recognized by the AKC. But there is also the intangible — how a dog performs, how he moves, his spirit, his heart, his endurance.

"A common misconception about show dogs is that they are inclined to be 'nervous.' The opposite is the case. Dogs are always judged as closely for steadiness and a willingness to be handled as they are for conformation and good looks."

Of today's ten most popular dogs — Beagles, Chihuahuas, Poodles, Dachshunds, German Shepherds, Boxers, Cocker Spaniels, Collies, Pekingese and Boston Terriers, in that order — seven are small or have small varieties. Why? Apparently because our world is changing. There are fewer lonely farms, needing watch dogs; fewer estates with room for big dogs to roam; less need for dogs on the range. The farm and ranch dog of today is a companion rather than a worker and rides in the station wagon with his master. In the city and suburb, the small dog is easier to exercise, easier to have in the house. The Chihuahua, for example, requires practically no exercise and has, according to one devoted owner, "a tiny appetite and an enormous heart." The Dachshund is easy to keep in a small apartment.

Three dogs, two of them in the top ten, do need grooming and attention: Pomeranian, Pekingese and Poodle. Since these dogs are canine playthings (the word "toy" is accurate) they adapt themselves to fancy accessories and soft living. This does not mean that these dogs can't be trained or that they are not clever, for many of them do exceptionally well in obedience competition. It simply means that they were bred to be pets.

To serious dog folk, popularity is a mixed blessing. So long as a breed is not too popular, it remains in the hands of responsible breeders. But when a breed gets popular and public demand boosts prices, the so-called "puppy factories" take over.

A puppy factory works this way. The owner, interested only in fast turnover and profit, sets out to produce as many pups as possible. He may buy a good dog and mate him to an inferior female he has picked up cheap. Then he sells the pups as championship stock. There was a time when the saddest, sickest Cocker puppies-in-the-window were foisted on a gullible public because they were distant relatives of champion My Own Brucie.

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Several proposed rule changes in shows under the jurisdiction of The American Kennel Club were explained and put into action at the recent quarterly meeting of the AKC. These changes are presented for the attention of the many Canadians who exhibit in the States.

John C. Neff, executive vice-president explained that a dog entered in one of the regular classes could advance to the final judging for best of breed or best of variety only after winning a best of winners ribbon and that frequently there is no competition in both sexes with the result that there is no best of winners award. The proposal provides that no best of winners award is to be made unless there is both a winners dog and a winners bitch but that in such case a winners ribbon will admit the dog to competition for best of breed or best of variety. Mr. Neff's motion was adopted and becomes effective immediately.

Mr. Neff also proposed a new rule which had been published in the last two issues of *Pure-Bred Dogs—American Kennel Gazette* as a proposal . . . . that no entry may be made and no entry accepted by a superintendent or show secretary which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. On motion duly made and seconded, this rule change was adopted to be effective immediately.



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(Bedlingtons — Wirehairs)

Last July, when the monthly AKC registrations showed Poodles on top for the first time, a former president of the Poodle Club told reporters: "That's too bad. After all, when a breed achieves too great popularity, breeding standards are disregarded and in a short time you have an inferior dog."

When pups are offered for sale by a factory, usually the bright and healthy ones sell first. A sick or shy dog is invariably left on the breeder's hands and this misfit is often the dog which the puppy factory uses for breeding. These misfits are often said to be "too highly bred" or "inbred." More accurately, they are just "poorly bred."

But while the serious dog breeders and exhibitors may be exasperated with puppy factories, outsiders and even ordinary dog owners, they realize that, after all, the fate of dogs in general rests in our unreliable hands. So, being kind and dedicated people who work for small financial gain and trust dogs more than they do people, they have suggested a few rules to follow the next time you have an urge to buy a puppy:

Go to a reputable kennel.

Never pick the sad-looking pup because you feel sorry for him. The one that cowers in a corner is either sick or has an undependable disposition. Take the bright, lively fellow who pushes the others away from the feed box.

If possible, ask to see the mother. You'll get an idea what your pup will be like when he grows up.

Take the pup away from his brothers and sisters and test to see if he's deaf. You can do this simply by snapping your fingers to see if he responds.

Don't try to make a bargain. A reputable dealer will put a fair price on his pups. If you are offered a bargain dog, there is usually something wrong with him.

Find out what kind of preventive shots have been given the puppy and what more are necessary.

Perhaps fortunately for all concerned, more than 18 million U.S. dogs are of such uncertain ancestry that they can never aspire to enrollment in AKC's record rooms or the limelight of Westminster's rings. But they are treasured nonetheless, for in the words of Samuel Butler: "The great pleasure of a dog is that you may make a fool of yourself and not only will he not scold you but he will make a fool of himself, too."

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"RHETT" CAPTURES NATIONAL

chinson, Van Wagners Beach, Ont., and so seven retrievers were called back for series seven the following day.

October 25 dawned a warm sunny day, typical of this beautiful Okanagan Valley and the following seven retrievers were called back for series seven. FTC Rhett of Coldwater, owned by Hal Straight of West Vancouver, B.C. and handled by Ken Gibson, FTC Love's Black George owned by Paul Jackson, M.D., Vancouver, and handled by Lloyd Love, FTC Robber of Carmoney owned and handled by Jack Runnells of Edmonton, FTC and 1958 Can. National Ch., Sinser's Bulldozer owned and handled by Bill Sinser, New Westminster, B.C., FTC Craigend Rock, owned and handled by Jack Smyth of Maplewood, B.C., FC and AFC Jibodad Topper, owned and handled by James W. Bryan of Bremerton, Washington, and Nodak Tar Pride owned by Mrs. Mary T. White, Vancouver, and handled by Ken Gibson.

All Labrador dogs were males with the exception of Nodak Tar Pride.

Series seven and Series eight were run consecutively. Series seven was an over and under mark using pheasants, and series eight, a blind bird to the right of the No. 1 bird of the over and under.

The Judges called the seven handlers to witness the throwing of the blind bird for series eight and then called each of the seven retrievers in turn to complete the over and under mark of series seven. This over and under was No. 1 bird 120 yards out and No. 2 bird 60 yards out in a straight line to the direct front of the retriever on line. FTC and 1958 National Champ, Sinser's Bulldozer was dropped in Series seven.

This left six retrievers for series eight which was the blind bird thrown out to the right of No. 1 bird in series seven (120 yds.). Three retrievers were not called back after series eight. They were FTC Robber of Carmoney, FTC Craigend Rock, and Nodak Tar Pride.

This left three retrievers called back for Series nine. FTC Rhett of Coldwater, FTC Love's Black George, U.S.A. Field & Amateur Champ Jibodad Topper.

Series nine was a double retrieve over water using Mallards. The retriever on line was required to go through a gate opening for one bird which was thrown near decoys and could only be seen in the air by the dog because of heavy brush and rushes to the dog's right front. The other bird had been thrown into heavy bullrushes about 75 yards across water and to the dog's right front.

All three retrievers were called back for the last and final tenth series. At this point hundreds of spectators were on hand.

Series ten was a blind Mallard over water with the dog on line as in series nine. The Mallard was placed on shore in rushes about 110 yards to the right of the retriever on line and in direction about midway between Birds 1 and 2 in series nine. The retrievers were required to be handled by water through the decoys and only by skillful handling were they prevented from entering the heavy bullrushes where in the previous series the Mallard had been thrown.

FTC Rhett of Coldwater, FTC Love's Black George and U.S.A. Field and Amateur Ch. Jibodad Topper all completed this series.

After this final series everyone was asked to return to the clubhouse of the Vernon District Fish, Game, and Forest Protective Association where the winner of the 1959 National Championship Stake was to be announced by the Minister of Justice Davie Fulton.

During the interval two exhibition tests were put on for the benefit of the huge crowd — a double blind using Mallards over water and a walk up test on land which required the handler to shoot three pheasants with the dog remaining at heel until ordered to retrieve.

The Minister of Justice, Davie Fulton, arrived at the clubhouse amid applause and announced the winner of the 1959 National Championship Stake as:

FTC Rhett of Coldwater, owned by Hal Straight of West Vancouver, B.C., and handled by Ken Gibson. The big black Labrador was at his best throughout the gruelling ten series. He truly is a great dog.

The October sun was at its brightest on the final day and sportsmen and contestants from Ontario to the State of Washington were on hand to applaud the winner.

Great tribute and congratulations must go to the host club, The Vernon District Fish Game and Forest Protective Association and all the committees of members who organized this year's Championship Stake and made it one of the best on record.

It is impossible to mention everyone by name but Jim Holt, Bob Carswell, C.

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For Vernon the National Championship Stake was a great historic event. Mayor Frank F. Becker was a keen observer throughout the three-day event and led Vernonites in extending every privilege to the entrants and the many other guests of the city.

Congratulations to all and to the National Retriever Club Canada and also to the 1959 National Champion and FTC Rhett of Coldwater and to his owner Hal Straight and his handler Ken Gibson. As pressmen and cameramen strove for interviews and pictures, "Rhett" was a model of composure. He posed for pictures, offered a paw and even licked the Justice Minister's ear. A bottle of champagne arrived for Rhett, with the inscription, To the New National Champion from "Bulldozer."

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DOGS AFIELD

sion at the vets? It is especially regrettable in a breed that has been fostered successfully as a dual dog that a gun dog man cannot leave more tail for the action he likes to see in the field without having to cut off a couple of inches when he wishes to exhibit the dog on the bench.

I wonder what would happen if a rule were passed in Boxers, Danes, or Dobes that no ear shall be left to measure more than x inches? How could such a purely artificial limitation of appendage length possibly affect the breed?

It is my sincere hope that breeders of Spaniels, Shorthairs, Ymars, and other sporting breeds will have the courage to leave more of the gaiety and action when docking their pups and that judges will be able to evaluate soundness and type without resorting to a measuring tape.

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IN THE FIELD

Beagle field trials continued to expand in Canada in 1959. In 1959, 1813 Beagles were entered in the 26 licensed field trials. In 1958 the total number of entries was 1489, in 1957 it was 1375 and in 1956 it was 1072. Every year shows an increase in this activity with no end in sight. The Ottawa Valley Club had the most entries this year with 105 dogs being entered, second only to the Nia-Penn trial of 1956 when 136 Beagles were entered. New clubs are being formed and entries are increasing at the others, so that it is not unreasonable to assume that the number of entries could reach 3000 in the next five years.



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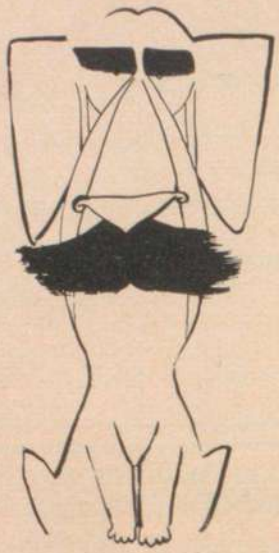
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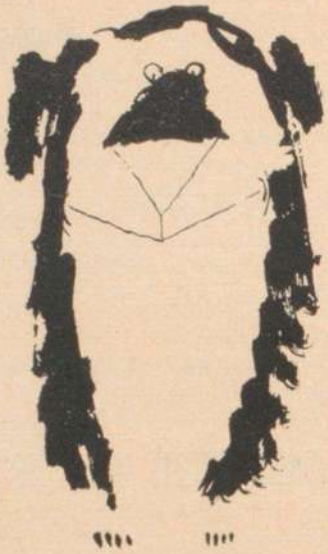
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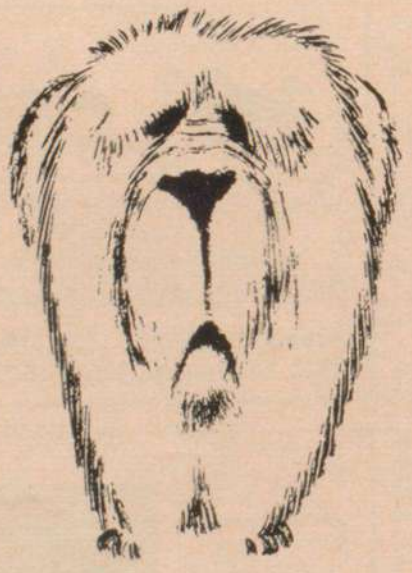
Est-ce possible?

Gutta-percha. It was a word like gutta percha.

I've tried, Marsha. God knows I've tried.

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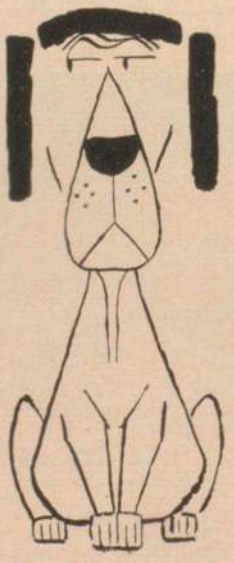
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. . . cet escalier me coupe toujours le souffle!

Admiral Byrd used to bring us candy.

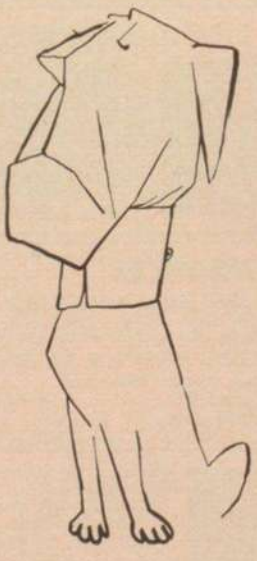
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In due course we returned to our home and yard where our two ducks and their brand new family of ducklings strutted about. I had been in the kitchen but a few minutes when with great pride the Whippet placed a baby duckling at my feet.

M. Assimakos,
Richmond, B.C.

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Who, me!

MISERABLE DOGGEREL

It is a very curious case,
That even a dog-loving race,
When using dogs, with tongue or pen,
To shape a metaphor for men,
Will never let them sleeping lie.
Misfortune always dogs them neigh.
They sadly breed as thick as fleas
Comparisons and sililes.
Why sly dog, and why go to dogs?
Why dirty dog, and throw to dogs?
Why dog in manger, as dog sick,
Dog's life, dog Latin and dog's trick?
Why fawn, grin, howl and lie like dog,
Why beat, shoot, hang and die like dog?
Did ever dog lead idle life?
Of all God's creatures given to strife,
Why cat and dog for man and wife?

If on our favourite morning way,
Along with pup and me they'd stray,
I am sure they'd say, as on we jog,
As friendly, true and brave as dog.

W. T. Keble

Junior came into the house crying.

"What's the matter now?" asked his mother.

"Our big Newfie put his paws on Daddy's shoulder and Daddy sat down hard."

"That's not serious," consoled his mother. "A big young man like you shouldn't cry over a thing like that. Why didn't you just laugh?"

"I did," sobbed Junior.

During the show the elderly exhibitor was observed down on his knees, reaching under the benching.

"What have you lost?" his neighbour asked testily.

"A caramel," he mumbled.

"You're going to all this trouble for a measly caramel?"

"Have to," he muttered. "My teeth are in it."

Sign on a roadside shop: Antiques and Old English Sheepdogs."

"Remember that unbreakable bone you bought Poodlepup?"

"Sure. Did he break it?"

"Not at all. He just gave it to baby — in the eye."

One half of knowing what you want is knowing what you must give up before you get it.

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