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Judge  
and shown by  
Mrs. J. H. Carroll, owner

Golden Gate, 1946

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# SAMOYEDES

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By Vera Lawrence

Already, news has come to us that Dr. Ivens' Martingate Snowland Taz is upholding the glory of Mrs. Westcott's Snowland Kennels in England—the following wire just reached us from the secretary of the Samoyed Club of America.—“Biggest news yet! Martingate Snowland Taz placed third in the Working group at Maryland Kennel Club show in Baltimore, Feb. 3 under Judge William Kendricks. (This was his first showing in America, having just recently come to Dr. Wm. Ivens in Ardmore, Pennsylvania, from Mrs. A. L. Westcott's kennels in England.) “Taz won the fancy of the crowds by his flashy appearance, great beauty and style.”

## “IRISH SAMOYED TITLIST COMING”

This is the headline of an article from a Baltimore, Md., paper clipping sent us by Mrs. G. L. Burt of Annapolis, wife of Commander Burt, out in the Pacific. The article reads: “The Irish champion Samoyed Snowland Stara, is being imported to the United States by Mrs. Lucille L. Miller, former Baltimorean, who now owns kennels at Albuquerque, N. M., and will be shown in this area, the Samoyed Club of America announced today.”

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“Stara, owned by Mrs. Kathleen Pyle of England, is 2 years old. He is the winner in Ireland of 9 green stars—best of breed under nine dif-



CH. ZANTOK OF BREEZEWOOD  
Owned by Mrs. Lucile Miller

ferent judges, a first place in the non-sporting group at the Dublin show last September, and an English best of breed at the Wimbledon show in London last November.

Parents Also Prize Winners

“Bred by Mrs. A. L. Westcott, of the English Snowland kennels, the dog's sire is Ivanoff of Snowland, and his dam, Snowland Stella—both prize winners.

“Dates of the dog's arrival and the proposed exhibition have not been announced.”

Of Snowland Taz, Dr. Ivens writes most enthusiastically: “To me he is the loveliest Sam I've ever seen. His head is perfect, small ears beautifully placed, good eyes that are practically like coal, and a marvelous expression with a natural smile and lots of fire. He has huge bone, moves with great action and style, and one of those profuse coats of which we dream. His body development is extreme. His chest measurement is 20 inches. All in all, I like him and I know you'd love him.”

In his letter of Feb. 6th, Dr. Ivens wrote: “I understand Ch. Snowland Stara is due in today. I wish Mrs. Miller great luck with him—he must be a fine dog.”

## SAMOYED CLUB OF THE PACIFIC COAST NEWS

Golden Gate drew an entry of eight Sams—4

## Outstanding Samoyede Puppies

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males, 3 females and one male for Specials only for Dr. Ray Smith to pass upon. Most of his placements met with favor, but some were not popular at all.

Novice dogs winner was Mrs. A. E. and Miss Aljean Mason's Timothy Tim (Ch. Victory Leader ex Gay of White Way.) Amer.-Bred winner was Wm. P. Duhamel's Sasha II (Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Cleo). Limit dogs, was Mrs. Mason and Aljean's Snow Cap (Reningrad ex Nianya of Snowland). Open dogs winners was the Masons' Herdsman's Chattigan (Silver Spark of the Arctic ex Cleo.) Winners Dog was Chattigan. Reserve was Snow Cap.

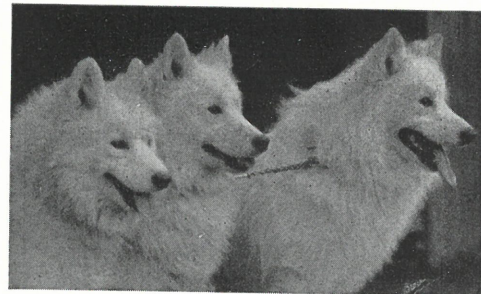
Novice bitch winner was Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sly's Lady Juliana, litter sister to Pat Healey's Ch. Ski Trooper of Tamaland, bred by Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Juilly. This was Lady Juliana's first show and Mr. and Mrs. Sly had every reason to be proud of this daughter of Mason's Ch. White Way of Kobe out of Mrs. Phillips' late Jooschka. American Bred bitch winner was Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ward's Staryvna of Snowland (Ch. Siberian Nansen of Snowland ex Dol of Snowland). Open bitches winner was P. A. Stang's sister to Jooschka, named Mielchka, by Ch. Barloff ex Lady Mona, who also placed winners bitch with 2 points and best of opposite sex. Best of Winners was Herdsman's Chattigan, and Best of Breed, Pat Healey's Ch. Ski Trooper of Tamaland.

Among visitors who were Sammy owners of several years ago, were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Robinson, Jr., of Oakland, and Mrs. Donn Brown, who used to own Kara Kobe of Oceanside. We were delighted also to meet Mrs. H. J. McKenna, now of Veterans' Hospital in Palo Alto. She has come to the Pacific Coast from the east, and has brought with her, Ch. Sam III, son of Oleg, half brother to the late Pedlar of the Arctic, and Ch. Powder Puff; also White Jade Talisman, from the imported Ch. Tiger Boy of Norka. She owns one bitch called Tundra who is now 15 years old, a granddaughter of Mrs. Horace Mann's world famous Ch. Gorka, and also a 4-year-old bitch named Norka. We hope to see some of these Sams in the days ahead, and hope that some will appear at our coming Oakland show.

Mrs. McKenna's stock is from the Norka and Siberian bloodlines. It was interesting to have first-hand information about some of the fore-runners of many of the dogs here on the Coast. Mrs. McKenna says that in his prime, Ch. Tiger Boy of Norka had a tremendous coat which made him appear shorter than he really was, but he was a lovely animal.

## NEWS ABOUT SOME SACRAMENTO SAMS

A prospective purchaser in Berkeley of a Sam, wrote Mrs. Mason in this manner: “We saw your



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advertisement in the W.K.W. and are interested to know the price you are asking for puppies. We are not acquainted with the Samoyed blood-strains, this would be our first venture with the breed, but we are conversant with the Sammy characteristics and fine qualities from reading the articles so lovingly written in W.K.W. by the various owners. We have also been much attracted to the Sammies in the Oakland dog shows."

We are delighted to give you news of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCleary and their Ch. Jack Frost of Sacramento (Jason ex Mitzi Aura Laska). Jack Frost, the first of our Northern California Sams to become a champion is now 12 years old, and doing well. He is offering, through his "folks," a trophy for our Oakland show.

Mrs. Mason shares with our readers a letter from Mr. Eldon King of Cottage Grove, Oregon. Mr. King, who has made application to become a member of the Pacific Coast Division of the Samoyed Club of America, owns several Sams. One of these is a young bitch named Tiffany, a mighty nice looking 13-months-old daughter of Reningrad and Nianya of Snowland.

Tiffany is very fond of children, and immediately upon being let out for a run, makes straight for Cabin 4 in the Auto Court, to see if she can find the children who make such a fuss over her (a picture next issue). If she does not find them, she then searches for the cat which she has proven she would not harm.

Mr. King wrote: "The Court has lots of oak trees with good shade for the dogs. Tiffy is kept near the upper entrance, and notifies us of every car that comes in. Nick, as we call our male (Kid of Cleo), barks when anyone walks on the pavement on my place, also nearby. They seem to have an agreement on this, and even though someone should walk right by her down the drive Tiffany never makes a sound. Just Nick will give a few loud barks and watch to see what happens." It is thus that they guard the home territory, and let the other folks mind their own.

Mr. King also owns a brother to Mrs. Todnem's Frost King, also Selena and Princess Narta that he has purchased from Mrs. Todnem.

The following lines were written by a young Sacramento boy, who has been a Sammy owner almost throughout his 10 years of life—young Jerry Gracia.

"My Samoyed Dog"

Of my dog I would like to tell, I hope my poem pleases you well.

I love my dog, who is white as snow, Her name is Teka—she follows me wherever I go.

She comes from Sammyland far away. She and I have lot of fun when we romp and play.

Her eyes and nose are as black as ink, Against her snow white body, and fluffy tail I think Makes her a lovely dog to see—and a wonderful pal to me.

Teka is a daughter of Silver Queen and Ch. White Way of Kobe, and bred at the Mason kennels. She spends her summers at Lake Tahoe where they say she creates a great deal of attention and has a grand time playing in the waves or swells that come up on the beach at the lake.

**Lensen's Snow Chief**

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**ALJEAN MASON'S RECORD IS HARD TO BEAT**

No, we do not see Aljean at the dog shows as much as we used to, for horses and horse shows have taken up much of her time lately. A glimpse at her record, however, shows that during the past years, she has carried to their championships most of the Mason dogs that have won that honor. Among them are Ch. Petrof Lebanov (Ch. Czar Nicholas Lebanov ex. Dascha of Laika); Ch. Czar Nicholas Lebanov (Beresof ex Mitzi Aura Laska), Ch. White Way of Kobe, the imported son of Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Kosena of Kobe; Ch. Herdsman's Faith (Silver Star of the Arctic ex Cleo), Ch. Chum (Ch. Petrof Lebanov ex Nianya of Snowland) and has carried some of them to placements in the Working group.

The Masons also finished the championship of Dashnick's Sam (Ch. Czar Nicholas ex Dascha of Laika) though he was many times handled by Nicky Finn who once carried him to 3rd place in the Working group.

Herdsman's Chattigan, who is a rather spoiled pet, will not show as well for Aljean, but he has gathered nine championship points, with an added three (subject to A.K.C. verification) at the recent Golden Gate show.

Chattigan's brother, Ch. Herdsman's Victory Leader, was handled several times by Nicky Finn, for whom he showed very well.

Down in Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Ward's Starchak, a son of Chattigan out of Silver Star of White Way, made his championship at less than 2 years of age. He was handled by either Mr. or Mrs. Ward who feel that it's more fun to get in and stay with their dogs in the ring. Silver Star of White Way, a daughter of Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Ch. Herdsman's Faith, and owned by Mrs. Verla Davis, of Inglewood, is well on her way to a championship, as is Mrs. Ward's lovely 15 months old Staryvna of Snowland (Ch. Siberian Nansen of Farningham ex Dol of Snowland, who has 9 points toward her championship.

We present a picture of Mrs. Ward taken when Chat was a young fellow of about 15 months of age.

Ch. Chinde of Caspar takes Obedience training course at Glendora, while his owner, Miss Lois Rayner is flat on her back in the hospital in Los Angeles. We do hope that by time of the Oakland show, Miss Rayner will have recovered enough, to realize her ambition to attend the show with Ch. Chinde. Chinde, by the way, is a son of Mrs. Pamela Rhanor's Sooltan (Nikita of Snowland ex Niarivik of Inara.

We are hoping, too, that Mrs. Robert Ashley, owner of Nikita of Snowland and Ch. Nova Sonia of Kobe, will be well enough to visit our Oakland show in March. Mrs. Ashley hopes to become a member of our Pacific Coast Division of the Samoyed Club of America, now that she

is making her home out here on the Coast, in North Edmonds, Washington.

Mrs. Ashley writes, "The new imports sound wonderful, and I am anxious to see how they "show" over here. Isn't it lovely that one will be on the West Coast?"

Verla Davis' Sonia of Petsamo has whelped a litter of 5 females and 3 males, all lovely big pups sired by Murdock's Eyak, at the Igloo Kennels in Inglewood, Calif. Two other matings to Eyak did not bring the hoped for results, but this litter by Sonia promises to be a splendid one.

Mrs. Willard Todnem of Seattle has recently sold puppies to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Geesey of Dishman, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Didcott, of Vancouver, B. C., and Mr. Paul Kemske of Waconia, Minnesota. These are the Princess Narta and Frosty Pups, now 4 months old. The new owners write most enthusiastically about their pups.

The litter out of Selena, sired by Frosty, have all been sold, and are on their way to new homes—to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Forsythe, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Trentle, and Colonel and Mrs. Ed Ford, all of Seattle—another pup has gone to Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Buchner.

"I am especially glad to have some of my precious pups finding new homes in or near Seattle, so that I can see them once in a while. It always seems a little sad to put these little pups on a train and send them so far away. The kennel seems mighty empty with only 2 pups left. Our beloved Narta and Selena have gone to new homes, with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon King, of Cottage Grove, Oregon, so our dog population at 'Tod-Acres' has decreased tremendously," writes Mrs. Todnem.

**KANDALASKA (TOTO) HAS A NEW HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cornhauser of Chicago, fell in love with Kandalaska, and so—he is their prized possession.

Though well within the Standard set down for Sams, Toto is one of the smaller sized ones, weighs about 45 pounds. Has a gorgeous spike coat of pure white. Loads of style and a magnificent head. He is bubbling over with mischief every minute. Kandalaska is an importation from Canada, is a son of Byfang of Kobe ex Princess Tasia. Several Sammy people think he looks enough like Lensen's Snow Chief to be his twin. Toto was not in best of condition when he went to the Cornhauser home, but through loving care he is in perfect shape now. Miss Goodrich and Miss

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Ruth Kilburn have watched his progress with much interest.

**FOLKS, HERE'S A NEW USE FOR THAT SAMMY WOOL YOU'VE BEEN SAVING**

Miss Frances Meyers of Huntington, West Virginia tells us how she made use of some of Minki's excess wool combings. She writes: "I had been saving the combings for some time—had washed, disinfected, aired and sunned a lot of the combings. Then went into a room, shut the doors and went to work. I carded the combings and placed them on cheese cloth, like the ready made ones then tried to find a comfort cover. They have been out since the war, so we found some silk pongee, and quilted the bat on that—however, the silk wasn't close enough and the hair came through. Then we took a sheet which was almost large enough and pieced it out with some cretonne, and made of it all a lovely quilt. But it is almost too warm for us here; but for Northern climates it would be excellent." Thanks, Frances for that tip. It sounds really worthwhile.

We've a really enjoyable letter from Gene Kroepel, owner, with Bob Cahail of the Stardust Sammies.

Gene tells us: "Valka of Stardust still gives Blizzard a bath even though he is now five years old, so he always has a clean face and ears. Last night Blizzard decided to give Sweetheart a bath, and Sweetheart was so annoyed. But Blizzard wouldn't give up; he'd wait a bit until he'd think Sweetheart was in a good mood again, and then he'd go back to work again.

"The expression on the faces of Verla's Sams are precious (in Christmas W.K.W.) They don't need to talk—you just know what they are thinking. And that lovely Jack Frost of Snow Shoe Hill—what a beautiful head!

When I was a little girl, I always wanted a big woolly dog I could hug and I could just hug every Sam in the book, and what is nicer still, they'd let me, too!" Thanks Gene for your letter, and thanks to Bob Cahail too, for that appreciated postscript.

We have heard through Mrs. R. V. Collicot of Albany, Calif., owner of Chiefy (Silver Spark of the Arctic ex Lensen of Snowland) that horrible tragedy has struck the Siberian Kennels of Miss Martha Humphriss of Westerly, R. I. On New Year's Day, fire swept through the kennels, taking the lives of a kennel of cockers, and 11 of Miss Humphriss' precious Sammies, one, a bitch in whelp. We extend to Miss Humphriss our deepest sympathy, and know that the members of our entire Samoyede Club of America join me in extending our heartfelt sympathy to her in her great bereavement.

Out here on the Pacific Coast we are awaiting the Oakland Show, where we shall meet for the first time Mrs. Lucille Miller and some of her Altai Samoyedes—among them her outstanding stud dog, Ch. Zantok of Breezewood (Ch. Novick of Snowland ex Ch. Echo of Kobe of Breezewood) whose picture appears on our page.

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Zok, as he is called, will be available as a stud during Mrs. Miller's visit to the Coast.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Ruick of Breeze-

wood, Miss Boklund writes that "because of the pressure of work, etc., Tuckey gets off easy in his training. I am afraid I have spoiled him by playing



**STARCHAK**  
with Mrs. R. H. Ward

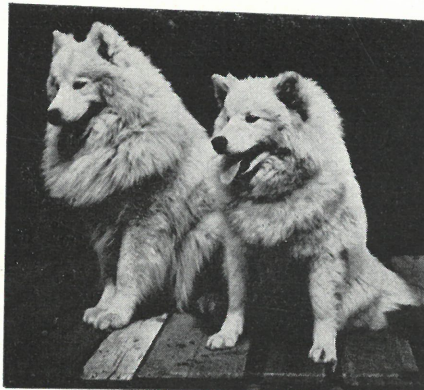
wood, we quote from a letter sent her by Joe H. Burns of Montezuma, Indiana:

"I thought the Christmas number of W.K.W. with the Samoyedes occupying the most prominent place therein, just grand. The cover page with its unusually fine designing, and those lovely pups, was simply breath-taking. Several of my friends who saw it expressed themselves as thinking it the most beautiful dog picture they had ever seen."

Mr. Burns owns Reske of Altai, a brother to Ruick's Strog of Altai, sons of Mrs. Miller's Ch. Zantok of Breezewood out of the late Ch. Valya of Snowland.

Another letter shared with us by Mrs. Ruick is from Miss Florence Boklund of Indianapolis.

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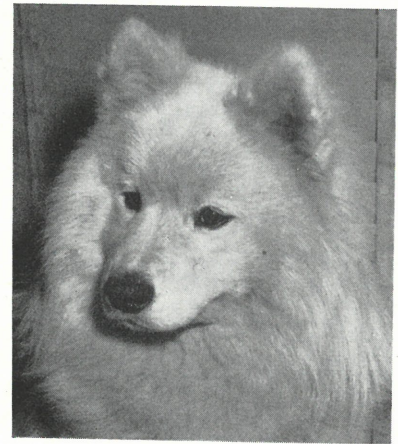
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**Martingate Snowland Taz**

with him so much. I can't keep him from barking when I use candy or some tidbit to try to make him pose. He either barks his head off or squats down and sits on his haunches begging. There's one thing certain, if I were starting over, I could make a nice long list of don'ts for myself about dog training. I have found a way of keeping Tuckey from begging me to take him along when I go away. I just say 'I have to go to Church' and he makes no move to go with me. Sunday mornings we have always said that when we were ready to go and he just understood he had to stay at home. It's easier for me when he doesn't beg. I don't have that guilty feeling about leaving him at home."

Marian A. Blake of Ona, West Virginia, has recently become the owner of five new Samoyedes, eight months old puppies from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grillo's Snowcrest Kennels, of Roselle Park, New Jersey. The puppies, four boys and a girl, are sired by Snowland's Ch. Nalda out of Zokurska of Breezewood, granddaughter of Ch. Nova Sonia of Kobe. All are of show quality, Mrs. Blake reports, and at least two or three of them will be permanently at home at Blakewood. Meanwhile the others will take their time in finding just the right owners to train.