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By Vera Lawrence
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Somewhere in this mass of letters etc on my desk, there lurks a postcard from Helene Spathold, which contains the winners at the January G. G. Kennel Club show on the 17th — but it escapes me, as do the names of the winners. The one exception being that the Pacific Coast's famous dog of the year—Ch. Yurok of Whitecliff (owned by the Percy Matherons and Jean Blank) placed Best of Breed under Judge McQuown of Ohio — and later went 2nd in the Group under Judge Percy Roberts. Does anyone have the full report of the entries and winners that I may use for the Division Bulletin would appreciate having it.

Glad to report that Helene and her dad are driving up to Vancouver where Helene is to judge Sams and Pekes. I believe. Her report later.

Next show, coming March 5 and 6, is the West's most friendly Oakland Kennel Club show of which Helen Rosemont is superintendent — Place: Oakland Exposition Building Tenth and Fallon sts. Oakland, Calif. There will be one day benching only for each breed—Prices each day for the Best decorated bench!

Wychwood Kennels

The Samoyeds with the Winning Ways



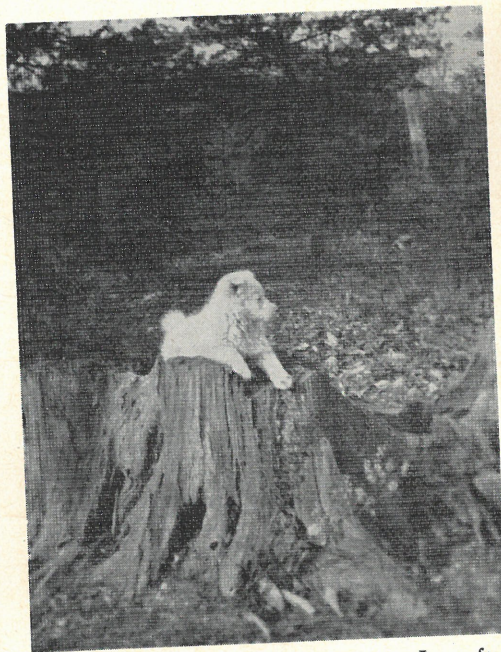
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Ch. Silvertips Scion of Wychwood
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Dam:
Imported Gina of the Trundras
(Res. C. C. winner Samoyed Association Specialty Show, 1958.)

BERNICE B. ASHDOWN
North Hills Manhasset, New York



NANNUK—at 7 weeks Nov. 1925—Just after her arrival at our hilltop home.

Annual Specialty shows will be held by the Northern California Beagler's Club St. Bernard Club of the Pacific Coast; Shetland Sheepdog Club of No. California, Inc., and the Norwegian Elkhound Association of Northern Calif.

I do hope to attend—even though not being able to show, I want to meet all you folks again in person.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Walter Gradt of Itasca, Illinois, I have news of the great International Kennel Club show coming April 9 and 10. The 1960 International Dog show will be the 60th Annual Chicago all-breed show and the 20th under the auspices of the Int. Kennel Club of Chicago. The 1959 International drew a record entry of 2,451 dogs and ranked as the largest dog show of the year in number of dogs benched.

The management reports that \$5,000 in cash prizes will be awarded and well over a thousand trophies. Entries close March 22—Premium lists may be had on request from the International Kennel Club, 840 Exchange Ave. Chicago.

As in the past, the club will conduct junior dog judging contests open to boys and girls between 10 and 20 years old.

The same three breeds are judged each year.



SAMOYEDS of SNOW SHOE HILL
Puppies Occasionally, Selected Breeding
JULIET T. GOODRICH

Land O'Lakes Wisconsin



(L) Ch. BRUNOFF and MIKISHHA with an admirer—a 1927 Photo.

Cocker Spaniels, Dachshunds and Boxers.

Sterling silver trophies are awarded to the top six, plus a trophy to the highest scoring Boy Scout contestant in uniform and the highest Girl Scout in uniform.

The National Committee on 4-H Clubwork, Chicago, is encouraging 4-H boys and girls who are engaged in dog projects, to enter the junior judging contest this year.

How well I can sympathize with Jackie — for on the same day her letter reached me telling of the dreadful time they had had for 14 days—when their Wani came down with a painful ailment — our own Lensen of White Christmas had developed trouble in her right front leg and we are still fighting it. Successfully too!

Of her "Wani", Mrs. Gradt wrote:—"We noticed that she was a little slow in lying down—or getting up, one Thursday evening, January 14. But she was catching her little plastic toy and bringing it back to us, having a grand time as usual. The next morning I couldn't understand why she was still lying on her mattress pad next to my bed, so long after I had been up. When I called to her she got up on her front legs—but her back ones just stayed so still. I almost died! I thought sure she was paralyzed. I tried to help her get up but just couldn't lift her. Finally, I started saying we'd better go out doors see if that old kitty was out there, getting Wani's bones, she suddenly gave a big heave and stood up all by herself. Sort of shaky though. But then, walking down the hall, I noticed her "squeak" as



SASSY FRAS

Puppies Ready for Delivery

WHITE WAY SAMS

Write: Mrs. Agnes E. Mason
4252 Mason Lane Sacramento, California

if she were in pain, but I took her outside and she made the rounds of the back yard, as usual, even barking some at the little kids on their way to school.

"Well, Walter got home at 2:30. We took Wani to a Veterinarian in Roselle, she had a temperature of 103. He thought it probably was an acute attack of rheumatism, so he gave her an injection and some pills. It made her pretty dopey that evening, but she was better next morning. The following day she was worse again—so had to have another injection, her was down to 101.

After that, with a couple of these metecorten pills for 3 more days—she kept getting more limber—and was bouncing around and playing like a puppy again, 10 days later. Still does feel well, even without pills of any kind — so I'm hoping the worst is over. My what a fright we had. I'm not letting her lie down in the snow any more, believe me, although she just loves it.

Folks, I have given you the above story in full, because it is such a frustrating feeling to see your dog so helpless and then to realize it can be helped.

A REPORT FROM PRESIDENT, PACIFIC COAST DIVISION, LARRY SOPER

Thanks to President Larry Soper for a report on the meeting held January 3 at Murphy's California, with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allen as hosts. I quote: "We had a very, very successful meeting at Murphy's on January 23. The resolutions which were presented to the board for mail vote, were all overwhelmingly adopted.

"After taking action on these resolutions the regular meeting of the Northern Group was called to order. The subject of Sponsored shows for 1960 was discussed. Only one show was proposed. The Northern group will support Del Monte on May 29th. The entire effort of the Northern group will be concentrated on the dual-sponsored show at Santa Maria on Sept. 25th.

"There were about 25 members there, together with the guests brought the total attendance to about 35. The next meeting of the Northern group will be held at the Sopers' home in Santa Clara on February 27th. In his absence (attending the Southern California meeting) Jim Allen will conduct.

"Adrienne Woodhouse and Barbara Bennett have been appointed as committee to work on the Maria-Obispo plans — 2 Southern California members will also be appointed.

"Vice President Lloyd Bristol reports that the southern California group voted to support Long Beach and San Fernando shows — besides Maria-Obispo.

"Among important guests at the meeting in Murphys were Mr. Shupe, President of the Ebetts Pass Chamber of Commerce; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boles, Supervisor of the 5th District of Calaveras County; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

A White Christmas Sam



Lensen of White Christmas
(Ch. Borealis of the Far Steppes ex Dragoya of Wimundstrev)
INA M. LAWRENCE
610 Colusa Ave. Berkeley, Calif.



NANNUK—11 years 4 months

Hart, associate editor of the Stockton newspaper.

Pacific Northwest Sam News:—

Mrs. Maxine Collinge of Woodinville, Washington, has written to tell us how much they enjoyed the Sammy section in Christmas Western Kennel World. They were sorry to miss being a part of it, but Mr. Collinge was hospitalized in October and November, which "threw all good intentions out the window".

Mr. and Mrs. Collinge are preparing with high hopes for the Northwest Division, Samoyed Club of America were well represented, including a much appreciated greeting from the Northwest Division.

Others from the great Northwest were Mr. and Mrs. John Weir of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beattie of Seattle, and Cliff and Beverly Brown, Bob and Francis De Mers of Pasco, Washington and the Glacier Kennels, owned by Bob and Agnes Findlay of Juneau, Alaska.

Please come again folks, we do welcome and enjoy hearing from our Sam-owning friends from the Pacific Northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Collinge are preparing with high hopes for the Spring shows, where with luck they hope to be able to enter their "girl" Shoina. At present she is very much a puppy, is 16 months old.

Another letter has come from Mrs. Vi Johnson Seattle with a couple of pictures of Prince Kazan — the Washington Huskies' mascot at the Rose Bowl game. Born June 1959, sired by the Northwest's famous Ch. Stormy Weather, Kazan now tips the scales at 70 pounds — at 7 months. May I urge — whoa, fellow! hold that line; go slow on the feed bag so you won't go overboard on the weight — you've still months to go before becoming a mature Sam so take it easy, won't you?

Mrs. Johnson reports having received a letter from an attorney back East — who had become interested in procuring a puppy since having seen Kazan on the T/V program.

He has been entered in the Seattle show — with many high hopes of course.

GLACIER KENNELS

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Next month I hope to give you the report of the Vancouver, Washington show where Helene Spathold judged our Sams.

Sorry folks, but not having had the information we were unable to give tribute in December issue in memory of another Sam Club member who passed away October 13, 1959, Allen F. Sheppard of St. Catherines, Ontario, Canada.

Through the kindness of our good friend Ruth Kilbourne, may I hope that folks will remember his grieving widow — the lovely Ruth Sheppard. Miss Kilbourne had met her at the National Sam Club meeting in Chicago last February — and so enjoyed "visiting with her."

And now folks, in starting another chapter in the history of our Pacific Coast Cams I must give you a bit of background that became the "White Christmas" line.

SAMOYEDS OF THE PACIFIC COAST CHAPTER III

By Vera Lawrence

The place—Washington, D. C., the time November 1925.

That was the place and the time when I first learned to love Samoyeds.

It was on a chilly November evening that my father brought me a ball of "fluffy white wool" — a 7 weeks old black-eyed Sam pup. Although she had just been released from her crate, having been sent by train from nearby Maryland, this pup was unafraid and full of life and sparkle when my dad gave her over to me.

Our first picture this issue shows her the day after her arrival at our hilltop home at "Pinecrest", just south of the city of Washington, D. C.

Her long life of giving happiness and companionship to all of us began the night before she made friends and snuggled down with our little "Skeeter", a black and white wavy-haired little Lhasa-type darling who had been a gift some years before.

After searching through volumes of books for a name suitable for her, I came upon a story about "Nannuk" the Polar Bear, in a Nature Magazine, and the pup so resembled the cubs I had seen in the Washington Zoo that

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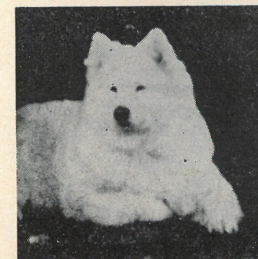
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610 Colusa Avenue, Berkeley, Calif.

...POODLES...

POODLE CLUB OF CENTRAL CALIF.

Results from Golden Gate: Selwyn Harris judging all three varieties. In TOYS: WD and BOS to the Nesteroff's En Avant Snow Cap (remember this little fellow from the Club's Puppy Match?); RD to Herbel's Snow King de Gladville. WB, BOW, and BOV to Mrs. Law's La Gai Jingle Belle (also Group IV). RB to Pood-I-Man Knls' Ty Del's Jelly Bean.

Miniatures: WD and BOW to the Wright's Belle Star de Bo Mi, with RB to Steven's Suzette Noire. BOS to Ch. Barclay Summer Romance, and BOV and First in the Group to that sparky guy, Ch. Christcrest The Fiddler, guided, of course, by owner Phyl Tworuk.

Standards: WD and BOW to the Champion's Ivardon Plantagenet; RD to the Ringrose's lovely white, Toby's le Capitaine Fracasse. WB and BOS to the Orton's Fifi of Rafter O; RB to Glory Lilyon. BOV to the Mackay's white Ch. Glory Napoleon.

Obedience: Novice A found one qualifying Poodle, Gilbert Fesche von de Goldenen Sheri, with 195 and third place. Novice B: Lewis Andre, 190½; Wiley's Hassely, 189½ for second place.

Open A: Sottile's Belladonna, 178½; Alcock's Elwest's Peter Bateman, 191½ for third; Hirschfeld's Valentine's Gaittee Coquette, 197 for second.

Open B: Schulz's Mon Petit Ami UD, 195; Doetzel's Michael Charles of Fallon, 198 for third; Breen's Du Barry's Black Sapphire CDX, 193; Miize's Ah Jim's Prince Frostie CDX 196½; Abeloe's Choux Noirs, 192; Hirschfield's Jolie Valentine UD, 196; Standard's Orchard House Brown Barbara UD, 198 for second; Loesch's Lucky X, 198 for first.

Utility: Schulz's, 197½ for third; Doetzel M. C. of Fallon, 184; Miize's Frosie, 196½ for fourth; Standard's Barbara 197½ for second; Oncina's Pom Pom of Maiden Lane, 194½.

SAMOYEDS—(Continued from Page 25)
"Nannuk" became her name — with "Nookie" for her pet name.

The companionship lasted for 16 years 5 months and 4 days, when her life of friendliness and dear companionship to us came to a natural, peaceful end, for "Nookie" just went to sleep at noontime on March 4, 1942 — her heart just ceased beating.

I remember so well, she was lying on a palette on the floor in our sunny dining room apparently asleep. Suddenly young Crystal (Snowy Dawn) came running to me in the living room, seeming to beg me to follow her. As I reached Nannuk she seemed to stretch her limbs, as though about to start, but she had gone at that moment.

Of her passing, the Sams' good friend and ours, Catherine Quereaux, wrote in her April 1942 Bulletin of the Samoyed Club of America (quote) "The loss of Vera Lawrence's Nannuk removes one of our oldest dogs, born in 1925 and kept in good health almost to her last day, Nannuk deserves to rank with our veterans of honored years, Malschick, Pollyanna and Tiger

Boy, to all of whom length of years was given. Knowing Miss Lawrence's deep love for her dogs and for all dogs, and her devoted care of them, we extend our sympathy".

In the years as she grew from puppyhood, my interest in Samoyeds increased — and I searched the Washington Library for information on the breed. And suddenly my interest centered in the article and pictures which appeared in that early issue of the National Geographic Society's Book on Dogs.

At one year of age Nannuk weighed 38 pounds and stood 19 inches at the shoulder, a sizeable bitch of the "twenties". Her eyes were almost jet black, with eyerims and lips also jet black. Her coat was heavy and beautiful — her legs and body sturdy and well built. Her one noticeable fault—a tendency to double curl her tail.

Forgive me, folks, if I seem to rave on endlessly — but it was Nannuk who became such a vital part of my life.

Next issue, may I bring you the story of meeting with Mrs. Emily Coughlin, then of Alexandria, Virginia, owner of the famous son of Ch. Donerna's Barin and Princess Veta — known as Ch. Brunoff — who became the sire of the litter of puppies whelped by Nannuk November 1927, just two weeks after we arrived in Berkeley, California.

Pedigree:—Ch. Donerna's Barin—Born in England May 20, 1920, by Ch. Kieff ex Ch. Ivanofna. Breeder H. E. Pitchford, Donerna Kennels, Eng. Imported by H. N. Pinkham-Laika Kennels, Ipswich, Mass.

Pedigree: Princess Veta—Born Feb. 12, 1933. By Duke Malschick ex Queen Zita. Br. Mrs. A. H. White. Owner, Mrs. E. E. Coughlin.

Pedigree: Ch. Brunoff, born August 19, 1924 by Ch. Donerna's Barin ex Princess Veta — Breeder/owner, Mrs. E. E. Coughlin.

WESTMINSTER KENNEL CLUB

Total entries—2547.

Sporting Group—Judge: Dr. Joseph E. Redden; 1st, William J. Lalloo, Jr. and Mrs. Rose Robbins. ASCOB Cockers—Ch. Pinetop's Fancy Parade; 2nd, Leslie and Elizabeth Clark. Black Cocker—Ch. Clarkdale Capital Stock; 3rd, William L. and Elaine P. Randall. English Springer Spaniel—Ch. Salilyn's Mac Duff; 4th, Miss Marcia Rosenberger; Golden Retriever—Ch. Ginnwal's Hi-Flyer.

Hound Group—Judge: Mr. William W. Brainard, Jr., 1st, Chris G. Teeter. Basset Hound—Ch. The Ring's Banshee; 2nd, Bettina Belmont Ward. Basenji—Ch. Bettina's Oribi; 3rd, Pitch Road Kennels. Norwegian Elkhound—Ch. Tor-tasen's Bjonn II; 4th, Mrs. J. W. Heichel. Smooth Dachshund—Ch. Lusty Wind's Sam.

Working Group—Judge: Mr. Francis F. H. Fleitman; 1st, Mrs. William B. Long. Pembroke Welsh Corgi—Ch. Cote de Neige Sundew; 2nd, Mrs. J. R. Shryock and Wm. B. Lex, Jr. Rough Collie—Ch. Glen Hill Dreamer's Nobleman; 3rd, Peter Mehlich. Dalmatian Pinscher—Ch. Storm's Donner; 4th, Anton B. Korbel. German Shepherd—Arko v Gasthaus Rose.

Terrier Group—Judge: Gen Edward B. McKinley; 1st, Blanche E. Reeg. Scottish Terrier—Ch. Blarart Bewitching; 2nd, Mrs. Joseph Sailer. Miniature Schnauzer—Ch. Yankee Pride Col. Stump; 3rd, Mrs. H. Bartlett Stewart, Jr., Cairn Terrier—Catescairn Camelot; 4th, Glamour Kennels. Skye Terrier—Ch. Evening Star De Luchar.

Toy Group—Judge: Dr. Vincenzo Calveresi; 1st, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Venable. Pekingese—Ch. Chik T'Sun of Caversham 2nd E. W. Tip-ton, Jr. Miniature Pinner—Ch. Rebel Roc's Casanova von Kurt 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Washington. Pomeranian—Ch. Rider's Sparklin' Gold Nugget 4th, Miss Florence A. Michelson. Toy Poodle—Ch. Cappelquin Little Sister.

Non-Sporting Group—Judge: Mr. George M. Beckett; 1st, Vardona Kennels. Bulldog—Ch. Vardona Frosty Snowman; 2nd, Mrs. S. K. Allman, Jr. Dalmatian—Ch. Roadcoach Roadster; 3rd, Aleksi Kennels. Standard Poodle—Tambourine De Lo Fontaine 4th, Mrs. Lewis Garlick. Miniature Poodle—Ch. Summercourt Square Dancer of Fircot.

Best Dog in Show—Judge: Mr. George H. Hartman. Chik T'Sun of Caversham.

Best American Bred Dog in Show—Ch. Cote de Neige Sundew.

"Friends were consoling the widow of a tug-boat skipper who had fallen overboard and drowned. "Dearest," said one, "I hope you were left something."

"Oh, I was!" answered the widow. "He left me twenty thousand dollars."

"Twenty thousand dollars! Imagine that! And him that couldn't read or write."

The widow nodded earnestly. "Or swim," she added.

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