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Samoyeds

By Vera Lawrence

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It is with sorrow in our heart that we report the passing of Mr. Joseph Marshall of Chicago, our former President of the Samoyed Club of America who just recently (at the Club's annual meeting in February) had been elected to represent the Club as Governor-at-Large.

Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Marshall, who has done so much in promoting beautiful type Sams at their now famous Samara Kennels at Palos Park, Chicago, Illinois.

However folks, we've lots of good news for you this time with several Sams reported having completed their championships.

Gene Burr's lovely Kazan (Tar-Ko's Kazan of Encino—by Ch. Kobe's Tar Ko of Encino out of Rhanor's Tynda of Petsamo) has completed his championship with 19 points (subject to A.K.C. verification, of course).

At Bakersfield, Kazan took Winners, Best of Winners (three points) and went on to Best of Breed (five champions entered in Specials) leaving him with only one point to go to complete his championship. And then at Santa Ana Show with 37 Sams entered Kazan again went Best of Breed—gathered in five points and then went on to place fourth in the group under Judge Kruger. This was doubly thrilling to Gene and Chuck who found their Kazan in the group with such notables as Ch. Bang Away (Boxer) and Rancho Dobe's Roulette (Doberman) Afterwards Judge Kruger commented that Kazan was in against top dogs but won his place easily.

Kazan completed his championship with 19 points and three major shows two of them five point shows. Congratulations, folks, from all of us!

Jeanne Wingo's White Way's Snow Fluff was Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex at Santa Ana, now has 13 points. Pan of Lucky Dee was second in Open class and Modoc of Lucky Dee, owned by the Roy Longs was Reserve Bitch. We are happy to present here a picture of lovely Ch. Tar Ko's Kazan with his charming owner, taken at Santa Ana by Ludwig.

Another Sam, with championship title confirmed by the A.K.C. is Miss Juliet Goodrich's Reena of Snow Shoe Hill, daughter of her late

Jack Frost of Snow Shoe Hill, out of her imported Snowland Vision. We hope to have a picture of Ch. Reena for you soon. It was a joy to Miss Goodrich to have her Reena complete her championship in such an outstanding entry of Sams at Chicago, March 28, 29, 1953.

It is always so delightful to receive letters from Sammy owners and to hear of their Sams.

One such letter came recently from Captain and Mrs. Earl Huffman (Capt. Huffman is stationed at Barksdale A.F.B., Louisiana). Captain and Mrs. Huffman are members of the Pacific Coast Division of the Samoyed Club of America, having joined while living in San Diego—their home town. Their Sammy bitch, White Way's Runpau, was bought December, 1951, as a Christmas gift for their five year old son "and us too, you might say." Captain Huffman adds, "She is nearly two years old now, and quite a dog, excellent in every possible way. We were based at Fairbanks, Alaska, from 1948 to 1951. Had Siberian Husky while there."

Upon their return to the States the vet advised that the dog would have died in the Louisiana climate. It was during a time while at Sacramento for "schooling" when we saw our first Sam—so rest of story is self-explanatory," writes Captain Huffman. They are quite rare in that section of the country (Louisiana)—only a very few in Shreveport—but since the arrival of a litter of four to the "little gal" last spring, people are starting to know the breed better. Again quoting from Captain Huffman, "Just returned a few weeks ago from a three months tour in England. Wasn't able to get around too much over there—but was fortunate in being able to attend the Sam championship show on February 28th, 'Coronation Show' they called it. It was held in London. Made the acquaintance

of several Sam owners and breeders, among them the President of the Samoyed Association of Great Britain, Mrs. Dorothy L. Perry. Also the Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. W. L. B. Bowen.

"Acquired several souvenirs also from the trip, included was a three-month-old Sam puppy, Snow Traveler of Kobe, which I bought from Mrs. Perry's Kobe Kennels. Bought it for Capt. Chas. J. Voyce who is in the same squadron with me. Brought it back on the plane, it stood the trip very well, absolutely no trouble in any way. Needless to say, everyone concerned really likes it—so as he now has one of the few males in these parts, we expect to do some breeding at a later date." Congratulations to Captain Huffman and his friend who have such excellent stock available.

A letter dated April 20th came from our good friend Mrs. Walter Cornhauser of Chicago, Illinois, who writes: "I know you will be happy to hear I now have a lovely Samoyed. (Tiger Boy, call name), a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Marshall a month ago. 'Boy' is a little beauty, has all the lovely markings and intelligence of the breed. I take him everywhere in Hyde Park. He tries so hard to please, to fill the sadness and heartaches I've suffered. I am very happy with him. He at 4½ months, weighs 30 lbs., is pure white—black points and with that Regal walk, I should go to the Coronation with him!"

And now for some recent news from Mrs. Ruth Young, owner of Top Acres Kennels, in Medway, Ohio. We quote: "Dayton Show, April 12, Frank Foster Davis, Judge Best of Breed, Hadesse of Top Acres (Ch. Martingate Snowland Taz ex Ch. Sparkle Plenty) for a major win (her second time out—bred, owned and handled by me), wrote Mrs. Young.

"Speedy, as she is called (my husband calls her the Speed Demon) repeated history at Dayton. It was in the fall of 1948 that Frank Foster Davis placed her dam, Sparkle Plenty, Winners and Best of Winners for a major win at Dayton and as a further note of interest in each case—Sparkle and Speedy were the only bitches entered.

"The picture of the seven pups: Destiny ex Barnella, all rascals and good looking pups. All sold except one before three months old at good

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...ces. I am trying to hold on to the one I would like to keep he is so lovely."

We've a couple of snapshots from Virginia Holman of Indianapolis, Indiana, showing her Poco Sorella (61 pounds at one year) and "Frosty" who weighed 50 lbs. at ten months.

Miss Holman says that each night Frosty goes to her mother to be hugged and petted and then comes to her. "Poco" and her owner are out of the beginners class and now working in the C.D. class in obedience. But Poco has her own ideas about the Stand-Stay rule. Miss Holman, like all other Sam loving folks, enjoys hearing about others' dogs and seeing pictures of them. She is also enjoying the walks with her Sams and says, "each day they seem to grow more human."

Meet Indianapolis' new Sammy Champion, Mrs. James Layman's Serba of Mansu. He completed for his title at the recent Indianapolis Show and obtained his points in five major shows under different judges.

Her other champion, Vodi's Norpaudon, C.D. (the only other Sam champion in Indianapolis) has been mated to Ch. Guardian of the Arctic—puppies due soon.

Our gateful thanks to Mrs. Borghild Ulfeng of New Jersey and Mrs. K. A. Miller of Corning, New York, for news items of East Coast Sams.

Mrs. Ulfeng graciously says: "We still enjoy your Sammy pages both text and pictures. They make us feel we know all the folks out there—even if we've never met. Now I'd like the good people out there to get to know us too! We are carrying on to the best of our ability with shows and breeding Sams (and good ones, too! V.L.)

At present there are six in our house—the kennel seems to be there more for emergencies—or isolation for the dogs after shows.

"Ch. Tazson went to Toronto again this last March to the Sportsman's Show and repeated his Best of Breed win as of last year. He also completed his Canadian Championship (subject to C.K.C.). He also placed fourth in the group to do it up brown."

He is by Mrs. Miller's Ch. Martingate Snowland Taz out of the late Snowbelle.

At the Harrisburg, Pa., Show, Ch. Truls took Best of Breed with Ch. Tazya Best Opposite Sex. All of these dogs are brothers and sisters of Tazson. Truls is owned by Charles Lenz, Jr., and handled beautifully by him. Truls incidentally is litter brother to Mrs. Callahan's Tazbell and a "spittin' image of him."

At the Teaneck, N. J. Show, March 22, with Mr. E. T. Adair judging, Ch. Silver Spray of Wychwood took Best of Breed, Ch. Tazya Best Opposite Sex, and Mrs. Allen's Narguess of Top Acres Best of Winners. Winners Dog was Mr. and Mrs. Ulfeng's Per Gynt.



Ch. Tar-Ko's Kazan of Encino, Best of Breed and 4th in Working Group, Santa Ana Valley Show. Gene and Chuck Burr, Owners.

The Twin Brooks Show on April 12 had seven Sams entered for Mr. Patterson, six were present. Best of Breed went to Ch. Tazson and Best Opposite Sex to Ch. Silvertips Saba of Wychwood (the Best of Breed Winner at Morris & Essex last year).

Best of Winners was the Chamberlain's Ada of Snowland. Per Gynt again went Winners Dog.

Now we are looking forward to the Trenton, N. J. Show on May 3rd. Then there are two shows in Long Island before the great Morris & Essex on May 23rd, with the Plainfield Show the following day.

As for our breeding program, we intend to breed our Ch. Laila to Tazson. Laila is by Ch. Peter Pan out of Ch. Tazya, and a lovely Sammy girl. Her pups are already spoken for. So, to meet the demand for pups we are also breeding Tazya to a new import, also an American champion. This makes for a busy summer for the Ulfengs, who say "but oh, all the fun we'll have raising lovely Sammy babies! Our best wishes for a continued big Sammy Section in the W.K.W."

Mrs. Antoinette Callahan, just back home in Dunellen, N.J. from a visit in Florida, wrote in a most exciting vein that her "Tinker" is back in circulation again and winning too! Saturday, April 18th at Old Dominion Show he was Best of Breed under the eminent Dr. Mitten. On Sunday at the Baltimore Show he was again Best of Breed under Mr. Korbel—in stiffest competition. And then at Hartford he went Best of Opposite Sex again in stiff competition. Credit for his phenomenal wins should be

given to Tinker's handler, Charley Meyer, who has worked hard to put Tinker down in excellent condition and who understands how to show the Sam to best advantage. Tinker (Ch. Tazbel) as you will remember is a son of Mrs. K. A. Miller's famous Ch. Martingate Snowland Taz out of the late Snowbelle.

Congratulations to Tinker's owner, Mrs. Antoinette Callahan and Charley Meyer, Tinker's handler and may lots more good luck come to you.

Some time soon we hope to publish one of the snapshots that Mrs. K. A. Miller of Corning, N. Y. was kind enough to send me. One of them shows a picture of Blythe with her daughter Glasha, sired by Ch. Martingate Snowland Taz. Blythe is a granddaughter of White Cliff of Oceanside who was a daughter of the late famous Ch. Nova Sonia of Kobe. (White Cliff incidentally was a litter sister to me late Kheta—Kara Kobe of Oceanside, sired by Nikita of Snowland).

Mrs. Miller says "Blythe is my lady and lives only to please me in every way. She is my darling. Glasha is Blythe's daughter by Taz. Halvan, shown in one of the snaps, is by Alaric of Blakewood and out of the English import Snowland Vana.

By the time you read this there should be puppies at Elkenglo, sired by Elkenglo's Foam of Kobe (a young son of the English import Ch. Nicholas of Kobe out of Blythe). The dam of the expected litter is Elkenglo's Darla, a double granddaughter of Ch. Nalda of Snowland. We understand Foam has been siring some grand puppies—so husky and beautiful.

Folks, because we are so interested that all information we give you on these pages must be absolutely accurate, we always check through our Sammy section when the magazine comes off the press.

To our dismay we found a glowing error in our April issue. In our "copy" it states that those month old puppies of Ruth Young's were sired by a Sam that was miles away at the time of the breeding of the bitch.

The sire of that litter of pups is Destiny of Top Acres—as given correctly in the caption under the picture. Please note this—you friends who might be keeping records—sorry if you have been misled.

To Lucy and Thomas Schneider of Indianapolis, Indiana, our thanks for those "Chicago Show" snapshots, also the ones of Luloto and the new arrival at Ell-Tee, Elkenglo's Jola.

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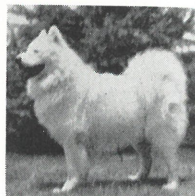
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The Schneiders claim that they have a real problem—such being which quartet of dogs to enter in this show or that show!

Mrs. Frank Adams of Chicago was able to have a friend with a spinning wheel, spinning Sammy yarn at the Chicago show, and Mrs. Schneider says: "as long as we have over four pounds of Sammy combings we are interested in getting a spinning wheel for Ell-Tee. With nine dogs to furnish combings we should be able to put a spinning wheel to good use—if time permits." "Happy Spinning" folks, and good luck with those Sams!

Mrs. Robert Ward of Culver City, California, Secretary of the Samoyed Club of America, has sent us the following notice of interest to all Samoyed Club members.

"SUBJECT: Board meeting to be held by mail in accordance with Article III, Sec. 5. Date of meeting called by President Agnes Mason will be June 28, 1953.

1. "Specifically framed questions should be submitted to the Secretary within the next twenty days. Questions will be published to the officers and board together with the call for the meeting thirty days before the meeting. Board members shall then submit yes and/or no votes upon each question within 20 days of receipt of call of meeting. On June 28, 1953, the secretary shall read to those present the votes of the Board meeting upon each issue and the votes of the majority shall control.

2. "The President of each Division is to appoint a member to represent his Division on the present Clarification Committee. The combined committee is to present a complete written report to the Board by August 15, 1953.

3. "The President of each Division is to appoint a member to represent his Division on the Constitution and By-Laws Committee. The committee is to present a complete written report to the Board by August 15, 1953.

4. "In accordance with the action taken by the members present at the S.C.A. Annual Meeting, February 14, 1953, Agnes Mason is appointing the President of each Division to investigate the advisability of raising dues to \$5.00. Three dollars go to National and two dollars to the respective Divisions. Presidents, please send your reports to the Secretary, Dolly Ward, before the June 28th Board meeting, after sounding out the membership of your Division.



Kenneth Collicott's Northern Prince at 5 months old (CH. BOREALIS ex. "CRISSY").

Officers for 1953 Samoyed Club of America

"According to the Constitution, the Board of the S.C.A. consists of: Honorary President, Ardath Chamberlain; President, Agnes Mason; Secretary, Dolly Ward; Treasurer, Miles Vernon; Delegate to A.K.C., Col. Wentworth.

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ford Collins; Secretary, Mrs. Georgia Gleason; Treasurer, Miss Goldie Klein.

"Notice: Secretaries of each Division and Mr. Vernon, National Treasurer. If each of you will send me your complete membership list in good standing with address up to date as of May 1, 1953, I shall see that it may be published for the convenience of the membership. Refer to Article VIII, Sec. 6. Thanks! Dolly Ward."

Show Reports from the North Pacific

Our thanks to Donna Maria Croft of Portland, Oregon, who sent us reports of the shows held at Walla Walla, Richland and Yakima, Washington.

"We have just staggered from the three-day circuit of Eastern Washington. The three shows were held at Walla Walla, Richland, and Yakima. Taking them one at a time I will tell it all as it happened.

"We drove all night to make the Walla Walla trip from Portland in order to get the dogs in shape by ring time. The show was being given at the City-Country airport. The Club worked like beavers to get the hangar cleaned out. They were fairly successful but it provided a picture-squeness to the scene to have the obedience ring practically under the wing of a plane that had been pushed into one corner. Of course, the airport has a lovely Administration Building with a good restaurant and dressing rooms. These were easily accessible to the exhibitors. Our schedule brought us into the ring at about 3:00 P.M. under a very friendly and smiling Dr. A. A. Mitten. We greatly enjoyed his friendly manner as he carefully went over our dogs. Down in the final test in the winners class, our natural nervousness was greatly relieved by his informal and helpful attitude. The placings were:

Novice Dog, Doris S. Duval's Polar Star's Catytan; Open Dogs, Donna Maria Croft's Comet's Olinvik, C.D.; Winners Dog, Comet's Olinvik, C.D.; Reserve, Roberta Delsman's Nicholas. Four dogs and three points. American-bred Bitch, Jack F. Alger's Frosty's Snow Babe; Open Bitches, Donna Maria Croft's Singing Snows Minka; Winners Bitch, Frosty's Snow Babe; Reserve, Singing Snows Minka. Three bitches, two points. Best of Winners, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. Best of Breed, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. (Donna Maria Croft, owner). Best Opposite Sex, Frosty's Snow Babe.

"The two Singing Snow's dogs, Comet's Olinvik and Singing Snow's Minka were in the brace class, and in the evening they placed second working brace.

"Jack Alger handled Viki in the Working

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up that evening and the dog never looked better in his life. Comet's Olinvik, C.D. (Viki) placed Third in the Working Group.

"The Desert Inn was the site of the next show—Richland. It is there we all had our reservations, too. What could be handier than a dog show right on the grounds of the hotel. The weather the next morning was clear and warm. A slight breeze which came up from the Columbia River, upon whose banks the very beautiful Desert Inn is located, kept the area from being too hot. The rings were set up on the rolling lawns of the spacious grounds. As the Samoyeds were not judged till about 2:00 P.M., I spent the morning enjoying a nice rest and watching some of the goings on from the window of the room. The hotel sets upon a slight hill about a city block from the placid Columbia. A grass covered levee was all that separated the lawn from a full sweep into the river. This levee also helped to keep the children and dogs from going too near the water.

"Mrs. E. P. Renner judged the Samoyeds as well as the rest of the working group. She seemed almost tireless in a blistering sun all day. I felt put upon by the heat after being out in it for only an hour or two, but Mrs. Renner was calm and very polite all through her most thorough judging. At no time did she seem to be hurried or inclined to rush a class, yet the judging seemed to roll along right on schedule. The placings for firsts were as follows: (I was so busy I didn't get the rest of the placings, and neither did any one else, it seems):

"Puppy Dog, 9 to 12 months, William B. Dawson's Columbia Blanco; American-bred Dogs, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Collins' Igalokto Takoka of Nighi; Open Dogs, Donna Maria Croft's Comet's Olinvik, C.D.; Winners Dog, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. Seven dogs entered and shown, five points. Senior Puppy Bitches, William B. Dawson's Wapinita; American-bred Bitches, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper's Polar Star's Tod-Acres Tina; Open Bitches, Jack F. Alger's Frosty's Snow Babe; Winners Bitch, Frosty's Snow Babe. Six bitches, five points. Best of Winners and Best of Breed, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. Best Opposite Sex, Frosty's Snow Babe.

"The trophies for this show were all in bronze and were mainly cigarette boxes, silent butlers and ashtrays. These sets were really very nice to receive, and were richly emblazoned with the 'Deture Digniori' cres' of the show giving club (the Richland Kennel Club). The brace class this time was taken by William B. Dawson's brace of Senior Puppies, Columbia Blanco and Wapinita. They placed second in the Working Brace Class.

"After a leisurely dinner in the lovely dining room of the Desert Inn, we gathered around for the judging of the groups, which took place right outside the glass walls of the dining room. These walls formed one side of the ring. The other three sides were enclosed by a low hedge. The closely cut grass provided the perfect turf for the dogs to show upon. Mrs. Renner also judged the Working Group, and My Own Comet's Olinvik, C.D. placed third again. He was handled very well by handler Jack Alger, who is also a Somoyed breeder in this area. We celebrated the finishing of Frosty's Snow Babe and Comet's Olinvik, C.D. at the buffet supper held after the final judging.

"Most of the exhibitors stayed at the Desert Inn over Saturday night and left 5:00 A.M. calls to bat off to Yakima. I was one of those. The distance between the two shows required about three hours drive. We made it almost in caravan style. The road was one long procession of station wagons and cars full of dogs.

"The Yakima Valley Kennel Club held its annual show at the exposition hall fairgrounds in Yakima, Washington. This was a benched show. It was also an obedience trial. The space was quite adequate and the benches sturdy and freshly painted. They were also well marked by signs giving the breed names over each benching. For once we didn't have the usual million people asking the same question: 'What kind of a dog is that?' Here again the judging was on schedule and almost to the minute, too.

"Mr. S. Wyman Tyler judged the Samoyeds and was very painstaking in going over the dogs. The trophies for this show were all silver. The placings (for first in each class) were:

Puppy Dogs, William B. Dawson's Columbia Blanco; American-bred Dogs, R. Pfau and C. Collins, Toyon Takoka of Nighi; Open Dogs, Donna Maria Croft's Olinvik, C.D.; Winners Dog, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. Reserve, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooper's Taku Boyee. Seven dogs, five points. Puppy Bitches, William B. Dawson's Wapinita; Bred by Exhibitor Bitches, Patricia J. Collins' Ahregay Puna of Nighi; American-bred Bitches, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper's Polar Star's Tod-Acres Tina; Open Bitches, Frosty's Snow Babe (Jack Alger). Winners Bitch, Frosty's Snow Babe. Reserve, Polar Star's Tod-Acres Tina. Eight bitches, five points. Best of Winners and Best of Breed, Comet's Olinvik, C.D. Best Opposite Sex, Frosty's Snow Babe.

"It is a long drive clear back to Portland from Yakima. We were all dead tired, especially the dogs. However, we certainly enjoyed the circuit. Mr. Alger finished his bitch with a total of 25 points and Viki finished his circuit with 21 points and five majors (pending A.K.C. approval, of course).

"To the beginning showman I can't stress enough the value of going on one of these show circuits. You gain very valuable experience. It is very seldom, however, that the same dogs place as they did in these shows. Usually you will go 'up' one day and 'down' the next. We are now looking forward to the midsummer Portland-Salem circuit. We certainly hope to

have some entries from out of state for this one."

Mrs. Levant Brown's Bori (Ch. Borealis of the Far Steppes) recently proved without doubt his value as a guardian and companion dog. Two year old Stan Rowe went out for a stroll with his adored uncle and Bori "asked himself along." Suddenly a big Setter barked at the youngster, with no good purpose as far as Bori was concerned, and he immediately jumped the Setter.

Bori suffered a slightly broken and bent over fang (evidently the result of meeting with a metal collar on the Setter). However, Bori was rushed to his friend, Dr. White, who reset the tooth in its socket—and otherwise cared for the gallant Bori's "battle scars." If Bori could talk he would no doubt say: "But you should see the other fellow—they'll soon learn they are not going to scare by little pal."

Wish you could see the announcement card we received from Elizabeth Wyman telling of the arrival of the litter of seven baby Sams—three boys and four girls, to her Belsara and sired by Helen Romp's Ch. Rainier. (Note ad appearing in this issue).

Barbara was bred by Margaret Tucker of Encino, and is out of Belenki and sired by Mrs. Tucker's Ch. Kobe Sur Raff of Encino. Belenki is by the Ward's Sh. Starchak, C.D. out of Snowy Dawn.

The announcement of Belsara's pups gives April 13 as the date of birth. Elizabeth says: "Our lovely Crystal (Snowy Dawn) is grandmother and great-grandmother to these pups. I hope her beauty of appearance and personality will be reproduced in some of these pups" (which are now over a month old).

"Binki is helping to baby sit, A few nights ago two of the venturesome ones left the pen and Binki barked (about 4:00 A.M.) calling Elizabeth's attention to them. Upon her arrival she found Binki guarding the two pups on the floor, with 'mom' Sally placidly nursing the remaining five. Such fun!"

More About Santa Barbara Show

Folks it has been verified that the scheduled date for Santa Barbara show has been set for July 26. The Pacific Coast Division with the Southern members as sponsors, is planning to make Santa Barbara a major show. It will be held as usual on the grounds of beautiful Hope Ranch—trophies as usual will be silver or silver plate.

The July meeting of the Club will be held at the home of Elizabeth Wyman, Vice-president of the Pacific Coast Division. Further details

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will appear in our next issue. It is hoped that there will be a record entry of Sams for this show.

Another show so far unannounced will be the Marin-North Bay Kennel Club Show (an unbanded show) scheduled for August 30th. More about this one later.

Darling "Trek" is Gone

Folks, the following lines from a letter from Patricia York will tell you the sad story.

"There is no kind way to say what must be said. Trek died of distemper the first week in March. One of the many reasons this letter wasn't written sooner is because it is difficult for me to think of it. As it is, my life has fairly fallen apart, and losing the dog I had waited so long for was, and is, hard to take. I adored Trek from the first minute I saw him. He was everything I wanted in a Sam—he was so intelligent—scarcely left my side. He had already begun to protect the children. Trek had had his second distemper shot the day before the fever developed."

The rest of the story you folks who have ever lost a beloved pet know only too well. Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. York and the little girls who miss their Trek so much.

Registered as Guardian of the North "Trek" was that bright little fellow who held the center spot on the cover of our Christmas issue—his sire Ch. Borealis, his "mom" our "Crissy".

And now, folks—here's the happiest show report that we have been able to give you in many a long day. That is—happy for US—for our "Crissy" (Dragoya of Wilmundstrev, bred by Elizabeth Wyman, out of her Belenki, granddaughter of our late Lensen, and sired by Ch. Guardian of the Arctic) went to Petaluma Show, and with her handler, young Walt Williams of Orinda, took the blue in Open Bitch Class, followed that with the purple for Winners Bitch and two points, and went on to take the blue and white for Best of Winners. Five bitches entered). Winners Dog and on to Best Opposite Sex was Robert M. and Harriet M. Hunter's MacGregor of Glenstrae (Ch. Rainier ex Dushka's White Feather).

We are sorry, but the Reserve Winners were not marked in our catalog. The Best of Breed (two in Specials) was Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Dawes outstanding Ch. Vrai of Lucky Dee (Ch. Lucky Labon Nahum ex Ch. Faustina Fauna), handled by Hazel Dawes. Vrai went on to place second in the Working Group.

We were sorry to have missed the show—but understand that there was perfect teamwork between Crissy and Walt and she showed like the proud little Sammy she is.

And so, folks, that's all for this time. Please send in your notes pronto, won't you? Thanks. Shall hope to see you soon.—Vera Lawrence.

The 21st Annual Show and Obedience Trial of the Longshore-Southport Kennel Club June 7th at Westport, Conn., will donate 20 per cent of its gross catalog advertising receipts to National Dog Welfare Guild, sponsor of National Dog Week, it is announced by Henry P. Davis the Guild's president. [Good idea.—H2].

Newfoundland puppies were at odds with the Canadian government. A St. John's member told Parliament a law requiring dogs to be nose printed can't be enforced in Newfoundland because "they wiggle so."—Nat'l Dog Welfare Guild.

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CHOW CHATTER

By Hilda Burket
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Hello everyone. We didn't get to the Petaluma Show though we sure wanted to, but I can give you the results. Friends very kindly brought me a marked catalog.

Winners Dog was Bobby of Ross owned by Vera and Aubrey Berliner. Reserve was Marie Hunter's Chin Wong Chu. Winners Bitch was Mi Mi of Ross owned by Ethyle Longan. Reserve was the Berliner's Red Pepper of Pet-La. Best of Winners was Bobby of Ross. Ch. Babe's Butcher Boy owned by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Ross went Best of Breed and Ch. Renzchow Lil Black Stubbie owned by Wm. and Camille Shimmel was Best Opposite.

I was giving a long planned shower on the night of the last S. F. Bay Region Chow Club meeting. However, I understand Mrs. Ross gave a very interesting report about the Chows in the Northwest. She was most favorably impressed. I had hoped to have some notes from her talk and was promised they'd be sent me, but as they have not been forthcoming I shall try to get them for next month's column.

You see, I've missed a few columns in months past and the S.F.B.R.C.C. has been quite perturbed about it. (Ah, ha! A sign I have readers! As I understand it, a member was appointed to send me any items of interest that came up and report on meetings (which I also miss occasionally.) You know, it's not as easy to get around to writing a column or a report as people would think—and I think the Club members will find that out—I still haven't gotten the first report.

I haven't had any news items from the Associated Chowists lately either. Surely something of interest has been happening recently in that Club. What shows did you go to? Who won? Why not let other people know about it.

Speaking of being late, did I ever mention that my father in law, Lud, and I have a race to see, not who can get his column in first, but who can get it in last. Race results are about tied. I tell Helen that it's perfectly natural to

pick up some habits from your relations but she still wants to know, why of the habits I could of picked, I ever picked that one! Guess it just came naturally.

By the way, now's the time to send in your trophy donation for the great San Joaquin Show. The only show where you get to see one of the biggest county fairs in the State for the price of your dog show entry alone. Bring your dog to the show and enjoy the fair at the same time.

Our house is really going to the dogs this month. Two litters are expected—not Chows—Beagles. Might as well take it easy while I can because we won't get much rest later on. Therefore, in line with my new policy of relaxation (from now 'til D-Day) I will say goodbye for this month and hope to see you all at Richmond Show—Hilda Burket.

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Best Toy—Marie Medley's Toy Poodle, Ch. Medley's Silver Demon.

Best Non-Sporting—Mrs. Charles D. Cline's Boston Terrier, Ch. Chappie's Little Man.

Dear Helen:

Please tell all readers that there's a new baby (Schipperke) at home to all callers at Rose Glen.

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Notes for July Issue should be in office June 5th!

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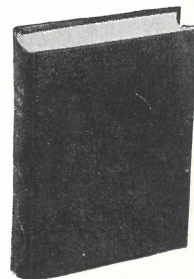
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