

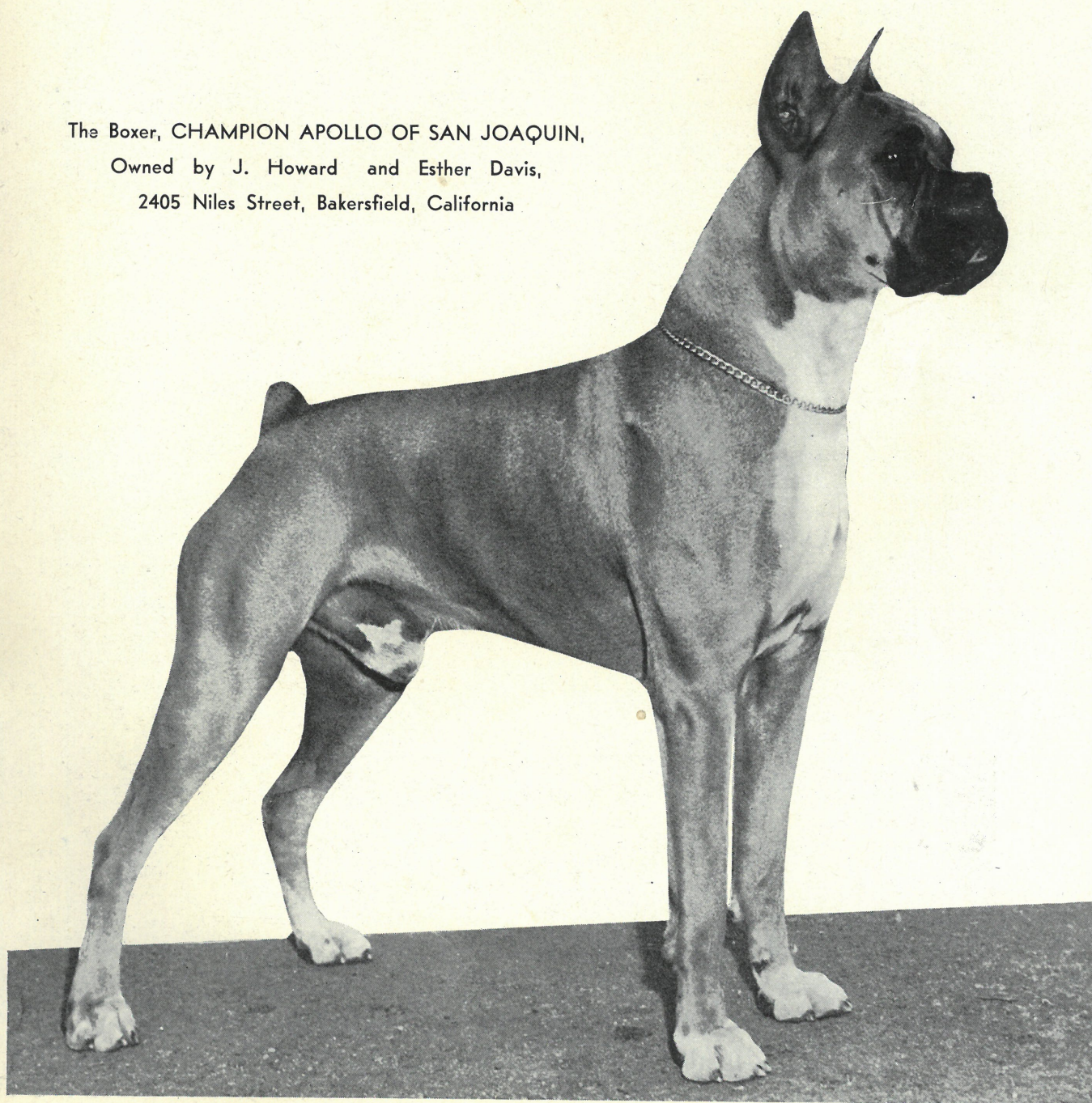
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# SAMOYEDS

By Vera Lawrence

By the time this March issue goes to press, entries will be in for our great Oakland Kennel Club Show of March 6 and 7! So here's hoping it's a good one for Sammies!

Westminster will be a thing of the past (we understand there are 17 Sams entered there—report of this one comes to you in April issue. Oakland report is to follow in our May "Sammy Special"; so don't forget folks, for that issue—with a Sammy guaranteed on the cover—we shall want more stories, ads, and pictures. It's going to be a "wow"—we hope!

It can't help but be—with the cooperation of our Sammy lovers.

Another Great Samoyed Specialty will be held at Chicago March 27-28.

Our Oakland Kennel Club Show of March 6 and 7 will be followed by the Specialty Show of the Midwest Division of the Samoyed Club of America. It will be another great show—to be held in connection with the International Kennel Club Show at Chicago, Saturday and Sunday March 27 and 28. It will be held in the International Amphitheatre, Union Stock Yards in Chicago. An informal banquet will be held at Stock Yard Inn on Saturday evening. The trophy list, of which the ever-hard-working Mrs. Berta M. Ruick of Indianapolis is Chairman, is a wow! Samoyed exhibitors from all sections of the country are urged to participate in this Specialty Show. The following hotels will welcome well-behaved dogs with their owners; be sure to identify yourselves as Samoyed owners.

The hotels are: Yard Inn (L. H. Wilder) Del Prado Hotel (R. E. Lanford, Jr.) — Elms Hotel (Miss Turner) — Atlantic Hotel (E. R. Seifert)

Mrs. Ardash Chamberlain is Publicity Director for the Mid-West Division, Ruth Kilbourn is Chairman of Trophy Committee. All have worked hard to make this another great Chicago Samoyed Specialty, and are cooperating to the fullest extent with the Club's President, Col. E. Secretary.

Already (in early February) a good entry is promised. There will be a more leisurely judging, giving a better percentage of attention for each individual—trophies for every class.



SIBERIAN KADRA II

Owned by Mrs. John O. May of Trenton, N. J.

The judge is none other than our Pacific Coast's Mrs. Beatrice Godsol.

Lots of good wishes for the success of your "Specialty" folks—and we should certainly like to be there. With the co-operation of our friends in the Mid-West, we hope to give you a report of this Specialty in our May issue.

These are busy days for the Ruicks at Breezewood, what with two litters of puppies to pull through a bitterly cold winter. Tish (that's Tish of Krimthursar) whelped a litter by Strog of Altai just the day after Christmas—and then, about 10 days later, Yenavik of Breezewood (Ch. Novik of Snowland ex Yena of Marne) whelped a litter by Cupid of Breezewood — both are outstanding litters. Yena of Marne, formerly owned by Betty Bendixen, has now passed on,—a lovely bitch, well-coated and strong-boned, and would doubtless have been a champion but for an accident of several years ago when she lost half of her lovely tail. Chuckles of Breezewood, also by Yena of Marne, is one of those **personality** gals. She now has 8 points (one a 3-point show) and will be carried on to her championship, it is hoped.

Strog of Altai—the "big boy" of Breezewood, is eye-arresting—and shows beautifully in the working group. He has 14 points toward his championship.

Dr. Walter W. Winter's Snowball II from Decatur, Illinois, has been mated to Strog—and the Wayne Gillette's Belita of Altai (bv Ch. Zantok of Breezewood out of Ch. Valva of Snowland) is to be mated to him shortly.

Mrs. Joseph Kimpflin of Chicago, Illinois, owner of Leja, writes that they bought her that new puppy (now 3 month old) which was to be her playmate. She came from Martha Humphris' Kennels and is named Siberian Tchornvia (daughter of Natasha and Siberian Novick). So far, however, Leja is disgusted with her—she is **no lady**—her manners are all bad. At four o'clock one morning there was a crash, perhaps an earthquake, was the question! But it was "Angel Puss" who had pulled down

the eight feet Christmas tree, after giving a good "work-out" in the village underneath the tree. There were figures all over the house, ornaments smashed and under furniture and everywhere, but NO Tchornvia! The tree was righted as well as possible, considering hopping from one foot to another to keep from stepping on broken ornaments. All that was missing was Santa Claus and his reindeer to complete the Nite before Christmas rhyme. All the time "Angel Puss" was missing. All thoughts of vengeance upon the young scamp were forgotten when she was found looking so happy, laughing and waving her tail, gaily festooned with tinsel, while her twinkling eyes seemed to say "How am I doing?" Leja was horrified—she never goes into the living room and wouldn't dream of touching anything if she did go there.

Leja is trying to teach her manners now, pushes her aside, or barks to tell the family when there's trouble brewing. Mr. Kimpflin calls Leja the "Stool Pigeon"—but the Mrs. calls her an M. P.—at least she makes an attempt to keep law and order.

We were interested recently in a note from Miss Juliet Goodrich regarding a picture of her Keena Frost of Snow Shoe Hill—the pup sitting alone in a "big white world" that appeared in Christmas Western Kennel World. Miss Goodrich says that Keena Frost was a self-possessed little rascal of about 11 weeks old. She was on the average a small sized puppy—but has grown into a standard-sized bitch, over 20". I used to worry over what seemed were going to be short legs, but they too have developed marvelously, perhaps a little on the long side. It shows how little one can tell about Sams as small puppies," writes Miss Goodrich.

May we call your attention to the new advertisement of Mrs. Miller's Altai Kennels in Albuquerque, New Mexico. There are several litters of puppies ready for Easter delivery, sired by the Irish and American Champion, the imported Snowland Stara.

Mrs. Miller advises us that the puppy sent to Mrs. Algers of Great Falls, Montana, called Frost King II, is sired by Stara. Jingle of Sammar, owned by Bajus of Milwaukee, is also sired by Stara out of Joe Marshall's Ch. Frola of Snowland.

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Mrs. Miller has recently acquired one of Mrs. Cole's English-bred Sams out of White Witch of Stria. She is a darling, so much like Stara—face full of personality, lightness of foot, lovely head carriage with well-set ears, dark eyes, etc. Canras, her sire, was surely a 1947 English winner, with 95 awards, 31 firsts, 24 Champion certificates, and once Best in Show.

In time, a breeding of this pup with Stara will bring in much needed new blood to our West Coast. The other two females of the litter are owned by Dr. Ivens of Pennsylvania and J. T. Roth of Ohio.

Congratulations to Mrs. Miller whose Susie arrived from Dallas just before Christmas, and is proving a life-saver, and is so good with the dogs.

Our thanks to Mrs. Bess Mann of Trenton, N. J. for the snapshot of Siberian Kadra II, owned by Mrs. John O. May of Trenton. "Kadra" is not a show dog", writes Mrs. Mann—"but is a grand, sweet, lovable pet. She is active, cute, smart, and doing beautifully under the wonderful care and enthusiastic o,afGK

the wonderful care and attention she received from both Doctor and Mrs. May, who are most enthusiastic about the breed." Dr. and Mrs. May had lost a beloved pet and wanted another immediately, and through their vet were directed to Mrs. Mann, and through her to Mrs. Harris. There are however, no pups at Snowland, so through Mrs. Grillo and Dr. Ivens they drove to Martha Humphriss' kennels in Rhode Island, where they purchased their Kadra.

Mrs. May has already made application for membership in the Eastern Division of the Samoyed Club of America, and will shortly be enrolled as a regular member of the Samoyed Club of America. Welcome to you, Mrs. May, and lots of good luck with your new Sammy!

Our picture shows Kadra, alert and intelligent of face, just in the midst of shedding her old coat for the new—a few months time will show a beautifully coated Sam.

Mrs. Marie Grillo, secretary of the Samoyed Club of America, writes us that Dr. Wm. Ivens of Ardmore, Pennsylvania, has been asked to judge our Sam Specialty Show in Glendale, California, in April.

Dr. Ivens (who has owned many fine Sams) is the importer of Ch. Snowland Taz from Mrs.

A. L. Westcott's Kennels in England. He comes well recommended, and we hope will be rewarded with a record entry of Sams.



CH. NOVIK OF SNOWLAND

Mrs. Grillo tells us also that at the Milwaukee show recently, Marshall's Frolene (Nicho-Frola) went winner's bitch, and Frolstar (by Snowland Stara ex Frola) went best of breed and placed third in the working group.

Mr. Wm. Kendrick judged.

Mrs. Helen Mettler of Kirkwood, New York (who wrote us on some of that attractive pups on ice paper) writes that in all that heavy snow in the East recently, the Sams loved it. They would just lie out on the snow and go to sleep, no matter how cold it was. Their quarters are arranged so that they may go in and lie in the straw, or in the large kennel with lots of straw but they prefer to lie right out on the ground. Their coats are so heavy they look like polar bears. Fawn of Parkcliffe has earned her C. D. and will work toward her C. D. X., after a possible litter of pups this coming spring.

Mrs. Cecil Laughery of Rochester, Illinois, tells us that she became interested in Sammies through Mrs. F. Chandley of Gerald, Missouri, while on a visit to the State Fair in Springfield, Illinois, over a year ago, Mrs. Chandley presented her with a lovely two months old male puppy. This puppy was promptly named Frosty (Yukon Frosty Kola) and from then on he was absolute owner of everyone. He is 7½ months old now, was sired by Mrs. Chandley's Pride of Yukon ex Siberian Sno-white Fairy. His bloodlines carry the names of several famous dogs, among them Snow Boots, Ch. Duke of Darya,

Ch. Duke of Norka, Yena of Marne, Imported Ch. Ivanski, By Fang of Koke, Ch. Viga, Ch. Siberian Snow King, Imp. Ch. Stara of Farn-ingham. The other "member" of the family is Princess Mona Lee, Siberian Snow-white Silver Fox ex Yenei Lucky Girl. "Silver" is a son of imported Mitzi Aura and Lucky is a daughter of Yena of Marne.

Mrs. Laughery says there's a man in Springfield who bought a female pup from Mrs. Chandley after seeing Frosty. Her name is Kondalak Frisky—is by Siberian Snow White Silver Fox and Samona Molly, a daughter of Ch. Yenesei Czar Nicholas.

Mrs. Laughery says "I am very glad to be a member of the Samoyed Club (Mid-west division) and will do my best to introduce this "corner of the state" to these beautiful white dogs.

Our thanks to Mrs. Laughery for the two snapshots of her Frosty, but may we offer one suggestion, that type of shoulder harness just isn't the best kind to use on our Sams, it will ruin the coat.

Folks, we promised you a report of the Golden Gate Show and this will be found in the April Western Kennel World. We will say however, that Pat Healey's Ch. Ski Trooper of Tamaland, Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Jooschka placed best of breed, adding another best of breed win to his already long list of wins — 14 bests—not a bad record indeed.

The entire Samoyed Club of the Pacific Coast is grateful to Mrs. Levant Brown of Ross, California, in charge of publicity for the club, for her marvelous job of contacting our Bay newspapers with pictures preparatory to the Golden Gate Kennel Club show.

One very cute picture showed a little girl peering into a grandfather clock while Pat Healy's Knarf (Ch. Ski Trooper of Tamaland) sat up behind her practically peering over her shoulder.

Another picture showed Borealis of the Far Steppes lying beside a little three months old baby, on the living room couch, "of all places" thought Bori, who knows better than that. An-

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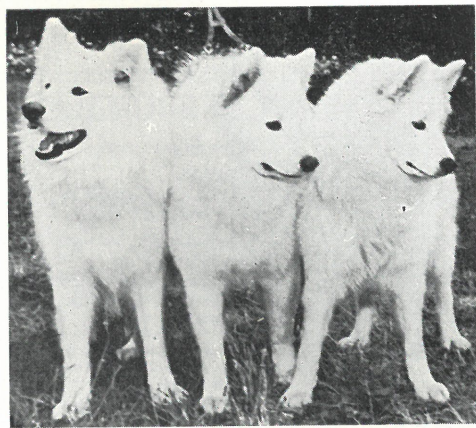
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other picture showed Bori and Mr. and Mrs. Duhamel's Sasha II, going to school with Carolyn Rowe. But one that we consider outstanding shows young Diana Rowe "driving" six lovely Sams abreast. Another showing Diana at the piano with Bori sitting beside her evidently enjoying the music.

Then there were the P. A. Stang's two young Sams with Diana, and they with two other Sams on the steps of the Brown home in Ross.

The Press Democrat of Santa Rosa carried pictures of the Larson's Petra of Valiki and the Larson station wagon "taken over" by five of the Larson dogs, the picture titled Dog's life, 1948 version, the dogs pictured were "Sammy" (Petra of Valiki) and Natuska of White Way, Zarkhov of Fair Oaks, Konchakovna, and Mam-moushka.

Keep up the good work, Mrs. Brown!

**Mrs. Carl Ritter's "SNOW" Has His Troubles**

Yes, "Snow"—Swiss Snow of White Tundra, one of the pups on ice—now over five years old, has his troubles, same being four husky sons and daughters out of his pal and mate—Pam's Powder Puff of Rhanor's.

We were out to see Mrs. Ritter and those puppies and their folks a couple weeks ago, and saw four of the healthiest brightest looking pups we've seen in a long time. Two boys and two girls. At ten weeks of age, the largest pups, a female, tips the scales at over 18 pounds, while the smallest is just a few pounds less.

The Ritters have converted a one-time "brooder house" into an ideal house for those puppies, at their little ranch there in Oakland.

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The floor of the puppy house is covered with

a five inch layer of cut up newspaper, which is changed twice a day, and is always clean and dry when they go to bed at night. Their eyes and lips and nose are as black as could be desired, and all pups carry marvelous coats, ears upstanding and beautifully carried.

A glance at the pedigree of these puppies shows such names as Sooltan, Ch. Silver Star of White Way, Nikita of Snowland, Ch. White Way of Kok, Ch. Siberian Nanssn, Vida of Snowland, Silver Spark of the Arctic, and other on the dam's side.

"Snow" brings to the bloodline as many famous names as Pam—not forgetting Ch. Ni-anya of Snowland, Ch. Moscow of Farningham of Snowland, Ch. Ice Crystal of the Arctic, the latter through his dam Winter Dawn, daughter of Silver Spark of the Arctic ex Lensen of Snowland.

Mrs. Carl Ritter's "Snow" is one worried chap.

We were privileged to see at Western Kennel World office the first copy of the San Francisco Dog Training Club's Canine Control Obedience Briefs. One page is devoted to "Marin Musings." One item reads, "Among them are Mr. and Mrs. Levant Brown of Ross, who've never missed a lesson. The Browns are escorted to class by their two Sammys. Interestingly, the ten Samoyeds enrolled in our class outnumber any other breed at this time."

Miss Shirley Kay Johnson of Malin, Oregon, writes that her Blanca by Ch. Chinde of Caspar, C. D., has her first litter of husky little Sams, four males and four females. Almost overnight Blanca has changed from a frolicsome pup to a serious little mother dog.

Mrs. A. E. Mason, owner of the White Way Kennels in Sacramento and President of the Samoyed Club of America, showed us a picture recently of Sheila by Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Ch. Herdsman's Faith (sister to Gay of White Way, and Nick, owned by Mrs. Russell in Oregon).

Sheila, it will be remembered, is owned by Chief of Police Hoyer of Crescent City, Ore. Chief Hoyer says that Sheila is the Boss around the place, has made the headlines in the papers a couple of times.

One time she caught (or helped catch) two jail breakers. She trailed them to their hiding place under an empty building.

In the car, she proves an able adversary for any who might attempt unlawful entry, but when not doing her guard duty she is a sweet, lovable little lady.

Another Sam exercising her companion and guard dog heritage.

More about Mrs. Mason's dogs in our next issue.

Mrs. Clayton Kirkland of Springfield, Oregon writes that "Mardie" (by Booran ex Kara Nushka) who is now 10 years old, broke her hind leg just above the ankle, in September. It was in splints for quite a while, but the bone mended nicely and she limps only a very little.

Mardie has been a wonderful pet and companion for the two little boys. She watches over the one and a half year old while in the house, and when five year old Melville is outside playing she is right with him.

Mrs. Kirkland writes that they have bought a farm up the McKenzie River, a grand place for boys and dogs and horses.

Mardie has a litter brother in Portland, Oregon, owned by Rev. R. A'Court Simmonds. This fine fellow, called Nicky, is described by Mrs. Musgrove as "King" around the household—quiet, dignified and is in excellent condition except when he steals chocolates that have been left carelessly within his reach.

Mrs. Musgrove, who still grieves over the untimely passing of Nicky's other sister called "Nushka" owns a dog of a popular breed, but says she still thinks Sammys are best.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**—The Los Angeles Kennel Club has invited Dr. Wm. Ivens, Jr. of (Continued on Page 28)

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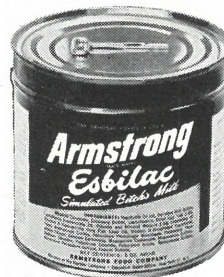
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