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The Smooth Dachshund, *Champion Jay Bee's Toreador* owned by Shorb and Betty Steele of San Francisco, California. Handled by Woody Dorward



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presenting the trophy



SAMOYEDS

By Vera Lawrence

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Greetings, folks! Here is a message for those of you who are interested in having one of those Western Kennel Worlds like we used to have! We ARE going to have a Christmas issue — providing you will help by sending pictures, stories, and, of course, the necessary ADS, big or little, that are needed to sponsor our Sammy section!

WE CAN HAVE A REALLY GOOD ONE IF YOU WILL HELP.

Some recent show reports — courtesy of LaVera Morgan:

Sir Francis Drake: 9-15-68 - Judge Gordon Parham. 31 Sams (3 abs.) - 13 m., 12 f., 3 Specials.

WD and BW, Gabriel of Snow Angel (Ch. King Frost IV ex Schonzothea of Whitecliff), Owners Wm. and Joan Winfred. RWD, Darius' Dandi of Snow Acres, Owners Burt and Mary Jo Kimbel.

WB, Princess Perusa (Ch. Snokandi's Hondo of Drayalene ex Lady June Petite), Owners Walt and Jan Kauzlarich. RWB, Markoka's Marnie, Owner Barrie Birtchet.

BB, Ch. Beau Brummel of Caribou (Ch. Bauzuhl of Caribou ex Tziukikagta's Tana of Cheilee), Owners Joe and Mabel Dyer.

BOS, Princess Perusa (Ch. Snokandi's Honda of Drayalene ex Lady June Petite), Owners Walt and Jan Kauzlarich.

Santa Maria Kennel Club: Sept. 1968 - Judge M. T. Downing. 14 m., 13 f., 1 Special.

WD and BW, Ivan Belara of Taymylyr (Ch. Kazan of Kentwood ex Ch. Trina of Taymylyr), Owners John and Carol Chittum. RWD, Mister Williwaw (Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Anastasia of Frost River), Owners Dennis and Gretchen Raymond.

WB, Evelyn James and Gretchen Raymond's Williwaw's Kommoshe (Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Anastasia of Frost River). RWB, Pinehill's Maile of

Drayalene, Owners John and Evelyn Coloma.

BB, Ch. Coronet's Alii of the North (Ch. Danlyn's Silver Coronet ex Aurora of Danlyn). Owners Don and Myrna Dougherty.

BOS, Ch. Kippy's Tinoya of Williwaw (Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Sultan's Pixie of Erin), Owner K. W. O'Brien.

San Luis Obispo Kennel Club: 9-29-68 - Judge D. Ward. 14 m., (3 abs.), 10 f. (2 abs.).

BB, same as at Santa Maria. BOS, same as at Santa Maria.

WD and BW, Mister Williwaw (Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Anastasia of Frost River), Owners D. and G. Raymond. RWD, Darius Karlak Cheetal (Ch. Darius King of Snow Ridge ex Drayalene's Bunky), Owners Dan and LaVera Morgan.

WB, Belaya Anja Padrushka (Ch. Karshan ex Ellbur's Bonnee), Owners John and Carol Chittum. RWB, Kimba's Sweet Missy of Norvick (Dondi's Dino of Norvick), Owners Rose Bamber and Pat Fauche.

Obedience: Novice A and 2nd leg, Kamchatka's Barney. Novice B, score 196½, Tannu Tuna of Sayon.

Reno K.C.: 9-29-68. Judge Mr. Nelson Groh. 9 m., 12 f. (3 m., 1f. abs.).

WD, Star Trek of Misty Way (Ch. Karasan of Misty Way ex Ch. Silver Trinkets of Misty Way), Owner Peggy McCarthy.

WB, Czarina Frostina (Dathan Rebel O'Snow Ridge ex Katrinka White Cold), Owners Barbara and Mike Yamasaki.

Sorry, no report on Best of Breed and Best Opposite.

San Joaquin K.C.: 10-5-68, Judge O. C. Harriman.

WD, Markoka's Frosty Fellow (Kodiak's Snow Puff ex Kay's Snow Angel), Owners John and Helen Primus. RWD, Mala's Snow Lad of Whitecliff (Ch. Sho-Off's Czar of Whitecliff ex Mala of Lassen View), Owners J. and K. Geletich.

WB, Pinehill's Maile of Drayalene (Ch. Shaloon of Drayalene ex Pinehill's

Forget-Me-Not), Owners John and Evelyn Coloma. RWB, Czarina Frostina.

BW and Best of Breed, Markoka's Frosty Fellow.

BOS, Pinehill's Maile of Drayalene.

Oakland K.C.: 10-6-68 - Judge William Ackland. 10 m. (2 ab.), 13 f. (1 ab.) 3 Spec. (1 ab.).

WD, Pushka Czar of Snowcliff (Sho-Off's Dorok of Whitecliff ex Ochi Chernya of Snow Ridge), Owners Tony and J. Buttell. RWD, Mala's Snow Lad of Whitecliff.

WB and BW, Czarina Frostina (Darius Rebel O'Snow Ridge ex Katrinka White Cold), Owners B and M. Yamasaki. RWB, Geric's Rishka of Williwaw (Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Sultan's Pixie of Erin), Owners Richard and Lola Erickson.

BB, Czarina Frostina.

BOS, Ch. Koni Ad of Silver Lake (Ch. Park-Cliffe Frosty Snow Flake ex Ch. Park-Cliffe Snowpack Kim), Owners Richard and Clara Engeseth.

The entire Samoyed fancy is grieved with news of the passing of one of California's great stud dogs — Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw (Ch. Timan's Williwaw ex Frosty Princess of Wilform). Buddy Boy was owned by Dennis and Gretchen Raymond, formerly of Fresno, California, but recently moved to Southern California.

A recent copy of WKW carried a full page of pictures of sons and daughters of Buddy Boy, which attracted much attention among Samoyed admirers. We offer a picture of him in this issue — and promise a story for later.

Our deep sympathy to Gretchen and Dennis in their great loss.

If I may add a personal note: "All I can say is that although I never met Buddy Boy in life, we can be happy in owning a lovely daughter of his — our Nannuk of Frost River — out of the James' Ch. Mitzi of Frost River."

Have a recent letter from the Wilford Millers, owners of the Snow Flakes Kennels of Milford, Conn., asking for information as to where to find a good female for sale — in the age range of 6 months to 2 years.

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They have recently completed the American championship of their male. He is now being campaigned in Canada for additional honors. Progress is slow right now because of a sudden droppage of coat. At present he has 7 points toward his Canadian championship.

So if you know of a worthy female Sam for sale, please let us know, won't you - or write W. J. Miller of Snow Flakes kennels of Milford, Conn.

"Gerry" Erickson, now of Fremont, California, is becoming one of our newest Sam fanciers. With her husband, Richard, they have recently bred their female "Rishka" to a "lovely" male, Duke of Frost River.

Rishka is by Ch. Buddy Boy of Williwaw ex Ch. Pixie of Erin. "Duke" is by the James' Ai Ai of Williwaw out of Ch. Kara of Frost River. Duke is owned by Betty Willis. "Gerry" tells us that though they have owned Sams for 3 years, this is their first attempt at raising puppies. Naturally they are thrilled and excited, especially since the pups should be ready for their new homes about Christmas time.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW

Plants Poisonous to Man or Animals?

The list is stupendous, and includes many of those you would never suspect.

A beautifully illustrated article in a recent copy of National Wildlife Magazine warns of the potential danger from plants "which are all around in field and forest, desert and pond, park and roadside, home and office. Only one rule if enforced can absolutely prevent poisoning. Don't eat anything you do not know to be good, wholesome, fresh or properly preserved food."

Although this is primarily a warning for humans, it is more important even in the animal world. For instance, remember that



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(Ch. Buddy Boy ex Ch. Mitzl of Frost River)

pup or young dog that loves to romp and play - grabbing at plants as he enjoys his run - what of the chance that he might just take in a lethal dose.

Did you know that the common field buttercup produces a sap that changes in the death of the plant into an irritant substance which can cause burns on sensitive skin or severe digestive upset if eaten in quantity.

What do you know about the effects of eating apple seeds - and the cyanide concentrated in them? Of course there is a difference in effect by the amount or number consumed, but who is going to tell that pup, nibbling on an apple core, what the result to him could be?

The subject is fascinating, especially regarding the many favorite flowers and plants which are among the least suspected.

In submitting this (and more to come if you wish it) - I am thinking principally of those gay, boisterous pups at play. And I remember also, the tragic loss a few years ago of my beloved Snow Maiden of Snowland (Lelya) when at about 4 years of age a small sticker of redwood somehow penetrated her spine - with resulting underskin abscess needing surgery - and culminating in spinal paralysis and lockjaw.

Please folks - plan now for our CHRISTMAS WKW. - V.L.

P.S. Hey Folks - anyone know anything about the Nootka breed of dogs. Need a picture of one. There IS such a breed.

SLED DOGS

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Out of any 11 dog team last year, there were seven that could lead my team. I picked these seven leaders, however, out of about 30 dogs that were two years or older. I feel the dog that is two years old is settled enough so that he gives you everything he has to offer and that you won't be wasting much of your training time on a young, unsettled dog or on a "sweetie pie".


I've read about how a dog as it gets better in a team is moved up and up until he is in point position and there he is driven until he's made a leader. I've seen people pull a top point dog from point and put a potential leader in his place, thus gaining a 'maybe' leader and messing up a real good point that should have stayed on point. (To Alaskan readers: 'point' is first swing.) A good

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lead potential will run anywhere in the team and it won't hurt him one bit but will teach him that he can do the job for you no matter where he is. I know some leaders that won't pull a pound when back in the team. This is possibly due to mis-handling when he was being trained. Every dog in a team should pull and work hard for you even if he is a leader in a different position. The only time I don't care if he's pulling is when he is leading then all I care about is the control he gives me by staying out in front.

What I'm about to tell you is how I picked leaders from my own litters. I hope you can read between the lines and get some benefit out of it.

Three years ago a bitch of mine had six pups from a breeding I thought was the finest I could have gotten at the time. I knew that out of this litter, I just had to have a leader because I couldn't afford to buy one on the money I was making and I couldn't have a lot of dogs as I lived in a village with neighbors not 100 feet from me. I just hoped I could find a leader out of this litter as I thought my old leader wouldn't be fast enough for the coming season.

As time went on and the pups grew, I watched for the boldest one. The one that would come to the feed pan the quickest, the one that would not be afraid of strangers and didn't have to

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