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Judge Lew Starkey Awarding Best of Variety at the Sun Maid Kennel Club Show to Frank McHugh's Long-haired Dachshund  
Ch. Ultra-Mend Gold Rush of Valgo; Marge Hanson, Professional Handler



## Samoyeds

By Vera Lawrence

610 Colusa Avenue, Berkeley, California

HEADLINES from the Mid-West Division of the Samoyed Club of America:

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### New Background and Eye Catching Features

"This year we will have a completely new decorative treatment and theme. The backdrop will be a beautiful yellow gold satin fabric that will hang from the ceiling to the floor—1200 square yards of fabric is used for this purpose. The big individual letters will be made of masonite in a contrasting blue color with crystals to make them stand out. Spotlights will make the brightness of the whole background look big and beautiful.

### Judges

"We are very fortunate to have one of the most outstanding all around judge who has judged our breed many times, Mr. James Trullinger from Pittsburgh, Penn. Mr. Trullinger has proven that he not only knows the Samoyed breed but can recognize a good specimen. He has placed a number of our Sams in the working group in shows and is credited with placing

the first Samoyed Best in Show in Canada in 1951.

"The Working Group Judge, Mr. Alva Rosenberg, New York City, needs no introduction to the Samoyed Exhibitor for he has also recognized and placed the Sam in the working group. He too had acknowledged our breed and has put up a Samoyed Best in Show in the United States in 1951. We must show our gratitude by having a large entry.

"We must have large entries of all the types of Samoyeds, regardless of size, type and style for this is the time that we will be able to more than ever before understand how the judges of today interpret our standard as it is written. There are many new young show specimens that should be entered this year. Those who have never shown their dogs before will get help from the older exhibitor. **JUST ENTER AND BRING YOUR DOG!**

"In a large show of this kind, volume is the essence and the records will be established as to the number of dogs on the bench. It is a fine thing to have large entries, but most important of all, it's the dogs and the setting that will educate the people. We must be consistent in putting large shows in front of them.

### Hotels

"Hotels available for reservations are as follows: Bryson Hotel, 4932 S. Lake Park Ave., phone Oakland 4-3320; The Del Prado Hotel, 5307 S. Hyde Park Blvd., phone Hyde Park 3-9600; The Riviera Hotel, 4900 S. Blackstone, phone Kenwood 6-1000.

"The Samoyed fanciers in the Middle West are going all out and we are spending a tremendous sum of money to put on this show. It will also take the time and effort of everyone to make it a success. I hope you will try, no matter

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"The Committees for this show have spent many hours in preparing this great SPECTACLE—as a SAMOYED OWNER, all you are asked to do is to take care of your transportation, your rooms and enter as many dogs as you can.

### Banquet

"We will have one of the best banquets at the exquisite 'SADDLE AND SIRLOIN CLUB,' Saturday night, March 29, 1952. We have a surprise speaker for you and it will be worth your while to attend the banquet to hear him."—Joe J. Marshall, Entry and Decorations, Chairman.

### Golden Gate Show — January 26, 27, 1951

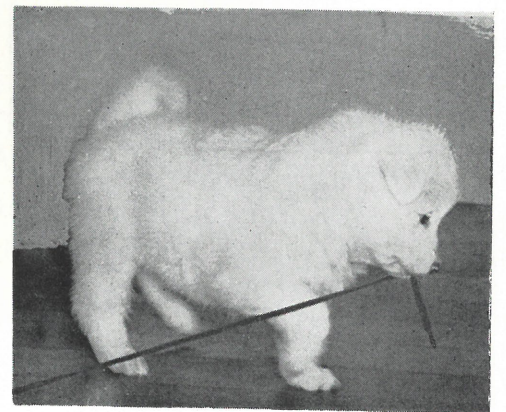
Thirty-three Sams were entered for this, the first show in Northern California for 1952—four for Specials only, two for Champion Parade only, one of these being Marcel and Margarey Juilly's veteran Ch. Ski Trooper of Tamaland (Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Jooschka) now 11 years old.

Two of the Sams were marked as absent, having arrived after the judging had started at 10 A.M. Mr. Percy Roberts of Connecticut judged the breed, making the following placements:

The first four classes in dogs had no competition—so we'll go on to the American-bred dog's class, whose first was Mr. and Mrs. David M. Smith's Zorro (listed) by Zarkov of Fair Oaks out of Cheena. First in the Open Dogs Class was Mrs. A. E. Mason and Aljean Mason Larson's White Way's Silver Streak (Toby of White Way out of Ch. Starchak's Warnistura). Silver then placed Winners Dog—gaining the points necessary to complete his championship—which has since been confirmed by the American Kennel Club. Reserve Winners Dog was White Way's Jack (Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Ch. Njanya of Snowland).

Novice Bitches winner was Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Enos' Silver Lady Beebie (Taka ex Siberian Silver Sue). American-bred Bitches winner was Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Dunaway's Siberian Silver Sue (Ch. Chinde of Caspar,

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C.D.X. ex Samoyland's Lady Sno-Chrysal. Open Bitches Class winner was Edmund and Mary Breatchel's Princess Tasha of White Frost Sonolad of the Valley ex Princess Tanya of Hale Cooper). Princess Tasha was placed as Winners Bitch with Silver Lady Beebie as Reserve.

Best of Winners and on to Best of Breed was Silver Streak of White Way with Best Opposite Sex going to Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Dawes' Ch. Vrai of Lucky Dee.

The brace and team later handled by Aljean Larson were a sight to behold—beautifully trained and beautifully handled. We should state that Mrs. Dorothy Dye's Starzan of Altai, C.D., entered for Exhibition only, make a fine performance with the special attraction given by the Oakland Dog Training Club under Joe Simpson of Lafayette.

The lovely fellow shown in the column this issue is White Way Kennels' Ch. Silver Streak of White Way (recently A.K.C. championship Confirmed). The following are Silver Streak's wins: He won under six different judges—placed three times Best of Breed and once in the group, as follows: (These are not the number of entries, just the dogs and specials).

Sacramento Kennel Club, October 22, 1950, Judge Vincent G. Perry, Best of Breed, eight dogs, one special—two points. Central Valley Kennel Club, Turlock, California, November 4, 1950, Judge Mr. A. E. Van Court, Best of Breed, three dogs, 3 specials—one point. Sun Maid Kennel Club, November 5, 1950, Judge Mr. Anton B. Korb, Best of Winners, Best of Breed and fourth in Group, 8 dogs, 4 specials—two points.

Sun Maid Kennel Club, November 18, 1951, Judge Mr. Julius F. Dupon, Best of Winners, 14 dogs—five points. Golden Gate Kennel Club, Judge Mr. Percy Roberts, Best of Winners and Best of Breed, 18 dogs and four specials. No females listed in the above statistics.

Hazel and Bill Dawes of Cupertino, California have put out a nice little Kennel pamphlet giving a concise background and standard of the breed—with "Compliments of the Dogs of

Lucky Dee." A picture of Ch. Lucky Labon is on the front cover.

The pups at Cupertino, born December 8th



**CH. SILVER STREAK OF WHITE WAY**  
Owned Mrs. Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mrs. Aljean Mason Larson of Sacramento, California

out of Ch. Faustina Fauna, sired by Ch. Lucky Labon Nahum are really little beauties. We are hoping to have Hazel's report on the recent shows in the North which Hazel planned to attend.

With so many folks begging for puppies, Hazel tells us that they finally decided to let one pup go to a choice home, where they already own one Samoyed. This puppy (sold at an excellent price), named Pan of Lucky-Dee is one of the sons of Ch. Lucky Labon Nahum, out of Ch. Faustina Fauna, whelped December 8, 1951. The new owners are Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Barfield of San Diego. Watch for this fellow in the late summer shows.

An airmail letter rushed to us from New York gives us the welcome news that the Best of Breed Sam at Westminster, Mrs. Bernice Ashdown's Ch. Silver Spray of Wychwood, illustrious son of Ch. Silvertips of Kobe, placed third in the Working Group, his close contender being the famous Boxer, Ch. Bang Away, who went second to the Doberman that went first in the group and on to Best in Show. In such fast company Spray's win was a great one for our breed. Congratulations to Mrs. Ashdown, Spray's owner and breeder, and to Charles Rollins, his handler.

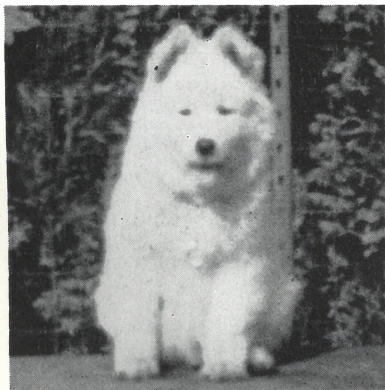
At the annual meeting of the National Samoyed Club of America on February 10, 1952, the following officers were elected: Mrs. A. E. Mason, Honorary President; Mr. Joe J. Marshall, President; Mr. Clifford H. Chamberlain, Vice-president, East; Mrs. Berta M. Ruick, Vice-president, Mid-west; Mr. Edwin L. Adams, Vice-president, Pacific Coast; Mrs. Ardath M. Chamberlain, Secretary; Mr. Miles Vernon, Treasurer; Col. E. N. Wentworth, Delegate to A.K.C.; Miss Vera Lawrence, Governor-at-Large; Pro Tem Publicity Director, Mrs. Ardath Chamberlain.

We have enjoyed the following note "from" the Edwin Adam's Petrof Suraine (Ch. Rainier ex Ch. Suzanne of White Way) addressed to our "Crissy," which reads: "Dear Cousin Crissy:

"You are all mixed up—and I can help you out. Your MOM, Belenki, is my aunt—not my grandma—so that makes us cousins. My father, Raini, and your mom are sister and brother—See? I am Petrof Suraine—my Master thinks I'm wonderful. Everybody has been trying to decide who I look like. I don't look

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("Crissy's" folks agree with "Petrof" and his folks — wonder if he will become as wise and excellent as a lead dog as Moscow was).

Remember that "What's My Name" sled team shown in December W.K.W.? Mrs. Gertrude Adams of Los Angeles says "the mystery team is the Laika team of our pups' ancestors—Lucky, Grim, Trail Breaker, etc. taken in February 1934 on Upper Range Lake, Maine at 38 degrees below zero! No animated powder puffs there!"

We were thrilled recently to have a telephone call from Mrs. Roderick R. Allen, who had just returned to San Francisco with Major General Allen from many months of service in the Korean "situation." It was so good to hear Mrs. Allen's voice again, and to know that they were safe on our American shores. With them were two of the beloved Sams that had travelled to Japan with them and also two splendid young members of a litter born in Japan. The other two adult members of the Allen's Sammy family were following with friends of General and Mrs. Allen. We trust that by now they are all together again, this time at Fort Dix, New Jersey.

Down in Encino, California, Mrs. Charles Tucker's Kobe-Sur-Raff of Encino, (winner dog and best of winners at San Bernardino) now has 11 points towards his championship, needing just one more major show to complete. Kobe-Kof-Ka (Beauty) has 8 points.

We're hoping that "Billy" Tucker will find it possible to get up to our Oakland show.

A note sent us by Mrs. R. V. Collicott, owner of Northern Chieftain, gives the news that Miss Simmons in Cornwall, England, sent a pup to Brazil along with Mrs. Ada L. Westcott's pup—the two will form the beginning of a Samoyed kennel in Brazil.

Miss Simmons also wrote: "We had a letter the other day from some people to whom we

sold one of Tunga's pups some three years ago. (Tunga is a litter brother to Mrs. Bernice Ashdown's imported Ch. Princess Silvertips of Kobe. The pup, called "Snowy" went to a home where the grandmother in the family is almost blind. Her daughter writes that without any training, Snowy, from the time she was out of her puppyhood, attached herself to the older lady, and became her constant companion, seeming to know instinctively that she needed extra care. So good is she at guiding the unfortunate lady that the representative of the Guide Dogs for the Blind Association was amazed and got them a free license for the dog. (We hope to have more information and a picture for our readers before too long).

Mrs. Simmons is planning to cut down on the size of her kennel, of necessity, and plans to offer Tunga for sale, because Tunga has "outgrown the standard as recognized in England, he is 24 inches at shoulder." He sires lovely pups—but they are on the larger size, which won't do in England. His lovable disposition is all that could be desired. "He has done quite a bit of winning — but there's always the talk of size!"

He would be offered for sale reasonably — to anyone who would be interested in his particular bloodlines — and who has no objection to larger sized Samoyeds.

### ATTENTION — PLEASE !

**We Need Help in Locating a Most Valuable Full Length Pure White Coat (made of Samoyed Wool.)**

This coat was taken from the Oakland Show late Sunday, is now in the possession of someone who will never be able to derive any pleasure from the "take."

**This beautiful coat is one of two of its particular kind in California, and easily recognized. We are aware of the whereabouts of the other.**

This Coat Taken from the Show is Owned By Mrs. A. E. Mason of Sacramento, Calif. Please Contact Her or the Editor of the Sammy News if you have any information regarding this coat.

Among the many tributes to the memory of Catharine Quereaux sent by friends, the following sent by Ardath Chamberlain of New York stands out.

"Catharine Quereaux will never die — not while there's one Samoyed to laugh up into your face, dark eyes smiling, secure in his little doggy kingdom of love and trust, not while this beautiful breed of hers can trace their ancestry far far back in the mists of time — thanks to the unselfish devotion of this "lady of the Samoyeds."

"And from our beloved Honorary President of the Samoyed Club of America, Mrs. Helen S. Harris, we received the following: "She was always so wise and so understanding. Her vast fund of information and knowledge about the breed she loved so well, and to which she gave such great devotion through the years, was so remarkable and her memory so amazing that all of us had come to depend upon it.

she sent me, shortly after I brought our first "It was a delightful copy of the Bulletin that Samoyed, dear Pedlar of the Arctic, over from England, that first told me of the Club and interested me in wanting to join it and in showing. How she knew so quickly of Pedlar's arrival, I never knew — but I was so pleased that anyone knew about our beloved dog and so delighted with the nice 'folksy' Bulletin that I wrote her about joining the Club and for more news of the Breed in this Country. Her letters were a joy to me and her information invaluable. Her loss is indeed a grievous one.

"I hope she had the pleasure of seeing the magnificent Christmas Western Kennel World for I know how happy and proud she would be to see such a splendid Samoyed section, and that glorious "Silvertips" on the cover!

"The doings on the West Coast are all solection of Sams out there now — and such an interesting and you have such a splendid colorful and enthusiastic group of people, you must feel proud indeed."

We look forward to that day when Mrs. Harris again becomes an active breeder of outstanding Sams as those famous Snowland Sams which gave so much to our breed.

—Vera Lawrence.

## The Samoyed Club of America Mourns Its Great Loss

### In Memoriam



The death of Catharine Quereaux on January 19, 1952, leaves us bereft of a wondrous personality and a loyal friend of every Samoyed Club member. Her intensive research into the history of our Samoyeds and her personal contacts with Samoyed lovers in England, Ireland, Australia, the United States and Canada, gave her a fund of knowledge which she gladly imparted to each and every one who asked. Her Bulletin—which was her "baby" for many years—was invaluable and its arrival anticipated by all of us. The loving kindness which prompted every act concerning the Club and its members will always be remembered with deep gratitude.

Her active life as an attorney of the New York Bar Association was a busy one, but she always found time for the welfare of the Samoyed Club and its demands upon her.

May God help us to perpetuate her memory and carry out the ideals which through her great love for our breed were nearest her heart. . . . May we, as the Samoyed Club of America, carry on and flourish with peace and tolerance. We salute you, Catharine, as the Great Lady of the Samoyed Club.

ARDATH M. CHAMBERLAIN  
Secretary

BERTA "PEGGY" RUICK  
for the Samoyed Club of America

JOE J. MARSHALL  
President



IRISH AND AMERICAN CHAMPION  
SNOWLAND STARA

Catharine Quereaux was my first admirer and booster in this Country. She heralded my arrival in newspapers and other mediums all over the Country. She followed my every win and those of my progeny. She was always sending me her love through my mistress. There was nothing she would not do for me. I have lost my most ardent admirer. She had all my love, I shall miss her greatly.

Catharine Quereaux had been an acquaintance and friend for nearly twenty-five years. Ten of those years we were very close friends, especially after Ch. Snowland Stara's importation and that of Ada of Snowland and Deyomas of Ibur from England.

Catharine gave unstintingly of her energy, time, love and money to the furthering of the progress of the Samoyed breed. No deed was ever too small or large for her to undertake.

I know for a fact that she, personally, sold at a Westminster show more than thirty-five copies of the book on the Samoyed "Ranger," by Mr. Strong. She never missed a chance to help publicize the Samoyed breed.

The voluminous correspondence alone was a tremendous drain on her strength. There was constant correspondence with the older breeders and owners here, in England and Canada. She was always sending a lengthy pedigree to some proud new Sammy owner. I received from one to three letters a week from her myself. Her boundless energy and love will never be forgotten by us who knew and loved her.

Catharine originated and sponsored the present national bulletin. She gathered all the material for it, edited it and

## Catharine Quereaux



CANADIAN CHAMPION SPARK OF ALTAI

Being a Samoyed and the son of my illustrious sire, Irish and American Champion Snowland Stara, Catharine Quereaux followed my show wins from many Bests of Breed and First in Working Group to Best in Show. My owners, Dr. and Mrs. Seldon Bezandon and I have lost a real friend. We shall miss her many congratulatory messages.

personally financed it for years. She made every effort to get the news to members while it was still fresh news. She spent countless hours, late into the night, to do this.

Her records of history and a complete file of every registered Samoyed in this country, Canada and England will remain at the office of the American Kennel Club in New York City.

I know that she spent the whole two weeks of one vacation at the office of the American Kennel Club in New York files on the English Samoyeds.

Catharine's one thought was for harmony and unity in the National Samoyed organization. She was always for upholding the upright and loyal thing. As time marches on, many who did not recognize or realize the true faithfulness of Catharine Quereaux to the Samoyed breed and owners, will look back and realize that no one has come along to fill her place. Her place cannot be filled.

She has left a flood of loving memories behind her. May her crown in Heaven be as white and pure as that of the glistening coat of a freshly groomed Samoyed. God bless her and keep her. Her ardent admirer and loving friend.—  
Lucile L. Miller.



ADA OF SNOWLAND

Catharine Quereaux was proud of me from my first win at a puppy match in New Jersey shortly after I came to this Country.

Since my going to live with her she just lived for the hours she spent with me. I always greeted her with a bound. I came to adore her. She spared nothing to make me happy. I tried to show her my appreciation and love by being a good girl and making many wins at my eastern shows. I shall miss her loving and constant care.

## as WE knew her



DEYOMAS OF IBUR

I was the third Samoyed that Catharine Quereaux sponsored coming into this Country from England. She kept in constant contact with me. She gave me much publicity in many ways. I haven't been shown much but some of my children have and are well on their way to their championships. I am happy to show my love and appreciation through their wins.

I am very happy living with Mr. Charley Hurley and to know that my home will always be with him, and I shall try to continue to be an asset to the breed.