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## SAMOYEDS

By Vera Lawrence  
"Come Into My Igloo"

Such is the title of an interesting item which appeared in the Dayton Journal of January 22d. Ruth Bates Young, who sent us the clipping, wrote that Frosty, Kris (Missie Kris of Obi) and she were highly honored by the Executive Club of Dayton when they were their guests for a dinner given in honor of the noted arctic explorer, Vilhjalmar Stefansson, who later gave an address on the polar region.

There was an igloo housing the club on the stage, its opening guarded by two friendly Samoyed dogs, Kris and Frosty, "who upheld all the beautiful things about Sams—a real credit to the breed. They showed off beautifully before the dinner, shaking hands with everyone. Up on the stage Frosty posed, looking over the audience, head held high, tail wagging continually. Kris came down off the stage and walked up and down the aisles, carrying on a conversation of woo-woosing in a low to high trill—her method of talking. The audience was "taken" with both—and their friendliness and composure brought admiration from all. Mr. Stefansson, who was very complimentary about the Sams, spoke on the magic wonder of the north and "Transpolar Commerce by Air."

### Another Sammy Proves a Friend

So writes E. Doerr of Michigan to Ruth Young.

It all happened this way: "Unfortunately, on the 12th of February, Bess decided to take Pix (that's Snow Pix of Obi—see Dec. issue) over to her school (next door—cement driveway between) so that she could play with the girls for a few minutes. Yes, the lead was over Bess' wrist. She insisted that Pix was in no way to blame—when she stubbed her toe and fell, breaking her right arm just above the wrist. In fact, she insists that if Pix hadn't minded her so perfectly she would have been hurt worse.

"Pix came back into the house just beautifully, stood very quietly while Bess took off the leash, then kissed her over and over again—so concerned.

"When I arrived about 10 minutes later, Pix had no wild greeting for me—she knew something was wrong with Bess and she was worried. There is nothing slow about her—brains or otherwise.

Pix is a beautiful dog—everyone says so! Weighs between 50 and 55 lbs., which is just about right for her. Bess is Bess Valentine—who owns Pix."



Ch. Frost Star and Luana of Obi, Guests of Executive Club, Dayton, Ohio.

Word has just been received from Mrs. Mason, president of the Samoyed Club of America, that they are taking care of someone's lost Sammy up at White Way Kennels in Sacramento. She reports that it is a very friendly dog, seems particularly fond of Mr. Mason, and is evidently someone's pet. Anyone knowing of a lost Sammy, or having lost one, please contact Mrs. Mason.

Mrs. Morton of Berkeley, hearing of the lost Sam, made a disappointing trip to Sacramento to see if it could be her lost pet, which has been gone for over a month.

The Sam that had been reported as having been found in Mill Valley was shortly after identified as being Garth, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Lowney of San Francisco, who are overjoyed to have him back home again. Garth is by Ch. Petrof Lebanov ex Ch. Herdsman's Faith of the White Way Kennels in Sacramento.

### The White Way Sams Take to the Air

The following is a resume of a radio broadcast in which Mrs. Mason took part in Sacramento on March 14th. The broadcast was sponsored by a local dog food concern.

The purpose of the broadcast was to give a

firsthand picture of tests which the army is conducting to establish the feasibility of using sled dogs to haul sled and supplies and medicine for the rescue of stranded fliers who might otherwise perish.

The experiment was made on February 23d at Ashton, Idaho, the day of the American Dog Derby Association's sled races. The teams, one of which was flown to Ashton, involved two Sacramento teams from Mrs. Mason's kennels. One team, sled dogs and driver, were carried aloft to 1400 feet. On the ground were Mrs. Mason and the other team ready to go with Lloyd Van Sickle as the driver. Well, the plan was to parachute the driver and full team of five dogs to the appointed ground spot.

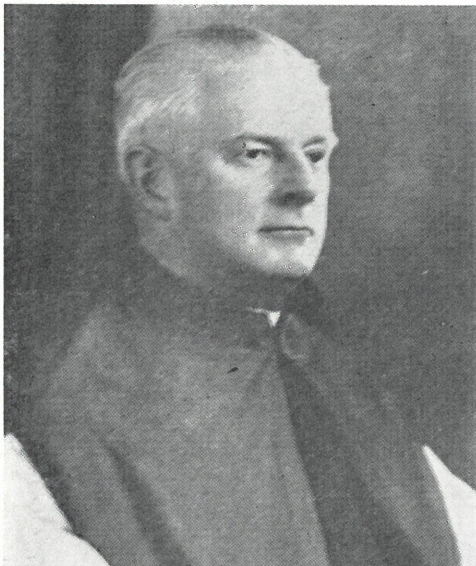
Lewis Price of Felton, Idaho, driver of the first team—and with a record of 17 previous successful jumps for the army—made the jump first. Then the sled was dropped—then one dog, followed by two more. Watching the dogs on the way down was a breath-taking experience for the interested watchers.

The other two dogs were not allowed to go, for before the pilot could maneuver the plane back in position, at the 1400-foot level, the wind had increased so much that he considered it an unnecessary risk to which to subject the dogs. So, two of the seven dogs from Van Sickle's team were switched to the other team and they were ready for the race.

When the plane flew off with the dogs, it carried with it little four-year-old Sandra Van Sickle's hope of entering the children's one-dog team race. Chattigan, Sandra's proposed dog, was still in the plane.

In making the parachute leaps, the dogs didn't seem to be a bit afraid—in fact, the one that came down following the sled saw a rabbit just as he landed and had to be restrained to prevent him from chasing it.

Another was seen to wag his tail as he was coming down. In the sled race there were five teams in the "Husky" race including the two of Sams. One of the Sam teams came in second, only five seconds behind the winners. The other team—the one that included the dogs flown to the race—placed third. Of the driver of the winning team Mrs. Mason says: "Lowell Fields is a good sport, and his lead dog, Canas, held much interest. In a race, he exerts every effort to prevent another team passing. He watches approaching teams from over his shoulder—and his alertness and spirit stimulates his team mates into the same stride. Lowell Fields shows pure-bred Siberian Huskies in dog shows up north.



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Ch. Nianya of Snowland, White Way Kennels, Sacramento, Calif.



Three months old little "Lady"—Owners, Dr. and Mrs. John S. May, Trenton, N. J.



Ch. Frost Star, C. D.—Ruth Bates Young, Fairfield, Ohio.



Zahrkov of Fair Oaks, Golden Gate Winner—Allison E. Schofield, San Francisco owner.



Borealis of the Far Steppes—Oakland's Winners Dog—Mrs. Levant Brown of Ross, Calif.,



Our next Champion, Mrs. A. K. Larson's Petra of Valiki



White Beauty of Encino—Lt. and Mrs. M. W. Bonham, U. S. N., owners.



Vivotchka of Snowland—Owner, Mrs. Frederick Bascom, Glens Falls, N. Y.



Snowland Leo, A British Winner—Mrs. A. L. Westcott, Breeder.



Frost King II—A Snowland Stara Pup—Mrs. J. F. Alger, Great Falls, Montana.

In order to be prepared for the gruelling race—and to accustom them to the ice and snow—the Mason Sammies had been trained



Col. and Mrs. Edw. N. Wentworth with Kascha of Kara Sea and King Eric of Altai.

for the odds. Lloyd Van Sickle has had some of the dogs since last spring, when he was using them when he took over the job of carrying mail out of Drummosa, Idaho, a rural mail route.

Mrs. Mason's White Way Kennels in Sacramento has made 11 champions, two more have several points toward their championship, seven of the dogs are part of the team. Nick of White Way, a lead dog now in Idaho, came home last spring, was entered in several shows and was best of winners in five consecutive shows, and then returned to Idaho for the races. Nick therefore completed his championship in four shows, in between working periods in Idaho.

There's another young fellow coming up who gives much promise—Rex of White Way.

Alaric of Blakewood, whose picture at ten months appeared in our Christmas issue, is with us again this month, his windblown beauty enhanced by a late New York snowstorm. Larry, owned by Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Miller of Painted Post, New York, is now sixteen months old and beginning to be really grown-up.

"I took several very nice snow pictures," writes Mrs. Miller, "and I am very proud of being able to have Larry stand quietly for them with no one to help me. He is learning so fast now—many things I don't even have to tell him, just a special movement of my hand.

"Have you ever enjoyed the spectacle of a Samoyed playing with a real wild deer? My husband takes Larry for a run in the woods every day and a few times they have had a

glimpse of three deer. On the first day of the hunting season the ground was covered with snow and a doe jumped out of the bushes,



Diane Rowe with Rora and Bori and Marin Co. Pals.

where she had been asleep. Larry chased her down the hill to an open clearing and there the pair really put on an exhibition for my husband and two hunters who chanced to be on the spot at the time. They played with no fear of each other, and the doe was so engrossed in play that she paid no attention to the three men. Finally my husband called Larry to him. Larry came reluctantly, and the doe disappeared into the woods. The hunters said they would not have believed such a thing possible had they not seen it for themselves. Larry's regular exercise in the woods keeps him in splendid condition. He is hard as nails and no amount of effort seems to tire him."

Mr. and Mrs. Miller have bought a three-year-old female from Mrs. Blake and hope to have some of Larry's puppies before long. Meanwhile Princess Zhuka is a grand companion for Larry and goes with him on his daily runs. Zhuka was bred by Marie Louise Hooper and is sired by Pompoleon, a grandson of the famous Ch. Donerna's Barin, out of Lukia, litter sister to Blakewood's Count Kazan. She is a beautiful dog, sweet and lovable and entirely feminine, an interesting contrast to Larry, who is most emphatically all boy.

#### AMONG "OUR FOLKS" OF THE EASTERN DIVISION

##### Our Sympathy, Mrs. Seekins

We've sad news: Mrs. Seekins, who worked so hard for the success of the Boston show, has lost her Vanya's Siberian Valeska—victim of strep. We are terribly sorry, Mrs. Seekins.

Mrs. K. A. Miller of Painted Post, New



### Ch. Chinde of Caspar, C.D.X.

1948 Oakland Kennel Club B.B.

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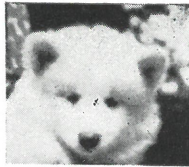
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### SNOWDRIFT KENNELS

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York, owner of the lovely young Alaric of Blakewood, is working hard to make the Elmira show of June 6 a success. Lots of luck, Mrs. Miller!



Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Ruick of Indianapolis and their Sammy Family.

Harold L. Keen, of Oneonta, who wrote us recently for some back numbers of Western Kennel World, owns Tsar Jaroff of Primrose Lodge. His father owns Kazan II.

Mrs. Helen Mettler of Primrose Lodge Kennels owns Fawn of Park Cliffe and Kazan of Primrose Lodge.

Another possible Sam exhibit at Elmira is Zeta of Norka, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Redline.

Major N. M. Pace, U.S.M.C., now stationed at Bayonne, New Jersey, owner of Shiza Snowdrift (by Ruri of Smile Awhile ex Princess Kola) has made application to join the Eastern division of the Samoyed Club of America. He is keenly interested in the breed.

Upon their visit to New York recently, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Powell of Alpine, Texas, were the guests of Mrs. Catharine Quereaux and Marie Grillo at dinner, followed by an evening of "Sammy talk." Mr. and Mrs. Newell, guests with the Powells, though they do not own Sams, are "boosters" of the Powells' "Buffy" and our Sammy breed.

Mrs. Quereaux has a note from P. L. Bajus of Milwaukee saying that he has a few of the calendar head studies (popular a few years ago) of his Nicho and Shannie of Lewclaire. He feels there may be some of the newer members who would like to receive copies of these pictures. For information write me, care of Western Kennel World, or write Mrs. Quereaux, our publicity chairman of the Sam Club

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Barbara Stewart with Samoyland's Lucky Ann—Oakland Winners Bitch.

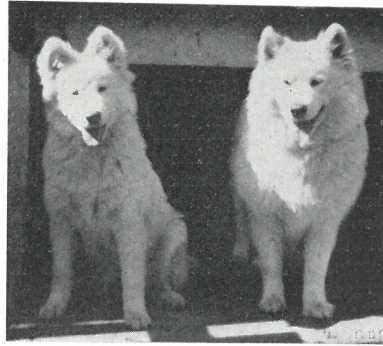
of Sammar, by Mrs. Miller's Ch. Snowland Stara out of Marshall's Ch. Frola of Snowland.

**OAKLAND SHOW, MARCH 6-7, 1948**

It was our privilege to judge Sams at Oakland this year—and we want to thank those owners of Sams who trusted us with this task. There were 14 Sams present, a 15th one, owned by Mrs. Wm. Morton of Berkeley having wandered away and been lost a few days previous to the show (and to this day it is still among the missing). It was a five point show for males and three points for females, with two champions entered for specials only. It was very gratifying to meet the new exhibitors and to note the general good stock that is keeping up the standard of our breed. We found our winner's dog and reserve winner in the open dog's class, winner being Mrs. Levant Brown's Borealis of the Far Steppes (Ch. Herdsman's Chattigan out of Ch. Silver Star of White Way) expertly handled by Nicky Finn. Reserve winner was Mrs. Dorothy Larson's near-champion Petra of Valiki (Kharkov ex Siberian Snow Sonia).

Our winner's bitch was Barbara Stewart's

Samoyland's Lucky Ann (Reningrad ex Gay of White Way) while the reserve winner's bitch was James Bronson's nice puppy bitch, Nanook



Crystal, 8 years old, and daughter Belenki, four months—Owner, Elizabeth Wyman.

of the North, by Ch. Snohomish of Oceanside out of White Beauty. Best of winners, Borealis of the Far Steppes. Best of breed was Lois Rayner's splendid Ch. Chinde of Caspar, C. D., C. D. X. (Sooltan out of Ch. Silver Star of White Way), who showed at his very best under the handling of his owner. Best opposite sex was Lucky Ann. Later that night Chinde delighted us and all lovers of Sams by placing third in the working group, judged by Ken Dyer. And folks, if you have any doubts about the excellence of our best of breed at Oakland just look at our cover picture—with Oakland's lovely Lake Merritt in the background.

The Sammy bench was as lovely as ever, with its white icicle-fringed blue backing against which were the cut-out silhouettes of the Sams.

At one end of the bench guarded by the Charles Tucker's Ch. Kunto of Encino, was the spinning wheel recently purchased by Miss Ina Lawrence. Against the wall were hung the many garments of Sammy wool, one of which was the lovely coat made by Mrs. Collicott. There were also numerous pictures taken by Mrs. Dorothy Lineer of the Sammy wool exhibit at the San Francisco White House last summer.

Such was the attraction at the bench that there was always a crowd about it. In fact, visitors would have "bought us out" had the articles exhibited been for sale!

**OUR OAKLAND KENNEL CLUB WINNER'S DOG**

Borealis of the Far Steppes—Mrs. Levant Brown of Ross, Owner

Folks, I wish you could see the photos of Bori and his sister Aurore of the Far Steppes that we've been privileged to see. Bori is presented on our pages—and we call attention to that sparkle that beams from his eyes. It is no wonder that upon their return from the show the boys at the Standard gas station greeted Mrs. Brown with, "Oh, Mrs. Brown, what did Bori do?" Then came the call, "Say, fellows, come here; listen to what 'our dog' did at the show."

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Mrs. Quereaux tells us that Mrs. Jeanne Stiennon-Sougerman of Chesterton, Indiana, has recently become the owner of a Sam (her



Samoyland's Lady Sno-Chrystal with friends—Mrs. T. W. Dunaway, San Francisco, owner.

first) which is named White Cloud Baby Sammy but called "Masha." This pup is by Mrs. Miller's Zantok of Breezewood ex Anya (White Way of Kobe ex Lady Katinka). Mrs. Sougerman used to own Collies. When they died at a ripe old age, she was urged by Col. and Mrs. Edward Wentworth to fill the empty places with the purchase of a Sammy, and Mrs. Sougerman reports that they have never regretted it. "Masha" makes friends with everybody—she is their official greeter. Like all Sams, she loves to talk. She talks to "her folks," she talks to company, she talks to herself!

We are happy to present Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Ruick at their Indianapolis home with their Sammy "family." Cupid of Breezewood nestles beside Mrs. Ruick, Strog of Altai has the place of honor on the organ bench, Chuckles of Breezewood is on Mr. Ruick's knee while Tish and Yenavik are on the floor. Both Tish and Yenavik are caring for litters of beautiful puppies by Strog and Cupid of Breezewood respectively. The Yenavik-Cupid pups are Katya, Kisscanitt, Kropotkin, Krasnov, Kin and Kharda of Breezewood. Tish's litter (by Strog) are White Icicle, Lissom, Sleighboy, White Glacier, Silver Dawn and Wabash of Breezewood.

We've a delightful newspaper clipping show-

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Cupid of Breezewood ex Yenavik of Breezewood  
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R. R. 14, Northern Hills, Indianapolis, Indiana

ing a picture taken at the Chicago show, showing Mrs. Wm. F. Condon working at her spinning wheel at the Sammy bench. Mr. Ruick's



#### Doing Their Best in Gas-Rationing Days, Mrs. Albert Taylor and Her Helpers.

Strog of Altai is lying beside her, while hanging over the bench from the other side looking the operation over are Juliet Goodrich's two lovely Sams, Keena and Jack Frost of Snow Shoe Hill. The article is called "Samoyed (a Dog) Makes Fine Pet, Yields Fine Wool. The wool, according to Mr. Ruick, makes soft beautiful fabrics that are suitable for hats, mittens, sweaters or nearly any type of wool clothing. Owners save the hair that the dogs shed, and have it spun into the light wool that is warmer and finer than Angora."

Mr. Ruick was the owner of the late Ch. Prince Kofski, nationally famous Samoyed. His latest winner is Strog of Altai, now about three years old, needing only one point to complete his championship. His sister, Belita of Altai, has just completed her championship, having gone winner's bitch and then went on to best of breed. Another brother, King Eric of Altai, is owned by Col. Edw. N. Wentworth, president of the mid-west division of the Samoyed Club of America.

#### White Beauty of Encino Does His Part As Home Guardian While Awaiting the Return of Lt. Bonham, U.S.N.

Mrs. Mary Bonham of Oakland, whose husband, Lt. Bonham, has been cruising Pacific Coast waters since Thanksgiving, finds her Sammy, which she calls "Snowball," is one of the best companions anyone could wish for. White Beauty of Encino (his registered name) was bred by Mrs. Margaret Tucker out of Tynda of Encino by Ch. Starchak, C. D. He is nine months old and developing into a nice

looking young fellow. Snowball was judged best junior puppy at the Oakland show—and if his owner continues to give him obedience training he should do well for himself at future shows. He is very affectionate and attracts attention wherever he goes. Ball playing is one of his favorite games—he will either catch a ball "on the fly" or retrieve a tossed one. However, Mrs. Bonham particularly values him as companion and watchdog of her home.

#### Mrs. Westcott Writes From England

Mrs. Westcott, breeder of Mrs. Miller's Irish and American champion Snowland Stara and Dr. Iven's Ch. Snowland Taz, sends us copy of a photo of Snowland Leo, a recent winner, of whom she writes, "he is a very fine animal, rather bigger than our standard, but just right for 'your' new one. I am told he is a perfect showman. The bitch, Snowland Elena, who was sent later to join Leo (in Norway) has won her second certificate towards her championship.

"Stara's full brother, Snowland Mikaloff, won three firsts, one second and reserve C. C. at the Samoyed Club championship show—and Snowland Canras, sire of the Michigan pups (out of Mrs. Adelaide Coles' White Witch of Stiria) was second to Mikaloff in the same classes."

We are grateful to Mrs. Westcott for her continued efforts to locate the pedigree of Kari, owned by Capt. Halbur of Norway. It will be remembered that Kari was bred to Collicott's Northern Chieftain, to whom she produced a litter of five lovely babies. He is anxious to establish their registration with the American Kennel Club. "Kari" (now about six years old) was born in Scotland.

Miss Elizabeth Wyman, one of our "newest" members of the Pacific Coast division of the Samoyed Club of America, writes: "I want to tell you a story about Crystal which has convinced me that herding is a strong instinct with these dogs. I had had difficulty with the pups digging out under the fence, but when I left for the Bakersfield show I thought I had the run fixed. I wasn't gone five minutes when my mother heard a rumpus and hurried out to find Binki rushing around in the unfenced part of the yard. Mother was terribly worried as she knew she couldn't catch fleet-footed Binki, who paid no attention to her calls. Then mother thought of Crystal who was in the house—and she let her out, telling her to bring Binki in.

"Crystal went right after Binki without a moment's hesitation—began nipping her heels and getting her by the scruff of the neck, and herded her right into the house. I think Crystal loved it. This morning I let my brother's male pup out in the yard, as he is used to freedom and stays where he belongs—but Crystal wouldn't stand for it—she felt he shouldn't be there—and went right after him until he rushed for the house to escape. Raini is a handsome fellow weighing 42 pounds (six months old). My little Binki is an exquisite creature, dainty and beautiful. I think she is

going to be a duplicate of Crystal in appearance and disposition." (As Crystal is of her "mom" Lensen.)



The Mason Sled Team, "Paratroopers", at Ashton: Ch. Nick of White Way, leader—Lewis Price, Paratrooper.

#### It Could Happen Again!

A two-wheel cart with very long light shafts, drawn by two jaunty young Sams, big Led of Snowland and his pal "Sneppy" (Snegurochka of Farningham) trotting along, plumes waving—11-month-old baby Bert Taylor tucked in the box built in the back of the cart—groceries in the big clothes basket in front—brave little Jean Taylor, the baby's mother, panting along holding on to the rope that led to the lead dog's harness, on the return home from the grocery. That is the story of how one young mother, then living in Maryland, met the days of gas rationing—a story only one picture of which we give you here—a story of bravery, ingenuity, necessity and the two Sammy help-mates.

Mrs. James Bronson, who has been a Sheltie owner for some time, has fallen under the Sammy spell—since her husband acquired his Nanook of the North (reserve winner's bitch at Oakland). Of "Nannie" Mrs. Bronson writes: "She is such a sweet dog, and well behaved. We intend entering her in the Obedience trials some time. My husband started training her when he got her at three months of age—and in three weeks had mastered the 'heel on leash,' 'heel free,' 'sit,' 'down' and 'come when called.' It took a little longer for her to get the 'sit stay' and 'down stay.'

"When people ask me which I like best, my Shelties or Sammies, it is quite a question—both breeds are alike in so many ways—so gentle and sweet, obedient, clean and eager to please.

### Greetings

from  
Col. and Mrs. Edw. N. Wentworth  
and Their Sams

to all  
FRIENDS and MEMBERS  
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Nanook is sired by Ch. Snohomish of Ocean-side out of White Beauty. Attention, Mrs. Cooley: See that picture? Sams and Shelties ARE friends—why not their owners?

It was delightful to again hear from Nell Phillips (now of Lemon Cove, California) who says that tho it seems they are living far away from the rest of us, they do get to shows and meet us there once in a while. The dogs have been with them up to Sequoia National Park in the snow several times — and they never fail to cause much attention. They have even been hitched to a child's sled up in the Park and pulled as tho used to it.

Joan still has her 7 year old Kobena (Ch. White Way of Kobe ex Jooschka) — also a beautiful male pup out of Kobena's litter, which Joan gave to her Daddy. This fine big fellow is called Doc's Chum. There is also a litter sister of Chum — called Kova.

Nell sent us a newspaper clipping from her home town paper — telling of an Eskimo party given by the OES Chapter of which Dr. Phillips is Associate Patron. Part of the item reads — "A skit of the far north in which the characters sat before an ice igloo, an old prospector giving advice to a young man seeking gold in the north. Mrs. Clifford Phillips, the younger prospector in Eskimo clothes, complete with fur hood, and leading her Siberian herd dogs — Princess Kobena, Doc's Chum and Kova, three beautiful white dogs of the Samoyed breed, joined her friend in front of the igloo."

Vivotchka of Snowland, owned by Mrs. Frederick G. Bascom of Glens Falls, N. Y., was acquired by Mrs. Bascom from Mrs. Harris' kennels at Merion, Pa., in July, 1946. Translated from the Russian, Vivotchka means "The Lively One", a name that is fully deserved by the one who bears it, according to her owner. Mrs. Bascom has several Samoyeds, her last two before Vivotchka (or Viki as she is called for short) dying aged 16 and 14 respectively. But Viki is the most devoted of them all. When Mrs. Bascom leaves the house, Viki retires at once to an upstairs bedroom and jumps on the bed near a front window. At this

watch tower Viki will remain for hours, if need be, until the light of her life can be seen returning by the front walk. Mrs. Bascom showed her at Albany in November of last year and at Boston in February, where she placed as Winner's Bitch.



Alaric of Blakewood, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Miller, Painted Post, N. Y.

Two lovely trophies won at the Boston show by Mr. Brindle and Mrs. Seekins were donated in memory of her late Muschang by Mrs. Helene Irving owner of Ch. Nieko of Snowland. They were exquisite statues of a Samoyed in porcelain. They are about 5 inches high and in proportion.

Mrs. John May of Trenton is a new member of the Eastern Division of the Samoyed Club of America, also owner of a new pup which is pictured elsewhere on our pages. We believe the pup will be called Yorza II.

Mrs. Horace Mann, who owned the first Ch. Yorza (son of the famous Ch. Gorka out of White Sprite of the Arctic) describes the pup as "the loveliest thing I have ever seen." She says Dr. and Mrs. May attended their first dog show in February and came home in love with a young female Sam. They slept on the idea of owning her—and then made efforts to buy

her. Finding she was owned by Roy Brott of So. Euclid, Ohio, they wrote him immediately, only to receive word she was not for sale. However, he did have an 8 weeks old female by the same sire — although he was not particularly interested in selling her. But the Mays were "sold" on the idea of owning her — result, she was on her way by plane soon after.

Kadva, the May's other Sam, does not feel displaced by the arrival of the new pup — both are so well cared for — and play together, and Kadva, who has many cute tricks of her own, is making a good teacher. "The puppy, of very good size for a female, has wonderful bone, blackest points, and excellent tail carriage and nice legs", writes Mrs. Mann.

**MAY WE PRESENT  
COL. EDW. N. WENTWORTH**

President of the Midwest Division of the Samoyed Club of America and his wife.

The picture taken last year at their home in Chesterton, Indiana shows the Wentworths with their two beloved Sams, Kascha of Kara Sea and King Eric of Altai. Kascha (with Mrs. Wentworth) is 13 years old in the picture, while King Eric, with the Colonel, is just 2 years old. He is litter brother to Mr. Ruick's Strog of Altai and to the Wayne Gillette's Belita of Altai. They are sons and daughters of Mrs. Miller's Ch. Zantok of Breezewood ex Ch. Valva of Snowland.

That King Eric certainly looks as though he could travel far if entered at some of those Eastern or Mid West shows!

Mrs. Catharine Quereaux, in commenting on the use of the kelp prescription for light eyed Sams (see April issue) advises us that here on the Coast we are in a good position to go out and get the real seaweed. Says — "dry it and grind it up — also dry some and burn it — it leaves charred sticks — grind them up — they make coat. The Sam in it's natural habitat gets much seaweed."



Nanook of the North comforts a Sheltie pup —Mr. and Mrs. James Bronson, Hayward.

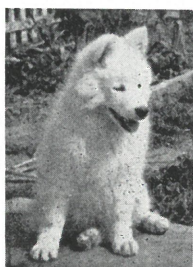
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