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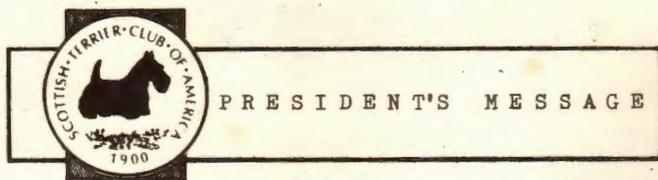
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As the 78th year in the history of the SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA draws to a close, I wish to express my deep appreciation for the cooperation and confidence I have received during my term as President. These past two years have been a most rewarding experience.

My gratitude for dedicated service goes to the Officers and Board members with whom I have had the good fortune to work beside over the years. These are truly unselfish, devoted members. A great deal of time is involved governing a club of this magnitude with members from coast to coast. Your Board is constantly working to update and improve your club. They deserve our thanks and praise.

During my years in office I have had the pleasure of attending many Specialties throughout the country, meeting numerous conscientious members. It's a rewarding side benefit of the office - meeting members from every part of the country. We have joined together to share, learn, promote, protect and improve the SCOTTISH TERRIER, the one common interest that has brought us together as members of this notable club.

I ask you now to unite behind our new Officers and Board members. Give them the support and trust you so graciously gave me during the past two years, for which I am most appreciative.

Sincerely,

Out Sellback



ARE YOU KILLING YOUR PUPPIES?

By - Dorothy Helm. (con't)

"Once on the tongue, nature takes over," she said. Using the 300 milligram capsule, she recommended giving one-half of a capsule, to each puppy as soon as whelping is over and a second one-half capsule in 12 hours. With the bitch who invariably gets an infection that requires antibiotics she said the puppies continue to nurse and the antibiotics being given to the bitch do not damage them in any way.

She informed me that in an emergency and if a veterinarian is unavailable, the acidophilus can be obtained from a druggist under the brand name of Lactinox. She said she learned of this the hard way because she has a son who has to be given Lactinox following the use of penicillin or wide spectrum antibiotics. This, she said, is how she became familiar with its tremendous value in severe digestive problems.

The breeder then gave three case histories of whelpings which I feel are worth quoting in part: In the first litter the puppies developed severe diarrhea which, she said she later realized was caused because she administered penicillin to the bitch. Her veterinarian gave them Lactonoc and within eight hours they had perfect stools and were shining healthy. They were still bouncing at three weeks with no running eyes, no signs of worms. The bitch had never checked out with worms, she said, yet the 21 day worm check showed coccidiosis and rounds. Both were cleared up with worm pills and Sulfa without the puppies ever having anything worse than several days of loose stools. She told me she was going into this detail because she felt it was vital for the breeder to realize the administration of Lactonoc sets up a favorable digestive system so much that it temporarily masks potential serious parasitic problems but does not cure them. However, the puppies enjoyed good health, she said, until the third, fourth, or fifth week stage when worming or other treatment is relatively safe.

With the second litter, she did not administer an antibiotic but did give the Lactobacillus acidophilus to the puppies and she had no problems. Then, she said, with the third litter there was only one extremely healthy bitch puppy so she deliberately omitted the acidophilus and on the third day the puppy apparently decided to die - it had a distended stomach and started crying from pain. She explained she gave the puppy the bacteria plus crushed milk of magnesia tablet and walked the floor all night with her. The puppy lived but she said she would never put another puppy through that again. To quote her, "I'm just going to give this darling little stuff to every newborn puppy in our house."

In the best manner of Sherlock Homes, I continued my medical sleuthing and wrote Norton Laboratories. They sent me literature on the research carried out by medical doctors regarding Lactobacillus acidophilus therapy. I found it very interesting to learn, in reading this material, dating back to 1951, about the time our so called "miracle drug" came into being, people began suffering from a high incidence of diarrhea and other complications after being administered these antibiotics. It was discovered the antibiotics were suppressing the normal bacterial flora in the intestines. At this time, the article reported, renewed interest was stimulated in Lactobacillus acidophilus therapy which had a long history of successful use in the past in the management of functional intestinal disorders.

A decade of antibiotic therapy had shown that while exerting a powerful therapeutic effect upon certain infection producing organisms, the normal friendly microbial inhabitants of the intestinal tract are also destroyed.

In 1956, it was reported that a disturbing number of cases continued to appear in the medical literature on superinfection by resistant organism such as staph with a infections, half received also a Lactobacillus acidophilus preparation, which the other half did not. Bacteriological examination showed an INCREASE in staph at the beginning of antibiotic treatment in ALL patients. In the patients on the antibiotic alone, the staph count continued to increase but the group receiving Lactobacillus acidophilus along with the antibiotic showed a pronounced drop in staph.

In the literature it also pointed out a deficiency of vitamin B complex often results from destruction of normal intestinal bacteria by antibiotics and it was recommended an intensive dosage of vitamin B complex be administered.

After reading this, I remember Dr. Grayson's report in the GAZETTE in which he states he administered Lactobacillus acidophilus AND enormous doses of vitamin B-1, thus ceasing to lose any of his puppies from the fading puppy syndrome.

Putting two and two together, I reasoned conscientious breeders who do give antibiotics without also giving Lactobacillus acidophilus could actually be killing their puppies. Shortly after that I had an opportunity to see my theory put to a test. Two breeder friends each had a litter of puppies only days apart. Both bitches, unfortunately developed an infection. These breeders are among those who administer antibiotics, hookworm shots and other various medications to their dogs themselves instead of consulting their veterinarians.

Consequently, they started giving heavy doses of antibiotics to their bitches immediately. There were eight puppies in one litter and 12 in the other. Within a few days, the breeder with eight puppies noticed they were crying with what seemed to be colic and they refused to nurse and were getting weak. When she called me about it, I told her what I thought the problem might be. She rushed the puppies to her veterinarian and explained what she had done. With this knowledge to go on, her veterinarian prescribed the Lactobacillus acidophilus and recommended she take the puppies away from the bitch for at least 24 hours and hand feed them. She reported after the administration of the first one-half capsule of the bacteria to the puppies it was as if a miracle was taking place. The puppies stopped crying, became hungry and nursed vigorously from a baby bottle. After 24 hours she put them back on the dam but continued to give the Lactobacillus acidophilus plus supplements of buttermilk, which also has this bacteria in it, and vitamins and they thrived.

On the other hand, the second breeder with the 12 puppies did not fare so well. When she began losing puppies, she took the remaining ones to their veterinarian but was reluctant to tell him she had been administering antibiotics on her own. He, not knowing this had been done, and seeing the bitch did not have an infection, unfortunately prescribed antibiotics for the puppies as well as the bitch. But, he did not give the Lactobacillus acidophilus. And, she continued to lose the puppies one by one. When she called me she was very despondent. I went over and immediately recognized the distended stomach and that pitiful puppy cry I had read accompanied the fading puppy syndrome. (Con't next issue)



NEWS
FROM
ENGLAND

Hon. Secretary:
MR PHILIP COCKRILL
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I doesn't seem possible that Crufts once again is a thing of the past.

Good news for Scottie lovers! For the first time since it was inaugurated a Scottie has won the "Pup of the Year" as he is called. He is a son of Ch. Gaywyn Likely Lad, (now in America) is from Jane's own Brio Carousel. It was good to see two Scotties in the final line-up of 12 being judged at the Drifffield Show.

This "Pup of the Year" competition was, I believe the brain child of Stanley Dangerfield, and was sponsored by the Daily Express Newspaper of which he was dog correspondent for a number of years. However, earlier this year the Daily Express, one of the last family owned daily newspapers over here -(it was founded in the 1920's by a Canadian, the late Lord Beaverbrook, a great friend of Churchill's and one of his war-time ministerial colleagues)- ran into grave financial difficulties and they were forced to give up all their sponsorships. However, "Dog World" and Spillers Dog Foods stepped in as joint sponsors, so this competition could continue.

This is a 12 round contest, one round being held at each of 12 different Championship shows throughout the summer months to pick the Best Puppy in Show at each, the 12 winners going into final, (some 3,000 puppies of all breeds took part this year) so it is no mean achievement to win this title.

I understand that Brio Chief Barker is taking part in the Parade of Personalities, as we did not see him at Crufts in 1978 as Miss Miller judged Scotties. Such a pity in one way, when if she'd been on the other end of the lead she must have stood a good chance of being up with the winners.

The Champion Scottie for 1977 is this year's winner, CH. NANETTE OF NOONSUN, owned by Mrs. Nellie Holland, and handled throughout by Geoff Corish who won Crufts supreme champion honour with a Westie in 1975. The runner up was Dr. King's Ch. REHUS ROYAL SOLITAIR OF BRUNNOCH, handled by Mr. Fred Sills.

The latter was owned and bred by the late Ted Usher, a very popular figure in the Scottie world here. I only wish he had lived to see his dreams come true, as during his lifetime he never received much recognition in the ring, but Ted persevered, like so many others, and always came out of the ring smiling whether he received any sort of ticket or not. He used to do small

printing jobs in his spare hours, and many a time worked almost all night to help some Club Secretary out of trouble with prize cards or something similar. At least we still remember him with affection, which is perhaps the greatest honour one can get in the dog world.

I am told 10 new Scottie Champions have been made up this year, a larger number than usual, so there was fierce competition at Crufts 1978.

One noticeable new factor in our Scottie world at Championship Shows is the increase in the number of dogs being handled for their owners by professional handlers, until recently most of our exhibitors handled their own dogs. This I believe is the exact reverse of things at major shows in the U.S. Dog World, if I read some notes in a recent issue of the Bagpiper correctly. These owners, of course, still show their stock, especially youngsters at open and Limited (Club members only) shows.

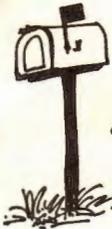
Things are moving to a final climax in our Kennel Club saga. For the first time ever a lady - Mrs. F. Nagle, very well known in the dog world, is being proposed for membership of this august body, which at the moment is restricted to male membership only. Mrs. Nagle is on record as saying that if she is not elected she will take the Kennel Club to court under the Sex Discrimination Act - one of our many new laws. This lady has the spirit and determination to see her case through the highest courts in the land, if need be, to stand up for the just rights of the ladies to have a say in the running of a hobby of which they form by far the largest number of participants. She has already stood up to the Jockey Club and won her case for a trainer's licence to become the first female trainer in history.

I am very sorry to hear that Mrs. Lesly Bailey is giving up as Editor of the Greater Atlanta S.T.C. Newsletter. This was always interesting and very nicely produced. I hope the Club will be able to find a successor. Lesly is moving to Canada, where I hope she and her husband will continue the marvellous work they have done in rescuing not only Scotties but other breeds from their present locality "pounds". Perhaps they can help Mrs. Betty Bailey and Mrs. Barbara Dominski to get the proposed Canadian Rescue Scheme off to a good start. This must involve a great deal of forward planning as the country is so vast to ours, yet S.T.E.C.S. was 2 years getting off the ground so they must not get downhearted at any set backs.

- P. C. -

If you like Mr. Cockrill's News from England drop him a line and let him know how you feel about his articles, I am sure he would be glad to hear from the S.T.C.A. members.

April 10, 1978



Letters to the Editor

April 2, 1978

Dear Louise:

I have just finished the Utility Degree on my Scottish Terrier Bitch, "Star", and would appreciate your passing the information on to the obedience chairman of the S.T.C.A.

STONER'S SHINING STAR, U.D. Scottish Terrier Bitch, by Ch. Leathers Lynson, X Ch. Leathers Sma' Primie. She was bred by Bob and Imogene Leathers and owned by Bob and Tina Stoner. Trained and shown by Tina.

Star is a small 20 pound black bitch with a snap and zest for life. She loves obedience showing and in the ring works with the fire and speed of a poodle! Her Utility Degree was acquired through sweat, tears and sheer perseverance!! Star finished her C.D. in three straight shows, her C.D.X. in four shows and then we sweated out the U.D. through 29 shows and five years Utility training!!! We started Utility work in January of 1973 and finished it on March 24, 1978!!! She finished the title in a blaze of glory, however. That little "STAR" really shone on that day!! She scored 195 and won third place in the class of 30 dogs where 13 had qualified in Utility. She even beat 2 of the top poodles in the country who were down from New York working on points for their O.T. CH.! She also beat both the top working German Shepherd Dogs and the top Golden Retriever in our area!! So can you blame me for being proud! It's been a LONG, hard road and I'm so glad that we were able to finish her, especially in such a blaze of glory.

I hope Star can be an inspiration to other handlers to show in obedience and to keep trying if they develop problems.

Star is the first U.D. Scottie in the state of South Carolina. She loves working and showing off in the ring. One obedience judge even said, "She's worth a thousand dollars of publicity for obedience because she loves it so and is such a show off."

My 10 year old lady is now retired and is enjoying every minute of being a U.D.!!

Thanks for hearing our words.

MRS. CHRISTINA R. STONER
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"STAR"
&
Tina Stoner. .

Dear Louise:

There appears to be an ever increasing number of Scottish Terriers whose front movement is a square trot with each leg reaching straight forward rather than toward a center line. The "Scottie Roll" has all but disappeared. Noted handlers have been put to Best-in-Show with animals whose movement meets the English Standard rather than the American. This of course influences the younger judges and breeders.

If my observation is in error, I stand corrected. If not, it seems to me that perhaps our Standard needs to be revised to correspond more closely to the English Standard regarding movement.

Would like to hear some comments, but please send to the Editor for reprint in the Bagpiper.

Yours truly,

Julia Joyce Smith.

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FROM STAR TO TINA

Obedience was introduced when one fine day Tina adopted me and took me away To Spartanburg, where she said with a gleam "What a fine pair we are. What a great team!"

Now, I didna have the inclination To join her in her dedication. So she was filled brim-full with indignation On many an obedience occasion.

I learned the tricks - like she said I could. And when I "couldn't, she said I WOULD! Then, when she said I'd go on trial. It seemed better to make a studied denial.

That way, you see, I got more attention. Also learned words I dare not mention Whenever I exercised dissentation. And I also learned about leash suspension.

I tried to make life for her a little easier By making her stay that little bit busier. Though she was like to have had a seizure When I goofed off in the ring enclosure.

After countless trials, and gallons of gas I relented and conferred the prize on the lass. Came home with a place that very last time And a U.D. title that was all hers and mine!

By - Alice Calverley.

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If you have any worth while news item or comment send your letter to the Editor, to share your ideas with others. The BAGPIPER is only as good as you make it.

(Letters con't pg. 9)



THE S.T.C. OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC.

BAGPIPER CHATTER - Club newsletter.
Editors: Cynthia & Vinton Wolfe
4139 Church Street
Clarkston, GA. 30021

Donolee Saar, President comments on their first Specialty Show held in conjunction with the Combined Specialty Clubs of Atlanta on April 16, 1978.

A quick note to send the marked catalog - terrific FIRST SPECIALTY - No real problems. What a super group comprises our Club, without complete cooperation of the members I couldn't have said that.

There were 14 puppies in the Sweepstakes, judged by Mr. Ronald A. Geise.

Mrs. John Marshall Jones judged an entry of 13 dogs, 16 bitches and 9 specials and placed them as follows.

BEST OF BREED - CH. GAYWYN LIKELY LAD, by Brio Fair N'Square, X Gaywyn Leila. Owners: Roger & Nancy Abbott.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX - CH. MILADY VIVACIOUS AGNES, by Ch. Barberry Knowe Conductor, X Milady Glowing Enter C.D. Owners: Ruth & Bert Tryon.

WINNERS DOG - VIKLAND'S CHOO-CHOO BEAR, by Ch. Vikland's Solo Bear, X Alexander's Folly Polly. Owners Mr. & Mrs. William R. Bowers.

WINNERS BITCH, BEST OF WINNERS & BEST PUPPY IN SWEEPSTAKES - GLENLIVET TAM O'SHANTER by Glenlivet Clyde Of Deewyre, X Glenlivet Lolly Pup. Owner: Lee Heath.

RESERVE WINNERS DOG - WAYRIDGE AHAB'S ABDUL, by Ch. Wayridge Ahab The Arab, X Wayridge Merry Girl. Owners: Virginia E. & David E. Luken.

RESERVE WINNERS BITCH - SPEIDENS KIMBERLY GREATPAW, by Ch. Rinklestone Brindle Bryar, X Speidens Gentry Starduck. Owner: Creal Starbuck.

Getting it straight

In the last issue of the Bagpiper the wrong name was listed in the results of the Clubs Annual election. Becky Wallace as Secretary and it should have been Jody Lucy as Secretary for the S.T.C.G.A.

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The New Art of - BREEDING BETTER DOGS - By Kyle Onstott - revised by Philip Onstott. The Publisher is Howell Book House Inc. This should be a must for all dog breeders. It's excellent.

S.T.C. OF NORTHERN OHIO

THE CLAN NEWS - Club Newsletter
Editor: Beverly Haines
P. O. Box 42
Richfield, Ohio 44286

Approval from A.K.C. has been received for the Specialty Show on October 28, 1978. The show will be held at Hospitality Motor Inn, Cleveland East, Willoughby, Ohio.

Sweepstakes Judge will be Mr. John Sheehan. The Regular Class Judge will be Mrs. Augustus Riggs IV. Come and bring your Scotties and have fun with the Clan.

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THE S.T.C. OF GREATER WASHINGTON, D.C., INC.

THE TARTAN - Monthly Publication
Editor: Suzanne Smith
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Change in the Annual Show Site - It was previously announced that the Annual Specialty show would be held on October 13, 1978 at the White Oak Armory. The Armory, however, is unable to accomodate the show. The new site is the Montgomery County Fairgrounds Auditorium Building in Gaithersburg, Maryland pending A.K.C. approval. The date - October 13, 1978.

The Judge for the regular classes will be Mr. Howard Snethen. Sweepstakes judge has not yet been confirmed.

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S.T.C. OF MICHIGAN

THE TARTAN - Club Newsletter
Editor: Cynthia Wallgren
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Birmingham, Mich. 48008

The Annual Meeting was attended by 50 members elected the following officers for 1978 - 1979.

PAUL HANNAH. PRESIDENT
RON GIRLING. VICE-PRES.
FRANK MORROW. 2nd VICE-PRES
TRISH MARTELL. (Rec.) SECRETARY
GARY GIDDINGS. (Corr.) SECRETARY
CYNTHIA WALLGREN. TREASURER

BOARD - BARBARA DESAYE, JACKIE DUGAS, JENICE HANNAH and ALEX THIERMANN.

On June 4th a successful match was held with 65 people attending and 32 entries. (con't pg 11)

SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA

ANNUAL TROPHIES 1977

THE FRANCIS G. LLOYD MEMORIAL TROPHY

A perpetual S. Silver challenge cup to be awarded annually to the dog or bitch scoring the greatest number of points for Best of Breed based on the championship point rating of the breed; the names of the winners to be engraved on the trophy, which will be in the custody of the owner of the winning dog or bitch for the ensuing year.

THE CH. SHIELING SIGNATURE MEMORIAL TROPHY

A S. Silver trophy offered by Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Snethen through the STCA to be awarded annually to the kennel or exhibitor winning the most points for Best of Breed during the year based upon the championship point rating of the shows. For permanent possession to be won three times by the same exhibitor or kennel, not necessarily with the same dog or bitch.

THE CH. SANDOONE MISSY LOU MEMORIAL TROPHY

A trophy offered by Miss Betty Malinka through the STCA. To be awarded to the dog or bitch winning the most points for Best of Opposite Sex during the year, based upon the championship point rating for the breed.

THE BALACHAN BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR TROPHY

A S. Silver trophy offered by Dr. and Mrs. T. Allen Kirk, Jr., through the STCA to be awarded annually to the exhibitor accumulating the most points in the Bred-by-Exhibitor classes during the year with either dog or bitch, not necessarily the same dog or bitch, provided there is competition between dogs of different owners. Points will be based on the championship point rating of the breed. If there is no competition, one point in both dog and bitch classes.

The awards for American Bred Dog and American Bred Bitch, Puppy Dog and Puppy Bitch will be calculated on the following basis: Wins will have the same point value as the AKC championship point rating for the sex, provided there is competition between dogs of different owners. If there is no competition in the class or if competition is between dogs of the same owner, one point only will be allowed. If a puppy dog, puppy bitch, American-bred Dog, American-bred bitch goes Winners, the championship points of the sex will be awarded regardless of competition in the class, if the dog has beaten a dog of different ownership. If the dog goes Best of Winners, he will receive the points of the Breed.

STONEHEDGE TROPHY (American Bred Dog) Offered by Mr. Don Massaker and Tom Natalini, through the STCA (Rules above.)

AM ANGER CINDERELLA MEMORIAL TROPHY (American Bred Bitch) Offered by Edward B. Jarvis and Stephen Kurek, through the STCA. (Rules above).

THE CH. LAIRD OF SCOTS GUARD MEMORIAL TROPHY. (Puppy Dog) Offered by Eileen Lyne Weaver, through the STCA. (Rules above)

DUNBAR TROPHY. (Puppy Bitch) Offered by Richard Hensel through the STCA.(Rules above)

CH. MARLORAIN DARK SEAL MEMORIAL TROPHY. (Stud Dog) Offered by Marlorain Kennels, through the STCA, to the owner(s) of the Scottish Terrier siring the most Scottish Terrier champions during the calendar year. In the event of a tie, the dog in the tie producing the greatest number of validated champions during the preceding two years shall be declared the winner.

CH. LADY ALBERTA MEMORIAL TROPHY. (Brood Bitch) Offered by Mrs. Vana Mapplebeck, through the STCA, to the owner(s) of the Scottish Terrier producing the most Scottish Terrier champions during the calendar year. (Same rules as the Marlorain trophy.)

ANSTAMM ACHIEVEMENT AWARD. is offered annually through the STCA by friends of Anthony Stamm. The award can be made to a person or persons, a group, a club, or any other organization. Conceivably, it could be made to persons or organizations not connected with the STCA, particularly in cases where achievement outside of, but affecting or relating to the breed might transcend any accomplishment by a club member for a particular year.

Letters of nomination stating reasons why the nominee(s) should receive the award should be sent to the Corresponding Secretary. Cut off date to be decided later by the STCA Board.

Persons desiring to contribute to this award fund should send name to Miriam Stamm or the Treasurer Mr. H. J. Weiner. 36 Cedarcrest Road. Canton, Mass. 02021.

THE S.T.C. OF THE GREATER BALTIMORE AREA

SCOTTIE TALK - Club Publication

Editor: Grace S. Wallace
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This message was printed in the March Issue of the News Publication.

A.D.O.A. - LIMITING DOG ORDINANCES: We are sure you all are aware of the limiting pet ordinances which one being drafted and (take notice) passed into law in every Village, City, Town, County and State across our Nation. Most of these ordinances are designed to halt breeding of pets in the private home. This may be accomplished in many ways such as zoning which limits the number of pets you can own: two, three or four, or by forcing one to pay an exorbitant litter tax and limits you to breeding one litter per every year or eighteen month period. This type of legislation will force you and I to abandon our activity in purebred dogs and cats and all breeding will then be in the hands of commercial dog farms. You may also say goodbye to purebred dog and cat shows when this occurs.

HELP IS NEEDED: The Dog Fancy is facing a very crucial period due to the increasing number of anti-dog ordinances. Good thoughts and wishes will not solve this problem. Restrictive ordinances must be fought in the Courts and expenses for court cases are high.

Please urge your dog clubs to add fifty (.50) cents to their entry fee to help ADOA protect the sport we love.

P.S. From your Editor: I think it should be a must that all dog fanciers and Regional Clubs should join the ADOA. Here is the address and do write for an application to join.

AMERICAN DOG OWNERS ASSOCIATION (ADOA)
P. O. Box 746. Albany, N. Y. 12207.

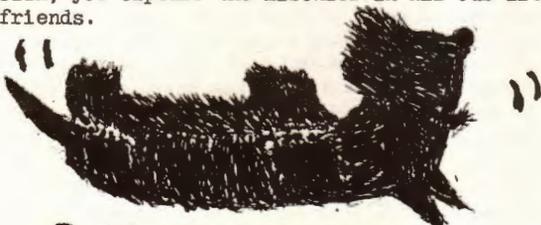
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THE GREATER MIAMI S.T.C., INC.

THE SCOTCH PIPER - Monthly Publication

Editor: Marjorie Cohen
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The cute Scottie who is undoing his owners work was contributed for the Scotch Piper by Blix Lecompte, our newest member. Thank you Blix, you capture the mischief in all our little friends.



ROLLING THE COAT

S.T.C. OF CALIFORNIA

Sent in by: Mrs. Vivian E. Reynolds
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S.T.C.A. MINI-WORKSHOP

Friday night was the regular club meeting of the S.T.C.C. After a short meeting, Miriam Stamm took the podium to start the first part of our Mini-Workshop with a discussion of the Standard. The Standard was read and discussed point by point aided by excellent sketches illustrating the various parts of the dog.

Saturday was wet and wild. A number of highways were closed due to mud slides and flooding. The news was saying stay home unless it is absolutely necessary to be on the road. Our dogs are not the only diehards, there were very few absent from the fifty people who had registered for the work-shop from both Northern and Southern California. Saturday was devoted to the finishing touches on the show coat. Miriam demonstrated on one dog, answered questions and then circulated while everyone tried to duplicate the work on their own dog and found they had even more questions. A special thank you to Jerry Roszman who was pressed into service to assist Miriam in making sure everyone had individual help. Miriam also explained and demonstrated a wide variety of grooming tools.

Sunday was Puppy Day. Miriam demonstrated two different ways of removing the puppy coat to insure having a proper show coat on even a young scot. Again after a question and answer period, Miriam assisted everyone in getting the same results on their own puppy.

The classroom facilities at Palasades High School were excellent. A large over head mirror above the grooming table where Miriam demonstrated, made it easy for everyone to have an excellent view. Clippers, bathing tub, dryers, towels were all provided.

Sunday afternoon, Miriam gave an interesting informative talk on the S.T.C.A. Everyone had a better understanding of the role of the parent club when she was finished.

We wish to thank Miriam Stamm and the S.T.C.A. for making this opportunity possible. Everyone who attended came away with a great deal of new knowledge of our breed and especially the finishing touches of show grooming.

P.S. What a great way for the S.T.C.A. to show they want to help all new and old exhibitors. Everyone was truly excited. V.E.R.

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GET WELL KR. KIRK SORRY TO HEAR THAT YOU HAVE BEEN UNDER THE WEATHER.

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"W H E A T E N S I N A M E R I C A"

In the Scotch Piper 1971.

By - Mildred Charves

Dr. Fayette Ewing, known as 'the Dean of the Scottie Fancy', established his Nosegay Kennels in 1897 and his activity in the breed extended over 50 years. A firm believer that 'there was never a good Scottie with a bad color' and feeling that the light colored ones added spice, one of his first imports was the wheaten Loyne Ginger (Kildoon X Highfield Rosie), considered one of the best Scotties in England at the time. His next wheaten import was the 1911 English Champion Ems Morning Nip (Ems Tonic X Ems Excuse). Possessing a harsh dense jacket the color of ripe corn tipped with black, he threw his color for many generations.

During these early years and up to the mid-Twenties, some wheatens were bred but on the whole the brindles dominated the scene. Then came the demand for an all-black Scottie. The following from an article written by Mrs. A. M. Henshaw in Dog News, April 1950 best describes the era of the black Scottie. "It seems odd now to think how people began to advertise jet-black Scotties and how frantically stray white hairs were plucked out, and how mercilessly whole lovely litters of light brindles perished in the kennelman's water bucket. And these all-black fanatics, instead of seeing the wheaten coat a charming contrast, were offended by it; it looked horrible and unnatural to them and they wanted it done away with."

The only kennel of this period which housed wheatens to any extent was the Ruffcote Kennels in Maryland owned by Mrs. F. R. Johnston. The brown-brindle Ch. Donald of Ruffcote headed this kennel and sired dark and grey brindles as well as the sandies and wheatens. Whelped in 1923, Donald through his sire Ch. Fairwold Ornsay Bill traces back to the Bellstances and thus to Morning Nip.

Meanwhile Dr. Ewing continued breeding the light and dark coats as he choose and through his writings opposed limiting the color to black. He strongly stated that no color should be discriminated against in the Standard except to the extent of 2½ points, which practically applied means nothing. Then in 1930 for the sake of variety he imported Glencannie Gingerbread (Rookery Refiner X Glencannie Guest), a pale wheaten declared by Mrs. Dorothy S. Caspersz and Robert Chapman to be of 'championship caliber'. Her color was held against her in the show ring, she did much to renew interest in the lighter colors. Soon the black-tipped wheaten litter mates Polhill Pilgrim and Croindene Concoction (Doctor of Delbrooke X Polhill Prudence) were imported. In 1932 the wheaten Golden Morn of Docken (Eng. Ch. Sandhey's Sentry X Kamptee Happy Thought) in whelp to Marksman of Docken arrived as did Sandhey's Solomon (Eng. Ch. Heather Necessity X Albourne Annie Laurie), a red brindle with a strong tendency to produce wheatens and golden brindles. These five carried the blood of Marksman of Docken or his sister Albourne Annie Laurie. Although neither was a wheaten, Marksman being a pale gray-brindle and Annie Laurie a red-brindle, they were prepotent in the production of light brindles and wheatens. From this foundation stock the registration of wheaten brindles began slowly to increase. Their decedents include the silver brindle Mac's Welton Tweed who produced wheatens and wheaten brindles and the wheatens Nosegay Buckwheat, Nosegay Gold Standard, Henshaw's Claude, Glencady Sunny Morning, Cousin Joan, Cantie Cutterscotch, Westland Gold Brick, Deephaven Sir Galahad and Champion Murray Rag Doll.

In 1938 the Deephaven Kennels imported the 11 month old brindle Heather Asset (Eng. Ch. Heather Beau Ideal X Heather Honeysuckle), destined to become one of the breed greats (sire of 16 champions) and a new and dominating influence in the production of wheaten coated Scotties. His pedigree was predominately black but through his sire's dam Kiltane Echo, he traces back to the brother and sister team of Marksman and Annie Laurie. He sired but one important wheaten son, Champion Bramshire Blazing Sun who in turn produced two wheaten champions. Strangely enough, it was Asset's non-wheaten get who carried on the color; the silver Carnation Revelation, the light brindle Ch. Deephaven Fixed Asset and Deephaven Dividend, the black Deephaven Superman and the Red-brindle Ch. Kinclaven Tobasco. Of special interest is the fact that all but two of the wheaten champions are descendants of Asset.

In 1945 the tide at last turned when the wheatens Kinclaven Wild Oats, Murray Rag Doll and Kinclaven Winter Wheat gained championship status. Thanks to the early efforts of Dr. Ewing, Mrs. Henshaw, Mrs. Constable, Mrs. Marie Stone as well as the breeders and owners of wheatens who followed them, the wheaten if good enough otherwise, can now compete on an equal footing with blacks and brindles.

ATTENTION PLEASE S.T.C.A. MEMBERS

The following two names were inadvertently left out of the new 1978 membership Roster so add them when you receive your Roster: Mrs. John C. Gmiel, 10129 S. Marion, Tulsa OK. 74136
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THE CH. LADY ALBERTA MEMORIAL TROPHY - BROOD BITCH

Ch. Ridge Lei Sassy Girl	5	Hannahs Bonnie Lass	2
Ch. Mar De's Dark Felicia	2	Pyewackets Lady Duff Gordon	2
Hil-Rays Scotlands Splendor	2	Glasgows Gab Bonnie Storm	2

THE CH. SHIELING SIGNATURE MEMORIAL TROPHY - BEST OF BREED, EXHIBITOR

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Mrs. Charles Stalter	104	Mr. John Sheehan	16
Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Hobday	56	Mrs. J. G. Barker	15
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Offutt	51	Mr. & Mrs. W. Burge	15
Mr. Wesley Slease	41	Mr. H. L. Johnston, Jr.	14
Mr. & Mrs. W. Newton	33	Mrs. Katharine Munro	13
Mr. & Mrs. Wilfred Schwer	31	Mr. G. A. Justus	12
Mrs. Hilda Bigelow	30	Mrs. Nicholas Levandoski	12
Miss Cornelia M. Crissey	26	Mr. & Mrs. Bengt Wallgren	12
Mr. H. L. Sebel, Jr.	26	Mr. Richard Hensel	11
Mr. & Mrs. John DeSaye	22	Mrs. Vana Mapplebeck	11
Miss M. T. Miller	21	Mrs. Betty Thomaier	10
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Charves	18		

AMERICAN BRED DOG, BEATRICE G. VAIL MEM. TROPHY

D. Massaker & T. Natalini	21	Mrs. Lena Kardos	12
Mrs. Judith Bonaiuto	19	Miss Jacqueline Balog	11
Mrs. Ann Landry	18	Mr. & Mrs. J. N. Seelbach	10
Mr. & Mrs. Bengt Wallgren	14	Mr. Frank Coleman	8

AMERICAN BRED BITCH

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Miss Suzanne Bomberger	23	Merriland Kennels, Reg.	15
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Dr. Jim Alexander	20	Mrs. J. G. Myers	12
A. Cartwright	20	Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Stamm	12
Miss M. A. Wilson	18	Mr. Robert Higgerson	11
Mrs. M. Lombard	15	Mrs. Charles Stalter	11
Dr. & Mrs. Barry Meador	15	Mrs. Louise M. Craig	10

* Denotes winner

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Lacking the availability of sufficient news items from Canada, I will devote this article to our newly proposed STEPS project, to keep our readers up-to-date with our activities. In Canada, we are creating and introducing a new Scottish Terrier Emergency Protection Service, designed to fulfill similar needs to the STECS in England. With much help from Philip Cockrill and Nellie Holland, we are now formulating plans upon which lines we hope to proceed in our endeavour to "rescue" Scotties IN NEED in our country. At present, we have five active members as follows: Leslie and Denise Boily from Montreal (East), Barbara Dominski and myself from Toronto (Central) and Marina Lengert from Sherwood Park, Alberta (West). We also have interested helpers, although not actual members, in the form of: Mr. and Mrs. Wallhead from Barrie, Ontario who are keeping a close watch on the situation in their area and will inform us immediately should they become aware of any Scottie In Distress or an available home for same; Mr. and Mrs. Brazier of Toronto who have one of my Mittens' Scottie puppies, and have expressed their desire to offer assistance (monetary) to the breed they love; and Mr. & Mrs. Ivan Cowleson of Port Perry, Ontario (my parents) who will gladly take my own little family of Scotties in with Tyke should I have reason to "board" an unwanted Scottie at my home, and who will also scout around for new prospects on either side of the fence. After all, is this not half the battle -- finding a list of good homes who will gladly accommodate a Scottie (regardless of age or sex) and to whom we can send our new discoveries immediately after medical clearance by the Vet? This eliminates the "boarding", and cost of same, of such dog at the home of a member, as well as much confusion to the dog in being passed around from one home to the next. The other half of the battle, of course, is finding these "unwanted" Scotties, and our "friends of STEP", along with our members, are dedicatedly looking out for any such Scotties, and will report same immediately. Now that the administrative aspects of STEPS are currently being formulated, following establishment of our name, with our five active members, we have what we feel to be an excellent beginning to our Rescue Scheme, and have high hopes that we can now follow this up with productive action. Our plans include the distribution of informative Name Cards to such institutions as The Humane Society, Police Stations, Schools, Stores, Post Offices, and, if possible, even into private homes. Success depends on the intensity of desire, the force behind it, and the support offered by willing, dedicated and determined parties involved. (con't pg.

COMPUTING THE S.T.C.A. ANNUAL AWARDS

The awards are calculated from January 1st to December 31st calendar year, not Gazette year. This is why there generally is some difference between results of other systems, awards, and tallys. The final calculations are not complete until all shows from the previous year, with corrections, champions of record have been published. Often that is not until the April Gazette. It usually makes a big difference especially in figuring the stud dog and brood bitch awards.

The awards are calculated by the points available in the breed that day; except for the Sandissy award. There are several conditions that apply before points can be awarded. Example - In the Sandissy award the dog or bitch winning B.B. at any given show (except independent specialties) is awarded 1 point for that win. The dog or bitch is awarded 2 points for a group 4th; 3 points for a group 3rd; 4 points for a group 2nd; 5 points for a group 1st; 8 points for a BEST IN SHOW. Thus a dog going B.I.S. would accumulate a total of 14 points toward the award. A dog placing 3rd in group would accumulate 4 points. A dog winning B.B. but not placing in the group 1 point.

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S.T.C. OF MICHIGAN (con't)

The members are hard at work on their 9th Independent Specialty Show to be held at the Sheraton Motor Inn, Pontiac, Mich., (suburb of Detroit) on Saturday September 9, 1978.

Miss Mary Beecher will judge the Sweeps-stakes and Mr. James Reynolds the regular classes. The famous bazaar table will again be featured.

All Scottie exhibitors and friends are invited to come and join in the Specialty Show and other entertaining features.

ALOHA S.T.C.

KILTS 'N KOMMENTS. Club Newsletter
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The Aloha Club held an AKC Sanctioned Plan "B" Match (not an A Match as stated in the last issue of the Bagpiper) on 10th of June 1978. Mr. E.G. Loebe of LaJolla, Ca. did the Judging and placed the following:

BEST PUPPY AND BEST IN MATCH - ALOHA SCOTT SASSI LASSI and placed her litter mate - BEST OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH - ALOHA SCOTT POLYNESIAN PIPER. (Same sire and Dam)

Sent in by C. James Terna.

IMPORTANT: The following is an article about the Corona virus. Please be aware of the symptoms and characteristics of this virus.

There is a contagious virus that has infected a significant number of dogs across the country. This virus causes a disease that produces gastroenteritis that can be hemorrhagic. It occurs in varying severity. Dr. L.E. Carmichael of the Cornell Laboratory for Diseases of the Dog has cultured, isolated and photographed the virus. It is potentially dangerous and has caused deaths.

Although the mode of transmission has not yet been proven, practical observations indicate that it is an airborne virus. Its incubation period, again not clinically proven, seems to be from three days to two weeks.

Prompt veterinary care is essential. Early symptomatic treatment is one of the controlling factors that determines the severity of the disease.

The initial symptoms are lethargy and digestive upset; i.e., decrease in appetite, then diarrhea and vomiting (both can become severe.) An unusually fetid odor seems to be a characteristic of the illness.

The disease can progress very rapidly in some individuals; with

death occurring as quickly as 48 hours after the initial clinical signs. Prompt veterinary assistance, warmth, and the absence of any stress do facilitate a more rapid and complete recovery. A long, quiet convalescent period also seems to be essential. Relapses have been reported one to two weeks after the dogs were seemingly cured of all symptoms. Several have died after relapsing.

This type of hemorrhagic gastroenteritis is probably not a new disease. Its virulence this year is unusual. This has brought it to the attention of a large number of breeders. They have worked together to help veterinarians recognize this as a single problem. They have co-operated in getting the necessary specimens to Dr. Carmichael, who has identified the infecting agent as a CORONA virus.

Salient points should be kept in mind:

- The onset of the disease is often sudden.
- The primary symptoms mimic many intestinal diseases, but should be taken seriously due to the potentially devastating sequelae.
- Early treatment is necessary.

•Warmth and absence of stress are conducive to a rapid and complete recovery.

To date there is no one cure for this disease; nor is there a preventative procedure available. That is why prompt professional care is so essential.

This notice is written not to panic dog owners, but to warn them of a frightening problem. Alert breeders within the Collie Club of America and in many other breeds co-operating with dedicated veterinarians and creative veterinary researchers, have identified the problem as one disease caused by a CORONA virus. This work has succeeded in reproducing the disease in research dogs. All of this has been done in less than one month.

The problem is now only identified...It is not solved. Much more work is needed and will, I hope, be forthcoming.

Mrs. Barbara Schwartz
Assistant Secretary
of the
Collie Club of America
Special Projects.

NEWS FROM CANADA (con't)

It yet remains to be seen how this project will fare, but I have all the confidence in the world in its total success, in light of the interest and backing which we have already received, and the determination so predominantly found in what existing members we do have. We will continue to keep you informed of our progress. Again, we will also owe the success we hope to achieve to our friends in England, Nellie and Philip, who have offered assistance and guidance -- and we will do everything within our power to make them proud of the Canadian "offspring" of their STEPS.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL S.T.C.A. MEMBERS

The Amendment to the By-laws that appeared in the last issue of the Bagpiper, with a cut out ballot that was to be sent in to Dr. Kirk voting for against. This was not approved by the A.K.C. due to the lack of response from the S.T.C.A. membership.

It is your duty as a member of the S.T.C.A. to follow through and cast your vote for all issues pertaining to the Club.

Separate ballots will now have to be sent out to all members pertaining to the same amendments, so please vote and return ballot.

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PARADE OF CHAMPIONS

CAPRE'S DESERT PIPER (B)
Merryscots Mr. Marty, X
Ch. Capre's Corbeau Of Gartland.
Owner: Carole Preuss.

DUNBAR'S JOLLY HOLLY (B)
Ch. Dunbar's Special Agent, X
Ch. Dunbar's Kathryn Choosey.
Owner: Richard W. Hensel.

DUNBAR'S ROYAL HERITAGE (D)
Ch.Gosmore Gillson Highland King,
X Wyngay Tara.
Owner: Richard Hensel.

FIREBRAND'S FOOLISH FUN (D)
Ch. Firebrand's Goodwill, X
Firebrand's Dark Abigail.
Owner: J. Sheehan/Karen Dunn.

FIREBRAND'S WAGMAN (D)
Ch. Firebrand's Bookmaker, X
Carbon Copy.
Owner: S.G./Barbara Porter.

LOCKNEL COCK O'THE NORTH (D)
Brio Fair N'Square, X
Tambræ Camellia.
Owner: Charlene A. Hollenbeck.

NEIDFYRE FORTUNE'S FAVOR (D)
Ch.Barberry Knowe Bandleader,X
Neidfyre Dundee Cake.
Owner: Gail F. Gaines.

CABERFEIDH JOHBBIE WALKER (D)
Brio Student Prince, X
Gaywyn Lyric.
Owner: Mrs. Louise Whent.

RAM TREE MERRY CRICKETTEER (B)
Ch. Schaeffer's Sky Rocket,X
Ch.Ram Tree Merry Go Round.
Owner:J.R.& Jackie Seelbach.

WEE BEN'S ARDEE ANALEE (B)
Ch.Wishing Well's Gamblers Dream.
X Ranrau Rava.
Owner: Betty Greenberg.

EDINA'S SAMSON (D)
Glenlivet Douglas, X
Ch. Dunedin Glenlivet Catriona.
Owner: Eddie & Jo Ann Ingram.

ELLSCOT ROUGHTEN RALPH (D)
Glencannon's Copy of Ellscot,
X Ch. Ellscot Winners Tips.
Owner: Louise Ellsworth.

HAGBERG'S WHOOPSA DAISY (B)
Ch.Gosmore Gillson Highland King,
X Ch. Hagberg's Brussell Sprouts.
Owner:Edward & Linda Hagberg.

JETSCOT VICEROY (D)
Kennelgarth King Of Scots, X
Jetscot Valda.
Owner:Catherine R. Jarvis.

LYNHAVEN ROYAL COMMANDER (D)
Kenjo Venturesome Commander,
X Lynhaven Bonhillass.
Owner:Mrs. Lynn E. Beal.

MAC CADE'S SMARTY PANTS (B)
Ch. Merriland Wise Guy, X
Lady Margaret MacDade.
Owner:Tawn Gronemeyer.

SKYCREST LORD WIGGLEBOTTOM (D)
Skycrest Prince Sean, X
Talisker's Cinderella.
Owner: Dolly L. Stofer.

COMPANION DOGS

MCINTOSH'S BROWN BOMBER (D)
Ch.Mountview's Stop the World, X
Cutter's Molly Bee.
Owner:Laræ & Michael Shafer.

MEDRICK'S KATIE SCARLETT (B)
Charves Dazzler Delegate, X
Ch.Medrîck's Georgie Girl.
Owner:A. Moos & A. Wooldridge.

COMPANION DOGS

EXCELLENT

CH. MACLAPIN JUST A SAMPLE (D)
Ch. Gaidoune Hillside Bear, X
Ch. McRae's No Apologies.
Owner: Bart & Lorayne Lapin.

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S.T.C.A. SPECIALTY SHOW - MONTGOMERY COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, AMBLER, PA. OCTOBER 8, 1978.
CLASSES WILL BE JUDGED BY - MRS. BETTY PENN-BULL of ENGLAND. SWEEPSTAKES WILL BE JUDGED BY
MRS. BETTY COOPER of DENVER COLORADO.
S.T.C.A. Annual meeting & Dinner October 7th at the Valley Forge Hilton Hotel. FLYERS & Reservat-
ion cards will be sent to members in August. MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS EARLY.

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