

A KEY TO BETTER BREEDING

by
Dr. T. Allen Kirk, Jr.

Breeding of better dogs, with the aim of producing not just another champion, but of producing a great champion-producer, and ultimately a perfect dog, has been the subject of a voluminous literature in the past. Most of these articles have touched on the controversy of line-, in-, and cross-breeding. Many have put forth formulae guaranteed, to a greater or lesser extent, to produce good dogs, at least for the persons who have worked them out. These many truths and more truisms are intermingled freely with old wives' tales to hide the keys to success in the morass.

It is not my purpose to expound a new formula; I haven't one. Nor do I claim to hold or even know all the keys, though perhaps someday I will know what they are. At present, I wish only to point out one key, and, I think, the first one. That is the good brood bitch.

This is the girl without whom real success is impossible, and with whom complete failure is difficult. Too often do we hear the remark passed about a bitch pup, "She's not good enough to show, so we'll keep her as a brood bitch. She should be great for that." Will she?

What do we mean by a **good** brood bitch? One who whelps easily and takes good care of her pups? No, though that helps make the job easier. One who produces big litters? No, though that gives us more material to work with. By a **good** brood bitch, we mean one who produces puppies of high calibre consistently. To do this, she must have it in her to produce this calibre. This means that



CH. BALACHAN ADVOCATOR shows going BEST OF BREED at Santa Clara under Judge E. E. Ferguson, with Lena Kardos handling. He was bred by Dr. & Mrs. T. Allen Kirk, Jr. and is owned by Mildred and Robert Charves of El Sobrante, Calif.

she must not only have a good pedigree, but she must be good in her own right. If she is not good enough to show, she must be faulty. If so, she will be likely to transmit her faults to her puppies unless she is most carefully bred, and even then, there is little guarantee of eliminating them from your breeding in future generations. Line breed to her, and these faults are fixed. Her faults and her strengths, then, are the keystones of a kennel. If she is good, the kennel can be good. If she is poor, so the kennel.

Choosing the bitch is a matter of knowledge and luck. Securing her, unless you have been the fortunate breeder, is a matter of luck and the utmost in good will from the breeder. Before evaluating her qualifications according to the standard, be certain she is sound. No matter



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how beautiful she may be, how near to perfection she may be made to look, how appealing she is as she makes up to you, that thrown shoulder, that bent hock is not going to go away.

Once you have established that she is sound, and that as many of her ancestors as you are able to see and examine are sound, then is the time to decide whether she is of show calibre, if she is good enough to start your breeding program.

The next step in making your choice is the pedigree, and I do not mean just the piece of paper covered with names and notations about how many are champions or brothers of champions. What are or were the dogs on the pedigree like? What faults are there among them, and which of these faults are duplicated? A pedigree tells far more than the names of the ancestors, and far more than the number of champions in her background. It is a graphic record of the thought and planning which have gone into the production of the litter. Even though the young bitch is good in her own right, if she has gained her quality by chance, the likelihood of her making the grade as a producer is slim, though there are lucky



CHARVES SILVER TASSIE, Winners Bitch and BEST OPPOSITE SEX from the Puppy Class at the Eden K. C. under Judge Derek Rayne. This daughter of Ch. Gilkey's Johnny Come Lately was bred and owned by Mildred & Robert Charves, and handled to this win by Mrs. Charves.

exceptions, of course.

The person who wants to breed good dogs, but does not know enough yet about his breed to choose the bitch for himself, is well advised to seek the assistance of someone who does know enough to make a knowledgeable choice for him. An experienced handler can assist you, or you may secure valuable help from the parent club of your breed—in the case of Scotties, the Scottish Terrier Club of America—many of which maintain a breeders' ad committee for this purpose.



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An entry of four dogs, two bitches and two Specials on hand for the UNITED STATES LAKELAND TERRIER CLUB SPECIALTY also held in conjunction with the Harbor Cities show. Senor Manuel Ibarra of Mexico was selected to judge and made the following class placements:

A single entry in Puppy Dogs: Son of Warrior (Ch. Westcrag Warrior — Ituri's Miss Puddinhead), owned by George & Carolyn Rhyner, and shown by Daisy Austad.

Open Dogs carded three with First and WINNERS DOG and BEST OF WINNERS going to WHAM BANG OF OZ (Ch. Rendale Rattlem — Lakedale Lillian), owned by Edward Bayes and handled by Ben Brown. Second and RESERVE to KERRYALL'S CAPTAIN KIDD (Ch. Westcrag Warrior—Ch. Kerryall's Bloody Peacock), owned by Kerryall Kennels and handled by Harry Sangster. Third to Blackwell Doublestar (Blackwell Ravelsaye Recruit — Magnolia), owned by Gladys Brown Edwards.

Both Bitches were in Open with First and WINNERS BITCH going to CABINHILL COMPACT (Aquarius Colonel—Lislea Likeable), owned by Joseph Rigby and handled by Daisy Austad. Second and RESERVE to RIVERCREST RED-



CH. BRAZEN BLOND OF OZ, Lakeland Terrier Bitch, wins the U. S. Lakeland Terrier Club Specialty of Harbor Cities K. C. June 23, 1962 under Judge Manuel Ibarra. "Zsa Zsa's" win makes the 7th consecutive U. S. Lakeland Club Specialty won by Kerryall Kennels. Ch. Brazen Blond of Oz is owned by Mr. & Mrs. Robert L. Wiel, Kerryall Kennels, Reg., San Francisco, Calif. She is handled exclusively by Harry Sangster and conditioned exclusively by Daisy Austad.

WOOD RADIANCE (Tindale Twist—Cabinhill Carefree), owned by Melbee Kennels and shown by Jimmy Butler.

Two Specials, both bitches with the BEST OF BREED award going to CH. BRAZEN BLONDE OF OZ (Ch. Rendale Rattlem—Cabinhill Compact), owned by Kerryall Kennels and handled by Sangster. The Lakeland bitch went on to place Third in a very strong TERRIER GROUP.

The hard working SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB OF CALIFORNIA produced the superlative entry of 16 for the Sweepstakes classes judged by Mr. Alva Rosenberg, and 17 dogs, 19 bitches and 11 Specials for Mrs. Blanche Reeg of Blanart fame in the Regular classes. The Trophy Table was a glistening display of beautiful silverplate with awards through all the classes.

The Sweepstakes was divided into three divisions: Puppy, Junior and Senior Stakes, with divisions for Dogs and Bitches. Mr. Rosenberg made the following placements:

PUPPY DOGS: First to Kott-Klan Kadee, owned by Fred & Lillian Kottke. Second to Crescent Hill December Wun, owned by Dorissa Barnes, and Third to Kott-Klan Kirkcaldy, owned by Linda Sue Basore.

PUPPY BITCHES: First and BEST IN PUPPY STAKES to MEDRICK'S MAX-

INE, owned by Medrick Kennels, with Second going to Wee Lori McLaury, owned by Mr. & Mrs. W. F. McLaury.

JUNIOR DOGS: First to Crescent Hill Blaze O' Glory, owned by Mrs. J. D. Birch. Second to Short-Scot Shiny Whistle, owned by Virginia & John Blankenhorn.

JUNIOR BITCHES: First and BEST IN JUNIOR STAKES to SHORT SCOT SASSY, owned by Meon Leard, with Second to Misty Windfall, owned by Chris Aubuchon.

SENIOR DOGS: A class of five carded with First and BEST IN SENIOR STAKES going to HAYDENHILL'S HIGHLAND FLING, owned by Haydenhill Kennels, with Second going to a litter brother, Haydenhill's Swinging Kilts, also owned by Haydenhill. Third to Blanart Bravado, owned by Mrs. C. D. Blackford and Fourth to Marloraain Queen's Consort, owned by Beatrice Dolf.

SENIOR BITCHES: First to Merril-



CH. GILKEY'S JOHNNY COME LATELY shown winning **BEST OF BREED** at the Scottish Terrier Club of Calif. Specialty under Judge Mrs. Blanche Reeg, with Lena Kardos handling. He is owned by Mrs. John Gilkey of Livingston, New Mexico.

land Scotch Mist, owned by Merrilland Kennels, and Second to Garlu Glen Thistle, owned by Louise & Floyd Gardner.

Now to the **REGULAR CLASSES**, with judge Blanche Reeg making the following placements:

Four in Puppy Dogs (6-9 months) with First going to Kott-Klan Kinross (Bardene Boy Blue — Revran Resonance), owned by Barton & Dorothy Scott. Second to Dorissa Barnes' Crescent Hill December Wun (Ch. Crescent Hill Indian Scout—Crescent Hill Sequel). Third to Kott-Klan Kirkealdy and Fourth to Kott-Klan Kadee, both litter brothers to the First winner and owned by Linda Basore and Fred & Lillian Kottke, respectively.

Three in Puppy Dogs (9-12 months) with First and on to **RESERVE WINNERS DOG** to **CRESCENT HILL BLAZE O' GLORY** (Ch. Crescent Hill Indian Scout—Blinker Bess), owned by Mrs. J. D. Birch. Second to Short-Scot Shiny Whistle (Ch. Gilkey's Johnny Come Lately — Ch. Short-Scot Silver Widget), owned by Virginia & John Blankenhorn. Third to Vivilaine's Scotch Talk (Ch. Stockdale Black Jack—Stockdale Wild Honey), owned by Lyle & Vivian Reynolds.

Two in Novice Dogs with First going to Plaid Mac Tavish (Short-Scot Brannie — Tassie Mac Tavish), owned by Joseph Buckley. Second to Marlora'n Queen's Consort (Ch. Marlora'n Dark Seal—Marlora'n Nora), owned by Beatrice Dolf.

Three in American Bred Dogs, and a First for Blantart Bravado (Ch. Blantart Billboard—Lady Pure Scot), owned by Mrs. C. D. Blackford and shown by Lena

Kardos. Second to Apfel's Gold Seal (Ch. Gilkey's Fancy Tammie—Gantt's Queen O'Hearts), owned by Earl & Gladys Apfel. Third to Paul's Gansellin Morgan (Short-Scot Toddy of Glamour—Stockdale Annie Mac Gregor), owned by Mrs. Holly Werner.

Five in Open Dogs with the First-place winner going on to **WINNERS DOG** and **BEST OF WINNERS** for a Five-pointer. He is **HAYDENHILL'S SWINGING KILT** (Crescent Hill Doublet — Crescent Hill Sequel), owned by the Haydenhill Kennels and handled by the Fred Youngs. Second went to a litter brother of the winner, Haydenhill's Highland Fling, also owned by Haydenhill. Third to Toryglen Toodlum (Toryglen Tobermory — Toryglen Ting-a-ling), owned by Eric Johnson and handled by Bob Mankey. Fourth to Crescent Hill Ramrod (Ch. Crescent Hill Ace O'Spades—Ch. Milpita Merriment), owned by Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Peerce.

Mrs. Reeg went right on with the Bitches, placing them as follows:

Two in Puppy (6-9 months) with First to Medrick Maxine (Medrick's Maxim—Lochhigh's Linda), owned by Medrick Kennels. Second to Wee Lori McLaury (Carrols Dandy Duncan—Wee Bit O'Heather), owned by Mr. & Mrs. W. F. McLaury.

Four in Puppy (9-12 months) with the winner here going on to **RESERVE WINNERS BITCH**. She is **CHARVES SILVER TASSIE** (Ch. Gilkey's Johnny Come Lately—Bomar Heich of Fash), owned by Mildred & Robert Charves and handled by Lena Kardos. Second to Short-Scot Sassy (Ch. Gilkey's Johnny Come Lately—Ch. Short-Scot Silver Widget), owned by Meon Leard. Third to Cinder Fala MacTavish (Short Scot Brannie Lad — Tassie MacTavish), owned by Thelma Collins. Fourth to Misty of Windfall (Ch. Wychworth Windfall — Smoot's Lass of Rolling Hills), owned by Chris Aubuchon.

Two in Novice Bitches with First awarded to Garlu Glen Thistle (Garlu Heather Lancelot—Garlu Cinder Mariglen), owned by Louise & Floyd Gardner. Second to Meribobs Wee Black Mumbo (Short-Scot Toddy of Glamour—Stockdale Annie MacGregor), owned by Mary Williams.

Two in Bred by Exhibitor Bitches with First going to Merrilland Scotch Mist (Kenbrick Bret—Merrilland Drumbaie).



MARLORAIN NORA, WINNERS BITCH and BEST OPPOSITE SEX at the California Specialty under Mrs. Blanche Reeg, with Daisy Austad handling. She is now a champion, subject to AKC confirmation, and is bred and owned by the Marlorain Kennels of Harbor City, Calif.

owned by Merriland Kennels. Second to Ayrlock Little Mixx (Ch. Crescent Hill Comet—Ch. Cam Bria's Doll), owned by Florence Wolman.

Two also in American Bred Bitches with First going to Charves Gillie Callum (Ch. Balachan Advocate — Balachan Gambit), owned by Mildred & Robert Charves. Second to Lettswynne Belle (Ch. Wychworth Windfall — Marlorain Jennifer), owned by Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Vlasak.

The Open Bitch class produced a hot class of seven with the winner gaining the Five-point WINNERS BITCH award. She is MARLORAIN NORA (Kenbrick Peter Piper — Ch. Marlorain Abigail), owned by the Marlorain Kennels and handled by Daisy Austad. Second to Merrie Oaks Black Josie (Ch. Merrie Oaks Windjammer—Merrie Oaks Mercedes), owned by Mrs. Edmund Mansure and handled by Lena Kardos. Third to Garlu Cinder Bonnie (Ch. Marlorain Dark Seal—Garlu Cinderella), owned by Frances Moore. Fourth to Merriland Drambuie (Kenbrick



HAYDENHILL'S SWINGING KILTS, BEST OF WINNERS at the California Specialty under Judge Mrs. Blanche Reeg, and handled by Margaret Young. He later completed his championship at the Eden K. C. show under Derek Rayne. He is bred and owned by the Haydenhill Kennels of Beverly Hills, Calif.

Benny Growler — Garlu McDuff Annie Laurie), owned by Merriland Kennels.

The largest class of the day was the Specials class which brought out the top specimens on the West Coast, with many Group and Best in Show winners among them. Mrs. Reeg spent a considerable amount of time with these many challengers, all likely prospects for the top award. She finally brought out the BEST OF BREED winner in CH. GILKEY'S JOHNNY COME LATELY (Ch. Gilkey's Fancy Tammie—Apfel's Precious Penny), owned by Mrs. John Gilkey and capably handled by Lena Kardos. Mrs. Reeg then selected the class bitch, MARLORAIN NORA as BEST OPPOSITE SEX, concluding a very exciting and interesting Specialty.

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by Martha Melekov



An esteemed judge and recognized authority on Scottish Terriers recently made the wise statement that only about 10% of exhibitors are breeders, in the truest sense. This brought to mind the too-often futile attempts to emphasize, to newcomers in the breed, the importance of studying pedigrees and family relationships, of discounting show records and seeking quality of progeny in selecting the proper stud . . . in short, trying to initiate a true breeder. But all this takes time and study, and the lure of the blue ribbon is too tempting. After all, the rewards to the true breeder sometimes takes years to materialize, but when they come, he knows the formula well that made it all possible. This usually explains why there is a pretty complete turnover in the roster of exhibitors every five or six years. Educating the pet owner offers another challenge. Calls come for "white" Scotties, for "miniature" Scotties, none of which exist, and for years breeders have explained these misconceptions.

In a recent Sunday edition of the Los Angeles Times appeared an ad offering "a rare miniature Scottish Terrier." The serious consequences such an ad can have on our breed was further intensified when it was found that the party advertising this "rare miniature" was a breeder of



CH. WOODHART WINGOVER takes back to back GROUP FIRSTS at San Joaquin and Richmond Kennel Clubs under Forrest Hall and R. A. Cross, handled by Ben Brown and owned by Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Fancy of Granada Hills, Calif.

long-standing, a self-styled authority on the breed, and the holder of an AKC license to judge the breed! It is true that undersized pups sometime do happen and they are usually very appealing, but to openly advertise such a pup as a "rare miniature" when the standard is well-known, is inexcusable. No one interested in the future of the breed could be a party to such dishonest advertising.

If allowed to continue, this could present a serious problem to our breed. It has taken years to educate the public to the fact that all Scotties are not black. Let us hope we now won't be besieged with requests for "rare miniatures."

As our Editor has covered the California Specialty so completely in another section, there are not too many shows to report. At Orange Empire, July 15th, judge Mr. Frank Bilger was presented with 12 Scots and gave his Best of Breed to Dr. & Mrs. Kenneth Grow's CH. GARLU HAGGIS BAGGIS. Winners Bitch, BW and BOS to Marlorsain Ken-

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CARNATION CYNTHIA taking **BEST IN SHOW** at the Washington State Scottish Terrier Specialty under Judge T. H. Sneathen. This "Baffle" daughter is handled by Bob Bartos and is owned by Carnation Farm Kennels.

nels' **MARLORAIN NORA**, which gave her the necessary point for her title. Winners Dog to Florence Wolman's **AYRLOCH'S JASON**, while another of her entries, **AYRLOCH'S LITTLE MINX**, took Reserve Bitch. Reserve Dog to Mr. & Mrs. L. Peerce's **CRESCENT HILL RAMROD**.

Exhibitors in the Pacific Northwest have been most cooperative in sending news. Here are the results of the Specialty Show of the Washington State Scottish Terrier Club, held Saturday, June 16, at the Seattle World's Fair. Mr. T. H. Sneathen judged an entry of 74, giving the following awards: **WB-BOB**: Carnation Farm **CARNATION CYNTHIA** (Ch. Westpark Derriford Baffle — Ch. Carnation Dark Modiste) from the American-Bred Class. **BOS**: **CH. FIRE-BRAND FURY** (Ch. Westpark Derriford Baffle — Ch. Carthright's Dark Sorcery) owned by Robert Houde and John Sheehan from the Midwest. **WD**: Mrs. Edmund Mansure's **MERRIE OAKS HARD-TACK** (Merrie Oaks Target — Merrie Oaks Scotch Bloom). **RD**: Yoshiko Onchi's **MER-MAR'S RICK II** (Mer-Mar's Rob Roy — Mer-Mar's Argyle). **RB**: Elaine & Karl Young's **YOUNG'S SAMANTHA** (Ch. Low Firs Grande Mist — Ch. Silver Eve's Anastasia). Best in Puppy Classes to **GLAD MAC'S ROLLING STONE II** (Ch. Glad Mac's Rolling Stone — Ch. Reanda Raffl) owned by Mrs. W. M. Robertson. Best Stud Dog; the Young's **CH. LOW FIR'S GRANDE MIST**



CH. SCOTSVALE SUNSHINE shown winning **BEST IN SHOW** at the Dog Fanciers Assoc. of Ore. under Frank Foster Davis, handled by Bob Bartos and owned by the Carnation Farm Kennels.

(Westpark Rio Grande — Ch. Jo-Lee Silver Mist) and Best Brood Bitch to Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Collins, Jr. **JO-LEE TUP-PENCE** (Westpark Rio Grande — Ch. Jo-Lee Lucky Seal).

The results of the Mt. Baker K. C. on July 1st at Bellingham, Wash., were sent to me, but the judge's name was omitted. I admit, I sometimes feel the same temptation, although am sure it was unintentional . . . but 13 Scots were present, and

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the results were: BB: Carnation Farm Kennels' CH. SCOTVALE SUNSHINE. BOS: Mr. & Mrs. John Dressen's CH. DRESSEN'S POSTSCRIPT. WD: Mr. & Mrs. Harry Garber's BRAEMAR BOLD VOYAGER and WB, BW to REANDA REEBA, owned by Mr. Robertson and Mrs. Mary Jane Rogers. The Reserve wins were not reported.

The Seattle K. C. show was held July 29th at Seattle with an entry of 14 for Judge Anton Korbel. His BOB was CH. DRESSEN'S POSTSCRIPT owned by the Dressens, and WB, BW and BOS to REANDA REEBA, owned by Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Rogers. WD to John and Michelle Stephans LAIRD JACK MORAE O'MISTEGLIN. The Reserves went to YOUNG'S SAMANTHA owned by the Youngs in Dogs, and in Bitches, Monica & Ralph St. Romains YOUNG'S MERLIN.

The most heralded of the coming events will be the SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA Specialty to be held at Montgomery County, October 14th. Mr. John Wright of Oberlin, Ohio, will judge the Sweepstakes, and Mr. George Hartman, the Regular classes.

It would be stupid to insist that Scottie



AM. MEX. CH. GARLU HAGGIS BAGGIS shown taking his 21st BEST OF BREED at Orange Empire under Frank Bilger, where he went on to take a Group Four. He is handled by Daisy Austad and is owned by Dr. & Mrs. Kenneth Grow of Palm Springs, Calif.

pups are more precocious than any others, but they certainly do think of everything! A breeder called to say that she was giving a prospective customer information on how to get to her place to see two pups she had for sale. During the conversation, the two pups were playing around the room. Suddenly, in the middle of a sentence, the phone went dead . . . after much "hello-ing" and clicking of the receiver, the breeder

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CH. CRESCENT HILL TUMBLEWEED shows finishing for the title at Ventura under Judge William Fox with breeder-owner Dorissa Barnes of North Hollywood, Calif., handling. She is the 11th champion bred or owned by the Crescent Hill Kennels.

looked down to see the phone cord had been chewed in two. Three hours later, after an emergency call from the telephone company, the phone was again in order . . . but the customer was apparently discouraged and was never heard from. After all, the pups were probably well satisfied with things as they were.

From Jack & Rosemary Kilgore (RO-JAC Scotties) of New Orleans come the results of the recent Carolina Circuit, July 26-29, beginning at Greenville, S. C., and ending with the Piedmont K. C. show in Charlotte, N. C. The Circuit produced a 3-point major all four days. Two males shared the major wins with **BALACHAN CRUSADER** (Ch. Viewpark Vindicator—Balachan Blue Chip) owned by Mr. & Mrs. D. B. Wilband taking Winners and Best of Winners two days, while Mrs. Frank Brumby's **RANNOCH-DUNE ROLERO** (Ch. Blanart Bolero—Rannoch-Dune Christmas Carol) took the same awards the other two days.

In Bitches, the majors were split between three, with the Kilgore's **MILWARD MOONFLOWER** (Milward Mixed Corn—Turfield Love in Bloom) an English import gaining two majors. Their

ROJAC'S RADIANCE (Turfield Morning Corn — Lyndee's Crescent Carnival) gained one of the majors, enough to complete her championship, subject to AKC confirmation. The other major in Bitches went to Helen Gaither's **GAIDOUNE GORGEOUS BEAR** (Ch. Todhill's Cinnamon Bear — Ch. Gaidoune Gorgeous Hussy) while her **CH. GAIDOUNE GISELE** (Ch. Friendship Farm Diplomat — Ch. Gaidoune Gorgeous Hussy), a half sister, gained the **BEST OF BREED AWARD** three out of the four shows and was Best Opposite to **BALACHAN CRUSADER** who took the Breed win at Greenville.

SCOTTIE STATISTICS

Scottish Terriers received 4,029 Best of Breed awards in the period from January 1, 1952 and March 31, 1962. These awards were won by 820 different dogs. The leaders were Ch. Wyrebury Wrangler (76); Ch. Glendoune Gwenda (50); Ch. Wyrebury Water Gypsy (49); Ch. Cantle Lucky Squire (45) and Ch. Westpark Derriford Baffle (45).

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Group Firsts numbered a staggering 568. Here the lead went to Ch. Wyrebury Wrangler (36) pressed by Ch. Westpark Derriford Baffle (35); Ch. Edgerstoune Troubadour (28); Ch. Wyrebury Water Gypsy (21) and Ch. Blanart Bewitching (20).

Ch. Wyrebury Wrangler annexed the Group Second leadership with 16. Others were Ch. Wyrebury Water Gypsy (15) and 3 with twelve—Ch. Balachan Agita-

tor, Ch. Cantie Lucky Squire and Ch. Glendoune Gwenda.

It was Wrangler again in Group Thirds with 14. He was trailed by Ch. Cantie Lucky Squire (11), Ch. Balachan Agita-tor (10), Ch. Gillisle Roger Right (10) and Ch. Glendoune Gwenda (9).

Group Fourths has a different leader—Ch. Cantie Confident with nine. Eight wins made a four-way tie for second place spot by Ch. Gilkey's Johnny Come Lately, Ch. Gillisle Roger Right, Ch. Glad-Mac's Masterpiece and Ch. Rear Admiral of Seaglen.

The 4029 Best of Breed winners garnered a total of 2,182 group placings. There were 568 firsts; 608 seconds; 543 thirds and 463 fourths.

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1 Best in Show
10 Group Placements
13 Best of Breeds

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**AM. and CAN. CHAMPION
DEEPHAVEN RED SEAL**
by Annette Warde



AM. and CAN. CH. DEEPHAVEN RED SEAL

Born: June 26, 1945
Bred by T. W. Bennett
Deephaven Kennels

Died: September 15, 1954
Owned by Carnation Farm Kennels

Eng. Ch. Heather
Realisation

Eng. Ch. Walsing Warrant
of Marlu

Eng. Ch. Walsing
Wellborn

Eng. Ch. Dandy of Docken

Roseneath Miss Muffitt

Ch. Kinclaven Tobiasco

Ch. Kinclaven Classic

Am. Eng. Ch. Kleniffer
Leading Lady

Deephaven Sir Galahad

Mac's Welton Gold Penny

Mac's Welton Hope

Ch. Marlu Crusader

Ch. Marlu Millady

Deephaven Mary

AM. and CAN. CH. DEEPHAVEN RED SEAL

This month, we begin a page covering the "Profiles of All-Time Great Terriers." Our first is the Scottish Terrier, Ch. Deephaven Red Seal, the greatest producing, American bred descendant of English Ch. Heather Fashion Hint, Necessity's famous son. Whelped at the Deephaven Kennel of T. W. Bennett, June 26, 1945, he was sold to Maurice Pollack of Marlu Farms Kennel late in 1947. Under the supervision of John Murphy, he was finished in June 1948 with an impressive show record which continued after his sale to Carnation Farm Kennel in 1950 through to his death, September 15, 1954.

It is a basic fact that great stud dogs, in order to achieve wide use, must amass impressive show records as well as produce desirable progeny. His lifetime spanned the period of the great active Scottish Terrier Kennels, whose names we are all proud to display on our pedigrees: Barberry Knowe, Bothkennar, Deephaven, Edgerstoune, Kinclaven, Mac's Welton, Marlu, Marymac, Relgalf, Scotbart, Shieling, Woodhart. The competition was terrific, the wins were hard earned. While their show records were enviable, it is their influence upon our present stock which is of greater interest to us.

Red Seal sired 24 Champions. Unlike his great kennel mate, Ch. Deephaven Warspite whose strength was passed through his daughters, Red Seal's strength has passed through his sons, so continuing the AHCLNF line. Through four generations he has carried through to 105 Champions. This figure does not include those in which he has been found twice nor does it include Champion get of unfinished dogs, which would greatly increase his credits. In this category alone, Blanart Barcee's Trey and Carnation Dark Lady, each is the dam of five Champions — and their records are still active.

Of his Champion sons, Ch. Gold Finder's Admiral leads the list with 52 Champions in four generations and is the most active present influence through his sons Ch. Friendship Farm Midshipman with two Champions and Ch. Blanart Bartender with six. Midshipman is continuing through his son, Ch. Friendship Farm Diplomat, sire of two Champion sons and six daughters, of the eight — a litter of three Ch. Gaidoune Gldgit, Giselle and Glitter and the brother and sister Chs. Todhill's Honest John and Phoebe Snow (dam of Ch. Todhill's Bear Necessity). Bartender is, like Warspite, showing his strength through the distaff side, Ch. Crisscot Canterbury Bell, being the dam of five Champions.

Ch. Marlorain Dark Seal ranks second with six Champions so far, four sons and two daughters, but being Red Seal's youngest producing son, his record is just beginning.

Ch. Marlu Clincher with three Champions: through his son Ch. Carnation Night Watch with two Champions and his daughter Ch. Fullvit Wee Mousie with three, of which Ch. Barberry Knowe Merrymaker is so far credited with his daughters Chs. Carmichael's Fanfare and Frivolity.

Ch. Carnation Chanter through his young son Ch. Carnation Silver Note and his two Champion daughters, of which Ch. Jo-Lee Lucky Seal has produced three, Chs. Jo-Lee Grand Slam, Maverick and Better Be Nice.

Ch. Lynnscot Lancelot with three Champions, Ch. Garlu Alexander Gabriach and two daughters, Ch. Lucas 'Sma Dram and Ch. Scots Guard Ghillie, the dam of The Laird of Scots Guard and Ch. Scots Guard Camp Follower.

His outstanding daughter, Ch. Carnation Dark Secret, is the dam of four Carnation Champions, Dark Sentry, Dark Magician, Dark Man and Dark Magic—and Carnation Dark Lady.

Through Ch. Marlu Sparkle comes Ch. Friendship Farm Diplomat and Ch. Nona's Rising Star.

Through Ch. Amerscot Mistress Mary come the dogs, Ch. Erb's Silver Star and Ray Mar, sire of Ch. Erb's Allspice.

Ch. Deephaven Red Seal's influence is strongly and widely felt and has great promise for an active future. In fact, his story is yet to be told.