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The Scottie Puppy - The world is large, and he is very small; yet in him dwells no awe or fear at all. On the high road, where flash the motors dread, He squats, to scratch his foolish little head. Not, though he deprecates with tail and grin, Feels gratitude to you who risked your skin. But lurches, with a gay and aimless sprawl, Betwixt the stranger's legs and makes him fall. Chastised, he stoops your noble boots to lick, And learns that blacking, though full sweet, makes sick. Cramful of faults, a blunt-nosed rascal and thief, He steals your heart as surely as your beef. And, should the fates untimely snip his thread, You'll wish they'd severed many a man's instead.
- ELLA D. FARRAR



THE GREATER DALLAS S.T.C.

THE SCOTCH BARK - Monthly Publication
Editor: Dorothy Burchfield
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The Greater Dallas S.T.C. was born in the minds of three Charter Members, but not simultaneously. Gladys Justus first conceived the idea of forming an organization, but it was not until Shirlee Glenn purchased a Scottie puppy from Dorothy Burchfield that a search was begun for other Scottie owners in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area. Mrs. Justus was contacted, offered her information and services, and in October of 1969, the organization was born.

A committee was selected to get started on the Constitution and By-Laws. The second meeting was on November 4, 1969, at which time a name was selected. Charter membership was left open until December 31st in order to contact more people that owned Scottish Terriers.

Mrs. Dorothy Burchfield was elected President and Mrs. Shirlee Glenn as Treasurer.

Sixty-four Charter Members paid their dues in 1969, not realizing what the future of the Club held. It took little time to find out.

Meetings were scheduled on the 1st Tuesday of each month in the downtown area, where a series of informative sessions have been held on such subjects as poisonous plants, skin diseases, hand stripping, obedience and owner handling. Speakers have included veterinarians, Club members, newspaper columnists, dog groomers, dog breeders, and local organization representatives.

Films have also played a large part in the learning process - favorites were a feature on Ch. Bardene Bingo, Montgomery County Specialty and the STCA Specialty in California.

The Club's first fun match was held in Feb. 1970. Several other fun matches and "B" matches have followed. The Club's immediate goal is to obtain approval for an "A" match, until now delayed partly because of lack of entries.

The Club has a breed booth at the Texas Kennel Club Show held annually each Spring in Dallas. There is informative literature and brochures available concerning the Breed, along with helpful, and knowledgeable Members staffing the booth to talk and answer questions by visitors.

In March, 1973, the Dallas Times Herald offered a trophy for the booth selected most outstanding by judges from several organizations of the City, not connected with any dog club. The winner's Trophy, a Silver Bowl, would be engraved and become the permanent possession of the club selected for this honor. At each TKC Show in the future a similar trophy will be awarded. The Greater Dallas S.T.C. chalked up another "first" - winning the First Trophy given

by the Dallas Times Herald.

One of the most unusual claims to fame was the Independence Day Celebration and Terrier Competition. The show was open to all the terrier breeds and offered prizes for such classes as:

- American Kid and Dog (cutest child with dog)
- Benjamin Franklin (fattest dog)
- Abe Lincoln (skinniest dog)
- Paul Revere (race-master with dog on leash)
- Best Independence Day speech (barking)
- Miss Firecracker (prettiest female)
- Yankee Doodle Dandy (most handsome male)
- Most Patriotic (best 4th of July costume)
- Star Spangled Terrier Talent (best trick)

Highlight of the 1973 Show was a Bull Terrier that caught a goldfish from a bowl of water.

A series of Presidents have done more than their share to make this Club known in this area across the United States.

Dorothy Burchfield (Oct. 1969 thru 1971)
Shirlee Glenn (1972) Harry Sebel, Jr. (1973)
Joan Moore (1974) Dorothy Burchfield (1975).
They have been backed by a nucleus of Members who are working to better the breed in this area.

A unique feature of the Club is the annual "gripe session" held each October, when Members are encouraged to offer constructive criticism concerning Club activities and future plans for growth.

One of the Club's Ways & Means projects are their 'Hand-made Items which include: Note pads with original drawings by Gladys Justus; pillows with furry Scotties; Christmas cards with drawings of scotties; Plaid capes; personalized Christmas stockings for your favorite Scottie; Scottie-shaped cutting boards/house signs; Plaid and solid grooming aprons; and on special occasions we have solid-chocolate Scotties, made from an antique mold.

The Club's Logo was drawn by Laurie, the daughter of Jerry & Gladys Justus, and is on Club Decals, Patches, Newsletter and stationery. It has been Copyrighted.

Meetings are now alternated between Dallas & Ft. Worth.

All owners of Scottish Terriers in this area are invited to attend the meetings. Thanks to THE BAGPIPER for the opportunity to let you tell you about THE GREATER DALLAS SCOTTISH TERRIER CLUB.

Sue Powers, Vice-President
Dorothy Burchfield, President.

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" REGIONAL CLUB NEWS "

S.T.C. OF GREATER ATLANTA

BAGPIPER CHATTER - Published monthly
Editors: Sharon Hadd & Ms. Ann Hagan
1919 Edinburgh Terrace
Atlanta, Ga. 30307

The following slate of Officers and Directors were elected for the coming year.

- MRS. SAMMY REEVES PRESIDENT
MR. RON BARKER. VICE-PRES.
Lt. COL. FURNEY POWELL TREASURER
MRS. SHARON HADD. SECRETARY
(233 Superior Ave. Decatur, Ga. 30030)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ms. Ann Hagan, Mrs. Marlene Johnson, Mr. Carl William, and Mrs. Lillian Scott.

An AKC Sanctioned "B" Match was held on the 18th of May with an entry of 14.

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - KAR-MAR FANCY PANTS, by Stradrick Jessie James, X Kar-Mar Brave Inspiration. Owner: Mr. & Mrs. Carl Williams.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - KAR-MAR BOO-BOO, by Vickland Ebony Masterpiece, X Kar-Mar Brave Inspiration. Owner: ?? (Not mentioned)
Dr. Jim Alexander did the judging.

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JACKSONVILLE AREA S.T.C.

SCOTTIE TIMES - Monthly Publication.
Editor: Mrs. Virginia Goldman
2050 Huntsford Road
Jacksonville, Fl. 32207

INSTALLATION BANQUET was held on April 16, 1975 and the following Officers and Directors were installed for the coming year.

- ANN RAVEN PRESIDENT
MARY BUCKMAN VICE-PRES.
JOYCE CHIAVARO (REC.) SECRETARY
VIRGINIA GOLDMAN (COR.) SECRETARY
AUDREY HENRY TREASURER
RAINY CLARKE & DANIEL CLARKE . . . DIRECTORS

The members of this young and energetic Club are working hard. They have regular Grooming and handling clinics.

The third FUN MATCH was held Sunday, May 4th with the following results:

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - HENRY'S BONNIE LASSIE
Owner: Audrey Henry.
BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - LADY McBUCK (9 - 12 mos.
Owner: Mary Buckman.

THE JUNIOR HANDLERS turned out in mass and showed their Scots. ALL HAD A GREAT TIME.

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S.T.C. OF MICHIGAN, INC.

MICHIGAN TARTAN - Club Newsletter
Editor: Cynthia Wallgren
2281 Manchester
Birmingham, Mich. 48008

The A.K.C. Sanctioned "B" Match was held on June 8, 1975 with an entry of 47 Scotties. Cass Ridgley judged and placed the following:

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - SANDGREG'S MONEY GIRL, by Ch. Sandgreg's Keno Ticket, X Ch. Charves Dashing Dawtie. Owners: John & Barbara DeSaye.
BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - (6 - 9 mos.) "SALLY ANNE" by Terriwall's Promised Ventrue, X Sally Anne XIII. Owners: Larry and Sharon Turner.

Saturday, September 6, 1975 is the fifty separate Specialty Show and will be held at the RAMADA INN, 28225 Telegraph Road. Southfield, Mich. Allan E. Cartwright will judge the regular classes, and Miriam Stamm will judge the Sweepstakes.

HEART OF AMERICA S.T.C.

DIEHARD DOIN'S - Club Newsletter
Editor: Margaret J. MacDonald
1208 W. 45th St., Apt. 104
Kansas City, Mo. 64111

Margaret MacDonald reports that she has her apartment full of Christmas cards and Note stationary and is ready to ship out. She advises to get your order in as soon as possible and be ready for Christmas this year.

The Club will be in recess for the summer, the next meeting will be in September.

A.K.C. SPEAKERS SHOCK LISTENERS. . . .

HEART OF AMERICA KENNEL CLUB WAS RECENTLY HOST TO PAUL FIRLING AND ROBERT NAIDL, EXECUTIVE FIELD AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB and stationed in this area the past year. At the meeting, which Mel Schlesinger said was the best attended in the history of the club, the men painted a gloomy and frightening picture of the commercial breeding industry in dogs (they declined to use the term "puppy mill"). For openers they told us that at last tally there were 1800 dog brokers in Kansas, 900 in Missouri and 700 in Iowa as compared with 44 in the entire state of California!

They emphasized that the AKC is in existence simply as a registering agent and that local and state law enforcing agencies and health departments should be the controlling agencies in matters of law and health as pertains to dogs. The two men stated that dog show people are extremely naive in not recognizing the commercial breeders as a strong computerized industry.

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As a clincher they stated that 90% of the AKC's income comes from the commercial breeders-- a mere 10% from people who exhibit at dog shows. They used the term "rotten" to describe the dog situation in and around Kansas City. They stated that although there are only four executive field agents employed by AKC for the entire country, they (the two speakers) have spent more than a year in this immediate area and haven't scratched the surface.

And as a final shocker the men stated that last year there were 23,000 litters produced by 6000 breeders in Kansas and 24,000 litters produced by 8,000 breeders in Missouri. And sad to say, they stated that if the breeders have their records in order in their dealings with the American Kennel Club, that organization had no further jurisdiction. I doubt that too many people at that meeting slept too well that night. (From Diehard Doin's)

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S.T.C. OF GREATER DAYTON

Pauline G. Lay, Secretary
1964 Ontario Avenue
Dayton, Ohio 45414

Another AKC Sanctioned "B" Match was held on May 17, 1975 with a total entry of 23 Scotties which included 15 puppies and 8 adults.

The judge was Mrs. Jeanne Pearson and she placed the following:

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - WAYRIDGE WATTAGAL.

Owners: Mr. & Mrs. W. Ridgley

BEST ADULT OF OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH -

BOUNTIFUL BOO OF HINGHAM. Owners: Norman & Rosemary Pence.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - WAYRIDGE WAR SMOKE.

Owners: Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Ridgley.

BEST PUPPY OF OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH - WAY-

RIDGE WARMAIDEN. Owner: Pauline G. Lay.

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ALOHA S.T.C.

ALOKA KILTS N'KOMMENTS - Club Newsletter
Editor: Joy Denman
47-593 Hui Kelu St.
Kaneohe, Hawaii 96744

A scottie won his Championship at WINDWARD HAWAIIAN DOG FANCIERS SHOW, April 13, 1975. NOONSUN MERRY MONARCH, by Ch. Kennelgarth King of Scots, X Noonsun Presentation. MONARCH is the first Scottish Terrier to have finished in Hawaii in many years. He did so in four shows, with four Best of Breeds, all majors, under 4 different judges. He is owned by Joy C. and Charles C. Denman and Nancy E. Scarci.

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S.T.C. OF CHICAGO

The S.T.C. Of Chicago held its 45th Annual Specialty, March 28, 1975 at the International Amphitheatre.

Mr. Robert C. E. Sharp judged an entry of 23 dogs, 38 bitches and 15 Specials, and Mr. John Sheehan judged 32 puppies in the Sweepstakes. BEST OF BREED - CH. RUFF-ME-TUFF ROUSTABOUT, by Ch. Gillis Prince William X Ch. Stedplane Suki. Owners: Jake and Nancy McClosky.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX - CH. KELTAN RESOLUTION, by Ch. Anstamm Happy Venture, X Dalriada Bonnie Tweed. Owner: Anne S. Goodell.

WINNERS BITCH AND BEST OF WINNERS - SONATA SERENADE, by Ch. Anstamm Happy Venture, X Ch. Reanda Razziella. Owners: Chris and Judy Hughes. WINNERS DOG - NEIDFYRE DONNE AGAPE, by Ch. Neidfyre Black Knight, X Neidgyre Ayen. Owner: Diedra Hannes.

BEST PUPPY IN SWEEPSTAKES - KENSPECKLE OF CHESS, by Ch. Renaldo's Total Score, X Ch. Gadget of Chess. Owner: Michael Mayville.

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THE PHOENIX S.T.C.

SCOTTISH TALES - Club Newsletter
Editor: Carole Preuss
2542 W. State Ave.
Phoenix, Ariz. 85021

The Second A.K.C. Sanctioned "A" Match was held Friday night, June 6, 1975, at North Mountain Park.

Kennan C. Glaser judged an entry of 9 dogs and 9 bitches.

BEST IN MATCH - PILLSBURY'S BLACK MAGIC, by Ch. Gosmore Eilburn Admiration, X Ch. Highland King's Dark Star. Owners: Clive N. Pillsbury and Estate of Mrs. C. N. Pillsbury.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH - McCUE'S KATIE DID. By Kenjo Venturesone Commander, X Jesabel III. Owner: Thomas McCue.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - CAPRE'S DUNEGUN GOLDSTON, by Ch. Capre's Blackjack of Gartland, X Ch. Capre's Corbeau of Gartland. Owners: Larry and Jackie Goldston.

Congratulations to this fine young Regional Club on their second AKC Sanctioned "A" Match. All are looking forward to your first Specialty Show in the near future.

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RE: THE BAGPIPER Spring Issue "The Parting"

The poem was never intended to be aimed at scotties or any breed, it was just a piece of creative writing by a 14 year old.

THIS WAS USED ONLY AS A SPACE FILLER, SO KEEP THE NEWS COMING COMING ABOUT YOUR CLUBS.

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

THE TARTAN - Club Newsletter

Editor: Mrs. Elizabeth Quigley
5020 Iroquois Street
College Park, Md. 20740

The Club held their A.K.C. Sanctioned "B" Match on May 31, 1975 at Alexandria, Virginia. Jackie Balog judged an entry of 19 Scots.

BEST ADULT AND BEST IN MATCH - HILYNN'S ROSE OF MIRKWOOD. Owner: Mrs. Mary Hicks.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - DAUNTLESS JAUNTY

JENNIFER. Owner: David & Sue Smith.

JUNIOR HANDLING: 1. Danny Carlson
(All were under 2. Elizabeth Ward
10 years of age) 3. Stephanie Mayer
4. Karen Welsh

CONGRATULATIONS. 5. Susan Vaughn

This Club will hold their 26th Annual Specialty Show on Oct. 10, 1975, White Oak Armory, Silver Springs, Md. Dr. Gerard Penta will Judge the regular classes and Alfred Mitchell the Sweepstakes.

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SAN FRANCISCO BAY S.T.C.

BAY SCOT BULLETIN - Club Newsletter

Editor: Marjory Meeder
10 Arroyo Drive
Orinda, Calif. 94563

On Sunday, April 27th the Spring A.K.C. Sanctioned "B" Match was held with a fine entry of Scots. Carol R. Simonds did the judging and placed the winners as follows:

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - GLEN MANOR BLACK KNIGHT,
By Ch. Charves Pacesetter, X Charves Karousel.

Owner: M. & E. George.

BEST ADULT OF OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH - MEDRICK'S KATIE SCARLETT, by Charves Dazzler Delegate, X Ch. Medrool's Georgie Girl. Owner: A. Woodriddle & M. Messenger.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - J-MAR MYSTIC HOLLY, by Ch. Moorscott Masterpiece, X Ch. Moorscott Mystic Moment. Owner: Dr. & Mrs. Prows.

BEST PUPPY OF OPPOSITE SEX IN MATCH - GILWYN MACKINTOSH, by Ch. Apfel's Mr. Morris, X Ch. Gaywyn Kilda. Owners: Gilbert & Neatha Robinson.

SECOND SPECIALTY SHOW

The SFBSTC will be holding their second Specialty show on September 13, 1975, in conjunction with the Combined Specialties at San Rafael, California.

The Regular Classes will be judged by Mr. Robert Charves and the Sweepstakes by Mr. F. J. (Bob) Bartos.

JOIN THE PARADE TO THE SFBSTC SPECIALTY SHOW.

For further information write to Isabelle McCool, 2174 33rd Ave. San Francisco, CA. 94116

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THE S.T.C. OF WESTERN VIRGINIA

UNDER THE KILT - Newsletter

Editor: Mrs. George B. Hach, Jr.
1534 Sherbrooke Drive
Lynchburg, Va. 24502

The Club Specialty will be held Thursday, August 28, 1975. Everyone is looking forward to the event with great enthusiasm.

Mr. Heywood Hartley will judge the Regular Classes and the Sweepstakes will be judged by Clarabelle Graham.

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THE S.T.C. OF NORTHERN OHIO, INC.

THE CLAN - Club Newsletter

Editor: Mrs. Hilda Beglow
East View Place
Negley, Ohio 44441

F U N M A T C H

This FUN Match was held on June 22, 1975. Confirmation classes were judged by Dorothy Hauch, who had an entry of 9 dogs and 11 bitches. Obedience was judged by Sherry Giebel and she had an entry of 6 Scotties.

BEST PUPPY BITCH - (2 - 4 mos.) DOON-DEE BONNIE,
By Dunbar's Royal Flush, X Lucky Girl Missy.
Owner: Thelma Smith.

BEST PUPPY DOG - (4 - 6 mos.) HILRAYS NERO, by Ch. Carnation Canonero, X Hilrays Carrie Nation.
Owner: Hilda Bigelow.

BEST PUPPY BITCH - (6 - 9 mos.) WAYRIDGE SASSY'S GRAND FINALE, by Wayridge War Lord, X Ch. Ridge Lei Sassy Girl. Owner: Cass & Wayne Ridgley.

BEST PUPPY DOG - (9 - 12 mos.) WAYRIDGE WAR SMOKE
by Ch. Wayridge Warlock, X Wayridge Patricia.
Owners: Cass & Wayne Ridgley.

BEST ADULT IN MATCH - WAYRIDGE PAGE GIRL, by Ch. Bardene Blue McBain, X Wayridge Miss Page.
Owner: Cass & Wayne Ridgley.

BEST VETERAN IN MATCH - LORELEI LADY OF KASSABA,
By Haycliff Harbor Light, X Highland Lady of Hilray. Owner: Beverly Haines.

HIGHEST SCORING SCOTTIE IN OBEDIENCE - LORELEI LADY OF KASSABA (Same as best adult in Match)

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TOP O'THE WORLD S.T.C.

A letter from Mary A. Wert tells me that the new Officers for the coming year are as follows:

CARL J. PETERSEN President
JAN BEAMAN Vice-Pres.
IRENE McCAULEY Secretary
LYNDA NIEDER Treasurer

Plans are now being made to hold a Fun Match some time in the fall 1975. Jan and Tom Beaman are doing some great winning with their Scots.

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Some months ago I promised readers a profile on Robert Sharp, noted Canadian breeder and judge, and was all set when our little scottie clan suffered blow upon blow. First news that a scottie I had regrettably sold three years previously as a puppy and who with each change of ownership had deteriorated and was to be put down, caused endless concern. After months of medical care and ensuing legal matters, we are hopefully on the road to full recovery. Added to this we lost very suddenly our "Prince" and it was impossible to concentrate. Everyone who breeds and cares deeply for their dogs must at one time or another face such a period. It is hard. We lost a dog, not only very vital to our long range breeding program, but a dear house pet, and added a now spayed female. However she has proven to be a good farm worker, watch dog and enjoys her OB training and the bond developed between us is a delight and reward enough for all the long nights of intensive nursing.

I was saddened to read the poem "The Parting" in the last issue of the Ragpiper. Are there still places where this out-dated method of euthanasia is used? Surely a needle to a dog used to regular Vet., care, causes him little distress and within SECONDS he is gone.

Best wishes to Anne Wildrick of Honolulu on her European trip. We all hope the leisurely cruise and tour of Britain and all the scottie folk she will see, will be the tonic needed to return Anne to full health again. Everyone knows how truly dedicated she is to our little breed and the joys and pleasures she not only derives herself but gives to others, from her many facets of scottiedom, never cease to amaze those who know her. Bon voyage!

My mail contained some very interesting letters including one from a lady who works and shows her scots. In conformation she felt perhaps they were penalized for lack of size yet they were well within the minimum standard. However she did raise one very interesting point about working trials and while it is not my intention to criticize those who drew up the rules, I do feel she has a worthy comment. A dog is required to remain a certain length of time in the tunnel "holding" his quarry, although of course he is unable to get at it. This would seem to be fine for a trial trained dog, but a real farm worker unable to reach his prey from one point will quickly scurry out and attempt to reach it from another, and I do feel that any dog who after reaching his quarry and being unable to make contact, surfaces and attempts to unearth it from a different point is showing working ability and initiative. an example comes to mind. A groundhog was flushed out by our "gang". Three of them cornered it behind the lumber pile. One climbed on top, another faced it and the third went around the back of the shed and attempted to dig under EXACTLY where it was cornered.

All this time the two "watch-dogs" continued an uninterrupted yapping. However a softie when it comes to killing and always let a large rodent go. Once he knows the score he doesn't return. Rats are different, they must be gotten rid of in short order. But back to the question. There are those who feel the job of the dog is to route out and hold. It depends on what one expects and perhaps working trials could take into account whether the dog is just a trial trained dog or an actual working dog. A very obvious comparison is the sheep dog trials where the weathered eye can easily distinguish between the actual farm dog and the one who is trial trained and goes from show to show. Here the farm dog needs no commands when one sheep breaks away and he is faced with split decisions, he knows what must be done and does it swiftly. The last issue of the SCOTCH BARK (Gr. Dallas S.T.C.) carried an account of a trial but no word on any scot entered. Please do send any trial news to either Maureen Setter or myself. Also lets hear about any farm dogs and their exploits.

Perhaps to counter the sad tone of last issue's poem, readers might like one of the many poems sent me by a lady who had used our "By Gosh". I hope you enjoy this as much as I.

By - Barbara Dominski.

MITTENS AND TYKE.

Mittens and Tyke decided one day
That they would become, in their own special way.
A part of the world, and so they were born
To By Gosh and Melody one cold, dark morn;
Two tiny tots, so Scottish and strong
Proving that they could to this world belong.

Mittens was black; Tyke, silver-brown,
One had a smile; the other, a frown,
But together they made such a special wee team
That their Mother Mel, in pride, could just beam
To think that these babies belonged just to her,
Such strong little puppies wee fistfuls of fur.

But Melody knew, deep down in her heart
That By Gosh had played such a wonderful part
In fathering both of her babies, so she
Told them both of their daddy, and how it would
If they grew up to be like By Gosh as well, (be
'Though they don't know him, it's not hard to
Whose babies these are, for Mittens and Tyke (tell
Are duplicates of Mel and By Gosh alike.

But fate stepped in, as is always the case
Splitting a family now had to take place,
Mittens decided that with Mel she'd stay
Which meant that Tyke had to be on his way.
Everyone loved him, but no one would take
This wonderful puppy, and hence a big ache
Welled up in his heart, and he wandered away
So all alone and with no one to play.

SECRETARY'S PAGE

MINUTES - BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEETING - KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI - JULY 19, 1975

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY THE PRESIDENT AT 9:00 A. M. THOSE PRESENT:

PRESIDENT, NICHOLAS LEVANDOSKI
CORR. SECRETARY, MARILYN MEADOR
A. K. C. DELEGATE, T. ALLEN KIRK, JR. M. D.

TREASURER, DONALD MASSAKER
RECORDING SECRETARY, ELAINE YOUNG
GOVERNORS: LOUISE ELLSWORTH
RICHARD HENSEL
MIRIAM STAMM

MINUTES OF THE APRIL MEETING WERE READ AND APPROVED AS CORRECTED (CORRECTION-STCA TO PAY TRAVEL EXPENSES OF GUEST INSTRUCTOR. MINUTES OF 4/12/75 READ ONE-HALF EXPENSES)

RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT: RESULTS OF VOTING REGARDING PROPOSED BY-LAW CHANGES WERE 169 YES VOTES AND 11 NO VOTES. THIS INDICATED APPROXIMATELY ONE-THIRD RESPONSE. DR. KIRK REQUESTED A NOTARIZED COPY OF THE TABULATION FOR PRESENTATION TO AKC AND THE ATTORNEYS.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT: LETTERS WERE READ FROM THE FOLLOWING CLUBS: LONG ISLAND STC, PHOENIX STC, JACKSONVILLE AREA STC.

MOTION: HENSEL. WRITTEN CONSENT FOR A SPECIALTY BY THE PHOENIX STC FOR PRESENTATION TO AKC BE GIVEN. PASSED.

MOTION: KIRK. THE JACKSONVILLE AREA STC BE OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED BY THE STCA AS A REGIONAL SPECIALTY CLUB. PASSED.

TABULATION: 160 YES VOTES WERE RECEIVED BY THE DEADLINE REGARDING THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION. DR. KIRK REQUESTED A NOTARIZED COPY OF THE TABULATION BE SENT HIM FOR PRESENTATION TO AKC AND ATTORNEYS. TWO NO VOTES WERE RECEIVED AFTER THE DEADLINE.

TREASURER'S REPORT: PRESENTED AND ACCEPTED. THE TREASURER REPORTED A DEFICIENCY OF \$808 IN THE TROPHY FUND. TROPHY COSTS HAVE TOTALED \$1,326 AND MONIES COLLECTED HAVE TOTALED \$ 748 TO DATE.

MOTION: MEADOR. IN VIEW OF THE DEFECIT IN THIS FUND, THE MEMBERSHIP BE REQUESTED TO BECOME MORE ACTIVE IN SUPPORTING THE TROPHY FUND. PASSED.

MOTION: HENSEL. THE STCA SUPPLY BEST OF BREED AND THROUGH TO FIRST IN ALL CLASSES SHOULD THERE NOT BE PARTICULAR DONATIONS MADE. SPECIFIC DONATIONS TO BE SOLICITED FROM THE MEMBERSHIP OR OTHER SOURCES FOR SECOND THROUGH TO FOURTH PLACINGS, BEGINNING WITH PUPPY AND BRED BY EXHIBITOR. PASSED.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BY-LAWS COMMITTEE: DR. KIRK REPORTED HE ANTICIPATED A COMMITMENT FROM THE AKC IN TIME FOR THE OCTOBER ELECTIONS.

NON-PROFIT STATUS: DR. KIRK REPORTED THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION ARE PRESENTLY AT AKC AWAITING APPROVAL.

MINI WORKSHOPS: MIRIAM STAMM REPORTED SIX LETTERS HAD BEEN RECEIVED. ALL WERE DISCUSSED.

MOTION: HENSEL. THE COMMITTEE PROCEED WITH SETTING UP MINI WORKSHOPS IN THE OREGON, NEW ENGLAND AND TEXAS AREAS. PASSED.

ILLUSTRATED STANDARD: THE COMMITTEE HEADED BY ROBERT GRAHAM HAS RECEIVED A NUMBER OF ESTIMATES ON THE COST OF REPRODUCING THE ILLUSTRATIONS, BUT BECAUSE OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE DRAWINGS AND THEIR REPRODUCTION, THEY FELT FURTHER STUDY WAS REQUIRED.

MOTION: MASSAKER. THE COMMITTEE CONTINUE WITH ITS STUDY AND PRESENT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS AT MONTGOMERY COUNTY AND AT THAT TIME THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE BE DIRECTED TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THE FINANCIAL NEEDS OF THE COMMITTEE. PASSED.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: THE REPORT WHICH WAS SUBMITTED TO THE MEMBERSHIP BY THE COMMITTEE WAS PRESENTED: PRESIDENT, NICHOLAS LEVANDOSKI; VICE PRESIDENT, J. RICHARD SEELBACH; TREASURER, DONALD MASSAKER; RECORDING SECRETARY, ELAINE YOUNG; CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, CATHERINE RIDGLEY; AKC DELEGATE, DR. T. ALLEN KIRK, JR. CLASS I DIRECTORS - MARILYN MEADOR, HARRY SEBEL, JR., JOHN SHEEHAN & MIRIAM STAMM. CLASS II DIRECTORS - JOYCE GAST, CAROLE PREUSS, ROBERT MARSHALL & HERBERT QUARLES.

DISCUSSION: THE PRESIDENT REPORTED BEING NOTIFIED OF THE PROFESSIONAL HANDLER STATUS OF MRS. CAROLE PREUSS OF ARIZONA. THE BOARD DISCUSSED THE NOMINATION OF PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS. IT IS STCA POLICY THAT PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS NOT BE NOMINATED TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS BECAUSE OF THE APPARENT CONFLICT OF INTEREST. THE BOARD DIRECTED THE PRESIDENT TO CONTACT MRS. PREUSS AND ASK THAT SHE WITHDRAW HER NAME FROM THE NOMINATION. MEMBERS OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE AND THE BOARD WERE UNAWARE OF MRS. PREUSS' PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS STATUS PRIOR TO THE SUBMISSION OF THE REPORT TO THE MEMBERSHIP. (MRS. PREUSS SUBSEQUENTLY REFUSED TO WITHDRAW HER NAME FROM NOMINATION AND HER NAME MUST REMAIN ON THE BALLOT.)

RECOMMENDATION: SO THAT THERE WILL NOT BE CONTINUOUS CONFUSION OVER BOARD POLICIES, MRS. STAMM RECOMMENDED THE BOARD REVIEW PRESENT AND PAST POLICIES SO ALL MAY BE COGNIZANT, AND THAT THIS BE DONE ANNUALLY.

APPOINTMENT: THE PRESIDENT APPOINTED A COMMITTEE OF FIVE, HEADED BY ROBERT MARSHALL. COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE BETTY MALINKA, CORNELIA CRISSEY, ROBERT GRAHAM & DR. KIRK. THEY ARE TO REPORT BACK AT THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY MEETING.

OLD BUSINESS

SPECIAL AWARDS OF STERLING SILVER MEDALLIONS: MEDALLIONS HAVE BEEN PURCHASED AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION.

MOTION: HENSEL. THAT THE MEMBERSHIP PARTICIPATE IN THE NOMINATION OF STCA MEMBERS WHO HAVE BEEN & ARE OUTSTANDING IN THEIR SERVICE TO THE STCA. THESE RECOMMENDATIONS BE IN WRITING AND ACCOMPANIED WITH QUALIFICATION. PASSED. (DIRECT NOMINATIONS TO CORRES. SECRETARY PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 15, 1975.)

ANSTAMM ACHIEVEMENT AWARD: BY UNANIMOUS DECISION, DR. T. ALLEN KIRK, JR. WAS NOMINATED AND AWARDED THIS HONOR BASED ON OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS, CONTRIBUTIONS AND INTEREST.

REGIONAL STCA COMMITTEE: MOTION: STAMM. THAT THE PRESENT COMMITTEE OF FOUR HEADED BY BARBARA DUNHAM BE EXPANDED BY CONTACTING REGIONAL CLUBS FOR INDIVIDUAL REPRESENTATION. PRESENT COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE MIRIAM STAMM, JOHN SHEEHAN & ROBERT MARSHALL. PASSED.

NEW BUSINESS

JUDGES SELECTION - MONTGOMERY COUNTY 1976: REGULAR CLASSES: 1. ED BRACY, 2. INEZ HARTLEY, 3. PETER THOMSON, 4. NICK CALICURA & MILDRED BRYANT, 5. JEAN FANCY. SWEEPSTAKE CLASSES: 1. IRENE ROBERTSON, 2. TOM NATALINI, 3. JACKIE SEELBACH & BARBARA DUNHAM, 4. BARBARA DESAYE.

ADVERTISING IN BAGPIPER: TO BE CONSIDERED WITH A DETAILED REVIEW OF PRINTING COSTS. DISCUSSION TO BE CONTINUED AT MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

ANNUAL AWARDS - CLARIFICATION OF WORDING: MOTION: HENSEL. THAT THE WORDING FOR AWARDS IN THE CLASSES HAVE AN ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION. THE WORDS "ONE OR MORE DOGS" BE ADDED FOLLOWING...THERE IS COMPETITION BETWEEN DOGS OF DIFFERENT OWNERS. PASSED.

MOTION: MEADOR. THAT THE FOLLOWING WORDS BE ADDED FOLLOWING "...EXHIBITING A SCOTTISH TERRIER" IN THE DESCRIPTION OF A CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT, "A WIN OF BEST JUNIOR HANDLER FROM THE NOVICE CLASS OVER THE OPEN CLASS COMPETITION WILL COUNT AS ONE POINT TOWARD THE CERTIFICATE". PASSED.

NEW MEMBERS: 39 PERSONS WERE PRESENTED FOR MEMBERSHIP. MOTION: MEADOR. THAT THE 38 PERSONS BE ACCEPTED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE ON THE GROUNDS OF STATUS. BACK DUES WOULD HAVE TO BE PAID IN ORDER THAT THE INDIVIDUAL BECOME A MEMBER ACCORDING TO STCA BY-LAWS.

SCHEDULE FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD MEETING: THE BOARD WILL MEET AT 2 P. M. SATURDAY. A BOARD MEETING OF THE NEW OFFICERS WILL FOLLOW THE ELECTION.

SUBMITTED BY: ELAINE YOUNG, RECORDING SECRETARY

"WITH LOVE TO DUFFIE"

Hi! Ho! What do you know!
 It's seven o'clock and time to go!
 The hills already are shining and sunny,
 And Duffie's late for his morning bunny - -
 Up through the bush those little legs run,
 A black streak of spirit, courage and fun
 His shrill hunting yips give plenty of warning
 That a mighty brave hunter has come out this morning!

Then back to the pond for a drink and a swim,
 While the tad poles and minnows dart wildly from him.
 His friend, old hound "Pinto" jumps in with a thud,
 And the two soon start tumbling around in the mud.

After all this, a naptime next is allotted - -
 Two friends curl up closely, one black and one spotted.
 On waking, there's still much to do 'til sundown - -
 Nine cats to instruct with a dignified frown!

They all must be taught when the Scotsman's in charge,
 He intends them to scatter and stay well at large!
 Mainly because he has found it a waste
 Not to eat all their dinners which quite suit his taste!

Refreshed, to the field for a run through the hay,
 As he must go to ground with a gopher each day!
 At last evening comes -- time for "Brushing and such!"
 This doesn't go over with old Duff too much!

It has something to do with "Today is the Show!"
 When all pile in the car and away we go - -
 At Ringside, his life on the ranch fades away
 He must answer his forbears with honor today.

With heart and head high - he does all he can do,
 Wanting so much to please, and enjoying it too!
 No matter the ribbon, whether red, blue, or yellow
 He's won all our hearts, He's our dear little fellow.

(Sent in by - Marriet D. Chastain. P. O. Box 123,
 Williamsburg, N. M. 87942.

TO WARREN: AN APOLOGY

Sometimes, when players race for squeaking toys,
 it's easy, when intent upon the chase,
 to claim the right-of-way due little boys
 and win a tie instead of second place.

I neither want to tie nor wish to win
 if doing so might mean I'd lose a friend;
 I'd rather be companions to begin
 and find us friends at competition's end.

I ask the quarter that I did not give
 and send this note to see if you'll forgive.
 /s/ Andy

Written by - Mr. Lee Netzler
 251 Kalalau Street
 Honolulu, Hawaii, 96825

"TICK PARALYSIS"

During the summer months a special effort should be made to keep our dogs free of ticks. Certain species of ticks are capable of causing flaccid paralysis of dogs, other domestic animals, and man. The female tick secretes a neurotoxin causing total paralysis and death in many cases. Just one tick frequently may be capable of causing paralysis.

The symptoms of tick paralysis first becomes evident as an incoordination in the hind limbs resulting in an unsteady gait. Reflexes are lost but sensation may be gradual over a one to two day period with complete immobilization at the end. Further advance results in respiratory failure and death.

Frequently check your pets for ticks, especially the ears, face and between the toes. If ticks are found, pull them off and prevent further infestation by using tick collars, sprays, powder or dips.

Ticks on our dogs are a real health hazard and in our kennel or home a catastrophe. By - Dr. Jim Alexander.
 (Taken from the S.T.C. of Greater Atlanta.)

(Mittens & Tyke Con't)

So the purpose of this, though it did begin gay,
 Is to ask who could possibly take Tyke some day
 To love and to give him a good home so he
 Could be happy again, and again full of glee.

The fate of this puppy now rests on this page
 For someone to free him from his mental cage;
 Tyke loves and Tyke lives, and Tyke happy could be
 And says, "Please someone help make this happen for me."

By - Betty Bailey.

P.S. Betty's parents now have Tyke.



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"TO CRICKET & HER PUPS ON THEIR FIRST BIRTHDAY"
MAY, 1975

Little puppies, bright and gay
Cricket's offsprings - what a way
To carry on the shiny nose
The wagging tail - the sweet repose
Of warm pulsating tongue laid down
To briefly rest from fun abound.

So may the line endure and grow
A joy for all the world to know
In spite of sadness, toil and strife
These dogs bring sunshine in our life.

By - Florence Appleshwhite.

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STCGNY - has been granted permission to hold their first AKC Sanctioned "A" Match. Sept. 14, 1975 will be the date, the Edison Recreation building will be the place. Mr. Ron Schaeffer will do the judging.

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The results of the Spring Puppy Match, held on April 27, 1975. Louise Benham judged and placed as follows:

BEST IN MATCH & BEST ADULT - Clever Caesar & Owned by Debbie Mackie.

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH - Ferguson, he was owned by John Hughes.

The tear sheet or Xerox copy of the Specialty Show held in June was not received for this Issue of the BAGPIPER. (con't pg.16)

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