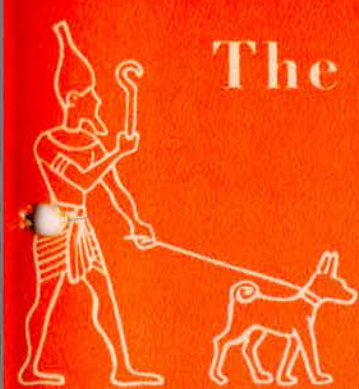




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THE MAILBOX

From Miss M. E. Hassall, Contour House,
Wood Lane, Kingswear, Dartmouth, Devon, England

On reading Joyce Mullis's report on her visit to Miss Veronica Tudor-Williams (appearing in "London Limelights" of the September 1970 issue of "The Basenji") I was so astonished that she did not make any real comments on the slides of the 1959 trip into the Southern Sudan, where the now famous FULA OF THE CONGO was found, that I feel compelled to make good the omission.

When Joyce and her family visited Veronica's home, I was also a guest in her house, and I also saw the coloured slides. We saw shots of the preparation for safari into the Zande country in search of native Basenjis and the eventual finding of some delightful dogs and bitches with their native masters. The slides showed glimpses of the progress of Veronica and her companions from one native village to the next and their disappointment when beautiful, typey specimens were seen but could not be bought, so highly prized were they by their owners. We saw mixed groups of reds, tris and tiger-striped, some fully grown and elegant, and others still puppies. The puppies were nearly always cradled in the arms of their owners; and there were many slides of grown dogs, some against a background of green tropical forest and bush; the reds standing out like captured splashes of sunlight, and the blending into the shadows with the natural grace of animals of the wild. There were several slides of the puppies which were brought back - FULA and the tiger-striped BINZA (full title now - CH. BINZA OF LAUGHING BROOK) and these were quite delightful.

For a time I was transported by the slides to the natural world of the Basenji, and I realised after the showing that I had seen something quite unique in the documentation of the present development of the breed. Finally we saw some slides of a few "OF THE CONGO" Champions, CH. FULAFUTURE OF THE CONGO being the most outstanding. Miss Veronica Tudor-Williams has, to date, bred 99 Champion Basenjis, and the contribution made by FULA herself to the recent improvement in the breed can best be summed up by Stanley Dangerfield's own words, "Although only nine short years ago, all the world's Top Basenjis are descended from FULA. No dog in any breed has ever made a more dramatic contribution to progress!"

I understand that less than six Americans have been lucky enough to see the slides of the "Fula Safari." One of these was Walter R. Fletcher, Kennel Editor of the "New York Times," who paid a flying visit to England in 1968 to meet four of the Top British Dog Breeders (his visit was too short to see more than four). Miss Veronica Tudor-Williams was one of the four he chose to visit. After seeing the "Fula Safari" slides his comment was, "Wonderful - Americans would go mad over these!"

I should be most grateful if you could find space to include this letter in the "Mailbox" in the next issue, as I feel it will be of great interest to your readers. Thank you!

From Francis J. Gowens
649 Kaha Street, Kailua, Hawaii 96734

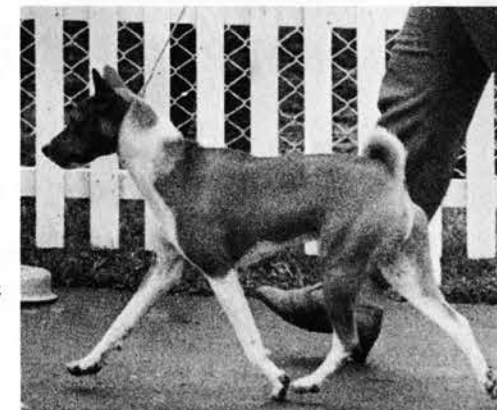
As you can see from the enclosed show results, CH. KEIKI O KA MAKU PO was shown again for the first time since completing his championship shortly before Dottie's death in 1968. He did himself proud although he was a bit ring rusty and was handled by a man who was in the show ring for

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the first time.

You will notice he has again changed owners. Frank Angell who co-owned him with Dottie, developed quite a serious heart condition and had to return to the Mainland. He was physically unable to give the dogs the love and care (particularly exercise) necessary. Pam and Jim Haley came to the rescue and adopted SWEETIE (KEIKI'S grandmother) and KEIKI, even though they already had two Basenjis of their own and live in the city.

The little fellow going Best of Winners (TENKI'S FULA AQUARIUS AZENDA) is Rex Tanaka's recent English import. He is a little beauty and not yet a year old. He will be a real asset to the Basenji fanciers here on the island. He is going to be a major competitor in the showring also. I understand Miss Tudor-Williams was instrumental in selecting him for Rex.

The turn-out of Basenjis was small but interest seems to be building as there were many new owners ringside with questions about showing, breeding, etc. I haven't shown anything in about two years, although I still have PICO and MITSUE CHAN and maintain an active interest in Basenji doings. The Tanakas and the Haleys are the mainstay of the Basenji Fanciers here in Hawaii.

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CURLY TALES FROM THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS

by Diane Laue

3593 East Lake Drive, Littleton, Colorado 80120

This month I have worked up a tally of the Top Ten Basenjis in the country in both Best of Breed wins and Group Placements. For any new readers who might not know what is involved, I will briefly explain the system. Of course, the number of Best of Breed wins per dog is self explanatory. Points earned for group placements are determined by the number of hounds a particular Basenji beats in earning his place in the group. For instance, if a Basenji places first in group he would have to his credit one point for each hound shown at that particular show. If he were to place second in group with, say an Afghan winning first, then the Basenji would earn points for all hound breeds except those in Afghans. If a Basenji goes Best in Show, he would earn points totaling the entire conformation entry at that show.

The following tally includes all 1970 shows as published in the American Kennel Gazette, through the August issue.

TOP TEN BEST OF BREED WINNERS (Jan. through May 1970)

1. CH. BETSY ROSS GOLDEN JET	J. & R. Smith	22
2. CH. REVEILLE RE-UP	E. S. Hoffman	12
2. CH. SHANGU OF HILLS HALF ACRE	M. & F. Hill	12
4. CH. TESSERACT PRINCESS PANDORA	W. & W. Pace	8
5. CH. CAMBRIA'S KILIMANJARO	J. Leech, J. Deck	7
6. CH. BETSY ROSS GUY MUNGAI	Newman/Hampton	6
6. CH. TERRYU'S RUSSET VALOR	R. Gwartney	6
8. CH. AMENHOTEP PERAA KENBACO,	C. W. Peek	5
8. CH. LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS MELISA	Newmann	5
8. CH. OBA MILO,	C. & M. Cavaleri	5
8. CH. SHIKARI'S ZURI	P. Church	5

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We are also proud of KHAJAH'S GAY SERENA, who at 8 months of age in her show debut, at the Tri-State Kennel Club show, Wheeling, West Virginia, September 13, went Best of Breed and Group 3. Entered at the Eastern Specialty, SERENA was unable to compete as she was recuperating from a severe reaction to a spider bite. SERENA is another outstanding "FLAMBEAU" pup. To date, FLAMBEAU is the sire of 5 Champions with many more offspring well on their way to Championships. Let your next show puppy be a FLAMBEAU puppy - tops in Conformation and Disposition. The record speaks for itself!! Or, select FLAMBEAU to be the sire of your next litter!

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WHITHER SHALL WE WANDER

by Mrs. C. W. White

"Dormtiki" Old Mill Lane, Bray, Berkshire, England

As a comparative "tyro" in this show business of ours, I would like to write in speculation of this great big, wonderful world of our Basenjis; not as a professional - not exactly as an amateur, but as an in-between and an enthusiastic one.

Four years in the game does not qualify one for anything very much, apart from observation, attention to detail, and making manifold mistakes! To survive one year could be a feat in itself, depending, of course, what is at the other end of the lead. I personally, with hundreds of others, arrived in the show game by chance. A promising puppy, a desire not to let the breeder down, and a natural inquisitiveness to see what it was all about. In moments I was to wonder what on earth possessed me - firstly in buying a pedigreed pup, and secondly, sift through the complicated classes in order to enter my dog under so many scrutinizing eyes. At times I wondered if I was leading a donkey into the ring, because my pup's anatomy had undergone so many descriptions that I hardly recognized him as a dog at all! Happily for us, I soon arrived at the fact that any attention to him was complimentary and he was worth showing. That first Reserve Card was the greatest joy and pride, and although we have done much better since, I doubt if anything can supersede it.

From small beginnings my hobby began, and in no time at all it became the hobby and interest of my family also. From showing to breeding with more mistakes and keener desire to do better. Soon we were studying, observing, listening and learning until one day the realization that as potential breeders for the future we had a fair-sized responsibility to uphold the standard as best we could and produce and exhibit the best that was British.

But what are the most important points to strive for, and what should take order of precedence? Is it conformation, temperament, colour, movement or markings? Should a well-marked animal with structural faults be set over an animal of ideal conformation, but less perfect in colour or marking? Ideally, all are important, but no perfect animal has yet been bred. Poor temperament eventually eliminates itself out of the show ring, and one hopes, out of the breeding programme - but often faults remain. Surely these faults will reproduce themselves whether they be structural or otherwise, but which are the most vital to eliminate and how can a determined breeder, (continued on next page)

LAGNIAPPES OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

by Nancy Ann Park

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Since Jaunita Deck is terribly busy with new duties for the B. C. O. A., along with her previous duties for the B. C. O. - S. C., I will be your new column writer.

I hope to include at least one helpful hint for the novice owners each month, and have guest writers from time to time. If you have any questions, or want a subject covered, please write and it will be taken care of. This column will be, to a large extent, what you make it - please contribute if you can.

I have been raising Basenjis since 1964, and have been owned by them since 1962. I am a zoology student, hoping to graduate eventually, am single and have Basenjis instead of a husband and children for the present anyway. I have mainly DRUMADOON, TINAS COMA and MERLEA bloodlines; and am swimming in a stream of quite exquisite CAMBRIA Basenjis. I was delighted to be one of the first to have a dominant black and white in California, and think I was the first to whelp a black and white litter here, but I may be wrong.

HINT FOR THE NOVICES - Start very young in your nail-cutting routine, starting at one week old is best, and continuing every week thereafter, if possible, so that when the pups are grown they will be used to it and won't fight. Keep a supply of Kwik-Stop available to stop any bleeding immediately. This is a type of Styptic Powder and works very well. Don't be afraid to nick the quick (though don't try to) as it really doesn't hurt that much - it certainly won't do the dog much harm.

A quick note - I want to thank all the people who wrote to me when I lost my dogs in the fire, especially to The Evergreen Basenji Club. I hope to thank everyone by letter when I find the time.

Please write - this is your column!

NEW CHAMPION



CH. TANJI OF WILMER

(Pending AKC confirmation)

TANJI finished with a flare, a 5-point major at Des Moines, Iowa, September 6, 1970, under Judge Arthur Zane. TANJI has 3 majors with 17 points. Owner-Breeder handled to her Championship, she will now start obedience and gun dog training. Wilma and Mervin Bauer, 300 Lawnridge, Creve Coeur, Illinois 61611.

BASENJI CLUB OF NEW ENGLAND

"yankee doin's"

by Robert House

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The 1970 Eastern BCOA Specialty is now in the record books and congratulations to Mrs. Hoffman's CH. REVEILLE RE-UP for not only winning the breed, but "UPPITY" went on to BEST IN SHOW!

Miss Damara Bolte is also to be congratulated on breeding and handling this great dog to his numerous Best in Show wins.

These Best in Show wins are good advertisement for our breed and helps our Basenjis gain the recognition they deserve.

It has been a pleasure working with Mr. Robert Yanowitz as Eastern Specialty co-chairman. We are happy to report that this was a most successful specialty and at this time we would like to thank all persons and participants who donated so generously with time and money to make this year's specialty a success. Mrs. Bernice Walker of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, purchased the lucky ticket that won the Kennel-aire crate that was raffled to raise trophy money.

The Basenji Club of New England had been invited to hold its annual fall match at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gilbert of Peterboro, New Hampshire, this year.

The date was September 19; the weather was beautiful, our judge Mr. Malcolm MacDonald selected LINZEY'S HIGHLAND PIPER as Best in Match, and Roland Parenteau's new male puppy as Best Puppy in Match (sorry I didn't get the puppy's name).

The Gilberts own a very large country home and many

YOUNG HOPEFUL



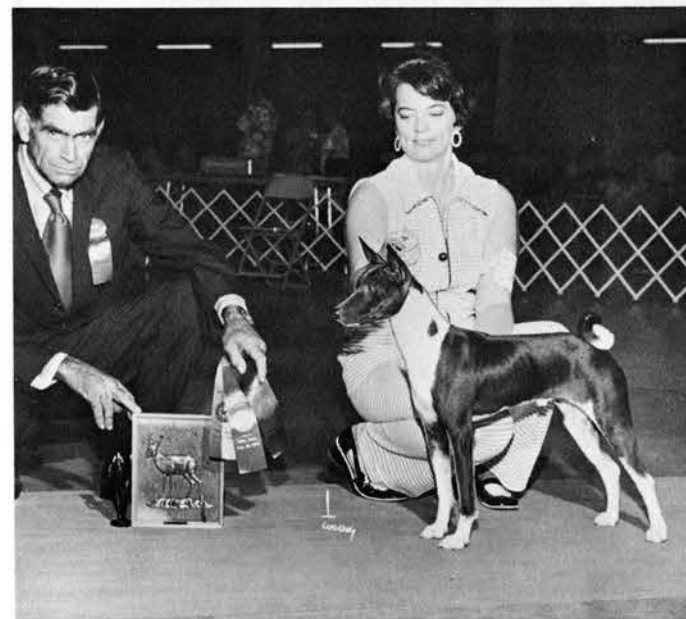
SIMBA'S GUSTY GAIL d'ALVERNE

Sire: ITALIAN & INTERNATIONAL CH. TAUNY SIMBA

Dam: ANTEFAA LEDAA RAA OF THE CONGO

This sweet pretty little tri has the most wonderful character and is a great tail-wagger. She has the correct, dark, small eye, good wrinkle, and is a very sound mover. Born November 24, 1969. Breeder-Owner: Mrs. George A. Rundle, Domaine d'Alverne, 06 Berre-les-Alpes, Cote d'Azur, France.

BEST OF WINNERS



SPEARWOOD BLACK BUMBLEBEE

(Sir Dannitar of Horsley x Spearwood Dainty Lil' Doe)

BUMBLEBEE (9 mo.) is pictured winning 4 points at Dallas, Texas, his first time out. Judge was Mr. Ed Bracy. BUMBLEBEE is an extremely good, sound mover and measures a very elegant 17 1/4 inches tall. Owner/Breeder/Handler: Mrs. Ragna Spears, 10223 Vernlyn, San Antonio, Texas 78230.

of the BCONE members spent the night before the match as guests of the Gilberts. A pre-match dinner was also enjoyed by these guests at a local motel.

This year the BCONE will support the entry of the Boston Dog Show in December. We expect a large entry, and this should produce a major in both sexes. The Boston Show is benched and sometime during the day, a dinner is planned for Basenji owners. I will have more information on this event in next month's issue. Don't forget to enter!

WITHER SHALL WE WANDER (concluded)
aiming for the standard, set to work!

Obviously, no ancestry is free of imperfections and certain line-breeding can produce splendid results. The new breeder (or novice breeder) relies almost entirely on everything he can learn from the background breeding of the dog or bitch of his choice. If he is wise he assesses the virtues and faults of the breeding of the stud dog and bitch for the start of his breeding programme. He is bound to rely almost entirely on the integrity and honesty of the breeding partner involved, and once the progeny are born he is, in part, on his own. I say "in part" because a breeder in his aim towards perfection can never, in the interest of the breed, quite be on his own. Each one is dependent on the other to some degree.

The next step may be towards a good calculated out-cross mating - once again relying on the clarity and honesty of the breeding partner involved. Patently, the new programme must be studied intelligently and unless the hidden faults are revealed and the pedigrees discussed in full - with all the discrepancies and virtues equally evaluated - no progress towards the ideal in temperament, conformation, colour, movement, and correct gait can properly be attained.

The show game is the breeders' shop window through-out the country and the world.

SHADOBI KENNEL

CONGRATULATES



CAN. CH. HENTYPKENYA'S SHADOBI BRASCA

and her owner-handler, A. L. Braun
Shown three times in Canada, she won three 5-point Best of Breeds over specials and one Group 4 to finish her Canadian championship (subject to CKC confirmation).

Breeders: *Patricia and Irvin Sturm*
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Ramblin' With Grannie Green

by Evelyn M. Green
Box 3221, North Station, Meridian, Mississippi 39301

The main topic of discussion this month will be various aspects and opinions about breeding.

It is hoped that the selection of studs has already been made for our "ladies in waiting." To borrow an expression from the present-day generation, one does not breed for "bread" alone. Neither are "paper" (pedigree) breedings infallible to produce the best quality puppies. And let me hasten to add, at this point, I'm not knocking line-breeding. I am an advocate of it. Even in the most advantageous line-breeding there are other aspects to be taken into consideration. I am inclined to agree with a prominent judge, who prior to his being licensed to judge, produced many fine champions in his kennel, that the bitch is the dominant factor in reproduction.

With this thought in mind, the breeder must be certain that the bitch he is planning to breed to that "great" champion is equally good conformation-wise. This does not necessarily mean that she must be a champion. It is very important, however, that she does not have a bad fault which she can pass on to her progeny. Therefore we not only look at pedigrees for compatible line-breeding, but we look closely at the pair we are planning to breed. How do they balance physically. Will strong points be over-emphasized in the puppies? Will existing faults or weaknesses be worsened? No matter how carefully one breeds, scientifically or otherwise, not every puppy in a litter is a potential champion. But we can heighten that possibility through intelligent breeding practices.

About this time comes the question of culling in the kennel. There should be no more dogs in a kennel than can be properly cared for without overcrowding. No more than can be

cared for efficiently and easily, so kennel routine does not become burdensome. This means sacrificing some of the overflow, offering them for sale or making other satisfactory arrangements. Bitches which are proven non-producers can be sold to homes where the owner is looking for a pet.

Above all, before you breed, be certain that you can adequately care for the prospective litters. This means proper whelping and puppy quarters which are isolated from the actual kennel. Take into consideration the available market for pups. A surplus of puppies which can not be sold equals an overcrowded kennel. How many puppies does the breeder feel he can market readily? Are there reservations on hand? Take all of these things into consideration in planning your litters.

Most of all, the goal of every breeder should be to elevate quality in his kennel with each breeding, every new acquisition.

THE BASENJI CLUB OF CINCINNATI

by Doris Kukuk
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The Kentucky Labor Day Show Circuit proved to be majors all three days. The weather was perfect and so was the company.

At the Hodgenville show, September 6, Junior Handler, Billy Kukuk, won first place in Novice along with a great big trophy.

Our club meeting, September 12, had excellent entertainment in the form of four movies obtained from the Carnation Company, on grooming tips, nutrition, etc. It was held at the home of Mr. Robin Heath who was hosting a farewell meeting prior to his departure for Korea with the armed forces.

Our area will soon have a second puppy mill trafficking in Basenjis. At least, this is all we can think about a woman who is trying to lease five Basenji bitches and buy one male before October 1. She does not care what color, what ages, or what bloodlines she gets - just so they all can be bred to the male. We have been alerting pet owners, etc., in our area of these activities and can only hope to slowher down. Prevention seems impossible. If she were not so blatant about her activities in obtaining these Basenjis, we might not have caught on. This seems to be a constant problem breeders must battle. Our only hope is that "The Good Guys Always Win!"

CURRENT CONTENDER

NAPTALI NAMKIBI
NUBIAN KEKUI

(Ron-Anne's Black
Lancer x Naptali's
Empress of Namibi)

Owner:
Nancy Ann Park
115 S. Lucia Ave.
Redondo Beach, Ca.



COOKIE, shown at 9 mo., has been shown at 6 puppy matches with never less than a 3rd placement in large classes, and won a 4th in Jr. puppy class at the specialty at Santa Cruz, over 9 other puppies. Look for him in the ring soon. This boy will really go places with his beautiful conformation and gait.

KNOW YOUR FELLOW JUNIORS

by Denise Craven, Route 2, Mount Airy, Maryland 21771

This month my column is written by Ross Dwinells, 22 Fuller Place, Franklin, Massachusetts 02038.

"17 - 21 LIMBO?"

"Recently, in "The Interlude," the monthly newsletter published by The Basenji Club of New England, I wrote a short article urging a bigger and better program for our juniors. Miss Denise Craven, the writer of this column read it and agreed with me. The majority of our local and national breed clubs, as well as our local kennel clubs are sadly lacking in the matter of good programs for our junior members. In a letter to me, she explained the situation that now exists, where junior is finished with their junior showmanship activities at seventeen years of age, and from there on until they are twenty-one are more or less in a state of limbo. They are too old for junior showmanship, yet are too young to become full-fledged members of their breed clubs. There are exceptions to this rule, of course, but in most cases this holds true. When there are exceptions, usually a young person has to be at least eighteen before they are given full adult status in our clubs. This is a situation I am sure should be, and could be remedied.

"When a young person reaches the age of seventeen it is an impressionable time of their life, it is then the members of clubs should be giving the utmost of encouragement to our juniors. As it is now, our programs - such as they are - cease functioning for them entirely. True, any young person can continue to show their dogs in competition after they reach seventeen, but how about the rest of it? They cannot participate in their breed club activities, they are no longer part of the junior showmanship programs, the comradeship that is so much a part of breeding and exhibiting dogs is simply not there. Unless a young person has an unlimited enthusiasm to be part of the "Fancy," it is at this time they lose their interest in the entire matter. It is a rare occasion when one hears of a young adult who is interested in the breeding and exhibiting of purebred dogs is ever found among those young people demonstrating, raiding and looting, and participating in the diverse illegal activities practised by some of the younger generation today. A continuing program for our juniors after they reach seventeen is a much needed activity by all of the dog clubs. In addition to stimulating interest in our breed and clubs, there is no question that society as a whole benefits from young adults taking part in ALL dog activity. After all, if the Federal Government has seen fit to lower the voting age of our young people, why can't we do the same?

"Just what are the programs for juniors in the various clubs at present? It appears to consist entirely of listing the wins of our junior members in junior showmanship at the different dog shows. This is all very nice for the winners, and I agree they should be recognized, but what about all the juniors who participate and do not win? Should they be ignored? I am sure their interest and dedication is just as strong as the others. They also should get recognition for their efforts. Do the clubs give trophies and awards for junior showmanship wins, or for outstanding endeavors in the breeding of purebred dogs? Speaking from my own experience, I know of only one time that a junior was so honored by our Basenji club. A gold medallion was presented to a young lady at Madison Square Garden for accumulating enough wins to be invited to participate there in junior competition three years in a row. I am sure there are many more of our juniors who should receive recognition and awards from our club for the outstanding jobs they have done in breeding and exhibiting their dogs.

"One club, The Basenji Club of New England, has realized how deficient they have been in their past junior programs and has done something about it. They have created, as a start,

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two awards to be presented to juniors at their annual meeting in January. They will award a trophy to the junior who has the most number of wins in junior showmanship in 1970, and more important, will award a suitably engraved plaque to the junior who has done the most for the breed and club during the year. A special committee has been appointed to determine who will receive these awards, and in addition, at each club match, club meeting and supported show, a junior will be designated as the junior chairman and will assign certain definite duties to the other juniors. In the near future the BCONE expects to sponsor a junior club within their club, with their own officers and board of directors. The two awards for 1970 were donated by Mr. Ovide Varin of Narragansett, Rhode Island. He is very much interested in bigger and better programs for juniors and many of the ideas for the BCONE junior program originated with him. We in New England would like to see other regional clubs and perhaps the BCOA initiate more activities for our juniors to participate in. Any time given to the encouragement of our young people is time well spent."

Next month there will be news about a 4-H program in Missouri. Also news about several other junior handlers I've met in the past two months. Keep showing and have fun!

HANNALORE KENNELS

PRESENTS —

CH. KHAJAH'S MIDNITE EAGLE

WINS SPECIALTY AGAIN

Second time out - BCONE Specialty, Mrs. Carl B. Cass
Winners Dog - Best of Winners, 5 points, July 27, 1969

BCOA Supported Show, Judge Alva Rosenberg, 3 points
September 1, 1969, Winners Dog - Best of Winners

AND NOW - BCOA Eastern Specialty, September 19, 1970
Judge Alva Rosenberg, Winners Dog - Best of Winners

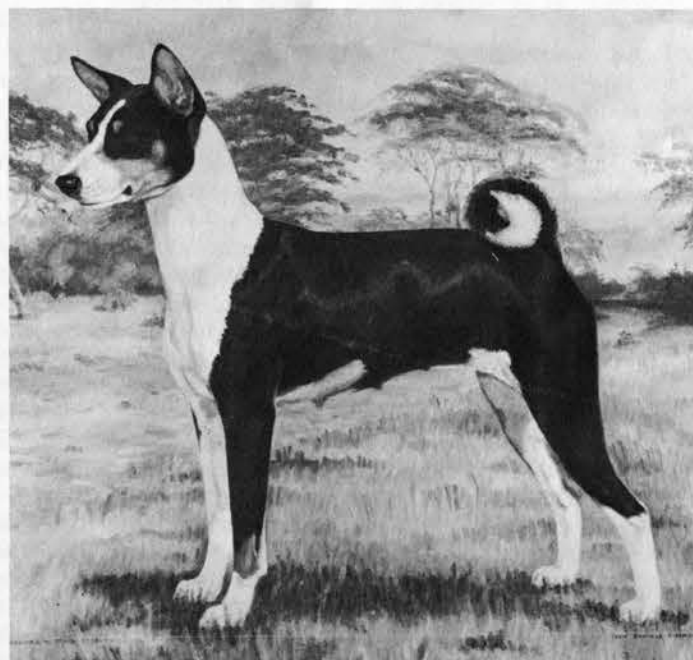
TO FINISH HIS TITLE

"EAGLE" Congratulates his tri daughter —
APOGEE'S BONITA UNO and Breeder/Owners —
Duane and Marie Perry on winning WB and BOW at the
Basenji Club of Canada Specialty, August 1970. BONNIE
finished her title there, had three 5-point majors, and
has several points towards her American title.



"THE LOOK OF AN EAGLE"

and



portrait by Jean D. Simmonds

Am. & Can. CH. HANNALORE'S MAID MARION

"MARION" finished her American title under Judge Mrs.
Edith N. Hellerman, July 4, 1970 with a 4-point major.

In Canada, one month later —
August 2, Judge Mr. Gratton, Winners Bitch, 5 points.
August 3, Judge Margaret Thomas, Winners Bitch - Best
of Winners, 5 points. Together with her 5-point win
under Judge Norm Wallace at the Canadian Specialty,
finished her in style!

"MARION" will be bred to our red male —

HANNALORE'S RE-CHARGE

who will be pictured next month. "CHARGER" presently
has 10 Canadian points, and several American points,
with Best of Breed wins in the United States.

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1970 B.C.O.A. EASTERN SPECIALTY RESERVE WINNERS DOG

Khajah's Black Raven of Kelyn

Sire: Ch. Sir Datar of Horsley

Dam: Khajah's Gay Wendy

Breeders: Evelyn Woolery and Shirley Chambers

This was BUDDHA'S first time in the ring since he was
shown at the Western BCOA Specialty in California where
he placed third and was the Highest Placing Black and
White in the Open Dog (AOC) Class. To date, BUDDHA
has a total of 9 points, including both majors and has
gone over Specials twice.

BODDHA possesses OUTSTANDING SHOWMANSHIP and
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Basenji Club of Nebraska

by Dave and Kay Thorndike

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Our August meeting was held at our home and the turn-
out was very good. For our program, Mr. Jon Sandvold, a
local Weimaraner breeder, discussed the Blue Ribbon Dog
Breeders Association. A local chapter is now being formed,
and is affiliated with the national group. One of the purposes
of this group is to provide an effective educational program to
teach the public the advantages of buying puppies from breeders
as opposed to retail outlets.

We want to remind you all to plan to attend the Midwest
Specialty, November 22. The place is Omaha, judge is Mr.
Lee Murray. Puppy Sweepstakes judge is Ragna Spears. There
is a show the day before at Lincoln. You may have trouble
getting motel reservations in Lincoln as this is also the day of
the Nebraska-Oklahoma football game. However, we do have a
block of rooms at the Holiday Inn in Omaha and it's only 45
minutes to Lincoln on Interstate 80.

Our banquet is at Nasr's in Omaha on Saturday night.
Cocktails at 7: and dinner at 8 P.M. Cost is \$5 per person,
including everything. Steak and the trimmings will be served.
Children's portions are \$2. You may pay at the door.

We have had one change in our plans. We are sad to
announce that due to unavoidable circumstances, Joyce Mullis
has notified us that she won't be able to attend and be our guest
speaker, however, we are very pleased to say that Dr. N. E.
Wessman, president of the BCOA, has very graciously con-
sented to serve in this capacity.

We would like to thank all of you who have so generously
contributed to make this specialty possible. We have heard

from people all over the country and everyone has been most
helpful in assisting us. A special word of thanks to the area
clubs - Heart O'Northland, High Country and Hawkeye whose
most generous contributions were more important than ever
this year. And also to our own Nebraska Kennel Club whose
cooperation and support has been so readily given.

Heart O'Northland Basenji Club

by Lu Schlichting

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Our club year is drawing to a close and we have the
final two club shows plus our annual meeting, dinner and a-
wards. It is time for a change again.

HONBC is losing two very good members. Barb and
Tom Hagberg have decided to go southwest. They are planning
to move to Arizona this fall. They will be missed. Not only for
their hard work, but for the friendship we have had these past
years. Some of our most enjoyable times have been playing
golf and talking dogs with them.

HONBC was also saddened to hear that Karen Pecore
has lost her beloved SPRITE - DARK SPRITE OF COCK'S-
CROW, C.D., aged 6 1/2 years, was always a gentle, happy
Basenji. She was one of the first club dogs to earn her C.D.,
and she was the highest scoring Basenji in the nation in 1967.
Our condolences to Karen. We know how hard it is to lose one
after so long.

We offer congratulations to Wilma and Merv Bauer on
their new champion. TANJI OF WILMER completed her title
at the Des Moines, Iowa show, on September 6, 1970. Merv
also finished one in obedience in August. JONES' GINGER
earned her third leg at the Eau Claire, Wisconsin show.

BASENJS IN FRANCE

by Genie Rundle

06 Berre-les-Alpes, Cote d'Azur, France

Once again we took part in the traditional annual, gala "La Belle Et La Bete," (Beauty and the Beast), held at Palm Beach-Cannes, and won a most magnificent trophy offered by Doris Van de Walle for our group of four Basenjis.

This most worthy charitable occasion is held in aid of the Union Protectrice Des Animaux de Cannes, founded by Lady Yule, an English woman, in 1877, comprising nowadays of several other refuge centres for dogs and cats; one of which is directed by the Basenji Club's own Vice-president, Madame Rocroy. This 'tres snob' social, as well as competitive event, is attended by a relatively large Anglo-American gathering which contributes generously to what is, of course, an otherwise entirely French philanthropic association.

The accent on judging this year was 50% for the dog, and 50% for the model, who is meant to look as much like her dog as possible. Many long dresses were seen and admired, including some winter outfits which must have been most uncomfortable under a broiling sun but which brought a reward to each. It is obviously difficult to look elegant at the end of several Basenji leads, but Adrienne did an admirable job, although unintentionally she had to parade in barefeet. Her pretty new silver sandals were - - - No! No! Not chewed by the dogs, but faultily stitched by the makers so that a vital strap broke when she put them on which meant there was no alternative but to forget shoes altogether.

The group was made up of BAMBI and GLOW, red and whites; little GUSTY, a tri; and SONNY, replacing his mother, DAISY (in season), and his first time out. This was so we could, for the first time, present all three colors together and we felt very flattered to hear the comment over the loudspeaker that - "A finer group than these magnificent Basenjis could be seen nowhere else in France!" I am, modestly, of course, inclined to agree for I am very proud of my family. We were very tired when we got home, but it was all so worthwhile in many different ways.

One was a seemingly providential encounter with a young Belgian gentleman who introduced himself to the dogs while waiting to make their entrance on stage. I say "providential," because I may not be able to find material for this column indefinitely.

This gentleman told us that he was born in the Congo

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX



KUKUK'S GAY ZAMBI (9 mo.)

(Kukuk's Gay Apollo, C.D. x Bazimba's Crown Jewel)

Owned by -
Forrest & Lou Dye, 1149 Hawkstone Dr., Cincinnati, Ohio 45230

"ZAMBI" won Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex at the Lexington, Kentucky show, September 5, and was again WB and BOS at the Louisville show, September 7, for her second major.

KUKUK'S BASENJS



KUKUK'S GAY APOLLO, C.D.

(Ch. Khajah's Gay Fula Clarion x Ch. Rosambi's Gay Duchess)

WD and BW at Louisville Kennel Club show, September 7, 1970, for a 3-point major. APOLLO congratulates his daughter ZAMBI on her 3 and 4-point wins at Lexington and Louisville shows.

AT STUD TO APPROVED BITCHES

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where he continued to live for a number of years, and where he will probably be returning in the near future, although he is actually managing-director of an important establishment in Florida. What he had to say about our dogs and the breed in general exceeds any mere casual interest, and is food for thought for us all since it tallies with most of what was said last year by his fellow countryman who told us about the Balikwekwe (see December 1969 edition). He confirmed that in Swahili, the word "Basenji" was not flattering and denotes a "good-for-nothing" individual. But to quote him further:

"These dogs are very miserable in their African surroundings. They do have masters but are not fed, which means that they are prone to many diseases and have to fend for themselves. Their main source of food is the 'simziliki,' an animal described as mainly rat, but having a little of the rabbit about it. Quite large - about a foot long, and very tasty. The simziliki lives underground and as the dogs do not hunt below the surface, are caught and killed by them after much patient waiting. They also accompany their masters who hunt with spears and sometimes the odd old muzzle-loader, and their prey includes certain types of antelope."

The Basenji, as we know him, curls and wags his tail when he is happy and contented. If sick, or for some other reason, is temporarily miserable, he will let it go limp between his legs; or when he is relaxed or asleep on a chair he will hang it straight down. Much about his tail-curl therefore depends on his mood. The native dog's miserable expression may be nothing more than the frown we know so well, and are striving to maintain, or it could be due or accentuated by his miserable existence. What struck this gentleman most was the size of the dogs. "There," he told us, "they are much larger!"

So, dear A. B. Reeder, what are we supposed to think about all that, I wonder!

BEST IN MATCH



SHAJO'S MINNIE PEARL

(Kenaise Carpetbagger x Ingwa's String of Pearls)

Shown here winning Best Puppy in Match, at the Mesquite Kennel Club. Bred by Shane & Jo York, 1913 Winthrop, Irving, Tx.

Owners: Bob & Kay Hodge, 1821 Acosta, Grand Prairie, Texas 75050.

ANYONE FOR OBEDIENCE?

by TAKU, C.D.

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This month, let's take a look at why anyone might not be for obedience. Perhaps the first reason that comes to mind is that it takes time. It's a legitimate reason too, if two hours once during the week to attend classes, and not more than 15 minutes a day for the other 6 days is too much time. Sometimes it means taking the time to be with and work with your Basenji when you are so tired all you want to do is lie on the davenport. It's odd but when one forces oneself to make and spend 15 minutes with his dog it usually does more for that "tired feeling" than an hour on the davenport. There may be those who do not have 15 minutes a day plus one evening a week for their Basenji. Obedience is not for them.

Obedience is not for the people who have a Basenji just for "status." These people are apt to have the dog kenneled, handled and trained by someone else, and really want most to just show his trophies. They may enjoy talking knowledgeably with important people about their breed, but they really do not enjoy the dog. This Basenji is not part of the family or the owner's life anymore than his sports car. Obedience is not for them.

Obedience with a Basenji is not for the person who lacks a sense of humor. The owner who can't stand to have his dog be smarter than he is may have some very depressing experiences, for the dog often seems to delight in doing just that! The person who must enter in obedience trials and who feels that a high score every time is essential, who blames the dog for every error, who can't relax and enjoy the teasing characteristics of the breed will do better to stay away from obedience with his Basenji.

Obedience with a Basenji is not for the person who just wants to add another title to the dog's name. It will prove frustrating to both the owner and the dog and be fun for neither. Sure, it can be done, but why go through the pain!

If obedience training isn't fun and a sharing of something special between the owner and his Basenji, they shouldn't bother.

Congratulations go to Mrs. Cherrie Little of Azle, Texas, and her LITTLE'S PHARAOH. In his first trial, on September 19, he won the highest scoring hound trophy with a score of 192 1/2, in Novice B, at the Dallas Obedience Trial. The next day at the Texas Kennel Club show, his score was 194 1/2, also in Dallas. An extremely good start for his C.D.

THE TRI-CITIES BASENJI CLUB

by Jo York

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It has been said that the third time around makes perfection - so we Basenji fanciers of the Dallas - Fort Worth area are trying for the third time to form a Basenji Club. We are all a little older, a little wiser and hope we will benefit from all our past mistakes. We have named the club the Tri Cities Basenji Club. It is not named after a tri Basenji, but the club's territory will take in Dallas, Fort Worth and Denton, Texas, and the area around these cities. We are going to stay a local club, hoping for sanction from AKC and we are looking forward to holding our B and A matches - then we hope to hold our own point shows. Our new officers are as follows:

President: Hugh Abraham, Vice-President: Homer Vaughn; Secretary: Julie Huffman; Treasurer: Judy Houck, and Board Members: Bob Hodge, Michie Keepers and Rosemary Page.

We have had a busy summer. We held two meetings, written our new constitution, and of course, elected our officers. We held two fun matches in June and August. The first was judged by Mr. Will Mooney. SHAJO'S ARBERUS OF TU TU was best adult, and SYLVAN'S MIRE CAVALIER, owned by Judy Houck was Best in Match. The second match was judged by Mrs. Pat Murkes. Best adult was SHAJO'S BRONZE JOZET and Best in Match again was SYLVAN'S MIRE CAVALIER.

The new Mesquite Kennel Club held its first match on August 23. They had an entry of over 450 dogs. Mrs. Betty Dryer judged the hounds and the houndgroup. SHAJO'S BRONZE JOZET won Best of Breed, and SHAJO'S MINNIE PEARL won Best Puppy and on to Best Puppy in Match under Mrs. Ammie Ackland. MINNIE was handled by her owner Bob Hodge. This was their first time in the ring.

On September 13, several club members attended the Tyler Texas Kennel Club Benefit Show. All money earned at this show goes to the T.B. Hospital in Tyler. 530 dogs were entered in this show, and we were very proud that SHAJO'S ARBERAS OF TU TU went Best in Show under Judge Clara Reconnu. The Texas Kennel Club show was the following Sunday. Ragna Spear's SPEARWOOD'S BLACK BUMBLE BEE won a 4-point major, and Jo Matthew's new puppy MATTHEW'S BAALA OF TU TU went Reserve Winners Dog from the puppy class. This was Jo's first time in the ring and I don't think it will be her last. And congratulations go to Judy Houck for handling her CH. SHAJO'S SHENANDOAH to Best of Breed.

The Tri Cities Basenji Club held their last meeting on October 11, in Grand Prairie, Texas.

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APOGEE'S BONITA UNO

APOGEE'S BONITA UNO

Sire: KHAJAH'S MIDNITE EAGLE

Dam: HANNALORE'S NAUGHTY BUT NICE

At 9 months of age, "BONNIE" won Winners Bitch and Best of Winners at the BCOA Eastern Division Specialty, Brockville, Ontario, for 5 points, under Judge M. Grybinski. Other recent wins are: Winners Bitch, Barrie Kennel Club, Barrie, Ontario, for 5 points under Judge W. Brennan; Winners Bitch, Southern Adirondack Dog Club, Amsterdam, N. Y. for 1 point, Judge F. Fiore; Winners Bitch, Thousand Island Kennel Club, Brockville, Ontario, for 5 points, Judge D. G. Anderson; and WB-BOS, Sackets Harbor, N. Y., 1 point, Judge F. Fiore, Sept. 13, 1970.

"BONNIE" has completed her Canadian championship, subject to CKC confirmation. She is handled exclusively by Hazel Ulm, Oneonta, New York.

Her proud and happy owner is:

MARIE PERRY

11375 East Red Arrow Highway
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FLASH! "BONNIE" congratulates her dad — KHAJAH'S MIDNITE EAGLE, owned and handled by Hazel Ulm, on going Best of Winners at the Eastern BCOA Specialty to finish his championship.

BASENJI SWEATER INSTRUCTIONS

Designed and patterned by Mrs. Floyd H. Clark
5915 South Milwaukee Way, Littleton, Colorado 80121

Materials: Knitting worsted, 8 ounces, 4 ply plus a small amount for contrast stripes if desired.

Needles: 1 pair, size 7, knitting pins, 4 needles, size 7 sock needles.

Gauge: 5 stitches = 1 inch. 6 1/2 rows = 1 inch.

Size: This pattern is for a 16 inch, 21 pound bitch.

NECK BAND: Cast on 54 stitches; row 1 K2 *P2, K2 repeat from * across; row 2 P2 *K2, P2 repeat from * across; continue alternating rows 1 and 2 for 3 inches, ending with P2. Alternate colors in bands if desired.

BODY: K18, increase 1 in next stitch; continue ribbing next 18 sts; increasing 1 st. in last st. K2, turn, slip stitch, inc. 1 st. in next st. as if purling; then P2; continue ribbing next 18 sts., P2, inc. 1 st. in last st., P2, turn; sl. st. inc. 1 in next st. (K), K4, ribbing 18, K4, inc. 1 in last st., K2 turn. Continue in this manner until all stitches are used on needle. There should be 36 sts. on either side of ribbing. This has made a half circle over the chest for fullness. Continue for 2 rows. Next K row, K36, turn, P36 turn, and continue in stockinette stitch for 6 inches, decrease one st. 5 times along the leg opening, end with a knit row. Cut yarn and attach to first of those on the other needles to continue with ribbing on next 18 sts. for 6 in. ending in a K row. Cut yarn and attach in order to work left side which is done in the reverse of the right side, end in K



row. Next row P80 across, keeping the ribbing pattern in the middle, next row K80 across, keeping the ribbing pattern in the middle. Continue in this manner and decrease one st. in the first st. on either side of ribbing as follows: every other row, for 5 times, then every fourth row 3 times. Continue those 64 remaining stitches until total length along back is 14 1/2 in., ending with a P row. (The decreases take care of the necessary fit for the 'tuck-up'). The first 23 sts. will begin right side of rear leg. K23 sts., turn, P23 sts, continue in stockinette until leg opening measures 1 in; on P row P22, turn, sl. st. K next 21 sts., turn, P20 Sts., turn sl. st., K19, continue in this manner until all sts. remain on right needle. Cut yarn and attach to first of those on other needle to continue with ribbing on next 18 st. for 4 1/2 in. (this is where those knitting for a male would make an adjustment). Cut yarn and attach in order to work left side which is done in the reverse of the right side. Cut yarn, leave stitches on needle (they will all be on the right needle).

LEGS: Cast on 16 sts. on sock needles distributed 8 on 1st needle and 4 on the other two. Work in ribbing pattern 2 inches. On last st. of last row, inc. 1 st., then inc. 1 st. on first st. of next row, repeat at end of 1st needle and beginning of 2nd needle, K next row, then continue increasing every other row as above until you have 60 sts. (increases will make a seam at front and rear of leg piece). K one more row, then weave in place having picked up 30 sts. on each side of one front leg opening on extra needle. On rear legs leave 5 sts. beyond end of ribbing and 7 sts. on outside of leg to be picked up on the band around the tail.

BAND AROUND TAIL: Knit all stitches in ribbing pattern for 3/4 in., picking up the 12 sts. from each leg with the first row. Cast off!

Sew in 20-inch open end zipper, with the open end at the neck.

WINNERS BITCH -- BCOA Eastern Specialty 1970

*CHAMPION KURI'S KALI

(Fetty's Jinja Chipper x Kuri's Gay Ricochet)

*Subject to AKC confirmation

"KALI" gained her title with a 5-point major at the BCOA Eastern Specialty, Ox Ridge Kennel Club, Darien, Connecticut, September 19, 1970, under Judge Alva Rosenberg. Judge Rosenberg called her "a lovely fine-moving bitch!"

The second of a winning litter to become a Champion, "KALI" will resume her show career shortly in the Specials ring.

Handler: J. MONROE STEBBINS, JR.

Breeders: N. and T. OGURI (KURI BASENJIS)

Owners: OSCAR O. NORDNESS
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BEST OF WINNERS



FETTY'S KIKU OF KURI

"KIKU," petite and elegant, joins her littermates CH. KURI'S KALI, CH. GETTY'S JIN RIKI OF KURI and KURI'S GENG'HIS KHAN in the winners circle. Flemington, New Jersey, August 2, 1970. Judge Nelson Groh. Co-owners: Nanako Oguri, 525 Second Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. and C. P. Simermeyer, Box 72, 26 Manor Road, Greenlawn, New York.

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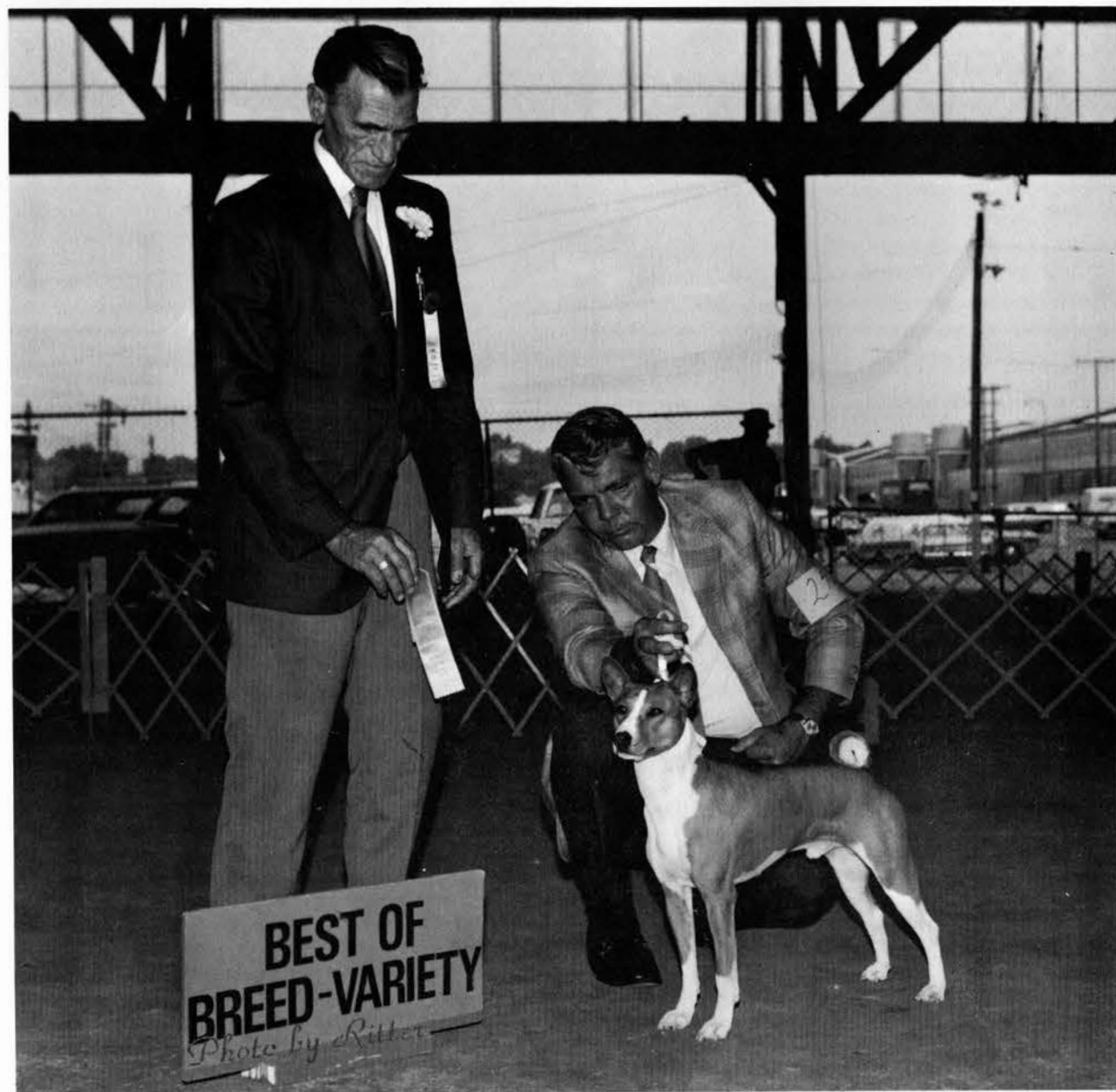


CH. FETTY'S JIN RIKI OF KURI

(Fetty's Jinja Chipper x Kuri's Gay Ricochet)

Completed his Championship with a 3-point major at the Providence County Kennel Club show, August 25, 1970. Owned by Francine Basinger, 720 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, N. Y. Breeders: N. & T. Oguri (KURI BASENJIS), Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHAMPION PHEMISTER'S HAPPY DAY



Is shown above winning BEST OF BREED, under Judge Harold F. Hardin at the Louisville Kennel Club, shown by handler Robert Schmitz. HAPPY went on in the Hound Group - winning Fourth under Judge Herbert H. Cahoon.

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RUTH'S ROUNDUP OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

by Ruth D. Shannon
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We survived the Oregon Circuit. The weather was nice and cool and rainy. I never thought I'd relish the sight of a raindrop but the sight was lovely to behold, and the green of the mountains, and the blue of the lakes gave the country-side a fairy-like setting. And pure fresh air!! Jim and I drank in the beauty and filled our lungs with that exhilarating fresh air!

Several who attended the circuit camped out. We visited the camp site one night and really enjoyed the open fire. Jim and I were celebrating our 24th anniversary, the Watsons their 38th, the Gaveys their 9th, and the Stahls their 12th. Not all the same day, but that same week. At the camp site Chester Watson gave a lovely rendition of "I Love You Truly."

We met a very friendly and lovely lady whom many of you will remember, LaVerne Edwards who owned CH. PEPE LE MOKO OF RANCHO REST. PEPE had just passed away at the age of 16. He was handled to his championship by Porter Washington and Wayne Baxter. PEPE won the award of "Top Dog" of the United States and Canada in 1958. I love to chat with people who owned and loved those wonderful dogs of the past. I never saw PEPE but I'm sure there were many who saw and admired him. LaVerne is now on a ranch in Oregon and has her 16 year old bitch GEORGIA still with her. I've asked LaVerne to give us the story of PEPE and GEORGIA, and I hope she will soon.

We have just adopted Grannie Green's "Dog Sitter," Murray (her son). Murray has just been transferred to Oaknoll Naval Hospital for duty and spent his first weekend with us. The dogs loved him so Grannie has lost her dog sitter to us!

CURRENT CONTENDER



RO-GEAN'S SIMBA

(Makila Bright Baron x Ro-Gean's Tri-Tonga Freckles)

After numerous match wins, including a First, Second, and Third Group Placement, "SIMBA" started his show career with two Reserve Winners Dog, then a Winners Dog and Best of Winners and Best of Opposite Sex under Judge Frank Foster Davis. He is shown here at 8 1/2 months, going Winners Dog, Best of Winners and Best of Opposite Sex under Judge Mrs. Mary N. Stephenson. All wins from the puppy class. Owner handled by Mrs. James R. Kauffman, Box 327, R.D. #1, Dover, Pennsylvania 17315.

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Ruth Smith is now publicity chairman for the Basenji Club of Southern California. Ruth and Jack are avid Basenji exhibitors, and we enjoy seeing and talking with them at the shows. Just had a note from Ruth and she said they had just returned from Boston and had called and visited with the Phemisters. I feel Basenji owned folks do indeed have that "tie that binds!"

Kay (Skevington) Stewart is having her CHIPPER shipped to Japan in the near future. I wonder if Kay misses us as we miss her. I know how she and Mike must be looking forward to having CHIPPER with them. A bit of home in a foreign land. They have two kittens they are teaching to "heel!"

Montgomery - Ward now has a "puppy mill" which includes Basenjis. Price \$179.95 (no choice of color) supplied by Cinderella Kennels in Wisconsin. Who are they and do they buy up litters or breed their own Basenjis? Does anyone know?

Please, all you Northern California people, let me hear news of your Basenjis!

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BOMABWA FROSTY FELLA

Son of Ch. Betsy Ross' Stormi of Ber-Vic and Am. Can. Ch. Bomar's Fula Folly of Katanga, just won BEST MALE in the Sweeps, under Breeder-Judge David Hill, Handler Bobbi Abelson, and also Puppy Class 1 at the BCOA Eastern Specialty, all in his first show.

At his second show, he won Winners Dog and Best of Winners to start on his way to his title. Good Luck, FROSTY! We are accepting reservations on his kid brothers and sisters, due in November.

And: AM. CH. BOMAR'S JOLLY JOKER

son of Merlea Sunshine of Spearwood and Ch. Folly has COMPLETED HIS CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP, subject to CKC. We will now consider selling a co-ownership in this elegant, fantastic moving International Champion to a breeder. We will not sell outright, but all reasonable offers for half interest will be evaluated.

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"FROSTY"

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ARCTIC CAPERS

by Sam McKee

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Another caper behind me. Certainly enjoyed the hospitality every place I went. There just aren't any nicer people. I know several people can write that sentence for me, but it's just as true now as it ever was.

Two judging assignments, with good entries, and how I like seeing and going over good dogs. My thanks to all you nice people. The Santa Ana show was something of a special occasion for me, as my oldest brother who has always thought I was nutty on the subject of dogs, decided to attend his first dog show. Since my assignment wasn't until 2 P.M., we wandered around the show grounds. I must say that Jim has a pretty good eye for dogs, and I just must share one of his comments with you - he said that, in his opinion, I had the toughest job of any judge he watched that day because the Basenjis, on the whole, were the most even quality of any breed he saw.

Judging dogs can be a pleasure, and I really have to thank the Sioux Empire and the Santa Ana Valley Kennel Clubs for assigning me such competent ring stewards. I've long thought of myself as a pretty good ring steward, but I'll have to tip my hat to the gentleman at the Santa Ana show. He really knows his business and makes things very easy for the judge. Lots of people could learn a great deal about dog shows from him.

Took DILLY along for part of the trip. Entered her in puppy class at Sioux City. Pamela Burr handled her for me and did a fine job, placing in the ribbons in a big puppy class. People keep asking me why I call my pup DILLY. And I answer, 'Cause she is!'

The GREATER ATLANTA BASENJI CLUB

by Kathy Kent

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The Greater Atlanta Basenji Club has done more than their share in bringing the Basenji before the public this past month.

During National Dog Week, the members participated in a joint effort with nine other dog clubs in the Atlanta area, to bring the different breeds right to the people. Every single day of National Dog Week, a Basenji was found on top of a table in the mall of one of our largest shopping centers in Atlanta, politely greeting hundreds of people every day, while the owner answered thousands of questions about our favorite breed. Literature about the Basenji and our club was passed to all interested persons.

The good will and patience of our members is to be applauded, and the beauty and good manners of our Basenjis is surely the envy of the town. The GABC has gained three new members from this experience and has earned the approval of everyone. It wasn't too many years ago that such an undertaking would have failed due to the many bad temperaments in the breed. It certainly says a great deal for the breeders that Basenjis are now generally affable, while still maintaining that glorious pride.

Because of the upcoming BCOA Southern Specialty, and the heavy schedule during National Dog Week, the club decided to postpone the annual fall match. Plan now to have a spring match, sanctioned by the American Kennel Club. It shouldn't be too difficult as we've been working towards that goal for a year now.

Elections of new officers will be held at our next meeting, October 15. The club has seven new members since the last election, so we're looking forward to a new administration.

BASENJIS SOWEGA



CH. QUEEN MERTATEN JO JO SOWEGA

A top winning bitch on Southern Circuits, climaxes the 5-day - 5-show Labor Day weekend at Raleigh, North Carolina show, under Judge Ernest L. Masson, with her 8th Best of Breed and 3rd Group Placement since earning her Championship title with 5 majors on the Florida Summer Circuit.

Her young half-brother -

DARP'S RE-UP OF SOWEGA

owned by Ray and Arlene Peters, is pictured going Best of Opposite Sex for the 5th time on the Labor Day Carolina Circuit which was his debut into the show ring.

CH. QUEEN MERTATEN JO JO SOWEGA, and her dam, CH. QUEEN NEFERTITI G-JO SOWEGA, winner of the Brood Bitch at the Specialty in Atlanta, October 10, are anticipating Mid-November litters.

BASENJIS SOWEGA

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Haere Mai From Kiwi Land

by Pam Tregurtha

103 Pinehaven Road, Upper Hutt, New Zealand

Our 1970 National Dog Show is over. It is the premier event of the New Zealand show year, and this time was held near Wellington. Our hound judge, Mr. William A. Harvey of the United States, proved to be a courteous and popular gentleman and a great showman. During the judging of Afghans, he was confronted by a puppy who refused point-blank to venture more than one step beyond the entrance to the ring. Resisting all coaxing by his embarrassed owner, ring steward and finally the judge, he lay down prone, all four long legs outstretched. As there were only two in this particular class, Mr. Harvey solemnly strode across the ring, picked up the stand for second placing, walked back to the still prone puppy and placed the stand in front of him with a flourish. The applause nearly lifted the roof.

Basenjis were judged at 8 A.M. on Saturday morning, and at assembly time, 7:30, I doubt if many of us were fully awake. Mrs. Maureen Haronga's OSIRIS MR. POLITICIAN took Best Dog, and later went Best of Breed, while his dam, our CH. SWEETHEART OF JORDAN went Best Bitch and Reserve Best of Breed. SWEETHEART is now five years old and I must admit to a decided lump in my throat to see the dear old girl striding around the ring like a youngster. She had previously won Best Bitch at the National while owned by Mrs. Dawn Clark three times in succession, and this made it first time for Tregurthas and fourth for SWEETHEART! Reserve dog was Mr. D. Fleton's CH. GOLDEN PYRAMID OF OSIRIS, and Reserve Bitch was Mrs. Clark's EMBLEM OF CLENDON. Best Puppy in Breed was OSIRIS PERSONALITY POLL.

The rest of the day passed in a flash, with puppies to see from recent litters, new members of the club to meet, and once again, we overlooked taking a single photograph! John and Barbara Simcock, IMPALA KENNELS, Rotorua, had their current litter from POLITICIAN and their CH. SIRBAJAY OF HORSLEY at the show, two tri bitches and two red and white dogs, all lovely puppies. One of the tri bitches has since been sold to two South Island breeders, Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins who were present at the National and have had a number of successes with their own dog, NEFERTITI'S KARNAK.

Saturday evening we were lucky enough to meet Mr. Harvey at a cocktail hour, and spent ten minutes or so dis-

cussing Basenjis with him. He was particularly impressed with temperament and size, and felt that New Zealand Basenjis are well up to standard.

I must mention the comments made by Mr. F.H. Burch of the United States who said that in all his years of judging, he had never been to a show anywhere that had better facilities, organisation or enthusiasm. He was also most impressed at the thousands of spectators who came through the show buildings during the three days, and at the number who stayed for Best in Show. For the third year in succession, final honours went to a German Shepherd who won Supreme Best in Show, and a Boston Terrier, Best Puppy in Show.

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SOME BASENJI FIRSTS

compiled by JoAnn E. Burton

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(Any errors are my own and I welcome positive corrections)

3600 B.C. (about) First dogs ever depicted in Egyptian tombs were Khufu dogs of Basenji type.

1895 First time Basenjis were imported into England and exhibited. These dogs contacted distemper and died. Also there were two Basenji in Paris at this time.

1936 First successful importation of some of the foundation stock of today's Basenjis by Mrs. Oliver Burn of England - BONGO, BOKOTO and BEREKE OF BLEAN.

1937 (February) First successful exhibition of Basenjis at Crufts Coronation Dog Show in London. This led to world recognition and interest. These Basenjis were probably out of BONGO and BOKOTO OF BLEAN.

1937 First Basenji in the United States - BAKUMA OF BLEAN, later registered as PHEMISTER'S BOIS.

1940 First Basenji Champion in the world - KWILLO OF THE CONGO, owned by Dr. Richmond of Toronto, Canada.

1941 (August) First litter raised to maturity in America, out of PHEMISTER'S CONGO and the male, KOODOO OF THE CONGO (Canadian).

1942 (about) First United States litter raised to maturity by a U.S. male - PHEMISTER'S BOIS, out of PHEMISTER'S

NAIDA (daughter of PHEMISTER'S CONGO).

1942 First C.D. and C.D.X. Basenji - PHEMISTER'S BARRIE, out of PHEMISTER'S CONGO x KOODOO OF THE CONGO.

1945 - First American Champion - PHEMISTER'S MELENGO.

1946 (about) First Basenji brace to go Best in Show - CH. PHEMISTER'S MELENGO and her dam CH. ZINNIA OF THE CONGO, C.D.

1947 (February) First English champions - BROWN TROUT and FERN OF THE CONGO (littermates, owned by Veronica Tudor-Williams).

1947 (April 17) First Tricolors born in the Western World - BLACK MAGIC and BLACK IDOL OF THE CONGO (by BROWN TROUT, out of FERN OF THE CONGO).

1947 First tricolor in the United States - BLACK IDOL OF THE CONGO imported from England to Mary McWain of New York. (IDOL died of leptospirosis two points short of Championship).

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SHOW REPORTS

ALABAMA

9/19/70, Huntsville KC, Huntsville, Judge F. Homeyer (9 D, 6 B, 3 S)
WD, DONLYN'S BENGAL LANCER, D. & L. Mooney (2 pts)
RD, REGENCY ADAM OF OUIMAC, R. Long & O. McGahee
WB-BW-BOS, XANDRIA OF HILLS HALF ACRE, M. & F. Hill (2 pts)
RB, REGENCY'S ALISA OF OUIMAC, R. Long & O. McGahee
BB-GR 2, CH. OBA MILO, C. & M. Cavaleri
BW finished title (subject to AKC)

CALIFORNIA

9/13/70, Sir Francis Drake KC, San Raphael, Judge S. Hanson (5 D, 12 B, 7 S)
WD-BW, MUTAMBI'S AZIZI, J. & A. Zenner (2 pts)
RD, JOYFULLY'S SERGEANT PEPPER, F. Scheufele
WB, RUJAK'S GOLDEN HABIBI, J. & R. Smith (2 pts)
RB, NIMAR'S SERENA OF KEE, L. Hollenbeck & C. Morris
BB, CH. HOLLY LIN'S RED BARON, L. & L. Hollenbeck
BOS, AM. CAN. CH. NAHARIN'S DREAM-FLOWER, M. Carden
9/13/70, Conejo KC, Thousand Oaks, Judge Mrs. T. Brown (7 D, 9 B, 3 S)
WD, CAMBRIA'S TI-NIKIAGO, T. & K. Phillips (1 pt)
RD, SHIKARI'S BLACK EIBO, W. Steffey
WB-BW-BOS, NAAEBEHO'S SOLOMONTE II, F. Fountain (2 pts)
RB, ASHANTI OF WINDUS, H. & H. Reichert
BB, CH. SHIKARI'S ZURI, P. Church

9/20/70, Santa Ana Valley KC, Anaheim, Judge S. McKee (11 D, 18 B, 8 S)
WD-BW, TANDA'S PAGAN BARON, A. & A. Logan (4 pts)
RD, SHIKARI'S BLACK ECHO, W. Steffey
WB, CAMBRIA'S TI-BIBI, S. & D. Ebel (4 pts)
RB, SHIKARI'S AMBER TIGRESS, P. Church & R. Frederick
BB, CH. CAMBRIA'S KILIMANJARO, J. Deck & J. Leech

BOS, CH. NREKE'S TABORA OF CAMBRIA, J. Deck & J. Leech
9/26/70, San Luis Obispo KC, San Luis Obispo, Judge M. Siebern (7 D, 13 B, 7 S)
WD-BW, SHIKARI'S BLACK EIBO, W. Steffey (2 pts)
RD, TANDA'S PAGAN BARON, A. & A. Logan
WB, RUJAK'S GOLDEN HABIBI, J. & R. Smith (2 pts)
RB, NEFER SHAMAR OF THE NILE, J. Stahl
BB, CH. CAMBRIA'S KILIMANJARO, J. Deck & J. Leech
BOS, CH. NREKE'S TABORA OF CAMBRIA, J. Deck & J. Leech

9/27/70, Santa Maria KC, Santa Maria, Judge F. Young (8 D, 13 B, 9 S)
WD-BW, TANDA'S PAGAN BARON, A. & A. Logan (2 pts)
RD, CAMBRIA'S TI-NIKIABO, T. & K. Phillips
WB, SHIKARI'S BLACK ZAMBIA, M. Hill & P. Roe (2 pts)
RB, RUJAK'S GOLDEN HABIBI, J. & R. Smith
BB, CH. COPTOKIN THE VELDT SIR LANTIC, F. Scheufele & M. Gontarek
BOS, CH. NUTMEG'S BOUNCING CRICKET, V. Clift & B. Naprstek

COLORADO

9/19/70, Flatirons KC, Boulder, Judge G. Plaga (10 D, 8 B, 3 S)
WD, LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS' RASCAL, M. Bloor (2 pts)
RD, TAMARANGO'S AMBER DINGALING, D. Laue
WB-BW, TAMARANGO'S TROUBLED ECHO, D. Laue (2 pts)
RB, TANDA'S QUAIN TINKA, B. Harp & A. Logan
BB, CH. BETSY ROSS GOLDEN JET, J. & R. Smith
BOS, CH. JATOIGI'S SANAA, J. & J. Gill

9/20/70, Colorado KC, Inc., Denver, Judge W. Kendrick (10 D, 8 B, 2 S)
WD-BOS, PHARAOH III, J. Gianardi (2 pts)
RD, TAMARANGO'S AMBER DINGALING, D. Laue
WB-BW-BB, TAMARANGO'S TROUBLED ECHO, D. Laue (2 pts)
RB, TANDA'S QUAIN TINKA, B. Harp & A. Logan

HAWAII

9/7/70, Hawaiian KC, Honolulu, Judge N. Groh (4 D, 2 B, 1 S)
WD-BW, TENKI'S FULA AQUARIUS AZENDA, R. Tanaka (2 pts)
RD, POKI, H. Clarke
WB-BOS, IL-SE-OTT GOLDEN MAJORETTE, C. D., R. Tanaka (1 pt)
RB, ALII IPO, E. Baker
BB-GR 3, CH. KEIKI O KA MAKI PO, P. & J. Haley

INDIANA

9/27/70, Terre Haute KC, West Terre Haute, Judge Mrs. C. Cass (4 D, 4 B, 2 S)
WD, BETSY ROSS THUNDER N'LITENING, S. Overturf & F. Schroeder (1 pt)
RD, AARALAYNE GAI KYRIE MARCAR, M. & C. Amweg
WB-BW, SUDATUS COQUETTE, S. Hoyne (1 pt)
RB, JONBETS LITTLE BIT OF EDEN, J. & B. Thomas
BB-GR 3, CH. PHEMISTER'S HAPPY DAY, C. Cohen
BOS, CH. KETKET'S FUZZY FAITH, T. & A. Diener

IOWA

9/7/70, Central Iowa KC, Newton, Judge Mrs. H. Walsh (12 D, 15 B, 3 S)
WD-BW, KJOME OF K'OKA, J. Strange (4 pts)
RD, TONITREY OF KELYN, M. Boyer
WB, SUDATUS COQUETTE, S. Hoyne (4 pts)
RB, ROLA MOTEKE KIM SHANE, J. Stacey & K. Worshen
BB, CH. KETKET'S FUZZY FAITH, T. & A. Diener
BOS, CH. DVORAK'S RED BARRON, D. & K. Thorndike
WD finished title (subject to AKC)

9/13/70, Sioux Valley KC, Sioux City, Judge E. Bracy (10 D, 15 B, 2 S)
WD-BW, TAMARANGO'S AMBER DINGALING, D. Laue (4 pts)
RD, TONITREY OF KELYN, M. Boyer
WB-BOS, TERRYU'S DAWN SHADOW, T. & M. Brewer (4 pts)
RB, TERRYU'S HONEY SUCKLE ROSE, T. & M. Brewer
BB, CH. DVORAK'S RED BARRON, D. & K. Thorndike

9/20/70, Council Bluffs KC, Council Bluffs, Judge H. Fellton (7 D, 9 B, 1 S) (next page)

WD, AFRIKANER DOUBLE-DOODLE-DOO, R. Pepperling (2 pts)
RD, THE VELDT'S BLACK SHAZAN, I. Letellier & M. Gontarek
WB-BW-BOS, HALL-MARK'S SENJA, R. Pepperling (2 pts)
RB, ITURI'S BONNY HY OF KELYN, D. & K. Thorndike
BB-GR 4, CH. DVORAK'S RED BARRON, D. & K. Thorndike

KANSAS

9/26/70, Topeka KC, Topeka, Judge T. Stevenson (8 D, 15 B, 2 S)
WD-BW-BOS, AFRIKANER BOOG-A-LOO, T. & M. Stefanec (4 pts)
RD, SPEARWOOD TONITU OF SARTARTIA, E. Woolery
WB, LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS TRINA, J. Gallegos
RB, DONBAR'S HONEY BEAR, B. & D. Burr
BB, CH. SHAMARA SAUCY TORNADO, P. Riley & R. Polonius

MICHIGAN

9/6/70, Livonia KC, Livonia, Judge J. Rich, (4 D, 9 B, 1 S)
WD-BOS, HENTY P'KENYA TEAKWOOD KIM-BA, J. & M. Williams (1 pt)
RD, OUR GANG'S MAGI, R. & B. Schmidt
WB-BW, KAROCCEL'S NIEKA OF TEDOMI, T. & D. Mihalciuc (2 pts)
RB, ALABAR'S DELIGHTFUL DECEIVER, A. Mayfield
BB, CH. KAROCCEL'S LITTLE SORCERESS, I. & P. Sturm

MISSOURI

9/13/70, Ozark KC, Inc., Springfield, Judge Dr. F. Booth (12 D, 14 B, 2 S)
WD-BW-BB-GR 4, AFRIKANER BOOG-A-LOO, T. & M. Stefanec (4 pts)
RD, JUBA'S DAPPER DAN OF KELYN, B. Thibault
WB, SANDUSKI OF BO-HO-BE, M. & P. Hanson (4 pts)
RB, HOLLY AND IVY OF HOO, S. Jones
BOS, CH. SHAMARA SAUCY TORNADO, P. Riley & R. Polonius

9/29/70, Heart of America KC, Kansas City, Judge E. Bracy (16 D, 23 B, 3 S)
WD, TONITREY OF KELYN, M. Boyer (4 pts)
RD, TERRYU'S MOONSHINE, K. Brewer
WB-BW, RED ROBIN OF RANCHO REST, F. & C. Stoughton (5 pts)
RB, QUEST O'CINNABAR CINDER ELLA, S. Plutchak & R. Polonius
BB, CH. SHAMARA SAUCY TORNADO, P. Riley & R. Polonius
BOS, CH. SHADRACK OF KELYN, E. Woolery

NEW YORK

9/6/70, Conewango Valley KC, Inc., Jamestown, Judge Mrs. P. Turner (4 D, 5 B, 1 S)
WD-BW-BB, KHAJAH'S GAY SINBAD OF ED-JO, R. Yanowitz & S. Chambers (1 pt)
RD, KHAJAH'S MIDNITE VALOR, B. Simpson
WB-BOS, KALAHARI'S TEMPTRESS OF KAOS, R. Dayton (1 pt)
RB, KHAJAH'S GAY SABRINA, S. Chambers
9/13/70, North Country KC, Inc., Sackets Harbor, Judge F. Fiore (3 D, 3 B, 0 S)
WD-BW-BB, HANNALORE'S RE-CHARGE, H. Ulm (1 pt)
RD, KANEM'S KAPTAIN KID, W. Charette
WB-BOS, APOGEE'S BONITA UNO, M. Perry (1 pt)
RB, TIMAR'S ALMASI, J. Martin

9/26/70, Suffolk Cnty KC, Lake Grove, Judge F. Hunt (3 D, 5 B, 0 S)
WD-BOS, BOMABWA FROSTY FELLA, M. & R. Abelson (1 pt)
RD, LUDDYMARIE PLAYBOY, A. & E. Par-entau
WB-BW-BB, BOMABWA BI-BI BUSY BEE, B. Wardell & R. Abelson (1 pt)
RB, FETTY'S MEMPHIS GYPSY, C. Simer-meyer

9/27/70, Westbury KC, Brookville, Judge Mrs. B. Godsol (8 D, 5 B, 1 S)
WD-BW, REVELLE REDOUBT, S. & E. Blount (2 pts)
RD, CHARLES ERAM, G. Freisinger
WB-BOS, EILEEN'S GOLDEN GIRL OF ANU-BIS, R. & A. House (1 pt)
RB, BOMAR'S WAR BOOTY, R. Abelson
BB, CH. SIRIUS HALF-BACK, M. Work

OREGON

9/5/70, Klamath DF, Inc., Klamath Falls, Judge T. Trudgian (10 D, 19 B, 4 S)
WD-BW-BB, RUJAK'S GOLDEN MARCO POLO, J. & J. Gill (5 pts)
RD, SHIKARI'S BLACK SAMBA, P. Church
WB-BOS, NUTMEG'S BOUNCING CRICKET, V. Clift & B. Naprstek (5 pts)
RB, RUJAK'S GOLDEN HABIBI, J. & R. Smith
WB finished title (subject to AKC)

9/6/70, Eugene KC, Inc., Eugene, Judge J. McManus (12 D, 16 B, 4 S)
WD-BW, RUJAK'S GOLDEN MARCO POLO, J. & J. Gill (5 pts)
RD, SHIKARI'S BLACK SAMBA, P. Church
WB-BOS, RUJAK'S GOLDEN HABIBI, J. & R. Smith (5 pts)
RB, AMENRE'S NANE, D. & N. Griffin
BB, CH. BETSY ROSS GOLDEN JET, J. & R. Smith
9/8/70, Umpqua KC, Roseburg, Judge F. Hall (10 D, 16 B, 4 S)
WD-BW, RUJAK'S GOLDEN MARCO POLO, J. & J. Gill (5 pts)
RD, JARUSHAN'S HEY MISTER, J. & R. Shannon
WB-BOS, AMENRE'S NANE, D. & N. Griffin (5 pts)
RB, NIMAR'S SERENA OF KEE, L. Hollenbeck & C. Morris
BB, CH. BETSY ROSS GOLDEN JET, J. & R. Smith
WD finished title (subject to AKC)

PENNSYLVANIA

9/20/70, Valley Forge KC, Collegeville, Judge Mrs. M. Stephenson (6 D, 6 B, 1 S)
WD-BW-BOS, RO-GEANS SIMBA, J. Kauffman (2 pts)
RD, LADINI'S FULA SPUNK, R. Newmann
WB, LADINI'S FULA FANCY, M. Burns & D. Saylor (2 pts)
RB (not reported)
BB, CH. LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS MELISA, Luddymarie Knls & B. Newmann

SOUTH DAKOTA

9/12/70, Sioux Empire KC, Inc., Sioux Falls, Judge S. McKee (10 D, 12 B, 2 S)
WD-BW-BB-GR 4, TAMARANGO'S AMBER DINGALING, D. Laue (3 pts)
RD, DONBAR'S BLACK BEAUTY, B. & D. Burr
WB-BOS, DAFFODIL HILL'S AZALEA, T. & B. Hagberg (3 pts)
RB, TERRYU'S DAWN SHADOW, T. & M. Brewer
2nd in Jr. Showmanship, PAMELA BURR, with DONBAR'S BLACK BEAUTY

9/20/70, Nashville KC, Nashville, Judge H. Cox (11 D, 8 B, 3 S)
WD-BW, JOLLY PENROD OF KELYN, B. Gurley (3 pts)
RD, SINJAL'S SIGIL SILVER SOX, A. & E. Viall
WB, CRIMSON OF KELYN, J. Moody (2 pts)
RB, REGENCY'S ALISA OF OUIMAC, R. Long & O. McGahee
BB, CH. OBA MILO, C. & M. Cavaleri
BOS, CH. KEOWEE EDREI, B. Castle

TEXAS

9/6/70, Corpus Christi KC, Corpus Christi, Judge H. Tyler (3 D, 3 B, 0 S)
WD-BW-BB-GR 2, SIRIUS FLARE-UP TO MA-JITA, C. Putscher (1 pt)
RD, AVALON'S LITTLE ALEXANDER, E. Goldsmith
WB-BOS, MAKILA MAJITA'S ANGELIQUE, P. Putscher (1 pt)
RB, HUMPHREY'S KAT BAB BOO, G. & M. Humphrey

VIRGINIA

9/25/70, Langley KC, Hampton, Judge T. Wurmser (4 D, 8 B, 1 S)
WD-BW-BOS, LADINI'S FULA SPUNK, R. Newmann (1 pt)
RD, LIHU'S N'DUBU OF FLAMBEAU, S. Georgeson
WB, MELODY OF PINE CREST, C. Perry & D. Guess (1 pt)
RB, SINJAL'S FAERIE FROUNCE, E. Viall
BB, CH. LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS MELISA, Luddymarie Knls & B. Newmann

WASHINGTON

9/13/70, Wenatchee KC, Inc., Wenatchee, Judge Mrs. S. Makley (5 D, 4 B, 1 S)
WD-BW-BOS, SIR EUGENETAR OF HORSLEY, W. & W. Pace (1 pt)
RD, TESSERACT PEGASUS O'TENNJI, D. & S. McKee
WB, SIR ENIDTAR OF HORSLEY, Y. Smith (1 pt)
RB, ROMEL'S CHARISMA, J. Roper & M. Russell
BB, AM. CAN. CH. TESSERACT PRINCESS PANDORA, W. & W. Pace
9/20/70, Peninsula DFC, Inc., Bremerton, Judge W. Lubben (6 D, 7 B, 1 S)
WD-BOS, ANGAAR'S ARIA OF ADONIS, A. & G. Yeamans (2 pts)
RD, NOH-KAI-YAT'S BLACK LANCER, D. & C. Bancho
WB-BW-BB-GR 4, SPEARWOOD QUESTT O'-SUNTRECE, S. Plutchak (2 pts)
RB, BELLRINGER'S AURORA, I. Gasaway & S. Way
WB finished title (subject to AKC)

WEST VIRGINIA

9/13/70, Tri-State KA, Inc., Wheeling, Judge Mrs. M. Heald (4 D, 3 B, 0 S)
WD-BOS, KHAJAH'S GAY SINBAD OF ED-JO, R. Yanowitz & S. Chambers (1 pt)
RD, DEL PINO'S CHALLENGER, J. & R. Del Pino
WB-BW-BB-GR 3, KHAJAH'S GAY SERENA, S. Chambers (1 pt)
RB, FALCON'S MISS SHEMO, A. Elmore

WYOMING

9/6/70, Cheyenne KC, Cheyenne, Judge Mrs. M. Lehmann (6 D, 8 B, 1 S)

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SHOW REPORTS FROM CANADA

9/5/70, The Pacific National Exhibition Shows, Vancouver, B.C., Judge M. Gordon (2 D, 1 B, 1 S)

WD-BW, TANGEE JINADOE BOMBA, Mr. & Mrs. L. Sonntag (1 pt)

RD, ZAMBESI SILENT GEORGE, A. Vix & D. Spencer

WB-BOS, TANGEE JINADOE BADERA, Mr. & Mrs. L. Sonntag (1 pt)

BB, CH. ZAMBESI RINGLE JINGLE, A. Vix & D. Spencer

9/6/70, The Pacific National Exhibition Shows, Vancouver, B.C., Judge T. Joel (2 D, 1 B, 1 S)

WD, TANGEE JINADOE BOMBA, Mr. & Mrs. L. Sonntag (1 pt)

RD, ZAMBESI SILENT GEORGE, A. Vix & D. Spencer

WD-BW-BOS, TANGEE JINADOE BADERA, Mr. & Mrs. L. Sonntag (1 pt)

BB, CH. ZAMBESI RINGLE JINGLE, A. Vix & D. Spencer

9/7/70, The Pacific National Exhibition Shows, Vancouver, Judge T. Reid (2 D, 1 B, 1 S)

WD-BW, ZAMBESI SILENT GEORGE, A. Vix & D. Spencer (1 pt)

RD, TANGEE JINADOE BOMBA, L. Sonntags

WB-BOS, TANGEE JINADOE BADERA, L. Sonntags (1 pt)

BB, CH. ZAMBESI RINGLE JINGLE, A. Vix & D. Spencer

9/5/70, Saskatoon K & OC, Saskatoon, Judge T. Quilley (1 D, 1 B 6 S)

WD-BW, SPEARWOOD GOLDEN GAZELLE, C. Hutton (1 pt)

WB, SERALOS SCARLET RIBBONS, E. Berryman (1 pt)

BB, CH. KASSAT'S CHARMING MARCUS, (owner not given)

BOS, CH. ISIS OF TERRARUST (owner not given)

WB finished title (subject to CKC)

9/6/70, Saskatoon K & OC, Saskatoon, Judge M. Riddle (2 D, 1 B, 7 S)

WD-BW, MR. MISHCIEF OF TERRARUST, C. Gilmour (1 pt)

RD, SPEARWOOD GOLDEN GAZELLE, C. Hutton

WB, SERALOS CONGO NIGHTSONG, C.

CURLY TALES FROM THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN (continued)

TOP TEN GROUP PLACEMENTS (January through May 1970)

DOG and OWNER	Gr. 1	Gr. 2	Gr. 3	Gr. 4	Total Points
1. CH. REVEILLE RE-UP, E. S. Hoffman	6	2		1	1895
2. CH. BETSY ROSS GOLDEN JET, J. & R. Smith	1	2	2	4	1182
3. CH. OBA MILO, C. & M. Cavaleri	1	1	1		324
4. CH. LUDDYMARIE BETSY ROSS MELISA, Newmann		1		1	256
5. CH. BETSY ROSS STORMI OF BER-VIC, Newmann			1		238
6. CH. CAMBRIA'S KILIMANJARO, Leech & Deck			1		237
7. CH. SHIKARI'S ZURI, P. Church				1	222
8. CH. ADAM OF ETERENDO, D. Collier		1	1		206
9. CH. REVEILLE RECALL TO ROSE-BAY, D. Hill	1			1	205
10. CH. SHANGU OF HILLS HALF ACRE, M. & F. Hill			1		203

Berryman (1 pt)
BB-GR 1, CH. WESTWIN'S SUNNY JAYNA, Dr. & Mrs. R. Baker
BOS, CH. MERLEA AURORA DANCER, J. Moffat

9/26/70, Burlington K & OC, Burlington, Ont., Judge T. Joel (3 D, 3 B, 2 S)

WD-BOS, XALMES ROSENKRANTZ, R. Patchell & J. Fenney (2 pts)

RD, SHADOBI MAJOR DEMPSEY, M. Hickey

WB-BW-BB, HENTYPKENYA SHADOBI'S BRASCA, A. Braun (5 pts)

RB, ARA-BEL'S GRACIOUS TERRY, J. Rutten

WB finished title (subject to CKC)

9/27/70, Scarborough KC, Inc., Toronto, Ont., Judge Dr. F. Booth (3 D, 6 B, 5 S)

WD, SHADOBI MAJOR DEMPSEY, M. Hickey (2 pts)

RD, PINE CREST'S BASHFUL, J. Gamble

WB-BW, XALMES OPHELIA, F. Dent (4 pts)

RB, ARABEL'S GRACIOUS TERRY, J. Rutten

BB, CH. PYRAMID'S ZULU, V. Lazarenko

BOS, CH. SPEARWOOD DAWN OF KATANGA, D. Vieira

SHOW REPORTS (concluded)

WD-BW, TAMARANGO'S AMBER DINGALING, D. Laue (2 pts)

RD, PHARAOH III, J. Gianardi

WB-BOS, TAMARANGO'S TROBLED ECHO, D. Laue (2 pts)

RB, TANDA'S QUIANT TINKA, B. Harp & A. Logan

BB, CH. TAMARANGO'S AMBER ALEXAN-

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- - - Joann Burton

TO ALL BASENJIS

One time I was told,
"If you own a Basenji,
You'll never want
Another breed of dog."
I thought this funny as I'd owned
Cockers, Setters, Wirehaired
Terriers and Scotties.
All of them beautiful.
Since then, there has been
Three Basenjis in our home -
DANDY, RETTA and CAPPY,
Now all of them are gone,
DANDY and CAPPY to new homes,
Because it was necessary.
Beautiful little RETTA died,
And she was a part of us.
It is now I realize
What my friend meant.
Our home and hearts are empty,
A Basenji is a 'people' dog.
You lose a baby, a friend,
A companion and a critic.
No other breed of dog
Has ever been all of these.

- - - Ardath L. Groesbeck

LEARN BY DOING, BEST
PREPARATION FOR CAREER IN DOGS

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How do you go about preparing
for a career working with dogs?

There's no prescribed routine.
With a few exceptions, there are no
schools or other formal means of be-
coming a dog breeder, trainer, handler
or groomer. Most of the exceptions
are in the latter category, with schools
of dog grooming in several metropol-
itan areas.

Working with dogs is a situation
where experience is the best teacher.
One of the best places to develop back-
ground knowledge is the public library.
Read everything available on dogs:
care, training, appearance and perfor-
mance desirable in the various breeds.
Don't confine your reading to dogs, per
se, branch out to related topics: gen-
etics and animal nutrition, for example.

Attend dog shows, field trials,
in fact, any event involving dogs. Be-
come acquainted with exhibitors and
handlers. You'll find much can be
learned about dogs, even in casual con-
versation with the experts.

Observe dogs working in field
trials or being judged at shows. Evalu-
ate quality and/or performance, then
compare your decisions with the judge's
appraisals.

Join a local kennel club or field
trial organization. You may not be an
exhibitor, or a dog owner for that mat-

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"Poodles make good pillows!"



"But I don't know what Chihuahuas
are good for!"

- - - Kathryn Johnson

ter, but there are many ways to be a
valuable member. At the same time,
you'll meet people and be in situations
that increase your knowledge.

OBEDIENCE TRAINING IMPORTANT

If you own a dog, join an obe-
dience training club. Classes usually
are open to crossbreed dogs, as well
as purebreds. A good many advantages
are gained by participating in obedience
training. You'll have a well-mannered
pet. Lessons learned from working
with your own dog are applicable to
other dogs. And much general expertise
can be absorbed from the instructor.

Purebred dogs, listed with the
AKC registry, can be entered in dog
shows or field trials, whichever is
suitable to your interests and the dog's
breed and training.

Your dog may be a less-than-
perfect show specimen or performer in
the field. Just the same, exhibiting
him give invaluable experience in con-
ditioning, training and handling for
competition, as well as in field trials
and show procedures.

Most dog shows have junior
handling classes for children and teen-
agers. Judging is based on the handlers'
abilities. Quality of the dogs does not
count, although they must be pure-
breds.

Field trial and kennel clubs of-
ten sponsor 'fun' matches, shows or



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I'm thankful for the snow,
Like feathers on my coat,
And when the storm is done,
The pale sun's cheering note.

In fact, when I give thanks
That I can be just me,
No one day is enough -
I love each one I see.

- - - Carolyn Forse



"Act your age, 'Mum,'
people are watching!"

- - - Pam Tregurtha

trials usually geared towards novice
exhibitors and dogs. These informal
competitions are another good way to
gain experience.

If your goal is becoming a pro-
fessional groomer, try to attend a
school of dog grooming. If this is not
possible, study the American Kennel
Club approved breed standards. This
will familiarize you with the ideal ap-
pearance of the different breeds. Then
go to shows where you'll see expertly
groomed dogs. There are many books
giving step-by-step instructions for
various types of coats.

Are jobs available with a dog
groomer or kennel in your vicinity? If
you're fortunate enough to find such a
position it will be an excellent way to
acquire grooming skills and to learn
about dog care and management. There
will also be opportunities to see the
business side of running a kennel - this
is important too.

Of course you'll probably begin
by helping with the day-to-day tasks.
Don't underrate the job. It's an ideal
way to start. And like any other field
of endeavor, your responsibilities will
increase with knowledge and skills.

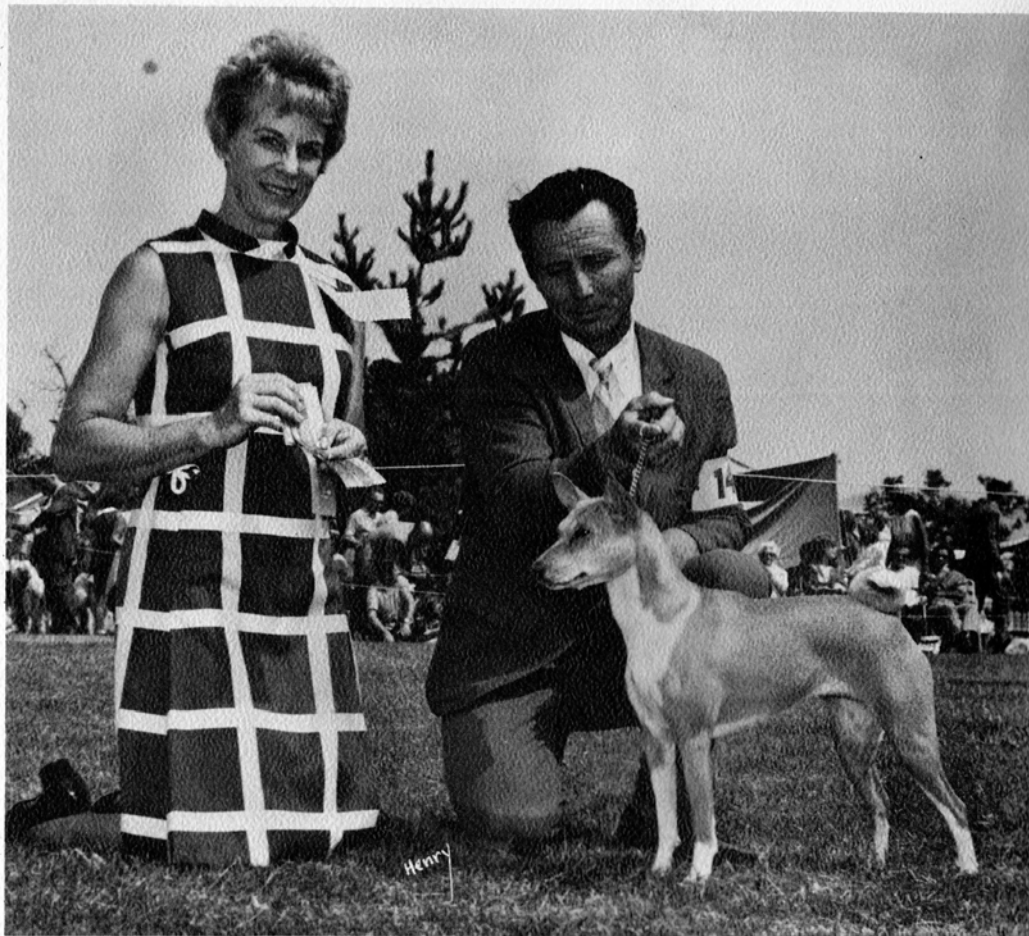
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