

The man responsible for all this was Jim Churchill, our Specialty Show Chairman. For weeks he had worked indefatigably to make this the most comfortable Specialty ever, and he succeeded admirably. He was aided and abetted by Betty Floyd, the Hospitality Chairman, who provided a magnificent array of snacks and drinks to welcome our members as they arrived on the day before the Show. Nor were we dependent upon the meagre resources of the Show itself. Mrs. Thatcher Paris, a Cardigan owner for some twenty years, came up from Georgetown, South Carolina, with a turkey, salads, stuffed eggs, to give us a picnic in the time-honored fashion we used to know. The Weldon Deans brought ham and cakes. To add to the nostalgia, Margaret Douglas had baked twenty-five (25!) pecan pies for the picnic. Those of us who are old-timers felt more than a bit sentimental about those pies. We used to need only two.

There was an overwhelming response from the membership. 115 dogs were entered, representing 177 entries, including sweepstakes, stud and brood bitch, and brace. 96 were on hand for the dinner Saturday night after the Show, which was a record crowd. The relaxed and gay atmosphere that pervaded the Tarheel week was shown by the number of informal parties that were held, involuntarily, after hours far into the night, to the detriment of our vigor in the mornings.

But the morning of the 26th found us all bright-eyed and bushy-tailed, and ready for our big day at the Specialty Show. This, also, was wonderfully well organized, thanks not only to Mr. Churchill but to Mrs. Vilma Hunter, Chairman of the Raleigh Show Committee. We had a large room to ourselves, a small pantry where a coffee urn was constantly bubbling, plenty of chairs (another unaccustomed luxury), and a blessed amount of space for negotiating handling and grooming.

Margaret Douglas, who has bred many fine litters of Cardigans, was our Sweepstakes judge. Mrs. Eileen Pimlott, an outstanding breeder/judge from California, judged our classes. The show results were as follows:

SWEEPSTAKES - JUNIOR DOGS

- 1st. Toromar Lord Jim of Rhydowen. Gerry Greenfield & Pat Santi
- 2nd. St. John's Harlech of Rhydowen. Mrs. John W. Lawrence
- 3rd. Cardrew Reddy Teddy. Andrew H. & Carol A. Gonyea
- 4th. Eastwyn Adam. B.F.Perry

SWEEPSTAKES - SENIOR DOGS

- 1st. Aelwyd Trailwyn Wolfbane. Jean L. Clifford
- 2nd. Blackader Shadracks Bandit. Charles Pharr & Ingrid Gorick

- 3rd. Rollingwood's Mr. Hobart. William H. & Frances Enders  
 4th. Rhewllyd Lord Rhydowen Bear. Donna Lonquist & Beverly Olsen

SWEEPSTAKES - JUNIOR BITCHES

- 1st. Coblyn Lady Glenjoy. Susan M. Cogger  
 2nd. Glenjoy Coblyn Divil Gotter. Susan M. Cotter  
 3rd. Dean's Breakfast at Tiffany. Mr. & Mrs. Weldon D. Dean  
 4th. Dean's Cupcake of Tamerlane. Mrs. J. Bruce Morey Morey & Charles Ingold

SWEEPSTAKES - SENIOR BITCHES

- 1st. Aragorn's Swansea Galadriel. Marieann & Steven Gladstone  
 2nd. Oaklea Electra. L. Donald & Cathryn L Ochs  
 3rd. Georgian Court Briallen TD. Joan E. Lafferty  
 4th. Rhydowen Lady of Rhewlld. Lonquist & Olsen
- BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES
- 1st. Toromar Lord Jim of Rhydowen. Gerry Greenfield & Pat Santi
- Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes: Aragorn's Swansea Galadriel. Marieann & Steven Gladstone

BEST SENIOR IN SWEEPSTAKES

Aelwyd Trailwyn Wolfbane. Jean L. Clifford

BEST JUNIOR IN SWEEPSTAKES

Toromar Lord Jim of Rhydowen. Gerry Greenfield & Pat Santi

REGULAR CLASSES

PUPPY DOGS (6 MONTHS AND UNDER 9 MONTHS)

- 1st. Eastwyn Alphadorian. L. Donald & Cathryn L. Ochs  
 2nd. Eastwyn Adam. B.F. Perry  
 3rd. Rollingwood Pern Jubilation. Paula A. Kokron & Priscilla Benkin  
 4th. Caralan Jubilant Jonathon. Pat & Howard C. Buerger

PUPPY DOGS (9 MONTHS AND UNDER 12 MONTHS)

- 1st. St. John's Harlech of Rhydowen. Mrs. John W. Lawrence  
 2nd. Blackader Shadracks Bandit. Charles Pharr & Ingrid Gorick  
 3rd. Rhydowen Caralan Blue Fantom. Patricia M. Buerger & Pat Santi

NOVICE DOGS

- 1st. Rhewllyd Lord Rhydowen Bear. Donna Lonquist & Beverly Olsen

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

- 1st. Cardrew Reddy Teddy. Andrew H. & Carol A. Gonyea



2nd. Checkmate's Bounty Hunter. Robert R. & Sherry S. Caldwell

3rd. Tulemalu Black of Finnshavn. C.D. MacInnes

4th. My Fair Spots of Black Velvet. Marlene Goodman  
AMERICAN BRED DOGS

1st. Nunnerys Barnum & Bailey. Joan A. Boland

2nd. Aelwyd Trailwyn Wolfbane. Jean L. Clifford

3rd. Rollingwood's Mr. Hobart. William H. & Frances Enders

4th. Llewyn's Colwyn of Rhydowen. Dr. & Mrs. Leigh Marsh & Pat Santi

#### OPEN DOGS

1st. Swansea's Blu Eyes are Back. Carole A. Barnum & Pat Santi

2nd. Cardrew Christopher Watched. William & Margaret Quick

3rd. York Glen's Prince Charming. Pat Burris

4th. Finnshavn's Stompin Tom. Mrs. Millicent Taylor  
WINNERS DOG

Cardrew Reddy Teddy. Andrew H. & Carol A. Gonyea  
RESERVE DOG

Swansea's Blu Eyes are Back. Carole A. Barnum & Pat Santi

#### PUPPY BITCHES (6 MONTHS AND UNDER 9 MONTHS)

1st. Glenjoy's Enchanted Ring. Susan M. Cogger

2nd. Dean's Breakfast of Tiffany. Mr. & Mrs. Weldon D. Dean

3rd. Rhydowen Amy of Rowlegate. Don Worcester & Pat Santi

4th. Dean's Cupcake of Tamerlane. Mrs. J. Bruce Morey & Charles Ingold

#### PUPPY BITCHES (9 MONTHS AND UNDER 12 MONTHS)

1st. Rhydowen Amber of Caergrawnt. Emiline Steinbronn & Theodore Sprague

2nd. Cardrew Jaze Rockette. Jeffrey M. Pavao

3rd. Rollingwood's Indigo Bunting. Priscilla Benkin

4th. Rhydowen Tuff Stuff. Elizabeth Lawrence & Pat Santi

#### NOVICE BITCHES

1st. Glenjoy Coblyn Divil Gotter. Susan M. Cogger

2nd. Kimo Glesni Arianledd. Pat Santi & Emiline Steinbronn

3rd. Oaklea April Mist of Caroway. Sandra H. Morris & L. Donald Ochs

#### BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES

1st. Twinroc Ebony Gem. Paul & Doris Slaboda

2nd. Oaklea Electra. L. Donald & Cathryn L. Ochs

3rd. Rowlegate Morning Kiss CD. Patricia A. & Donald E. Worcester

#### AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

1st. Aragorn's Swansea Galadriel. Marieann & Steven Gladstone

- 2nd. Coblyn Lady Glenjoy. Susan M. Cogger
- 3rd. Swansea Broomhilda Robwynn. Louise Glasscock  
& Pat Santi
- 4th. Rhydowen Lady of Rhewllyd. Donna Lonquist &  
Beverly Olsen

OPEN BITCHES

- 1st. Raglan's Miss Abigail. O.Theodore Wendel Jr.  
& Jessie S. Wendel
- 2nd. Coblyn Golden Jewel. Susan Cogger
- 3rd. Georgian Court Briallen TD. Joan E. Lafferty
- 4th. Dyerwoods Midnite Summer. Carl & Elsie Dye &  
Cheryl Woods

WINNERS BITCH

- Aragorn's Swansea Galadriel. Marieann & Steven  
Gladstone

RESERVE BITCH

- Raglan's Miss Abigail. O.Theodore Wendel Jr. &  
Jessie Wendel

VETERAN DOG CLASS

- 1st. Ch. Halmor Caesar. Pat Santi
- 2nd. Ch. Corglens Brigadier CD. Patricia M. &  
Howard C. Buerger

VETERAN BITCH CLASS

- 1st. Ch. Robgwen Welsh Fire. Glennis O. Miller
- 2nd. Ch. Swansea Sweetheart. Pat Santi

BEST OF BREED

- CH. EASTWYN MISS FRIENDLY. Paul & Doris Slaboda  
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX

- CH. ROLLINGWOOD'S GEE WHIZ. Priscilla Benkin &  
Carole Minor

BEST OF WINNERS

- CARDREW REDDY TEDDY. Andrew H. & Carol A. Gonyea  
STUD DOG

- 1st. Ch. Twinroc Caesar's Cadet. Paul & Doris  
Slaboda
- 2nd. Ch. Swansea Black Jack. Riverlawn Kennels, Reg.
- 3rd. Ch. Winsdown Black Dragon. J.P.Kearns & G.O.  
Miller
- 4th. Ch. Wendac Checkmate Bingo. Sandra H. Morris  
& L. Donald Ochs

BROOD BITCH

- 1st. Ch. Eastwyn Miss Friendly. Paul & Doris Slaboda
- 2nd. Ch. Eastwyn Miss Diamond. B.F.Perry & E.R.Hines
- 3rd. Ch. Llanfair Tincer Cloch. William & Sue Cogger
- 4th. Ch. Lucky Lane's M'Lady Frolic. Andrea Vrana

BRACE

- Ch. Swansea Jane Firbank CD. Emiline Steinbronn &  
Pat Santi AND
- Ch. Swansea Last Word. Emiline Steinbronn & Pat  
Santi



## OBEDIENCE WINS

(Report from Mr. Theodore Sprague)

Except once at an independently-held event, the entry of eight Cardigans at this year's Specialty was the largest we have ever had in Obedience. At an all-breed show, a Specialty can be frustrating, especially if, as happened this year, the two rings are at opposite ends of the show area; in fact, one dog missed his Obedience class, while another missed his Breed class.

Four trophies were offered for Cardigans in Obedience, all awarded ceremonially at the Annual Dinner, an arrangement which I think the Obedience people especially appreciated.

Of the seven Cardigans who actually competed, five received qualifying scores, as follows:

CARALAN BLACK OPAL CD. Mauda & Jim Palmer. 196 1/2

Open B. Highest Scoring Cardigan in Regular Classes; Highest Scoring Cardigan Earning a First Leg.

OAKLEA JOY TO THE WORLD CD. Beverly & Jean Williams. 188 Open B.

CAERGRAWNT OLWYDD. Theodore Sprague. 182 1/2 Novice B. Best Opposite Sex to Highest Scoring Cardigan.

SWANSEA TOBY OF RIVERLAWN. Riverlawn Kennels Reg. 177 1/2 Novice B

CH. WINDWARD DARK ANTARES. Peter K. & Dana H. Stern. 174 Novice B. Highest Scoring Champion Cardigan.

### ANNUAL AWARDS FOR 1976

These wins at the Show itself are not the only coveted awards of the Specialty week-end. The yearly Awards presented at the Annual Dinner do not depend upon the opinion of a single judge, or the appearance of a dog on one particular day, but upon his performance throughout the whole year. The Awards for 1976 are as follows:

KENTWOOD CUP, for the individual dog who won most Club points during 1976, regardless of competition.

Winner: Ch. Eastwyn Miss Friendly. Bred by B. Perry & E. Hines. Owned by Mr. & Mrs. Paul C. Slaboda

Runner-Up: Ch. Swansea Blue Blaze. Bred by Pat Santi & Mary Nelms. Owned by Marge R. Riccardi.

DEL-VAL TROPHY, for the dog or bitch who during 1976 defeated in head-to-head competition the greatest number of Cardigans.

Winner: Ch. Eastwyn Miss Friendly. Bred by B. Perry & E. Hines. Owned by Mr. & Mrs. Paul C. Slaboda.

Runner-Up: Ch. Bealehouse Henery the First. Bred by Mr. & Mrs. H.B.Floyd. Owned by Mr. & Mrs. H.B.Floyd.