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BCA Rassemblement/Specialty
August 5, 6, 7, 8
HOLIDAY INN - WEST
2429 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, Ohio 43614

WHY NOT MAKE YOUR HOTEL RESERVATIONS TODAY?
Single $36 - Double $42 and be sure to mention THE BRIARD CLUB OF AMERICA

Activities scheduled to begin Thursday evening, Aug. 5
with our National Specialty on Friday, pending AKC approval.

DONATIONS TO THE
RASSEMBLEMENT/SPECIALTY FUND FOR '82
WILL BE SINCERELY APPRECIATED AND WILL HELP TO MAKE THIS A MOST MEMORABLE WEEKEND!
Send donations to the Treasurer and make your check payable to The Briard Club.

Our cover dog for this issue is "Polo", showing us that snow can be beautiful, especially when it serves as the backdrop for a Briard. Polo's best friend is Richard Doner, one of the winners of our Dew Claw Cover Raffle, held the past two specialty weekends to support the Eye Research Fund. Polo is also known as Champion Monet's Polonaise Avec Panach, and we thank both him and Richard for sharing this lovely photo with us.

NEW YEAR 1982

Photos of New Champions and Obedience Degrees, show wins of Winners or better from Major shows, printed in The Dew Claw as space permits.
SECRETARY’S REPORT

Happy New Year! For 1982 there are some nice plans and the Board of Directors has also extended plans for 1983 and 1984. Our President, Ed Konrath has asked that we list the calendar of events in the planning, which are as follows:

1982 Rassemblement/Specialty is being planned for the weekend of August 6, 7, and 8. Application has been made to A.K.C. to hold our National Specialty on Friday, August 6 and this is pending A.K.C. approval.

The Rassemblement is planned for Saturday, August 7 and Sunday, August 8, and if our entry is large, the Committee may also plan for evaluations to be done on Thursday for earlybirds, and Friday if it can be scheduled so it will not conflict with the Specialty. The esteemed Monsieur Lin Montenot will be our French Judge for our Rassemblement.

Manny Littin and Jean Heft are co-chairing the weekend and have many nice plans arranged with the Holiday Inn - West in ’Bleedo. If you are interested in helping with the 1982 weekend, please contact Manny or Jean.

1983 National Specialty Weekend is planned for Connecticut in late August 1983. Mary Bloom will Chair an Independent Specialty, probably on Sunday of the weekend. June Shaw and Cece Collins are co-chairing a three-ring-judging clinic, which will be similar to a Rassemblement, but with three Judges (an A.K.C. Judge, a handler Judge, and a foreign breeder Judge). In addition, there will be an all-breed show on the same weekend. Again, your offers of help will be appreciated by these chairmen.

1984 National Specialty Weekend is planned for California. Mary Lopez has been appointed to chair an Independent Specialty, which will be held on the same grounds as two all-breed events on the next two days. This offers a full weekend of shows and Mary has suggested a number of enticing activities to add to the weekend. If you can be of help, please get in touch with Mary.

"T" is the letter to use for naming Briards born in 1982, if you follow the French, alphabetical system. In France, all puppies born this year will have names beginning with the letter "T".

CALENDARS AND BROCHURES are available from Gloria Merder (R.R.2, Box 504, Jasper, IN 47546). The Calendars are $5.00 each this year and the Brochures are $4 for 25 brochures.

EAR GLUE - A number of people have asked where to buy ear glue for support of puppies’ ears. This is available from the Novelty Shoppe, as are a nice assortment of Briard items. Contact Jan Zinthesim 5350 Co. Road 151, Mound MN 55364 for more information.

SLOGAN FOR 1982 (or the Chinese Year of the Dog, 4680): "Quality Briards for Quality Homes".

STRIP PRINTER WANTED - B.C.A. could use a headline, strip-printer. If you know where one could be obtained for a reasonable price, please contact Diane McRath.

THROW YOUR HAT IN THE RING

EVERY YEAR, OUR NOMINATING COMMITTEES
FACE THE SAME DILEMMA:
WHICH OF THE MEMBERS WOULD LIKE TO WORK,
AND WHAT ARE THEIR QUALIFICATIONS?

The various offices and directors' seats are not honorary, but should be filled by interested and qualified people, who have sufficient time available, and are willing to devote it to the Club's work.

If you would be interested in serving in any of B.C.A.'s elected positions, please notify the Club and your name will be given to the Nominating Committee. This Committee will be appointed by March 15, and the nominations will be completed by May 1. Submit your name early enough so there will be enough time to consider it.

If you are not familiar with the work required for a given office, please call those serving in that capacity for more information. We will be delighted to hear from you.

SATISFACTION IS DOING YOUR BEST

To give special treatment to only a few is not difficult, but doing your best for everyone is quite an accomplishment. It takes organization, planning, consideration, courtesy, and just plain hard work! In B.C.A., we try to do our best for everyone without exception, and especially for the Breed.

There is a special satisfaction in trying to do your best, and this is shared by the many of you who have offered help during the past year, sent your news and comments, and we give a special thank you to the many people who have written to tell us they are pleased.

Happy New Year to you all!
TREASURER'S REPORT
9/1/81 through 10/31/81

INCOME
Dues $160.00
Dew Claw, ads 220.00
" subscriptions 213.00
" back issues 1.50
Rescue Fund donation 50.00
Eye clinic exams 407.00
Assessments 14.86
'81 Specialty 914.17

Balance brought forward $3,121.36 *
Income 1,980.53
Expenses 602.59
New Balance 4,499.30

(*includes money in special funds restricted to specific use.)

DUES ARE DUE
Patricia A. Long, Treasurer

Wishing you all Joy in the New Year!

from
Pa'Chick Kennels
CHARLES AND PAT LONG
5890 SHEA ROAD
MARINE CITY, MI 48039
313/765-5906

NEW YEAR 1982
DINGUS, HOW DID SANTA KNOW MY NEW ADDRESS?

WELL, JULIO, SANTA ALWAYS KNOWS WHERE GOOD BRIARDS ARE!

Happy New Year

FROM ALL AT THE CLARK-OJEDA HOUSEHOLD
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR THAT EXTRA SPECIAL PUPPY?

Reservations are now being accepted for our "T" litter. Blacks and tawnies are expected the end of January.

CH. PA'CHICK'S REBEL DEUX blk.
Vin Marque de Grand Couer 14 pts. blk.
CH. SAUCY SALLY CHEZ DE BENADART twny.

SIRE: CH. SILVERMOON MARQUIS D'LINDEAUX (ptd. Can.)
OFA FB-127-T/Eyes Clear - blk.
AM./CAN.
CH. UMBI CHABIV DE STRATHCONA, C.D.
CH. VIVA MAUDE CHEZ ROGUES DE BRIE, C.D.
La Melissa Chez Chien Velu twny.

Inquiries Invited: Susan C. McCormick
Dromore Kennel
25743 Culver
St. Clair Shores, Michigan 48081

DROMORE MAY HAVE A PUPPY TO SUIT YOU TO A "T"!

From this line breeding we are expecting exceptional heads, sound hips and temperament.

CH. PROUD REBEL DE MARHA (xrayed clear) blk.
CH. PA'CHICK'S REBEL DEUX blk.
Pa'Chick's Esmarelda (xrayed clear) blk.

DAM: CH. PA'CHICK'S MS-BE-HAVEN, AM./CAN. C.D. (3 pts. Can.)
OFA FB-86/ Eyes Clear - blk.

CH. RALPH DES ELFES DE MALOUSE, C.D. OFA/Eyes
AM./CAN. CH. PA'CHICK'S JEZEBEL OFA/Eyes twny.
AM./CAN. CH. REINE DES ELFES DE MALOUSE
OFA/twny.

(313) 772-3897 - Call after 6:30 p.m. weekdays -
home most weekends.
BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR
FROM THE
McCORMICK CLAN
AT
DROMORE KENNEL

AM/CAN. CH. PA'CHICK's IMPRESARIO, CAN. CD, AM. CDX
CH. PA'CHICK's MS-BE-HAVEN, AM/CAN. CD (SHONA)
AM/CAN. CH. DROMORE'S PROMISES-PROMISES (HEATHER)

YOUR DOG'S HOROSCOPE FOR THE YEAR OF THE DOG

Aries - March 22 - April 20
Positive Traits: pioneering and adventurous spirit; enterprising; courageous; direct in approach; highly energetic; hating restrictions.
Negative Traits: selfish; always putting himself first; impulsive; overbearing; quick tempered or impatient.

Taurus - April 21 - May 21
Positive Traits: practical; reliable; enduring; love of good food; persistent; solid; determined; affectionate; trustworthy.
Negative Traits: possessive; lazy; self-indulgent; greedy; stubborn; resentful.

Gemini - May 22 - June 21
Positive Traits: adaptable; intellectual; busy; lively; sympathetic; responsive; affectionate.
Negative Traits: changeable; restless; cunning; inconsistent; unable to control nervous energy.

Cancer - June 23 to July 23
Positive Traits: kind; sensitive; sympathetic; strong parental instinct; protective; cautious; clever.
Negative Traits: overly emotional; quick tempered; moody; unforgiving; untidy.

Leo - July 24 - August 23
Positive Traits: generous; enthusiastic; having a sense of showmanship; warmhearted.
Negative Traits: domineering; bullying; pomposous; snobbish; intolerant; conceited.

Virgo - August 24 - September 23
Positive Traits: discriminating; modest; tidy; great insight; very perceptive.
Negative Traits: fussy; a worrier; finicky; envious; moody.

Libra - September 24 - October 23
Positive Traits: charming; easy-going; refined; tender-hearted; kind.
Negative Traits: indecisive; resentful; influenced by others; impulsive.

Scorpio - October 24 - November 22
Positive Traits: powerful feelings; imaginative; determined; perceptive.
Negative Traits: jealous; resentful; stubborn; secretive; willful.

Sagittarius - November 23 - December 22
Positive Traits: jovial; adaptable; sincere and dependable; unselfish.
Negative Traits: careless; boisterous; irresponsible; capricious.

Capricorn - December 23 - January 19
Positive Traits: reliable; determined; ambitious; careful; good sense of discipline; patient; persevering; faithful.
Negative Traits: rigid outlook; over-exacting; pessimistic; miserly; self-critical.

Aquarius - January 20 - February 19
Positive Traits: independent; humanitarian; friendly; sensitive; well-organized.
Negative Traits: moody; procrastinator; nervous.

Pisces - February 20 - March 21
Positive Traits: humble; sympathetic; emotional; sensitive; kind; receptive.
Negative Traits: vague; careless; secretive; weak-willed; indecisive; shy or timid.

So if your puppy is born this year, raise him or her carefully in order to accentuate the positive and minimize the negative!
All good wishes for the New Year

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CH. PAGET DE BARCHeT
CH. TIGRESSE DE PATRICHe
KNOLLWOOD'S STAR OF THE SHOW

BEAUTIFUL TAWNY PUPPIES AVAILABLE, Sired by "BEAR"
(CH. PAGET DE BARCHET) OUT OF "TIGGY" (CH. TIGRESSE
DE PATRICHE), BORN LATE JANUARY.

"CRICKET"
KNOLLWOOD'S STAR OF THE SHOW

At the tender age of 8 months, Cricket is shown
after taking a 5 point major at Northeastern Indiana
K.C. under judge, Rex Vandeventer, in November. She
was also given a 3 point major and Best of Breed by
judge, Peggy Adamson, and another 3 point win under
judge, William Kendrick.

Cricket is quite a gal and has made a wonderful
showing with 11 points in 4 show ring appearances!
She is proudly owned by Linda Knoll and bred by
Janis Millis.
A FINE LINE BREEDING

(Vin Marque de Grand Coeur
(Ch. Saucy Sally de Benadaret

SIRE: CH. MONTARGIS DE LINDEAU
(Ch. Ora Woofi de Grand Coeur
(Ch. Jaime Widgette de Lindeau
(Ch. Strathcona's Blac Magic Woman

(Dam: BEARDSANBROW'S OCTOMA
(Ch. Tres Vien Chez Rogues de Brie
(Uther Bijou de Strathcona
(G'veret Kahlbah de Strathcona UD

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- BOTH PARENTS CLEARED HIPS AND EYES
- BLACK PUPPIES DUE MID-FEBRUARY

New Year's Greetings
from
Briards De Schrott
Bellesprit Lorelei
ch. Bellesprit
Midnight Special
and our newest member
D'Roka Shilo DeSchrott
and of course
The Schrotts
Dan, Heather,
Drew, & Danielle
STONEHILL'S I'M MAUDE
"MAGGIE"

CONGRATULATE

TWO OF THEIR OFFSPRING
ON FINISHING
OCTOBER 17, 1981

NAUTILUS' CAPTAIN NEMO
9-29-80 (DOG)

OWNER DAM: DONNA AIELLO
AMARILLO, TEXAS

CH PA CHICKS INTERMEZZO CD
"BO BO"

WITH 5 POINT MAJORS
AT ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO

AND NAUTILUS' SEA SIREN
9-29-80 (BITCH)

OWNER SIRE: STAN & LYNNE GUY
TULAROSA, NEW MEXICO

BCA
HAPPY NEW YEAR and lots of luck for 1982! The past year has flown by and we are now looking forward to '82. The plans for the Rassemblement and Specialty in Toledo are falling together well and I look forward to seeing everyone in August.

I would also like to thank everyone again, who has been sending news and stories to share for the DewClaw. All help is greatly appreciated!

NEW CHAMPIONS

CH. CEDRIC FORCE DE BEAULOLIS - Cedric, owned and handled by Earl Gates, finished his championship on 9/26/81 at the Inland Empire show under Mr. Ed Dixon. To appreciate this championship you must realize that Earl and Cedric have to travel at least 1,000 miles to make the American shows!

CH. NOTRE RIGOLOR DE STRATHCONA - Rigolor, owned by Brad & Barb Fitch, finished his championship on September 27 at Ann Arbor under Dr. Bosheil. His sire is Am/CAN. Ch. Silvermoon la Joie de Vivre, UD and his dam is Ch. Uziz Akshamit de Strathcona.

CH. CRADLEROCKS PHAN DANCER - Phany, owned and handled by Ken & Lynn Behrendt, finished his championship on October 4 at the Minnesota Valley show. That makes the second Briard to finish in their family this year!

CANADIAN CH. POOKA TATIANA DE SOULIEADO - owned and handled by Suzette Weinberger, finished her Canadian Championship on October 25. She is bred by Jim Stewart out of Beardsanbrow's Natanya and sired by Ch. Phydeaux Mindfall, C.D.

CH. MANNY'S ROCK AND ROLL - finished his championship on October 18 at the Mad River show under Judd, Mr. Ed Bracy. He was 11 months old and handled by Doue Kahn. His owner is Manny Littin.

CH. MON JOVIS BELIEVE IT V. MON AMI - bred by Mary Lopez and owned by D. Joe and Gail Halcomb, finished his championship at Mesa Arizona under Mr. Tom Stevenson. This black male is sired by Ch. de Beaujois Mon Ami and his dam is Kai-Mors Grenny V.S.G.

CH. MON JOVIS BEAU DEREK - owned and bred by Robert and Mary Lopez finished his championship at San Mateo K.C., under Mrs. Edna Travinik, on Nov. 29. This black bitch is sired by Ch. de Beaujois Mon Ami out of Kal-Mors Grenny V.S.G.

CH. MON JOVIS A CLAIM TO FAME - bred by Mary Lopez and owned by Fredrick Miley, finished his championship at San Mateo on Nov. 29 under Mrs. Edna Travinik. This tawny male is sired by Ch. de Beaujois Mon Ami out of Beau Cheval's Fanta.

OBEEDIENCE TITLES

Dave Behrens has been busy gaining more titles on Perri. On August 22 & 23 she passed her Canadian Tracking tests to add the Canadian T.D. to her American tracking title. Then, on September 13th, Perri became the first Briard to earn a T.D.X. She is now one of about 50 dogs in the United States to hold this title!

BRIEIZINGS, continued

Julie Reinis has also been very busy. Whokee finished his Canadian C.D.X. on May 2nd at the St. John Obedience Club trial with a score of 192%. The next day he added a bumper leg with 192%. On September 18 they traveled to Rawdon, Quebec where Shooki earned his Canadian C.D.X. The wire fence corners of his track were in thick, chest-high, golden rod and Julie reports she couldn't even see Whokee, except when he would bring back an article. At one point, the golden rod dock to him and he suffered a severe sneezing attack. Happily he didn't manage to get on with it, dramming her along at a full run through a foot mud and water filled ditch, past his cross tracks, and across the road to his last article. Julie says they were a rather bedraggled pair at the finish, but to her he was more handsome than any Best in Show winner! On October 4th, Whokee started his quest for the U.D. with a score of 191 for Second Place at the Saggareep Obedience Club trial.

Not to be left out, Julie's second Briard, Pibble has been very busy too. On July 26 at Elm City, she took her second 3 point major in the Breed Ring, going Best of Winners. In the Obedience Ring, Pibble earned her C.D.X. taking First Place in each of the 3 trials. First was Woodstock with 193 on July 31 then another 193 at Great Barrington on August 31 third was a 195 at Somerset Hills on Sept 9. She added a bumper leg at the Saggareepa trial with 198 and another First Place! Pibble also made the trip to Rawdon and added the title of Canadian T.D. Her track was near a livestock barn and she had a momentary lapse when a honking goose undoubtedly brought forth visions of a wild chase through the barnyard. But, a reminder to get back to work was all she needed to finish the track in fine style.

AM/CAN. CH. PLEINE VITESSE DE STRATHCONA, C.D., CAN. T.D. - Vitesse, owned and trained by Christine Duval, finished her Tracking title in Canada at the Rawdon, Quebec trial.

These accomplishments by Briards and owners prove that Briards can and should shine in all areas of A.K.C. competition!!!

PUPPY CORNER

Linda Wells and Rob Ferber happily announce that they have a litter, whelped in early January out of Ch. Mori Noire de Lindeau and sired by Ch. Stonehill's I'm Bobie. All puppies are black.

Linda Knoll is expecting a tawny litter out of Ch. Tierdes de Patrice and sired by Ch. Padet de Barchet.

Cece Collins has a tawny litter, born in early December.

Mary Lopez reports she is expecting a litter of tawny puppies in January.

Mary Bloom has tawny's out of Chateauubriand Risque and sired by Ch. Nestor de l'Elminence.

Barbara Lynch reported she was expecting a litter (blacks & tawny's) in mid-December.

Bill & Doreen Vyle are have a litter, whelped the end of October, all tawny's.

Lynn Bohanan has a litter of 4, whelped in December. Phyllis Bond is adent.

NEW YEAR 1982
NEWS BRIEZEINGs - continued

Karen Downey, in Canada, expects a litter of blacks and tawnies in February. (Please note Karen's new address in Looking for Puppies).

Susan McCormick expects a litter of blacks and tawnies out of Ch. P'Tchick's Ms-Be-Haven and sired by Ch. Silvermoon Marquis de Lindeau in February.

O.P.A. NEWS

FB-130 Ch. Tiersesse de Patricie, owned by Linda Knoll, sired by Misty Mountain Breberber out of Ch. Vixen de Patricie.
FB-134 Ch. John's Pashtu de Strathcona, owned by John Kelly, sired by Ch. Silvermoon la Joie de Vivre; U.D. out of Ch. Uziz Akshant de Strathcona.
FB-136 Ch. Poulette de Bonheur, CD, owned by Jane Beahan, sired by Ch. Jabot le Bonheur d'He, Couture out of Ch. Fille d'Abbaye.

CONDOLENCES

Linda Wells and Rob Feber report that Ch. Stonehill's I'M Boudie died in December at six and one-half years of age.

Dale Swift reports his Solataire d'Esprit died in September. He was approaching his 13th birthday.

REGIONAL CLUBS

Sonia Collander asks Briarders in the Cleveland, Ohio area to contact her. She would like to know if there is interest in the Greater Cleveland area among pet and show owners to get together for picnics and other gatherings with their dogs. (Sonia Collander, 3623 Highland Rd., Cleveland, OH 44111 telephone: 216-852-1280).

Mary Lopez is interested in starting a regional club in California and the Northwest. Briarders in that area should contact Mary (408/554-8880 or write her at 3352 Vincent Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051).

THANK YOU

Pat Morale would like to extend her thanks to all for the chain greeting with notes for good wishes; good health and cheer, which aided her so much in her recovery from her accident. Pat is improving every day and hopes to have the opportunity to thank everyone in person in Ohio this summer at the Rassemblement/Specialty.

IN MEMORY OF FLOYD STEVENSON

We regret to report that Floyd Stevenson passed away on New Year's Eve. Floyd was a remarkable friend and fine sportsman, and gave unselfishly of his knowledge, interest and time to help promote the well-being of the Briard. During his 80 years, he made many friends and he will be missed by us all.

Our sympathies go out to Myra, his wife, and to all his family.

SHOW REPORTS

6/6/81 - Lake Minnetonka K.C. - J. Mr. Mellor - e 3/5/2
BOB - Ch. Phredaux Polly Poullet (Fran Taylor - Group 3 WD & BOSS 2 pts. Je Suis le Oz (Ken & Lynn Behrendt)
WB 3 pts, BW Cradlerocks Phan Dancer (K & L Behrendt)

6/7/81 - Land O'Lakes K.C. - J. Mrs. Drury - 3/6/1
BOB - Ch. Phredaux Polly Poullet (Fran Taylor)
WD - BW, BOS 4 pts. Je Suis le Oz
WB 4 pts Abbays Paulette de Bonheur (Jane Beahan/Fran Taylor)

Butler County K.C. - J. Mr. Kendrick - e 4/2/3
BOB - Ch. Manny's Play Misty (Donna Kahn)
BOS - Ch. Silvermoon Marquis d'Lineau (Jan & Phil McNeilis)
WD 3 pts, Manny's Rock & Roll (Manny Littin)
WB BW 3 pts. Knollwoods Star of the Show (Linda Knoll)

9/26/81 - Inland Empire K.C. - J. Mr. Dixon - e 2/4/0
WD, BW 3 pts. BOB Cedric Force de Beaulois (Earl Gates)
WB, BOS 3 pts. Pa'Tchick's Nouvelle Naissance (Earl Gates)

9/26/81 - Monroe K.C. - J Dr. Esperite - 6/1/1
BOB - Ch. Drome's Promises-Promises
WD, BW 4 pts Remy-Martin de Strathcona (Russ & Bridette Merz)
WB Drome's Poppet Synderbear

9/27/81 - Richland K.C. - J. Dr. Shute - 3/4/0
WD, BW BOB M & M's Southpoint Sundance (Jack & Peggy Ravndal) 3pts.
WB, BOS 3 pts. Southpointe Redbird (Barbara Horton & Peggy Ravndal)

9/27/81 - Ann Arbor K.C. - J Dr. Boshell - 6/1/2
BOB - Ch. John's Pashtu de Strathcona
BOS - Ch. Drome's Promises-Promises
WD, BW 4 pts Notre Roi de Strathcona
WB Drome's Poppet Synderbear

10/24/81 - Toledo K.C. - J Mrs. Helen Miller Fisher - 7/7/6
BOB - Ch. John's Pashtu de Strathcona
BOS - Ch. Manny's Play Misty
WD 5 pts, BW Pa'Tchick's Rasstime Cowboy (J. Ann Perry & Pat Long)
WB 4 pts. Chateau-Briard Precious (Richard & Shirley Morgan)

11/1/81 - Northeast Indiana K.C. - J. Mr. Vandeventer - 9/3/3
BOB - Ch. John's Pashtu de Strathcona
BOS - Ch. Drome's Promises-Promises
WD 5 pts, Remy-Martine de Strathcona
WB BW 5 pts. Knollwoods Star of the Show

If you have news, short stories to share, or show reports, please send them to Susan McCormick, 25743 Culver St. Clair, MI 48081.

We plan to continue printing show reports, as space permits, as long as printing costs will allow. We do, however, have to limit these reports to major point shows, unless they come from outlying areas, where it is difficult to find majors. We then include the small shows, to help others in the area learn who is actively showing, and to support Briard activities in those areas.

NEW YEAR 1982
MORE ON EAR SUPPORT

by Stephanie Katz

After the 1978 Rassemblement, we had the pleasure of entertaining the French Juddie, M. Paul Liouine and his son. He told us of a system of ear support, which we have tried and found to be very successful. It provides the added support which is sometimes needed when the conventional "elusive method" is used.

The February 1981 Dew Claw carried an article from France on eluding ear support techniques which utilize the puppy's hair. However, these techniques can only be used when the puppy has enough ear fringe, which may be some time after cropping. M. Liouine's method can be used in the early weeks when the ears are elued and can help avoid problems.

The Liouine method is as follows. Glue the ears up, starting at the base of the ear, half-way between the front edge and the center back (vertical) fold of the ear, continuing up to the tip of the ear. If the ears are raised as high as possible on the head, not allowed to tilt forward or backward, and are not glued to the hair on the top of the head, in most cases, this is sufficient support.

As the puppy grows and the hair grows, it is important to keep the ears elued as close to the base as possible (if you can put your finger between the ears, they are not elued close enough to the base). As the hair grows, the ears are allowed to stand more upright and by the time the glue lets go and the ears come apart, they will stand.

However, at times the puppy's ears may not be smooth inside and a crease or fold (refer to figure I) may form along the outer half of the ear.

To correct this, M. Liouine suggests using a splint for the inside of the ear, cut from X-ray film. This material is firm enough to hold the position and still flexible enough to allow the puppy to use the ears.

To make the splint, cut an oblong strip of X-ray film about an inch and a half in length and a half inch in width, and round the corners. Coat both sides of the film with ear glue and carefully cover it with fabric (we use a silky lining fabric). We use two layers of fabric, each layer being coated with the glue. Trim the fabric to the shape of the splint.

This splint is then elued into the ear (with ear glue) at a slight angle in the ear, to correct the fold. (see figure II)

The splint will stay in the ear about a week. If this has not corrected the crease or fold, glue the splint back in place.

This method also works if the ears are up, without being elued.
ch. phydeaux polly poulet
agent: cindy meyer

POULET

and some of the reasons she is the top briard bitch

CANEINE CHRONICLE POINTS

stone city kennel club  group 2  k. peterson
sheboygan kennel club  group 3  h.m. fisher
fox river valley kennel club  group 3  j. honig
lake minnetonka kennel club  group 3  k. drury
marquette kennel club  group 3  m. downing
michiana kennel club  group 4  r. brathwaite
muncie kennel club  group 4  g. plaga
clinton kennel club  group 4  h.m. fisher
indianhead kennel club  group 4  j. gregory
marquette kennel club  group 4  c. hamilton
manitowoc kennel club  group 4  k. peterson

"c'est bonheur" briards
frances taylor  rockford, illinois
**Briards International**

**BRIARDS IN NEW ZEALAND**

**BY LINDA SHOVE**

Briards began for me with a photo in a dog book showing an Old English Sheepdog with two glorious big black shaggy dogs -- it was love (and a permanent obsession)! First sight. I already had an O.E.S. and although she was very lovable, I had always felt she was not quite the "right" breed for me. I wanted something more independent with grace and a touch of elegance, and a dog which didn't have to be powdered, scissored and teased before it went into the show ring.

Then came the day in late 1975 when I saw that photo and I knew I had found exactly what I'd been looking for!

I made inquiries in New Zealand and was told (wrongly as it turned out) that there were no Briards in the country. Next, I wrote to the U.K. (Miss Margaret Osborne) and to Australia. The cost from U.K. was prohibitive (because of the air-freight) so it looked like Australia.

About 2 a.m. one morning (she had forgotten about the time-difference) the phone went and it was Sue Rodsted from Aussies to say she'd just got my letter and had a litter due out of quarantine that week. Because of a cancellation, she had one puppy available, but I had to make up my mind then and there and it would cost almost $800!! At that early stage in our dog career that seemed a horrifying amount of money (we had a long way to go before becoming fanatics -- but we learned fast!!).

I twisted David's arm (it wasn't really fair -- he was still half asleep!) while Sue's toll bill mounted up, and he finally said "Yes!", and my first Briard was on the way!

"Michelle" arrived a few days later, looking disturbingly like a Labrador-cross, a friend had a cross-bred puppy from the pound and they looked very much alike! If it hadn't been for those precious dew-claws, we'd have wondered what we had spent all that money on!

Michelle's mother was a Desamee bitch who was mated to a Balslows dog before leaving England, to whom her litter was quarantined in Australia; the second Briard litter there.

Meanwhile I had managed to track down another Briard owner in New Zealand. Evie Oakes had come from England a year or so earlier with her Briard bitch, only to find she was the only one in the country. She then imported a male and bred her first, and only, litter in Feb. 1976. This was the first Briard litter in New Zealand.

When I made contact with Evie, she still had several puppies left and was having difficulty finding homes for a breed no one had heard of. We bought Abi from her, as a companion for Michelle when they were both 4 months old. We had the idea that it would be a psychologically advantageous to judge us if we had at least two Briards in the ring. We had the usual rare-breed problems.

We had the usual problems of rare breed owners when we started showing. People would ask me if Michelle was a Scottish Terrier. Then, of course, we drew quite tired of hearing, "Oh, look, a black Old English Sheepdog!" Then came the day while we were grooming on the tailgate of the station wagon and the Secretary of the Afshan Club handed me a club notice:

**OUR NEW BREED carrier MANY PROBLEMS!**

The puppies I have bred have done to homes scattered all over the country usually too far apart for owners to keep regular contact with each other. Several have been shown but usually by novice owners who take the new puppy to a few shows, find they have the only Briard at the show and then give up due to a lack of local friendships and encouragement.

Another problem is a lack of recognition for a new breed by the judges. It is sometimes disheartening (even for a dedicated fanatic like me!) to know you have a good dog and see him being passed over by the judge at Group-Judging time. How much more discouraging it must be to have a litter which is killed on the first litter with even a bitch from my first litter. We came to the conclusion that we needed to import again, so once again I wrote to Nancy. She found a dog for Ewen and a bitch for me, both grandchildren of Ch. Desamee Bambin Bear. Jito and Nida arrived in October 1979.

They have provided a much needed boost to our breeding program; Jito having sired three litters and the added bonus that Nida has had success in the show ring.

Apart from my dogs, there is still very few Briards being shown in New Zealand. The problems are similar to those you faced in the early days of the Breeds in the U.S.A. First and foremost is the small, and scattered distribution of the breed population.

N.Z. is two islands separated by a wide strait (four hours of rough sea-ferry crossing!) so contact between the North and South is difficult and expensive. Even within each island, population centers are separated by mountain ranges and flying with big dogs is far too costly for most people to consider.

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be for the novice, who thinks it is his precious puppy which has been rejected, not realizing that the problem is really the judge's lack of knowledge of the Breed.

We were very lucky at the beginning as Abi is a very showy bitch and had quite a few Group successes, enough to keep our spirits up! Since then we have had Group wins with most of our own dogs, not as often as we would like, of course, but often enough to make it worth continuing!

All the time, of course, we are trying to improve the quality of the puppies we breed, but we have handicaps with this as well. First is the obvious one; that it is very costly to import new breeding lines which we must do to enlarge our tiny gene pool. We must import, sight unseen and trust to the integrity of the breeder to get something good.

Added to this is the problem that air-freight costs are so high, we must import puppies rather than proven adults and everyone knows what a gamble you are taking with even the most promising puppy!

A less obvious, but very real problem is that I have to assess the qualities and faults of all my stock and puppies on the knowledge of the Breed which I have been able to gather from photos, letters and overseas magazines. We spend so much on our dogs I can't yet afford the luxury of a trip overseas to study Briards first hand (but I am working on that!).

We hope Briards will have a future here as working dogs. After all, the New Zealand economy is based on sheep farming so they should be in their element. I have sold a few puppies to farmers and they are doing well so far, but they are all still quite young, so it is really too soon to know if they will suit N.Z. farming conditions.

Briards are just starting with obedience here. I started earlier this year with Nida (my first experience with obedience, so we have been learning together) and she is doing well so far. I've also started with a daughter we kept from Nida's first litter. I am hoping to make faster progress with her now that I have learned some of the ropes myself.

A puppy from my most recent litter has gone to a girl who is experienced in obedience, and I have an order for a puppy to be trained in obedience for early in the new year. I am thinking of trying my hand at tracking this year, but that will depend on whether I can find enough time.

So, Briards have a foot in the door. At the time of writing there are just over 70 Briards in N.Z. There have been six imports and eleven litters giving a total of 78 puppies. Of these I have sent two puppies to Australia (now Australian Champions) and three to Tahiti (Strange as it may seem, they are the first Briards on the French colony of Tahiti).

The Breed is progressing slowly here, but steadily. We are looking forward to a bright future for them over the next few years. Who knows, there may soon be a strong enough following for us to start our own New Zealand Briard Club!

Mary Bloom is our International Editor and we hope you will enjoy the fruits of her labor in our Briards International column.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

In 1932, the Briard Club of America sent out the following information on the Briard.

Briards are one of the oldest breeds of French dogs suitable to strenuous work. Dating from 800, their traditional use has been for guarding of the property and the division of flocks; although they have been of utility for draft purposes and as a general utility farm dog. They are very smart and teachable, good watch dogs and not vicious.

Briards are now being trained at Seeing Eye in Morristown, N.J. to lead the blind and there are already some Briards doing this work successfully.

One of the oldest known dogs is the Briard, or Chien Berger de Brie. He is a lithe, active dog, strongly built and vigorous. Records, although incomplete, tell of the use of this animal in France from the twelfth century to the present day. During the twelfth century France was overrun with great number of nomadic bandits and because the Briards are especially adapted to guard work, their popularity and numbers increased greatly among the farmers who were exposed to looting. However, after the revolution, the bandits declined in number and the dogs were put to herding sheep in the unfenced pastures of the countryside.

Because he is easily trained and always interested in his work, the Briard is still used for herding and also for police work. During the World War, a great number were killed in action at the front.

So, it can be said that this dog has served man well. He is quiet most of the time but is ever alert, and because of his playfulness, makes an ideal companion.
SHORT, SHORT STORIES

We have been asked to reprint some of the noted Short, Short Stories from the past. We think you'll enjoy them.

SUPER-MOM INSTINCT - A Story of Marha Magie de la Brie

One day, shortly after Harold and Ada Marley's Maie had her first litter, Ada had gone to the neighborhood village laundromat. While she was there a sudden summer storm came through, flooding the streets and some of the homes in the area. The storm was over almost as quickly as it had come and the sun was out again. On returning home, as Ada carried in the clothes basket, she could hear a muffled barking. Checking the garage, where Maie was with her puppies, Ada found the floor flooded by three inches of water! A quick glance told Ada she need not have worried. All the puppies, but one, had been carefully placed, high and dry, wherever Maie could find a place: on concrete blocks, on the steps to the house; and on any other object she could find to get them up out of the water. And there, next to her flooded washing box stood Maie trying to bark, with the last puppy held tenderly in her mouth until someone could come to help. We agree with Harold and Ada, Maie was one of a kind!

MISTAKEN IDENTITY - After washing stomach deep in the ocean at Hilton Head, S.C., Hermes de la Gaillarde, owned by Catherine Kelly, proceeded down the beach, wet with the exception of the ruff around his neck. After a mile or so, a young lady came up to Catharine and remarked, "I certainly am glad to see you. My 4 year old son kept telling me there was a lion on the beach!"

TRACKING DOG - Ch. Walton's Eternie, U.D., owned by William Kent, was the first Briard to earn the Utility Dog title in obedience. He was also trained in tracking, although he was not able to complete it due to a badly injured paw. On one occasion he was set upon the trail of a person who had thrown rocks at the Kents' daughter's window. He successfully tracked the culprit to his hiding place and then --- licked the apprehended youth's face!

RUNNER UP - A young junior handler, having received an explanation of "Reserve Winners" nodded her understanding and said, "It means he's the best of the losers."

What is your favorite Short, Short Story?
HAPPY NEW YEAR

from SUGARCREEK

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Janna
and
susan
smith

AND THE BEAHANS WISH YOU
A GREAT '82
A.K.C. DELEGATE'S REPORT

A number of epic changes are taking place at the American Kennel Club. The most historic is the organization of the American Kennel Foundation whose purpose is to establish THE DOG MUSEUM OF AMERICA. It is the first time in history that such a museum has been founded and it is indeed an outstanding and important undertaking. I have made a separate report for this issue of the Dew Claw about the Foundation and Museum.

After several years of 'homework', the American Shetland Sheepdog Association submitted a formal proposal to the Board of Directors of the A.K.C. to adopt rules necessary to divide the Working Group into two new groups. Under the proposal, the breeds in the first new group would include the Herding and Nordic, or sled-dogs; and the second new group would include the Guard and Draft dogs. The Board of Directors has the proposal under active consideration and plans to present the entire proposal to the Delegates' Meeting in December. Meanwhile, they would welcome suggestions from interested groups.

1984 will mark the 100th Anniversary of the A.K.C. and a suitable celebration is in order. The Board of Directors has seriously discussed holding a Centennial All-Breed Dog Show. The holding of a dog show seems to be highly appropriate to celebrate 100 years of pure-bred dogs in the United States.

We now have a new CH. designation: 'TRIPLE CHAMPION'. An amendment to the Dog Show and Field Trial Rules shall include the following: "Any dog which has been awarded the titles of Champion of Record, Obedience Trial Champion and Field Champion may be designated as a Triple Champion, but no certificate will be awarded for a Triple Champion."

After consultation with an Obedience Advisory Committee, the Board of Directors is considering a complete revision of the A.K.C. Obedience Regulations. Said proposed revisions are published in the November 1981 issue of the GAZETTE.

June Shew
Your Delegate to A.K.C.

THE DOG MUSEUM OF AMERICA

In 1980, the American Kennel Club organized the American Kennel Club Foundation, the primary purpose of which was to establish a national repository devoted to art, literature, and artifacts of the dog. The Directors have named the museum, THE DOG MUSEUM OF AMERICA. Its aim is to insure that books and art on the dog will be preserved and made available to everyone whose life has been enriched by the love of a dog.

The Dog Museum of America will house an extensive collection of paintings, sculptures, literature, and artifacts that celebrate man’s best friend. It will function as a clearinghouse of information on the aesthetic and historic aspects of the dog world. The tradition of animals in art dates back thousands of years to the first cave paintings and is found in every manifestation of culture and civilization. One finds dogs depicted in Egyptian tomb paintings; Eskimo carvings; 15th century Flemish paintings; and in contemporary art. The affection for and illustration of the dog in art is as universal as it is timeless.

The American Kennel Club Foundation seeks to raise $500,000 as Phase I of the Museum's development, followed by $2,000,000 campaign to secure the Museum's future over the long term. Incorporated as a not-for-profit organization, the Foundation received a favorable ruling from IRS granting it tax-deductible status. The Museum's first home is to be in the same building as the A.K.C., 51 Madison Avenue, New York City.

DINNER TAILS
BY DON DISHELL

There was once an unforgettable paw —
that was applied in a certain way —
accompanied by an unbroken moan of need
for whatever your menu that day.
And should you rebuke those liquid eyes
and ignore that deep stream of pain
He'd lay his hot warm head upon your lap
and wait — for your heart to melt again.
Over and again this homely scenario played.
So — now I can hardly bear
To dine without that furry Thespian,
awaiting at my chair.
Ringing in a
Happy New Year!

Risque Venu
The Blooms
ANOTHER NEW YEAR - A TIME FOR RESOLUTIONS

Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully.

Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind and encouraging word to or about someone.

Keep skid chains on your tongue; always say less than you think. How you say it often counts more than what you say.

Let your virtues speak for themselves and refuse to talk about another's vices. Say nothing about someone unless it is something good.

Do your work, be patient, keep a pleasant disposition, forget self, and you will be rewarded.

Goodwill is the one asset that the competition cannot undersell or destroy.

Be cheerful. Hide your pain, worries and disappointments under a smile.

Be careful of other people's feelings. Wit and humor at someone else's expense are rarely worth the effort, and may hurt when least expected.

Preserve an open mind on all those debatable questions. Discuss, but don't argue.

Pay no attention to ill-natured or jealous remarks about you. Simply live so that nobody will believe them.

Though no one can go back and make a brand new start anyone can start from now and make a brand new end.

When arguing with a stupid person, be sure he is not doing the same.

Before you complain, work awhile in the other fellow's shoes.

"A WINNER"

A winner says, "Let's find out"; a loser says, "Nobody knows."

A winner makes commitments. A loser makes promises.

A winner says, "I'm good, but not as good as I ought to be"; a loser says, "I'm not as bad as lot of other people."

A winner credits his "good luck" for winning even though it wasn't his good luck; a loser blames his "bad luck" for losing - even though it wasn't his bad luck.

A winner listens; a loser just waits until it's his turn to talk.

A winner respects those who are superior to him and tries to learn from them; a loser resents the superiority of others and tries to find chinks in their armor.

A winner does more than his job; a loser says, "I only work here."

A winner says, "I fell"; a loser says, "Somebody pushed me."

HAPPY NEW YEAR

FROM

CH. PHYDEAUX PORTRAIT OF JENNIE

WHO IS EXPECTING PUPPIES IN THE SPRING

AND FROM ALL OF HER FAMILY

Ron & Sheri Daniel
Inga & Jean-Paul

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NEW YEAR 1982
IN MEMORIUM
CH. STONEHILL'S I'M BOGIE
JUNE 1, 1975 - NOVEMBER 30, 1981

"BOGIE", A TREASURED FRIEND, NEVER TO BE FORGOTTEN
Linda Wells
Rob Ferber

!!NEW C.D.X., NEW CANADIAN T.D., NEW CHAMPION!!

CHAMPION BRIE-ZEE PRINCESS TRIBBLE, AM. CDX, TD: CAN. CD, TD
Owner: Julie Treinis
Breeder: Dave Behrens
C.D.X. Title: September 5, 1981
Championship: December 13, 1981
Whelped: November 2, 1979

Sire: Ch. Chateaubriard Vermouth, C.D.
Ch. Phydeaux Theda Bara
Ch. Phydeaux Windfall, CD
Dam: Am/Can. Ch. Beardsanbrow's N'est Pas, Am/Can. UOT, Sch 1, AD
Ch. Uther Bijou de Strathcona

judge: Mr. Patterson
Handled and trained by owner

NEW YEAR 1982
NEW CHAMPION

CHAMPION SNOWCASTLE'S FLEUR DE DJINDJER (bitch)

Owners: Homer & Jeanne Zuver
Breeder: Barbara Jill Carruthers
Championship: July 18, 1981
Whelped: January 20, 1978

Sire: Misty Mountain Briebereber
Lauren Sechord d'Agincourt
Barken's Sandi Ballinaboy
Ch. Phydeaux Quoin de Cuivre
Am/Can. Ch. Vixen de Patriche
Ch. Tanko Tepo de Marha

Judge: Leslie Kodner
Handled by owner

NEW CHAMPION

CHAMPION CRADLE ROCK'S PHAN DANCER (bitch)

Owners: Ken & Lynn Behrendt
Breeders: Bill & Leila Rittmaster
Championship: October 4, 1981
Whelped: May 26, 1979

Sire: Ch. Chateaubriard l'Oreal Un
Ch. Chateaubriard Jus d'Orange
Un
Ch. Seigneuse from Shiel
Ch. Bellesprit Midnight Cowboy

Dam: Phydeaux Orphan Annie
Ch. Phydeaux Usheba des Bergers

Judge: Mr. John Stanek
Handled by owner
NEW COMPANION DOG

BEARDSANBROW'S NOTRE JOSHUA, C.D. (dog)

Owners: Jerry & Linda Schalk
Breeder: Jan Charbonneau

C.D. Title: October 11, 1981
Whelped: June 27, 1979

Ch. Phydeaux Usheba des Bergers

Dam: Am/Can. Ch. Uther Bijou de Strathcona
G'veret Kahlbah de Strathcona, U.D.

Judge: Mrs. Emma Brodzeller
Handled and trained by owner

NEW COMPANION DOG

CH. MANNY'S OTHHELLO, C.D. (dog)

Owner: Marilyn Garner
Breeder: Manny Littin and Susan Alexander

C.D. Title: November 8, 1981
Whelped: January 6, 1978

Sire: Ch. Chateaubriard Vermouth
Ch. Phydeaux Theda Bara

Dam: Ch. Ilote du Lac de Bethmale
Roxanne du Lac de Bethmale
1982 B.C.A. CALENDARS

We had not planned to print a calendar this year because printing costs have climbed and we won't even mention postage, however, we have learned that there are quite a number of calendar devotees out there, and by mid-December many requests for a calendar had come in.

So, we put together a lovely calendar of puppy pictures, together with our standard, appointment type calendar and have printed a limited number for those of you who would not take "no" for an answer.

Our "Puppy Love" calendar is $5.00 and is available from:
Gloria Merder
R.R. 2, Box 504
Jasper, IN 47546

Please make checks payable to the Briard Club

BRIARD PLAQUES AVAILABLE

Through special arrangement with Clare Roberts, the artist who designs and makes the handsome Briard head-study sculpture, which we have had for our Award Plaques in recent years; the Briard plaques are now available to anyone who wishes to buy them. We are sincerely grateful to Claire for this opportunity, since so many are interested in having these lovely plaques.

As most of you know, it is no longer possible for B.C.A. to buy the Briard head-sculpture for new titleholders, as we have in the past. The Club now awards a plate, engraved with the name of each new titleholder, mounted on a small walnut plaque. Those who have the foundation plaque can either have them below the larger plaque, or remove the plate and mount it on their foundation plaque.

These plaques would also make excellent trophies for the Briard classes at your all-breed club's show or as gifts for someone special.

Order your plaque directly from SCULPTURES BY CLAIRE, 81 Mt. Olive Road, Budd Lake, NJ 07828. Enclose a check for $12.00 plus $3.00 for postage and handling and tell Claire you would like the Walnut Briard Head Study Plaque. The plaque is 5 X 7 inches and the head-study has a gold-bronze finish.

Please allow several weeks for delivery, and mention B.C.A. when you order.

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City/State/Zip _____________________

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LOOKING FOR PUPPIES?

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Mary Lopez, 3352 Vincent Dr., Santa Clara, CA 95051 408/554-8880
Black puppies whelped in July; tawnies due in January

CONNECTICUT
Cece Collins, 75 Inwood Road, Darien, CT 06820 203/644-8886
Tawnies whelped in early December

MASSACHUSETTS
Marguerite Provenercher, 105 Lake, Haverhill, MA 01830 617/374-8767
Tawnies due late February

MICHIGAN
Linda Wells & Rob Ferber, 6175 W. M-36, Pinckney, MI 48169
Black puppies whelped early January 313/498-2509
Lynn Knoll, 6655 rives Junction Road, Jackson, MI 49201
Tawnies due late January 517/784-6777
Susan McCormick, 25743 Culver, St. Clair Shores, MI 48041
Blacks and tawnies due mid-February 313/772-3897
Judi Ziozios, 3799 Midland Rd., Saginaw, MI 48603 517/793-0699
Tawnies due mid-March

NEW YORK
Mary Bloom, 50-07 Douglaston Parkway, Douglaston, NY 11362
Tawnies whelped early December 212/224-5275
Barbara Lynch, 7480 Big Tree Road, Livonia, NY 14487 716/367-2721
Blacks and tawnies whelped mid-December

WASHINGTON
Bill & Doreen Wylie, 16103 268th S.E., Issaquah, WA 98027
Tawnies whelped late October 206/392-5899
Lynn Bohanan, 531 Federal Ave. E. Seattle, WA 98102 206/325-0642 or
Tawnies whelped mid-December Phyllis Bond, agent, 206/822-4710

CANADA
Karen Downey, 296 Wolfe St., Peterborough, Ontario 705/742-1948
Black puppies due mid-February

Spring litters planned:
Ellen Walton/Richard McDearmon, Rt. 1, Box 95A, Callaway, VA 24067
703/334-2120
Ron & Sheri Daniel, P.O. Box 503, Blacksburg, VA 24060
703/951-8355

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and to help those contemplating breeding to know how
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