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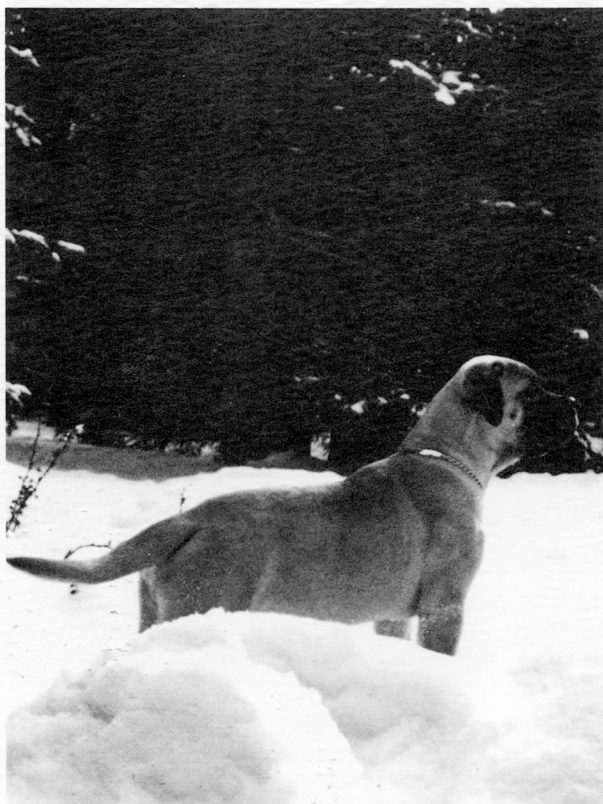
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We have departed from our more traditional cover, Faces From the Past, due to the poor quality of the photograph which was submitted and our eagerness to get the material to the publisher. Rest assured Faces From the Past will continue in future.

The photograph which appears on our cover was taken somewhere in Germany a number of years ago.

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FROM: The American Bullmastiff Board of Directors
June 11, 1981

At the recent meeting, the Board passed the following motions with respect to the Bullmastiff Bulletin.

These are the guidelines for the handling of challenges to Bulletin advertising. Any challenge about an advertisement appearing in the Bulletin should be sent to the Secretary of the American Bullmastiff Association with the necessary documentation. The Secretary will make copies of the challenge and documentation and forward them to the individual(s) whose ad has been questioned and the ABA Board and Bulletin Editor. Within 30 days of being so notified about the challenge, the individual(s) whose ad has been questioned must reply to the ABA Secretary of the intention to refute the challenge or publish a retraction. The retraction would be published in the next issue of the Bulletin at the expense of the individual(s) whose ad has been challenged. The Secretary will notify the person(s) who made the original challenge, Board members and the Bulletin Editor when the reply has been received. If the reply is not received by the Secretary within the 30 day limit, no future Bulletin advertising will be accepted from the person(s) whose ad has been questioned until a reply is received."

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DanRhonglyn Bullmastiffs

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The 1981 National Specialty Winners Bitch—Best of Winners—Best of Opposite Sex



Blackslate's Darling Dalilah

(Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious x Ch. Blackslates Masked Marvel)

What a start!! In her first three times being shown **Dalilah** has 3 majors and 12 points
Oakland K.C. 8/1/81—WB—BOW—BOS—Judge Mr. C. Seaver Smith Jr.—4 pts
Santa Cruz K.C. 8/15/81—WB—BOW—BOS—Judge Mr. Louis H. Harris—3 pts
1981 National Specialty 9/19/81—WB—BOW—BOS—Judge Mr. Don Bradley—5 pts

Dalilah will be bred in the early spring of 1982 to **Ch. Windy Hill's Hannibal (Dion)**. Reservations now being taken.

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DanRhonglyn Bullmastiffs

Introduces

Ch. Windy Hill's Hannibal (Dion)



Ch. Sir Winston's Igor x Royalguard Pepper Flower

Dion is shown here finishing his championship with his 3rd major under Judge Louis Harris. This typey dark red dog should be especially interesting to bitches intent on improving head type and movement to their offspring. When it comes to personality, **Dion** is also at the top of the list.

Dion sired a litter out of **Ch. Blackslates Masked Marvel** 9/27/81.

He is at stud to approved bitches.

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Kimblewick Bullmastiffs



“WE ARE FAMILY”

Left to right:

CH. Kimblewick's Big Bertha (B.O.S. at the Mid-West Specialty)
Kimblewick's Mighty Matthew
Kimblewick's Lady Jessica
Kimblewick's Lacey of Ironside (Owned by Tami Raider and Jeffrey Raider)
The three puppies were 6 mo. old at the time of the photo.

Our special thanks to Miss Holly Raider for her superb handling of Big Bertha at the Mid-West Specialty.

FLASH!!
CH. KIMBLEWICK'S
BIG BERTHA RE-
CENTLY BRED TO
TAIL WYNDE'S
HOT TO TROT, A
LOVELY, SOUND
RED MALE.

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Wedgewood Tizzie Lish

Best of Breed

Greater New York Bullmastiff Fanciers Specialty



*TIZZIE is pictured above winning B.O.B. from the **Open Bitch** class at the G.N.Y.B.F. Specialty held in conjunction with the Westbury Kennel Association show on September 27, 1981 under Judge **Mrs. Maynard K. Drury**. TIZZIE was ably guided to this win by handler, **M. Phyllis Wright**.*

Only a relatively few times in the history of the breed has a bitch won B.O.B. at a Specialty show. TIZZIE captured this win over a large class entry in both dogs and bitches as well as an impressive number of male and female Specials.

On the same day, TIZZIE's first cousin WEDGEWOOD MURPHY'S LAW took second place from the puppy dog class under Mrs. Drury with an entry of six present in the class.

RON & GINNY STARK
WEDGEWOOD BULLMASTIFFS

Williamsville Road Hubbardston, Mass. 01452 Phone: 617—928-4410

Ch. Wedgewood Sadie Hawkins



Sire: CH. TAILWYNDE'S J. PAUL GET'EM
Dam: WEDGEWOOD FINESSE

SADIE possesses correct breed type, substance, pigment and powerful movement. On these obvious qualities she won her championship points, but it was her loving disposition that won her so many friends and admirers. Our sincere thanks to her handler, Judy Harrington and to the Judges for giving SADIE the recognition she deserves:

MR. DAVID C. PARKER—Framingham District Kennel Club
MRS. VIRGINIA S. HAMPTON—Longshore Southport Kennel Club
MR. C. SEAVER SMITH, JR.—North Shore Kennel Club
MRS. HAZEL SLAUGHTER (Pictured)—South Shore Kennel Club
MR. SAMUEL PIZZINO—Pioneer Valley Kennel Club
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Wedgewood Tizzie Lish



SIRE: CH. TAILWYNDE'S J. PAUL GET'EM
DAM: WEDGEWOOD FINESSE

*TIZZIE is a well-muscled bitch generously endowed with lovely type, pigment, size and heavy bone. She is a joy to watch in motion; her movement is graceful, fluid and agile. Pictured above winning a three point major from the Bred-by-Exhibitor class under Judge **Donald M. Booxbaum**, TIZZIE will be bred to CH. TAILWYNDE'S SUGAR RAY.*

Gorgeous linebred pups available. Pedigree and photographs furnished upon request.

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“MARY ANNE” a #10



Ch. Gad's Hill **Mary Anne Paragon** is shown above going BOB at Agathon Kennel Club, Ravenna, Ohio on 8/20/81 under judge Samuel C. Pizzino. She also went BOB at the Southern Adirondack Dog Club, Ballston Spa, N.Y. on 8/8/81. At Glens Falls KC and Mohawk Valley KC on 8/6 and 8/7 she went BOS to Ch. Gad's Hill George Sampson's BOB win.



Starbrite Bullmastiffs

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John McCartney
151 Woodcliff Avenue
Woodcliff, N.J. 07675

Bred by:
Marjorie A. Triggs &
Robert Buckland

Owned by:
Alan & Janet Van Zantwyk
22 Garden Street
Ridgefield Park, N.J. 07660

Starbrite Bullmastiffs congratulates Ch. Gad's Hill's George Sampson

(Ch. Tauralan Top Brass, CD x Gad's Hill's Mrs. Chickenstalker)



Sampson finished his championship with a 3 pt. major at Tuxedo Park Kennel Club on 9/4/81 under judge Lynette Saltzman. He is shown above going BOB at Mohawk Valley KC, Ballston Spa, N.Y. on 8/7/81 under Mrs. William Anderson. The previous day at Glens Falls KC he also went BOB.



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A LONG WAY FOR LOVE

By David Berry

This is the kind of story from which movies are made. Unfortunately, the Walt Disney cameras were not present and rolling.

It's the story about a Bullmastiff bitch left by an owner to stray, and about how that bitch found love and returned love.

For practical purposes here, the story begins in January or February of 1981 when a group of women were talking in a Hermitage, Missouri beauty shop about a very large dog that had been roaming the Lake Pommede Terre area.

Mary Brock overheard the story and relayed it to her daughter, Sandy Startzman of Weaubleau. Sandy, being a dog lover, went in search of the mystery dog, and with the aid of the people in the area she found the bitch.

Her problem was that she wasn't certain just exactly what it was she had found. With bits and pieces of information provided by area residents, she was able to determine that some man who had lived in Urbana, Mo. had owned the dog. He worked for an area trucking firm, and when he was re-located elsewhere, he left the dog behind, which may have been for the best, because according to some people he had mistreated her badly.

Left on her own, the bitch roamed the area looking for handouts. She lived off scraps provided by area residents and she struck up a romance with at least one other area dog. That romance produced a litter of pups.

In apparent return for their kindness to her, the new mother weaned her pups and then deposited one on each of the doorsteps of the people who had helped her. One family received two pups.

Sandy took that very thin dog home with her, not knowing her breed or much else about her. She soon set out to find out just exactly what it was she had befriended.

After being told by one veterinarian that the bitch was a mixed breed of some sort, Sandy finally found someone who provided her with the name of Mr. and Mrs. James Crotwell of Morrisville, Mo., saying they had some dogs that looked quite a lot like her new friend. She had named her "Babe" after Paul Bunyan's ox.

Her first visit to the Crotwell's kennel was without Babe, but after seeing the Crotwell dogs she didn't need Babe there to be able to convince herself that what she had found was a Bullmastiff.

On her second visit, she brought Babe with her. She is a very gentle, lovable fawn-colored bitch with a good head, dark mask and ears. She was about 50 pounds heavier by then than she was when Sandy provided her a home.

That's not the end of the story, though.

Another feature about Babe's physical status is that she has a small scar and callous on her back, and when touched on that spot she reacts with pain.

That indicated to the Crotwell family that there might indeed be more to the story. One of their dogs had come from a litter of pups which was nearly stolen at one time. They remembered that one particular pup in the litter had been injured during that attempted theft and surgery had been required.

No definite proof had been found, but Mrs. Crotwell did a bit of research and determined that there is at least some cause to believe that Babe and one of their bitches are litter mates. She remembered the name of the man who had purchased the injured pup and gave him a call.

He confirmed that he had grown tired of the bitch and had sold it to some man in the lakes area, but he couldn't remember his name.

So, if suspicions prove to be true, Babe's troubles have not been just recent troubles. She has faced them all her life. But she now seems little less for wear.

She is good natured, lovable, and particularly good with Sandy's kids. She is companion to a set of six-year-old twins and together they guard over Sandy's 10-month-old daughter.

She has found love and she is returning love.

As a post script, Babe is responding quite well to treatment for malnutrition and wounds received during her ordeal. This story once again emphasizes the importance of follow up inquiries on puppy sales and support of the rescue committee.

Arborcrest State Of The Art (B) WE667897 by Ch Ladybug's Staff Sargent 2-80 x Watch Hill's Boudicca 5-77 Breeder/Owner: Marjorie & Marilyn Dollin

Bandog's Crawdaddy Gumbo (D) WE590870 by Ch Bandog's Triple Crown 8-80 x Bandog's Raven 6-80 Breeder: Louise Sanders & Helene Buzzeo Owner: Wayne L. & Jean A. Boyd

Beefeater Phlower Power (B) WE651089 by Ch Shastid Beefeater Phred 3-80 x Wild Hearts Winsom Wench 3-80 Breeder: Tain Brooks Owner: Jim Bowers

Evergreen's Sultry Shadow (B) WE386109 by Ch Ladybug's Bad Nuff Boris 12-78 x Ch Ladybug's Lucille D'Erle 10-77 Breeder: Karan M. Tremoullis Owner: David H. DeLong

San Pedro's Buster Browne (D) WD814497 by Ch Mighty Mike Of San Pedro 5-77 x Saraca's Whiskey Sour CD 1-78 Breeder: Robert E. Di Giacomo Owner: Mildred Pickles & Carolyn Boleman

Sempredo's Mighty Sampson (D) WE637729 by Ch Rivergrove's Kodiak Kub 11-80 x Ch Misty Cypress Of San Pedro 11-80 Breeder: Mildred Pickles & Carolyn Boleman Owner: Charles E. Womack

Shur-Winn's Bullmast Brawny (D) WE280253 by Ch Shur-Winn's Bullmast Brute 2-77 x Tailwynde's Pooh Of Shur-Winn 8-79 Breeder: Frances Shur Owner: Billy M. & Anna Hataway

Stonykill's Etched In Ebony (D) WE268525 by Ch Stonykill's Prophet 4-78 x Ch Stonykill's Ruby Red Dress 7-79 Breeder: Ruth L. & Maura E. Kates Owner: Robert D. & Maureen K. Holtz

Bart Bull's Chip Of Baywood (D) WE576832 by Ch Bandog's Midnight Special 11-79 x Baywood's Bubbling Babe 6-80 Breeder: Julia L. Smith Owner: Sandra Goldman & Peter J. Wittnik

Favodemels Pg. Calo (D) WE366763 by Ch Favo D'Mels Keruth Gordo 12-75 x Favodemels Bt Pega 9-78 Breeder/Owner: Harry T. & Beverly Bryant

Forever Natasha Of Lestrade (B) WE513955 by Ch Lestrades Barney Boy 7-78 x Lestrades Princess Of Night 5-80 Breeder: Thelma & Leroy Strate Owner: Jo Ann & Paul Gregson

Hyehold Blockbuster CD (D) WE352355 2-81 by Ch Highground's Flip Of The Coin 9-79 x Ch Watch Hill Ophelia CD 11-79 Breeder/Owner: Laura K. & Richard K. Mason

Little Caesar (D) WE608304 by Ch Tauralan Magic Touch 7-77 x Ch Crescis Ma Barker 2-79 Breeder: Anthony Cresci Owner: Richard & Claudette Aamodt

Saraca's Ruffles Of Fairview (B) WE180174 by Fairview's Little Beaver 4-79 x Ch Saraca's Perpetual Motion 7-74 Breeder: Sally Connelley Owner: Martha S. Robins & Carolyn Boleman & Mildred Pickles

Shogun Savage Gladiator (D) WE472050 by Saraca's Maxwell Of Faquier 4-79 x Saraca's Berthea Burd 4-79 Breeder: Mrs. Donna C. Propst Owner: Mr. Ulysses Griffith V. & Mrs. Marian Lee Griffith

TITLES CONFIRMATION

BULLMASTIFFS

Jubilee Misty Of Brodmere (B) WD589299 5-80 by Ch Lombardy Athos 11-76 x Lombardy Estella 3-77 Breeder: Peter & Bodil Aczel Owner: Alan Mck Campbell & Brenda C. Gann

Madame Brigitte Of Mardie (B) WE182425 by Ch Bakerstreets Chief Lestrade 6-74 x Ch Mardic Nacktarsh Of Waystead 2-79 Breeder: Marcia & Richard C. Bogart Owner: Jeff & Mary E. Jones

Magnum's Bella Donnah (B) WE294971 by Ch Brodmere's Jabez Nahmar 12-76 x Ch Hilan's Peg Of Brodmere 6-79 Breeder: Robert R. Blalock Jr. & Donnah R. Blalock & Brenda C. Gann Owner: Robert R. Blalock Jr. & Donnah R. Blalock

Ozonas's Gambin Annie (B) WE546498 by Ch Stonykill's Brindle Bairn 10-78 x Ch Ozonas Magor-Missabib 3-80 Breeder: Mark A. & Sandra K. Neff Owner: Barry L. Cobb & Sandra K. Neff

Bandog's Big Time Rube (D) WD849E13 5-81 by Ch Huck's Last Hurrah Of Bandog 10-77 x Kimblewicks Banner Of Bandog 2-78 Breeder: Louise Sanders & Helene Buzzeo Owner: Gary & Rhonda Collette

Beefeater Sherlock Holmes (D) WD742199 by Ch Securus Erebus 11-73 x Ch Shastid's Chile Pepper 12-76 Breeder/Owner: Ann Bowers

Boniface Of Bullmast (B) WE169625 11-80 by Ch Hellmark's El Linko 10-78 x Scylodoga Bullmast Bronwyn 2-76 Breeder: Leonard V. Smith & Patricia V. O'Brien Owner: Patricia V. & Blake Leonard O'Brien

Brodmere's Noteworthy Gambit (D) WE600010 11-81 by Brodmere Danrhonglyn Gambit 6-80 x Brodmere's Bonny Annie Asher 6-80 Breeder/Owner: Alan Campbell & Brenda Gann

Victoria R. Of Cedar Ridge (B) WE416197 by Goodstock Red Robin Cr 4-77 x Ch Heaton Mersey Of Cedar Ridge 1-79 Breeder/Owner: Mary Lawrey & Mary A. Beattie

Fisher's Maxwell O' Larhaven (D) WE762936 by Ch Ladybug Rocky O' Larhaven 1-80 x Ch Ladybug Tiffany O' Larhaven 1-81 Breeder: Geraldine M. Roach Owner: Scott L. & Kim A. Fisher

Ladybug Tiffany O' Larhaven (B) WE492247 1-81 by Ch Ladybug's Bad Nuff Boris 12-78 x Ladybug Dornsdan Bay Bea 9-77 Breeder: Geraldine M. Roach Owner: James P. & Cynthia L. Larson

Meadhall Gilda Gildev (B) WD811799 by Ch Stonykill's Red Devil 6-77 x Ch Meadhall Gar's Gillian O'Gwen 2-78 Breeder/Owner: Suzanne D. & Hilary M. Norman

San Pedros Cinnamon Cinder (B) WE635886 by Ch Rivergrove's Kodiak Kub 11-80 x Ch Misty Cypress Of San Pedro 11-80 Breeder: Mildred Pickles & Carolyn Boleman Owner: Paul T. Raudenbush & Mildred Pickles

Wyloway Beau Geste (D) WE444277 by Ch Ladybug's Bad Nuff Boris 12-78 x Roleki's Tara O' Wylidwyn 4-80 Breeder: Charles R. Murphy Jr. Owner: Barbara J. Ellison & Charles R. Murphy Jr.

Noble Nite Sir Lancelot (D) WE266279 by Ch Baal Of Blackmist 12-70 x Noble Nite Debutante 4-79 Breeder: John W. G. & Deloris A. Williams Owner: Wing Kwok Tse

Shardik Song Of My Life (D) WE543248 by Ch Lindleys Thunder 8-79 x Ch Shastid's Cb Protest 6-80 Breeder: Bob Gray & Richard & Sharon Soderquist Owner: Richard & Sharon Soderquist

Stonykill's Georgia Peach (B) WD988633 10-80 by Ch Stonykill's Red Devil 6-77 x Stonykill's Gorgeous Georgia 7-78 Breeder: Ruth L. Kates Owner: Shirley Williams & Ruth L. Kates

Tailwynde's Sugar Ray (D) WE746649 by Tailwynde's Razzmatazz 9-80 x Tailwynde's Penny Tweedy 9-80 Breeder: Daisy R. Polito Owner: Adele M. Pfenniger

Arborcrest Quick Silver (B) WE625665 by Ch Ladybug's Staff Sargent 2-80 x Watch Hill's Boudicca 5-77 Breeder: Marjorie & Marilyn Dollin Owner: Barbara Lauterbach & Marjorie Dollin

Arborcrest Woful Countenance Na (B) WE532834 by Ch Ladybug's Staff Sargent 2-80 x Watch Hill's Boudicca 5-77 Breeder: Marjorie & Marilyn Dollin Owner: Virginia & Wayne Bastiaans

Classic Clarissa (B) WE175976 5-81 by Ch Shastid's Barnaby Jones 10-78 x Ch Scheherazade Of Karatan 3-78 Breeder/Owner: Arcenia Rosegrant

Fairview's Bentley By Guv (D) WE567539 by Ch Jubilee Governor 11-79 x Ch Fairview's Angel Of Darkness 8-78 Breeder/Owner: Edmund A. & Martha S. Robins

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Favodemels Gr. Pinta (B) WD932059 by Ch Favo D'Mels Keruth Gordo 12-75 x Favo D'Mels MB Rose 11-77 Owner: Barry W. Reppart

Ch Shastid Beefeater Phred (D) WD921048 3-80 by Ch Securus Erebus 11-73 x Ch Shastid's Chile Pepper 12-76 Breeder: Ann Bowers Owner: Jjim Bowers

Shastid's Dolly Parton (B) WE183844 by Ch Shastid's Faustus 8-74 x Ch Hapennys Sound Of Music 5-79 Breeder: Jack & Kirk B. Shastid Owner: Terry & Marti Gould

Zebaire Of Torous (D) WE061164 by Ch Tauralan Ted E. Bear 3-75 x Ch Lollipop Of Torous 12-78 Breeder: Pauline & Bud Smith Owner: Jean & Dennis Rogden

THE GREATER NEW YORK BULLMASTIFF FANCIERS REGIONAL CLUB REPORT

The Greater New York Bullmastiff Fanciers held a Fun Match in July at the home of members Peter and Bodil Aczel. Best in Match was awarded to Bandog's Johnny Bull (Ch. Bandog Crawdaddy Gumbo x Bandog's Tatoed Bride) owned by Louise Sanders and Helene Buzzeo from the 3-6 month puppy class. Best of Opposite Sex in Match was awarded to Bandog's Jubilee (Ch. Jubilee Willie Dynamite x Bandog's Sour Grapes) also owned by Louise Sanders and Helene Buzzeo from the 6-9 puppy class. Mrs. Barbara Danis, AKC judge, was our judge for the event. All-comers was awarded to Jubilee Tanqueray (Dog) and Lombardy Estella (Bitch), both owned by Peter and Bodil Aczel.

Our Third annual Specialty show was held in conjunction with the Westbury Kennel Association on September 27, 1981. The total entry for the classes was 45, Sweepstakes entry was 14. Results of the Specialty appear elsewhere in the Bulletin. Following the judging the club held its usual buffet luncheon enjoyed by all who attended.

BELLBOA BULLMASTIFFS

“HOME OF THE ROCK”



CH. EVERGREEN'S ROCKY OF BELLBOA
SIRE: CH. STONYKILL'S RED DEVIL
DAM: CH. LADYBUG'S LUCILLE D'ERIE

Our very first Bullmastiff, and what a way to start! He finished at 17 months of age; his litter brother *Ch. Evergreen's Bruzer Bulldozer* finished first; litter brother *Cinnabar* and litter sister *Scarlett* are pointed. Not bad for a litter of 5!

Thanks to you "Lucy" and of course your Mom and Dad, Karan and Lou Tremoulis. Especially to you Lou, for talking Karan into letting us adopt the "Rock." And Karan, all your pep talks sure did help.

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BELLBOA BULLMASTIFFS



***CH. MOUNTAINVIEW JADE OF BELLBOA**
(Pending AKC Confirmation)

SIRE: CH. LADYBUGS SINBAD OF SALISBURY
DAM: WATSON'S BARNEY'S GIRL
"PEPPER"

Our second Bullmastiff—"How lucky can we get?" This late bloomer has blossomed into a fine young lady and went on to win back to back 5 pt. majors at Ravenna and Western Reserve. This was followed by a 4 pt. major at Terre Haute. This was a busy month for our girl *Pepper*, who almost finished in time to celebrate her first birthday, and her litter mate *Ruby* (owned by the Ellises) who now has 9 points.

Thanks, Marge Saylor. It's hard to decide what was more fun—winning, or hearing your responsive screams over the phone with each win.

Thanks also go to Mr. Watson for having that fine gentleman "*Barney*".
Owner handled all the way.

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Bullmastiffs of Tailwynde, Reg'd.

(since 1964)



Ch. Tailwynde's Sugar Ray and Tailwynde's Head Over Heels (insert)

Ch. Tailwynde's Sugar Ray is shown finishing under Judge Melbourn T. Downing at Susque-Nango KC, June 29, 1981. With Dave and Nancy Nester sharing handling duties, **Sugar Ray** finished at 14 months of age. **Sugar Ray** was bred by Daisy Polito from a brindle x brindle breeding of half-brother x half-sister, **Tailwynde's Razzmatazz** (13 pts. 3 majors) to **Tailwynde's Penny Tweedy**. **Sugar Ray** is a proven sire and we expect a litter from "**Joanne**" (above) sired by him in mid-November. **Sugar Ray** is at stud, fee by private treaty.

Bullmastiffs of Tailwynde, Reg'd.

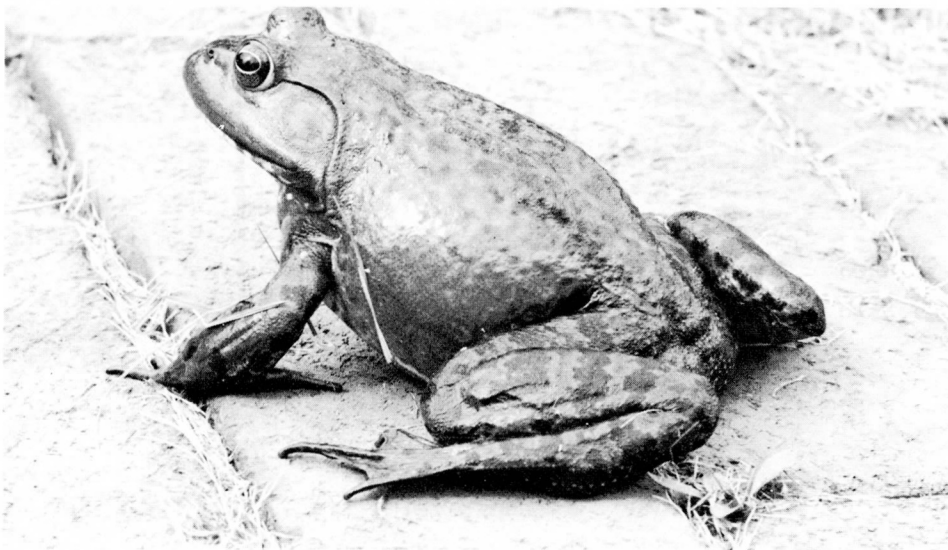
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Tailwynde's Good Girls Don't, call name: Suellen



Ch. Tailwynde's J. Paul Get 'Em, OFA#359

"Before you meet that handsome prince, you have to kiss a lot of toads" "Suellen's" favorite pastime is catchin' 'em. Good girls usually "don't", but Suellen did anyway, and she's due to whelp a litter sired by **Ch. Tailwynde's J. Paul Get 'Em**, ETA Nov. 6. A bitch of considerable size, substance and heavy bone, Suellen was sired by **Tailwynde's Paine Webber** x **Ch. Tailwynde's Amazing Grace**.

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Tailwynde's Hot To Trot



Tailwynde's Square Deal



Tailwynde's Hot To Trot

Shown here are two of **Ch. Tailwynde's J. Paul Get 'Em, OFA #359** sons from different dams. **J. Paul's** first crop of youngsters is in the ring now. Two have finished their championships and eight more are on the way to titles. Special congratulations to **Ron and Ginny Stark of Wedgewood Bullmastiffs**, breeders of **Wedgewood Tizzie Lish**, a **J. Paul** daughter that went **Best of Breed** from the classes under Judge Kitty Drury at the Greater New York Specialty!

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Fairview Bullmastiffs

Announces A New Champion ROXY



**Ch. Fairview's Roxanne By Guv
(Ch. Jubilee Governor X Ch. Fairview's Angel of Darkness)**

This lovely brindle bitch is the third offspring of our "Angie" to attain a championship this year. Roxy is co-owned by Vic Zeoli of Kismet Bullmastiffs. Our thanks to David Saylor for handling Roxy to her championship! We would also like to congratulate her litter brother Ch. Fairview's Gadzooks of Jubilee (owned by Sandy and Merry Johnson) on attaining his championship and BOB win at the Old Dominion Show in October. We would also like to congratulate Gadzook's daughter Fanny on her 3 pt. major at 8 months of age. Owned by Tom and Roxanne LaPaglia. Roxy will be bred to Ch. Saraca's Shane of Fairview.

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YOU, YOUR DOG, YOUR NEIGHBORS, AND THE LAW

by Nina Schaefer

Now and then, people who own dogs encounter unpleasant incidents in their neighborhoods due to the inevitable conflicts between people who keep and raise dogs as a hobby and those who might, understandably, be annoyed by barking, odors or pets running at large. Also a certain number of problems arise when the Electric Meter or Water Meter readers visit a property owned by a protective dog. Often when such incidents occur the dogs are actually harmed in some way and the owner feels that he must take some action to protest such cruelty and thoughtlessness. Three particular cases come to mind and prompt these reminders about the handling of an unpleasant incident.

First, two of our club members found themselves involved with their neighbors because of complaints about the number of dogs they were keeping and the noise. The neighbors turned to local officials who called the owners into court for violations in the State Dog Law. Fortunately they consulted a lawyer who was knowledgeable and sympathetic about dog ownership and who advised them that as long as their dogs were individually licensed they were not in violation of the state laws concerning kennels. When dogs are individually licensed they are required to wear their licenses at all times, even if they are kept in outside kennels all the time. With good legal help and a thorough knowledge of the dog law these owners were able to overcome the charges against them. Now they keep peace with their neighbors by making a real effort to keep noise to a minimum.

Second was the case of an attack by a meter reader on a dog behind a fence. When the meter reader approached the yard, the dog began to bark and lunge. He sprayed the dog with mace, which injured its eyes and affected its personality. The owner kept her wits and immediately found out the man's name and identification number. She began to keep a diary of the incident, the veterinarian's treatment and advice, and her conversations with the meter reader's employer. She discovered that meter readers are expressly prohibited from carrying any device to ward off animals except a high frequency noise maker. Mace is strictly against company rules. Because of the dog owner's careful attention and immediate action she was able to recover substantially all the costs incurred as a result of the macing.

The third case did not end happily at all. The dog's owner suspected that she was being harassed by neighbor's teenagers when she began to find things tossed into the dog run. At first they were small objects that would not cause much harm. Then she began to find walnuts and larger items which might choke a dog. Finally she discovered a whole pumpkin had been tossed over the fence and she lost her cool and hauled it back to the neighbor's lawn and left it there. Shortly thereafter, she went out to the market, needing a few items for the bitch which was due to whelp the next day. When she returned, she discovered that someone had opened the kennel and released four of her dogs, allowing them to run loose in a high traffic area. The bitch in whelp was killed by a passing truck and even a heroic effort at a caesarian section could not save the pups. Two dogs were recovered and returned by neighbors and the fourth was found dead by the road the next morning. Upon contacting the police the owner found that there was not enough evidence to accuse the suspect, in spite of her assertions of ongoing harassment. In frustration she did not pursue the case but continued to find the teenager hanging around the property.

Clear cut cases of harassment such as this are very difficult to deal with, but a careful diary of each individual incident, kept on a daily basis, both before and after the death of the dogs might have produced enough evidence for a case. The police do not respond to complaints from dog owners because "they are just dogs". We must remind them that dogs are personal property and entitled to as much protection under the law as our furniture, jewelry and car. Because of the possible tragic consequences of simple childish harassment, it is important to deal with it on a mature level as soon as the pattern is established. Keep careful records and contact the police with any concrete evidence.

The State Dog Law governed the outcome only of the first of these cases. The macing incident might eventually be presented to one of the Humane Societies for prosecution as cruelty to animals. The last was a case for local police. We often think that if the incident involves dogs it should be prosecuted by the Bureau of Dog Law Enforcement but since this is not always the case we should remember that there are other agencies and authorities to which we can turn for assistance when we feel that our dogs, or our right to keep them is being attacked.

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WOOPS!!

Through an oversight the following pictures were omitted from specialty reports in the last issue of the Bulletin. Sorry!



Best of Breed
ABA 1981 Eastern Specialty
April 18, 1981

Ch. Ladybug's Rosie O'Reagan

Sire: Ch. Ladybug's Roughneck Reagan
Dam: Ch. Ladybug's Patchen Hill Polly
Owner: Mrs. Geraldine M. Roach



Best of Opposite Sex, Winners Bitch, Best of
Winners

Harrisburg Kennel Club Supported Entry
March 14, 1981

and

Sweepstakes Best of Opposite Sex
ABA Eastern Specialty
April 18, 1981

Bandog's Little Jazz

Sire: Ch. Bandog's Midnight Special
Dam: Ch. Bandog's Barrelhouse Baby
Owners: Louise Sanders and Helene Buzzeo

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AMERICAN BULLMASTIFF ASSOCIATION NATIONAL SPECIALTY AND OBEDIENCE TRIAL

Placentia, California

SEPTEMBER 19, 1981

SWEEPSTAKES: Judge, Edith Pyle

17 Entries (7-10)

PUPPY DOGS, 6-9 months (1 Entry)

1. Middlemarch's Native Orator (Blyler)

PUPPY DOGS, 9-12 months (2 Entries)

1. Zapata De Azteca (Blanco)
2. Tailwynde's Don Wrinkles (Fielding)

PUPPY DOGS, 12-15 months (2 Entries)

1. Brodmere Anahmar Nehemiah (Jackson)
2. Brodmere Anahmar Raffles (Campbell & Gann)

PUPPY DOGS, 15-18 months (2 Entries)

1. Tauralan Hold That Tiger (Beans)
2. Bandog Beefeater Bravo (Bowers, Sanders, & Buzzeo)

PUPPY BITCHES, 6-9 months (2 Entries)

1. Windy Hill Ella of Mid'March (Lambert)
2. Middlemarch's Lady of Honor (Binder)

PUPPY BITCHES, 9-12 months (3 Entries)

1. Wild Hearts Maya of Azteca (Brooks)
2. Wild Hearts Tigre of Azteca (Brooks & Shastid)
3. Tailwynde's Time's Square (Major)

PUPPY BITCHES, 12-15 months (3 Entries)

1. Ladybug's Bad'nuff Ariane (Graham)
2. Tauralan Doraglen Tonia (Beans)
3. Tauralan Titian Rockette (Hammond)

PUPPY BITCHES, 15-18 months (2 Entries)

1. Tauralan Tickety Boo (Beans)
2. Blackslate's Didit Again (Harrell)

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES: Tauralan Hold That Tiger (Beans)

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES: Tauralan Tickety Boo (Beans)



BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

TAURALAN HOLD THAT TIGER
Sire: Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious
Dam: Tauralan Paula Tiger Paws



BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

TAURALAN TICKETY BOO
Sire: Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious
Dam: Tauralan Paula Tiger Paws

NATIONAL SPECIALTY SWEEPSTAKES

JUDGE'S CRITIQUE

Judge: Mrs. Edith Pyle

Puppy Dogs, 6-9 months

1. MIDDLEMARCH'S NATIVE ORATOR (L.P. Blyler)

This pup had a nice head with plenty of width and depth of muzzle. Sound and moved well. Would like to see more spring of rib.

Puppy Dogs, 9-12 months

1. ZAPATA DE AZTECA (Luis & Frances Blanco)

Was a very large but well proportioned dog. Very large boned. Good width of skull and fullness of muzzle. Good slope to shoulder and blended well. Moved well.

2. TAILWYNDE'S DON WRINKLES (Joseph P. & Kay Fielding)

A dog with a good bite and good width and depth of muzzle, but lacked width of skull. He also lacked balance of body and free movement of the other entry.

Puppy Dogs, 12-15 months

1. BRODMERE ANAHMAR NEHEMIAH (Deborah S. Jackson)

A well-muscled dog with good slope to his shoulders. Good mouth with even teeth. Moved well.

2. BRODMERE ANAHMAR RAFFLES (Alan Campbell & Brenda Gann)

A better boned dog, but would like to see a shorter, better proportioned head. I believe more exercise would improve thigh muscles.

Puppy Dogs, 15-18 months

1. TAURALAN HOLD THAT TIGER (Carol H. Beans)

A powerful, well-muscled dog with large bone and excellent head. Nice depth of chest. Moved square and true.

2. BANDOGE BEEFEATER BRAVO (Ann & Jim Bowers, L. Sanders, H. Buzzeo)

A dog with a nice, well balanced head. Shoulder layed on more smoothly than first placed dog. I noted some unevenness of teeth in both dogs and also would like to have seen somewhat more width of the lower jaw in both dogs.

Puppy Bitches, 6-9 months

1. WINDY HILL ELLA OF MID'MARCH (Arthur Lambert)

A well boned puppy with excellent angulation and pleasing to line. Good mover.

2. MIDDLEMARCH'S LADY OF HONOR (Jerry & Dana Binder)

Had good pigmentation with nice dark eyes. More exercise would improve muscle development. The handler was inexperienced, but I enjoy seeing new comers to the ring and both should improve with more ring work.

Puppy Bitches, 9-12 months

1. WILD HEARTS MAYA OF AZTECA (Taun

Brooks)

A very well balanced bitch with excellent bone and nice slope to the shoulders. Head was somewhat "bully" with lots of wrinkle, but it was well proportioned with good eye. Good feet. Excellent mover.

2. WILD HEARTS TIGRE OF AZTECA (Taun Brooks & Dione Shastid)

More powerfully built than 1st place bitch. Toes were long and flat, especially in the rear.

3. TAILWYNDE'S TIME'S SQUARE (Emely Major)

A bitch with a pleasing head. Weak back and needs more chest development. She was not showing at her best today.

Puppy Bitches, 12-15 months

1. LADYBUG'S BAD'NUFF ARIANE (Peggy A. Graham)

An interesting class with three very distinct types. First place represented the 40-60 concept best. She had an excellent bite and well balanced head. Shoulders layed on well. Did not track straight.

2. TAURALAN DORAGLEN TONIA (Carol H. Beans)

A bully little bitch with excess wrinkle. Nice width of chest but very round ribbed. Moved well.

3. TAURALAN TITIAN ROCKETTE (Tim Hammond & Debra Hammond)

A large happy bitch with very pleasing temperament. She lacked good pigmentation. Her "mastiff" type head lacked the pronounced stop and good wrinkle that I would like to see. Did not move as nicely in front as the other two bitches.

Puppy Bitches, 15-18 months

1. TAURALAN TICKETY BOO (Carol H. Beans)

A nice sized bitch with excellent bone and strength of body. Good depth of chest. Good width of skull and strong muzzle. Moved well.

2. BLACKSLATE'S DIDIT AGAIN (JoAnn Harrell)

Had better angulation, but lacked the strength and power of the first place bitch. Muzzle long in proportion to skull. Good ears.

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES—TAURALAN HOLD THAT TIGER

Had the strength and power that I like to see in a Bullmastiff along with a well-balanced head with broad, flat skull, pronounced stop, and nice width and depth of muzzle. Correct size. Excellent mover.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX—TAURALAN TICKETY BOO

Same pattern, but lacked the angulation of the dog.

1981 NATIONAL SPECIALTY REPORT

By Karen B. Dorsch

September 19, 1981, marked a special day in ABA's history. It was the first time that the Club's National Specialty was held on the West Coast, and all indications point to the fact that everyone who was present is anxiously awaiting the time that they can return to the Coast for another National.

The California Bullmastiff Fanciers kicked off the weekend with a wine and cheese tasting party on Friday evening and from the looks of things, all fanciers present seemed to be having a fine time greeting old friends and meeting newcomers to the breed.

ABA's fourth Independent National Specialty was held at Kraemer Park in Placentia. The day was quite enjoyable and the atmosphere very relaxed. (Having heard that Californians tend to be quite "laid-back," we found that their attitude toward showing dogs is also relaxed and everyone seems to enjoy themselves.) The Georgian Copper Trophies were just beautiful, and those lucky enough to win them seemed quite happy. Winners of the wooden plaques with ceramic Bullmastiff heads seemed equally as pleased.

After a day in the California sun, we returned to the Holiday Inn to prepare for the ABA Annual Banquet. After cocktails, we were treated to a delicious buffet dinner that got rave reviews from everyone. Following dinner, one of the most interesting (and definitely most amusing) parts of the weekend occurred when Dr. Michael Menegay gave a talk on his views on canine holistic medicine. I must say that everyone in our Club could agree on one thing—Dr. Menegay was the most interesting guest speaker that we could have possibly heard, and we only wish he could make a trip to the East Coast to speak at our upcoming Specialty. He certainly was the highlight of the evening.

The following morning the California Bullmastiff Fanciers closed out the weekend by hosting an ABA Supported Entry at the Santa Ana Valley KC Show which was held at Cypress College. The showgrounds were beautiful and spacious and once again everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. Following the show, Tom and Pat O'Brien hosted a brunch at their home in Fullerton. Although I wasn't present, I have heard from everyone that the food was excellent and that Tom makes great quiche!

To sum up the 1981 National Specialty Show in one word would be most difficult. Our entire party had a blast in the land of sunshine. What other part of the country offers so many varied things to do and spectacular sights to see. Having been able to combine all of these extra curricular activities with dog showing truly made this a National Specialty to remember.

REGULAR CLASSES: Judge, Don Bradley

63 Entries
(18-20-2-23, 7 Entries in Non-Regular Classes
Involving Multiple Dog Entries)

PUPPY DOGS, 6-9 months (1 Entry)
1. Middlemarch's Native Orator (Blyler)

PUPPY DOGS, 9-12 months (2 Entries)
1. Zapata De Azteca (Blanco)
2. Tailwynde's Don Wrinkles (Fielding)

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS (3 Entries)
1. Bandog Beefeater Bravo (Bowers, Sanders, & Buzzeo)
2. Brodmere Anahmar Raffles (Campbell & Gann)
3. Bilbo Baggins of Bullmast (O'Brien)

AMERICAN BRED DOGS (4 Entries)
1. Hellmark's Storm of Shur Winn (Aamodt)
2. Lindley's Easy Does It (Swihart)
3. Shur-Winn Bullmast Brundee (O'Brien & Shur)
4. Brandy Blackwatch of Custer (Aamodt)

OPEN DOGS (8 Entries)
1. Jubilee Satchmo of Bandog (Richardson)
2. Wyloway Marcus Caesar (Fleming)
3. Brodmere Anahmar Nehemiah (Jackson)
4. Tauralan Hold That Tiger (Beans)

PUPPY BITCHES, 6-9 months (2 Entries)
1. Windy Hill Ella of Mid'March (Lambert)
2. Middlemarch's Lady of Honor (Binder)

PUPPY BITCHES, 9-12 months (2 Entries)

- 1. Wild Hearts Tigre of Azteca (Brooks & Shastid)
- 2. Wild Hearts Maya of Azteca (Brooks)

NOVICE BITCHES (2 Entries)

- 1. Tauralan Doraglen Tonia (Beans)
- 2. Tauralan Titian Rockette (Hammond)

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES (1 Entry)

- 1. Bulgrins Chocolate Bear (Liter & Grinstead)

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES (1 Entry)

Ladybug's Bad'Nuff Ariane (Graham)

OPEN BITCHES (12 Entries)

- 1. Blackslate's Darling Dalilah (Gleason)
- 2. Windy Hill's Guardian Girl (Lambert)
- 3. Tauralan Tickety Boo (Beans)
- 4. Bedlams Duchess of Gloucester, CDX (Webb)

VETERAN DOGS, 7 years and under 10 years (2 Entries)

- 1. Ch. Asim of Arnmeade (LaBrie)
- 2. Ch. Brodmere's Jabez Nahmar (Gann)

STUD DOGS (5 Entries)

- 1. Ch. Tauralan Magic Touch (Corson)

- 2. Ch. Ladybug's Staff Sargent (Dollin)
- 3. Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious (Beans)
- 4. Ch. Lindleys Thunder (Lindley)

BROOD BITCHES (2 Entries)

- 1. Ch. Crescis Ma Barker (Cresci)
- 2. Tauralan Paula Tiger Paws (Beans)

BEST OF BREED:

Ch. Ladybug's Staff Sargent (Dollin)

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED:

Blackslate's Darling Dalilah (Gleason)

BEST OF WINNERS:

Blackslate's Darling Dalilah (Gleason)

WINNERS DOG:

Zapata De Azteca (Blanco)

WINNERS BITCH:

Blackslate's Darling Dalilah (Gleason)

RESERVE WINNERS DOG:

Jubilee Satchmo of Bandog (Richardson)

RESERVE WINNERS BITCH:

Ladybug's Bad'Nuff Ariane (Graham)



Best of Breed:

CH. LADYBUG'S STAFF SARGENT

Sire: Ch. Stonykill's Red Devil
 Dam: Bakerstreet Stolen Jewel
 Owners: Marilyn & Sam Dollin



Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winners,
and Winners Bitch:

BLACKSLATE'S DARLING DALILAH

Sire: Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious
 Dam: Ch. Blackslate's Masked Marvel
 Owners: Dan & DaRhonda Gleason

NATIONAL SPECIALTY REGULAR CLASSES JUDGE'S CRITIQUE

Judge: Mr. Don Bradley

Puppy Dogs, 6-9 months

1. MIDDLEMARCH'S NATIVE ORATOR (L.P. Blyler)
Nice body, could use better head, may grow into head.

Puppy Dogs, 9-12 months

1. ZAPATA DE AZTECA (Luis & Frances Blanco) **Winners Dog**
Good condition, good bone, good body, good eyes, nice topline. Good movement. Nice head. A little big.
2. TAILWYNDE'S DON WRINKLES (Joseph P. & Kay Fielding)
Could use better topline, lighter eye than 1st dog, expression not as pleasing. Nice going away, loose coming at you. Coat out of condition.

Bred By Exhibitor Dogs

1. BANDOGE BEEFEATER BRAVO (Ann & Jim Bowers, L. Sanders, H. Buzzeo)
Small dog, proportions good, nice going and coming, better from side in movement, pretty head, good condition.
2. BRODMERE ANAHMAR RAFFLES (Alan Campbell & Brenda Gann)
Same as 1st, better mouth, topline not as nice, overall type like Bullmastiff.
3. BILBO BAGGINS OF BULLMAST (Pat O'Brien)
Out of condition, could use better topline, worst fault is lack of coordination.

American Bred Dogs

1. HELLMARK'S STORM OF SHUR WINN (Frances Shur)
Good condition, color, head, bone. Good coming and going, side winds a little.
2. LINDLEY'S EASY DOES IT (Thomas B. Swihart)
Could move better from side, good proportions, expression not as good as 1st.
3. SHUR-WINN BULLMAST BRUNDEE (Patricia V. O'Brien & Frances Shur)
Uncoordinated at the moment, could move better, nice expression.
4. BRANDY BLACKWATCH OF CUSTER (Richard Aamodt)
Too small, too light.

Open Dogs

1. JUBILEE SATCHMO OF BANDOGE (Glen Richardson) **Reserve Winners Dog**
Good proportions leg to body, good bone, topline good for size dog, good coming and going, head not as nice as 2nd.
2. WYLOWAY MARCUS CAESAR (Carol S. Fleming)
Good condition, right size, good expression, good mouth, best head in class. Could use little better topline.
3. BRODMERE ANAHMAR NEHEMIAH (Deborah S. Jackson)
A little fine, a little racey, overall fits in with class.
4. TAURALAN HOLD THAT TIGER (Carol H. Beans)
Overall nice dog.

Puppy Bitches, 6-9 months

1. WINDY HILL ELLA OF MID'MARCH (Arthur Lambert)
Average.
2. MIDDLEMARCH'S LADY OF HONOR (Jerry & Dana Binder)
Average.

Puppy Bitches, 9-12 months

1. WILD HEARTS TIGRE OF AZTECA (Taun Brooks & Dione Shastid)
Could use better mouth, obviously a puppy, good bone.
2. WILD HEARTS MAYA OF AZTECA (Taun Brooks)
Better head, very feminine, good expression, lots of class, temperament to be worked on.

Novice Bitches

1. TAURALAN DORAGLEN TONIA (Carol H. Beans)
Good size, fore square, good bone, nice head.
2. TAURALAN TITIAN ROCKETTE (Tim Hammond & Debra Hammond)
(No comment was written by the judge on this entry)

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches

1. BULGRINS CHOCOLATE BEAR (Sandy Liter & Judy Grinstead)
Good size, body, bone, nice expression, could have better mouth, could do better coming and going.

American Bred Bitches

1. LADYBUG'S BAD'NUFF ARIANE (Peggy A. Graham) **Reserve Winners Bitch**
Pretty, typey bitch, good head, right bone.

Open Bitches

1. BLACKSLATE'S DARLING DALILAH (Dan & Da Rhonda Gleason) **Winners Bitch**
Good size, head and bone. Good topline, nice mover.
2. WINDY HILL'S GUARDIAN GIRL (Arthur Lambert)
Good size, head and bone. Not quite as good going away. Expression not as good as 1st.
3. TAURALAN TICKETY BOO (Carol H. Beans)
A little big for a bitch. Well put together.
4. BEDLAM'S DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER, CDX (M. Lindau-Webb & D.I. Webb)
Good Mover.

Best of Breed

- CH. LADYBUG'S STAFF SARGENT (Marilyn & Sam Dollin)
Beautifully balanced dog, good bone, good feet and pasterns, gorgeous topline, good angulation, very good head, good eye, good color, good expression. "I'd like to take him home or handle him or both."

As a final note to his comments on the Specialty, Judge Bradley added, "Thank you for a very, very genuine honor. I was treated like a prince."



Winners Dog
ZAPATA DE AZTECA
 Sire: Ch. Lindley's Thunder
 Dam: Chata of Organug
 Owners: Luis & Frances Blanco



Reserve Winners Bitch
LADYBUG'S BAD'NUFF ARIANE
 Sire: Ladybug's Bad'Nuff Boris
 Dam: Ladybug's Dornsdan Bay Bea
 Owner: Peggy A. Graham

OBEDIENCE TRIAL

Judge: Dr. Maurice Ferguson

NOVICE A (4 Entries)

1. Ch. Shastid's Chile Pepper (Bowers)
 Score 187½
2. Beefeater Mac (Nixon)
 Score 187

NOVICE B (4 entries)

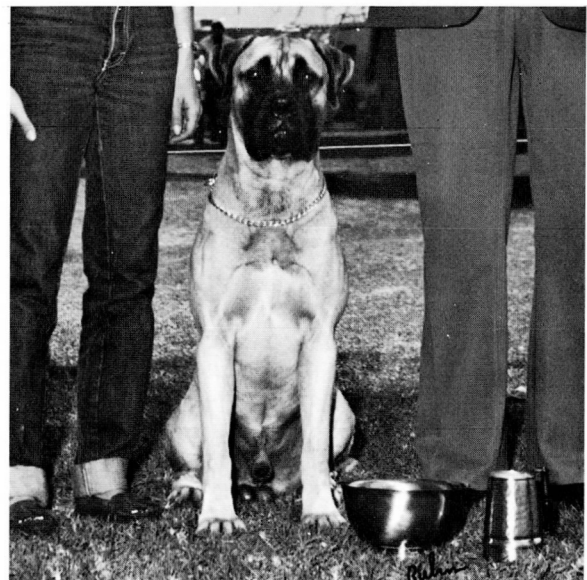
None qualified

HIGHEST SCORE IN TRIAL AND HIGH SCORING BITCH:

Ch. Shastid's Chile Pepper
HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN REGULAR CLASSES:
 Beefeater Mac



Highest Score in Trial and High Scoring Bitch
Ch. Shastid's Chile Pepper
 Owner: Ann Bowers



Highest Scoring Dog:
Beefeater Mac
 Owners: Valerie & Timothy Nixon

HEALTH SURVEY RESPONSES

Dr. Barry W. Reppart

1. Overshot jaw: none
2. Undershot jaw: 15
3. Perfect mouth: 10
4. Entropion: 5 (one reply was that they had a problem in their original breeding stock but by outcrossing they were able to breed it out)
5. Ectropion: none
6. Conjunctivitis: 3
7. Anterior uveitis: none
8. Corneal ulcers: 3
9. Cataracts: 1 (a male started at 7-8 years of age)
10. Glycoma: none
11. Districhiasis: 3 (one reply was that they were the same dogs that had the entropion problem)
12. Interdigital fibroma: 7 (occurred in a male dog that had surgery in Jan. '80—it reoccurred in June 80 and was operated on again)
13. Foot ulcers: 5
 - a. were soaked in epsom salts
 - b. occurred secondary to an infection following injury
 - c. antibiotics prescribed by their veterinarian
14. Osteochondritis dissecans: 1
15. H O D: 3 (one at 4 months of age and on calcium)
16. H P O: none
17. Osteosarcoma: 1 (a 4 month old bitch)
18. Elbow dysplasia: 1
19. Hip dysplasia: 6
 - A. Do you own OFA stock? No (9) Yes (5)
 - B. Do you breed OFA stock? No (10) Yes (4)

All replies are as follows:

1. "There's a wide span allowed for OFA. Not all OFA dogs can produce good hips in their offspring. I believe a deeper and tight hip socket is important on both parents to produce good hips in their offspring."

2. "I don't know the OFA breeding stock. But I suppose that it is similar to our system. In West Germany we have 5 Classes of hip dysplasia: a, if the dog has no h.d. it is class 0; b, if the dog could have it or not (we call it transition stage) it is class 1; c, if the dog has little h.d. it is class 2; d, if the dog has middle h.d. it is class 3 (in this class you are allowed to breed only with dogs of class 0 or 1); e, if the dog has heavy h.d. it is class 4 (in this case you can't breed at all). In West Germany, it is obligatory to x-ray the dogs at the age of 12 months if you have the intention to breed them. If your dog is not x-rayed, you cannot breed."

3. "The vet said that the bitch would not pass the OFA certification because of a calcium deposit in one hip. She used to win on her superior rear movement and she still

moves well today. She was bred twice to OFA males. Not one pup of the 18 puppies developed a limp. Two dogs were x-rayed, one passed the OFA and the other had a minor problem in one hip."

4. "All breeding stock are x-rayed and they try to breed dogs with normal hips if at all possible. If the dog has something to offer and is marginal in the hips, they breed. There is more to Bullmastiffs than hips."

5. "The original stud and brood bitch came from OFA parents. We practice a very prudent observance of any signs relating to hip dysplasia."

6. "One does not need a certificate. A good vet can see. I do not necessarily believe that only certified dogs should be bred."

7. "All stock is x-rayed at 1 year as a preliminary for OFA. The same stock is re-evaluated at 2 years and only the dogs that are given an OFA number are bred. Nothing is bred that had entropions or serious structural defects."

8. "I had 2 pups from the same sire and bitch in 2 separate litters. The sire was OFA. I stopped using that sire and started stressing the need to new owners to not overfeed their pup and that calcium supplementation was not necessary."

20. Skull deformity: 1 (dog at 6 months of age)

21. Vertebrae Disc: 1 (cervical)

22. Congestive heart failure: 1

23. Congenital heart defects: 3 (a bitch that was euthanized at 16 months and posted to have hardening of the arteries, ventricular damage and lung damage; atrial sterosis; and heart murmur at 4 weeks)

24. Heartworm disease: 1

25. Hypothyroidism:

A. Age of the dogs with the problem: 6 yrs, 15 months, and 11 months.

B. Do you believe there is a hereditary basis to the problem: Yes 6; No 4.

C. Do you breed animals that are on thyroid medication: Yes 3; No 4.

26. Skin disorders:

a. allergy 7 ragweed

b. folliculitis: 7 (4 year old male developed condition every summer. It helps to keep him out of heat above 80°.

c. demodectic mange: 2

d. sarcoptic mange

e. ringworm fungus: 2

f. flea bite dermatitis: 2

g. seborrhea: none

h. hot spots: 2

27. Parasitism: Hookworms (5), round worms (10), whip worms (4), tape worms (3), ticks and fleas (9), cocci-diosis (5), fiardia (1).

28. Gastric torsion: 4 (1. Dry kibble dog food and fresh water were kept available at all times and the breeder has never had a problem. 2. A breeder says that they try to stay away from diets that contain beet pulp and soybean meal.)
29. Parvo virus: 3
30. Hepetitis: 0
31. Distemper: 0
32. Leptospirosis: 0
33. Infectious tracheobronchitis: 3
34. Diabetes mellitus: 0
35. Pyometria: 4 (one breeder runs a bacterial culture and sensitivity on her bitches every heat cycle. If an organism is isolated, it is treated according to the sensitivity study.
36. False pregnancy: 10
37. Kidney disease: 4
38. Cystitis: 4
39. Cancer of gastrointestinal tract: 0
40. Cancers and tumors:
 - a. Synovial cell sarcoma: membrane covering top of the hip joint (occurred at 5 years of age)
 - b. Breast cancer: 3 (7 years, 9½ years, and 4½ years)
 - c. Lymphosarcoma: 3 (2 years, 7½ years, and 2 years)
 - d. Mast cell and histrocytoma at 1 year
- e. Brain tumor: 1 (3½ years)
- f. Cancer of liver: 1 (11 years)
- g. Bladder tumor in 9 year old male
41. Pancreatitis: 0
42. Reproductive problems:
 - a. fading puppy syndrome
 - b. irregular season
 - c. males become sterile by 7 years old
 - d. uninterested females
43. Panosteitis: 4
44. Others:
 - a. ligament operation on the stifle
 - b. coccidioidomycosis—Southwestern U.S.
 - c. Autoimmune disease
 - d. prolapsed urethra in a dog
 - e. prostateitis—8 year old male responded to D.E.S. (diethylstilbesterol)
 - f. salivary cysts—were surgically removed
 - g. persistent pupillary membrane with corneal edema—discovered when the eyes turned brown.

I would like to thank the 24 people who took the time to answer this survey and would encourage any articles that you would want to contribute to a healthier Bullmastiff.

SANTA ANA VALLEY KENNEL CLUB
 Cypress College, Cypress, CA, September 20, 1981
 ABA SUPPORTED ENTRY

Total entry: 35 (6-16-13)

B.O.B.: Ch. Tauralan Vic Torious
(Carol Beans)

B.O.S.: Ch. Lindley's Whispering Lady
(Eugene & Amelia Lindley)

**B.W. and W.B.: Wild Hearts Country
Dumplin**
(Wallace & Janet DuVal)

W.D.: Tauralan Hold That Tiger
(Carol Beans)

R.W.D.: Grinch of Glendale
(William S. Fruin)

R.W.B.: Bedlam Ted-E-Bear's Memento
(Mae Bound)



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(STRIPER)**

"**WAFFLES**" is shown above (left) going B.O.B. at the Ravenna Kennel Club (Aug. 81) under judge Barbara Saltzman.

(Handled by her breeder)
Owned by Wayne & Virginia Bastianns

"**HONEYBEAR**" is shown above (right) going B.O.B. the following day at the Chagrin Valley Kennel Club (Aug. 81) under judge Thelma Von Thaden.

(Handled by her co-owner, breeder)
Owned by Joanne & Jim Swanson & Marilyn Dollin

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Dates to Remember

March 27, 1982

ABA Semi-Annual Meeting
Indianapolis, Indiana

March 28, 1982

ABA Supported entry, Hoosier K.C., Indianapolis, IN.
Judge: Roy Ayers, Sr. Superintendent: Jones

June 5, 1982

ABA Midwest Specialty, hosted by Midwest Bullmastiff
Fanciers. Held in the Main Ballroom, Holiday Inn, Joliet,
IL. Breed judge: Nial Koonts; Sweepstakes judge: Ben Bar-
atto.

Show secretary: Emily L. Mustari
6030 South Kilbourn
Chicago, IL 60629

June 6, 1982

ABA Far West Specialty, hosted by California Bullmastiff
Fanciers (Secretary, Carol Beans, 12131 Arroyo Ave., San-
ta Ana, CA 92705) Held in association with the Kennel
Club of Pasadena Show, Pasadena, CA. Breed judge: Theo-
dore Wurmser. Sweepstakes judge to be announced. Super-
intendent: Bradshaw.

September 11, 1982

ABA National Specialty, hosted by Delaware Valley Bull-
mastiff Club. To be held at the Monticello Motor Lodge,
Bellmawr, NJ. Breed judge: Mrs. J.H. Daniell-Jenkins.
Sweepstakes judge: Patricia V. O'Brien. Show chairman:
Bruce I. Lubar. Watch for further information in future
Bulletins.

TAURALAN



CH. TAURALAN HOLD THAT TIGER (CH. TAURALAN VIC TORIOUS—TAURALAN PAULA TIGER PAWS)

"*Jake*" had a very special Specialty Weekend. He and his litter sister, *Tauralan Tickety Boo* took Best and Best of Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes under judge Edith Pyle. On the following day at the ABA Supported Show at Santa Ana Valley KC under judge James T. Bennett, *Jake* picked up 4 points to finish his championship.

Tauralan wishes to congratulate the owners Dan and DaRhonda Gleason and breeders, Virginia Rowland and Mary Walsh of *Blackslate's Darling Dalilah* (a *Vic* daughter) who was a BIG winner at the Specialty taking WB, BW, and BOS over 9 Champion bitches.

Vic, himself, really strutted his stuff to pick up BOB at Santa Ana Valley KC where there was some very strong competition.

The *Vic-Paula* breeding has been repeated. More baby *Jakes* are expected in mid November.

Ch. Tauralan Colonial Ann Teak finished her championship at Silver Bay KC in August. She was bred by Paul and Pat Ashman and owned by Carol & Carin Beans.

Vic and *Jake* are at stud to approved bitches.

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Ch. Forever Natasha of Lestrade



(Shown here at the age of 9 months under j. James Trullinger)

Tasha finished with 5-3pt. majors, 3 of which were won out of puppy class. She also won **BOB**, out of the classes, over the Specials, at Wheaton KC, Jan. 17, 1981, under j. Richard Renihan.

Tasha is now working in the obedience ring with zest and enthusiasm. We're hoping to add a CD to the end of her name soon.

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Thunderbolt Bullmastiffs

Ch. Lestrade's Red Lightening



After winning **BOB** at the **ABA Midwest Specialty**, May 30, 1981, j. John Patterson, Thunder has gone on to accomplish the following:

Group 3 July 26, 1981 Waukesha KC j. William Taylor

Group 3 Sept. 6, 1981 Northern Kentucky KC j. John Patterson

Group 1 Oct. 4, 1981 Jamesville, Beloit KC j. Dale McMackin

Thunder is exclusively owner handled.

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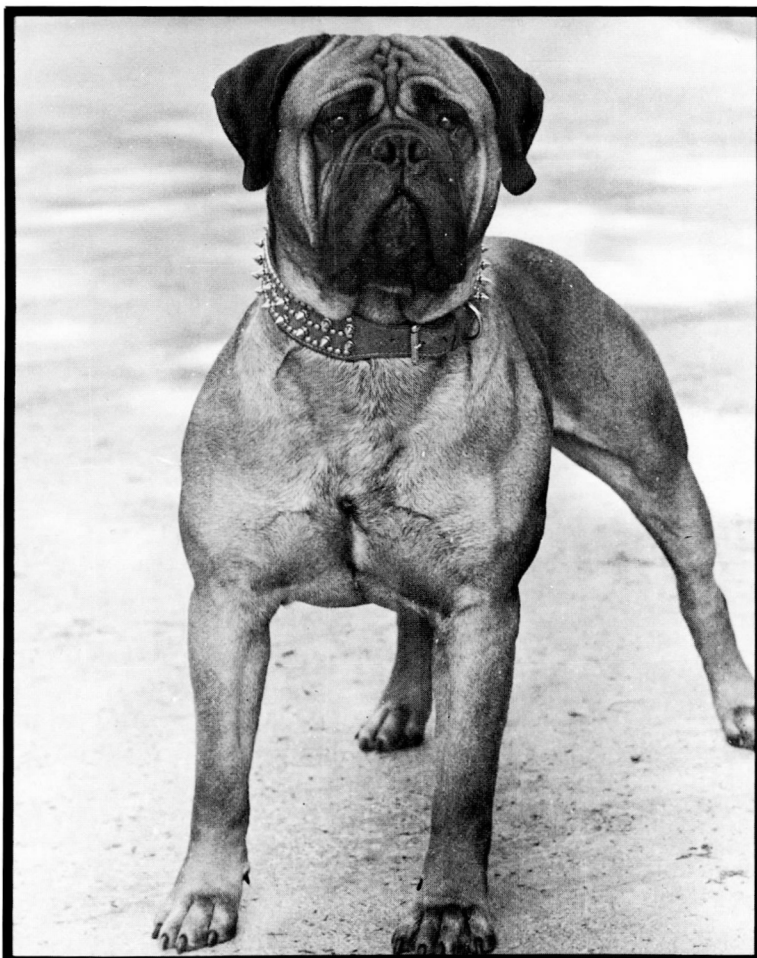
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SOCIABLE BULLMASTIFFS

By Conie Robertson



A truckful on their way to the old swimming hole on a hot summer's day.



Seven Bullmastiffs, male and female, relaxing, awaiting their master's return.

Having been a Bullmastiff owner and breeder for several years I have had the opportunity to visit with many other Bullmastiff owners and breeders over the years. On occasions I have found that other Bullmastiff owners, and especially some of the breeders, are amazed when they find out that I often allow Bullmastiffs of the same sex to mingle freely with each other instead of being rigidly separated.

I cannot understand why so many people are amazed at this. However, due to the number of inquiries as to how I can do this, I agreed to do a short article for the Bullmastiff Bulletin explaining how I do it.

Basically, I have found the Bullmastiff as a breed to be one that is totally dedicated to their owner and/or family. It is this tremendous dedication that will allow the owner to bring out the best or worst in their Bullmastiff.

My personal experiences with my Bullmastiffs have convinced me that the Bullmastiff's main goal in life is to please their master or family, and in some instances they will go against some of their basic instincts if they feel this is what their master really wants. I'm sure there are many individual specimens of Bullmastiffs that this may not necessarily apply to, just as there are individual differences in human beings, even among close family members. However, in many instances, I have found this to be the case.

By personally keeping a close relationship with my Bullmastiffs and instilling into them, beginning when they are puppies, that it is my desire for them to get along and be sociable with the other dogs when on neutral territory, I have been able to keep them together.

To let the young Bullmastiff know that you don't want him to fight with other dogs, you should keep a close eye on him. The first time he snaps at or threatens to attack another dog you should sharply scold him to make sure he really understands you don't want him fighting. I have found the tone of the voice much more effective than trying to physically punish the Bullmastiff for any type of corrective action. I also like to introduce my young Bullmastiffs to other playful and friendly adult dogs so as to have them understand that this is the type of attitude I expect a dog to have. The one thing you should avoid at all costs is to take the young Bullmastiff into a situation where he may be attacked by another dog.

Another way to lessen the chances of the young Bullmastiff becoming involved in a fight is to get into the habit of separating the dogs at feeding time. Most young Bullmastiffs have healthy appetites, especially during their younger

growing stages, and will not hesitate in fighting when another tries to push them out of their food pan.

New owners must be made aware that the Bullmastiff is not a breed you can encourage to play bully and have a few puppy fights then change when they grow older and stronger. Suddenly such an activity is no longer cute, but is a serious matter. I cannot stress enough the importance of preventing young dogs from becoming involved in that very first fight.

By studying your individual Bullmastiff's facial expression, and especially their eyes, you should soon learn to predict what's on his mind and take the proper corrective action before an altercation takes place. Each Bullmastiff telegraphs his intentions in some distinct manner—all you have to do is learn to interpret them. Using this method with my young Bullmastiffs has allowed my family and me to use our dogs successfully as constant companions, be it out hunting, at work, or whatever the occasion may be, without worrying about them making a nuisance of themselves. It has basically allowed us to use our Bullmastiffs as just good all around family dogs.

A side effect has been that our dogs have been praised by many Judges at the dog shows for their muscle tone and physical conditioning as compared to many other specimens. The fact that our dogs are stable enough to use in virtually any situation has allowed our dogs to get much more exercise to keep their muscle tone, as compared to those that could be considered problem dogs that must be rigidly kennelled with little chance for practical, meaningful outdoor recreation. In fact, while showing my late Champion Big Bubba at about eight years of age in the veteran dog class, the judge called me aside and asked his age. When I told him, he could hardly believe it, and commented that he was the proudest and best moving Bullmastiff he had ever seen, regardless of age. I attribute a great deal of this to his conditioning, as Bubba was so versatile I could use him for almost anything, and usually did. Until a day before his death, due to a ruptured stomach, at ten years of age, he moved better than many of the young dogs one sees at the shows.

In today's society there are many people looking for family dogs to provide home protection against burglars, vandals, etc. By training your Bullmastiff in the manner I use, I feel you will not have to worry about some stranger opening the door to your home or the gate of your yard only to have your Bullmastiff rush out past him and chase some stray dog down the street.

In my opinion a well behaved, stable Bullmastiff is the best, most devoted, understanding and faithful companion a person could ever hope to have, as his entire being is devoted to being and doing what ever he feels will please his master. If this includes being sociable with other dogs in the household, he will do it for you, not because he necessarily likes the other dogs. At least they do it for me—maybe others would like to give it a try.



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ANNIE



Ch. Ladybug's Bad'Nuff Ariane*

*(pending AKC confirmation)

Ch. Ladybug's Bad'Nuff Boris x Ladybug Dornsdan Bay Bea

Completing her championship in four months, Annie's show career began with:

Best of Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes and Reserve Winners Birch at the 1981 Mid-West Bullmastiff Fanciers Specialty

Reserve Winners Birch at the 1981 ABA specialty in California

Best of Opposite Sex at the Mid-West Bullmastiff Fanciers supported entry at the Stone City KC show for a 5 pt. major

And finished with:

Best of Opposite Sex at the Fall 1981 Chicago International KC show with a 3 pt. major.

Annie and I would like to thank Gerry and Kelly Roach, Karen Dorsch, Marilyn, Marge, David and Sam Dollin, Joel and Mary Anne Duchin, Paul and Joanne Gregson, and all of Annie's four footed friends for all of their kind friendship and support.

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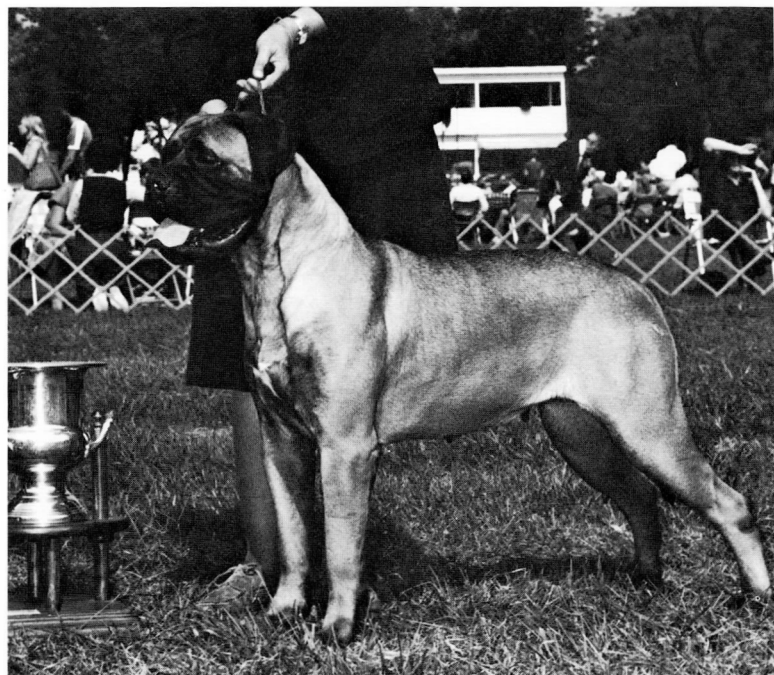
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Regular Classes

Total Entry: 45 (17-17-11)-2

BEST OF BREED, BEST OF WINNERS, AND WINNERS BITCH: Wedgewood Tizzie Lish

Sire: Ch. Tailwynde's J. Paul Get'Em
Dam: Wedgewood Finesse
Owner: Virginia A. Stark

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX AND WINNERS DOG: Gad's Hill Toby Crackit CD

Sire: Ch. Charley Hexam
Dam: Bandog's Jam Session
Owner: Christopher L. Russo

RESERVE WINNERS DOG: Bandog's Johnny Bull (Sanders & Buzzeo)

RESERVE WINNERS BITCH: Bandog's Jubilee (Sanders & Buzzeo)

introducing:

CH. BRODMERE'S NOTEWORTHY GAMBIT "IRVING"

Sire: Brodmere's Danrhonglyn Gambit



"Irving" is pictured completing his championship at the Tacoma Kennel Club show with a 3 pt. major under Glan Fancy. **Irving** received a 5 pt. major under John Stanek and a 4 pt. major under H.M. Cresap. He will be seeing you at the shows this spring. **Irving** sired a handsome litter of eight out of **Brodmere's Kahtiah C.D.** owned by Deborah Jackson. He is at stud to approved bitches.

Congratulations to **Brodmere's Anahmar Raffles ("Batman")** for his group 4 win at Portland, OR match. "**Batman**" was 12 mo. at the time of the match and is co-owned with Carolyn Jackson.

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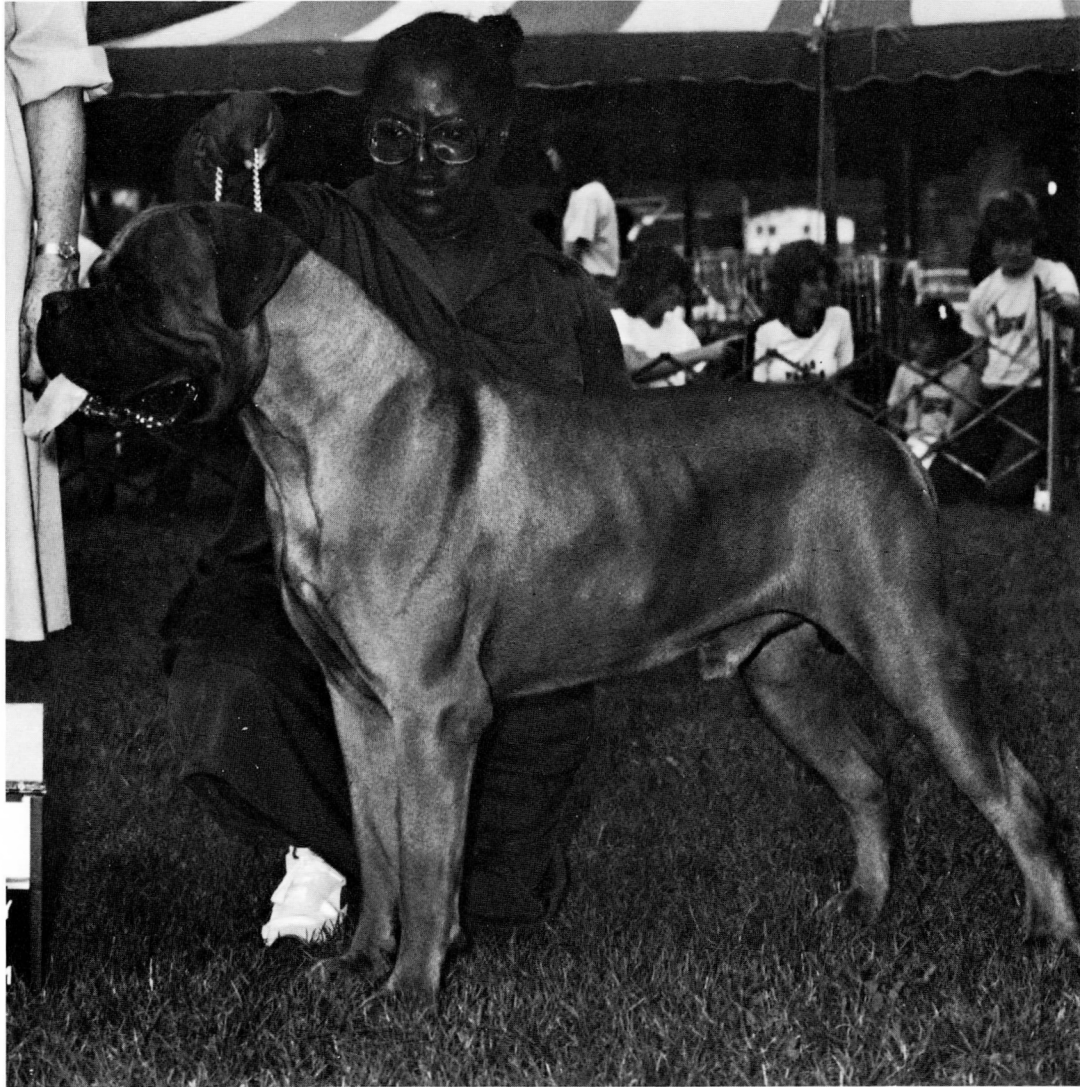
Bedlam's DUCHESS of Gloucester, CDX, CD (Can.)

Duchess' Novice career placed her as the #1 obedience Bullmastiff of 1980 in the nation (Delaney system). Her Open obedience career so far includes a third place (Simi Valley) and a fourth place (Ventura County Dog Fanciers). Her Open scores average 193 and qualify her to compete in the 1982 Gaines Regional Dog Obedience Championships. She is well known on the Southern California obedience circuit, and she is one of its top dogs.

Duchess also has points in the breed ring. She is shown above placing fourth in the Open class at the ABA National Specialty under judge Don Bradley in Placentia, California.

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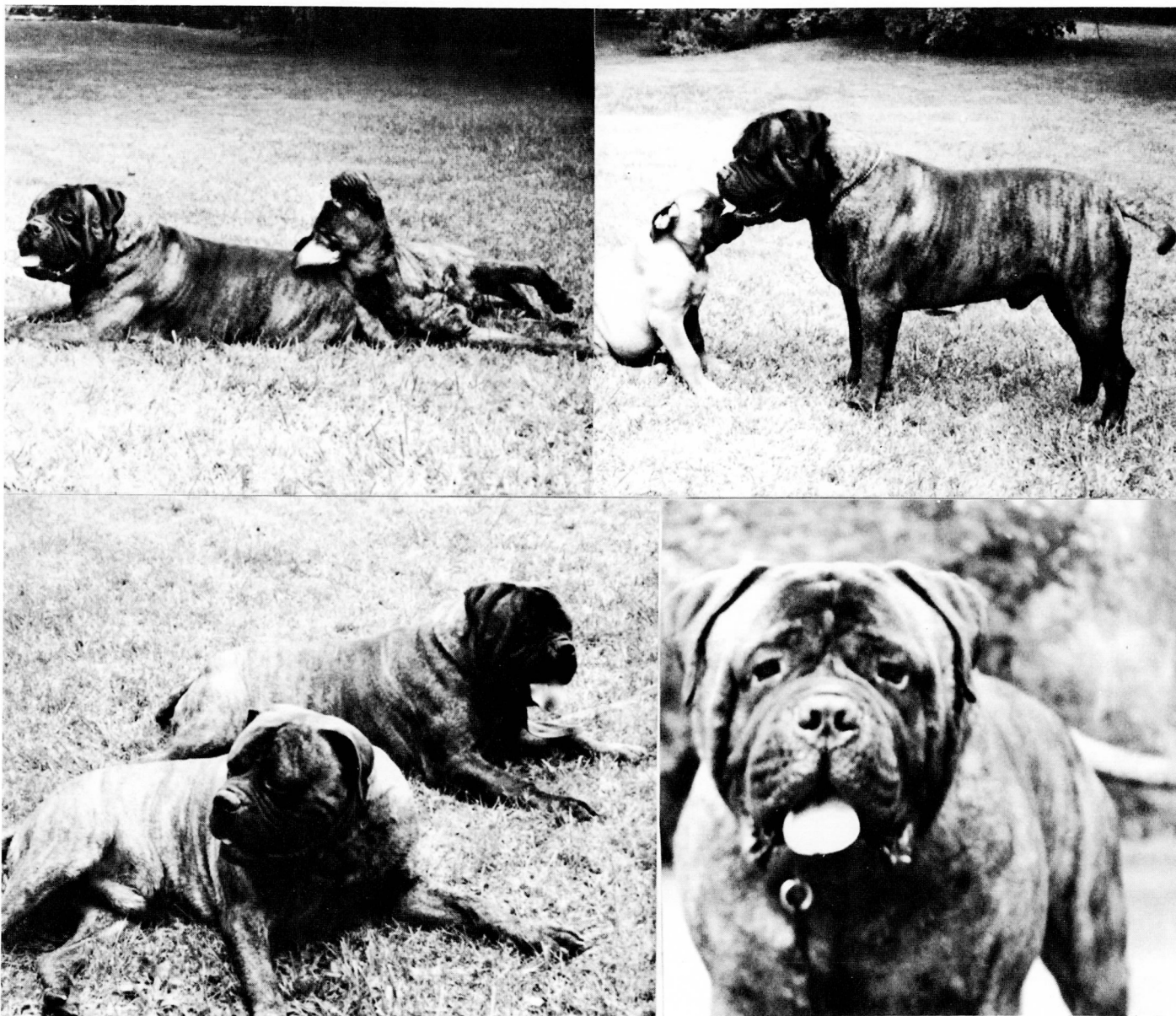
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OBEDIENCE

Two people sent letters to the obedience column. One concerned a Bullmastiff who allegedly attacked another dog before going into the obedience ring, and then was allowed to compete in Novice. Since I do not know the details, I do not feel that I can comment, other than to say that if the judge felt the dog would be a danger to the other dogs in the ring it would have been excused. Aggressiveness in adult Bullmastiffs can best be dealt with by a professional trainer. The best cure is prevention. Socialize your puppies and punish any signs of aggression when it first begins.

In this issue we were to deal with lagging, not paying attention, and running away. Mona Lindau-Webb wrote saying that she overcame lagging by always practicing the exercises at a run. This is a great idea, and for those of us not in such good shape, we should always walk at a fast pace with a spring in our steps. It really helps speed up a lagging dog. If your dog lags on the outside turn of the figure eight, give the collar correction, *before* you get to the turn (even if your dog is not lagging at that point). Then in a happy tone of voice talk to him all the way around the post. Talk to him on every outside turn until he gets the idea he must speed up to stay with you. Slowness on the recall is really the same problem as lagging. The easiest way to speed up the dog is to use food. When you first start the off-lead recall have a treat for your dog when he comes in. Do not give it to him until he is sitting straight in front of you. Never give it to him when he has returned to the heel position, because this will make him go directly to heel instead of stopping in front of you. After the dog learns to come in quickly use food only occasionally. I don't recommend using food in training classes; just use it in practice.

To keep a dog's attention Mona recommends talking to the dog. I cannot stress enough that this is the most important thing you can do in training your dog. When you are teaching your dog to heel, keep up a constant stream of chatter. After your dog knows how to heel give him a slight collar correction whenever he is looking around and say something like "Pay attention" or "Watch me." If he does not keep right at your side, give a hard collar correction and then praise him when he gets into the right position. Give him a lot of praise when he is doing something right. Take him to strange places to practice, and give corrections whenever he isn't watching you. Shopping centers are good places to train your dog for the show ring. Don't let strangers pat or talk to your dog while you are training. Just tell them he is working and to wait until you have finished.

Running off is the hardest thing to correct. Most Bullmastiffs (particularly the males) love to run and won't come back until they are ready. When your dog is still a puppy put him on a forty foot lead (nylon clothes line is ideal) and let him run around at the end of the line. Then in a firm voice give the command to come. If he does not come on the *first* command, jerk him in to you and praise him when he gets there. Keep repeating this until he comes on the first command without a jerk. When the dog gets older and he is not on lead he will probably try to get away for a run. If this becomes a problem there is a method which usually works. It takes two people, because you should not punish your dog when he finally comes to you. The next time he will not come at all. Take your dog to a large fenced area and let him run and play. Then call him to you. If he does not come on the first command, have the other person catch him for you. Put the lead on him, say "come", and jerk him into you. Let him go to the end of the lead and call him. If he comes without jerking give him plenty of praise. When he is again off lead and does not come on the first command, repeat the process with the other person catching him, but this time hit him with a leather lead. Then call him and praise him. This may have to be repeated several times, each time with a harder beating. Eventually, if the punishment is severe enough and the praise lavish enough, he will realize it is better to obey than not to. Cruel and inhumane punishment? Not if you realize you may be saving his life. There is always the chance that he could be hit by a car.

Next issue we will talk about beginning training for the CDX and some of the things you can do during novice training to make things easier. Keep the letters coming.

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WHEN YOUR BULLMASTIFF BECOMES A SENIOR CITIZEN

By Marti Robins

When counting in human years our pets are young, but when adding up their age in animal years they become senior citizens quite rapidly. Generally, dogs live from 12 to 14 years (smaller breeds live the longest). Our Bullmastiffs reach senior status sooner, as they have a shorter life span—somewhere between 5 and 8 years.

Realizing these unavoidable facts and coming to terms with them early on can give the Bullmastiff owner and breeder time to prepare for their dog's special needs as they grow older.

Signs of advancing age are:

- *Slowed activity
- *Weight gain (or in some cases weight loss)
- *Stiffened movements
- *Change in personality
- *Impaired hearing and/or vision
- *Bad breath
- *Loss of bladder and bowel control

You can make old age more pleasant for your Bullmastiff and still have fun with him or her. Along with your own good judgement and loving concern, a good, reliable veterinarian is your most important asset. A preventive care policy in conjunction with your vet is a must. Regular detailed exams at least twice a year can be a valuable deterrent against oncoming ailments. You should be aware of diet in particular, for as your Bullmastiff grows older there is a change in digestion and chewing ability. Arthritis is one of the main problems in aging dogs, and there is pain involved. In most cases this can be relieved by simple medication prescribed by your vet. Loss of hearing and failing vision are also common symptoms of old age, but unfortunately (except for cataracts) there is little that can be done.

Helpful hints for making your older Bullmastiff safe and happier:

- *Walks should be short and slower
- *Avoid extremes in temperature
- *Dry, soft, draft-free place to sleep
- *More frequent letting out for bowel and bladder relief
- *Less activity with younger dogs
- *No long car trips
- *Strict diet control
- *Lots of love and attention

You the owner will have to decide when your Bullmastiff is no longer living a happy life, but one of pain. This is a difficult and painful time for anyone who has loved and lived with an animal. The kindest and most humane gift you can give your Bullmastiff is the peace he or she deserves. The most painless way is through your veterinarian, who can administer the appropriate drug.

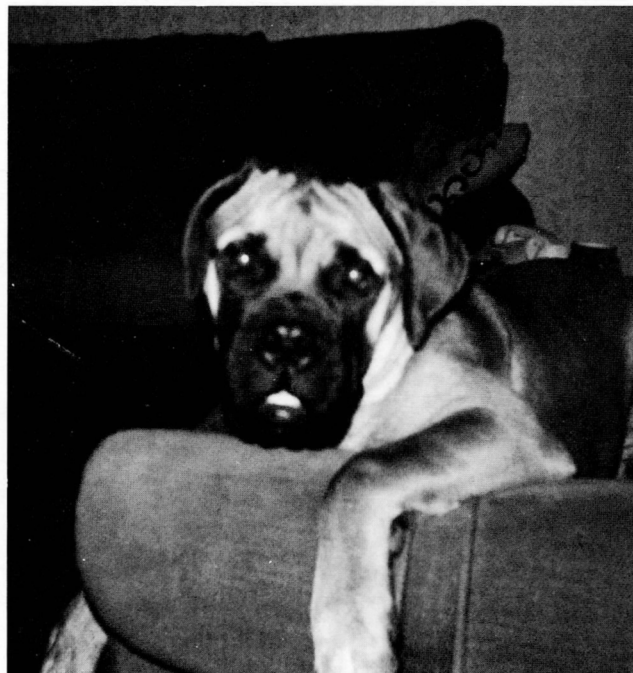
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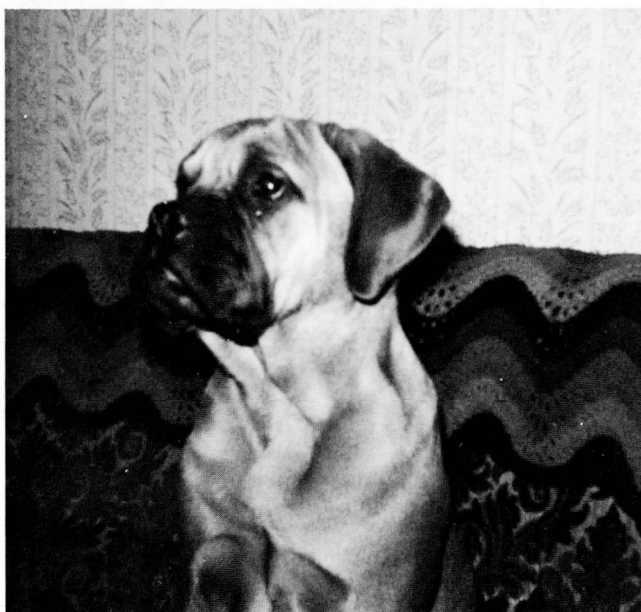
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BULLMASTIFFS FROM COAST TO COAST REPORT: THE CLIME IS JUST FINE

BULLMASTIFFS IN THE MID ATLANTIC STATES OF THE NORTHEAST

By Helene Buzzeo

The winters here can be quite cold, with plenty of frosty days, enhanced by high humidity, giving man and dog a bone chilling treat. Summers can be brutal, temperatures are in the 90's, with high humidity, causing everyone to just lie around. It is not an even climate; changes occur rather rapidly. In the winter, one day it's freezing, the next day it's in the 50's; the same is true in the summer, it can be 95° with 99 percent humidity one day and the next day it's 65° with 20 percent humidity. The climate is fickle and that presents some problems for Bullmastiffs.

The biggest trouble in this region is the winter litter. If one doesn't have a properly heated facility, it is a most difficult undertaking. In the winter pups and dam have to be kept warm, at a constant temperature. Later, pups can only be put outside at the age of 7 to 8 weeks if they have a sheltered, sunny run, and if they have access to a warm, dry retreat. It really is best to have the shelter heated.

Adults, if they are housed outdoors in unheated kennels, should have a two-compartment dog house, which consists of a sleeping box and a "vestibule" to break the wind. For bedding we use straw, which is frequently changed if the weather is wet. It is most important for a Bullmastiff's well being to have a dry, draft free space in which to rest and sleep.

In the cold months, Bullmastiffs which live outdoors require additional food. This can be an increase in the ration or a fat supplement, such as lard or corn oil. Check with your veterinarian for proper quantities. If the dogs have access to a yard to romp around during the day, they will need extra food to keep in top condition while coping with the cold. We like a trifle of padding on the ribs of our dogs during the cold months to give them a bit of reserve to cope with extreme weather.

Those who have Bullmastiffs in a situation where the dogs are walked on streets or sidewalks should make sure that the dog's feet are washed after the walk to rinse off the salt, as this can irritate the feet and cause foot problems.

During the summer in this area, Bullmastiffs should not be exercised in the heat of the day. They should be let out before 10 a.m. and after 5 p.m. There should be plenty of water (clean) for them and the feeding schedule should be adjusted to the cool hours of the day. We fill a wading pool with water for them to romp in and to keep cool. They love it.

Insect control is important. We have a "zapper" to kill flies and mosquitos. Our dogs are dipped against fleas and ticks and are checked regularly for parasites. Dogs are kept on gravel which is disinfected with bleach solution regularly.

When going to a show, we take plenty of water and a tarp to shade the car. This applies from the spring shows right up into the fall.

The breed can do well in this area as it is so adaptable, but Bullmastiff owners must use their common sense. They must provide adequate, warm, draft free shelter in the winter and a cool, shaded spot in the summer for the dogs and puppies to thrive.

BULLMASTIFFS IN THE UPPER MIDWESTERN CLIMATE

By Bernard M. Baratto

Minnesota winters can be very severe. We often get below zero weather for a number of days at a time with a high wind chill factor. Under these conditions our Bullmastiffs have always grown a dense coat. However, we have never had one which we could consider an outside dog. When we first started in Bullmastiffs we had them in the house. As the number expanded we built a cement block kennel building, which was heated to 72°. I was never satisfied with the condition of their coats under these conditions. As the price of oil rose from 17¢ to over \$1.00 the temperature was lowered to 55°. Then I noticed an improvement in the coat condition.

Our dogs have always enjoyed playing in the snow, but when it is extremely cold they start lifting their feet after being out for even a short period of time. On days such as this they go out for a short time four or five times a day. On these extreme days I have tried to jog with them, but they seem to stiffen and on a number of occasions I have had to return in a very short time.

I know of a number of people who keep Bullmastiffs in well insulated dog houses with straw for bedding. Some have a lamp arrangement for the coldest days. Under these conditions they seem to adapt to the cold somewhat better than mine. One person in western Minnesota said that his dogs sit in the sun even on extremely cold days as long as they are sheltered from the wind.

During the winter our dogs have their food and fat intake increased. We are able to obtain gallon containers of hamburger fat, and find this works well for the coat and keeps a little more weight on them.

We have not experienced health problems in the winter. Summers are hot and humid. Under these conditions you can expect to have skin problems. For example, we have never had hot spots in the winter. This summer we had two dogs with what appeared to be bites of some kind. Skin scrapings produced no evidence of parasites. A vet from Montreal, Canada was visiting us one day and inspected the dogs. He said he did not know what it was, but suspected an allergic type reaction that would clear up when the weather turned cool. He was correct. I have since spoken to others who have had the same problem.

In sixteen or so years in Bullmastiffs I have had only one get so overheated that he was in trouble. Another problem that was almost at an epidemic stage a few years ago was heartworm. This has subsided in recent years due to preventive medication.

In general, I would rather cope with the rigorous winter conditions than the problems associated with our summers.

BULLMASTIFFS IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

By Arthur Lambert

When I moved to Southern California from the high altitudes of New Mexico twenty years ago, I brought my first Bullmastiff, Black Knight's Gabrielle, with me. The hardiness and short coat of the breed made adaptation to this temperature zone generally easy. However, the temperate climate which is so appealing to people also encourages the bountiful reproduction of flies, fleas, ticks, and air-borne bacteria.

The main problems concerning the Bullmastiff's adaptation to Southern California, I discovered, involved the maintenance of good coat and skin condition during the summer months. However, groomers and veterinarians with whom I have talked seem to reflect the opinion that the Bullmastiff's problems in this matter are minimal, especially when compared to other breeds.

In my opinion, the control of coat and skin problems begins with good nutrition. Oil is essential, and corn oil or cold pressed soy oil have been satisfactory additives, although wheat germ oil is preferable. I have heard of lard being suggested for this purpose, but I understand that any form of pork fat is undesirable in a dog's diet and should be avoided. Sea Meal, used for its wealth of trace elements, and a vitamin supplement after young animals have attained their size also contribute to healthy coat and skin. Pups under a year old rarely seem to have skin problems.

Except during the winter months, flies are an ever-present annoyance in a kennel. Biting flies can chew ears until they are permanently scarred. They also congregate around the hocks, but do less damage there. After trying fly traps, electric insect killers, and a variety of sprays and wipes, I find that Farnam's Wipe works as well for me as anything I know. For the dogs that live in the house, V.I.P. ointment on the ears seems to be sufficient.

Fleas are always a problem during the summer, and some have a serious time with their control. A neighbor of mine has her yard sprayed every month, washes or dips the dogs every week, and is barely able to keep hair on her Airedale during the summer. Directly across the road, I have relatively few problems. It is variable. I feed Petzymes during the summer, knowing this does not constitute a real flea control, but always hoping it will make the dogs as unattractive to a flea as possible. Then in addition I either shampoo or dip the animals as required. Since these are all toxic, I try to not use them more than necessary to control the situation. I'm still looking for a natural flea control that works!

When a hot spot develops, it is usually accompanied with an intense itching that requires a cortisone shot for relief. Much grief seems to be saved by going to the vet immediately rather than trying to remedy the situation at home.

Needless to say, housing in this climate requires a shady area, and I understand that especially in the desert regular inspection for ticks is necessary.

In summer, Bullmastiffs adapt readily to this part of the country, but good care in feeding and housing, and a steady vigilance for skin disorders, especially during summer months, are essential.

REGIONAL CLUB REPORTS

CALIFORNIA BULLMASTIFF FANCIERS

California Bullmastiff Fanciers hosted the first ABA National to be held in California in mid September. Our next project will be a fun match in the early Spring.

CBF will host the ABA Far West Specialty on June 6, 1982, in conjunction with the Pasadena Kennel Club all breed show. Mr. Theodore Wurmser will be the judge. Selection of Sweepstakes judge is pending. There will be a dinner on the evening of June 5. If you had a good time at the National, please join us again for more good times.

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The Piedmont Bullmastiff Club of Greater Washington held their annual meeting on September 27, 1981, following the Old Dominion Kennel Club show. The following officers were elected: President Harry Bryant; Vice president Marti Robins; Secretary Jean Morris; Treasurer Beverly Bryant; Directors Mitch Miller, Pat Klinstiver, Vincent Beasley. We plan to have a B-OB match on October 24 and a seminar on November 7, 1981. Pending AKC confirmation we will hold our first A-OA match next spring.

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