

Dutch Reporter





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America's Iinest Rabbit



American Dutch Rabbit Club

It is that time of year for hot weather and also protection of those rabbits. They sure have been suffering from heat around here. Try to give them all the protection you can and plenty of fresh water. Mine seem to enjoy laying against those water crocks for a little cooling off.

The nomination results have come to me and hope they are in this issue of reporter. Again there were not to many of the members voted. Thanks to the election committee for their time spent in getting these results out.

It is also time to think about what you are going to show at the Convention in York, Pennsylvania. I hear they are limiting the entries so you will need to pick out those good ones and get them ready.

The spring shows around here were sure well attended and a lot of good Dutch showing up. There are a lot of new breeders coming to the shows and they are bringing good Dutch with them. This means to me the Dutch are a real challenge to raise and people are looking for that challenge today. Well, I will see you at the shows and hope to see many of you breeders at York.

Mike Stinehelfer

ELECTION COMMITTEE: Glenn Morgan, Ed Chandler, Jack Wireman Secretary-Treasurer - Larry Bengston (146) (Ten others received a total of 17 votes, with no one receiving enough for a nomination.)

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(3 to be elected	6 on 1	ballot)	1977 NATIONAL DUTCH SH	ow JUDGES ted
Don Lovejoy	83		Don Lovejoy	23
Lynn Cooper	73		Dennis Holcomb	19
Bill Geitzenauer	32		Darrell Bramhall	16
Roger Eich	31		Robert Berry	13
Darrell Bramhall	20		Don Reid	10
* Doris Leibel	12		(27 others with less t	han 10)
* Jim Kelley	10			
Tom Shufflebotham	10		1977 ARBA Convention Show	w Judges
* Elmer Paquette	9		(Two to be elected)	
Al Meier	7		Don Lovejoy	52
Paul Jurgelonis	7		Glenn Carr	29
Mickey Watters	6		Darrell Bramhall	28
* Don Reid	6		Robert Berry	23
Lester Johnson	6		* Don Reid	16
Joe Portwood	5		Paul Jurgelonis	16
Bob Ernst	5		* Doris Leibel	13
Carl Decker	5		George Bayliss	12
(* Not Eligible)			Harry Rice	11
(Also 62 others with	less t	than	(* Not Eligible)	
5 Votes)	-		(Also 34 others with le	ess than
			10 v otes)	

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

The past two months have been slow months for the Dutch Club, but busy months for us. We recently finished first crop hay, have the barn almost full and are ready to start on the second crop. Crops in our corner of the state are fairly good, but we are running on the bare minimum of water - just when it gets critical we have been getting a rain shower to keep us going for another week. If it can just keep it up for another month or two, we will be in good shape. Hope your summer is running along nicely, and that you have time to enjoy it. Summer sure is a busy time for all.

The ballots will be in the mails on August 1st. Be sure you have them in the mail by September 5th. We have a fine selection of directors to choose from, as well as Judges for the Convention and the NDS. I think the director slate is impressive in several ways. First of all it has a nice variety of people, from different areas, some old-timers, and some relatively new-comers. I personally think that any three of the six would be good for the club and that this is a fine situtation for a club to have going for it. Vote for whomever you think would do the best job, and I think that whoever wins, the real winner will be the Dutch Club.

The ARBA combination memberships continue to come in, but not as fast as they had been coming during the first part of the year. When you send in a combination, be sure to note your old number if you are renewing, and it will save us some possible confusion. The ARBA is currently changing procedures on membership names, to remove the confusion of rabbitry names and partnerships. We have had some past confusion in this area at times also. Perhaps it would be best if we did this also--allow no memberships except in personal names.

An important thing that I would like to clarify is the listing of members on show sanction reports. Occasionally someone will write us to complain that they had not been given credit for a win at a recent show. Quite often the problem is that there are multiple members of a family showing, but not all of them are members of the ADRC. Once in a while a youth will be listed under his father's name instead of his name. WE DO LIST ALL MEMBERS SHOWING, WHETHER THEY BE YOUTH OR ADULT! As we do not have a youth division in the ADRC, the youth that are members of our club are full members, entitled to all rights and all priviledges of their membership. If there is any potential confusion in you situtation, check with the secretary of the show to insure that your names are listed correctly. The secretaries will be glad to get it correct, so that there is no problem later on, trying to find the error and correct it.

Convention time is coming up soon. Plan on attending if you can, and most especially if it is in your area. The next DR will come out just about the same time as the convention, so this is your last reminder to send in any late specials for the convention show. We will post them in the Dutch Booth at the convention for all to see.

Check your membership to make sure that it is not expiring soon. If it is send in your renewal ahead of time. (CONTINUED)

SECRETARY CONTINUED

We don't want you to miss anything because you let your membership lapse. If you sell some breeding stock, tell the person about the club, and give him a membership blank. (Some members include the price of the membership with the rabbits and get the people started right.) Promote the ARBA too, they help promote us and remember that the club gets that commission for a combination ARBA membership. SEE you at the shows and may that BOB winner be in your nest box, the next time you look. Best wishes.

Larry Bengtson

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NEW MEMBER RECOMMENDATIONS

By ARBA - Robert Bettencourt, NH, Marria Gauley-Gale, Canada, David Perrett, Ca, Joseph DeMase, Ca, Judy Farmer, Id, Wayne Hopson, MD, M/M Theodore Jones, Vt., L.E.Nolley, Texas, George Tuder, Georgia, Pat Rospendowski, Ca., By Scott's Rabbitry-Kris Vanderhaar, Ca., John Freuh, Arizona, Tim Glavan, Mn., By Jon Baker, Laura Hrdlicka, Ok., By Mark Bean, Frank Jenks, Ma., Sharon Nixon, NH., By Tim Kyle Mike Withrow, Texas, By Ted Merickel, Becky & Scott Erwin, Indiana, By Bryan Schultis, Patsy & Estel Schultis, Co., By Phil Junis, Christine Junis, Ohio, By Robert Griffith, Rebecca Walker, Tennessee

How come the ARBA signs up as many new members as our own members do. How about getting one new member for the club by the next DR? Thanks to the above for their efforts, especially Scott's Rabbitry

I AM A CANDIDATE FOR DIRECTOR OF THE AMERICAN DUTCH RABBIT CLUB

I WOULD APPRECIATE

YOUR

SUPPORT IN THE UPCOMING ELECTION

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SWEEPSTAKES FINAL - 1975-76 SERIES

Here it is folks, All show reports are in and accounted for. This is my report and will stand, unless I hear of a mistake by September 1, 1976. Trophies will be awarded at the Convention in York and thereafter mailed to owners not in attendance.

1. Clipfort Rabbitry 2. Mickey Watters 3. Terry Reed 3. Terry Reed 4. Dixie Ranck 5. Joe Portwood 6. Ed Chandler 7. Don & Nelle Brady 8. Roger Guetschow 9. Mike Lovejoy 10. Roger Eich 11. E. D. Smith 12. Wenton Carlton 13. Lester & Louise Johnson 14. John Armes 15. Mike Stinehelfer 16. Warren McNamara 17. Robert Scott 18. Tennessee Indiana Pennsylvan Georgia Ohio Texas Wisconsin California Iowa Virginia Arizona Kansas Texas Ohio Maryland Texas	16 7,648 1 14 6,893 1 14 6,893 1 15 5,045 1 15 5,045 1 17 3,930 17 3,930 17 3,768 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 3,678 1 1 2,769 1 2 3,768 1 1 2,769 1 2 3,768 1 1 2,769 1 2 3,768 1 1 1 2,769 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
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18. Roxanna Hawkins California	
19. Clyde & Doris Jones Texas	9 2,576⅓
20. R.C. Farrill Texas	15 2,576 ⁵

Sweepstakes Chairman Doreen Bengston

Ed's Note; Congratulations to all the winners of this series. Also I would also like to Thank Doreen for doing one heck of a good job with the sweepstake series. She kept us all up-to-date, with what she had to work with, in other words if she had the show reports we had the results. This is a job that you CAN"T snap your fingers and your done - - it is more like - - "Go buy me a wig - I just pulled all my hair out". So Thanks Doreen, not only from the editors but from all of the Dutch Club.

FEBRUARY 14, 1976 - No.California. RBA at Roseville, ADRC #366

JUDGE: John Phillips Number of Dutch 98 Number of Exh. 14

BOB: BLK SB-CLIPFORT RABBITRY BOS: BLUE SD-ROXANNA HAWKINS

28 Blk SB, 12 Tort:SB & 7 Gray:SD-Clipfort, 23 Blue:SD-R. Hawkins,

23 Choc:SB-N. Raetz, 5 Steel:JB-H. Ross POINTS: Clipfort-617,

N. Raetz-207, R. Hawkins-190, Paul & Laura Conley-160, G. Goodwin-100,

D. Roper-94, Regal Rabbitry-55, R. Anderson-51, H. Ross-42,

J. Hartzell-30, M. White-24

FEBRUARY 15- Douglas County RBA at Roseburg, Oregon ADRC #392

JUDGE: Fred Cremer Number of Dutch 38 No. Exh. 17
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK SD-JIM KELLY 20 Blk:SB-J. Kelly, 11 Blue:SB-A. Ferguson, 3 Choc:SD-nm, 3 Tort:JB-D. McDaniel, 1 Steel:JB-C.Chinn (CONTINUED)

- FEB. 15-Douglas Co. POINTS: A. Ferguson-94, J. Kelly-135, J.Miller-50, T. Gordon-33, D. McDaniel-30, J. Wichert-30, D. Cook-20, C. Chinn-18
- APRIL 4, 1976 St. Louis Area R&CBA at St. Louis, Missouri

 ADRC #6045 Judge: Orville Bloomquist No. Dutch 27 No. Exh. 7

 BOB: BLK SD-GILLISPIES BOS: BLK SB-JACK GILMORE

 11 Blk:SD & 1 Gray:SD-Gillispies, 9 Blue:SB-Dale Bernhardt, 6 Choc:JD

 Wm. Eck POINTS: Jack Gilmore-100½, Gillispies-61, Dale Bernhardt-56,

 Wm. Eck-56, J. Whitmore-8
- APRIL 11 Central Florida RBA at Orlando, Florida ADRC #6147

 Judge: Bob Hill No. Dutch 8 No. Exh: 4

 BOB: BLK JD-NM BOS: BLK SB-JIM CARLOCK 7 BlkJD & 1 Choc:SD-nm

 POINTS: Circle S Rabbitry-20, Jim Carlock-16
- ARPIL 11 Midwest Trailblazer RC at Sedalia, Missouri ADRC #6069

 Judge: Ray Bradway No. Dutch 33 No. Exh. 8

 BOB: BLK SB-JACK GILMORE BOS: BLK SD-GILLISPIES OF PAYDOWN

 19 Blk:SB & 4 Blue:SD-Jack Gilmore, 6 Choc:SB-nm, 4 Tort:JB-Billy

 Dodge POINTS: Jack Gilmore-245, Gillispies-52½, R. Hess-16,

 Billy Dodge-6, B. Evertson-6
- APRIL 11 Rochester RBA at Henrietta, New York ADRC #6006

 Judge: Merlin Lamb No. Dutch 96 No. Exhibitors 22

 BOB: BLK SD- HOWARD FRENCH BOS: BLUE JB-JOHN F. STENSON

 31 Blk:SD-H. French, 19 Blue:JB-J. Stenson, 19 Choc:SB-K&E Hyatt
 16 Tort:JD-Bulger's Bunnies, 5 Steel:JD-D. Ranck, 6 Gray:SD-Lucky J
 Rabbitry POINTS: H. French-299, Lucky J-195, J. Stenson-160,
 Bulger's Bunnies-110, Dixie Ranck-126, K&E Hyatt-87, Dutch Bunch-84,
 M. Stewardson-66, D&B Rabbitry-64, R. Sears-60, Ken & Molly Storrer45, F. Crupi-43, D&E Wickham-28
- APRIL 11 Metroplex RBA at Dallas, Texas ADRC #6040

 Judge: Bob Evertson No. Dutch 24 No. Exh. 8

 BOB: TORT SB-MARVIN COLE BOS: CHOC JD-TIM KYLE

 10 Blk:JD & 4 Choc:JD-T. Kyle, 5 Blue:JB & 2 Tort:SB-M. Cole

 3 Gray:SB-E&R Antwine POINTS: M. Cole-87, T. Kyle-72, E&R Antwine-34,

 Reeves Rabbitry-20, D&A Day-18
- APRIL 23-24, Smoky Mountain RBA at Knoxville, Tennessee ADRC #6077 Judge: C.F. Simpkins No. Dutch 43 No. Exh 16 BOB: BLK JD-NON MEMBER BOS: BLK SB-VICTOR SIGMON 25 Blk:JD-nm, 7 Blue:SB & 4 Choc:SB-Mr. & Mrs. W.R. Griffith, 4 Tort:SB-Tuck's Rabbitry 2 Steel:JB-D. Simpson 1 Gray:SD-nm POINTS: Victor Sigmon-99½, L&D Archer-78, D. Simpson-69, M/M Griffith-50, M. Gibson-46, Al Meier-24, Hughens Hares-18 Tuck's Rabbitry-18
- APRIL 24-25 No. Louisiana RGA at Shreveport, ADRC #6049

 Judge: L. Dean Bryan No. Dutch 32 No. Exh. 6

 BOB: BLK JB-ALLEN REEVES BOS: BLUE SD-R. C. FARRILL

 14 Blk: JB-A. Reeves, 6 Blue: SD, 6 Choc: SB, 3 Tort: JB & 1 Gray: SB-R.C. Farrill, 2 Steel: SB-nm (CONTINUED)

SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED - 75-76 SERIES

APRIL 25 - Tri Country RBA at Waterford, Wisconsin ADRC #6059

Judge: Not Listed No. Dutch 20 No. Exh. 4

BOB: BLK JB-CHUCK STANELLE BOS: BLUE JD-WILLIAM LORENZ

9 Blk:JB, 2 Choc:JD, 3 Tort:JD & 3 Gray:JB-C. Stanelle, 7 Blue:JD

W. Lorenz POINTS: Chuck Stanelle-100, William Lorenz-54, Doubeck's Rabbitry-28

APRIL 25 R&CB of San Fernando Valley at Ventura, California ADRC #6138 Judge: Fred Cremer No. Dutch 74 No. Exh. 6 BOB: GRAY JD and BOS: BLK SB-MIKE & JUNE LOVEJOY 18 Blk:SD, 16 Blue:JD, 6 Steel:JD & 14 Gray:JD-M&J Lovejoy, 15 Choc:SD & 8 Tort:SB-Clipfort POINTS: Clipfort Rabbitry-627 Mike & June Lovejoy-486

APRIL 25 - Central East Missouri RBA at Vandalia, ADRC #6052
Judge: Ivan Miller No. Dutch 16 No. Exh. 5
BOB: BLUE JD & BOS: BLK JB-NON MEMBER 6 Blk:JB & 4 Blue:JD-nm,
3 Choc:JD, 1 Steel:JB & 1 Gray:SD-G. Gillispie
POINTS: G. Gillispie-56, K. Williams-12

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NOT RECEIVING DR?

"Is a ton of coal very much papa?" "That depends son, on whether you are shoveling or buying it."
Stranger: "I've come out here to make an honest living." Native: "Well

there's not much competition."

SWEEPSTAKES REPORT - 1976-77 SERIES

Another Sweepstakes year. It is hard to believe that some of you already have 10 shows on the list. Just think, the highest number of shows last year was 30, and you've only got 20 more shows to go to equal that record.

REMINDER: Watch your membership Expiration dates. Remember that the Sweepstakes rule #8, page 10 of your guide book says, "Members in good standing."

HINT: Keep in mind that it is my duty to keep a record of points for over 700 people. If you use a rabbitry name and your name also, that doubles the number, and makes the possibility of error greater. I'm not saying that you can't use rabbitry names, although sometimes I wonder if it is advantageous, but, please include your name on the entry blank as well. Our sweepstaked shows each year number more than 400 and your help would be greatly appreciated. THANKS.

EASTEST SHOW REPORT: Southwestern Dutch Rabbit Club Linda Scott.

FASTEST SHOW REPORT: Southwestern Dutch Rabbit Club, Linda Scott, Secretary - 5 days

NEATEST SHOW REPORTS: So. Maryland RBA - Lois Ann Mancer, Secretary Essex Co. R&CBA - Darlene Corkum, Secretary Oklahoma RBA - Betty Patty, Secretary

SWEEPSTAKES REPORT - JULY 18, 1976

	NAME	STATE	SHOWS	POINTS
1.	Hand 'N' Hand Towns	Ohio all ass v	7 96. 1992. 40	1,165
2.	Wm. Schaeffer			
3.	Robert Scott	Texas	3	1,003
4.	Mike Stinehelfer	p Chio sca samp es	1 7 , 30 11 - 2	908
5.	Wenton Carlton	Arizona	2 0 appay 20	770
6.	Mike Lovejoyzer 1948 1850 g	California	:2 0: ale gal	∴757 }
7.	Ed Chandler Cossision and			
8.	Clipfort Rabbitry	California	220040404044	
9.	Jack Wireman Dixie Ranck	Ohio	10	676
				666
	Bobby Simmons			527
	Roy Fox	Ohio		516
		Texas	2	494
		Michigan	4.1. 2.2.2.2.2.	484
		Massachusetts	4	477
	John F. Norris	New Mexico		464
		Ohio	.5 	440 ≥
		Pennsylvania	5	413
	and ANA to the Oracle Control of the	Virginia	1	3 98
20.	Glen Morgan	Ohio	8	382

A BEST IN SHOW

AL SEEMAN of Joliet, Illinois took Best Fancy and Best In Show with a BLACK SENIOR BUCK, 9 Blacks were shown with 18 Dutch and a show total of around 500. The place was Crown Point, Indiana sponsored by the Calumet RBA. Judged by Oren Reynolds. Congratulations to Al. We saw the trophies he won for this one rabbit and they were sure pretty. Kathy

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MAY 1 - Southwestern Dutch RC at Lamesa, Texas ADRC #6001
JUDGE: Stan Pulliam
                      No. Dutch 108
                                            No. Exh. 11
                                 BOS: BLK JD-BOBBY SIMMONS
BOB: BLK SB-ROBERT SCOTT
35 BLACKS
            BV-SB
                       BOV-JD
SB-7-Scotts, Simmons, JA Norris, Scotts, nm
SD-7-Simmons. Scotts. Scotts. John Norris. Scotts
JB-12-Sutton, Scotts, Sutton, Bulman, nm
JD-9-Simmons, Simmons, John Norris, Scotts
           BV-SB
                     BOV-JD
SB-13-nm, JA Norris, Sutton, Scotts, Scotts
SD-5-Scotts, Roberts, Simmons, Scotts, Scotts
JB-3-Bulman, Simmons, Scotts JD-4-Simmons, Scotts, Sutton, Sutton
                    BV-JD BOV-JB
29
     CHOCOLATES
SB-8-Simmons, Scotts, Scotts, John Norris, Sutton
SD-11-John Norris, Simmons, Scotts, Simmons, Scotts
JB-5-Scotts, Scotts, Simmons, Scotts, Scotts
JD-5-Smith, Scotts, Scotts, Smith, JA Norris
10 TORTOISE
              BV-SB
SB-3-nm, JA Norris, JA Norris
SD-6-nm, Scotts, Scotts, JA Norris, Scotts JD-1-Scotts
STEELS -4
              BV-SB
                        BOV-JD
SB-3-nm. John Norris, JA Norris JD-1-Bulman
         BY-SB
                  BOV-SD
GRAY-5
SB-2-SD-2-JD-1 all John Norris
POINTS: Bobby Simmons-421. Robert Scott-640, Michael Sutton-175,
John F. Ncrris-172, Joel Alan Norris-120, Carol Bulman-48, Ken Smith-40
JUNE 19-20 - Mad River Valley R&CBA
                                        at Urbana, Ohio
                                        No. Exhibitors 28
JUDGE: Francis Morgan No. Dutch 111
BOB: BLUE SD-HAND 'N' HAND
                                 BOS: BLACK SB-SHERRY GUNSETT
38 BLACKS - BV-SD
                     BOV-SB
SB-13-Gunsett, Fox,nm,Fox,Fox, SD-11-Gunsett, Fox, Fox, nm
JB-9-nm, Hands, nm, Mikes, Gunsett JD-5-Mikes, nm, nm, Szymanowski, Szyman.
              BV-SD BOV-JB
SB-6-Szymanowski, nm, Szymanowski, nm, nm, SD-4-Hands, nm, nm, nm,
JB-3-Hands.nm.Barnhart
                                 JD-4-Hands.nm.nm.nm
CHOCOLATES -16 BV-SD
                          BOV-JB
SB-3-Jacks SleepyHollow, Junis
                                SD-2-H.Burkholder, Jack's
JB-6-DR Burkholder, Jacks, Mikes, Jacks, DR Burkholder
JD-5-DR Burkholder, DR Burkholder, Jacks, elminated, elminated
                              BOV-JB
TORTOISE - 9
                      BV-SD
SB-1-nm, SD-1-nm, JB-3-nm, nm, Mikes JD-4-Hands, nm, nm, Mikes
STEELS - 9
           BV-JB BOV-SD
                                  SD-1-McNarys
SB-1-McNarvs
JB-5-Mikes, McNarys, Szymanowski,nm, McNarys JD-2-McNarys, Mikes
GRAYS - 12
               BV-JD BOV-JB
                                 SD-3-McNarys, McNarys, Barnhart
SB-3-Bartons, nm. McNarys
JB-4-Mikes, McNarys, Bartons, McNarys JD-2-Hands, Bartons
POINTS: Hand 'N' Hand-249, Sherry Gunsett-2082, Mike's Rabbitry-145,
Roy Fox-190, D.R. Burkholder-92, McNary's Rabbitry-86, Beth Szymanowski
84, Jack's Bunnies-77, Barton's Bunnies-38, Joseph Godin-12,
Helena Burkholder-12, J.M. Barnhart-18, Chris Junis-9
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- MAY 1 Ohio State Dutch Club at Mansfield, Ohio ADRC #6028

 JUDGE: Dennis Holcomb No. Dutch 75 No. Exhibitors 17

 BOB: BLUE SD-HAND 'N' HAND BOS: BLACK SB-ED CHANDLER

 20 Blk:SB-Ed Chandler, 25 Blue:SD-Hands, 10 Choc:JB, 7 Tort:JB and

 5 Steel:SB-Mike's, 8 Gray:SD-D&J Barnhart POINTS: Ed Chandler-2182

 Hands-187, Mikes-129, Promise Rabbitry-94, Larry Nixon-48, Happy Time

 Rabbitry-48, Bartons-43, R&J Williamson-64, Sherry Gunsett-43, Jacks
 40, Glen Morgan-32, Country Sunshine-21, Butlers-17, D&J Barnhart-12
- MAY 1 Auto City RBA at Saline, Michigan

 JUDGE: John Weltevreden

 No. Dutch 35

 No. Exhibitors 6

 BOB: BLUE SD-COOPER'S HILLCREST

 BOS: BLK. SB-NON MEMBER

 14 Blk:JD & 8 Blue:SD-Coopers, 8 Choc:SD & 6 Tort:SB-Tony Micallef

 POINTS: T. Micallef-175, L. Cooper-116, A. Ellis-12
- MAY 1 Eastern Carolina RBA at Raleigh, North Carolina ADRC #6099

 JUDGE: Joe Godsey Number Dutch 27 No. Exh. 8

 BOB: CHOC SD-JOHN DEAN BOS: BLK JB-NON MEMBER

 9 Blk:SD & 1 Gray:SB-Lewis Heath, 9 Blue:JD-L. Edwards, 7 Choc:SD
 J. Dean, 2 Steel:SD-B. Karriker POINTS: J. Dean-123, L. Edwards-111,

 Lewis Heath-66, Bud Karriker-42
- MAY 1 San Antonio at San Antonio, Texas

 JUDGE: Maurice Etter

 Number Dutch 10

 No. Exh. 2

 BOB: CHOC JB-and-BOS: BLK: JD-T. KYLE

 4 Blk:JD & 3 Choc:JB-T. Kyle,

 3 Gray:SB-nm

 POINTS: T. Kyle-65
- MAY 1 Tenn Valley RBA at Nashville, Tennessee

 JUDGE: Stuart W. Griffith

 No. Dutch 4

 No. Exh 3

 BOB: BLK JB & BOS: BLK JD-NON MEMBER

 2 Blk:JB & 1 Blue:JB-nm

 1 Steel:SB-D. Simpson

 POINTS: D. Simpson-6
- MAY 1 Plack Hills RBA at Rapid City, South Dakota ADRC #6078

 JUDGE: Weldon Wahl No. Dutch 9 No. Exh. 4

 BOB: BLK: SB-TIM GOLICH BOS: BLK: JD-PLATTE VALLEY RABBITRY

 5 Blk:SB-T. Golich, 2 Blue:SD-Platte Valley, 1 Choc:SB & 1 Tort:SD-nm

 POINTS: Platte Valley Rabbitry-44½, Tim Golich--21
- MAY1-2 Richland Co. RBA at Mansfield, Ohio

 JUDGE: Joe Frizzell

 No. Dutch 52

 No. Exh. 15

 BOB: BLUE SD-HAND 'N' HAND

 BOS: GRAY SB-BARTON'S BUNNIES

 17 Blk:SD-Butlers, 12 Blue:SD-Hands, 7 Choc:SB-Jacks, 7 Tort:JB-nm,

 2 Steel:SB-Mikes, 7 Gray:SB-Bartons

 POINTS: Hand 'N' Hand-120,

 Ed Chandler-96, Sherry Gunsett-87, Bartons-80, Mike's-79, Glen Morgan

 61, Butlers-42, Jack's-35, A. Valentine-24, J. Rutherford-17,

 D&J Barnhart-8
- MAY 1-2 Rabbit Prod. of Santa Clara Valley, Santa Clara, California ADRC #6076 JUDGES: Robert Herschbach & Robert Sprague No. Dutch 86 No. Exh. 13 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: SD-MIKE LOVEJOY 18 Blk:SB, 8 Steel JD & 16 Gray:SD-Mike Lovejoy, 20 Blues:JD & 14 Choc:SD-nms, 10 Tort: SB-Clipfort POINTS: Clipfort-540, M&J Lovejoy-418, T. Forsyth-12

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SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED
MAY 1-2 Great Falls RBA at Great Falls, Montana ADRC #6057
JUDGE: Gordon Fry No. Dutch 17 No. Exhibitors 7
BOB: CHOC SD-ELLIS HOUSEMAN BOS: BLK SB-D & S STRAIGHT
11 Blk:JD & 5 Choc:SD-E. Houseman 1 Blue:JD S&D Straight POINTS: S & D
Straight-72½. E. Houseman-47. V. Stevenson-23
                                                 ADRC #6067
MAY 2 - Cape Fear RBA at Raleigh. North Carolina
JUDGE: William Franklin Number Dutch 28 No. Exh. 8
BOB: STEEL SD-BUD KARRIKER BOS: GRAY SB - LEWIS HEATH
9 Blk:SB-nm, 9 Blue:JD-L. Edwards, 7 Choc:SD-J. Dean, 2 Steel:SD-Bud
Karriker, 1 Gray: SB-L. Heath POINTS: L. Edwards-93, Bud Karriker-70,
J. Dean-70, Lewis Heath-54
MAY 2 - Long Island RBA at Hempstead, New York ADRC #6175
JUDGE: Joseph Laura Number Dutch 9 No. Exh: 4
BOB: BLK: JD & BOS: TORT SB: NON MEMBERS, (All 4 Exhibitors-non members)
MAY 2 - Calumet RBA at Crown Point, Indiana
                                                    ADRC #398
JUDGE: Oren Reynolds Number Dutch 18 No. Exh. 6
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK JD-AL SEEMAN 9 Blk:SB-Al Seeman,
13 Blue: JD-nm, 1 Choc: SD-George Williams POINTS: Al Seeman-75,
W & A Lorenz-40, George Williams-20, Burger's Rabbitry-12
                                                    ADRC #6167<sup>th</sup>
MAY 2 Progressive RC at Kansas City, Kansas
                                 Number Dutch 17 No. Exh. 9
JUDGE: Ivan Miller
BOB: BLK JB & BOS: BLUE JD-NON MEMBER 10 Blk: JB & 4 Blue: JD-nm
1 Choc:SB & 2 Tort:SB-R. Sumner POINTS: Bob Evertson-36, Russ Hess-15,
R. Sumner-12, K. Williams-10
MAY 2 South Eastern RC at Union Grove, Wisconsin
                                                    ADRC #385
JUDGE: Fidelis Steinhoff

No. Dutch 16

No. Exh. 5

BOB: BLK SB-MRS. R. WILKE

BOS: TORT: JD- CHUCK STANELLE
7 Blk:SB-Wilke, 5 Blue:SD-Doubecks, 2 Tort:JD & 2 Gray:JB-Stanelle
POINTS: Mrs. R. Wilke-82, Chuck Stanelle-40, Doubeck's Rabbitry-15
MAY 2 Owatonna Area RC at Owatonna, Minnesota ADRC #6044
JUDGE: Darrell Bramhall No. Dutch 39 No. Exh 9
BOB: BLK SB-TED MERICKEL BOS: BLK JD-NON MEMBER
12 Blk:SB-Ted Merickel, 8 Blue:SB, 7 Choc:JD & 1 Gray:SD-R.Guetschow
11 Tort: JB-nm POINTS: Ted Merickel-114, Roger Guetschow-40,
J. Johannes-27, L. Erickson-21
MAY 2 - Oklahoma RBA at El Reno, Oklahoma ADRC #6060

JUDGE: Glen Carr No. Dutch 23 No. Exh. 8
BOB: TORT SD & BOS: BLK SB-HOWARD KING 10 Blk:SB & 11 Tort:SD-
H. King, 1 Blue: JB-A&J Baker, 1 Steel-Disq. POINTS: Hal King-1211,
Don & Nelle Brady-50, D. Showalter-36, A & J Baker-29
MAY 8 West Michigan RBA at Hudsonville, Michigan ADRC #418
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MAY 8 - Nevada RBA at Reno, Nevada ADRC #6056 JUDGE: R.Sprague NO. Dutch 19, No.Exh.5, BOB:BLK JB & BOS: BLK JD-GEORGE GOODWIN (CONT.)

2 Steel:SB-Weinhardts POINTS: Cooper's Hillcrest-156, Priestley's-932,

JUDGE: Darrell Bramhall No. Dutch 29 No. Exh. 10 BOB: BLK SB-COOPER'S HILLCREST BOS: BLK JD-PRIESTLEY'S 13 Blk:SB-Cooper's, 9 Blue:SD-P. Dyer, 3 Choc:SB & 2 Tort:SB-nms,

P. Dyer-44. Weinhardt's-44

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MAY 8 - NEVADA RBA CONTINUED - 14 Blk: JB-G. Goodwin, 1 Blue: JD-nm,
3 Choc: JB-D. Roper POINTS: George Goodwin-851, D. Roper-81
                                                      ADRC #6065
MAY 8 San Jacinto RBA at Baytown. Texas
                                                    No. Exh. 6
                                  No. Dutch 40
JUDGE: G. J. Leger
BOB: BLK SD-R. C. FARRILL
                               BOS: TORT SB-DON & NELLE BRADY
9 Blk:SD, 5 Blue:SD & 2 Steel:JB-Farrill, 8 Choc:JD-Mac's, 15 Tort:SB-
Brady, 1 Gray: Disq. POINTS: Don & Nelle Brady-217, R.C. Farrill-125,
B. Burke-60, Tim Kyle-53, Mac's Rabbitry-42
MAY 8 - South Mississippi RBA at Gulfport, Mississippi ADRC #6133
JUDGE: Ed Storev
                                  No. Dutch 24
                                                      No.
                                             8 Blk:JD & 11 Blue:JB-
BOB: BLUE JB & BOS: BLK JD-ANDREW WINGFIELD
A. Wingfield, 3 Choc:SB-nm, 2 Tort:SD-C&C Alexander POINTS: Andrew
Wingfield-99, C&C Alexander- 62, D&A Day-24, R. Constant-18,
S. Stockstill-18. Marie Mays-18
                                                      ADRC #6068
MAY 8 - Emerald Empire RBA at Eugene. Oregon
                                                      No. Exh. 11
JUDCE: O. W. Williams
                                  No. Dutch 15
BOB: BLK JD-SUSAN WORTMAN
                                  BOS: BLK SB-NON MEMBER
9 Blk:JD & 5 Choc:JD-Susan Wortman. 1 Blue-Disq. POINTS:Wortman-67
                                Victoria, British Columbia
MAY 8-9 Vancouver Island RBA at
                                                      No. Exh 8
ADRC #6170 JUDGE: Gordon Ash No. Dutch 18
BOB: BLUE JD-C. R. BATES
                                  BOS: STEEL SB-CHUCK CHINN
9 Blk:JB, 6 Blue:JD & 1 Choc:SD-Bates, 2 SteelSB-Chinn POINTS: C.R.
Bates-66, Chuck Chinn-15, Julis TLC Rabbitry-8
MAY 8-9 Bernalillo Co. RBA at Albuquerque. New Mexico ADRC #6018
                                  No. Dutch 74 No. Exh 15
JUDGE: Stan Pulliam
BOB: BLUE JB & BOS: STEEL JD-CARLTON'S RABBITRY 19 Blk: JB & 13 Tort:
SB-nms, 13 Blue: JB & 14 Choc: JB-Carlton's, 7 Steel: SB-John Norris,
10 Gray:not listed POINTS: Carlton's-439, Robert Berry-184, John
Norris-142, J. Milburn-68, J. Morris-34, R. Hauert-15, M. Hennessey-8
MAY 8-9 - Cumberland Co. RBA at Cumberland, Maine
                                                      ADRC #6144
JUDGE: Sam Rizzo
                                  No. Dutch 26
                                                    No. Exh. 3
BOB: BLK SB-KEVIN BOYLE BOS: BLK JD-WM. SCHAEFFER
12 Blk:SB-K. Boyle, 3 Blue:SB-nm. 3 Choc:SD & 8 Tort:SB-Wm.Schaeffer
POINTS: Wm. Schaeffer-230, Kevin Boyle-86
                                                      ADRC #425
MAY 9 - Lima Rabbit Club at Lima. Ohio
JUDGE: Carldon Gaddis
                                                      No. Exh. 23
                                  No. Dutch 76
BOB: BLK SB-ROY FOX
                                  BOS: BLUE SD-HAND 'N' HAND
26 Black:SB-Roy Fox, 14 Blue:SD-Hands, 14 Choc:SB & 13 Tort:SD-nms
2 Steel:SB - Mikes, 7 Gray: JB-Bartons POINTS: Roy Fox-326, Hands-116,
Mikes-72, Bartons-42, Jacks-40, Glenn Morgan-36, A. Butler-63,
Sherry Gunsett-32, A & W Morris-25, D.R. Burkholder-17, Helena
Burkholder-15, J. Godin-15, Dennis Holcomb-8
MAY 9 - Decatur Area RBA at Decatur, Illinois
                                                    ADRC #421
                                  No. Dutch 54
                                                      No. Exh. 13
JUDGE: Hank Zimmerman
BOB: BLK JD & BOS: BLK SB-AL SEEMAN 24 Blk: JD-Al Seeman, 19 Blue: JB-
Dale Bernhardt, 9 Choc: SB-E.L. Worthen, 1 Tort: JD-Imon Sikes, 1 Gray-
Disq. POINTS: Al Seeman-177, J.W. Miller-155, Dale Bernhardt-146,
Don Reid-137, Bob Kahler-61, Leo & Janice Archer-60, Burger's Rabbitry-
18, E.L. Worthen-18, El-Bee-R Rabbitry-8, Imon Sikes-6, J. Moore-5
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MAY 14-16 Ohio Valley RBA at Owensville, Ohio ADRC #6139
BEST IN SHOW BLUE SENIOR DOE - HAND 'N' HAND (Ed's Note: Our Thanks
to the Show Secretary Harold Baxter and Doreen for including this on
the Show Report. Also if you check your show reports I believe the
Hands have been winning Best of Breed and Best Opposite with this
Blue SD. Congratulations Elmer & Millie)
BOB: BLUE SD-HAND 'N' HAND

BOS: CHUU SB-HAND 'N Exh. 16

No. Dutch 66

No. Exh. 16
22 Blk:JB & 6 Tort:SD-nms, 7 Blue:SD & 9 Choc SB & 16 Gray:JD-Hands
5 Steel:SD-McNarys POINTS: Hand 'n' Hand-234, Harold Baxter-86,
Bartons Bunnies-79, McNary's-78, Happy Time Rabbitry-36, M/M Burkholder
36, A. Johnson-30, Helena Burkholder-29, Sleepy Hollow (Godin)-12
MAY 15 Coastal Bend RBA at Robstown, Texas ADRC #6165 JUDGE: Mike
Withrow, No. Dutch 4 No. Exh. 1, BOB: JB & BOS: SD TIM KYLE, 2 Bk: JD,
2 Choc:JD-Kyle POINTS: Tim Kyle-30
MAY 15 Arizona RF at Prescott, Arizona ADRC #6064
JUDGE: C. B. Groff
No. Dutch
49
No. Exh. 7
BOB: BLK JD-NON MEMBER
BOS: BLK SB-ERIC MURPHY
16 Blk: JD-nm, 16 Blue: SB-Conquistador, 9 Choc: SB, 4 Tort: JD, 2 Steel: SD
and 2 Gray: SB-Carlton's POINTS: Carlton's-331, Eric Murphy-1202
Conquistador Ranch-90
MAY 15 - North Texas RBA at Dallas, Texas ADRC #6055, JUDGE: CM Carroll
BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLUE JB - NON MEMBER # Dutch 13 # Exh 2 NMS
MAY 15 - South Plains RBA at Lubbock, Texas ADRC #6155
JUDGE: Clyde Fulkerson No. Dutch 80 No. Exh. 8
BOB: STEEL SB & BOS: STEEL SD-JOHN ARMES 14 Blk:JD & 14 Blue:SB-
M. Sutton, 16 Choc: JB & 17 Tort: SB-Bob Berry, 9 Steel: SB-John Armes,
10 Gray: JB-nm, POINTS: John Armes-341, Bob Berry-310, M. Sutton-156
G.H. Geaslin-147, J. Norris-94, K. Smith-64
MAY 15 - So. Maryland RBA at LaPlate, Maryland ADRC #6030
                            No. Dutch 92
                                                    No. Exh. 14
JUDGE: Jack Pugh
BOB: BLUE SD-E. D. SMITH BOS: BLK SB-ROGER EICH
29 Blk:JD-R&J Warehime, 10 Blue:SD, 20 Tort:SD & 10 Gray:SD-E.D.Smith,
19 Choc: JD-W. McNamara, 4 Steel: SB-D. Ranck POINTS: E. D. Smith-398,
Dixie Ranck-273, R & J Warehime-205, Roger Eich-211, Warren McNamara-
178, C. B. Kemper-66, Lewis Heath-30, D. Rawls-16, L. Smith-48
MAY 15-16 Springfield RBA at Springfield, Missouri
                                                   ADRC #6134
                                  No. Dutch 21 No. Exh. 5
JUDGE: Cecil Green
                                           13 Blk:SB & 4 Blue:SD-
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLUE SD-JACK GILMORE
Jack Gilmore, 2 Choc: JB, 1 Steel: JB & 1 Gray: SB-Gillispies
POINTS: Jack Gilmore-128, R. Hess-52, Gillispies of Paydown-48
MAY 15-16 - Lawrence Co. RBA at Lawrenceberg, Tennessee ADRC #6143
JUDGE: Don Burchfield No. Dutch 26 No. Exh. 10 BOB: BLUE JB-REBECCA WALKER BOS: BLUE SD-W. R. GRIFFITH
14 Blk:SB, 3 Choc:SB & 4 Tort:JD-Griffith, 4 Blue:JB-Walker, 1 Steel:
JB-D. Simpson POINTS: W.R. Griffith-106, Rebecca Walker-74, B. Tuck-
6, D. Simpson-6
MAY 16 Blue Grass RBA at Bagdad, Kentucky ADRC #6120 JUDGE: Harold
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Conrad, # Dutch 10, # Exh.2, BOB: BLK SB-MARTIN BLUNSCHI, BOS:BLK:SD-N

M, 5 Blk:SB, 5 Choc:JB-Blunschi POINTS: M. Blunschi-51

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ADRC #339
MAY 16 - Mahoning Valley R&CC at Alliance, Ohio
JUDGE: Lowell Trausch No. Dutch 22
                                                       No. Exh. 6
                                   BOS: BLUE JD-GLENN MORGAN
BOB: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER
9 Blk:SB & 9 Blue:JB-Ed Chandler, 3 Choc:JD-Jack's, 1 Gray-Elminated
POINTS: Ed Chandler-94. R&J Williamson-70. Glenn Morgan-67, Jack's-24
                                                      ADRC #6008
MAY 16 - Nebraska R&CBA at Omaha. Nebraska
                                  No. Dutch 50 No. Exh 17
JUDGE: Rodney Dannehl
BOB: TORT JB, BOS: BLK SD, 15 Blk:SD, 11 Blue:SB, 15 ChocSD & 9 Tort:
JB-non members POINTS: C. Shelton-32, B. Watts-28, L. Rybensky-26
S. Taylor-10
MAY 16 Interstate RF at Little Valley, New York ADRC #420
                                                        No. Exh. 19
JUDGE: Charles Huber No. Dutch 95 No. Ext
BOB: BLK SB-GEORGE & JEAN SCHILL BOS: BLUE JD-HOWARD FRENCH
31 Blk:SB-Schill, 20 Blue:JB-Stenson, 15 Choc:SD-Guile, 15 Tort:JB &
5 Steel:SB-Ranck, 9 Gray:SD-Klaben POINTS: George & Jean Schill-233 Howard French-2042, Janis Klaben-188, Dixie Ranck-181, Dave & Bonnie
Guile-111, John Stenson-94, Bruce Blass-87, Terry Forrest-60, Larry
Smith-54, Earl & Kay Hyatt-40, Rose Ann & Brenda Geller-36, Joe Bulger-
24. J. Richard Cooper-20. Don Smith-16
MAY 22 - So. Colorado RBA at Pueblo, Colorado ADRC #410
                                                        No. Exh. 11
                                    No. Dutch 41
JUDGE: Robert Berry
BOB: BLK JD-PLATTE VALLEY RABBITRY BOS: TORT JB-THUNDERBIRD RABBIT.
11 Blk: JD-Platte Valley, 6 Blue: SD, 11 Choc: JD, 12 Tort: JD & 1 Gray: SB
Sweet Success POINTS: Sweet Success-245, Platte Valley-83, R. Vertovec-
60, Thunderbird Rabbitry-582, J & D Myers-46, E & P Schultis-15
                                                      ADRC #6101
MAY 22 Castle Gap RC at Crane, Texas
No. Exh. 13
                                    BOS: TORT JD-G. H. GEASLIN
21 Blk:SB & 15 Choc:SB-Scott's, 22 Blue:SB, 3 Steel:SB & 6 Gray:SB-
John Norris, 18 Tort:SB-nm POINTS: Scott's-363, John Norris-150,
G.H. Geaslin-1432, Joel Norris-122, Carol Bulman-109, B. Simmons-106,
Don & Nelle Brady 67, T. Simmons-30
MAY 22 Suburban Twins RC at West St. Paul, Minnesota ADRC #6081
JUDGE: Don Reid No. Dutch 30 # Exh. 11
BOB: GRAY SB-ROGER GUETSCHOW BOS: BLK JD-TED MERICKEL
13 Blk:SB, 5 Blue:SB & 1 Gray:SB-R. Guetschow, 7 Choc:SB-D.Anderson
3 Tort:SB-D. Leibel POINTS: Roger Guetschow-102, Ted Merickel-84,
S. Groothausen-45, J. Johannas-24, Doug Anderson-24, L. Jobe-14,
A.E. Jacobson-8, L. Erickson-8, D. Leibel-6
MAY 22 Williams Co. RBA at Montpelier, Ohio ADRC #6015
         Phil Macy No. Dutch 12 No. Exh. 3
JUDGE:
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK SD-SHERRY GUNSETT 7 Blk:SB-S. Gunsett, 5
Tort:SD-nm, POINTS: Sherry Gunsett-70
                                                       ADRC #6132
MAY 22 Central Texas RBA at Austin, Texas
                                                      No. Exh 8
JUDGE: Mike Withrow No. Dutch 44
BOB: BLUE SD-R. C. FARRILL BOS: BLK JB-MAC'S RABBITRY
6 Blk:SD-Tim Kyle, 3 Blue:SD & 1 Steel:JD-Farrill, 9 Choc:JD & 3 Gray:
SB-Mac's, 22 Tort: SB-D&J Lorenz POINTS: D&J Lorenz-279, R.C.Farrill-
92, Mac's Rabbitry-88, Tim Kyle-30, J. Miller-9
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MAY 22 Eastern Wisconsin R&CBA at Sheboygan, Wisconsin ADRC #6105
                                 No. Dutch 8 No. Exh 1
JUDGE: Mary Kroening
BOB: BLK JB, BOS: BLK SD, 5 Blk: JB & 3 Blue: JB-Mrs. Robert Wilke
POINTS: Mrs. Robert Wilke48
MAY 22 - Saginaw Valley R&CBA at Saginaw, Michigan ADRC #6047
                                 No. Dutch 41 No. Exh 7
JUDGE: Harold Guthrie
BOB: BLK JB-NON MEMBER
                                 BOS: BLK SD-E. PRIESTLY
16 Blk: JB-nm, 12, Blue JD, 6 Choc: SD, & 7 Tort: JD-Tony Micallef
POINTS: Tony Micallef-205, Lynn Cooper-126, E. Priestley-752, D.Reid-
50. A. Ellis-8
                                                      ADRC #6026
MAY 23 - Trumbull Co. RBA at Canfield, Ohio
                                                    No. Exh 7
                                  No. Dutch 22
JUDGE: Joe Frizzell
BOB: CHOC SB & BOS: BLK SD-JACK'S BUNNIES 9 Blk:SD & 3 Choc:SB-Jacks
9 Blue: SD-Ed Chandler, 1 Tort: SB-Butler's POINTS: Ed Chandler-99,
Jack's Bunnies-63, Glenn Morgan-43, George & Jean Schill-36,
Butler's Rabbitry-18, R&J Williamson-13
                                                  ADRC #6153
No. Exh 6
MAY 23-Golden West RBA at Orange, California
                                  No. Dutch 43
JUDGE: Orlan Onkst
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK SD-JUNE & MIKE LOVEJOY 14 Blk:SB, 4 Choc:SB,
4 Steel:SD & 9 Gray:SD-Lovejoy, 6 Blue:SB & 6 Tort:SD-Clipfort
POINTS: June & Mike Lovejoy-339%, Clipfort-182, J.P. Allen-18
MAY 22 - Northwest RBA at Monroe, Washington

JUDGE: Dale Wilcox

No. Dutch 36

ADRC #6121

No. Exh 20
JUDGE: Dale Wilcox
BOB: BLK SD-NON MEMBER
                                  BOS: STEEL SB-CHUCK CHINN
9 Blk:SD & 12 Blue:SD-nms, 3 Choc: SD & 8 Tort:JB-Bates, 3 Steel:SE-
Chinn, 1 Gray: SD-McDaniel POINTS: C. R. Bates-94, D. McDaniel-45,
Chuck Chinn-24, J. Wichert-12,
MAY 29 Crawford Co. RC at Meadville, Pennsylvania
                                                     ADRC #6010
                                 No. Dutch 41
                                                      No. Exh 14
JUDGE: Wally Zahn
BOB: CHOC SB-JACK'S BUNNIES BOS: BLK SD- D&B RABBITRY
21 Blk:SD-D&B Rabbitry, 8 Blue:SB-Butler's, 7 Choc:SB-Jacks, 2 Tort:SB
& 3 Steel: JD-Ranck POINTS: Dixie Ranck-112, D&B Rabbitry-1052,
Jack's Bunnies 90 Ed Chandler-51, Glenn Morgan-48, Butler's Rabbitry-
36, D. Zeck-27, George & Jean Schill-18, Stumpf's Rabbitry-6
MAY 29 - Inland Empire RBA at Spokane, Washington

JUDGE: Doris Leibel

No. Dutch 16

No. Exh. 4
BOB: BLK SB - JIM KELLY BOS: BLK SD-NM 6 Blk: SB-Kelly, 3 Blue, 4 Choc
& 3 Tort: not listed POINTS: Jim Kelly-81, N. Barber-12
                                            ADRC #6005
MAY 29-30 - Huron Co. RB at Norwalk, Ohio
                                                      No. Exh 15
                              No. Dutch 63
JUDGE: Glen Carr
BOB: BLK JD-MIKE'S RABBITRY BOS: STEEL SB-ED MINUT
11 Blk:JD, 11 Choc:SB, 6 Tort:JB & 10 Gray:JB-Mike's, 17 Blue: .SB-
Promise, 8 Steel:SB-Minut POINTS: Mike's-215, Ed Minut-1462, Promise
Rabbitry-97, Larry Nixon-76, Barton's Bunnies-70, John Rutherford-40,
Ken & Chuck Ulrich-36, Phil Junis-24, Chris Junis-12, Al Emery-8
MAY 30 Erie RC at Meadville, Pennsylvania ADRC #6011 JUDGE: Merlin
Lamb # Dutch 42, # Exh.15, BOB: CHOC SB: JACK'S BOS: BLUE JD-GLENN
MORGAN 20 Blk:SB, Schill, 8 Blue:JD-Morgan, 7 Choc:SB-Jack's, 2 Tort:
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SB & 3 Steel: SB-Ranck, 2 Gray: JB-Willow Rabbitry POINTS: Jack's Bunnies-105, Dixie Ranck-100, D&B Rabbitry-71 (CONTINUED)

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MAY 30 ERIE RC CONTINUED - POINTS: George & Jean Schill-69, Glenn Morgan-63, Butler's Rabbitry-36, Ed Chandler-16, Willow Rabbitry 12, Stumpf's Rabbitry-6, D. Zeck-6

MAY 30 - Green Mountain RBA at Rutland, Vermont

JUDGE: Robert A. Noble

No. Dutch 55

No. Exh. 17

BOB: CHOC SD-WM SCHAEFFER

BOS: CHOC SB - T & A JONES

20 Blk:SB, 5 Blue:SD, 3 Steel:SD & 5 Gray:SD-D&B Mahan, 14 Choc:SD &

8 Tort:SB-Schaeffer POINTS: Wm. Schaeffer-255, D & B Mahan-98,

T & A Jones-74½, F. Jenks-66, D & E Wickham-38, E & K Hyatt-36,

J. Wearstler-10, S. Nixon-6

JUNE 5 - Rogue Valley RBA at Grants Pass, Oregon ADRC #6158

JUDGE: Walt Hawkins (28)- No. Dutch NUMBER EXHIBITORS 11

BOB: BLUE JB & BOS: BLUE JD-NON MEMBER 5 Blk:SB, 4 Blue:JB, 11 Choc:
JB, 1 Tort-elmin., 2 Gray:SB-ALL NON MEMBERS POINTS: NONE NON MEMBERS

JUNE 5 - Minnesota State RBA at St. Paul, Minnesota ADRC #6091

JUDGE: Darrell Bramhall No. Dutch 15 No. Exh. 5

BOB: BLK SB-TED MERICKEL BOS: CHOC SD-DOUG ANDERSON

9 Blk:SB - Merickel, 1 Blue:JB-Johannes, 4 Choc:SD-Anderson, 1 Tort:
JD-Jobe POINTS: Test Merickel-85, Shannah Grootenhausen-36, Doug
Anderson-193, Joy Johannes-12, Linda Jobe-12 (ALL MEMBERS)

JUNE 5-Essex Co. R&CBA at Topsfield, Massachusetts ADRC #6027

JUDGE: G. A. Burke No. Dutch 59 No. Exh. 7

BOB: BLK SB-DON & BARBARA MAHAN BOS: BLK SD-WM. SCHAEFFER

19 Blk:SB, 5 Blue:JB, 2 Steel:JD, 4 Gray:SD-Mahan, 22 Choc:SD &

7 Tort:SB- Schaeffer POINTS: Wm. Schaeffer-310%, Don & Barbara

Mahan-163, Mark Bean-152, Charles Jalbert-114, Lucille Blanchette-51

JUNE 5-White Pine RBA at Corunna, Michigan

JUDGE: John Weltervreden

No. Dutch 19

No. Exh 6

BOB: BLK JB-NON MEMBER

BOS: JD - WEINHARDT'S 7 Blk: JB & 2 Blue: JD

& 6 Choc: JD-nm, 3 Steel: SB & 1 Gray: JD-Weinhardts PTS. Weinhardts-49½

JUNE 5-6 - Lorain Co. R&CBA at Wellington, Ohio

JUDGE: Harold Guthrie

No. Dutch 60

No. Exh. 16

BOB: CHOC SB-JACK'S BUNNIES

BOS: BLK JD-MIKE'S RABBITRY

18 Blk:JD, 5 Tort:JB, 2 Gray:JB-Mike's, 19 Blue:SB-Promise Rabbitry

9 Choc:SB-Jack's, 7 Steel:SB-E. Minut POINTS: Mike's-155, Jack's

Bunnies-114, E. Minut-80, Larry Nixon-78, Promise-77, Leonhaus

Rabbitry-48, Al Emery-29, Butler's-20, J. Rutherford-8

JUNE 6 - Teays Valley RBA at Chillicothe, Ohio

JUDGE: Glen Carr

No. Dutch 42

No. Exh 11

BOB: BLK JB - HAND 'N' HAND

BOS: BLK SD-NON MEMBER

15 Blk: JB, 10 Blue SD & 5 Gray: JD-Hands, 11 Choc: SD-H. Burkholder

1 Steel-elminated POINTS: Hand 'n' Hand-167, D. Burkholder-118,

Harold Baxter-75, Helena Burkholder-28, Barton's Bunnies-28,

J. M. Godin-12, Country Sunshine Rabbitry-5

JUNE 6-Black River Co. RBA at Black River Falls, Wisconsin ADRC #386
JUDGE: Hank Zimmerman No. Dutch 23 No. Exh. 5 BOB: BLK SD- Mrs.
HERMAN OESTERICH, BOS: BLK SB-ROGER GUETSCHOW 16 Blk:SD-Oesterich,
1 Blue:SB, 1Choc:JB,3Tort:JD & 2 Gray:SB-Guetschow POINTS: Larry
Bengtson-167, Roger Guetschow-83½, Mrs. Herman Oesterich-66, Tom Vidal5

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JUNE 6-California State Dutch Club at Bakersfield, California
ADRC #6126 JUDGE: George Bayliss No. Dutch 49 No. Exh. 9
BOB: BLK JB-NON MEMBER BOS: BLK JD-ELMER PAQUETTE
29 Blk:JB & 4Choc:SB-nms, 7 Blue:SB-E.Paquette, 3 Tort:JB & 6 Gray:SB-
                                  BOS: BLK JD-ELMER PAQUETTE
F. Cremer-POINTS: Fred Cremer-254, E. Paquette-1632, JP Allen-84, Roper30
JUNE 6 Kanawha Co. Fair at Charleston, West Virginia ADRC #6066
                                                        No. Exh. 8
JUDGE: Milford Fisher
BOB: BLK SB-GEORGE CAMP
                                  No. Dutch 25
                                  BOS: GRAY SD-JOHN IMES
7 Blk:SB-G.Camp, 5 Blue:SB-K.Clark, 2 Choc:SB-nm, 11 Gray:SD-JC Imes
POINTS: JC Imes-1121, A.C. Camp-66, George Camp-55, K. Clark-42
JUNE 13 Granite State RCBA at New Boston, New Hampshire ADRC #6146
                                   No. Dutch 26 No. Exh 7
JUDGE: Robert Noble
BOB: BLK SB & BOS: STEEL JD-BARBARA & DON MAHAN 4 Blk:SB, 4Blue:SD,
3 Steel:JD & 3 Gray:SD-Mahan. 8 ChocSB & 4 Tort:JD-T&A Jones POINTS:
B & D Mahan-105. T&A Jones-64. S. Nixon-12, R. Sidman-12
JUNE 13-Santa Cruz Co. RA at Scotts Valley, California ADRC #6070
JUDGE: Wayne Sterner No. Dutch 24 NUMBER EXH 12
BOB: BLK SD, BOS: BLK JB, 10 Blk:SD, 3 Blue:SD, 1 ChocJD, 3 Tort:JD,
                                  No. Dutch 24 NUMBER EXH 13
6 Gray: JD-NON MEMBERS POINTS: ROSEMARY GRIMES - 8 (ONLY MEMBER)
                                                        ADRC #6131
JUNE 13-Coshocton Co. RBA at Coshocton, Ohio
                                                        No. Exh. 12
JUDGE: W.W. McConnell
                                  No. Dutch 52
                                  BOS: BLUE JB-ED CHANDLER
BOB: BLK SD-JACK'S BUNNIES
16 Blk:SD-Jack's, 13 Blue:SD & 3 Gray:JD-Hands, 4 Choc:JB, 13 Tort:JB
& 3 Steel: JB, Mike's POINTS: Ed Chandler-163, Mike's-113, Hand 'n'
Hand-92, Jean Schill-57, Leonhaus's-56, Jack's Bunnies-88, Glenn
Morgan-32, Butler's Rabbitry-29, Countryside Rabbitry-8
                                                        ADRC #6102
JUNE 19-Valley View RC at Allegan, Michigan
                                  No. Dutch 25
                                                        No. Exh. 4
JUDGE: Harold Guthrie
BOB: BLK SB-COOPER'S HILLCREST BOS: BLK JD-RINK'S RABBITRY
3 Blk:SB, 7 Blue:SB & 11 Tort:SB-Cooper's, 1 Choc:JD-Rink's,2 Steel:SB
1 Gray: JD-Weinhardt's PTS: Cooper's-86, Rink's-68, Weinhardt's-27
JUNE 19-Town & Country RC at Elk River, Minnesota
                                                        ADRC #6173
                                                        NO EXH 4
                                   No. Dutch 15
JUDGE: Larry Bengtson
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THIS SHOW'S NOT COING ON

The above is the caption to a picture that appeared in the Kankakee Daily Journal on July 21, 1976, the picture is a French Lop stretched out on the judging table while the judge is looking on. The article reads - "At least the judging won't continue until this 5 month-old French Lop rabbit wakes up. The judging in Salinas California was during National Rabbit Week. Official Walt Hawkins decided this limp-eared contestant needed a nap while he waited to be judged." Walt is a member of the ADRC. One little note - Hugh Bowers saw the picture and we were wondering - "How long you waited?" If I remember I will bring the article to the National.

Kathy

DOGS ATTACK A BREEDER

A pack of Dogs attack Nelle Brady, lucky for her Don was near to drive them off. This happened before the NDS and Nelle is doing fine, she says, "she is busier than a one armed paperhanger with the hives." Don has also been in the hospital but he is ok now.

MARYLAND TO MIAMI

I'm sorry we missed the last issue with an article, but after we left Marvland we went to Miami to visit that grandson and hadn't been there long until Don went to the Doctor and found out that he had a serious problem with his heart. Had to fly him home and he went into the hospital here. After eight days of tests and finding out nothing we hadn't known in Florida, they said his heart was fibulating, (beating three times as fast as it should.) They gave him the shock treatment - had to hit him three times. each time with more juice, and finally got his heart back into a normal rhythm. He was doing and the day before he was to come home they put a man in the room with him who had chills and fever. Shut the door, turned off the air conditioner and in general filled the room up with germs. He came home on Wednesday and on Friday came down with Chills, Fever and the whole bit. But he is up and around now and for the first time tried to do a little blacksmith work today.

We had a great time in Maryland, seeing all the people and renewing acquaintenances with those I had met last June. Sure do like those friendly people up there. Was pleased to win one class and Best Opposite Tort. I think some of the people might have felt I would be disappointed in not winning everything, but it is just the opposite. You know, when we started out in Torts, we decided to promote them and get people to raising Torts and bringing them out. I think this has happened. And they are not just any old Tort. They are raising good ones that can win. Each class in the Torts was won by a different breeder. So that sort of proves that quite a few people are working on them. I can't help but feel a sort of pride, for in going back and looking at the records five years ago, you didn't find as many people raising them. We have started now fellows. Keep up the good work in raising good Torts. I'd lots rather take a second place in a class of 20 than win in a class of 2.

We are beginning to roll on our 1977 ARBA show. We hope to have quite a bunch at York to put out the word. We are stuffing our hospitality wagon full and hope to bring some enthusiasm and good news with us.

The fellows in Maryland did a good job and we had a good time. The banquet was excellent and if you didn't go away full it was your own fault. Course I have to add a Texas note. That air-conditioned motel sure was nice in Texas. I'm just kidding, we did have a good time.

I know Don will try to get an article out as soon as he feels up to it.

Just want to tell some skeptics who were up at the convention. I did leave both the drums and rabbit in Miami and didn't get thrown out. Also a few words of wisdom I came across which makes us stop and think. "Be careful of the words you say, keep them soft and sweet, You never know from day to day which ones you'll have to eat." "If you come to the end of your rope, tie a **Knot** in the end & hang on." That's all for now.

Nelle Brady

BACK IN THE SADDLE

Just a little note to tell you I am doing better and back in the shop. Also so Kathy won't talk ugly about me for being one of those do nothing directors. (Ed's note: I have never said that about you Don) Nelle has gone to Miami to pick up our van, play with the grandson and fish.

As you may or may not know when my heart (some people said I didn't have one) cut out on me we had to fly home and since we were on our way home from the National Dutch Show we had to fly our rabbits home also. We had eighteen rabbits with us, right here I want to say something that goes along with what Ron Meyer the New Zealand Red Breeder said in Domestic rabbits, 18 rabbits from Miami to Houston cost us \$29.00. While waiting at the freight office for our rabbits to come over from the terminal we received word that we had a rabbit (one little Dutch Doe) at another freight office that had just arrived from Roger Guetschow in Madison, Wisconsin the charges were \$27.00.

A couple of weeks later Doris Liebel shipped three Lops to the Lorenzes from Saint Paul, Minnesota - \$17.00. We sent one red New Zealand buck back in the same carrying case on the same airline the charges were \$20.00.

I don't know about you folks but I think something is going to have to change or it is going to become prohibitive to ship.

In the old railroad days your rabbits took for ever to get to their destination however you could put a water can and a feed can in the box and they would care for them, and if they lost some, the payoff was good.

As soon as we got home we went to our favorite Mexican restaurant and filled up on Nachose, Enchiladas, etc, and I started to get better I think maybe I was to long in Maryland without any Jalapeno peppers I usually eat about a gallon a month. Not only are these peppers tasty but they keep you from havings worms. Clyde and Doris Jones can be found any Friday night at the best Mexican restaurant in Fort Worth and they both get around with lots of zip. Speaking of worms we are invaded by worm promoters down here they make "buy back" rabbit hucksters look like pikers. Watch out for them they maybe in your area next, seems like most of these came out of California.

Don Brady - Director ADRC

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RETROSPECT

Well, this writer finally found out that the A.D.R.C. membership is an active bunch of Doers (probably Libra). Since the article on possible proposed State Representatives hit the press about 3 weeks ago the mail has been heavy. In answer to your many questions: No, this writer is not taking names for candidates or representatives (CON)

RETROSPECT CONTINUED

If and when some method is worked out to help some distant members of our club feel closer thru a communication network of ambassadors, it will be voted on and fully worked out to benefit both you and the A.D.R.C.

Secondly those of you who think, rather than individual state representative, a plan of regional representatives would not be discounted. Some of you fail to realize that we are a democratic club and will turn the wheels when you vote on these proposals. The Officers and Directors as far as I am concerned, is not a clique looking for personal gain. As one director the cost to me, out of pocket, runs about \$300.00 to \$500.00 a year. Yes we are reimbursed in postage up to \$1.50 per year. This all came about when two letters were received asking what personal gain did I receive out of this. None, to the best of my knowledge, eventually the path leads to bankruptcy.

This writer Thanks all of you who did take the time to write. You are the core of our club and I solicit any ideas that will either reinforce our club's solidity or propagate the fellowship feeling amongst members and non-members.

You can't really beat the Dutch or his club.

Bill Geitzenauer Director ADRC

ED'S NOTE: OUR THANKS to Don & Nelle Brady and Bill Geitzenauer for their fine articles - - - too bad we don't have more Directors????? I know Nelle isn't a Director but she keeps Don on the Ball.

THIRTY YEARS

Enclosed please find check for \$5.00 for renewal of my membership to the Dutch Club. I have raised Dutch for over Thirty years and they sure are a lot of fun to raise. I like the Dutch Reporter and plan to try and write something for it sometime.

Wendall S. Vaile - Chester Vermont

Ed's note: See Wendall you didn't even realize you were writing something for the DR when you wrote that letter to Larry, now HOW ABOUT THAT ARTICLE FOR THE DUTCH REPORTER. Kathy

Folks we receive many nice compliments on the DR, but we really DO NEED YOU to keep this DR a going. So PLEASE try and write up something for YOUR Dutch Reporter and I will like you for the rest of your natural born days. Even if it is just a paragraph or two, this lets the rest of the country know what is happening in your part of the world.

TRY AND MAKE IT TO THE NATIONAL IN YORK

Dear Kahlers:

June 12, 1976

I've been reading my first issue of the Dutch Reporter and I really have enjoyed reading the DR. I have always loved rabbits even though I no longer raise any more rabbits as you see I now work at the "Saskatoon Council for Crippled Children and Adults". When I had my rabbits I raised Flemish Giants, Dutch and New Zealand Whites. I just noticed you both edit the DR, because my father use to be editor of the "Wolseley News", he passed away 4 years ago. I mainly enjoyed Chas. O. Lewis's write up on Chocolate Dutch. I've been thinking that if I get back to raising anymore of my own rabbits I'd be interested in Black, Blue and Chocolate Dutch and maybe later get into Flemish. On the 8th of July I'm off to the "Calgary Stampede" for my club's Rabbit show, with my wheelchair. I hope you can read my writing. (Ed's Note: Better than most) If possible could you please send me a few photos of your Grand Champion Stock for my photo album.

Paul N. Scriver
Ed's Note: I wrote back to answer a question and also to let Paul
know that we didn't have any pictures—— The Reason was simply that
we really don't have Grand Champion Stock. I did promise when we took
pictures to send some to Paul, that is if we can ever beat Al Seeman.
I received another letter from Paul stating that he would like to
start a Photo Album of Champion Rabbits of America and Canada. So if
you take a picture of that winning rabbit and would like to help
Paul, maybe you would send him a picture and then maybe if Paul makes
it to a NDS or Convention he would bring the Album with him, so we
could all enjoy looking through it. PAUL'S ADDRESS is —— Box #511,
Wolseley, Saskatchewan, Canada SOG 5HO. Thanks. Kathy

VERMONT ·

Iam writing a short note to say how much I enjoyed my first issue of the Dutch Reporter. Really liked the article about Chocolate Dutch. It answered a lot of my questions. Don't know if this will reach you in time but here is the report of the Dutch that were shown at our Spring Show held at the Rutland Fair Grounds, Rutland, Vermont, May 30, 1976. 55 Dutch and 15 Exhibitors - BOB - William Schaefer Chocolate Senior Doe and BOS: Theodore and Arlene Jones - Chocolate Senior Buck.

Arlene Jones

ILLINOIS

First, I would like to say that we have a great magazine and I would like to suggest an addition. I suggest that we have a question and answer column so people with problems, about their rabbits or suggestions could write in. Someone with a great knowledge of rabbits could answer them in the magazine. That way everyone might learn something and find out about a similar problem they may be having. (Ed's Note: This would be great the only thing is that it would have to be more than one person supplying the answers because I don't believe there is a person today or ever that has known all the answers. We could have people write in and then print their questions in hopes that someone would answer it for the next issue.)

I am not a Dutch showman, I would like to be, but can't because I only have one female black Dutch as a pet named Brandy. Unfortunately she's got a disqualifying mark on her leg. Dutch not only make good show rabbits but excellent pets.

MY PROBLEM - Lately sh'e been releasing her pellets droppings and she's been smashing them getting them all over her rump. I keep her and her cage as clean as possible but the droppings aren't going through the wire floor as usual, they seem to be softer too. What's wrong?

How about some more articles on Black Dutch instead of Chocolate.

NANCY POSTULKA & BRANDY 3004 Prairie, Brookfield, Illinois 60513

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Ed's Note: Can someone help Nancy????????

MINNESOTA

I haven't written any articles for the Reporter because I feel that Iam a new rabbit breeder and can't tell all you old timers much of anything new. This I can say though, any new breeder should buy good stock and unless they are large operators should stay very close to line breeding as outlined in the A.R.B.A. Rabbit Book. I have followed this in the four years I have had rabbits and have done exceptionally well. Last year at the National. I had best Chocolate Dutch and best Chocolate Dutch Senior. I have done very well in the local shows here in Minnesota too. The last show I had both BOB and BOS not bad for a back yard breeder who never has over 12 to 14 rabbits at one time.

Here is one item that might help some of our new breeders. The first year I lost half of a litter of six from interitist saving three through the efforts of a Vet. But the cost was very high. Early this spring I had one little doe who had a very bad case of Diarrhea and from all the appearances had interitis. This time I cured her by boiling whole milk and making her drink by taking all her water away from her. (CONTINUED)

MINNESOTA CONTINUED

In three days she was completely cured and today is a big pet of 5 months.

I enjoy most of the shows, but this year I haven't been too well so may have to pass up a few.

Doug Anderson

NOTES FROM A RAMBLING JUDGE

At a recent show, I routinely checked a Rabbit's ear for a coop number prior to placing the animal. Much to my surprise the number was outstandingly clear and easy to read. Mr. Mike Sainato, who had checked in the rabbits, had used a three digit numbered rubber stamp. Such a stamp can give a series of numbers from 000 to 999 or more if needed.

This ingenious idea saved each judge at the show considerable time, also very obviously made the work of the writers and carriers much easier.

If the exhibitor would remove the earlier show numbers from the rabbit's ear with a little alcohol prior to showing again, the new stamped number would be legible and of benefit to all.

Stamp pads and stamp may be purchased at any Stationary Store.

If each club sponsoring a show would consider the advantages that would accrue to each and everyone involved they would be eager to give this a try.

Bill Franklin - Virginia

"ALMOST DISQUALIFIED"

This is a term used by some judges which is absolutely ridiculous. We all know that the use of this term means the animal involved is invariably placed at the bottom of his class no matter how good the rabbit is over all.

Two areas where this happens frequently in Dutch are with the undercuts and stop marking sections. I have a black show buck which is a dandy all around except for one close-to-split stop. All his placings normally have either been at the top of his class or disqualifed. Both of these I can go along with as the judge examined him and made a decision on the stop either to fault it proportionately or to eliminate him from competition as disqualified. But this past weekend he was placed at the bottom of his class as "almost disqualified", in which case the judge gave 90 points to the stop region instead of the 10 our official standard allows. (CONTINUED)

ALMOST CONTINUED

I can't comprehend how anyone can use this term. A rabbit can't be almost disqualified, it has to be one or the other and judged fairly and proportionately according to standard. We have an excellent standard - - - let's use it!

Ed Chandler - Ohio

COMMENTS ON "SAM"

Congratulations on the excellent job you folks are doing as coeditors of the "Dutch Reporter". It is both informative and interesting reading - keep up the good work. I feel I must add my comments to the article on "Sam" in the May-June issue of the reporter, concerning color extending on the fore leg of the Dutch rabbit. I'm sure you realize that to say this is a "touchy subject" is an understatement.

As for my own view point and I'm sure there will be many people who will disagree with me. I feel very strongly about this and any other recognized disqualification of our fine Dutch rabbit. As far as I am concerned when the color extends below the first joint below the shoulder it is a disqualification, as so stated in the American Dutch Guide Book (not an elimination as stated in Georgia Wireman's article on Sam) and should be treated as such.

When I check my own rabbits for color on the fore leg, I do what the judge is not supposed to do. I pull the fore leg forward and there is no doubt in my mind as to whether or not the color extends. You can also hold the rabbit in the proper position and blow into the undercut (as you do when checking the undercut on the Gray Dutch) this will often show if the color is on the fore leg.

I believe that the rabbit should be judged in it's natural position and it is quite possible not to notice faults or disqualifications on the rabbit, but for an exhibitor to knowingly show a rabbit with a disqualification in hopes of fooling the judge - - well I think you are only fooling yourself. The Dutch Rabbit is probably, the hardest show rabbit to raise but a most rewarding breed when you get that really good one. However any rabbit with a disqualification has no business receiving a Grand Champion Leg.

Barbara L. Mahan - Massachusetts

Ed's Note: THANKS to all of these nice people for sending in their questions, hints or beliefs. We have heard from different parts of the States and Canada and I think that it is just great. Maybe we can hear from more of you next issue. Remember this is YOUR Dutch Reporter and YOU are what makes it into a magazine. THANKS again.

Kathy

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SHOW SECRETARIES - There are many reasons - I am going to try and list a few. First off how about an entry blank that states John Doe, no address. Or John Doe, 211 Green Street - Great How many Green Streets are there in America??????? Now for the rabbits - Dutch, Jr. Buck, we only have six colors of Dutch so that should be easy to figure out! Or Black Dutch Buck - Now there is where a Secretary has it real easy If she isn't right the first time you can bet she will get it right the second time around. Or Black Dutch Sr.? Or the S and J looking like Lord knows what and the poor secretary sitting there trying to figure it out. Now for the remark cards - in Illinois we have a top and bottom and I think one of the classic examples of not filling them in right is Black Dutch Sr. Doe BK1 on the top and Black Dutch Sr. Doe BK12 on the bottom. Imagine the writer's frustration when the judge calls it BK4 or something? Folks a complete Name, Address and Color, class and sex and ear number would be greatly appreciated by all Secretaries and writers.

SPECIALITY CLUB SECRETARIES - YOU the breeders or exhibitors want to have full credit for your winnings - Right! Well first off your name - IF YOU USE A RABBITRY NAME at one show - THEN for Heavens sake do it at the rest of the Shows. EXAMPLE of why a secretary will pull out their hair - BK Rabbitry at one show, next show Bob & Kathy Kahler, next show Bob Kahler, now does a secretary list the three names together or does he or she give each show separate points??????? I believe if just once a secretary would list them separately a person would soon decide and remember what they are showing under. Don't get me wrong I think Rabbitry names are great if used all the time.

Now, I stated elsewhere in the News we were visiting with Marilyn and Hugh Bowers, well they were keeping the points for the Silver Martens and Marilyn has told me that some Show Secretaries will not even answer her follow up letters when a show is late. Also, this I found very hard to believe, that they received one show report with the first five places filled in with the list of exhibitors in that class. Marilyn said she would not have caught it ordinarily but there was a conflict - the best black was a senior buck but the first place senior buck was under another name. Marilyn wrote the secretary and she answered that she didn't fill in the first five winnings only the exhibitors of that class. This was her first show - it would seem to me that if a local club appoints a show secretary - - they should go over some of these things with him or her, it can get confusing and I would think if a person is willing to try the least the rest of us could do is offer to help. Also Marilyn told me one time they received a show report with just the ear numbers - no names. SHOW SECRETARIES when filling out the speciality club reports - - EVERYTHING on that report should be filled out. EXHIBITORS if you don't receive credit check with your show secretary and then the speciality club secretary. REMEMBER - ALL SECRETARIES are just people like you and the rabbit business is a hobby - they should be given a lot of credit for even attempting to do this job. SO WE CAN MAKE THEIR JOB EASIER by doing our job RIGHT.

Kathy Kahler

THE DUTCH IN FRANCE

Fortunately through my employment my wife and myself were able to visit both England and France this past July for a vacation. After some language barriers a Mr. Dierroux was located outside of Paris. He had about 20 Black Dutch along with some English. His not speaking English and my lack of French beyond Monsieur, Madamoiselle, pardone and marcie was a sight to see. Through a series of finger and hand gestures a sort of communication was established. The Dutch type was not at all like ours but rather like it was 20 years ago. The animals were large probably close to 6 pounds in weight. They did have high backs but not rounded rumps like ours. The head was large but not rounded from nose to ears. Their stops were half and bred for that size. Another fascinating impression is that they average between 10 to 12 in a litter, where I believe ours is about 8. do have shows but are not plentiful. The exact amount did not register in his mind. They bring their animals to shows and are not allowed at the judging site but watch from perhaps 100 ft. away. He showed me a judging remark sheet and it was Greek to me but looked very complete more so than ours. Commercially produced feed was not in evidence but Alfalfa and grains were. The hutches were made of wood and wire, large by our standards, similiar to Flemish hutches.

Their chief outlet was for food as evidenced by the Paris sidewalk cages and refrigerated units. They have their meat both beef and pork etc. in open show cases similiar to our supermarkets but get this not in cellophane packages but open to the dust and flies of the street, their health board must be non-existant!

In any case it felt like a touch of home when looking at the Dutch in France and reminded me of my daily trek to the rabbitry in the backyard. You sure can't beat our Dutch.

Were afixing to git ready to have usn's a All Southern Grand Final right here in Knoxville, Tennessee. We'ens want youns to come & join us. Hit'll be held October 22,23 & 24 at the Tennessee A&I Fairgrounds.

We's got us one of them Superintendent feller's named of Jack Heath and a gal named Tommye Simpson whos agonna Secretary the whole thing.

We's gonna have jedges and everythang. They's gonna be Duane Shrader from plumb across that big old Mississippi River in Lincoln, Nebraska; Ray Bradway from somewhar's called Sharpsville, Indiana and Billy Dodge from Carmi, Illinois and he's agonna jedge them thar furry little critters called cavies or as weuns knowem-guinea pigs.

They's a bunch of them thar little put together sleeping rooms available, but thars gonna be one of them games they call football played here on Sataday so youns better git one of them reservations made early cause wen's want youn's to stay awile and visit with us. Sataday nite we gonna have a whing-ding like you ain't seen before. The vittles and trophies are gonna be aflowing. Hit's gonna be at the Juality Inn Motel where them big roads meet called I-75 & I-40. (CONT.)

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For you big folks it'll be 4.50 and fer the chillins it'll be \$2.50 Now hit's gonna be one of them Buffettes so you's can eat all you want too.

Now, youns be sure and git together and come see us. If's they's anything you don't savy in this here letter youns be fer writing us a note and we'll writ you one back. Thank you kindly----We are Smoky Mountain RBA, Tommye Simpson, Sec'y., 229 Hillcrest Drive Knoxville, Tennessee 37918

NATIONAL CONVENTION

YORK, PENNSYLVANIA - OCTOBER 4-7, 1976. Send your reservations to Yorktowne Motor Inn, 48 East Market Street, York, Pennsylvania 17405 (Convention Headquarters). Rates are \$18.00 for one person and \$24.00 for two people.

Hook ups on the fairgrounds adjacent to Memorial Hall, will be available for those planning to come by travel trailers or campers.

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Please send your request for a show catalog along with \$1.00 (refundable on entry) to MR. ARTHUR MILLER, 120 HIGH STREET, WEST MILTON, PENNSYLVANIA 17886.

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- 1. Convention Headquarters: Yorktowne Motor Inn (address above)
- 2. Make your hotel reservations as soon as possible.
- 3. Do not forget your ARBA membership card.
- 4. Get your name on the mailing list for a catalog.
- 5. Show secretary: MRS. CINDY RAY, 19926 FREDERICK ROAD, GERMANTOWN, MARYLAND 20767.
- 6. Entries close SEPTEMBER 11, 1976.
- 7. Return your tour reservations to the show secretary by Sept. 11th.
- 8. Please visit with us on October 4 thru October 7, 1976.

Should you need any help or more information please do not hesitate in contacting me: Rudolph Hershey, Publicity Chairman, 4340 School House Road, Dover, Pennsylvania 17315 or phone: 717-292-3414.

ADRC BALLOTS - The ballots will be in the mail soon, you have probably been thinking about whom you will vote for BUT HAVE YOU GONE OVER THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS??????? If not please re-read them (May-June Issue of DR) and hopefully you will agree with our Constitution Committee and our Officers and Directors that these changes can only help the ADRC. Folks, remember this is YOUR club and it will take all of us - - to keep it the BEST SPECIALITY CLUB. I noticed in the NZ news letter that they are just now getting around to changing their voting procedure to vote for their National Convention judges one year in advance. It was stated they hope other speciality clubs would take up this Good idea. I don't know how long the Dutch Club has been doing this - - - so you see we can rightfully say we ARE THE BEST. Our Officers & Directors really do plan ahead and have the good of the club at heart. SO PLEASE - - we hope - you will agree with them on the CONSITUTION CHANGES.

1977 NATIONAL ALL DUTCH SHOW

We, the members of the KANSAS STATE DUTCH RABBIT CLUB want to extend an invitation to each & everyone of you to attend the 1977 NATIONAL ALL DUTCH SHOW. Plans are being made to make this an enjoyable and efficient run show for your pleasure.

The date for the '77 show is APRIL 23 and 24. It will be held at the KANSAS STATE FAIRGROUNDS in HUTCHINSON, KANSAS. As time approaches for the show I will go into more detail of the excellent facilities we have available to conduct the show.

The members of the Kansas State Dutch Club who will be serving in the various capacities are: SUPERINTENDENT-ROBERT ERNST, SECRETARY-BARBARA ADDISON, PUBLICITY-LES JOHNSON and CONALL ADDISON, BANQUET-MARY FAST, CATALOG-CONALL ADDISON, SHIPPING-ELLSWORTH TIBBETTS MOTEL RESERVATIONS-MARY FAST and SHOW CHAIRMAN-CONALL ADDISON.

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Conall E. Addison - Show Chairman

LET'S QUIT FOOLING OURSELVES

I am referring in this particular instance to the number of breeders who are helping place a Seal of Sanction on extreme numbers of white hairs in the colored sections of our Dutch by keeping animals of this sort in the breeding pens and by showing them. Possibly, nearly all of us have been guilty of this at some time or another, and for that reason it might be wise for all of us to stop and evaluate our breeding program.

First of all, I want to say that this article is not directed at the animals with a very few occasional white hairs. Nor is it directed at the animals with a small spot, for although we must disqualify them on the show table, we all know that any Dutch can have an occasional spot caused by an injury. This is especially so in seniors and even more so in senior does that have pulled hair in making nests for young. The animals we have in mind are those that have a heavy sprinkling of white hairs throughtout the colored portion - animals that have a very great number of white hairs showing in the belly color (CONTINUED)

FOOLING CONTINUED

animals that show an extreme number of white hairs throughout the undercolor and show a lot of white hairs and frostiness in the ears.

We have asked breeders at shows where several of these poorly colored animals have been disqualified, why they were being shown. The most-heard reply was that the judges weren't paying too much attention to the white hairs, so they were showing them anyway. If this is so, then our Dutch Club has fallen down to a great extent, for it is up to us to see that our rabbits are judged according to the ARBA Standard for our breed.

We have heard a few breeders attempt to uphold their own particular rabbitry failures with contradictory statements such as these: "Stray white hairs can't hurt you so long as they aren't grouped into spots." and "Spots are unimportant, as they are always caused by injuries and won't transmit in the breeding; it's only stray white hairs that you have to watch." You can easily see the weakness in both of these arguments and realize that these breeders are only whistling in the dark in an attempt to fool themselves.

Our Standard is very explicit and there is definitely no place in it that a breeder could use that would excuse keeping these poorly colored Dutch in our breeding pens. The words "free from white hairs in the colored sections" are found in six places in the color Standard and in the color disqualifications it states, "Disqualify for white spot or spots in colored section and disqualify for extreme amount of scattered white hairs in colored sections." What could be more definite than this?

Many breeders have kept a poorly colored animal because it had a particular asset that they wanted to introduce in their herd. But, it must be remembered that to do this is also introducing the white hairs into your breeding program. It has been proven that a fault is much easier to transmit than a good point. The fault is also much harder to breed out than it was to introduce. Consider every possibility very carefully before you take such a drastic step. It may save you a lot of disappointment and butchering at a later date.

There has been a definite improvement in the general quality of the type in our Dutch in the past few years, and we must all do everything within our capabilities to bring about the same improvement in our color.

Let's quit fooling ourselves and call a spade a spade and an extreme amount of white hairs a disqualification.

Don Gurthrie

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Our Thanks to Jeanne Zimmerman of Illinois for sending us this copy
of Small Stock. Jeanne is not a Dutch Breeder but a good friend.
Would like to say something about the DR, you think it is good, well
you should read the NZ Newsletter, Silver Marten New, Champagne News,
American Chin News and the Palomino Bulletins-They are very good.

EDITORS! COMVENTS

Well since the last issue of the DR things have been quite busy around here. I built a new rabbit house and have the rabbits moved in. Have had real good luck all spring and summer with most does having good sized litters and have some nice young prospects for the fall shows.

It had been real dry here up until a couple of weeks ago, but now we have had several heavy rains and have some moisture in the ground again.

I would like to invite any of you Dutch breeders who might be interested to come and show with us at the Illinois State Convention, held at the Illinois State Fairgrounds in Springfield, Illinois on the 24th, 25th and 26th of September. We have \$133.00 up on Dutch Specials plus 50% payback in class money. The rabbits must be in by Saturday morning and usually the judging is completed by noon on Sunday. Last year we had 178 Dutch entered. If anyone would like a catalog, send your request to us. We will be printing the show catalog right after we put this DR in the mail.

I have read the articles in past 2 DR's on almost disqualified Dutch with much interest. We have been showing rabbits for quite a few years now and if you raise a fancy rabbit it sometimes gets disgusting, when you try to breed to the Standard for your breed and then have them judged NOT BY THE STANDARD, but a JUDGES PERSONAL LIKES OR DISLIKES. I am sure this has happened to all of you who show. I guess it's just part of the game. I think when I find the time I will write an article on our Dutch Judging, perhaps it will make some judges go back to their book of Standards.

BOB is finished and so here I go again. First of all I have just learned that Larry & Doreen Bengtson have a NEW (not baby) PHONE NUMBER - - - it is - - 507-864-2103. Next issue if I remember I will change his number on the J&R page, but I just thought if you want to call and "cuss" them out, I would give you their new number.

THANKS to everyone for getting their articles in BEFORE THE DEADLINE. We did have a couple but they weren't too long and I did have the room. We sure appreciate it - - it helps to know just how much we have to type. You people are just great about sending in these articles PLEASE keep them coming. We will be printing the next issue between the Illinois State Convention and the National so it should go in the mail about the same day as we will be leaving for YORK. ALSO THANKS to all of you who take out ADS - - PLEASE CHECK and see if your ad is due - - if so PLEASE renew - - - we NEED that money.

Bob has stated he has been busy - - well the rest of us have - - if you consider going swimming everyday Busy?????? Sometimes I wonder why Bob doesn't ask to be liberated - - he comes home dirty sweating and hot - - while we are cool and comfortable. Hope you all enjoy the rest of the summer and see you in YORK. Bob & Kathy

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