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The Dutch Reporter



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American Dutch Rabbit Club



MAY-JUNE, 1976

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well we have another National Dutch show over and it sure was a good one with a lot of nice Dutch there. Roger Eich and Tom Shufflebotham won top honors with two very nice Dutch. There sure were some good classes which gave our judges a good work out. Thanks Glen and Bill for a good job well done. We had nice weather driving there but had stormy weather coming home but made it safe and sound.

I hope you read your reporter good because we have some proposed constitution and by-laws changes for you to think about and then this fall election you will have to make a vote on them. Read the changes and then think about them and what they can or will do for your Dutch club.

Also in this writing I want to Thank each and everyone who made the Electric Clock Plaque presentation to me. Sure was a surprise to me and MANY THANKS AGAIN.

Mike Stinehelfer

FELLOW DUTCH CLUB MEMBERS

HAVING RETIRED AFTER SERVING SEVEN (7) YEARS AS PRESIDENT OF THE PROGRESSIVE MICHIGAN STATE RABBIT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

I NOW AM A CANDIDATE FOR - - - A. R. B. A. DIRECTOR.

I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT.

I BELIEVE I AM ABLE TO DO A GOOD JOB AFTER HAVING RAISED RABBITS SINCE THE AGE OF TEN (10)

AND

HAVING HAD TEN (10) YEARS OF EXECUTIVE POSITIONS.

THANK YOU
LYNN M. COOPER

Paid Political ad

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW - 76

Friends old and new gathered again. It was a nice show with good competition. Maybe a few things were not up to par but we got by.

I think the most important thing forgotten was at the banquet or meeting, we did not THANK GLEN CARR for his fine job of judging, posing and gentle handling of our rabbits. This is something all breeders notice so why not give credit where credit is due?

THANK YOU GLEN

Jack Wireman of Jack's Bunnies

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW

APRIL 23-25, 1976

W. FRIENDSHIP, MARYLAND

JUDGES: GLENN CARR WILLIAM THOMPSON # DUTCH 329

BEST OF BREED - - - - - BLUE SENIOR DOE - - - - - ROGER EICH, IOWA

BEST OPPOSITE SEX - - BLACK SENIOR BUCK - - TOM SHUFFLEBOTHAM-INDIANA

Best Junior - Black Doe-Mickey Watters - - Tennessee

Best Senior - Blue Doe - Roger Eich

Best Display - - Roger Eich Best Fur - - - Roger Eich

Winner of Seller's Class- - - William Geitzenauer -New Jersey

BLACKS 94 BV-Tom Shufflebotham BOV-Mickey Watters

Best Sr. Tom Shufflebotham Best Jr. Mickey Watters Display-R. Eich

SR. BUCKS (21)	SR. DOES (37)	JR. BUCKS (16)	JR. DOES (20)
1. T.Shufflebotham	Roger Eich	E.D. Smith	M.Watters
2. Roger Eich	Happy Time Rabb.	R&J Warehime	Roger Eich
3. Mickey Watters	Butler's Rabb.	Mickey Watters	E. D. Smith
4. Henry Smith	Roger Eich	Roger Eich	Dixie Ranck
5. Wm. Geitzenauer	Carl Decker	Happy Time	Roger Eich

BLUES (62) BV-R.Eich BOV-Roger Guetschow

Best Sr. Roger Eich (Doe) Best Jr. E.D. Smith (Doe)

Best Display - E. D. Smith

SR. BUCKS (15)	SR. DOES (13)	JR. BUCKS (14)	JR. DOES (20)
1.Roger Guetschow	Roger Eich	L. Thompson	E.D. Smith
2.Mickey Watters	E.D. Smith	Aaron Martin	Carl Decker
3. Glenn Morgan	Hand 'n' Hand	E.D. Smith	Happy Time
4. Aaron Martin	R. Guetschow	Roger Eich	Carl Decker
5. Cooper's Hillcrest	Mickey Watters	Roger Eich	L. Thompson

CHOCOLATES (53) BV Sr. Buck-Jack's Bunnies BOV J.Doe-W. McNamara

Best Sr.-Jack's Best Jr.-Warren McNamara Best Display-M.Watters

SR. BUCKS (14)	SR. DOES (15)	JR. BUCKS (11)	JR. DOES (13)
1.Jack's Bunnies	Mickey Watters	Mickey Watters	W.McNamara
2. Mickey Watters	Douglas Anderson	W. McNamara	Jack's
3. Dixie Ranck	Mickey Watters	Wm. Geitzenauer	R. Guetschow
4. Doug Anderson	Doug Anderson	Dixie Ranck	Henry Smith
5. Aaron Martin	Cooper's	Henry Smith	Dixie Ranck

TORTOISE (72) BV SR.DOE-E.D. Smith BOV-Jr.Buck-Don & Nelle Brady

Best Sr. E.D. Smith Best Jr. D&N Brady Best Display - D&N Brady

SR. BUCKS (16)	SR. DOES (16)	JR. BUCKS (23)	JR. DOES (17)
1. Stephen Rinebold	E.D. Smith	D & N Brady	Roger Eich
2. E. D. Smith	D & N Brady	R. Guetschow	D & N Brady
3. Don & Nelle Brady	Dixie Ranck	D & N Brady	Aaron Martin
4. Roger Eich	R. Guetschow	Dixie Ranck	E. D. Smith
5. D & N Brady	D & N Brady	D & N Brady	E. D. Smith

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NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW CONTINUED

STEELS (17)	BV Sr.Doe-Henry Smith	BOV Sr. Buck-Mike's	Rabbitry
Best Sr. -	Henry Smith	Best Jr. Henry Smith	Best Display-McNary
SR. BUCKS (4)	SR. DOES (6)	JR. BUCKS (1)	JR. DOES (6)
1. Mike's Rabbitry	Henry Smith	Norman McNary	Henry Smith
2. Dixie Ranck	W. McNamara		Norman McNary
3. Norman McNary	Norman McNary		W. McNamara
4. Disqualified	Norman McNary		Aaron Martin
5.	Disqualified		Dixie Ranck

GRAYS (29)	BV-Sr.Buck-Henry Smith	BOV-Jr.Doe-E.D. Smith	
Best Sr.Henry Smith	Best Jr. E.D.Smith	Best Display-E.D. Smith	
SR BUCKS (7)	SR. DOES (8)	JR. BUCKS (9)	JR. DOES (5)
1. Henry Smith	E. D. Smith	E. D. Smith	E. D. Smith
2. Lewis Heath	E. D. Smith	Norman McNary	Weinhardt's
3. Norman McNary	Weinhardt's	W. McNamara	L. Thompson
4. Dan Rohrer Jr.	L. Thompson	Mike's	R & J Warehime
5. Weinhardt's	Noman McNary	W. McNamara	Disqualified

33 EXHIBITORS from - Ohio, New Jersey, Michigan, Wisconsin, Penn., Texas, New York, Minnesota, Virginia, Indiana, Tennessee, Maryland, Delaware, Washington, Iowa

POINTS: Roger Eich-1095, E. D. Smith-745, Mickey Watters-561, Don & Nelle Brady-442, Tom Shufflebotham-290½, Roger Guetschow-279, Dixie Ranck-233, Happy Time Rabbitry-224, Warren McNamara-200, Henry Smith-193, Aaron Martin-163, Carl Decker-157, Norman McNary-137, Jack's Bunnies-136, Lawrence Thompson-135, Butler's Rabbitry-111, Stephen Rinebold-96, Doug Anderson-88, Wm. Geitzenauer-54, Weinhardt's Rabbitry-51, Glenn Morgan-45, Mike's Rabbitry-42, Hand 'n' Hand-39, Cooper's Hillcrest Rabbitry-30, Lewis Heath-28, Daniel Rohrer Jr.-14, Ralph & Jeanette Wareheim-10

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW - YOUTH DIVISION

38 Dutch JUDGE: William Franklin
 BOB: BLACK SR. BUCK - RICK & JOHN WILLIAMSON - OHIO
 BEST OPP. CHOC JR. DOE - LAUREN HEID - NEW JERSEY

It seems the people from Ohio are pretty proud of Rick & John, that was the first thing I heard when Bob & I got to the show, in Ohio, Rick & John are Dutch Club members who show in open and youth both. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS.

SELLERS CLASS

1. Bill Geitzenauer	Chocolate Jr. Buck	sold for	\$22.00
2. Don & Nelle Brady	Tortoise Jr. Buck	(2nd & 3rd	
3. Don & Nelle Brady	Tortoise Jr. Doe	places sold as a	
		pair for	\$76.00
4. Howard Pierce	Black Jr. Buck		9.00
5. Howard Pierce	Black Jr. Doe		12.00
6. Roger Guetschow	Tortoise Jr. Buck		10.00
The Tort Jr. Buck was re-donated by Bradys and brought			
\$11.85 in mexican auction			<u>11.85</u>

Total \$140.85

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW - 1976

It was my pleasure to attend the recent national dutch show held at Ellicott City, Maryland, thanks to an invitation from Larry Bengtson and Roger Guetschow to travel with them to the show. So on Thursday, April 23rd after work, I drove up to Lewiston, Minnesota and picked up Larry and we headed for Madison, Wisconsin to meet Roger. Upon arriving at Roger's home we found him ready and waiting with his Van & anxious to get started. After loading up the rabbits & transferring our things to the Van we were off for Milwaukee where we would pick up Anna & Walter Cook. Arriving in Milwaukee, Anna & Walt were ready to join us for the trip. After a brief pause to stretch the legs and to look at Walt's rabbitry & some of his Dutch, we were loaded up & again on our way. Larry, Roger & I took turns driving, so it was not too much of a chore. Friday was a beautiful day for traveling and we passed through some very scenic country in Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. The white dogwood and redbud trees were in full bloom and were especially beautiful along the way.

Upon arriving at the fairgrounds we were greeted by Larry Thompson, Warren McNamara and their show gang who were busy checking in & cooping rabbits as they arrived. We spent several hours visiting and finally left for the motel to get checked in and to get a bite of supper. Returning to the motel we found Tom Shufflebotham and his wife & Fred Veen, had a nice visit with them before retiring for the night.

Next morning we were all up bright and early, after a good breakfast we were off to the showroom again. Arriving at the fairgrounds we found the judging already under way. The Judges, Glen Carr & William Thompson really had their work cut out for them with around 380 fine Dutch to look at. Later in the day after the final specials had been picked, two of our veteran showmen came off with the top honors. Roger Eich from Iowa won the coveted Best of Breed award on a very nice Blue senior doe and Tom Shufflebotham won Best Opposite Sex with his Black senior buck.

That evening we enjoyed a delicious family style dinner at the banquet which was held in the basement of a church which was near the show site. The banquet was very well attended and after dinner the trophies and awards were presented to the winners, and then President Mike presided at the membership meeting. After the banquet most of us retired to the headquarters motel where we spent the rest of the evening visiting and socializing with the other Dutch fanciers. Needless to say this went on till the wee hours and there was not much sleep that night.

Next morning being a bit slow getting started we arrived at the fairgrounds and most of the animals and exhibitors were already checked out and the clean up crew was starting to tear down the show. We loaded up our rabbits and after saying our good-byes, again hit the road. Glen Carr had invited us to stop by his place in Columbus on the return trip, so we accepted and were treated to a look at some real classy Checkered Giants in his hutches. Of course he had to take a bit of ribbing, because they were not Dutch, but the Checker guys better watch out for Glen as it looks like he will be very competitive with his Checkeres. The visit with Glen and his family served to break up the trip nicely for us (CONTINUED)

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW CONTINUED

and we were ready again for the road. We arrived back in Milwaukee early Monday morning just in time for some breakfast. We then dropped off Anna & Walt and headed for Madison and Roger's home. We arrived at Roger's just in time to enjoy a delicious hot coffee cake his wife had just baked. After resting a bit and looking over Roger's Dutch we headed for Lewiston and Larry's home. After some more visiting and looking over all Larry's Dutch, I finally headed for Mason City. It took several days and nights to catch up on sleep and get back to normal again, but the trip was well worth it. We all had a ball and are already making plans for the trip to HUTCHINSON, KANSAS next Spring.

Darrell Bramhall

Ed's Note: Thanks to Darrell for this article. Darrell had enclosed a letter and sorry to say he lost some of his Dutch to Dogs! Seems Darrell had some outside cages and the dogs got at them. So it looks like he will have to build a fence around the cages. I know that Dogs are quite a problem because we hear of it so often. Don & Muriel Reid have been having a lot of trouble with them. You would think that if a person wanted an animal they would take care of it by keeping the Dog in their own backyard. It would sure make it a lot more pleasant for us rabbit raisers.

A CHALLENGE TO ALL STATE DUTCH SPECIALTY CLUB

CAN YOU BREAK OUR RECORD???????

For the last seven National Dutch Shows our officers and directors of the Ohio State Dutch Rabbit Club can claim 85% attendance and/or exhibition at four shows and 100% at three.

Millie Hand, Secretary O.S.D.R.C.

THE BUCKEYE STATE IN '78

Bob & I didn't go to the NDS, don't ask me why, ask Bob, because I really haven't quite figured out why. In a way though I am glad we didn't go because that Saturday, Ron Stevenson of Montana, decided to visit with us. Ron had been sent to Illinois for some schooling and he got in some visiting on the side. Of course he picked about the worse time, because Kathy had just washed and set her hair and I was in the process of getting rid of the gray, so Bob eventually got to the door. It was fun, talking to Ron and he even invited us to visit with them in Montana (just might take him up on that). He also got to visit with John Nelson of Crete, Ill., and from the nice letter we got from Vicki, Ron was made to feel right at home, in Crete. Thanks for the nice letter Vicki, maybe next time you can come with Ron. One Question for Ron - - - How did you like our "Million Dollar Highway"? It is really a cow pasture. Kathy

PROPOSED CHANGED TO CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS

CONSTITUTION:

- Article I Add word "Incorporated" at the end of name. Board Apprvd
- Article V Delete complete article and replace with:
- Section 1 The elective officers of this association shall be a President, Vice-President, and six directors, who shall be elected for a two year term by and from the membership. The President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer and the six Directors shall constitute the Board of Directors. Each of the eight elected members of the Board of Directors must reside in a different state. Any member to be eligible for any office must be an owner and breeder of Dutch rabbits. Necessary change due to appointment of Secretary-Treasurer Board Approved
- Article V Delete complete article and replace with
- Section 2 The Sec'y-Treas. shall be appointed by (2/3) two-thirds majority vote of the Board of Directors, to serve a minimum term of three years. The Sec'y-Treas. may be reappointed by the Board of Directors, who may also remove him/her from office, for cause, by 2/3 majority, during any term of office. Provisions for appointment instead of election of Secretary Treasurer
- The term of office shall begin on January 1st. (this article to take effect upon the expiration of the current elective term of office of the Sec'y-Treas. Board Approved
- Article V Delete and replace with:
- Section 3 The President and three directors shall be elected biennially on the numerically odd years for a term of two years. (To take effect upon the expiration of the current elective term of office of the President and Vice-President). Broad apprvd Changes due to appointment of Sec'y Treas. instead of election
- Article VI Voting Procedure - Section 1 Board Apprvd
- A single nomination ballot with a return envelope addressed to the Chairman of the election committee shall be furnished to each member in good standing, by the Sec'y-Treas., on or about April 1st of each year. Ballots shall be returned in a double envelop with the members' names or numbers on the outer envelope. The outer envelope shall be removed and destroyed before the inner ballot envelopes are opened. No name, number or identifying mark shall appear on the inner envelop. The Chairman of the election committee shall receive these ballots until May 15th, at which time the polls shall be closed. He shall then assemble the committee, open the envelopes, count the ballots and certify the results to the President, the secretary-treasurer and the editor of the Dutch Reporter by May 20th. Dates changed to reflect publication dates of the Dutch Reporter. To provide timely election information & results of elections.

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PROPOSED CHANGES CONTINUED

Section 2

(insert word "or" between President, Vice-President, in two & three, and delete "and Secretary-Treasurer" in the second sentence and "or Secretary-Treasurer" in the third sentence). (Change the last two sentences to read:)

Board Approved
Due to appointment of Sec'y-Treasurer

A single final ballot with a return envelope addressed to the Chairman of the Election Committee shall be furnished to each member in good standing on or about August 1st, by the Secretary-Treasurer. The chairman of the election committee shall receive these ballots until September 15th, at which time the polls shall be closed and the results shall be certified to the President, the Secretary-Treasurer and the Editor of the Dutch Reporter by September 20th.

Board Approved

Section 3 No Change

Section 4: Delete words, "or Secretary-Treasurer" Change date from October 20 to Sept. 20.

Board Approved

Change Article VI to Article VII
Change Article VII to Article VIII
Change Article VIII to Article IX

Article III

Section 2 Change by inserting after DNS fund, "up to a maximum of 400.00 with any excess reverting to the general fund."

BY-LAWS: Delete Sentence, ... "A further allotment of 12½% of all Sweepstakes fees shall be paid to the Publicity Department."

Article IV Standing Committees:

Section 3 Election Committees: Add: "No member of the election committee shall be eligible for nomination to office."

Delete Article V completely, as it was moved to the Constitution.

Change Article VI to Article V
Change Article VII to Article VI
Change Article VIII to Article VII

This report submitted by Vice-President, Roger Guetschow

There's a new gasoline that puts a rabbit in your tank - - it's for short hops.

NOTE ON MAIL PACKAGE: "Fragile. Throw underhanded."

FINANCIAL STATEMENT - JANUARY-MARCH, 1976 - 1st QUARTER

INCOME: ALL MEMBERSHIPS SWEEPSTAKES ARBA COMBS. MISCELLANEOUS
INCOME

January	717.70	286.75	348.00	31.25	51.70
February	657.70	353.50	239.00	28.50	36.70
March	<u>699.10</u>	<u>325.50</u>	<u>286.50</u>	<u>14.00</u>	<u>73.10</u>
Totals	\$2,074.50	\$965.75	\$873.50	\$73.75	\$161.50

EXPENSES: January-March, 1976

Office Supplies	\$118.89
Postage	359.14 (260.00 for Guidebook Mailing)
Dutch Reporter	405.90 (Includes \$223.00 for paper)
ARBA Combinations	80.75 (Includes \$7.00 for Dec. 1975)
Ribbons & Rosettes	584.86 (enough for all of 1976)
Secretary Commission (Part)	279.82 (Additional \$138.04 due)
Guidebook	2,319.82 (paid in full)
Miscellaneous	<u>51.72</u>
Total	4,200.72

Balance Dec. 31, 1975 \$3,151.98

EARMARKED FUNDS

1976 National Dutch Show	\$613.96	Income Jan-Mar.	2,074.50
1977 National Dutch Show	181.07	Expenditures	<u>4,200.72</u>
1976 ARBA Convention Show	118.86	Net	-2,126.22
Pub. Funds Due 1st Qtr. '76	208.84	BALANCE MAR. 31,	1,025.76
Sec Comm Due 1st Qtr. '76	138.04	Less Earmarked Funds	<u>1,403.88</u>
1976 NDS Open Class Spec.	32.00	General Fund Bal.	-378.12
1976 NDS Youth Class Spec.	<u>111.11</u>		
Total	\$1,403.88		

NOTES: The general fund balance above is a bit misleading. The publicity funds will make up the \$687.32 balance not covered by paid advertising of the guidebook cost. This would bring the General fund balance to \$309.20. While this balance is down from the \$854.40 Dec. 31, 1975 balance, this may be explained by the extra, one-time cost of Guidebook mailing of \$260.00 and the fact that we have paid for a half (1/2) year's supply of paper for the D.R. (\$223.00) and we also have paid for enough ribbons and rosettes for the remainder of 1976 (\$438.65).

Projected costs for the immediate future include: 10,000 D.R. Covers \$130.00. Estimated costs for the election \$275.00. Printing stationary and envelopes, year's supply, estimated at \$150.00. 1975-76 Sweepstakes trophies \$110.00.

Larry Bengtson
Secretary-Treasurer

PLAN ON MAKING THE - - - NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW - 1977 - - -
HUTCHINSON, KANSAS APRIL

ARE YOU PLANNING ON MAKING IT TO - - - YORK PENNSYLVANIA in 1976???

PLEASE USE YOUR BALLOTS TO VOTE - FOR THE CANDIDATE YOU LIKE BEST.

OHIO DUTCH - YOUTH

The Ohio State Dutch Rabbit Club has some very special youth members and I feel they need to be recognized.

To date the O.S.D.R.C. has 14 members, all competing in their own sweepstakes series. To get their points THEY MUST COMPETE IN OPEN CLASS against TOUGH competition and many of them are winning.

Thanks to some adult and booster (out-of-state) members, trophies are being offered to the top three (3) places in the youth sweepstakes series.

AS OF APRIL 11, 1976 OUR TOP 3 YOUTH ARE:

- Sherry Gunsett 249
- Beth Ann Szymanowski 128
- Helena Burkholder 119

I would also like to recognize: Rick & John Williamson who won Best Dutch at the Springfield, Ohio show held January 25, 1976, (there were 109 Dutch Exhibited.)

(ED'S NOTE: These kids are also members of the American Dutch Club and if you check your show reports you will find that they are always in there competing, against the adult exhibitors. I think this is really great.)

Linda Pierce - won Best Jr. Dutch at the Columbus, Ohio show held, Feb. 29, 1976. I might add Linda won the top youth sweepstake trophy for 1975. Sherry Gunsett took second, while Rick & John Williamson won 3rd. (Ed's note: Linda is not a member of the ADRC, maybe we can get Howard to join her so that next time when we hear of Ohio youth we will be able to mention Linda. I did this time but unless a youth is a member of the ADRC, I won't be able to. So come on Howard, get Linda into the Dutch Club, because I know she does a lot of winning.)

These are all wonderful kids and very mature exhibitors.

If there are any youth who reside in the State of Ohio interested in joining the OSDRC contact: Mrs. Mildred Hand, 1144 E. Walnut St., Lancaster, Ohio 43130.

Yours for a Better Dutch

Steve & Georgia Wireman
Points Keeper - O.S.D.R.C.

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S A M

I've got a Dutch named Sam. Sam is quite a ham, but Sam has a problem that needs - - to be discussed.

Sam has a hook, on his left front leg.

Please shed no tears & don't fear. For Sam has a Grand Champion leg.

Please don't be surprised!

But let us compromise - - - Sam's been disqualified too.

When judges are around, Sam holds that joint down, and neatly tucked under is the hook, the judges can't discover.

Oh, they know it's there . . . but as long as he's in his natural position, they have to make a big decision. (CONTINUED)

SAM CONTINUED

Some judges place him low and some place him high, while another Tugs, pokes and pulls and says, "I've got to be sure."
"Sam has got to go!"

Since we started showing Sam, I've been doing some research. I know there must have been some people standing back thinking the judge must be blind. And I know one judge got down to 2 in the class, picked him up a little askew and reading his thoughts, he said, "I must be blind," needless to say Sam placed 2nd that day. However, one judge did pull, tug and literally dug until he found the hook. Sam was a little upset and so was I. But the majority of judges have been generous with Sam and he does have one grand champion leg.

On page 63 of the American Dutch Rabbit Club Guide Book gives instructions to Judges - - The following is re-printed from that page.

"The Judge must not stretch out the hind legs nor pull the front legs out of normal position, thus distorting the undercut. Only irregularities of the undercut showing when the Dutch is in his normal position, as described above are to be considered. This also applies to the elimination, 'When the body color extends below the first joint below the shoulder of the fore legs.'"

Did you know that the ARBA "Standard of Perfection" under Dutch says nothing about judging Dutch in their natural position!

Did you realize that all judges haven't read or even have a copy of our ADRC Guide Book, but all judges should have a recent issue of the ARBA Standard of Perfection.

The English Spot breeders, have written in the ARBA Standard of Perfection, one paragraph, entitled a "Statement to Judges" explaining how their English Spots should be handled and judged.

"Statement to Judges"

English, except for examination for disqualifications should be judged without handling, save perhaps to compare certain markings closely, let the rabbit pose in it's natural position. DO NOT DIG, POKE AND TUG AT THE ANIMAL - - - ABOVE ALL DO NOT FLATTEN THE ANIMAL DOWN ON THE TABLE WHILE JUDGING. The best view of the Rabbit can be obtained by stepping back from the judging table and allowing the rabbit to move naturally.

Well I hope Sam and I stir up some discussion on the subject. I'm sure Kathy would enjoy printing Pros and Cons on this subject in the D.R. I would enjoy reading them.

Shouldn't we as DUTCH BREEDERS take a SECOND LOOK at what is written in the ARBA Standard?

Georgia Wireman

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Well folks - - do you agree or disagree with Georgia????????????
Would you like to see the ARBA Standard Changed to read like the English Spots or not????????? Even if you can say all you want to in one sentence let us hear from you. Just don't enter into personalities of a certain judge or judges, unless it is something good. Kathy

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

We received a booster ad, a real nice letter (although Dick had crossed out Ms on the envelope) and a clipping from a newspaper. The booster ad is printed (and Thanks) the letter was deeply appreciated, we really do enjoy working with the DR. The clipping will follow - - - we hope you enjoy it. Our Thanks to Dick Cook, of Tacoma.

THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF ANIMALS

Dear Dr. Miller: Repeter, my rabbit, has been the best pet I ever had. He's housebroken and doesn't bark, and doesn't tear up the furniture or steal stuff from the table. Lately though, he's taken to defending me, and it's becoming a real problem. He's begun attacking, people, especially boyfriends. He scared one off and keeps others nervous. I could never give up Repeter of course, but is there any way to stop him from attacking my friends?

S.C.

Dear S.C.: The answer is castration. For Repeter, that is. Territory-oriented male rabbits often become possessive of their nearest and dearest human companion. His territorial drive is related to production of male hormones. Neutering him will stop the androgenic (male) hormone production and within a week or two, Repeter Rabbit should begin to mellow in his relationship with friendly Homo sapiens of the male persuasion.

NEW MEXICO

Greetings from the Southwestern Dutch Rabbit Club.

Our first annual show is history. On May 1st, at Lamesa, Texas the club held an all dutch show. We had over 100 entries. The merchants donated 9 beautiful bi-centennial trophies. Trophies were presented for best in each variety, best fur, best of breed and best opposite sex. Several specials were also offered in each variety.

The club had a banquet and business meeting before the show. It's great to have a room full of dutch raisers together for a meal, the fellowship is wonderful.

This was a first rabbit show for Lamesa and the welcome was tremendous. Newspaper and radio coverage were on hand for the judging. Townpeople stopped by to see the rabbits. I'm proud Lamesa's first rabbit show was a dutch show.

I'd like to encourage all Dutch fanciers to bring their best and compete in the Texas-New Mexico area. This show proved once again, "You Can't Beat The Dutch."

John Norris

Ed's Note: Our thanks to John, it seems like we are finally getting some of you to write about what is happening in your area. We really think this is great. Remember - you don't have to be Shakespeare to write for the DR, just your own ideas and words. Kathy

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This may pertain to all breeds, not only Dutch, but being a Dutch breeder for a number of years I have seen it in this breed quite often.

There is a very nice specimen on the table, the judge is in doubt of it's weight. Will it make the standard? Maybe it's a little heavy or light. Some judges may not have a sense of weight in his hands and he will not weigh the rabbit. He will go ahead and place the rabbit first. He finishes judging the classes and then comes the time to pick best of color. He has to decide about that small or large one again. He will pick it best of color because none of the others can compare to it - - type, color & markings, etc. Then comes the big one - - Best of Breed, now what? That light or heavy one is still best on the table but can't go further because of it's doubtful weight. The judge will pass it by for this reason. I've seen this happen so often, it is pitiful.

Now for the point. This judge was not fair to the breeder or himself if the rabbit was passed by for B.O.B. or B.O.S. for the weight reason. Tough Luck. But if the rabbit had been weighed and was within the weight limits it would be B.O.B. or if not in the limit, eliminated. I do believe the Breeders, Judge and Rabbits would have had a better shake. The breeder would have more respect for the judge. The judge would feel more sure in his mind. The rabbit would travel to more shows or stay home and enjoy raising more rabbits.

As I say this can pertain to all breeds. The older breeder knows better, but the new ones will hurt themselves.

This is not meant to be anything more than educational for breeders and judges alike.

Jack Wireman of Jack's Bunnies

HOW TO PROPERLY CARRY & HANDLE RABBITS

I have been requested to write an article in regard to the proper way to pick up rabbits, pose them & handle them for examination.

Improper handling can cause serious injury to the rabbit. Any rabbit, regardless of size or breed, should be fully supported at all times.

In order to properly lift up a rabbit and turn it over for inspection, you must grasp the ears and scruff, a short distance back from the ears, with your right hand and turn it over. Do not grasp the rabbit too close to the head as you may choke it. If you pick up the rabbit too far back, it will cause the animal discomfort.

Do not lift by the ears as they are only held to prevent the animal from twisting or turning around.

When the animal is turned over, you can rest the body on a table or your body.

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HOW TO PROPERLY CARRY & HANDLE RABBITS CONTINUED

The most important thing to remember is to always have a firm grip on the rabbit and to get a supporting hand under the animal. The rabbit's weight is supported by both of your hands or a table.

Never pick up a rabbit by it's back and let it kick and fight until you have supported it by both of your hands.

ONE OTHER BIG MISTAKE is to CONTINUOUSLY STROKE the FUR from the BACK TOWARDS THE HEAD. This will break down the guard hairs and in many cases this will cause the rabbit to moult.

I would like to suggest that all members that have not purchased an ARBA Book of Standards to do so. Pages #14 through 18 illustrate how to pick up a rabbit and check them for defects, etc, without torturing the animal. The ARBA Book of Standards may be purchased by sending \$3.00 to our A.R.B.A. Secretary.

Don Reid

Ed's Note: Our Thanks to Jack Wireman and Don Reid, I am sure these 2 articles cover a lot of our "PET PEEVES" when it comes to judging our rabbits. We had run Don's article for the Illinois Rabbit News but we felt it would be worthwhile to run it in the DR and maybe reach more judges and judge's helpers. A little Tender Loving Care when handling our rabbits would be GREATLY Appreciated. Kathy

CHOCOLATE DUTCH

When breeding Chocolates it is always best to keep a few simple things in mind.

First, as with any color of Dutch, it is best to use well marked stock of good color and type. Of the Chocolates that I have seen, the type is good but, on the average, doesn't seem to be as perfected as that of Blacks. Good Chocolate color is one thing that is beautiful to behold. The standard calls for a glossy chocolate brown running deep towards the skin, blending into a bluish dove under-color next to the skin. The key to this is the bluish dove under-color, animals that have this usually also have a rich glossy Chocolate color too.

As far as breeding goes, I have found that the use of some Blacks in the breeding program greatly helps, darkens the color. Presently, I am using a black buck of excellent type from Black & Chocolate parents on my Chocolate does. This gives me two blacks & four chocolates from every six babies born. Maybe I'm just lucky but the chocolates are usually the better marked animals. One good indication to color is the eye color, generally if the eyes are dark the animal will grow up with a beautiful fur color.

Maintaining this color in good condition is a problem. (CONT)

that we all have come up against. Heat is probably the one 'greatest cause of dulling. The only way that this can be checked is by keeping the animals in as cool an environment as possible in the summer.

I hope these few comments will be of some value to those newer to Chocolate breeding.

Mark Been - Massachusetts

A MATTER OF EGO

Again our membership has been invited to attend and show at the A.R.B.A. outing in Pennsylvania. This yearly show attracts a large entry of high quality dutch from across the United States. It is fortunate that York, Pennsylvania is within 80 miles driving distance of Philadelphia, where our country started to organize. The countryside is rich in folk lore and is primarily unadulterated with civilization's progress. A side trip with the children will do more to help them understand than any 2 history books.

This writer, who is breed chairman, invites you and yours to both attend and support our club. A contribution in your name or your clubs name will go far in creating new friendships. As well as aiding our dutch club entice the best breeders to this show. Fortunately the best breeders are YOU, the membership of the A.D.R.C. Due to long range planning the show catalog will be printed some 5 months before the show and it is imperative that your specials go directly to CHRIS FAUSER 50 N. FULTON STREET, MANHEIM, PENNSYLVANIA.

This will both save double postage and allow the printer the privilege of placing your name in our speciality section.

Thank You - - Bill Geitzenauer
Breed Chairman

DEFEND YOURSELF AT ALL TIMES

An article in a local paper reminded me that some of our people live within town limits. For those of you that do - -Please read this article from a Pennsylvania newspaper, dated April 10, 1976.

SUIT SEEKS TO KEEP RABBITS

NORRISTOWN: A Lansdale family that has been raising rabbit for six years is seeking \$105,000 and an injunction to prevent the borough from putting a stop to it's hobby.

James Grayveal and his wife Betty Jean of 849 Sycamore Drive have filed suit in Montgomery County Court against the borough of Lansdale and four of it's officials - - (CONTINUED)

SUIT CONTINUED

The suit says the Graybeals and their two sons have been raising rabbits since the Easter season of 1970. The sons are said to have won numerous awards for the rabbits.

The plaintiffs claim they were assured by borough officials in June 1970 and in June 1975 that the rabbits did not violate any borough ordinance. The Graybeals claim the rabbits were never sold for profit or raised for any other commercial reason.

The suit says the plaintiffs received a notice July 24, 1975, of an alleged violation of the borough zoning code. The pertinent section reads: "No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred or kept in the borough of Lansdale." Dogs, cats and other household pets not bred for commercial purposes are specifically excluded from the prohibition.

The suit says the plaintiffs were advised September 24 by Landis they had 60 days to terminate their hobby. Rather than give it up, the plaintiffs put their house, where they had lived 16 years, up for sale with the intention of moving.

Although the house was listed with a realtor, the suit claims it could not be sold and the borough refused to grant an extension past March 21.

The suit claims that, on three occasions - Jan. 20, March 22 and March 25 - Robert Comfort obtained search and seizure warrants for the rabbits from Justice of the Peace Sherwood Zepp, but no rabbits were found in or around the premises.

The plaintiffs claim the purpose of the warrants is to harass, annoy and humiliate them. The suit says they were forced to exterminate some of the rabbits and move the others away.

The plaintiffs are asking for an injunction to restrain the defendants from searching their home and from declaring or enforcing any ordinance that makes the possession of rabbits a violation. They are seeking \$5,000 in compensatory damages and \$100,00 in punitive damages from the borough.

A hearing on the injunction request has been scheduled for April 30.

End of article. It would be the wise woman or man that indiscretely checks up on the town ordinance to see if they would be liable. God only knows our club cannot afford to lose you.

Bill Geitzenauer

Ed's Note; Thanks to Bill for these articles but we would all like to know how the Graybeals are doing. Hope they still have their Dutch.

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The smallest deed is better than the greatest intention.

BUT FOR A NAIL

Under the By-Laws of the A.D.R.C., Article 4, Section #1, the publicity and promotion committee shall consist of chairman and state representative. Under this conjecture the plural may be applied to representative. This writer firmly believes that our club is progressing because of a healthy Dutch Reporter and the people who serve her through reports and articles. These bits of information with the outstanding editing of the Kahlers have produced one of the finest copy in these United States. We cannot expect the Directors and Officers to consistently produce saleable articles of high interest. I would like to propose an alternate method by the selection of a State Representative plan. The President of the A.D.R.C. will select one representative from each State, that has a minimum of 5 dutch club members, on an honorary basis for a two year period. All states that have 20 members or more will be allowed two. The purpose of these honored members will be the promotion of the Dutch breed and club: the enlisting of new and old members who have not renewed. The passing on to the D.R. Editor information of happenings in their State which can be meetings that took place, upcoming shows, births and deaths and lastly counseling both members and prospective members in successful production of the Dutch Rabbit.

The Representative selected must be based on membership seniority to avoid cliches and conflicts. At the expiration of the period they may either be renewed through mutual agreement or another selected to be our representative. A certificate of extra ordinary service will be issued and signed by the current presiding president of the A.D.R.C. Attesting to the fact with the thankful hand of all members. This certificate can be treasured as a lasting memento of their service.

This writer believes this will be a post that will be honored and sought after particularly so for our older breeders which would both recognize them as master breeders yet promote locally for our club. They should after their period of service be honored by having their names etched into our Guidebook.

The representatives selected will work under the influence of the publicity chairman but this should not be construed as a total indebtedness to the publicity committee.

The preceding article will be brought up at the A.R.B.A. meeting in October, 1976, and if you agree that this would both help our club progress and honor some of our nameless hard-working members please write a director or tell them your wishes the next time you see them. Leaving you with a thought to remember: A club that has progressed to a point where there is no movement is a club that is stagnating. Please help us move!

Bill Geitzenauer

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Note sent home to all mothers from Kindergarten teacher. "If you promise not to believe everything your child says happens at school, I'll promise not to believe everything he says happens at home.

STATE REPRESENTATIVES

Bill, gave his reasons for wanting a state representative. I really don't care one way or another if we have one or not, but I WOULD OBJECT STRONGLY to making it their duties to collect material for the D.R. We have had a lot of comments about the D.R. and how you folks enjoy it - - well Bob & I believe it is because we are finally getting everyone to write for it. Not just a chosen few but everyone from the old-timers to the young breeders to new members. From all across the U.S., haven't heard from Hawaii or Alaska but maybe we can get them to write, and let us know what they are doing. Also have had articles from Canada and Puerto Rico. We enjoy getting the little notes and turning them into articles or in some cases we file the notes for when I am down in the dumps and I want to feel good, I just go to the file and look over some of your comments, and it makes it all worthwhile. If a State Representative would take over collecting data from their states, we would lose something in the transaction and we don't want this. It's true we would have less letters to answer but then we feel we would be going backward with the D.R.

Also as far as the Officers and Directors writing for the D.R. I don't think it is too much to expect to hear from each and everyone of you at least twice a year. Why did you run for office if it was not to promote the Dutch?????? This is one very small way to do just that. Most of our officers and directors have been very good about sending in articles. Even got Roger Guetschow to start writing a line or two. As far as saleable material, you mean that nothing ever happens where you live??????? Like the shows you attend, a pet peeve you have observed at a show, no dogs got to your rabbits or if you are really hard up - - does your weather never change - - what do you do for your rabbits in the Summer, Winter, Spring or Fall???? To some of the old timers maybe some of this would be dull reading but I really don't think so. It definitely would be a help to a new breeder. I know some of our directors think that perhaps I am a little too hard by asking, begging and pleading for articles from you but a few short years ago - - - some of my best friends couldn't believe that I could even write a paragraph let alone a page. Anything that happens around you is interesting to the rest of us - - - or I know a bunch of people who have been lying to me - - you see they say we read it from cover to cover - - so that would include all articles. So if I can sit at this typewriter and type every other month (6 times a year) - - - why can't you be expected to write at least (2) times a year???????

One other thing that is perhaps none of my business but if you were to list all the representatives in the guidebook - - wouldn't this in a matter of five years get pretty expensive as far as space and paper. You are talking about 50 names, because most states have at least five members and their are a lot with 20 or more. The idea is fine but think about the expense first. Now Bill, mentioned, about stagnating - - couldn't we also move to fast. Something about looking before one leaps. As I stated at the beginning of this article I really don't care one way or another but I do care about the duties assigned to a State Representative. Let the Editors handle the D.R.- - - until we do a lousy job. Please. Kathy

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THANKS FOLKS - - - - WE APPRECIATE YOUR ADS!

SHOW REPORTS

OCTOBER 4, 1975 Ontario Council of RC at Brigden, Ontario ADRC #360

Judge: B. A. Harris, No. Dutch 36 Number of Exh. 8

BOB: BLK JD-M. STEWARDSON BOS: BLK SB - NON MEMBER

19 Blk & 7 Tort (JD & SD)-M. Stewardson 7 Blue: JB-P. Welsh, 3 Choc: SB-nm, POINTS: M. Stewardson-172, P. Welsh-85

JANUARY 11, 1976 - Riverside Co. RBA at Pomona, California ADRC#60016

JUDGE: Roscoe Schott No. Dutch 45 No. of Exh. 5

BOB: BLK JB-CLIPFORT RABBITRY BOS: CHOC SD: MIKE LOVEJOY

7 Blk JB:, 9 Blue JD:, 8 Tort SB:, 7 Gray SD:-Clipfort, 8 Choc SD and 6 Steel: SB-M. Lovejoy POINTS: Clipfort-464, M. Lovejoy-122½, J. Detamore-18, T. Hughes-12, J. Allen-8

FEBRUARY 8, 1976 Heartland Empire RBA at Del Mar, California.

ADRC #415 JUDGE: Roscoe Schott NO. Dutch 62 No. Exh. 6

BOB: BLK SD- J. P. ALLEN BOS: BLK SB - HAROLD MAY

15 Blk: SD-J.P. Allen, 15 Blue: JB, 8 Choc: SB, 6 Steel: SB & 11 Gray SB-M. Lovejoy, 7 Tort SB--J. Detamore POINTS: Mike Lovejoy-304, Clipfort-304, J. P. Allen-127, Harold May 97, June Detamore-84 Allen Barr-16

FEBRUARY 14, 1976 Douglas Co. RBA at Roseburg, Oregon ADRC #390

JUDGE: Ralph Pace No. Dutch 35 No. Exh. 13

BOB: BLK. SB & BOS: BLACK SD-JIM KELLY

18 Blk: SB-J. Kelly, 10 Blue: SD-Dick Cook, 3 Choc: SD-nm, 3 Tort: JB-D. McDaniel, 1 Steel - Disqualified POINTS: A. W. Ferguson-123, J. Kelly-118½, J.T. Miller-45, C.G. Chinn-20, D. McDaniel-42, Dick Cook-20, J. Wichert-32, T. Gordon-25

FEBRUARY 14, 1976 Lincoln RBA at Lincolnton, North Carolina

ADRC #6013 JUDGE: C. F. Simpkins No. Dutch 81 No. Exh 14

BOB: BLK SB & BOS: CHOC JD-VICTOR SIGMON 30 Blk:SB-V. Sigmon,

26 Blue: SD, 12 Tort: SD, 3 Steel:JD & 3 Gray: JB- B. Karriker

12 Choc: SB-E.D. Smith POINTS: Joe Portwood-327, E. D. Smith-213, V. Sigmon-196½, B. Karriker-167, D. Simpson-41, A. Meier-28

FEBRUARY 15, 1976 Mid-Counties RBA at Tipton, Indiana ADRC #6003

JUDGE: Harry Rice No. Dutch 64 No. Exh. 6 BOB: BLUE JUNIOR DOE

GOEGLEIN & SHAW BOS: BLK SB-TERRY REED 26 Blk: SB, 11 Choc: SB,

2 Steel:SD & 1 Gray: SB-T. Reed, 17 Blue: JD-Goeglein & Shaw, 7 Tort:

JD-nm, POINTS: Terry Reed-493, Goeglein & Shaw-259

FEBRUARY 20-22, 1976 Alabama RBA at Birmingham, Alabama

ADRC #6038 JUDGE: Kyle Cunningham No. Dutch 79 No. Exh. 12

BOB: BLUE SB & BOS: BLK SD - MICKEY WATTERS

31 Blk:SB - Mike Gibson, 18 Blue:SB, 11 Choc: SD & 12 Tort: SB- M.

Watters, 1 Steel:SB-Joe Portwood, 3 Gray: SB- D. Simpson

POINTS: M. Watters-602½, J. Portwood-288, M. Gibson-114, C.F. Simpkins 60, L&D Archer-54, D. Simpson-21

FEBRUARY 21, 1976 California State R&CBA At Ventura, ADRC #6050

JUDGE: Wayne Sterner No. Dutch 21, No. Exh. 5, BOB: STEEL SB-MIKE

LOVEJOY BOS: BLK JD - HAROLD MAY 9 Blk:SB, 1 Steel:SB & 3 Gray:

SB-M. Lovejoy, 4 Blue: SB & 4 Tort:SB-J. Detamore, no Choc. (CONTINUED)

SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

CALIFORNIA STATE CONTINUED (Feb. 21) POINTS: Mike Lovejoy-81, Green Acres-60, J. Detamore-39, H. May-36 $\frac{1}{2}$, J. Allen-26

FEB. 21-22, San Antonio RBA at San Antonio, Texas ADR #409
 JUDGE: Maurice Etter No. Dutch 23, No. Exh. 7, BOB: BLUE SB-NM
 BOS: BLACK SD-PATSCHKE'S RABBITRY, 3 Blk:SD & 1 Steel:JD-Patschkes
 3 Blue:SB, 2Choc:SD & 1 Gray:SD-nm, 13 Tort:JD- D & J Lorenz
 POINTS: D&J Lorenz-178, Patschke's-23 $\frac{1}{2}$, G. H. Geaslin-6

FEB. 25-29 Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo at Houston, Texas
 ADR #338 JUDGE: Paul Jurgelonis No. Dutch 91, No. Exh. 11
 BOB: TORT SD- DON & NELLE BRADY BOS: BLK SB-MAC'S RABBITRY
 19 Blk: SD, 10 Blue: SD, 6 Gray: SB-R. C. Farrill, 8 Choc:SB-C&C&C
 Alexander, 45 Tort:SD- D&N Brady, 3 Steel:JB-Mac's POINTS: D & N B
 Brady-742, R.C. Farrill-182, Mac's - 175 $\frac{1}{2}$, D & J Lorenz-69, T. Kyle-
 66, D. Jones-78, C&C&C Alexander-39, A. Lemons-36, M. Mays-21

FEB. 28, Capilano R&CC at West Vancouver, B.C. JUDGE: Gordon Ash
 ADR #411, No. Dutch 13, No. Exh. 4 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: STEEL SD -
 C. R. BATES 2 Blk:SB, 3Blue:?, 2 Choc:JB, 3 Tort:?, 1 Steel: SD &
 2 Gray: JD-C.R. Bates POINTS: Bates-85 $\frac{1}{2}$, D.McDaniels-8, J.Wichert-8

MARCH 6 Noble Co. R.F. at Columbia City, Indiana ADR # 315
 JUDGE: Carldon Gaddis, No. Dutch 58, No. Exh. 6 BOB: BLK SB & BOS
 STEEL SD- TERRY REED, 21 Blk:SB & 4 Steel:SD-T. Reed, 13 Blue:SB,
 9 Choc:SB & 7 Tort:SB-nm, 4 Gray: JD-McNary POINTS: Terry Reed-414
 Happy Time-58, Sherry Gunsett-53, McNary's Rabbitry-48

MARCH 6 Richmond RBA at Richmond, Virginia JUDGE: Paul Jurgelonis
 ADR #423, No. Dutch 54, No. Exh: 10, BOB: GRAY SD-DANIEL ROHRER
 BOS: CHOC SB-LEWIS HEATH 16 Blk:JD, 7 Blue:SD & 8 Tort:JB-E.D.Smith
 13 Choc:SB-L. Heath, 2 Steel: JB- Bud Karriker, 8 Gray :SD- D.Rohrer
 POINTS: E.D. Smith-248, Lewis Heath-162, D. Rohrer-136, M. Sanders-
 39, C.B. Kemper-36, D. Rawls-30, Bud Karriker-30

MARCH 6 Sandhills RBA at Lovington, New Mexico JUDGE: Stan Pulliam
 ADR #6032, No. Dutch 78, No. Exh 11, BOB: BLK SB-ROBERT SCOTT
 BOS: BLK JD-NM 20 Blk:SB, R. Scott, 17 Blue: SB-Joel Norris, 17
 Choc:SB-nm, 11 Tort:SB & 4 Gray:SD- J. Armes, 9 Steel:JB-John Norris
 POINTS: R. Scott-365, J. Amres-231, Joel Norris-112, John Norris-88,
 K. Smith-67, R & C Bulman-40

MARCH 6, Arbuckle RBA at Ardmore, Oklahoma JUDGE: Matt Kevil
 ADR #6034, No. Dutch 35, # Exh. 14, BOB: GRAY SD & BOS GRAY SB-ED
 ANTWINE, 15 Blk:SB-L. Costa, 4 Blue:SD-M.J. Reeves, 8 Choc:JB-nm,
 3 Tort:SB, M. Hicks, 5 Gray:SD-Ed Antwine POINTS: E&R Antwine-70 $\frac{1}{2}$
 H.C. King-66, T. Patty-52, M.J. Reeves-18, J. Chancellor-18,
 M. Kilpatrick-12, J&S Wollaston-6

MARCH 6 Shasta Co. RBA at Anderson, California ADR #6019
 JUDGE: Ross Flowers No. Dutch 19 No. Exh. 10
 BOB: BLUE SD-ROXANNA HAWKINS BOS: STEEL SB-TAMI GORDON
 5 Blk:SD, 1 Steel:SB-T. Gordon, 5 Blue:SD & 6 Choc:SB-R. Hawkins,
 2 Tort:SB-J. Timmer, 2 Gray:SB-nm POINTS: R. Hawkins-69, T. Gordon-
 35 $\frac{1}{2}$, Regal-24, J. Pruett-8, J.Timmer-6, P. Indihar-6

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MARCH 6 Central Florida RBA at Orlando JUDGE: Billy Dodge ADRC#394
 BOB: JOE PORTWOOD BOS: ANN RANGLES 19 Blk:SB, 10 Blue:
 SB, 6 Choc:SD, 6 Tort:SB-Joe Portwood, 3 Steel:JD & 4 Gray:SB-Ann
 Randles POINTS: Joe Portwood-340, Ann Randles-162, Circle S-68

(# Dutch 48 # Exh. 6)

MARCH 7 Stark Co. R&CBA, Inc., at Canton, Ohio JUDGE: Joe Frizzell
 ADRC #378, # Dutch 51, # Exh.14 BOB: CHOC SB & BOS: BLK SD-JACK'S
 BUNNIES 16 Blk:SB-Ed Chandler, 7 Blue:SB-Sutton's, 10 Choc:SB-Jack's
 5 Tort:JB-Sutton's, 3 Steel:SB-Mike's POINTS: Jack's Bunnies-122½,
 Mike's-110, W. Lange-108, Ed Chandler-78, Glenn Morgan-78, Sutton's-72
 Butler's-42, R&J Williamson-39, B. Szymanowski-39, Leonhaus-18,
 J. Reiger, Jr.-17

MARCH 7, Ojai Valley RC at Oak View, California ADRC #6093
 JUDGE: George Sutherland BOB: STEEL SB: MIKE LOVEJOY
 BOS: BLK JD-JUNE DETAMORE # DUTCH 80 # Exh. 10 20 Blk:JD-June
 Detamore, 17 Blue:SB, 13 Choc:SD, 8 Tort:SB-D. Holland, 5 Steel:SB &
 18 Gray:JD-Mike Lovejoy POINTS: Clipfort-750, M. Lovejoy-270,
 J. Detamore-139, Green Acres-48, Harold May-39

MARCH 13 Wichita Valley RBA at Archer, Texas JUDGE: JBJ Hansard
 ADRC #417 # Dutch 56, # Exh.9 BOB: GRAY JB & BOS: STEEL JD- CLYDE &
 DORIS JONES 25 Blk:SD, 8 Choc:JB, 5 Tort:SD, 3 Steel:JD & 3 Gray:
 JB - C&D Jones, 12 Blue: JB-Scott's POINTS: C & D Jones-348,
 Scott's-262, M. Kilpatrick-26, E&R Antwine-12

MARCH 13, Big Thicket RC at Anahuac, Texas JUDGE: Marvin Cummings
 BOB: BLK SB-MAC'S RABBITRY BOS: BLUE JD - R. C. FARRILL
 # Dutch 37, # Exh. 6, 10 Blk:SB, 3 Steel: JB & 9 Gray:SB-Mac's
 4 Blue:JB & 2 Choc:SD-R.C. Farrill, 9 Tort:SB-D & J Lorenz
 POINTS: Mac's-189, R.C. Farrill-157½, D&J Lorenz-52, Tim Kyle-50
 (ADRC # 6004)

MARCH 13 Montco R&CBA at Lansdale, Pennsylvania
 JUDGE: Dennis Holcomb ADRC # 388, # Dutch 27 # Exh. 7
 BOB: BLK JB & BOS: BLK JD - DIXIE RANCK 11 Blk:JB-D. Ranck
 6 Blue:SB, 5 Choc:SB & 5 Tort:SB-A. Martin POINTS: D. Ranck-156½,
 A. Martin-100, Heid's Hares-24

MARCH 13 & 14 Capitol Rabbit Fanciers at Port Allen, Louisiana
 JUDGE: Patrick McLaughlin ADRC #6039 # Dutch 21 # Exh. 10
 BOB: BLUE JD-ALICE & DEWEY DAY BOS: CHOC SB-GEORGE YAGEL
 8 Blk:SB & 5 Blue:JD-A&D Day, 7 Choc:SB-G. Yagel, 1 Tort:JD-nm
 POINTS: G. Yagel-48½, A&D Day-45, C. Alexander-42, D. B. Noble-18

MARCH 14 Baltimore & Howard Co. RBA at Timonium, Maryland ADRC #406
 JUDGE: Charlie Haaf # Dutch 45 # Exh. 8
 BOB: CHOC JD-WARREN McNAMARA BOS: BLK SB-AARON MARTIN
 13 Blk:SB & 4 Blue:SB-A. Martin, 15 Choc:JD & 1 Steel:JD-W.McNamara,
 8 Tort:SB-Ranck, 4 Gr.SD-Rohrer POINTS: W. McNamara-192, D. Rohrer Jr.
 106, D. Ranck-158, A. Martin-97½, Kenwood Rabbitry-26

MARCH 14 Waterloo Area RBA at Waterloo, Iowa JUDGE: Ivan Miller
 ADRC #383, # Dutch 24, # Exh 10 BOB: BLK JD & BOS: CHOC JB-NM
 8 Blk:JD, 4 Blue:SB & 5 Choc:JB-nm, 7 Tort:SB-G. Wurtzel POINTS:
 K. Halter-26, Mike Avesing-25, Dan Erickson-8, W. Clark-6

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MARCH 14, Badger RBA at Jefferson, Wisconsin ADR #354
 JUDGE: Hank Zimmerman # Dutch 48 # of Exh. 11
 BOB: BLUE SENIOR DOE & BOS: BLUE SENIOR BUCK - ROGER GUETSCHOW
 15 Blk:SB-R. Guetschow, 17 Blue:SD-Chuck Stanell, 5 Choc:JD-Ivar
 Anderson, 7 Tort:SD-Veen's Triple V, 1 Steel SB-nm, 3 Gray:SB-Stanelle
 POINTS: R. Guetschow-308, C. Stanelle-103, Don Reid-72, Mrs. Wilke-57,
 Mrs. Oesterreich-44, Veen's Triple V-32, I. Anderson-24, Evergreen
 Rabbitry-20, El-Bee-R Rabbitry-12, Larry Bengtson-8

MARCH 14 - Kaw Valley RC at Kansas City, Kansas ADR #305
 JUDGE: Cecil Green # Dutch 42 # Exhibitors 12
 BOB: GRAY JB-L&L JOHNSON BOS: TORT JD-BOB EVERTSON
 17 Blk:SB-Russ's Rabbitry, 6 Blue:JD, 9 Choc:SD & 2 Gray:JB-L&L
 Johnson, 8 Tort:JD-B. Evertson POINTS: L&L Johnson-168, Russ's-82,
 B. Evertson-63, H. King-41, K. Williams-32

MARCH 20 - Gaston RBA at Lincoln Co. Fair Grounds, North Carolina
 ADR #6092 JUDGE: C. F. Simpkins # Dutch 21 # Exhibitors 9
 BOB: BLK SENIOR BUCK-VICTOR SIGMON BOS: STEEL JD-BUD KARRIKER
 11 Blk:SB, 2 Choc:JD-V. Sigmon, 4 Blue:SD & 2Steel:SD-B. Karriker
 1 Tort; JD-nm, 1 Gray:SB-J. Wilson POINTS: V. Sigmon-85
 B. Karriker-40½, Al Meier - 28, J. Sanders-26, J. Wilson-6

MARCH 21 - Coulee Region RBA at Tomah, Wisconsin ADR #402
 JUDGE: Fidelis Steinhoff # Dutch 23 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLK SENIOR DOE-ROGER GUETSCHOW BOS: BLK SB-LARRY A. BENGTSON
 12 Blk:SD, 8 Blue:SB, 1 Choc:SD & 1 Tort:JB-R. Guetschow, 1 Gray:SB-
 L.A. Bengtson POINTS: R. Guetschow-200, Bengtson-86½, Oesterreich-35

MARCH 21 So. Jersey R&CBA at Cherry Hill Comm. Ctr., New Jersey
 ADR #407 JUDGE: Thompson # Dutch 9 # Exhibitor 4
 BOB: TORT SENIOR BUCK-STEPHEN RINEBOLD BOS: CHOC SD-HEID'S HARES
 2 Blk:SB, 3 Choc:SB & 2 Tort:SB- S. Rinebold, 2 Blue:JB-nm
 POINTS: S. Rinebold-39, Heid's Hares-16½

MARCH 21, Tri Co. RC at Kingston, Massachusetts ADR #6087
 JUDGE: Paul Jurgelonis # Dutch 20 # Exhibitors 6
 BOB: TORT SR. DOE-BRUCE RUSHFORTH BOS: CHOC JB-NON MEMBER
 7 Blk:JD-Cavacco's Rabbitry, 2 Blue:SD & 3 Choc:SD-nm, 8 Tort:SD-
 Rushforth POINTS: B. Rushforth-104, Cavacco's Rabbitry-54

MARCH 21 Capital City RBA at Lawrenceburg, Kentucky ADR #405
 JUDGE: Robert Byrn # Dutch 37 # Exhibitors 9
 BOB: BLK SR. BUCK-MARTIN BLUNSCHI BOS: BLK SD-LOUIS BOSSE
 19 Blk:SB-M. Blunschi, 5 Blue:SB-K. Clark, 1 Choc:JB-L. Bossee
 3 Steel:JB & 9 Gray:JB-J. Imes POINTS: L. Bosse-116½, M. Blunschi-
 111, J. Imes-92, K. Clark-36, H. Baxter-31, E. Imes-12, K. Terhune-8

MARCH 21 Owen Valley RBA at Spencer, Indiana JUDGE: Kyle Cunningham
 BOB: BLK JR. D & BOS: BLK SB-TERRY REED ADR #6017 # Dutch 27
 # Exh. 4 14 Blk:JD, 4 Choc:JB, 1 Steel:SD & 2 Gray:SB-T. Reed,
 4 Blue:SB & 2 Tort:SB-nm POINTS: Terry Reed-242½

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MARCH 25-26-Michigan State Convention at East Lansing ADRC #393

JUDGE: G. A. Burke # Dutch 97 # Exhibitors 17

BOB: CHOC JR. ANTHONY MICALLEF BOS: BLUE JB-NON MEMBER

34 Blk:JB & 23 Blue:JB-nm, 14 Choc:JD & 10 Tort:SB-A. Micallef,
7 Steel:SB-Weinhardts, 9 Gray:SB-H. Pierce POINTS: A. Micallef-403,
H. Pierce-252, Priestley's-112, Cooper's Hillcrest-95, Weinhardts-91,
McNary's-73, Reid's Rock Ranch-66, K. Regan-36, Angie Ellis-35,
Jan Ery-30, H. Carpenter-12, J. M. Godin-9

MARCH 27-Southwest Kentucky RBA at Hopkinsville, ADRC # 6022

JUDGE: Stuart Griffith # Dutch 13 # Exhibitors 5

BOB: CHOC. JD-JOHN CRANOR BOS: BLK JB-BILLY DODGE

7 Blk:JD-B. Dodge, 1 Blue SB-nm, 3 Choc:JD-J. Cranor, 1 Tort:JB-B.
Dodge, 1 Gray:SB-Eva Sanders POINTS: Billy Dodge-28½, J. Cranor-27
Eva Sanders-20, Ed Kroeger-6

MARCH 27 Pikes Peak RBA at Colorado Springs, Colorado ADRC #6048

JUDGE: Art Nelson # Dutch 33 # Exhibitors 11

BOB: BLUE JD-PLATTE VALLEY RABBITRY BOS: TORT SB-JOANNE & DENISE

MYERS 11 Blk:SB-D. Wise, 7 Blue:JD-Platte Valley, 3 Choc:SB and
3 Gray:SB-Sweet Success, 9 Tort SB- J&D Myers POINTS: Sweet Success
Rabbitry-96, J & D Myers-76½, S. Hauert-60, Platte Valley-57,
Thunderbird Rabbitry-36, K. Zumbrennan-12

MARCH 27 So. Louisiana RF at New Orleans, Louisiana ADRC #6086

JUDGE: E. "Mike" Withrow # Dutch 16 # Exhibitors 6

BOB: BLUE JD-ALICE & DEWEY DAY BOS: BLK JB-NON MEMBER

9 Blk:JB-nm, 3 Blue:JD-A&D Day, 4 Choc:JD-G. Yagel
POINTS: A&D Day-52, C&C Alexander-44, G. Yagel-18

MARCH 28 Lebanon Valley R&CBA at Annville, Pennsylvania ADRC #373

JUDGE: Jack Pugh # Dutch 74 # Exhibitors 11

BOB: BLK JB-DIXIE RANCK BOS: CHOC JD-WARREN McNAMARA

22 Blk JB, 20 Tort:JB & 6 Steel: SB-D. Ranck, 15 Choc:JD & 3 Gray:
JB-W. McNamara, 8 Blue:SD-A. Martin POINTS: Dixie Ranck-509,
W. McNamara-222, A. Martin-97, A. Rome-42, Stephen Rinebold-81,
L. Fetter-75, Heid's Hares-32, W. Radeline-20, K. Olosky-12

MARCH 28 Greater Pittsburgh RBA at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania ADRC #6002

JUDGE: Charles Huber # Dutch 45 # Exhibitors 15

BOB: BLK SB-NON MEMBER BOS: BLK SR. DOE-ED CHANDLER

21 Blk:SB-nm, 5 Blue:SB & 2 Tort:JD-Butler's, 6 Choc:SB-T. Sears,
6 Steel:SD-Don Zeck, 2 Gray: SB-Henry Smith POINTS: Ed Chandler-108½
Butler's Rabbitry-60, H. Smith-48, Glenn Morgan-42, T. Sears-30,
N. Pierce-31, Jack's Bunnies-27, George & Jean Schill-24, Don Zeck-18

MARCH 28 Miami Valley RC at Greenville, Ohio ADRC #361

JUDGE: Dennis Holcomb # Dutch 67 # Exhibitors 22

BOB: BLK SD-SHERRY GUNSETT BOS: GRAY SB-NON MEMBER

19 Blk:JD-S. Gunsett, 10 Blue:JD-Hand 'n' Hand, 17 Choc:SB, 10 Tort:
SB-J. Mike Godin, 4 Steel:SB-Mike's, 7 Gray:SB-nm POINTS:S. Gunsett-167
Hand 'n' Hand-80, H. Burkholder-58, Whitehill-54, Sleep Hollow-48
Mike's-108, Country Sunshine-34, H. Baxter-18, D.R. Burkholder-12

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MARCH 28 - Tri-State All Breed RC at Chetopa, Kansas ADRC #400

JUDGE: Cecil Green # Dutch 15 # Exhibitors 7

BOB: TORT JD & BOS: ?? JB-HOWARD KING

10 Blk ? Not listed, 1 Blue:JB-A. Baker, 1 Choc:Disq, 3 Tort JD-King
POINTS: 69½, A. Baker-6

APRIL 1, Maricopa Co. Fair at Phoenix, Arizona ADRC #6137

JUDGE: Ray Satterwhite, # Dutch 9 # EXH. 6 ALL NON MEMBERS

APRIL 3 Kansas Dutch Club at Hutchinson, Kansas ADRC #6037

JUDGE: Robert Berry # Dutch 48 # Exhibitors 7

BOB: GRAY JB-L & L JOHNSON BOS: BLUE SD-NON MEMBER

16 Blk:JD, 8 Tort:JB & 5 Gray:JB-L&L Johnson, 11 Blue:SD-nm, 7 Choc:
SB-R. Ernst, 1 Steel:SB-C. Addison POINTS: L & L Johnson-328,
R. Ernst-116, C. Addison-66, R. Evertson-24, B. Cooper-24

APRIL 3 Pearl River Co. RBA at Picaynue, Mississippi ADRC #6051

JUDGE: Glen Carr # Dutch 17 # Exhibitors 6

BOB: BLUE JB-A & D DAY BOS: BLUE SB-C & C Alexander

7 Blk:JD-S. Stockstill, 5 Blue:JD-Alice & Dewey Day, 5 Choc:JD-nm
POINTS: A & D Day-43, C & C Alexander-40½, S. Stockstill-26, G. Yagel
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APRIL 4 Polk Co. RBA at Des Moines, Iowa ADRC #6063

JUDGE: Gary Grimm # Dutch 32 # Exhibitors 12

BOB: BLACK SB-RON CROSS BOS: BLACK JD-MIKE AVESING

13 Blk:SB-Cross, 12 Blue ??-D. Paul, 4 Choc:JD-J. Miller, 3 Tort:JD-
Mike Avesing POINTS: Ron Cross-112, D. Paul 105, F. Bennett-57,
Mike Avesing-52, John Miller,-43, K. Halter-28, R. Brassfield-20

APRIL 4 Van Wert Co. RBA at Van Wert, Ohio ADRC #380

JUDGE: Claude Bennett # Dutch 50 # Exhibitors 15

BOB: BLK JB-ROY FOX BOS: CHOC JD-HELENA BURKHOLDER

23 Blk:SB-R. Fox, 9 Blue:JB & 12 Tort:JB-nm, 5 Choc:JD-H. Burkholder,
POINTS: Roy Fox-278, H. Burkholder-57, C. Gaddis-57, R. Wickert-54,
S. Gunsett-27, Killrich-20, B. Van Metre-18, D.R. Burkholder-8

APRIL 4 - Zanesville RBA at Zanesville, Ohio ADRC #6035

JUDGE: Milford Fisher # Dutch 58 # Exhibitors 18

BOB: BLUE JD-HAND 'N' HAND BOS: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER

16 Blk SD-nm, 11 Blue JD-Hand 'n' Hand, 10 Choc:SB-Jack's Bunnies,
1 Tort:SB-Mike's Rabbitry, 5 Steel:SB-Mike's, 15 Gray: JD-J. Imes
POINTS: Ed Chandler-137, J. Imes-105, Barton's Bunnies-114 Hand 'n'
Hand-85, Mike's -66, Glenn Morgan-52, R&J Rabbitry-41, Jacks Bunnies-
21, D. Zeck-12, Country Sunshine-12, Amy Valentine-12

APRIL 4 - Livingston Co. RBA at Cullom, Illinois ADRC #6149

JUDGE: Howard Reese # Dutch 33 # Exhibitors 10

BOB: BLACK SB & BOS: BLACK JD-AL SEEMAN

16 Blk:SB-A. Seeman, 3 Choc:SD, 1 Tort:SD & 1 SteelSD-nm, 2 Gray:SB-
El-Bee-R POINTS: Al Seeman-109½, Bob Kahler-58, El-Bee-R-24,
W. Lorenz-22, Don Reid-20, George Williams-12

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APRIL 4 - Fairfield Co. RBA at Norwalk, Connecticut ADRC #6012
 JUDGE: FLOYD TOBIAS # Dutch 24 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: CHOC SD-WM. SCHAEFFER
 9 Blk:SB, 6 Choc:SB & 7 Tort:SD-W. Schaeffer, 1 Blue:SD & 1 Steel:SB-nm,
 POINTS: Wm. Schaeffer-255, F. Schneider-8

APRIL 10 Anderson Co. RBA at Anderson, South Carolina ADRC#6029
 JUDGE: Joe Frizzell # Dutch 69 # Exhibitors 14
 BOB: BLK SB-MIKE GIBSON BOS: GRAY JD-BUD KARRIKER
 33 Blk:SB-M. Gibson, 13 Blue:SB-Victor Sigmon, 11 Choc:SD & 10 Tort
 SB-Mickey Watters, 2 Steel:JB & 4 Gray JD-Bud Karriker
 POINTS: M. Watters-484, M. Gibson-219, V. Sigmon-76, Sanders-40,
 Bud Karriker-70 $\frac{1}{2}$, D. Simpson-20, Al Meier-10

APRIL 10 - Moonlighters RC at Albert Lea, Minnesota ADRC #426
 JUDGE: Doris Leibel # Dutch 12 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLACK SB & BOS: TORT SD-STEVE BLYTHE
 2 Blk:SB & 3 Tort:JB-S. Blythe, 4 Blue:SB-Erickson, 3 Choc:SB-
 Jacobson POINTS: Steve Blythe-60, Joy Johannes-14, A.E.Jacobson-12
 Louise Erickson-12, Doug Anderson-8

APRIL 10, Arkansas Fed of Dom. RB at Jacksonville, Arkansas ADRC#6007
 JUDGE: Charles Wade # Dutch 8 # Exhibitors 4
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK JD-CHARLES HILL 8 Blk:SB-Charles Hill
 POINTS: Charles Hill-63

APRIL 10-11-FairGame, RC at Crescent City, California ADRC #6082
 JUDGE: Robert Herschback # Dutch 13 # Exhibitors 8
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: CHOC SD-NON MEMBERS 5 Blk:SB, 4 Blue:SB, 1Choc:SD
 3 Gray:SD-nm, POINTS: Dunning-20

APRIL 10-11 - High Plain RBA at Plainview, Texas ADRC #6080
 JUDGE: Clyde Fulkerson # Dutch 48 # Exhibitors 6
 BOB: BLK JD-BOBBY SIMMONS BOS: CHOC SB-SCOTT'S RABBITRY
 11 Blk:JD, Simmons, 16 Blue:SB, 14 Choc:SB & 4 Torts:SD-Scott's
 2 Steel:SB & 1 Gray:SB-R.W. Berry POINTS: Scott's-384, Bobby
 Simmons-169, R.W. Berry-74, K. Smith-36, C. Bulman-9

APRIL 11 Central Wisconsin RBA at Blinker, Wisconsin ADRC #336
 JUDGE: Clem Steinhoff # Dutch 16 # Exhibitors 3
 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLK SB-ROGER GUETSCHOW 7 Blk:SB, 4 Blue:SD,
 1 Choc:JD & 4 Tort:SD-R. Guetschow POINTS: Guetschow-132,
 H. Oesterreich-36

APRIL 15, 16, 17 - Alberta RBA at Calgary, Alberta, Canada ADRC#6119
 JUDGE: Elliot Barnes # Dutch 21 # Exhibitors 4
 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLK SB-P. EYMA 8 Blk:SD, 3 Blue:SD, 8 Choc:JD &
 2 Tort:JD-Eyema POINTS: P. Eyma-172 $\frac{1}{2}$

APRIL 17 - Ohio State RBA at Ashland, Ohio ADRC #6122
 JUDGE: Joe Frizzell # Dutch 25 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER BOS: BLK SD-BUTLER'S RABBITRY
 9 Blk:SB-Ed Chandler, 6 Blue:SB & 2 Steel:SD-Larry Nixon (CONTINUED)

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MARCH 28 - Tri-State All Breed RC at Chetopa, Kansas ADR #400
 JUDGE: Cecil Green # Dutch 15 # Exhibitors 7
 BOB: TORT JD & BOS: ?? JB-HOWARD KING
 10 Blk ? Not listed, 1 Blue:JB-A. Baker, 1 Choc:Disq, 3 Tort JD-King
 POINTS: 69½, A. Baker-6

APRIL 1, Maricopa Co. Fair at Phoenix, Arizona ADR #6137
 JUDGE: Ray Satterwhite, # Dutch 9 # EXH. 6 ALL NON MEMBERS

APRIL 3 Kansas Dutch Club at Hutchinson, Kansas ADR #6037
 JUDGE: Robert Berry # Dutch 48 # Exhibitors 7
 BOB: GRAY JB-L & L JOHNSON BOS: BLUE SD-NON MEMBER
 16 Blk:JD, 8 Tort:JB & 5 Gray:JB-L&L Johnson, 11 Blue:SD-nm, 7 Choc:
 SB-R. Ernst, 1 Steel:SB-C. Addison POINTS: L & L Johnson-328,
 R. Ernst-116, C. Addison-66, R. Evertson-24, B. Cooper-24

APRIL 3 Pearl River Co. RBA at Picayune, Mississippi ADR #6051
 JUDGE: Glen Carr # Dutch 17 # Exhibitors 6
 BOB: BLUE JB-A & D DAY BOS: BLUE SB-C & C Alexander
 7 Blk:JD-S. Stockstill, 5 Blue:JD-Alice & Dewey Day, 5 Choc:JD-nm
 POINTS: A & D Day-43, C & C Alexander-40½, S. Stockstill-26, G. Yagel
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APRIL 4 Polk Co. RBA at Des Moines, Iowa ADR #6063
 JUDGE: Gary Grimm # Dutch 32 # Exhibitors 12
 BOB: BLACK SB-RON CROSS BOS: BLACK JD-MIKE AVESING
 13 Blk:SB-Cross, 12 Blue ??-D. Paul, 4 Choc:JD-J. Miller, 3 Tort:JD-
 Mike Avesing POINTS: Ron Cross-112, D. Paul 105, F. Bennett-57,
 Mike Avesing-52, John Miller,-43, K. Halter-28, R. Brassfield-20

APRIL 4 Van Wert Co. RBA at Van Wert, Ohio ADR #380
 JUDGE: Claude Bennett # Dutch 50 # Exhibitors 15
 BOB: BLK JB-ROY FOX BOS: CHOC JD-HELENA BURKHOLDER
 23 Blk:SB-R. Fox, 9 Blue:JB & 12 Tort:JB-nm, 5 Choc:JD-H. Burkholder,
 POINTS: Roy Fox-278, H. Burkholder-57, C. Gaddis-57, R. Wickert-54,
 S. Gunsett-27, Killrich-20, B. Van Metre-18, D.R. Burkholder-8

APRIL 4 - Zanesville RBA at Zanesville, Ohio ADR #6035
 JUDGE: Milford Fisher # Dutch 58 # Exhibitors 18
 BOB: BLUE JD-HAND 'N' HAND BOS: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER
 16 Blk SD-nm, 11 Blue JD-Hand 'n' Hand, 10 Choc:SB-Jack's Bunnies,
 1 Tort:SB-Mike's Rabbitry, 5 Steel:SB-Mike's, 15 Gray: JD-J. Imes
 POINTS: Ed Chandler-137, J. Imes-105, Barton's Bunnies-114 Hand 'n'
 Hand-85, Mike's -66, Glenn Morgan-52, R&J Rabbitry-41, Jacks Bunnies-
 21, D. Zeck-12, Country Sunshine-12, Amy Valentine-12

APRIL 4 - Livingston Co. RBA at Cullom, Illinois ADR #6149
 JUDGE: Howard Reese # Dutch 33 # Exhibitors 10
 BOB: BLACK SB & BOS: BLACK JD-AL SEEMAN
 16 Blk:SB-A. Seeman, 3 Choc:SD, 1Tort:SD & 1 SteelSD-nm, 2 Gray:SB-
 El-Bee-R POINTS: Al Seeman-109½, Bob Kahler-58, El-Bee-R-24,
 W. Lorenz-22, Don Reid-20, George Williams-12

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APRIL 4 - Fairfield Co. RBA at Norwalk, Connecticut ADRC #6012
 JUDGE: FLOYD TOBIAS # Dutch 24 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: CHOC SD-WM. SCHAEFFER
 9 Blk:SB, 6 Choc:SB & 7 Tort:SD-W. Schaeffer, 1 Blue:SD & 1 Steel:SB-nm, POINTS: Wm. Schaeffer-255, F. Schneider-8

APRIL 10 Anderson Co. RBA at Anderson, South Carolina ADRC#6029
 JUDGE: Joe Frizzell # Dutch 69 # Exhibitors 14
 BOB: BLK SB-MIKE GIBSON BOS: GRAY JD-BUD KARRIKER
 33 Blk:SB-M. Gibson, 13 Blue:SB-Victor Sigmon, 11 Choc:SD & 10 Tort SB-Mickey Watters, 2 Steel:JB & 4 Gray JD-Bud Karriker
 POINTS: M. Watters-484, M. Gibson-219, V. Sigmon-76, Sanders-40, Bud Karriker-70½, D. Simpson-20, Al Meier-10

APRIL 10 - Moonlighters RC at Albert Lea, Minnesota ADRC #426
 JUDGE: Doris Leibel # Dutch 12 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLACK SB & BOS: TORT SD-STEVE BLYTHE
 2 Blk:SB & 3 Tort:JB-S. Blythe, 4 Blue:SB-Erickson, 3 Choc:SB-Jacobson POINTS: Steve Blythe-60, Joy Johannes-14, A.E.Jacobson-12 Louise Erickson-12, Doug Anderson-8

APRIL 10, Arkansas Fed of Dom. RB at Jacksonville, Arkansas ADRC#6007
 JUDGE: Charles Wade # Dutch 8 # Exhibitors 4
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK JD-CHARLES HILL 8 Blk:SB-Charles Hill
 POINTS: Charles Hill-63

APRIL 10-11-FairGame RC at Crescent City, California ADRC #6082
 JUDGE: Robert Herschback # Dutch 13 # Exhibitors 8
 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: CHOC SD-NON MEMBERS 5 Blk:SB, 4 Blue:SB, 1Choc:SD
 3 Gray:SD-nm, POINTS: Dunning-20

APRIL 10-11 - High Plain RBA at Plainview, Texas ADRC #6080
 JUDGE: Clyde Fulkerson # Dutch 48 # Exhibitors 6
 BOB: BLK JD-BOBBY SIMMONS BOS: CHOC SB-SCOTT'S RABBITRY
 11 Blk:JD, Simmons, 16 Blue:SB, 14 Choc:SB & 4 Torts:SD-Scott's
 2 Steel:SB & 1 Gray:SB-R.W. Berry POINTS: Scott's-384, Bobby Simmons-169, R.W. Berry-74, K. Smith-36, C. Bulman-9

APRIL 11 Central Wisconsin RBA at Blinker, Wisconsin ADRC #336
 JUDGE: Clem Steinhoff # Dutch 16 # Exhibitors 3
 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLK SB-ROGER GUETSCHOW 7 Blk:SB, 4 Blue:SD,
 1 Choc:JD & 4 Tort:SD-R. Guetschow POINTS: Guetschow-132,
 H. Oesterreich-36

APRIL 15, 16, 17 - Alberta RBA at Calgary, Alberta, Canada ADRC#6119
 JUDGE: Elliot Barnes # Dutch 21 # Exhibitors 4
 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLK SB-P. EYMA 8 Blk:SD, 3 Blue:SD, 8 Choc:JD &
 2 Tort:JD-Eyma POINTS: P. Eyma-172½

APRIL 17 - Ohio State RBA at Ashland, Ohio ADRC #6122
 JUDGE: Joe Frizzell # Dutch 25 # Exhibitors 5
 BOB: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER BOS: BLK SD-BUTLER'S RABBITRY
 9 Blk:SB-Ed Chandler, 6 Blue:SB & 2 Steel:SD-Larry Nixon (CONTINUED)

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APRIL 17 - OHIO STATE RBA CONTINUED

5 Choc:SB-Jack's Bunnies, 3 Tort:SB-Mike's Rabbitry
POINTS: Ed Chandler-120, Mike's Rabbitry-64, Larry Nixon-51,
Butler's Rabbitry-50½, Jack's Bunnies-28

APRIL 21-25-Pima Town & Country Fair At Tucson, Arizona ADRC #6112

JUDGE: Elmer Paquette # Dutch 47 # Exhibitors 4
BOB: BLUE: JB-WENTON CARLTON BOS: CHOC SD-JENNIFER MILBURN
11 Blk:SB-Milburn, 9 Blue:JB, 13 Choc:JB, 1 Tort:SB, 7 Steel:JB and
6 Gray:SB-Carlton POINTS: Wenton Carlton-500, Jennifer Milburn-131½

APRIL 24 - All State RC at Big Springs, Nebraska ADRC #408

JUDGE: Conall Addison # Dutch 48 # Exhibitors 10
BOB: BLK SB-NON MEMBER BOS: BLUE JD-SWEET SUCCESS RABBITRY
11 Blk:SB-nm, 13 Blue:JD, 1 Steel:JB & 6 Gray:JD-Sweet Success,
7 Choc:JB-Platte Valley, 10 Tort:SB-J&D Myers POINTS: Sweet Success-
265, Platte Valley Rabbitry-56, D. Golich-55, J & D Myers-24,
Nebraskaland Rabbitry-18

APRIL 25 - Indianapolis RF at Indianapolis, Indiana ADRC #6085

JUDGE: Harold Conrad # Dutch 58 # Exhibitors 7
BOB: BLK SD & BOS: BLK SB - TERRY REED
21 Blk:SD, 13 Blue:JB, 11 Choc:SD & 2 Steel:SD-Terry Reed, 10 Tort:
SB & 2 Gray:-nm POINTS: Terry Reed-447, Helena Burkholder-42
Korn's Rabbitry-12, Dennis Holcomb-12

A LETTER TO LARRY:

I would like to report some good news for the Dutch Bulletin,
at the CALIFORNIA STATE CONVENTION SHOW held at SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA,
on APRIL 3rd & 4th, 1976. A total of over 1,300 Rabbits in the OPEN
DIVISION, and a 4 month old BLACK DUTCH DOE took BEST IN SHOW.
Owned by ROXANNA HAWKINS of Salinas, California, she is only 14 years
old, but always shows in the open division, there were somewhere
around 125 Dutch.

Walt Hawkins - Her Father

Thanks to the proud Father for sending us this information, we know
that Roxanna shows in open, when we are typing those show reports
and she always seems to be in the winner's circle. CONGRATULATIONS
TO ROXANNA. Keep it up. Kathy

Dear Kathy:

Just returned from ATLANTA, GEORGIA to another rabbit show, but
this was different. The ATLANTA CLUB held their show at the Farmer's
Market, this was the nicest building & set up I have ever been to.
The ladies of the club had baked all kinds of cake for us breeders,
the WHOLE SHOW WAS JUST GREAT. Mr. Dave Lucas & Mr. Joe Portwood &
the members of the club flat did an outstanding job. This club
should be COMMENDED FOR A JOB WELL DONE. We won Best FANCY with a
CHOCOLATE SENIOR DOE, the Trophy is BEAUTIFUL. Mickey & Lisa Watters
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE Watters and also to the Atlanta Club, you must
do something right to get this kind of feeling. Kathy

UPCOMING SHOWS - 1976

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- JUNE 5 Rogue Valley RBA at Grants Pass, Oregon ADRC #6158
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- JUNE 6 York Co. RBA at York County, Maine ADRC #6182
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- JUNE 12-13 High Sierra R&CBA at Bishop, California ADRC #6152
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- JUNE 27 Portsmouth RBA at Portsmouth, Ohio ADRC #6164
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- AUG. 13-15 Marion County Fair at Indianapolis, Indiana ADRC #6194
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 * THANKS a heap.

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CHOCOLATE DUTCH
By CHAS. O. LEWIS

For years the A.O.C. classes in Dutch were composed of the odd colors, blue-gray, blue fawn and occasionally, in years gone by a yellow. To these the judges gave scant consideration in selecting best Dutch, best Junior, etc., as their various shades and light belly color made it difficult for a judge to determine ungercut, color runs, etc.

In the fall of 1935 after considering the matter for a year or so, I made a contact with Mr. E. Mitchell of Northhampton, England through the secretary of the United Kingdom Dutch Club and I purchased from him the first Chocolates to come to America, among them being the buck which won the 1933 Junior Chocolate cup and was runner-up for the adult cup the next year.

As our American standard does not provide a special color class for Chocolates, they have been shown in the A.O.C. classes and have had no trouble winning over their lighter colored and various shaded competitors which formerly dominated those classes. In fact, at some of the large shows they have caused the judges to notice them to the extent of a best Dutch win at Orangeburg, New York, a best Junior win at Mineola fair and best A.O.C. at many shows including two convention shows. This proves conclusively that the Chocolate are here to stay and a challenge to the Blacks & Blue for premium honors previously exclusively won by those two colors.

This contact with Mr. Mitchell has resulted in a friendship by correspondence, which I value very highly and has brought considerable pleasure to me & has shown him to be a fancier, willing at any time to contribute his knowledge & experience for the advancement of the Dutch & benefit of the American fancier. He is now a member of our American Dutch Rabbit Club and one of who we can be justly proud.

As Mr. Mitchell's previous article on Chocolate Dutch explained he started to make Chocolate Dutch in 1925 with a very fine Black buck & 3 good (for those days) Havana does & by careful selection & judicious breeding brought along his strain until in 1933 he produced the buck which won the English Junior Chocolate cup for that year & narrowly missed getting the adult cup the following year. This buck is the one mentioned above.

In my correspondence with him during the past two years he has been my constant adviser in the breeding of Chocolates on this side, being just as anxious as I to see that they progressed properly. For the benefit of Dutch fanciers at large, I am giving below some of his hints which might well apply to some of our other breeds as well.

The following are quotations from Mr. Mitchell's letters:

"You can correct heavy cheek markings in does by mating to bucks with CORRECT cheeks, NOT high ones, as there is a tendency in Dutch to ultimately run high. In fact, if not watched, the white to beat out the color markings all over the body and then throw piebalds (pintos) as Western Americans call them."

"It sometimes helps if you want to put in good points to catch the prospective parent with the good point desired, right on top breeding condition; and the other side less keen. Also a hint; a doe mates when she is ready and sometimes a favorite buck is used when somewhat stale, and resultant youngsters follow (CONTINUED)

CHOCOLATES CONTINUED

after the doe, her nature at the time of mating being stronger."

In connection with the care of my winning young buck Chocolate Brown Bomber, his advice was as follows and might well apply to any good buck.

"Don't over-show him. Just keep him for your big convention show this month (Fort Wayne) and hold him at stud at 7 months to your best does, keeping away naturally from faults same on both sides. Use him quietly until 10 months old. Give him a white of an egg, say twice a week in a little crumbly moist mash, just what he will eat at one meal. A hint I would pass on for use in all your bucks also sluggish does. If the white of an egg does not work on sluggish does, try maple peas well soaked. Also plenty of exercise on the floor and a night or two in a spare buck hutch."

In addition to the straight chocolate matings, it is advisable to breed a chocolate buck to a good Black doe, preferably of straight black blood. This mating will produce all Black Dutch in fact the mating of a Chocolate buck to any color doe except Chocolate will produce all Black Dutch just as a Havana buck will produce all Blacks when mated to any other color. The young of this litter will in all probability be not very well marked due to the outcross, but the best of the does should be kept and bred back to the Chocolate buck, when the resulting litters will produce both Black & Chocolate in varying amounts. The Chocolates from these litters can then be worked into the regular line thus adding new blood and at the same time tending to deepen the Chocolate color. The Blacks can be bred together to insure having on hand a Choco-Black doe or two when needed.

The color of the Chocolate Dutch is a rich dark reddish shade Chocolate and not the dark brown shade seen on our present day Havanas, especially those of imported English strains.

In showing juniors, I have found in some instances that the judge remarked "light in color". The Chocolates are like Havanas in a good many respects, but the juniors due to their markings, can be shown at an early age, long before they have their dark adult color and coat, while a junior Havana is generally held until he has a good dark coat before being shown. Judges should take this into consideration when judging Chocolates especially juniors and should not judge them from the color standpoint of the Havana.

Like Havanas they should be kept in indoor hutches away from the direct light which has a tendency to fade and burn the color. The Chocolates have wonderful type, and if our American breeders will try to hold to it, and in the introduction of new blood, either of Chocolate or through Black does be sure, to give it careful consideration there is no reason why in the near future a Chocolate should not be bred which will wrest top honors, away from the Blacks and Blues at our large shows.

My experience with Chocolates during two years has shown me very plainly the mistake we American breeders have always made in outcrossing too much instead of inbreeding. I think every Dutch breeder gets inquiries which call for an unrelated pair or trio, and it is hard to convince the beginner that a closely related pair or trio of selected breeders from the same strain will produce better results than can be obtained from an outcross of outstanding specimens obtained from different breeders. (CONTINUED)

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When one considers that since 1925 this strain of chocolates has been bred together, with no outside blood being introduced except by the Choco-Black line, and still produces more active and vigorous stock than a good many outcrosses do, one must realize that in order to breed the best Dutch, one must stick to one strain and by careful selection of the best and strongest build up a line of winners for one's self. Brother to sister, son to dam, sire to daughter, half brother to half sister, etc. Do not be afraid to make these matings but just be sure the same faults aren't on both sides, for in closely related stock such as you will eventually breed, faults are very easily accentuated, if not guarded against, just as good points are as easily bred into the line.

Dutch fanciers, who are now raising Chocolates & those who eventually will, will find me at any time ready and willing to do all I can to help them along just as our English club member, Mr. E. Mitchell, has helped me.

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COMMON RABBIT DISEASES & THEIR CONTROL

EAR CANKER

CAUSE-Caused by the mange mite a very small mite that infests the ears of rabbits.

SYMPTOM - Irritation set up in the ear by the mites is followed by the formation of scabs. These itch and the rabbits will likely scratch or hold head to one side. If mites reach inner ear, pus poisoning and wry neck or even death may follow

CURE-Kill mites with any good carbolated ointment after first removing the ear scabs with a sterile blunt instrument. Treatment without first removing the scabs may prove ineffective. Never wait until the mites have reach the inner ear because control may then be impossible.

SORE HOCKS

CAUSE-Bacterial infection of the hock following bruises or scratches. Found most in filthy hutches, and in hutches with wire or slatted bottoms.

SYMPTOM-The hocks are affected by sores which are slow to heal. Pus may form and the animal will be very uncomfortable. The very heavy breeds are most subject to sore hocks.

CURE-First clip hair over sore area, then drain sore of any pus that may be present. In mild cases a simple dressing of carbolated vaseline may cure while the more severe sores should be disinfected with iodine or mercurochrome and then the hock wrapped to keep it clean during the process of healing. Repeat this treatment as often as needed until the hock is well. A straw litter will help prevent hock injuries.

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EDITORS' COMMENTS

On May 1st we traveled to Mansfield, Ohio to the Ohio State all Dutch show. The weather was real nice when we arrived and there was a nice entry of Dutch.

It was a real nice show and Kathy & I enjoyed visiting with all the Ohio Breeders at the show and at the Ohio State Dutch Club meeting that followed.

That evening we went over to Mike Stinehelfer's and went through his rabbitry and saw a lot of real nice Dutch. Sure had the nest boxes full.

Then the Stinehelfers, Morgans, Wiremans and ourselves went out to eat and spent a very enjoyable evening talking rabbits and playing cards.

It was a Very ENJOYABLE weekend and Kathy & I extend our THANKS to the OHIO DUTCH BREEDERS for their very fine hospitality.

In the last issue we asked that all material be to us by a 20th of the month deadline - - - Well it didn't do much good to ask. This month we had more late material than ever before. We printed it (or most of it) this month, but next issue anything that reaches us after the 20th will not be printed. REMEMBER ANYTHING NOT IN OUR HANDS ON OR BEFORE THE 20th of JULY will not be printed.

The nest boxes in our rabbitry are all full of young Dutch with some nice ones coming along for the fall shows. Hope all of you have good luck and raise a few winners.

Bob is done and so here I go - - I would like to THANK everyone for their articles and ads, also for some very nice letters. I did finally learn how to pronounce Bucyrus - - although I don't think I can believe Elmer Hands - Bursitis????????? It seems the Ohio breeders are learning pretty fast that I will bug you to death until I get an ad - - I really don't think I am that bad - - - just persistent! Bob & I got to meet Al & Esther Emery and this was a real nice experience, seems Esther came out money ahead - - wonder if she did give Al a dollar???? Bob said, "we were playing cards," well Macel & Ruth said something about "taking the suckers." It was fun.

We have been pretty busy around here since our last issue. Got two Illinois News in the mail, visited with rabbit folks, out to Ohio, made it to a couple of one day shows, been roller skating a couple of times with Bobbi, shopping with Kathy & Nanette for their prom, sat up one night with Suzette who was pretty sick, she's ok now, went to a sport's banquet with Nanette, been trying to lose about 10 pounds and I have 4 more to go, then exercising like crazy, taking caring of some ducks (42) and keeping the house livable, even managed to make a couple of cakes for Bob's & Kathy's birthdays, and then one day Bob asked me, "If I was losing interest in the DR & News, because I wasn't getting to them very good?" I just answered, "No, but you could maybe give me a couple of more hours to the day." HAVE A GOOD SUMMER and keep the News coming in. Bob & Kathy

Ed's Note: The following pages have come in late and I will have to cram in order to get as much of this in as possible.

SHOW REPORTS

APRIL 3-4-California State R&CBA at San Jose, ADRC #416 # Dutch113

JUDGE: Robert Sprague BOB: BLK JD-ROXANNA HAWKINS BOS: BLK JB-CLIPFORT RABBITLY # of Exhibitors 21

BLACKS (31) BV-JD BOV-JB

Sr Bucks (10) Clipfort, Meyer, nm, nm, Clipfort SR Does (1) May

Jr. Bucks (8) Clipfort, May, Paquette, Clipfort, nm

Jr. Does (12) Hawkins, Clipfort, Conley, May, Paquette

BLUES: (26) BV-SD BOV-SB

Sr. Bucks (8) Clipfort, Clipfort, Clipfort, Hawkins, L. Indihar

Sr. Does (4) Hawkins, Hawkins, Clipfort, Paquette

Jr. Bucks (7) (All five places Clipfort)

Jr. Does (7) Conley, Hawkins, nm, Anderson, Clipfort

CHOCOLATES (16) BV-SD BOV-SB

Sr. Bucks (6) Clipfort, Hawkins, Paris, Clipfort, Clipfort

Sr. Does (4) Clipfort, Lees, Clipfort, Clipfort

Jr. Bucks (3) 1st, 2nd & 3rd-Clipfort Jr. Does (3) 1 & 2 Clipfort 3-?

TORTOISE (13) BV-SD BOV-SB

Sr. Bucks (6) Clipfort, Timmer, Clipfort, nm, nm

Sr. Does (3) Clipfort, P. Indihar, Hawkins

Jr. Bucks (2) Both Clipfort Jr. Does (2) Conely, Anderson

STEEL (9) BV-SB BOV-SD

Sr. Bucks (3) Edie Ferrari, Clipfort, R. Ferrari

Sr. Does (2) Hawkins, Terry Ferrari

Jr. Bucks (2) Conley, Clipfort Jr. Does (2) E. Ferrari, Conley

GRAYS (18) BV-JD BOV-JB

Sr. Bucks (6) Conley, Conley, Clipfort, Cochran, Samson

Sr. Does (5) Clipfort, Samson, Hawkins, Clipfort, Disqualified

Jr. Bucks (1) nm Jr. Does (6) nm, Clipfort, Clipfort, Clipfort, Clf.

POINTS: Clipfort-888½, Roxanna Hawkins-299, Paul & Laura Conley-170,

Harold May-62, Brian Meyer-40, Elmer Paquette-44, Edie Ferrari-30

Bobbi Samson-26, Jerry Timmer-24, Rick Anderson-22, Mike Paris-18

Carolyn Lees-12, R. Ferrari-9, Ludwig Indihar-8, Terry Ferrari-8

FEBRUARY 29 at Hilliard, Ohio by Columbus RBA ADRC #427

JUDGE: G.A. Burke # Dutch 117 # Exhibitors 32

BOB: BLK SB-ED CHANDLER BOS: CHOC SD-COUNTRY SUNSHINE (Wiremans)

BLACKS (38) BV-SB BOV-JD

Sr. Bucks (17)-Chandler, Chandler, Barton, nm, nm

Sr. Does (10)-Gunsett, nm, Jack's Bunnies, nm, nm

Jr. Bucks (6)-Ulrich, Morgan, Chandler, nm, Gunsett

Jr. Does (5)-nm, Hand 'n' Hand, H. Burkholder, Hirsch, Hirsch

BLUES: (17) BV-JD BOV-SB

Sr. Bucks (7) Mike's, Leonhaus, Morgan, nm, Sutton

Sr. Does (3) Hand 'n' Hand, nm, Sutton J.Bk (2)-Morgan, Mike's

Jr. Does (5)-nm, nm, Hand 'n' Hand, Mike's, Hand 'n' Hand

CHOCOLATES (35) BV-SD BOV-SB

Sr. Bucks (8) Jacks, Country Sunshine, Hand 'n' Hand, Schill, nm

Sr. Does (9) Country Sunshine, Morgan, Hand 'n' Hand, Morris, Koch

Jr. Bucks (12) Mike's, Sutton, Mike's Ulrich, nm

Jr. Does (6) Mike's, H. Burkholder, Morris, D. Burkholder, Mike's

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SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

COLUMBUS RBA CONTINUED

TORTOISE (8) BV-SD BOV-SB
 Sr. Bucks (2) Sutton, nm Sr. Does (1) nm
 Jr. Bucks (3) nm, Sutton, Disq. Jr. Does (2) nm, nm
 STEELS (7) BV-SB BOV-JD
 Sr. Bucks (3) Mike's, nm, Mike's Sr. Does (1) Imes
 Jr. Bucks (2) Imes, nm Jr. Does (1) Imes
 GRAYS (12) BV-SB BOV-JD
 Sr. Bucks (3) Barton, Barton, Imes Sr. Does (1) Imes
 Jr. Bucks (4) Barton, Imes, Imes, Barton
 Jr. Does (4) Imes, Imes, Imes, Barton
 POINTS: Ed Chandler-305, Mike's-237, Country Sunshine-144½,
 Barton's-121, J.C. Imes-119, Hand 'n' Hand-109, Glen Morgan-93,
 John Sutton-88, Jack's-78, Sherry Gunsett-66, Ken Ulrich-60,
 Helena Burkholder-39, Williard Morris-36, Leonhaus Rabbitry-28,
 George & Jean Schill-16, Bob Hirsch-15, David Burkholder-12,
 Mary Ann Koch-9

JANUARY 4 - San Gabriel Valley R&CBA at Pomona, California ADRC 342

JUDGE: Orian Onkst # Dutch 32, # Exh. 7 BOB: STEEL SD and BOS
 BLK SB-MIKE LOVEJOY 8 Blk:JB, 7 Blue:SB, 4 Tort:SD & 3 Gray:SB-
 Clipfort, 3 Choc:S?-H. Reid, 5 Steel:SD-M. Lovejoy POINTS:
 Mike Lovejoy-152, Clipfort-142, H. Reid-30, J.P. Allen-23,
 J. L. Bidwell-6

FEBRUARY 22 Central Arizona RB at Phoenix ADRC #6041 JUDGE: Allen
 Barr # Dutch 87, # Exh. 12 BOB: TORT SD & BOS: TORT SB-CLIPFORT
 17 Blk:JD, 18 Blue:SB, 9 Tort:SD-Clipfort, 19 Choc:SD, 9 Steel:SD and
 14 Gray:JB-Carlton's POINTS: Clipfort-625½, Carlton's-329, D.
 Holloway-154, Laura Eskew-94, A. Scheuer-18, Eric Murphy-18,
 Lucky Charms-6, J. Williams-17

MARCH 7 Kankakee Valley RBA at St. Anne, Illinois ADRC #6106

JUDGE: Ivan Miller # Dutch 58, # Exh. 17 BOB: BLK SB-AL SEEMAN
 BOS: BLK SD-BOB KAHLER 28 Blk:SB-Al Seeman, 13 Blue:SB-Bob Kahler,
 9 Choc:SB & 1 Steel:SD-L&J Archer, 7 Tort:SD-Veen's Triple V
 POINTS: Bob Kahler-178, Al Seeman-142, Leo & Janice Archer-96,
 Don Reid-77, George Williams-70, John Nelson-66, MV Rabbitry-36,
 W & A Lorenz-30, Imon & Cathy Sikes-28, Mike Avesing-27, Dan Erickson-
 20, Veen's Triple V-14

MARCH 12-14 Chattanooga RBA at Ringold, Georgia ADRC #6062

JUDGE: Glen Carr # Dutch 77, # Exh. 10 BOB: CHOC JB-NON MEMBER
 BOS: CHOC SD-MICKEY WATTERS 26 Black:SB-M.Gibson, 18 Blue:SB and
 2 Gray:SD-M. Watters, 17 Choc:JB-nm, 11 Tort:SB-Joe Portwood,
 2 Steel:SB-Doug Simpson POINTS: M. Watters-571½, Joe Portwood-226,
 M. Gibson-131, W.R. Griffith-81, D. Simpson-12

MARCH 13 Rabbit Promoters of San Mateo at Daly City, California

ADRC #6058, # Dutch 78 # Exh. 17 BOB: BLUE SB & BOS: BLUE SD
 ROXANNA HAWKINS 20 Blk:SB, 10 Choc:JD, 13 Tort:SD & 8 Steel:SB-
 Clipfort, 14 Blue:SB-R. Hawkins, 12 Gray:SB-P&L Conley POINTS:
 Clipfort-551, R. Hawkins-165, P&L Conley-112, B. Meyer-48, T.Forsyth-
 42, S. Ranellati-36, B. White-34, Mrs. B. Samson-25, J. Timmer-20,
 E. Ferrari-18, R. Ferrari-9, Toni Ferrari-9, J&C Garrison-9, T.Ferrari-12

SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

MARCH 13-14 Jackson Purchase RBA at Murray, Kentucky ADRC #6107
 JUDGE: Don Burchfield # Dutch 14, # Exh. 6 BOB: GRAY:SD-NM
 BOS: GRAY SB-EVA SANDERS
 2 Blk:SB & 2 Gray:SD-nm, 1 Blue:SB & 9 Choc:JB-Kroeger's Rabbitry
 POINTS: Eva Sanders-21, Kroeger's-21

MARCH 14 State Line RBA at Adrian, Michigan ADRC # 6021 JUDGE:
 Lowell Trausch # Dutch 30, # Exh. 11 BOB: BLK SD & BOS: BLK SB-
 SHERRY GUNSETT 12 Blk:SD-Gunsett, 5 Blue:SB, -L. Cooper, 7 Choc:SB-nm,
 3 Tort:SD-R. Wickert, 1 Steel:SB-K. Lamson, 2 Gray:SD-Weinhardt's
 POINTS: S. Gunsett-109, L. Cooper-70, B. Szymanowski-44, K.Lamson-35,
 J. Ery-20, R. Wickert-18, Weinhardt's-12

MARCH 20 Yamhill Co. RBA at McMinnville, Oregon ADRC #6118
 JUDGE: J. C. Lowit # Dutch 10, # Exh. 6 BOB: STEEL SD-NON MEMBER
 BOS: BLUE SB-T. GORDON 2 BlkSB-nm, 6 Blue:SB & 2 Steel SD-T.Gordon
 POINTS: T. Gordon-23, JoAnn Burton-8

MARCH 21 Pony Express RBA at St. Joseph, Missouri ADRC #375
 JUDGE: Darrell Bramhall # Dutch 28, # Exh. 11 BOB: BLUE JB-GILLISPIES
 BOS: CHOC JD-DON WOODIN
 16 Blk:JD-R.Ernst, 4 Blue:JB-Gillispies, 6 Choc:JD-D. Woodin, 2 Tort:
 JD-B. Evertson POINTS: D. Woodin-81, B. Evertson-42, R. Ernst-38,
 Russ's-36, Gillispies-36, K. Williams-28

MARCH 21 Grundy Co. RBA at Coal City, Illinois ADRC #384
 JUDGE: Ivan Miller # Dutch 76 # Exh. 21
 BOB: BLK SB-AL SEEMAN BOS: CHOC JD-WM. ECK
 34 Blk:SB-Al Seeman, 23 Blue:SB-Bob Kahler, 8 Choc:JD-Bill Eck
 3 Tort:SD, 2 Steel:SD & 6 Gray:SD-nm POINTS: Al Seeman-181,
 Don Reid-139, L&J Archer-132, Bill Eck-128, B. Kahler-113, Dieter's_
 100, W. Lorenz-60, Burger's-59, George Williams-40, O'Bies-36,
 J. Sikes-20, P. Auth-15, Liza Kuzdas-9, M-V Rabbitry-9, Veen's-8

MARCH 26 Decatur RBA at Atlanta, Georgia ADRC #6073 JUDGE: Harold
 Conrad # Dutch 81, # Exh. 16 BOB: CHOC SD-MICKEY WATTERS
 BOS: BLK SB-MIKE GIPSON 33 Blk:SD, 20 Blue:SB, 10 Choc:SD, 11 Tort:
 JB & 3 Gray:SD-M. Watters, 2 Steel:JB-D. Simpson POINTS:M.Watters-554
 Joe Portwood-184, M. Gipson-172½, B. Griffith-56, V. Sigmon-54
 Simpson-48, L&D Archer-38, B. Tuck-8

MARCH 28 Tibbar RBA at New Lenox, Illinois ADRC #6014 JUDGE: Ray
 Bradway # Dutch 59 # Exh. 14 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK JD-AL SEEMAN
 20 Blk:SB-Al Seeman, 22 Blue:SD-Don Reid, 7 Choc:SB-John Miller,
 9 Tort:SD-Veen's, 1 Gray:SB-nm, POINTS: Roger Guetschow-168,
 Al Seeman-160½, Bob Kahler-142, Don Reid-98, John Miller-66,
 W. Lorenz-58, Evergreen-52, Veen's-48, L&J Archer-48, George Williams
 24, Burger's Rabbitry-6

APRIL 2-4, El.Alabama RBA at Birmingham, ADRC #6031 JUDGE: John
 Cosley # Dutch 39, # Exh. 7 BOB: CHOC SB & BOS: CHOC SD-MICKEY
 WATTERS 12 Blk:SD, 8 Blue SB, 5 Choc:SB, 13 Tort:SB & 1 Gray:SD-
 Mickey Watters POINTS: M. Watters-340½, L. Archer-30, Hughen's Hares
 20

APRIL 3 Tualatin Valley RBA at Hillsboro, Oregon ADRC #414
 JUDGE: Joe Young # Dutch 28 # Exh. 13 BOB: BLK SB-NON MEMBER
 BOS: STEEL SD-NON MEMBER 9 Blk:SB, 2 Choc:JD-nm, 8 Blue:SB-J.Burton

SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

TUALATIN CONTINUED 5 Tort: not listed, 4 Steel:SB-T. Gordon POINTS: M&J Parmer-58, T. Gordon-20, JoAnn Burton-12, D. McDaniel-12

APRIL 3 Tidewater RBA at Baykins, Virginia ADR #6113 JUDGE: WM. Franklin # Dutch 25, # Exh. 4 BOB: BLUE SB & BOS: BLUE SD-E.D. SMITH 9 Blk:SB-nm, 5 Blue:SB, 3 Choc:SB & 4Tort:JD-E.D. Smith 4 Gray:SB-L. Heath POINTS: E.D.Smith-165½, L.E. Heath-58

APRIL 3-4, Texas RBA at New Braunfels, Texas ADR #6023, JUDGE: Dean Bryant # Dutch 90, # Exh. 12, BOB: BLUE SD-R.C. FARRILL BOS: ? JB-CLYDE & DORIS JONES 20 Blk:JB-T. Kyle, 6 Blue:SD-R.C. Farrill, 11 Choc:JB & 5 Steel:JD-C&D Jones, 34 Tort:JB-Don & Nelle Brady, 14 Gray:SB-E & R Antwine POINTS: D&N Brady-515, R.C. Farrill-295, C&D Jones-244, K. McCracken-143, E&R Antwine-87, T. Kyle-60, K. Schwenke-26, D&J Lorenz-16

APRIL 3-4, Louisville, Kentucky by the Falls Cities RBA ADR #370 JUDGE: Harry Rice # Dutch 21, # Exh. 8 BOB: ? JB & BOS: BLUE JD-MARTIN BLUNSCHI 11 Blk:JB, 4 Choc:JB-Blunschi, 1 Blue:SD & 2 Steel: JB-D. Simpson, 2 Tort:SB & 1Gray:SB-nm, POINTS: M. Blunschi-97½ L. Bosse-36, D. Simpson-26, R. Vessels-20

APRIL 3-5 North Central Alabama RBA at Birmingham, ADR #6116 JUDGE: Stuart Griffith, # Dutch 38, # Exh 8, BOB: CHOC SD & BOS: TORT JB-MICKEY WATTERS 12 Blk:JD, 8 Blue:SB, 5 Choc:SD & 1 Gray:SD-Watters, 13 Tort:JB-nm, POINTS: M. Watters-393, L&D Archer-18, Hughens Hares-10

APRIL 4-3 Corners RC of Kansas at Hutchinson ADR #6024, JUDGE:Cecil Green # Dutch 46, # Exh. 6, BOB: GRAY JD & BOS: BLUE JD-L&L Johnson 20 Blk: JD & 7 Choc:SB-R. Ernst, 8 Blue:JB, 5 Tort:SD & 5 Gray:JD-L&L Johnson, 1 Steel:SB-Addison POINTS: L&L Johnson-268, R. Ernst-157, Addison-124, B. Evertson-34

APRIL 4, Bucks Co. R&CBA at Skippack, Pennsylvania ADR #419, JUDGE: Marvin Godshall, # Dutch 37, # Exh. 9 BOB: BLK JB & BOS: STEEL JD-DIXIE RANCK 12 Blk:JB, 7 Choc:SB, 2 Steel:JD & 1 Gray:SB-D. Ranck, 4 Blue:JB-E. Randall, 11 Tort:SB-S. Rinebold POINTS: D. Ranck-191½, S. Rinebold-82, L.Fetter-57, W. Radeline-34, A. Rone-28, L. Heid-18, E. Randall-12

APRIL 10 Yakima Valley RBA at Selah, Washington, ADR #6108 JUDGE: O.W. Williams # Dutch 19, #Exh., 5 BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK JD-KELLY'S RABBIT RANCH 7 Blk:SB, 3 Blue:SD & 5 Choc:JB-Kelley's, 2 Tort:SB & 1 Gray:JD-C.R.Bates, 1 Steel:JB-nm, POINTS: Kelly's-121½, C.R. Bates-50, D. McDaniel-12

APRIL 10 North Central Missouri RBA at Sedalia, ADR #6061 JUDGE: Pete Naylor # Dutch 33, # Exh. 10, BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLUE: SD JACK GILMORE 19 Blk:SB-J. Gilmore, 4 Blue:JB-Gillispie's, 6 Choc:JB-nm, 4 Tort:JB. B. Dodge POINTS: Jack Gilmore-218½, R. Hess-36 Gillispie's-26, Billy Dodge-6, B. Evertson-6

APRIL 10 Mall City RBA at Kalamazoo, Michigan ADR #6020 JUDGE: Oren Reynolds # Dutch 32, # Exh. 8 BOB: ? SB-LYNN COOPER BOS: ? SB-MYRL MILHAHN, 13 Blk:SB & 8 Blue:SB-L. Cooper, 8 Choc:SB-M. Milhahn, 2 Steel:SB & 1 Gray:SD-Weinhardt's, POINTS: Cooper-158, Milhahn-110, D.Priestely-45, J.Ery-42, P.Dyer-35, D. Reid-24, Weinhardt's-24

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APRIL 10, Greater New Orleans RBA at Metairie, Louisiana ADRC #6103
 JUDGE: Ed Storey, # Dutch 17, # Exh. 6, BOB: BLK JD-ANDREW WINGFIELD,
 BOB: CHOC: JB-C&C ALEXANDER 7 Blk:JD-Wingfield, 2 Blue:JD & 3 Choc:
 SD-Alexander, 4 Tort:SB-nm, POINTS:Alexander-64½, Wingfield-59

APRIL 10, Tri-Co. RC at Richmond, Virginia ADRC #6096 # Dutch 35,
 JUDGE: Wm. J. Franklin, # Exh. 6 BOB: GRAY SB-LEWIS HEATH, BOS: BLUE
 SD-E.D. SMITH 11 Blk;SB-Rawls, 5 Blue:SB, 5 Tort:JD&1Stl:SD-Smith
 7 Choc:SB & 7 Gray:SB-Heath POINTS: E.D.Smith-179½, L. Heath-122,
 D. Rawls-82, C. B. Kemper-48

APRIL 10-11 Lincoln Trail RBA, LaRue Co. Fairgrounds, Kentucky
 ADRC #374, JUDGE: Don Burchfield, # Dutch 5, # Exh. 3 BOB: GRAY SB
 EVA SANDERS, BOS: BLK SD-NM, 3 Blk:SB, 1Choc:SB & 1 Gray:SB-Sanders
 POINTS: Eva Sanders-23

APRIL 11 Western Massachusetts RBA at Wilbrahm, ADRC #6025, JUDGE:
 John Rod, # Dutch 86, # Exh. 18 BOB: BLK JB & BOS: BLUE JD-JIM ROY
 29 Blk:, 6 Blue:JD & 21 Choc:SB-Jim Roy, 17 Tort:SB-Schaefer, 5 Steel
 SB-Jenks, 8 Gray:SB-Jurgelonis, POINTS: Wm.Schaefer-399, Jim Roy-390,
 D&B Mahan-90, Mark Bean-81, M. Cavacco-75, R. Sidman-25, Jurgelonis-30

APRIL 11 San Gabriel Valley RBA at Pomona, California ADRC #6097
 JUDGE: Allen Barr, # Dutch 76, # Exh. 5, BOB: ? SB-CLIPFORT RABBITRY
 BOS: GRAY JD-MIKE LOVEJOY 18 Blk:SB, 13 Choc:JB & 6 Steel:JB-
 Clipfort, 14 Blue:JD, 10 Tort:SB & 15 Gray:JD-M. Lovejoy, POINTS:
 Clipfort-726, Lovejoy-359, J.P. Allen-36, H.Reid-8, R. Tyler-8

APRIL 11 National Capital RBA at Gaithersburg, Maryland ADRC #6114
 JUDGE: Lawrence Ritter, # Dutch 24, # Exh. 6 BOB: CHOC SB-LEWIS
 HEATH, BOS: STEEL SD-WARREN MCNAMARA, 7 Blk:SB, & 3 Blue:JB-McNamara
 4 Choc:SB-Heath, 6 Steel:SB & 4 Gray:SB-N. Pierce POINTS: McNamara-
 78, N. Pierce-44, H.Smith-44, Heath-42, D. Rohrer-22

APRIL 24 Blue Mountain RBA at LaGrande, Oregon ADRC #6089, JUDGE:
 Lester Helm, # Dutch 12, # Exh. 3 BOB: CHOC JB & BOS: CHOC JD-JIM
 KELLY 3 Blk:SB & 7 Choc:JB-J. Kelly, 1 Blue:SB & 1 Tort:SB-nm
 POINTS: Jim Kelly-109

APRIL 24 White Lake RBA at Montague, Michigan ADRC #6088, JUDGE: Bob
 Shaftoe # Dutch 5, # Exh. 2, BOB: CHOC SB & BOS: BLUE SD-NM 3 Choc:
 SB & 2 Blue:SD-nm POINTS: NONE non members

APRIL 24-25 Pecos Valley RBA at Roswell, New Mexico ADRC #6148
 JUDGE: Stan Pulliam # Dutch 20 # Exh. 4
 BOB: GRAY SB & BOS: GRAY SD-JOHN NORRIS 4 Blk:JD, 3 Choc:SB &
 3 Gray:SB-J. Norris, 3 Blue:SB, 4 Tort:SB & 2 Steel:SB-nm
 POINTS: John NORRIS-106, J & A Norris-32

APRIL 25 Mil-Mon CBA at Waterloo, Illinois ADRC #6109
 JUDGE: Oren Reynolds # Dutch 19 # Exh. 8
 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: BLK: SB-WM ECK
 4 Blk:SB & 6 Choc:JD-Wm. Eck, 7 Blue:?? & 2 Tort:JD-nm
 POINTS: Wm Eck-100½, Billy Dodge-6

SWEEPSTAKE REPORT FOR 1975-76 SERIES

As of May 15, 1976 - - 12 Show Reports Pending

1. Clipfort Rabbitry	California	28 Shows	10,979 $\frac{1}{2}$
2. Mickey Watters	Tennessee	16	7,648 $\frac{1}{2}$
3. Terry Reed	Indiana	14	6,893 $\frac{1}{2}$
4. Dixie Ranck	Pennsylvania	20	5,765
5. Joe Portwood	Georgia	15	5,045 $\frac{1}{2}$
6. Ed Chandler	Ohio	24	4,869
7. Don & Nelle Brady	Texas	13	4,009
8. Roger Eich	Iowa	7	3,768 $\frac{1}{2}$
9. Roger Guetschow	Wisconsin	16	3,752
10. E.D. Smith	Virginia	11	3,678 $\frac{1}{2}$
11. Mike Lovejoy	California	19	3,287 $\frac{1}{2}$
12. Wenton Carlton	Arizona	9	3,215 $\frac{1}{2}$
13. Louise & Lester Johnson	Kansas	10	3,182 $\frac{1}{2}$
14. John Armes	Texas	6	3,056 $\frac{1}{2}$
15. Mike Stinehelfer	Ohio	23	2,832 $\frac{1}{2}$
16. Warren McNamara	Maryland	14	2,769 $\frac{1}{2}$
17. Robert Scott	Texas	8	2,768 $\frac{1}{2}$
18. Clyde & Doris Jones	Texas	9	2,576 $\frac{1}{2}$
19. John Miller	Iowa	9	2,475 $\frac{1}{2}$
20. R.C. Farrill	Texas	14	2,434 $\frac{1}{2}$

Fastest Show Reports: Pima T&C Fair-Tucson Arizona-Dale Fowell, Secy. (4 days)
 Coulee Region RBA - Tomah, Wisconsin-Judith Mazur, Sec (4days)
 National Dutch Show-Maryland-Warren McNamara, Secy. (5 Days)

Neatest Show Reports: Kansas Dutch Club-Hutchinson, Kansas-Louise Johnson, Secy. Grundy Co. RBA at Coal City, Illinois-Kathy Kahler, Secy.

CORRECTION: SHOW #282 - Nov. 23, 1975 should include JOHN IMES-84Pts.

The unrecorded shows in the above report are from the following states: WISCONSIN, TEXAS, OREGON, CALIFORNIA, MISSOURI, FLORIDA, NEW YORK, MISSOURI, TENNESSEE, LOUISIANA, CALIFORNIA & MISSOURI and the addition of some of them may make a difference in the point standing. If you have any questions about the sweepstakes report, please drop me a card. I have all the materials at hand and will be happy to recheck your points. I am sure that errors have been made, however, I hope not too many. I find the new system of keeping points is working very well. I must explain an error in my last report to you. It seems that Florida and Georgia follow each other alphabetically in the book and to add more complications Ann Randles is on the same line in Florida as is Joe Portwood of Georgia. Now when the pages of Florida & Georgia stick together it looks like Ann Randles has most of Joe Portwood's shows. The pages have been unstuck, and all the entries double checked and the whole mess straightened out.

This just about finishes my first full sweepstake year. If you have any suggestions or constructive criticisms, they would be listened to and acted upon. You should be receiving your show ribbons at the shows by now. I hope you find this satisfactory.

Best Wishes at the shows. Next time we start a whole new series. GOOD LUCK.

Doreen Bengtson
 ED'S NOTE: I think Doreen has done one heck of a GREAT JOB and we owe her a big THANK YOU. Thanks.

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the ADRC was called to order by President, Stinehelfer at 8:45 p.m. on April 23, 1976 at the Forest Motel, Baltimore, Maryland. All members present except Don Lovejoy.

Motion by Cooper, seconded by Brady that we dispense with the minutes of the previous meeting as they had been published in the D.R. Carried.

Treasurer's report was presented (published in full elsewhere in this D.R.) The current balance showed a deficit of \$378.12 but was offset by recent expenditures of supplies of ribbons and paper for the D.R. (ribbons supply will last for a year, paper for $\frac{1}{2}$ year.) and a bookkeeping sum of \$687.00 dollars due the general fund from the publicity fund for the remainder of the guidebook costs. Motion by Don Reid, seconded by Geitzenauer that the report be accepted as read.

Secretary's report was presented. 729 members on April 15, 1976. Ballots would be mailed out on May 1st. The ARBA convention committee would honor the selection of judges that our club had made for the convention show. Brief officer's reports were given.

Committee Reports were given. Roger Guetschow discussed the proposed constitutional and by-law changes necessary. After discussion it was suggested that these be presented to the membership at the membership meeting for their ideas.

The publicity committee presented their financial statement which listed slightly over nine hundred dollars balance. Motion by Reid, seconded by Cooper that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

The D.R. report was read from the last issue of the D.R. Motion by Reid, seconded by Guetschow that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

Under Unfinished Business the bids for the 1977 NDS were considered. Three bids had been presented, The Kansas State Dutch Breeders, The Ohio State Dutch Club and the Michigan Breeders. The bid from the Michigan group was disqualified as they had not met the criteria for submitting a bid. After discussion the Ohio State Club withdrew their bid, Motion by Bengtson, seconded by Brady that we accept the Kansas bid. Motion carried.

Then there was a motion by Reid, seconded by Bengtson that we re-consider the Ohio bid for 1978 at the next NDS board meeting. Motion carried.

Then after a discussion concerning sending information about Judging Dutch to Judges, a Motion by Bengtson, seconded by Guetschow that Bill Geitzenauer have some copies of the judging information in the Dutch Guidebook reproduced and then send them to Don Brady, who would see that they are sent out to new judges. Motion carried.

Motion by Guetschow, seconded by Cooper that the Kahlers be allowed rental payments for the use of their mimeograph machine, due to the Dutch Club's machine being inadequate. Motion carried.

Motion by Bengtson, seconded by Guetschow that the Kahlers be allowed to dispose of the obsolete office equipment they have. Motion carried.

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BOARD MINUTES CONTINUED

After discussion concerning the youth page for the D.R., suggested by Mark Bean, the board agreed that this was a function for the D.R. editorial committee, and they could go ahead with whatever they felt would be best for the D.R.

Motion by Bengtson seconded by Reid that the minutes of the 1975 NDS board meeting be amended to show that Walt & Anna Cook were to be awarded life memberships at the Milwaukee, Convention. Motion carried.

Motion by Geitzenauer, seconded by Guetschow that the publicity funds transfer \$687.32 to the general fund to pay for the balance of the Guidebook cost, not covered by advertising. Motion carried.

Motion by Reid seconded by Guetschow that meeting be adjourned. Carried.

Larry Bengtson-Secretary-Treasurer

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING OF THE ADRC

The general meeting of the ADRC was called to order at 9:00 p.m. April 24, 1975 at the banquet of the NDS in Gaithersburg, Maryland.

The roll call of Officers was made, with all present except for Director Lovejoy. A motion was made by Don Brady, seconded by Bill Geitzenauer that the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with as they had been published in the D.R. Motion carried.

Secretary Bengtson gave the Secretary's report. He reported that the club had 729 members as of April 15th. The ballots for the nominations would be sent out on May 1st. A report on the new Guidebook was given, and it was announced that the ARBA Convention Committee would honor the judges we had selected for the convention show. The sellers class brought in \$140.85 for the club, and was won by Bill Geitzenauer.

The minutes of the Board of Directors meeting were read. Motion by Bill Kennedy, seconded by Wareheim that they be accepted as read. Carried. There were no officers reports, and no unfinished business. Under new business, Director Guetschow gave a report on the proposed revisions for our constitution and by-laws. Discussion. Motion by Bill Kennedy, seconded by Jack Pugh, that the proposed changes be published in the D.R. with recommendations by the Board of Directors concerning them. Motion carried.

There was a presentation to Mike Stinehelfer of a Plaque honoring his many years as a Dutch Fancier. A motion was made by Nelle Brady, seconded by Jack Wireman that the meeting be adjourned. Motion Carried.

Respectfully Submitted

L. A. Bengtson

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

You probably wouldn't believe that I am sitting under the canopy of a tent in the middle of North Carolina writing this message. I happen to be in the Army Reserve among other things and on my two week annual active training at this time. Taking part in a large army training exercise, with somewhere around 50,000 other fortunate persons. As usual with my luck, it has rained over half the time, and this makes for less than optimum conditions. Not too bad otherwise, it has been fairly cool, and relatively bug free, which I understand is not the case in many cases. I promise you members from this area that I will not judge your area on the basis of two weeks in the sticks and trees of Camp LeJune Marine base.

It has been a busy two months since the last message I wrote. The High spot was the National Dutch Show in Maryland. We had a very enjoyable time. Was fortunate enough to travel to the show with a group of friends, Roger Guetschow, Darrell Bramhall and Walter & Anna Cook. Even tho the trip was long and we drove the entire way without stopping, we still enjoyed the traveling and visiting amongst friends.

I always go to the shows with the idea of having a good time and I certainly achieved this goal. The Eastern Dutch Fanciers went out of their way to have the best show they could promote, with specials galore, a fine, fine banquet (the best I've ever attended), and some nice entries. There were 329 entries, which is exactly the same number as at the convention in Milwaukee last fall. Roger Eich did very well, with Best of Breed and Best Display. Not too bad for an Iowan who is working temporarily in Washington D.C., and still has his rabbits in Iowa and goes back and forth visiting his wife and rabbits.

Good old Tom Shufflebotham had best opposite sex with his Black Senior Buck. Tom only entered one rabbit and it was all he needed to win. Was our pleasure to visit with Tom and Dorthea again, and we are glad they could make the show.

The Eastern Dutch people were out in force and the show was capably handled by their show committee, with many helping hands available. Got to visit with Warren McNamara again, the busy secretary of the show, who spent the entire day sitting at his desk doing the paper work as the show progressed. Warren and I have conversed a few times on the phone about the show in past months and I always enjoyed those calls. (The telephone Company did too, they even offered to have a direct line put in for us.)

If you didn't make the NDS you missed a fun show. The report is in this DR elsewhere, so I won't go through the winnings here. Make an effort now to start planning for next year's show which will be held in HUTCHINSON, KANSAS, sponsored by the KANSAS STATE DUTCH BREEDERS. Having been down their way recently, meeting with them & judging their show, I know that the reception will be great, and we have already made our plans to attend.

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The nomination ballots were sent out on May 1st. By the time you receive this, the polls will be closed. The candidates will be notified immediately, so they will have a chance to get an ad or article into the D.R. prior to the election.

There have been some proposed changes for the Constitution and By-laws. Make sure you read these carefully and see what is being considered. The majority of the changes are concerned with making the Secretary-Treasurer office an appointed office. Most of the rest of the changes, like the election dates and procedures are designed to facilitate the reporting of the elections in the D.R., on a time schedule that is compatible with their publishing schedules. A lot of thought has been put into these considerations and they warrant your interest. I think they would benefit the club. They will be on the final ballot along with the officers and NDS and Convention Judges.

I hope you all have a fine summer. Start looking towards the ARBA Convention show in Pennsylvania this fall. Hope we see you all there. Our Best Wishes.

Larry Bengtson

ED'S NOTES: Well we have this much left over, wish Larry had talked a little more about something, hope you have gotten all dried out Larry. It seems the Bengtsons are two very busy people and we sure appreciate the fine work they are doing. There is one thing Larry thought that he was paying for a year's supply of paper well it's not quite correct - sorry Larry - - we have enough for another issue of the D.R., so in the next couple of months we will again be needing paper. Do you folks, want us to cut down on the number of pages????????? This would save a little on paper, stencils, ink and a whole lot on Correction fluid. We like this issue and we hope you do too, so unless you don't want as good a DR as now, I guess we will have to keep billing Larry for Paper.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to Leo & Janice Archer of Tinley Park, Illinois who last month lost their son.

Al Seeman was trying to pull one of Don's tricks and fell from a ladder, he is ok now, but he was laid up for about a week. Mary was still chewing him out, when they came down last week.

We have been told many times how well you like the D.R. - - just remember this is YOUR D.R. and YOU make it what it is, all Bob & I do is put the material together - - I can't tell you how much we appreciate all of your articles - - you see this is what makes the Dutch Reporter go.

Hope you are planning on the NATIONAL CONVENTION (I sorta of am guess I will know for sure when we get there) Also the NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW next APRIL - in HUTCHINSON, KANSAS. Hope the Kansas people will start now with articles about the NDS. Thanks. Kathy

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