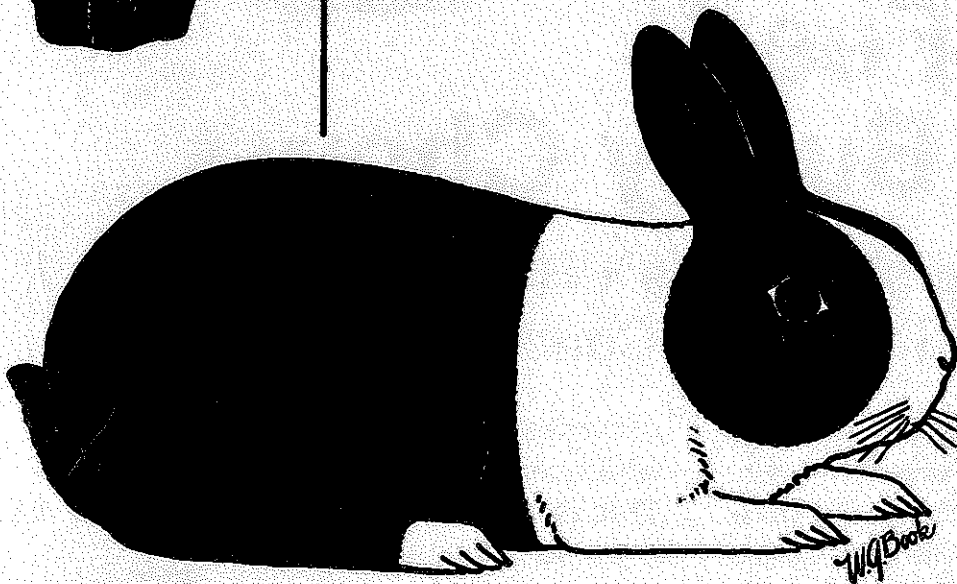




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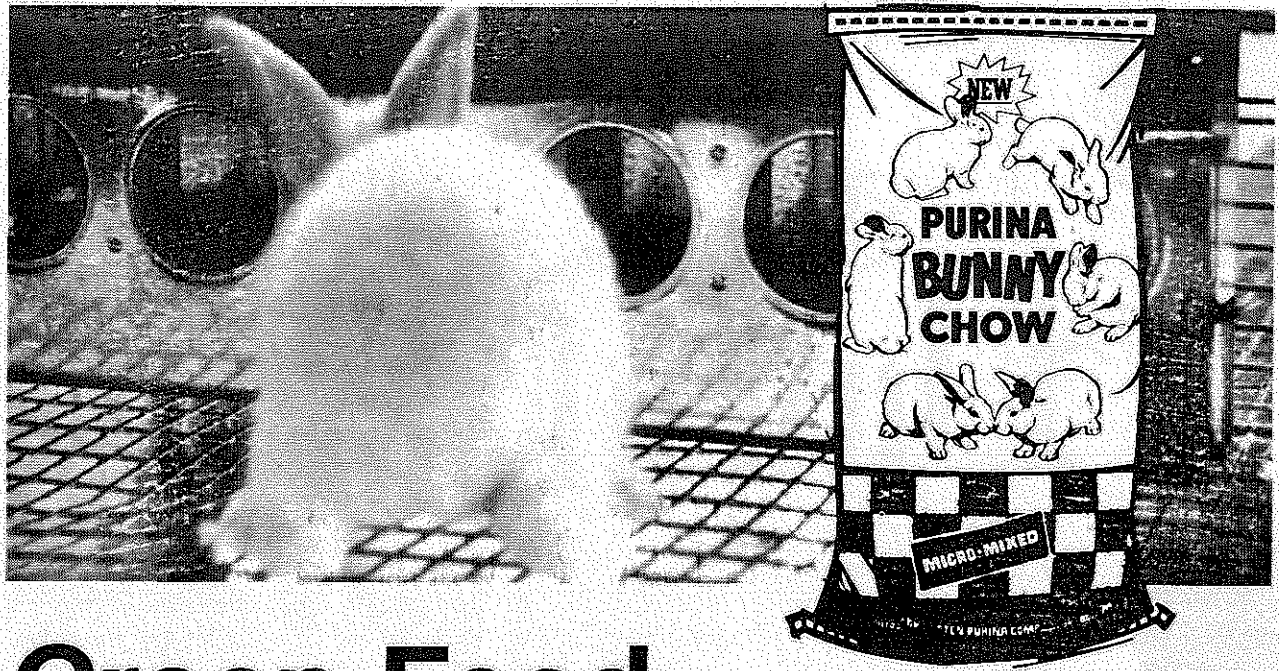
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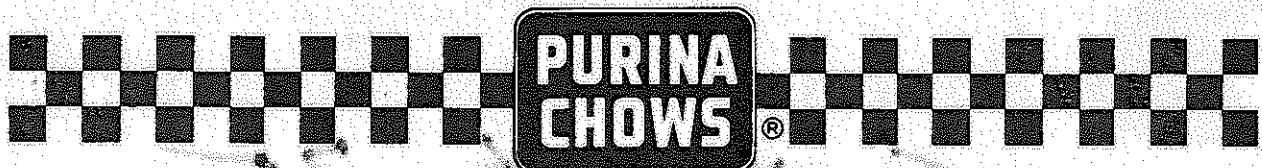
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Well here we are again coming into the Fall season. We had our first frost which put a damper on the garden work so now I can concentrate more on the Dutch.

I am getting some ready for the Convention Show at Milwaukee. I hope to see a good turn out of our breed the DUTCH. I hope you don't forget the dates of NOVEMBER 10-13, a month later this year. We sure should have some good fur condition by that time so lets get them ready for the Convention show and show a good turn out of Dutch. I hear our booth committee is getting things ready and hope for a win this year. Also plans are being made for a Dutch banquet with more details later. This will be the last reporter before the convention so hope to see you there.

Mike Stinehelfer - President

KAW VALLEY RABBIT CLUB PUTS OUT RABBIT COOKBOOK

I just recently received a complimentary copy of this fine new cookbook. Over one hundred pages of rabbit recipes from rabbit people. Some fine sounding items, from barbecues to stews. For those of us who eat lots of rabbit and like it, there are some interesting new meals.

The Kaw Valley Club and John B. Crawford, a good Dutch Club member, sent me this book and the information for ordering. (Ed's note Larry has included the information on how to order and everything but that would make it an ad. So if the members of the kaw Valley Club would like to send us the money for an ad we would be more than happy to print the information. I am sorry but this is the way it has to be. An ad is an ad no matter how you print it. Kathy)

The club and it's members should be commended for the fine job they have done. This would make a fine Christmas Gift for your wife, or even a nice special to be used at your show. (John, how did an elephant recipe get in a rabbit book?)

Larry Bengtson

SICK LIST

TOM SHUFFLEBOTHAM - Tom had been in the hospital for quite a while seems his ticker wasn't ticking just right and then he had to go and catch something while he was in the hospital. The last we have heard he is home and just as ornery as ever, but still plans on making the National. We SINCERELY HOPE SO. What's a convention without Tom keeping us on our toes.

Don & Muriel Reid were in an auto accident, both are home and fine. Ken Veen - Was daydreaming at work and it seems he lost his little finger. Ken says, "It could have been worse." Hope all of these people are up and going by now.

A. D. R. C. ELECTION RESULTS

PRESIDENT: MIKE STINEHELPER - 239
VICE-PRESIDENT: ROGER GUETSCHOW - 248

OFFICE OF DIRECTORS: (TOP THREE ELECTED)

Don Reid - (169) Roger Eich - 99
Warren McNamara - (149) Tom Shufflebotham - 97
Don Brady - (134) Paul Jurgelonis - 89

NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW JUDGE: Glen Carr - 148 Doris Leibel - 106

ARBA CONVENTION JUDGES 1976 (TOP TWO) Dennis Holcomb - 127, Larry Bengtson - 99, D.Lovejoy-84, R.Berry-78, P. Jurgelonis-68, T. Shufflebotham-65

Proposed change to the BY-LAWS of the AMERICAN DUTCH RABBIT CLUB. Two-thirds majority required for approval.

Shall Article 1 subparagraph A be added to read: Life membership to the American Dutch Rabbit Club shall be \$100.00 (One Hundred Dollars), which sum shall be received in lieu of all annual dues and assessments.

188 YES 64 NO

272 Ballots

Boyd Gannon
Carl E. Decker Jr.
September 15, 1975

CONGRATULATIONS are in order. Of course we have Mike & Roger back at the helm of the club. We would also like to extend our Congratulations to our two new members to the Board, Warren McNamara and Don Brady. Hoping to hear from you fine gentlemen in the near future.
Kathy

THE PLACE TO ARRIVE IN 75

WISCONSIN RABBIT SHOWS INC., would like to invite all you good ADULT & YOUTH Dutch breeders across the country to attend the 1975 National Convention to be held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, November 10-13 This will be a good national convention and there will be something for everyone at this show. MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW. SEND FOR A CATALOG. Send \$1.00 (refundable with entry). to: Harold Peters, Route #3, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin 53147

DO IT NOW. ALL THE INFORMATION YOU WILL NEED WILL BE IN THIS CATALOG, BUT SEND FOR IT EARLY.

Delores Klubertanz
Adv. Chairman

A wealthy Texas oilman, cashed a huge personal check which came back from the bank with "insufficient funds" stamped across its face. Beneath the stamped words was the handwritten notation: "Not You - Us."

Greetings. There are a number of things I would like to mention this issue. Some of them are going to be the same things I have been mentioning in past issues and some of them will be new. First and foremost, concerning the sweepstakes, the sanction requests and the show reports. Several clubs will not get a timely listing in the Dutch Reporter this month, as their sweepstakes requests were not in on time, enabling them to be in the D.R. soon enough to advertise their shows. Get those show requests in soon enough to get all the publicity you can - cost is the same either way.

The show reports are coming in strong, with the majority being very well done and correctly. But occasionally we receive one with a mistake or two on it. The most common error is that of omission - neglecting to put down the BOB or BOS or best of varieties. Another problem we note occasionally is that of neglecting to put down initials or first names when more than one in a family show. We have no way of knowing which one of the family won which awards. Most of these mistakes are made by first-time secretaries and we sympathize with their problems. Sanctions are like a jungle anyways and the first time is the hardest.

Apparently the new sweepstakes secretary is doing a fine job, according to the number of complaints we have received in the last six weeks since the D.R. came out. Only a couple of mistakes cropped up and both were traceable to show report mistakes. Do not hesitate to write and mention any mistakes in the sweepstakes and show reports or for that matter, anything else that is amiss. We are not infallible and while we are trying to do a good job, we can do an even better job with your cooperation.

There was a mistake made in the listing of votes for nominations in last month's D.R. Darrell Bramhall received seven, not nine, votes for Judge for the 1976 N.D.S. This is why Darrell was not listed on the ballot you received. (Ed's note: I will take the blame for that mistake because the 7 did look like a 9 on the photostat copy. Sorry about that folks.)

We received a show catalog from the Capital Area Rabbit Breeders Association recently. Besides being well done, they had a couple of coupons in the back of the catalog that caught my fancy. One was a coupon allowing the bearer to bitch. To bitch at everything from the judging to the weather. The other was a butchering certificate to be filled out by the judge at the show table when he came across an appropriate recipient. Catalogs can be much more than just a listing of sanctions and specials. A little humor here and there helps. Another catalog we received was from the Anoka County Rabbit Club and it was very well done in all ways. Each sanction had a small picture of the breed beside it, allowing immediate identification for readers and the art work and overall quality was excellent. An interesting item they included was a page in the back to list your entry and keep track of how they did on the show table. In this manner, if you would save the show catalog, you would be able to look back and have a record of what you did at the show, (CONTINUED)

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE CONTINUED

over the years this would be easily kept and become a fond memory. My thanks to both clubs.

September is a big month for renewals. Many memberships expire this month and to insure you do not miss any of the D.R.'s or anything else, renew that membership right away. As of this date, September 15th, current membership of the club is 677. Keep those new members coming. When you sell breeding stock, introduce those new breeders to the Dutch Club and give them a membership application. We have those applications available if you would like more. We do include an application with our mailings, in the hope that they would be put to use. The new guide book will be out soon and we hope to have it mailed to all CURRENT members prior to the Convention. This is another selling point for the club.

We recently spent a week at the Minnesota State Fair, with the rabbit show there. We do this every year and are the secretary and superintendent of the show along with Doreen's parents. Had about 600 entries, which is a big show around Minnesota. Weather cooperated was cool and nice for the rabbits. But we did have a nice pile of mail when we returned home, along with a pressing need to cut and bale hay. Put up about a thousand bales of nice alfalfa hay (with- out any rain on it) and another five hundred bales of straw at the same time. With what they are talking about for hay prices this winter winter, it seems like gold in storage. The rabbits sure like that stuff too and they seem so much more content and happy with some hay to nibble on.

Till next issue, best wishes, we hope to see you all at
MILWAUKEE.

Larry Bengtson

MORE CONVENTION SPECIALS

I have received the following since the catalog:

- Al Seeman - \$3.00 for Best Black Junior.
- Nelle & Don Brady - \$20.00 for Torts.
- Dale Bernhardt - \$5.00 where needed.

Larry

A HINT FROM ROY FOX

It seems Roy had a hard time remembering where he put his Dutch Club application blanks - - well - - not no more. Roy writes that he has taped an envelope on the inside of his Tatoo outfit. He figures he will always know where the tatoo outfit is so now he can find both the tatoo and application blanks. Thanks Roy for this hint, perhaps now when we are selling and tatooing stock we can be reminded to get the new breeder to join the Dutch Club.

Man's troubles are due to 3 things - women, money & both.

Ye Olde Sweepstakes Report

The Boss just yelled at me and told me that I've got to cut this report off sometime and I can't keep adding more reports all the time. He is right (for a change), but this sweepstakes race is beginning to get exciting and I keep wondering if this new show report will make a difference in the standings.

I would like to take this opportunity to THANK the following secretaries for their speed and efficiency in returning their reports.

LAST DAY OF SHOW	REPORT RECEIVED	SHOW NAME OR CLUB	SECRETARY	STATE
7/26	7/30	LCRBA	Tony Lobb	Kentucky
8/24	9/2	Missouri State Fair	Pat Ryan	Missouri
8/23	8/25	Tri-County RC	Bob Alberghini	Mass.
9/1	9/4	Stark Co. R&CBA	Roger Dent	Ohio
9/1	9/4	Evergreen State Fair	Russ Coffeit	Wash.
8/7	8/10	Montana State Fair	Bill Bonahoom	Montana
8/12	8/19	Wisconsin State Fair	Elmer Guetschow	Wisconsin

I would like to nominate the following show for the neatest report of the last 2 months & it wasn't even typewritten. MONTANA STATE FAIR WM. BONAHOOM, GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

CORRECTION: Show #20 Stark Co. RBA at Canton, Ohio should have read BCB: Chocolate JD, Hand & Hand, BOS; Chocolate SB -Jack's Bunnies. Point Count for Hands -120 no other changes. Show #41 Mad River R&CBA at Urbana, Ohio the BOB should have read Steel instead of Black.

Please folks, lets work as a team. You check up on my work, and let me know if I missed something or got something wrong. I subscribe to the theory that A W D I W D W (that is "anything worth doing is worth doing well") I would like to make this thing as correct as possible. I do need YOUR help.

If you need to write about something, please include as much information as you can. Show numbers, dates, place, etc., I forgot to ask Kahlers to add show report numbers in the last issue, scrry about that. We'll get it all right real soon now. (Ed's note; I will use the Dutch Club numbers but will also include the name, dates and etc., So to you people who don't like to follow the numbers, like me, we will have both.)

Guess I've messed around long enough now so here is the sweepstakes report as of September 16, 1975.

1. Clipfort	Calif.	1637 $\frac{1}{2}$	(6)	11. Ranek	Penn	850 $\frac{1}{2}$	(4)
2. L&L Johnson	Kansas	1395 $\frac{1}{2}$	(3)	12. McNamara	Md.	727 $\frac{1}{2}$	(4)
3. Chandler	Ohio	1370	(8)	13. Armes	Texas	712	(1)
4. House	Ohio	1305 $\frac{1}{2}$	(7)	14. Evertson	Kansas	702 $\frac{1}{2}$	(4)
5. Eich	Iowa	1145	(2)	15. Miller	Iowa	683	(2)
6. Stinehelfer	Ohio	1135	(9)	16. Chinn	Wash.	676 $\frac{1}{2}$	(5)
7. Sutton	Ohio	1085 $\frac{1}{2}$	(8)	17. Norris	N. M.	669	(1)
8. Brady	Texas	1058	(5)	18. S. Gunsett	Ohio	650 $\frac{1}{2}$	(6)
9. Micallef	Mich	914 $\frac{1}{2}$	(3)				

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SWEEPSTAKES CONTINUED

10. R. Guetschow Wisc. 901½ (5) 19. Cook Wash. 628 (3)
 20. Farrill Texas 594½ (4)

I hate to keep harping on the same thing, but if you could see the show reports, you would note how many non members there are listed there. Maybe all they need is an invitation.

Doreen Bengtson
 Sweepstakes Chairman

CORRECTION

I know that Doreen has listed this correction but we received such a nice letter from the following breeder that we thought we would share part of it with you:

In the Stark County report of May 25, 1975, Jack's Bunnies is listed as BOB and Hand 'N' Hand BOS. It should have been Hand "N" Hand BOB and Jack's Bunnies BOS. Millie beat me that day and I had the sympathy card. She has it now. Most Ohio breeders will understand this card. It's been going on for a number of years now. Being as she and I have the same grandchildren we also try to beat one another in Chocolate Dutch.

Jack's Bunnies

Thanks to Jack an error was corrected with what your editors hope, in good humor, at least we now have learned that Jack's Bunnies and the Hands have more in common than Rabbits.

Jack also had a complaint "You Need a Heavier Stapler." Yes Jack, we do and we actually have a nice heavy stapler but this is not an electric one. We have an electric stapler and when a person must staple over 600 DR's or Illinois News, let's face it an electric one is easier. Now if someone could get us a real good deal on a heavy duty electric stapler perhaps we could talk the Dutch Club and the State of Illinois into going halves. You see by rights I should only run 25 pages through the stapler but sometimes when you nice folks write to us we have to run a couple of extra pages, that is why we would like to have a heavy duty electric stapler to give you more News.
 Kathy

BEST IN SHOW - 1975

SHOW	NO./SHOW	VARIETY	NO./DUTCH	OWNER & STATE
Marian Co. Fair	700	"Best Fancy"		
		Black Dutch	88	T.Shufflebotham, Ind
Missouri State Fair	750	Blk. Jr. Doe	104	B.Evertson-Kansas
Lake Co. Fair (Ind.)	???	"Best Fancy"		
		Blue Dutch	??	T. Shufflebotham-Ind.
Piedmont (S.C.)	???	Choc. Jr. Doe	??	Ann Randles-Florida

THANKS to you nice folks who sent this information to us. We can only print what YOU send. Maybe the Dutch Club should request this on thier Show reports, "IF A DUTCH WON - PLEASE LET THE CLUB KNOW" Kathy

YOU WON'T BEAT THE DUTCH IN MILWAUKEE

I am glad to report that things are really starting to shape up where Dutch Club events are concerned in Milwaukee.

The Dutch Banquet is set. It will be held Monday night, November 10th, at the Tyrolean Towne House. The Tyrolean is located at Highway 100 and Greenfield Avenue. The banquet will be held in the Rathskeller Room. Which has a seating capacity of 180. So, there will be plenty of room. The evening will be as follows:

6:00 p.m. CASH BAR
7:00 p.m. BUFFET SERVED
Ham, Chicken, Meatballs or Fish
Assorted Relishes
Assorted Rolls-Butter
WISCONSIN Cheese Crocks
Jello Mold-Fruit Salad & Tossed Salad
Hot Vegetable & Oven Brown Potatoes
Beverages

After the buffet there will be plenty of time for fellowship and fun. The cost will be \$5.75 a ticket. I would appreciate it if everyone who plans to attend would let me know in advance. Because I have to give the Tyrolean a count of people attending 48 hours in advance of the banquet.

The Brady's have donated some nice door prizes. We have also obtained some. A raffle is still being planned on.

There is quite a nice display of specials for the Dutch. A list of specials will be printed in the Dutch Reporter and posted in the show room.

We still need the help of YOU! Support the show with your entry. Why not an entry of 500 Dutch? Please support the banquet. It should be a very nice evening. Your generosity will be appreciated when it comes to specials, door prizes and a raffle.

NOW, FOUR WRITERS are needed for the day of the JUDGING. If you are willing to write. PLEASE CONTACT ME IN ADVANCE. Your HELP will really be Appreciated.

SEE YOU IN MILWAUKEE. GOOD LUCK AND SAFE TRAVELING.

Yours in the Fancy

Ken Veen

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ED's Note: I saw Ken Sunday at the Lake McHenry show and he gave me the above information but I didn't read it until I got home, now I wish I had. You see Ken was planning on having a list of specials from Larry and him to print in this issue - - well unless we get it pretty quick - - it won't go in this issue. IT WILL BE POSTED IN THE SHOWROOM. I know that Larry has sent the list to us and we printed it already. My apologies to Ken and you folks for not reading the article sooner. I guess writing for the Dwarfs really got me confused. Kathy

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1st, 3rd & 4th Jr. Does

1974 SAN ANTONIO RBA - Best Tortoise, Best Dutch, Best in Show
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1975 EASTERN DUTCH FANCIERS SPRING SHOW - Best Tortoise
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Mr. Paul Jurgelonis is to be complimented on his article in the D.R. This plain old "common sense" exhibited is badly needed not only in the evaluation of the Dutch, but to a degree in all breeds.

When this exchange of ideas started in regard to the small dutch (there is no such thing as a toy dutch) it was not beamed toward the weight range provided by our standard. (Yes, we do have a good standard, and it would be a shame to change it to accommodate a few breeders whose stock do not come up to weight.) But rather to the judges who placed 3# senior Dutch in the winners circle. There seems to be a reluctance on the part of some judges to use the scales when there is a doubt as to the proper weights on any breed. Then there is the idea that one quarter pound be allowed on a spring scale for all breeds. Should a medium breed etc. have the $\frac{1}{4}$ pound and a small breed have 2 ounces? Should a giant breed have $\frac{1}{2}$ #.

Why should we worry about this? well, about 20 years ago, there was a movement to bring the Dutch down in size. Other breeds were introduced and I can remember when My husband and I thought the small dwarf type Dutch was the only and proper type to have. At that time I was getting Dutch that weighed 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ # senior weight from the leading strains in the country. The sad part of this all is that they were placing B.O.B. etc. Yet, we decided that this had to stop, even as fairly new breeders of the Dutch, We plowed under and started over. I have been conscious of this problem since then. Why Dwarf an all ready small breed? This is what will happen if the Dutch Raisers are not alert to this situation.

One bright thought tho, is the fact that the Dutch Breed can stand a lot of mismanagment and revert to it's genetic background. A good 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ # Dutch is truly a dual purpose rabbit, makes a good fryer, makes a laboratory animal and makes a top show animal.

When you dig into that nest box and see a litter all Dutch marked, eight good youngsters and a doe that is milking properly. Then you've got a Dutch.

When you cull, don't lose sight of the fact that Dutch are:

1. Cobby in type, compact in limb with an ideal weight of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ #
2. Does are good milkers and consistently raise litters of 8 with no trouble accepts foster bunnies readily.
3. Watch temperment, I can go through my herd and just by the way they act, pick out a certain strain. I take my life into account every time I open the cage door, however they are slowing being weeded out and to give the devil it's due, they are good mothers and provide lab Dutch to help pay the feed bills.

I especially like Mr. Jurgelonis' reference to the lack of understanding of the gray areas. These things go from one extreme to another. Why not a happy medium? You can't beat common sense and sound judgement based upon experience.

YOU CAN'T BEAT THE DUTCH

Doris Leibel

FEEDBACK

by

BILL GEITZENAUER, DIRECTOR

It has come to my attention that our Dutch Club is missing out on some much needed public relations. In our By-Laws (1969) Article IV, stating the publicity and promotion committee shall consist of a chairman and state representative, etc.

Can this possibly be construed as a selective representative from each State that would be an arm of the promotion committee?

I do know of another speciality club that has this organization and since incorporating this idea, have prospered, particularly in the past 2 years.

If this be true, there would be no necessity of a membership vote as it is already part of our By-Laws.

Please, in no way, think that anyone is at fault but it is my interpretation of a Law made years ago.

Meaning to push the A.D.R.C. to new heights by enlarging the membership as well as aiding Feedback, in both directions, the idea, at least to this writer appears sound.

The expense to our club would be minimal as these positions would be honorary, 2 year posts. Perhaps a diploma like paper of certified service to the A. D. R. C. signed by our President, would be the Thank on the back that we all need when we do something over and above.

Personally, I believe that this would aid our Dutch Family as well as bringing into our fold an extra 200 members who can use our service as well as our book of Dutch Standards.

I invite your inquiries and thought on this and any other subject that we may help each other with.

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FINE FRIEND AND FELLOW BREEDER

This is my first attempt to write an article for any National Publication. It really starts with an application, I'm sending in for a fine friend and fellow breeder. This man, Doug Noble, of Brusly, Louisiana, has been in rabbits for well over 30 years. Doug has been a registrar and judge for what seems like forever and has judged many local, state, regional and national shows. Doug is what rabbit people are all about, just plain old down to earth good people.

You see, I been raising Dutch for about five years now. I got started with just cull stock. Then one day, a fellow came to my house with a pair of Torts with the pedigree papers. He sold me the pair for \$10.00. Since I now had pedigreed stock, I sent them to a show in Baton Rouge with a friend. I was awarded two first place ribbons Best Buck Tort & Best Doe Tort. (CONTINUED)

FINE FRIEND CONTINUED

No other Torts were entered, but just the same I was hooked for showing. I then took my A. R. B. A. Guide Book and sent out about 25 letters of inquiry. This resulted in my foundation herd, a 3 3/4 pound Black Buck (that looks like a Boston Terrier) from Robert Evertson in Topeka, Kansas, and a beautiful Chocolate Buck from Roger Eich in Iowa. Along with these two bucks, I purchased several does from Evertson and Eich and some really nice does from a Grand Old Dutch Man, Lynn Cooper up in Michigan.

The original pair of Torts never did produce a litter for me. But slowly, I began to breed some pretty fair Dutch from my early stock. In the last two years. I have won my share of Best of Breeds and Best Opposites. The strange thing is the better I see my herd getting, the further I realize I have to go.

Let me get back to Doug Noble. Doug had been a breeder of New Zealand Whites and Californians for quite some time and some fine ones at that. About a year and a half ago, Doug developed a Kidney Disease. For a while, it seemed as though the grim reaper was knocking at Doug's door, but Doug had a few surprises left and told him to take a walk. Doug has to take Dialasys treatments three times a week at this time but is getting stronger all the time. His health forced him to disperse of his fine herd of Cals and N.Z.W.s. Doug without rabbits was like an alcoholic without a drink. He and his wife, Bernice, decided that perhaps he could handle a few Dutch. Doug contacted me and inquired into buying some Junior Dutch from me. To me, this was like a "Gourmet Chef" asking me to cook for him. In late '74, I sent Doug five (5) pre-Jrs. from my herd, a black buck and four does. In return, I received a letter from Doug that can give me a mental lift on my worse days, but my reward was yet to come. In May of 1975, I showed at a local show in Baton Rouge. Who was there none other than my good friend Doug, with a Dutch entry. When the show was over and Doug had Best of Breed with the Junior Buck I had given him. Being the gentleman he is, Doug apologized for beating me. I explained to Doug, what could make me feel better than a friend like Doug, win over me with a rabbit, I had bred and given to him.

Nelle & Don Brady gave Doug several Torts and I feel that in the future, Doug Noble is going to be "One Helluva Dutch Man."

Richard Hoselle

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WHAT'S A BOOSTER AD?

The Booster ads were meant only for those who wanted to support the D.R., they are not meant to sell stock. PLEASE folks if you are interested in BUYING STOCK - CONTACT OUR OTHER ADVERTISERS. These booster ads help defray the cost of the D.R. and Bob & I are very thankful for them. We would like to say THANKS to all of our advertisers. Maybe this will help someone who is in doubt as to who to write to for stock.

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WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO THANK - MILLIE HANDS for her space fillers, you know those little jokes. Also to NELLE BRADY for her words of wit.

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- OCTOBER 1-5, 1975 at Ventura, California by the Ventura Co. RBA
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93060 (ADRC #295)
- OCTOBER 3-4, 1975 at Brigden, Ont, Canada by the Ontario Council of RC
Jan Burt, Sec'y., 434 Ronald St., London, Ontario, Canada N5W 589
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- OCT. 4-5 at Albuquerque, N.M. by the N.W. New Mexico RBA, (ADRC #304)
Sheryn Oriol, Sec'y., 200 Pollard, Aztec, New Mexico 87419
- OCT. 4-5 at Albuquerque, N.M. by the BCRBA, Margaret Henderson, Sec'y.,
Box #6322, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107 (ADRC #319)
- OCT. 4, at Casper, Wyoming by the Wyoming RBA, Dave Feezer, Sec'y.,
155 N. Fenway, Casper, Wyoming, 82601 (ADRC #317)
- OCT. 4, at Picayune, Mississippi by the Pearl River Co. RBA
Barbara Williamson, Box #182, Picayune, Mississippi 39466 (ADRC #297)
- OCT. 5 at Richmond, Rhode Island, by the Rhode Island RBA (ADRC #303)
Louisa Fenner, Sec'y., Box #93, Kenyon, Rhode Island 02836
- OCT. 5, at Omaha, Nebraska by the Nebraska R&CBA, Steve Milhollin, Secy.
3304 Lafayette, Omaha, Nebraska 68131 (ADRC #302)
- OCT. 5, at Jackson, Ohio by So. Cent. Ohio RBA, Mrs. Eddie Nelson, Secy
R.#3, Box #91, Jackson, Ohio 45640 (ADRC #316)
- OCT. 11 at Daly City, California by the Rabbit Promoters of San Mateo
County, Vera E. Egan, Sec'y., 1618 Celeste Drive, San Mateo, Calif.
94402 (ADRC #288)
- OCT. 11 at Jamestown, North Dakota by the North Dakota RBA, (ADRC #313)
Mrs. Kenneth Clemens, Sec'y., R. #4, Jamestown, North Dakota 58401
- OCT. 12, at Tucson, Arizona by the Cactus R&CBA, Dottie Dunbar, Sec'y.,
R. #14, Box #488E, Tucson, Arizona 85704 (ADRC #300)
- OCT. 12 at Wichita, Kansas by the Sunflower RBA, Jeanette McCombs, Secy.
2228 W. Southgate, Wichita, Kansas 67217 (ADRC #328)
- OCT. 18 at Lexington, South Carolina by the Palmetto Commercial RGA
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- OCT. 18, at San Antonio Texas by San Antonio RBA, Pat Fanick, Sec'y.
1054 Holmgreen Rd., San Antonio, Texas 78220 (ADRC #325)
- OCT. 18-19, at Sidney, Ohio by the Shelby Co. RBA, Wuanita Wolaver,
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UPCOMING SHOWS - 1975 CONTINUED

- OCT. 18, at Great Falls, Montana by the Great Falls RBA, Gayle Dorr
R. #4, Box 507, Great Falls, Montana 59405 (ADRC #308)
- OCT. 18-19, at Bloomington, Indiana by Stonebelt RBA, Judy Foster, Secy.
R. #10, Box #11, Bloomington, Indiana 47401 (ADRC #296)
- OCT. 19, at San Deigo, California by the San Deigo C&RBA, (ADRC #333)
Sidell Adams, Sec'y., 3839 Mipoma Pl. #2, San Deigo, Calif. 92107
- OCT. 19, at Sterling, Illinois by the Whiteside Co. RBA, Carolyn Cook
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- OCT. 19, at Taunton, Massachusetts by the Bay State BA, (ADRC #273)
Bruce Rushforth, Sec'y., 379 High St., Hanson, Massachusetts 02341
- OCT. 19, at Barkeley Heights, New Jersey by the Eastern Dutch RFC
Warren McNamara, R.#2, Box #36, Reistertown, Maryland 21136 (ADRC #286)
- OCT. 19, at Dover, Ohio by the Tuscarawas Co. RBA, Carol Albright, Secy
Rt. #1, Box #126, Bowerston, Ohio 44695 (ADRC #205)
- OCT. 19, at Columbia, Missouri by the Mid-Missouri R&CBA, (ADRC 137)
Gene Gillispie, Star R. #1, Box #71, Vienna, Missouri 65582
- OCT. 24-25, at Knoxville, Tennessee by the Smoky Mountain RBA (ADRC323)
Mrs. Ralph Simpson, 229 Hillcrest Dr., Knoxville, Tennessee 37918
- OCT. 25, at Enumclaw, Washington by the Evergreen RBA, Wanda Gunter,
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- OCT. 25, Southern Colorado RBA at Canon City, Colorado, Anna Smart,
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- OCT. 25, at Archer City, Texas by the Wichita Valley RBA, (ADRC #159)
Mrs. Ann Reaves, 3712 Iowa Park Rd., Wichita Falls, Texas 76305
- OCT. 25-26, at Salt City, Kansas, by the Salt City RC of Hutchinson
Louise Johnson, 712 North St., Halstead, Kansas 67056 (ADRC #245)
- OCT. 25-26, at Gaithersburg, Maryland by the Eastern R&CFA (ADRC #294)
Chris Fauser, Sec'y., 50 N. Fulton St., Manheim, Pennsylvania 17545
- OCT. 26, at Phoenix, Arizona by the Central Arizona RBA (ADRC #250)
Gordon A. Mankins, 10045 N. 42nd Ave., Phoenix, Arizona 85021
- OCT. 26, at Des Moines, Iowa by the Polk Co. RB, Dolores B. Lewis, Secy,
2716 Logan, Des Moines, Iowa 50317 (ADRC #227)
- OCT. 26, at St. Charles, Illinois by the DuPage RC, Inc., (ADRC #187)
Joan Dennis, Sec'y., 4N670 Country Club Dr., West Chicago, Ill. 60185
- NOVEMBER 1, at Crane, Texas by the Castle Gap RC, Ramona Bishop, Sec'y.
700 Vivian, Crane, Texas 79731 (ADRC #231)

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UPCOMING SHOWS - 1975 CONTINUED

- Nov. 1, at Ft. Worth, Texas by the Southwest RBA, Mrs. Mary Carpenter,
Rt. #1, Box #1243, Mansfield, Texas 76063 (ADRC #236)
- NOV. 1 at Kalamazoo, Michigan by the Tri-County RBA, Elsie Kobold
Rt. #3, Box #96, Elkhart, Indiana 46514 (ADRC #188)
- NOV 1, at Anderson, South Carolina by the Anderson Co. RBA (ADRC #230)
Marlene Partain, Rt. #2, Box #156, Iva, South Carolina 29655
- NOV. 1, at Fayetteville, North Carolina by the Cape Fear RBA (ADRC 320)
Judi Summers, Sec'y., 4604 Sterling St. Fayetteville, N.C. 28306
- NOV. 1 at Dorchester, Ontario, Canada by the Forest City RBC (ADRC 277)
Jan Burt, 434 Ronald Street, London, Ontario, Canada N5W 589
- NOV 2, at Iselin, New Jersey by the Central Jersey RF, Barbara Fallon
77 Broomfield Ave., Iselin, New Jersey 08830 (ADRC #229)
- NOV. 2, at So. Charleston, West Virginia by the Southern W.V. RBA
George Camp, 3399 US 60, Rt. #1, Barboursville, W.V. 25504 (ADRC #262)
- NOV 2, at Rutland, Massachusetts, by the New England Dutch RC (ADRC172)
Barbara Dodge, Valley Rd., Cedarville RFD #2, Buzzards Bay, Mass. 02532
- NOV. 8, at Beaumont, Texas by the Big Thicket RC., Mrs. Lenice Hebert,
Rt. #2, Box #771E, Hamshire, Texas 77622 (ADRC #215)
- NOV. 14-15, at Atlanta, Georgia by the Decatur RBA, Linda Wilson, Secy.
3211 Grant Road, Conley, Georgia 30027 (ADRC #331)
- NOV. 15-16, at Plainview, Texas by the Hi Plains RBA, Cleona Wylie
Rt. #2, Hale Center, Texas 79041 (ADRC #265)
- NOV. 16, at Shreveport, Louisiana by the Caddo Youth RC (Open Show)
Bonnie Black, R. #2, Box #157A, Keithville, Louisiana 70147 (ADRC330)
- NOV. 22, at Frisco, Texas by Metroplex RBA, Bob Dunfield, Sec'y.,
R. #2, Frisco, Texas 75034 (ADRC #299)
- NOV. 23, at Zanesville, Ohio by the Zanesville RBA, Edna Andrews, Secy.
R. #3, Box #141, Newark, Ohio 43055 (ADRC #282)
- NOV 28-30, at Murray, Kentucky by the Jackson Purchase RBA,
Eva Sanders, R.#4, Benton, Kentucky 42025 (ADRC #248)
- NOV. 29, at Winchester, Indiana by the Delaware Co. RBA, (ADRC #30)
Phyliss E. Shriver, R.#1, Box #81, Winchester, Indiana 47394
- NOV. 29, at Ardmere, Oklahoma by the Arbuckle RBA, Susan Wollaston,
R. #1, Box #221, Sulphur, Oklahoma 73086 (ADRC #233)
- NOV. 30, at Capron, Illinois by the Winnebago-Forest RBA (ADRC #337)
Peggy Summer, R#2, 9086 Auburn Rd., Winnebago, Illinois 61088

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UPCOMING SHOWS - 1975 CONTINUED

NOV. 30, at Pomona, California by the San Gabriel Valley RBA(ADRC326)
E. Nute, 18665 Gaileane, La Puente, California 91744

NOV. 30, at Fort Dodge, Iowa by the Iowa State RBA, Ronald Rowan
Harcourt, Iowa 50544 (ADRC #206)

DECEMBER 6, at Ventura, California by the California Dutch RC (ADRC177)
Elmer Paquette, Sec'y., 334 Acacia Rd., Santa Paula, Calif. 93060

DEC. 6, at Tomball, Texas by the Houston All Breed RC, Nelle Brady,
1461 Brittmore, Houston, Texas 77043 (ADRC #335)

DEC. 6 - 7, at Sedalia, Missouri by the Missouri State RBA (ADRC #274)
Juanita Fisher, 2245 North Jefferson, Springfield, Missouri 65803

DEC. 7, at South Bend, Indiana by the Michiana RBA, Orvil L. Myers
65201 Dogwood Road, Wakarusa, Indiana 46573 (ADRC #246)

DEC. 13, at Malakoff, Texas by the Texas State Dutch Club, ADRC #334
Roselle Antwine, Sec'y., 5204 Flamingo, Ft. Worth, Texas 76119

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Again, Thanks to everyone and I hope to be able to resume my
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Very Truly Yours,

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Signed by: M. Perez Caamano, P. O. Box 214, Arecibo, Puerto Rico,
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SHOW REPORTS

AUGUST 2, 1975

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

JUDGE: STAN PULLIAM

Number of Dutch 126

ADRC #240

BEST OF BREED: BLACK JD - NORRIS BOS: BLACK JB - NORRIS

24 BLACKS BV - Junior Doe

BOV-Junior Buck

Senior Buck

Senior Does

Junior Bucks

Junior Does

5

4

10

5

1. Scott
2. Scott
3. Bulman
4. Scott
5. Scott

1. Scott
2. Scott
3. Norris
4. Smith

1. Norris
2. Scott
3. Armes
4. Scott
5. Simmons

1. Norris
2. Scott
3. Armes
4. Simmons
5. Armes

23 BLUES BV - Junior Doe

BOV - Junior Buck

Sr. Bucks (3)

Sr. Does (?)

Junior Bucks (10)

Junior Does (5)

1. Armes
2. Berry
3. nm

1. Scott
2. nm
3. nm
4. nm
5. Bulman

1. Norris
2. Scott
3. Armes
4. Armes
5. Armes

1. Scott
2. Scott
3. Armes
4. Armes
5. Armes

21 CHOCOLATES

BV-Junior Doe

BOV-Junior Buck

Sr. Bucks (4)

Senior Does (NONE)

Junior Bucks 4

Junior Does (13)

1. Scott
2. Norris
3. Berry
4. Smith

1. Armes
2. Armes
3. Armes
4. Armes

1. Armes
2. Norris
3. Armes
4. Armes
5. Armes

19 TORTOISE

BV-Junior Doe

BOV - Junior Buck

Sr. Bucks (4)

Senior Does (5)

Junior Bucks (7)

Junior Does (3)

1. Hauert
2. Norris
3. Berry
4. Hauert

1. Armes
2. Armes
3. Berry
4. Geaslin
5. Armes

1. Armes
2. Berry
3. nm
4. Berry
5. Berry

1. non member
2. Armes
3. nm

16 STEEL

BV-Junior Buck

BOV - Junior Doe

Sr. Bucks (3)

Senior Does (1)

Junior Bucks 6

Junior Does 6

1. Armes
2. Armes
3. Armes

1. non member

1. Norris
2. Armes
3. Armes
4. Norris
5. Armes

1. Norris
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5. Armes

23 GRAY

BV-Junior Doe

BOV - Junior Buck

Sr. Bucks 4

Senior Does 4

Junior Bucks 8

Junior Does 7

1. Armes
2. Berry
3. nm
4. Smith

1. nm
2. Berry
3. nm
4. nm

1. Norris
2. Armes
3. Berry
4. Armes
5. Norris

1. Norris
2. Armes
3. Norris
4. Armes
5. Norris

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SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

LUBBOCK, TEXAS CONTINUED

POINT COUNT: J. Armes-712, J. Norris-669, Scott's Rabbitry-329,
R. Berry-156, R. Hauert-32, K. Smith-24, B. Simmons-20, C. Bulman-20,
G.H. Geaslin-10 (No. of Exh. 10)

AUGUST 9, 1975 MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN JUDGE: DENNIS HOLCOMB
ADRC #207 NUMBER OF DUTCH 121

BEST OF BREED: BLUE SD (Non member) BOS: BLUE SB-R. GUETSCHOW

57 BLACKS	BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Senior Buck
Sr. Bucks 13	Senior Does 17	Jr. Bucks 14 Junior Does 13
1. nm	1. nm	1. R. Guetschow 1. R. Guetschow
2. Dibb	2. Cooks	2. R. Guetschow 2. Konczal
3. nm	3. nm	3. E. Guetschow 3. nm
4. Cooks	4. A. Cook	4. nm 4. Cooks
5. Cooks	5. A. Cook	5. nm 5. Cooks

30 BLUES	BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Senior Buck
Sr. Bucks 3	Senior Does 10	Jr. Bucks 6 Junior Does 11
1. R. Guetschow	1. nm	1. nm 1. R. Guetschow
2. R. Guetschow	2. Veens	2. Cooks 2. D. Guetschow
3. nm	3. nm	3. nm 3. E. Guetschow
	4. Cooks	4. Dibb 4. Veens
	5. R. Guetschow	5. nm 5. R. Guetschow

12 CHOCOLATES:	BV-Junior Buck	BOV - Senior Doe
Sr. Bucks 3	Senior Does 1	Jr. Bucks 4 Junior Does 4
1. nm	1. nm	1. R. Guetschow 1. nm
2. R. Guetschow		2. Lessers 2. nm
3. Konczal		3. nm 3. Lessers
		4. nm 4. nm

15 TORTOISE	BV-Senior Buck	BOV - Junior Doe
sr. Bucks 3	Senior Does 6	Jr. Bucks 2 Junior Does 4
1. nm	1. R. Guetschow	1. Lessers 1. Veens
2. nm	2. Cooks	2. nm 2. R. Guetschow
3. Lessers	3, 4 & 5 nm	- 3. nm
		4. R. Guetschow

1 STEEL - Disqualified

6 GRAYS BV Senior Buck BOV-Senior Doe

All Grays were shown by non-members

POINT COUNT: Roger Guetschow-491½, Cook's Rabbitry-214, J. Dibb-64
Elmer Guetschow-75, Veen's Triple V-62, R. Konczal-61, Anna Cook-51,
Lesser's Rabbitry-49, Dean Guetschow-44 (No. of Exh. 17)

"During the depression an old country boy went into town to the relief office (that was Charity before Welfare.) He asked for help to feed his family. The man he talked with said, "You live in the country, you could feed your family rabbits." The old country boy said, "Those kids have eaten so many rabbits, every time a dog barks they run under the house." Our Thanks to Nelle Brady.

SHOW REPORTS CONTINUED

AUGUST 15-24, 1975 - SEDALIA, MISSOURI - JUDGE: PETE NAYLOR
 ADR #192 NUMBER OF DUTCH - 110

BEST OF BREED: BLACK JD - EVERTSON BEST OPP SEX: BLK SB_ M. COLE
 (ALSO WON - - - - BEST IN SHOW)

69 BLACKS	BV-Junior Doe	BOV - Senior Buck	
Sr. Bucks (8)	Senior Does (18)	Jr. Bucks (21)	Junior Does (22)
1. Cole	1. Gillespie	1. nm	1. Evertson
2. nm	2. Cole	2. Evertson	2. Cole
3. Hess	3. nm	3. Evertson	3. Evertson
4. Gillispie	4. Hess	4. Gillespie	4. Hess
5. nm	5. nm	5. Evertson	5. nm

22 BLUES	BV-Junior Doe	BOV - Senior Buck	
Sr. Bucks (5)	Senior Does (6)	Jr. Bucks (4)	Junior Does (8)
1. nm	1. Gillispie	1. nm	1. nm
2. nm	2. Evertson	2. Gillispie	2. nm
3. Gillispie	3. nm	3. nm	3. nm
4. nm	4. nm	4. nm	4. nm
5. Hess	5. nm		5. nm

11 CHOCOLATES:	BV-Junior Buck	BOV-Junior Doe	
Sr. Bucks (2)	Senior Does (5)	Jr. Bucks (1)	Junior Does (3)
1. nm	1. Gillispie	1. Hess	1. Hess
2. Gillispie	2. Gillispie		2. Hess
	3. Evertson		3. Hess
	4. Hess		
	5. Gillispie		

2 TORTOISE:	BV-Junior Doe	BOV- Senior Buck	
Senior Buck (1)	Evertson	Junior Doe (1)	Cole

2 GRAYS:	BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Senior Buck	(Gillispie)
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POINT COUNT: R. Evertson-521, G. Gillispie-308, M. Cole-269, A. Hess
 R. Hess-164 NO OF EXH. 13

AUGUST 17-19, 1975 DES MOINES, KOWA JUDGE: HARRY RICE
 ADR #197 NUMBER OF DUTCH 108

BEST OF BREED: BLUE JD-ROGER EICH	BOS: BLUE JB- R. CROSS		
24 BLACKS	BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Junior Buck	
Sr. Bucks (5)	Senior Does (5)	Jr. Bucks (7)	Junior Does (7)
1. Paul	1. Eich	1. Miller	1. Miller
2. Eich	2. Eich	2. Eich	2. Eich
3. Eich	3. Eich	3. Eich	3. Cross
4. Miller	4. Eich	4. Eich	4. Eich
5. Miller	5. Eich	5. Eich	5. Miller

24 BLUES:	BV-Junior Doe	BOV - Junior Buck	
Sr. Bucks	Senior Does (3)	Jr. Bucks (12)	Junior Does (9)
NONE	1. Eich	1. Cross	1. Eich
	2. Eich	2. Cross	2. Eich
	3. Cross	3. Paul	3. Eich
		4. Eich	4. Eich
		5. Eich	5. Cross

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19 CHOCOLATES:	BV-Junior Doe	BOV-Junior Buck	
Sr. Bucks (2)	Senior Does (5)	Jr. Bucks (5)	Junior Does (7)
1. Eich	1. Miller	1. Miller	1. Eich
2. Miller	2. Miller	2. Eich	2. Miller
	3. Eich	3. Miller	3. Eich
	4. Eich	4. Miller	4. Eich
	5. Miller	5. Miller	5. Miller
38 TORTOISE:	BV-NOT LISTED	BOV-Junior Doe	
Sr. Bucks (8)	Senior Does (8)	Jr. Bucks (9)	Junior Does (13)
1. Eich	1. Eich	1. Miller	1. Miller
2. Eich	2. Eich	2. Eich	2. Eich
3. Eich	3. Miller	3. Miller	3. Miller
4. Miller	4. Eich	4. Miller	4. Eich
5. Eich	5. Miller	5. Eich	5. Eich
1 STEEL:	BV-Junior Doe (Miller)		

POINT COUNT: Roger Eich-1,012, J. Miller-534, Ron Cross-212, D.Paul66

AUGUST 23, to SEPTEMBER 1, 1975 PUEBLO, COLORADO, ADRG # 7
 JUDGES: EABERT McGEHEE & DENNIS HOLCOMB NO.DUTCH 138

BOB: BLACK SB-L&L JOHNSON		BOS: TORT SD-L&L JOHNSON	
54 BLACKS: BV-Senior Buck		BOV - Senior Doe	
Sr. Bucks (11)	Senior Does (15)	Jr. Bucks (15)	Junior Does (13)
1. Johnson	1. Johnson	1. Herman	1. Johnson
2. Ernst	2. Ernst	2. Johnson	2. Ernst
3. Johnson	3. Johnson	3. Jones	3. Ernst
4. Johnson	4. Jones	4. Clipfort	4. Vertovec
5. Herman	5. Herman	5. Herman	5. Johnson
34 BLUES: BV-Junior Buck	BOV Senior Doe		
Sr. Bucks (12)	Senior Does (8)	Jr. Bucks (10)	Junior Does (4)
1. nm	1. nm	1. nm	1. Johnson
2. Herman	2. Johnson	2. Johnson	2. nm
3. Herman	3. Herman	3. nm	3. Lovejoy
4. Johnson	4. Clipfort	4. nm	4. nm
5. nm	5. Ernst	5. Clipfort	
13 CHOCOLATES	BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Junior Buck	
Sr. Bucks (4)	Senior Does (3)	Jr. Bucks (2)	Junior Does (4)
1. Ernst	1. Ernst	1. Ernst	1. Clipfort
2. Clipfort	2. Johnson	2. Clipfort	2. nm
3. Clipfort	3. Herman		3. nm
4. Clipfort			4. nm
23 TORTOISE: BV-Senior Doe	BOV-Senior Buck		
Sr. Bucks (9)	Senior Does (2)	Jr. Bucks (4)	Junior Does (8)
1. Clipfort	1. Johnson	1. Herman	1. Herman
2. Herman	2. Herman	2. Hauert	2. Hauert
3. Hauert		3. Johnson	3. Herman
4. Hauert		4. Clipfort	4. Johnson
5. Clipfort			5. Johnson
6 STEELS BV-Junior Doe	BOV-Senior Buck		
Sr. Bucks (3)	Clipfort	Senior Doe (1)	Clipfort
Junior Does (2)	Lovejoy		

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8 GRAYS: BV-Senior Doe BOV - Junior Buck
 Sr. Bucks (4) Senior Does (2) Jr. Buck (1) Junior Does (1)
 1. Clipfort 1. Clipfort 1. Lovejoy 1. Lovejoy
 2. Clipfort 2. Clipfort
 3. ?
 4. ?

POINT COUNT: L&L Johnson-800, Sweet Success (Herman)-388,
 Clipfort-300, R. Ernst-257, S. Hauert-93, S. Jones-75, D. Lovejoy-38,
 R. vertovec-26 (NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS 13)

MAY 10-11, 1975 Tulsa RBA at Tulsa, Oklahoma, Henry Allison, 15350
 E. Pine, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74116, Judge: Ray Bradway, NO. DUTCH 36
 ADRC #53 BOB: BLK SD-L&L JOHNSON BOS: BLK SB-L&L JOHNSON
 17 Blacks SD, 7 Blues SD, 4 Chocolates SB, 7 Torts ??, 1 Gray SB -
 L & L Johnson POINTS: L&L Johnson-304, Evertson Rabbitry-53,
 Russ Rabbitry-46 NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS 7

MAY 18, Progressive RC at Kansas City, Kansas, Sandy Martin, 8802 E.
 47th St., Kansas City, Missouri 64129, Judge: Glen Carr, ADRC #120
 No. Dutch 37, BEST OF BREED STEEL SB & BOS: TORT JD-L&L JOHNSON
 24 Blacks SD, 5 Blues-SB, 3 Torts-JD & 1 Steel SB-L&L Johnson
 4 Chocolates - SB-R. Ernst POINTS: L&L Johnson 291½, B. Evertson-72,
 R. Ernest-36, M. Cole-12 (NO. OF EXHIBITORS - 10)

MAY 31, 1975, Inland Empire RBA at Spokane, Washington, ADRC #162
 Martha S. Hibbard, E. 11904 Alki Rd., Spokane, Wash., 99206,
 Number of Dutch 17 Judge: Dale Wilcox
 BEST OF BREED - BLUE SB - NON-MEMBER BOS: CHOC SD-N. BARBER
 4 Blacks-SB & 4 Blues: SB-Non Member, 3 Chocs SB-N. Barber, 5 Torts
 None, 1 Steel-None POINTS: N. Barber-52½ NO. EXH 5

JUNE 1, York County RBA at Acton, Maine, Phyliss Carpentier, Box #123,
 Berwick, Maine, 03901, Judge: Robert Noble, Number of Dutch 37
 ADRC #194 BEST OF BREED: BLK SD-P. JURGELONIS, BOS: CHOC SB-NM
 8 Blacks SD, 9 Chocolates: SB & 9 Torts: SD-non member, 10 Blues SD &
 1 Gray: JD-Paul Jurgelonis POINTS: P. Jurgelonis-103, Rolands
 Hilltop Rabb. - 60, L. Riciputi-18 (NO. OF EXH. 7)

JUNE 7-8 Minnesota State Dutch Club at Minneapolis, Minnesota
 Myrtle Mohr, Box 352, Rosemount, Minnesota 55068, No. Dutch 27
 ADRC #178 Judge: Darrell Bramhall BEST OF BREED BLK. SB & BOS BLK
 JD-ROGER GUETSCHOW 11 Blacks - SB & 5 Torts SD-R. Guetschow,
 4 Blues: SB-D. Unruh, 7 Chocs: SB-D. Anderson (NO OF EXH 8)
 POINTS: Rogert Guetschow-162½, D. Anderson-36, K. Billstrom-49,
 Lunnings Rabb.-29, D. Unruh-24, S. Groothausen-21, A.E. Jacobson-12,
 D. Olson-8

JUNE 8 Santa Cruz Co RA at Santa Cruz, California, Mandie Fouquette,
 415 Western States, Felton, Calif. 95018. Judge: Wayne Sterner
 No. of Dutch - 23, ADRC #180, BOB: BLUE SB-ROXANNA HAWKINS BOS:BLUE JD-
 Non Member Black JD, Choc: SB & Tort: JB-non members, Blue SB-Hawkins,
 Gray:SB-Hawkins. POINTS B. Meyer-53, R. Hawkins-47, Rileys Redwood-6
 NO OF EXH. 13

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JUNE 15, Granite State R&CBA at New Boston, New Hampshire, ADRC #152
 V. McCormick, Box #72, Munsonville, N.H. 03457, Judge: P. Jurgelonis
 No. Of Dutch: 13 BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: CHOC SB - NON MEMBERS
 4 Black SD, 1 Blue: JB, 5 Choc: JD 3 Tort not listed - Non Members
 NO POINTS (ALL WERE NON MEMBERS)

JUNE 21, Mora Area R&CC at Mora, Minnesota, Kathy Billstrom, Route #4,
 Mora, Minn., 55051, Judge: Doris Leibel, NUMBER OF DUTCH 33 ADRC #97
 BOB: BLK SB - NM BOS: BLK JD-T. MERICKEL
 19 Blacks SB, 4 Blues JB, 4 Steel: SD-non members, 6 Choc SB-Anderson
 POINTS: T. Merickel-131 $\frac{1}{2}$, D. Anderson-85, S. Groothausen-18,
 D. Olsen-14 (NO. OF EXH. 9)

JUNE 21, Blue Mountain RBA at La Grande, Oregon, Joyce Williams,
 2204 Orodell Blvd., La Grande, Ore., 97850, Judge: O.W. Williams
 Number of Dutch 20, ADRC #224, BOB: BLK SD-NM, BOS: GRAY SB-J. Kelly
 7 Blacks SD, 4 Blues SB, 3 Torts JD- non members, 3 Chocs JB & 2 Grays
 SB- J. Kelly POINTS: J. Kelly-114 (NO OF EXH. 3)

JUNE 22, Rensselaer Co. RBA at Euskirk, New York, Elton Sandow, Jr.
 Rd. #1, Buskirk, N.Y. 12028, Judge: Harry Jessmer, No.Dutch 49 ARDC163
 BOB: BLUE SB & BOS: STEEL SD - NON MEMBERS
 12 Black SB-H. French, 2 Blues: SB, 15 Chocs:SB, 2 Steels:SD & 7 Grays
 SB-non members, 11 Tort:SD-C. Bowley POINTS: J. Bulger-79, H. French-
 63, D. Guile-47, D&E Rabbitry-36, C. Bowley-30, J. Wearstler-10,
 M. Allen-9, D. Smith-6 (NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS 12)

JULY 3-5, Alberta RBA at Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Judy Irvin,
 Box 5071, Station A, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Judge: Dale Wilcox,
 No. Dutch 30, ADRC #210 BOB: BLUE SD-P. EYMA (BEST FANCY)
 BOS: BLUE SB-P. EYMA 18 Blacks-not listed, 5 Blues: SD, 6 Chocs SD &
 1 Tort: JB- P. Eyma POINTS: P. Eyma-231, E. Houseman-49,
 V. Stevenson-27 (NO. OF EXH. 5)

JULY 12-19, Jackson Purchase RBA at Murray, Kentucky, Eva Sanders
 Rt. #4, Benton, Kentucky 42025, JUDGE: Billy Dodge No. Dutch 35
 ADRC #247, BOB: GRAY SB & BOS: BLUE SD - NON MEMBERS
 17 Blacks JD, 6 Blues: SD, 4 Chocs:SD & 8 Grays: SB - Non Members
 POINTS: ZMO Rabbitry-48, Eva Sanders-21 (NO OF EXH. 9)

JULY 16, King County Fair at Enumclaw, Washington, Cindy Wickizer
 Rt. #2, Box #329, Buckley, Wash., 98321, Judge: Gordon Ash, ARDC #198
 NO. DUTCH 49 BOB: CHOC JB & BOS: BLUE JD - C. CHINN
 19 Blacks SB-J. Wickert, 14 Blues: JD & 9 Choc JB- C. Chinn,
 3 Torts JB- C.R.Bates, 1 Steel JD & 3 Gray JD- nm. POINTS: Chinn -145 $\frac{1}{2}$
 A. Ferguson-101, J. Kelly-86, C.R.Bates-57, D. McDaniel-42, G.Steele24,
 J. Wickert-40 (NO. OF EXHIBITORS 18)

JULY 20-26, Fayette Co. Fair at Washington Court House, Ohio, ADRC #129
 Francis E. Morgan, 4819 Harbor Blvd. Columbus, Ohio 43227, NO.DUTCH 49
 Judge: Harry Rice, BOB: TORT JD-NM BOS: BLK JB-J. SUTTON
 21 Blacks:JD-Happy Time Rabbitry, 5 Blues:JD-McNary, 9 Choc SB &
 9 Torts JD-nm, 1 Steel:SD-McNary, 4 Gray: JD-V. Higginbotham
 POINTS: Happy Time-184, John Sutton 159 $\frac{1}{2}$, McNary-85, V. Higginbotham-
 64, B. Bonner-18 (NO. OF EXH. 8)

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JULY 26, L.C.R.B.A. at Hodgenville, Kentucky, Tony Lobb, Rt. #4, Box #4A, Hodgenville, Kentucky 42748, Judge: Harold Conrad, ADRC #204 No. Dutch 12 BOB: BLK SD & BOS BLK SB - NON MEMBER
8 Blacks SD & 2 Chocs JB-non members, 2 Grays JD-D. Burchfield
POINTS: D. Burchfield-27 (NO. OF EXH 5)

JULY 27, Salinas Valley RBA at Salinas, California, Walt Hawkins, 647 Middlefield Road, Salinas, California 93901, Judge: John Phillips, ADRC #185, No. Dutch 95, BOB: BLK JD-CONLEY BOS: BLUE SB-R.HAWKINS
23 Blacks JD-Conley, 23 Blues: SD-R. Hawkins, 11 Choc SB-nm, 18 Torts JD-M. Lovejoy, 10 Steel: SD-Conley 10 Gray: JB-M. Lovejoy.
POINTS: P & L Conley-264, M. Lovejoy-216, Clipfort Rabbitry-321, Roxanna Hawkins-195½, Regal Rabbitry-56, R. Grimes-34, R. Ferrari-24, J. Clark-20, B. White-18, D. Borden-14, R&J Bauer-6, Terry Ferrari-8, Toni Ferrari-24, Eddie Ferrari-8 (NO OF EXH. 23)

JULY 27, Akron Rabbit Club at Akron, Ohio, Mrs. Dorothy Krahl, 2555 Wadsworth Road, Norton, Ohio 44203, Judge: Harry Rice, ADRC #200 No. Dutch 54, BEST OF BREED GRAY JB-BARTON, BOS: BLUE SD-WM. LANGE
17 Blacks SD-nm, 21 Blues:SD-W. Lange, 6 Choc:SD-Schill, 2 Torts JD Mike's, 2 Steel SB & 6 Gray JB-Bartons POINTS: E. Chandler-244, Bartons-120, R&J Williamson-112, Wm. Lange-75, Mike's Rabbitry-67, G. Morgan-56, B. Snymanouski-39, A. Butler-30, J&G Schill-11, Jack's - 12 (NO. OF EXH. 11)

JULY 26 - AUGUST 7, Montana State Fair at Great Falls, Montana, William Bonshoom, 1701 9th St., N.W., Great Falls, Montana 59404 Judge: Arthur Nelson, Number of Dutch 19 ADRC #47
BOB: BLK SB-STEVENSON BOS: CHOCOLATE JD- NON MEMBER
11 Blacks SB-Stevenson 2 Blues: JB & 6 Choc JD-non member
POINTS: V. Stevenson-84, E. Houseman-45, V. Dorr-28 (NO. EXH. 7)

AUGUST 1-3, Marion Co. Fair at Indianapolis, Indiana, John Keenan 6737 McFarland Rd., Indianapolis, Ind. 46227, Judge: Lester Wells, No. Dutch 74, ADRC #148 BOB BLACK SB-TOM SHUFFLEBOTHAM (ALSO BEST FANCY IN SHOW) BOS: BLUE SD-NON MEMBER
28 Blacks SB-Shufflebotham, 21 Blues:SD-nm, 7 Choc SB-S. Williamson, 6 Torts:JD, 4 Steel:JD & 8 Grays: JD - T. Reed POINTS: T. Reed-574, Tom Shufflebotham-179, Happy Time Rabbitry-116, S. Williamson-47, McNary-32 (NO. OF EXH. 7)

AUGUST 2-9, Preble Co. Fair at Eaton, Ohio, Howard E. Toney, Rt. #3, Eaton, Ohio 45320 Judge: Carldon Gaddis, No. Dutch 20, ADRC#81
BEST OF BREED: BLK SD-S. GUNSETT BOS: BLK JD- S. GUNSETT
17 Blacks SD-S. Gunsett 3 Choc. SB-C. Middleton POINTS: Gunsett-136, C. Middleton-27 (NO. OF EXH. 5)

AUGUST 3, Ventura Co.RBA at Ventura, California, Elmer Paquette, 334, Acacia Rd., Santa Paula, Calif. 93060, Judge: George Bayliss, No. Dutch 32, ADRC #225 BEST OF BREED STEEL JD & BOS: GRAY JB-MIKE LOVEJOY
8 Blacks SD-E. Paquette, 7 Blues:SB, 7 Torts:JB, 1 Steel:JD & 2 Grays JD-M. Lovejoy, 5 Choc:JB-nm. POINTS: M. Lovejoy-142, E. Paquette-106, J. Allen-18 (NO. OF EXH. 6)

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AUGUST 4-9, Ross Co. Fair at Chillicothe, Ohio, Jeanne Maddox, R#1, Box #125A, Frankfort, Ohio 45628, Judge: Wm. Kennedy, No. Dutch 9 ADRC #118, BOB: CHOC JD & BOS: CHOC SB-NON MEMBERS
1 Blue-Disqualified, 3 Choc:JD-nm, 2 Torts:JD & 3 Grays:JD-V.
Higginbotham POINTS V. Higginbotham-20 (NO OF EXH. 4)

AUGUST 4-10, Mower Co. Fair at Austin, Minnesota, Darlene Hofner, Rt. #1, Box #77A, Dexter, Minn. 55926, Judge: Darrell Bramhall ADRC202 No. Dutch 13, BEST OF BREED: STEEL SD & BOS: BLUE SB- NON MEMBERS
3 Blacks JB, 2 Blues:JD, 3 Chocs:SD, 3 Torts:JB & 2 Steel: SD-nm
5 Exhibitors all non members

AUGUST 5-9 Northland R&CBA at Gaylord, Michigan, Raymond Fisher, R#1, Ellsworth, Mich. 49729, ADRC #251, Judge: Herb Butterworth, NO.DUTCH 3 BOB: BLK. SB - 1 Exhibitor (non member)

AUGUST 8-10, Town & Country RC at Sauk Rapids, Minnesota, ADRC #293, Robert Johannes, Little Falls, Minn. Judge: Larry Bengtson, No. Dutch 12, BOB: BLK SB & BOS: BLK SD-T. MERICKEL
9 Blacks SB-T. Merickel 3 Blues: JD-nm, POINTS: Merickel-93 (EXH 4)

AUGUST 8-17, Illinois State Fair at Springfield, Ill. Kathy Reese 3216 So. 4th Street, Springfield, Ill. 62703; Judge: Oren Reynolds ADRC #168 No. Dutch 94 BOB: CHOC SD-NON MEMBER BOS: CHOC ??-W.ECK
23 Blacks:SD & 23 Blues:SB-Eugene Baines, 37 Choc: SD-nm, 3 Torts JD, 4 Steel:SB & 4 Gray:SD- Wm. Eck POINTS: Wm. Eck-476½, E. Baines-244, E. Williams-222, D. Bernhardt-150, B. Bradley-14 (NO. OF EXH. 10)

AUGUST 11-16, Clermont Co. Fair at Owensville, Ohio, Paul Curtsinger, 62 Judd Road, Amelia, Ohio 45102, ADRC 49 NO DUTCH SHOWN

AUGUST 13-17 S.W. Oregon RBA at Myrtle Pt., Oregon, Betty Lou Taylor, 12479 Wildwood Dr., No. Bend, Oregon 97459, ADRC #228 NO.DUTCH 1
Judge: Betty Beckendorf BOB: BLK JD -NON MEMBER

AUGUST 15-21, Lima Rabbit Club at Lima, Ohio, Williard C. Morris Rt. #1, Box #44, Lakeview, Ohio 43331, Judge: Harold Guthrie ADRC 218 No. Dutch 36 BOB: BLUE JB-D. WHITEHILL BOS: BLUE SD-ROY FOX
8 Blacks:SB-Roy Fox, 6 Blues:JB-D. Whitehill, 9 Choc:SB & 13 Tort SB-nm, POINTS: Roy Fox-97, D. Whitehill-91, S. Frazer-81 (NO OF EXH. 6)

AUGUST 16-23, Calumet RBA at Crown Point, Indiana, Jackie Lucas 5928 I Houston Ave., Portage, Ind. 46368, Judge: Oren Reynolds, No. Dutch 35, ADRC #214, BOB: BLUE JD-TOM SHUFFLEBOTHAM (ALSO BEST FANCY IN SHOW) BOS: BLK SB-TOM SHUFFLEBOTHAM 12 Blacks SB & 8 Blue JD-T. Shufflebotham, 6 Choc:SB-S. Williamson, 9 Torts:SB-Veen's (3) V POINTS: Veen's Triple V-129, Tom Shufflebotham-84½, S. Williamson-24, J. Nelson-18, Evergreen Rabb.-12, (NO. OF EXH. 8)

AUGUST 17-18, Capitol RBA at Gaithersburg, Maryland, Barbara Wright 5019 Swinton Dr., Fairfax, Virginia 22030, Judge: Wm. Kennedy ADRC 64 NO. DUTCH 30: BOB:GRAY SB & BOS: BLACK JD-NM. 15 Blks:JB, 2 Blues:JD, 4 Choc:JD, 2 Tort:JD, 2 Steel:SB & 5 Gray:SB-non members
(6 Exhibitors all non members)

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AUGUST 17-23, Tri-Co. RC at Marshfield, Massachusetts, ADRC #270
 Robert Alberghini, 316 Court St., Plymouth, Mass. 02360, NO DUTCH 19
 Judge: Paul Jurgelonis BOB: BLK JB-NM BOS: TORT JD-RUSHFORTH
 5 Blacks JB & 2 Grays SD-nm, 2 Blues JD, 3 Choc: JD - Cavaccos
 7 Torts JD-Rushforth POINTS: B. Rushforth-39½, Cavaccos Rabbitry-24,
 W. Webber-6 (NO OF EXH. 8)

AUGUST 23, at Massey, Ontario, Canada by Laurentian RBC ADRC #283
 Christina Morris, R#1, Whitefish, Ontario, Canada POM3EO
 Judge: Bob Shaftoe No. Dutch 25, BOB: CHOC SD & BOS: BLUE SB-NM
 7 Blacks SD, 5 Blues:SD, 3 Chocs:SD & 10 Torts:SD-non members
 2 Exhibitors both non members

AUGUST 22 - September 1, Michigan State Fair at Detroit, Michigan
 Robert McLachian, State Fairgrounds, Detroit, Mich. 48203, ADRC #158
 Judge: John Weltevreden NO. DUTCH 97, BOB: BLK JD-nm,
 BOS: TORT JB-MICALLEF 33 Blacks JD-nm, 17 Blues:JD- R. Willey,
 21 Chocs:SD- Coopers, 26 Torts:SD-V. Bailey, POINTS: A. Micallef-655½,
 V. Bailey-107, A. Ellis-111, Cooper's Hillcrest-102, J. Ery-56 (EXH 12)

AUGUST 23 - SEPTEMBER 1, Evergreen State Fair at Monroe, Washington
 Russel Coffelt, 19706 80th Ave., N.E., Bothell, Wash. 98011, ADRC 119
 Judge: Dale Wilcox, No. Dutch 63, BOB: BLUE JD-COOK, BOS: BLUE JB-NM
 26 Blacks JB & 21 Blues:JD- Cook, 5 Chocs:SB-Chinn, 6 Torts:JB,
 2 Steels:SB & 3 Grays:JD-McDaniel POINTS: D. Cook-339, C. Chinn-134,
 A. Ferguson-100, D.McDaniel-129, J. Miller-18 (NO. OF EXH. 14)

AUGUST 24, at Ventura, California by R&CB of San Fernando Valley, Calif
 Sunny Harper, 20041 Clark, Orange, Calif. 92669, Judge: Joe Lutes,
 ADRC #292, No. Dutch 8 BOB: STEEL SB & BOS: GRAY SD-M. LOVEJOY
 2 Blacks:JD & 1 Choc:SB-nm, 2 Blues:SB, 2 Steels:SB, & 1 Gray:SD-Mike
 Lovejoy POINTS: M. Lovejoy-42, Diane Ford-6 (NO OF EXH. 4)

AUGUST 24-30, Fredericksburg Ag. Fair at Fredericksburg, Virginia
 Lewis Heath, Rt. #1, Box 207, Mechanicsville, Virginia 23111 ADRC 256
 Judge: William J. Franklin NO. DUTCH - 65 BOB: BLK SD & BOS: BLK SB-
 NON MEMBER 24 Blacks SD & 4 Blues:JD-nm, 20 Choc:SB-C.B. Kemper,
 7 Torts:SD, 3 Steel:SD & 7 Grays:SD-E. D. Smith POINTS: E.D.Smith-222
 L. Heath-140, C.B.Kemper-110, M. Sanders-72 (NO OF EXH. 10)

AUGUST 27 - SEPTEMBER 1 Stark Co. R&CBA at Canton, Ohio, Roger Dent
 233 Aultman Ave., N.W., Canton, Ohio 44708, ADRC #149, NO. DUTCH 37
 Judge: Al Roerdanz BOB: BLK SB-BUTLER BOS: BLK JD-NON MEMBER
 10 Blacks SB & 3 Torts:SB-Butler, 12 Blues:SB, 7 Choc:JD, 2 Steel SB &
 3 Grays:JD-non members POINTS: Butler's -138, Milliken's-127½ (EX.5)

AUGUST 28-SEPTEMBER 1, Minnesota State Fair at St. Paul, Minn. ADRC 266
 Doreen Bengtson, Rt.#1, Lewiston, Minn. 55952, Judge: Gary Grimm
 No. Dutch 65 BOB: BLK SB-MERICKEL BOS: BLUE JD-LEIBEL
 33 Blacks:SB-Merickel, 11 Blues:JD, 14 Chocs:JB 2 Torts ?-Leibel,
 4 Steels - not listed, 1 Gray:SB-Bengtson POINTS: L. Bengtson-306,
 Merickel-271, Leibel-240½, K. Billstrom-102, Malikowski-12 (EXH. 7)

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AUGUST 28 - SEPTEMBER 1, Northern California RBA at Sacramento, Calif.
Donald E. Matthews, Box 621, Newcastle, California 95658
Judge: Walter Hawkins NO DUTCH 80 ADRC #201
BOB: STEEL SD- P & L CONLEY BOS: BLK SB-NON MEMBERS
37 Blacks:JD-R. Luke, 15 Blues:JD-N. Raetz, 14 Choc:JD-Conley
6 Torts:SB-B. White, 3 Steel:SD & 5 Grays:JB-Conley POINTS: Conley-282,
G. Goodwin-120, J. Ruch-107, N. Raetz-103, R. Luke_48, M. Paris-45,
L. Nielsen-37, A. Winebrenner-32, L. Lawrence-32, B. White-26,
J. Hartzell-24, J. Clark-20, E. Bettencourt-16, C. Tedder-9 (EXH. 19)

AUGUST 30, Van Wert Co. RBA at Van Wert, Ohio, Marilyn Armstrong
129 S. Clay St., Delphon, Ohio 45833, Judge: Carldon Gaddis, ADRC 208,
No. Dutch 15 BOB: BLK SD- GUNSETT BOS: BLK SB-GUNSETT
12 Blacks:SD & 1 Choc JD-Gunsett 2 Blues:SD-Van Metre
POINTS: S. Gunsett-104½, B. Van Metre-66 (NO OF EXH. 3)

There seems to be an amazing number of NON MEMBERS not only showing Dutch but winning. Ohio is I believe about the best State for the most exhibitors of Dutch to be members of the Dutch Club. California and Indiana are running a very close second. When showing Dutch - - don't be bashful just ask, "Are you a Dutch Club Member?" If the answer is no - - TWIST THEIR ARM until they are. No, don't do that but almost. I know at a couple of shows, I knew the people weren't members but seemed interested so I offered to send their money to Larry for them. I have found people intend to do something but then they forget - - - this way I get the money, make out the application blank and then send it in for them. Anyway just for fun check the total point getters against the number of exhibitors.

THANKS TO Larry & Doreen for including number in Variety, I know this will make Don Brady happy, as far as that goes I think a lot more will enjoy this added attraction.

SOMETHING ELSE: If you JOINED THE ADRC in your name but SHOW UNDER a Rabbitry name YOU HAD BETTER let Larry know, as you will not get credit for points. I noticed a show in Illinois where the man is a member in his name but shows under a rabbitry.

NOTE: BEST IN SHOW at San Antonio last year was won by a Tort Junior Doe. Congratulations to the Bradys.

Dear Editors:
I enjoy the Dutch Reporter very much. I especially like the articles in the July-August edition. My sister and I first started breeding dutch rabbits as a 4-H project and we now have many, many dutch rabbits in four colors.
Please enter our names as boosters on the booster page.
Laura & Ellen Eskew
Phoenix, Arizona
Thank you Laura & Ellen, now to have an even better D.R. we NEED YOU to write us an article. FACT is we need EVERYONE to write us some articles. Sorta of slowed down a little this time.

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ADS

PLEASE CHECK your Ads, because there will be a lot due in the month of December and although they are still good for the Nov-Dec Issue, if we could have your ads in early then that would save us a lot of hair pulling. The ads are the hardest part of the News to make them come out just right. I know Al Seeman was going to pay us early for a booster ad, I told him to wait because I was pretty sure we would be seeing Mary & Al before December. Anyway Al wants to support the DR, but really isn't interested in selling stock, so he is going for the Booster. So folks if you are going to renew, WHY NOT SIT DOWN RIGHT NOW and send Bob & I a check for your ad, PLEASE. We would like to say THANKS to all of our Supporters. Booster ads are \$3.00, \$4.00 if you list J&R. ALSO our or I should say my apologies to Nelle Brady because I was going to change their Texas State Dutch Club AD and it didn't turn out very well, in fact it is rotten. Next month Nelle it will be changed. Anyway Nelle is the Texas State Dutch Club Secretary.

Kathy

If you can't make the NATIONAL CONVENTION, this year, make plans to attend the NATIONAL DUTCH SHOW, at Gaithersburg, Maryland, on APRIL 23, 24 & 25, 1976. OF COURSE, it would be nice to make both of these fine shows.

An Indian seeing a white man riding a bicycle said, "White man sure lazy. Sit down and Walk." Another bit of wit from Don & Nelle.

MEANDERINGS
by
DIRECTOR LYNN COOPER

After reading the last issue of the Dutch Reporter, it looks like putting this article together leaves me with little to say. That issue was the best Dutch Reporter to come out in a long time. I doubt if ever one excelled it.

The articles by friends Jim and Al on breeding Dutch were excellent, as well as Larry's message and all the rest which made this issue so fine.

I will have to go on by saying that what may work for one breeder may not work for another. We, who have bred Dutch for a number of years, all know that line-breeding and in-breeding are a must, as this is exactly what produced the great hy-bred corn of to-day.

We bring in an outside buck or doe every year or so, but we experiment before that line is bred into our rabbitry. In our Chocolate Dutch we have worked blood lines back and forth with our good friend Dave Paul of Des Moines, Iowa, to the benefit of both of us.

Chocolates are still in great demand and sometimes we, as well as others sell a key buck or doe we should not let go and regret it afterward.

Let me say to the new breeder, do not try to buy your winners. Get breeding stock from a good reliable breeder and develop your own winners. You will get a lot more satisfaction from this but it demands patience and you will have your ups & downs but you will get there. Keep type, fur and color in mind first and then work on the markings.

Once in a great while you will come up with what I call a Universal Buck. By this he will produce good marked stock from most any doe but these are rare.

At this time we are trying to develop a strain of Blues with the best fur and color we ever hope to obtain and from two does, now we have seven blue does, most of which are a long ways from show does. From appearances now they will be bred back to their father or uncle. Now it will be well into 1976 before we can know how this will work but it should.

The one mother took 4 successive Best Blues and one B.O.B. in the spring shows, basically on her excellent fur, type and color.

Some time ago I had a man ask me to sell him what I considered an unbeatable rabbit. Now no breeder in his right mind would ever do that. If he ever himself considered it unbeatable, I think he would keep it but in 23 years in Dutch, I have yet to see one of them.

Now in one of the last issues of Domestic Rabbits, the article on the responsibility of the seller and buyer was an article (CONTINUED)

MEANDERINGS CONTINUED

that every breeder who buys and sells stock should have read.

Here at Cooper's we tell the customer if they are not satisfied, don't gripe to others. Come to us with the problem as we are the only ones who can help them. We believe this makes the buyer feel he has somewhat of a guarantee. Of course if a rabbit is exposed to a violent change of feed and housing and the animal becomes sick or does not develop as it should the seller should not be held to blame.

The Dutch have been #1, here for 20 years or more. They are part of our livelihood as well as a hobby and enjoyment of many fine friends.

I can see that this Dutch club is going to grow and flow and I will be looking forward to meeting old friends and making new ones at Milwaukee in November.

Best to all

Lynn

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT

It is that time again, one of the two finest seasons of the year which of course is spring show season and fall show season. The summer in the East here has been a ferocious mixture of bad environment. Two weeks of solid rain, two weeks of extreme heat then followed by another 2 weeks of below normal temperatures. The humidity has averaged (according to the local weather bureau) 84% which is both uncomfortable and unhealthy. We have all had our share of both very young and old stock passing away with colds and after effects. Without the controlled environment type of laboratory, it is the best we can do on our limited budgets. A real wonder that any, particularly very young, survived.

Perhaps that is why the demand is very good in the East for Dutch rabbits. Most of the other breeds around this section had higher mortality than the little dutchmen. It is very tough to hang on to the few left without hurting someone.

The youth survey has been slow and I have received a total of 5 cards/letters showing interest in forming a youth section. You parents could go a long way to aiding your children, finding a hobby which is both educational, practical and soul satisfying. It sure beats hanging around in bar-rooms and the competitive spirit is something that isn't taught in school but needs to be learned to become a "whole" adult.

I probably will not be able to attend the Convention as we as teachers are only allowed two days per year (10 months) as personal days and the convention last for 4 work days. It does give me a low feeling but I'm sure you will forgive me, if I ask you too. (CONTINUED)

DIRECTOR'S REPORT CONTINUED

The Spring A.D.R.C. SHOW IN MARYLAND is but 1 work day long extending into the weekend and should be well attended.

I'm sure that a few long distant friends of mine are coming and expect to "wipe us out", down here like one did once last spring in the Tortoise color but we had to be nice and let her win a little bit so she wouldn't get mad at us. BUT next time it counts and we will reciprocate.

Hope to see you all and hoping the judges will call them the way I see them. I remain,

Bill Geitzenauer

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BREEDING DUTCH FOR THE SHOW PEN

I have been raising rabbits for the past twelve years and for the last five years have bred the Dutch Rabbits exclusively. I have always been partial to this breed, especially the Black variety, for when you go into a rabbitry that contains rows of clean hutches filled with beautiful black and white animals, you will agree with me when you hear that old saying, "You Can't Beat the Dutch."

I have attended many rabbit breeders' meetings, but if you want to listen to an enthusiastic group, attend a meeting of Dutch Breeders.

When I began to breed Dutch, for the first year I was not getting anywhere - - just raising nothing but fair specimens. It was then that I made up my mind to pay a little attention to what I read in the journals - - that the foundation stock was the most important. I had experience enough to know that what I needed to build up my herd was type and true color and that without these two factors, you will never attain any recognition with Dutch.

I looked around most all of the rabbitries and finally bought a junior buck with fine color and what I considered wonderful type. He had a championship to his credit as a junior and English Dutch on both sides. This purchase proved to be the very thing I needed, for your sire is seventy-five percent of your stud.

I used this buck only on my best does, but to further improve my stud I secured two more does of this same strain. I have bred some very good show stock from this purchase. The blood-lines showed up when I used does of this strain, with excellent type and color, but not so good on markings. My procedure is to try to breed to offset bad markings as far as possible, but never to forget to place type first in my selections. I personally think that markings are sometimes a matter of good luck but the color and type never was a game of chance.

When you finally find a good combination that will produce you a winner, stick to that mating - CONTINUED

BREEDING DUTCH CONTINUED

do not change the doe to another buck.

A great many novices, when they start with Dutch will get discouraged because they do not get those well or fairly well marked specimens. Breeding Dutch is a game of keep trying and if you try long enough you are bound to succeed. What feeling is greater than to reach into a nest and pick out a dandy. This is surely when one gets a real kick out of breeding Dutch.

I have had to kill litter after litter of poorly marked ones, but when you do get a nice one, it well repays you for all your disappointments.

Another big kick that I get is from the shows. Every breeder should show his stock, or he will never know how it stands, and also never keep up with the ever-improving exhibitors. When you win a first, or a second in a large class, you know that you have accomplished something for, as I see it, it is far better to win a second in a large class of say ten, than to take first in a class of two. Also do not get it into your head that if you have won a few firsts, that your entry cannot be beaten, for there is always one just a little better waiting for you. So, the best way is to take your winnings with your losings in good sportmanship.

After you have done your share of winning & can hold your own, you will naturally have stock to dispose of. Try the leading journals and you will get yourself before the public. Always advertise truthfully, the bad points as well as the good and your sale will be far more successful. It does not pay to overcharge your customers, but you are entitled to a fair price. Also do not cut prices, for good breeders are not looking for cheap stock. Don't try to put anything over on customers, for they are your best source of advertising. They may have some friends who are in the market. When I have to sell stock to any buyer who can't write me back and say that he received all and more than he expected then I will voluntarily retire from Dutch.

I think it pays for a beginner to take at least two magazines join his local club, the American Dutch Rabbit Club and the National. You derive a lot of good from them that will pay you great dividends in the long run.

H. G. PUFFER

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Mr. Puffer was in 1936 a Director of the American Dutch Rabbit Club and it seems that they tried to get someone from the club to write an article each month for this magazine. Wouldn't it be great if we could have the same kind of support for the D.R. Of course today we don't have the good kind of rabbit magazines that they did way back then. Usually we improve with progress but as far as National Rabbit Magazines it seems they did have it better in the Good Old Days. Perhaps it's a lack of authors for articles??????

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EDITORS' COMMENTS

As Director, Bill Geitzenauer says elsewhere in the D.R. "one of the best seasons of the year is here. The Fall Show Season." This is my favorite because more often than not, the weather is nice for traveling.

Last Sunday we went to our first show of the fall season at Woodstock, Illinois. We went to the show with Al & Mary Seeman and had a real nice day. There was a pretty nice entry of Dutch, with Oren Reynolds performing the judging. Al had B.O.B. with a real good Black Senior Doe and I managed B.O.S. with a Black Senior Buck.

Next week is our Illinois State Convention and I am hoping for a big entry of Dutch.

It sounds like things are shaping up real good for the Dutch Club events at the National Convention next month. There are quite a few of us staying at the same Motel, so we are hoping for lots of visiting and meeting many new Dutch Friends.

This issue of the D.R. is a little smaller. We NEED some good Dutch ARTICLES for the next couple of issues. Why not sit down and write something for your D.R. Anything of interest concerning Dutch and the Dutch Breeders is what we want.

It has been mentioned to us that it would be nice to have some pictures of the Convention events in the next D.R. For this we will need some good clear Black & White pictures. If any of you are going to the National can help with pictures it would be nice.

End of Bob's comments so here I sit. If you would like to have pictures of the National for the December issue, if we could have the film to get it developed right away and I would be glad to send you the negatives, then we would have to press to get it done for the Dec. issue but we believe it can be done. As far as writing articles for the D.R. - of course you can do it. I really don't have to edit that much and mostly it is spelling, so folks just sit down and write us what you think would be a good article and I bet it will be enjoyed by all of the members. I have found through the years of working with the Illinois News that really an editor shouldn't edit everything because then you change the context of what the writer is trying to say, just don't go name-calling & it will get printed, in all likelihood. A lot of memberships are DUE. See you at the National. Bob & Kathy

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