

Nell. Champion Br yard, by Rosco, ex Juno. Vesta, by Champion Oscar, ex Lottie. Champion Duke of Leeds, by Mt. Sion II, ex Novice. Lady Nell; by Champion Bonivard, ex Champion Beatrice.

Plinlimmon Jr. was bred by Mr. Sidney W. Smith, of Leeds, England, and is now two years and five months old. He has a grand body and head, and good coat and color, his height is 34 inches and weight about 200 lbs. Feet and legs extra good, immense bone and grand frame. If bred to good bitches his progeny should be heard from in the future.

Editor Kennel Gazette:—

I have lately bought from Mr. A. Little, of London, Ont., his rough-coated St. Bernard dog, Nero, (Lupp Elba). Imported by him from England. I intend to breed him with my bitch, Sara.

Yours truly,
Guelph, Ont. R. S. WILLIAMSON.

GREYHOUND RACES.

At the firemen's annual games held here this afternoon there were two races for Greyhounds, one 230 yards flat race, the other 220 yards over two hurdles, in the former two started, H. Kirby's, Betsy, E. S. Andrew's, Russ, Betsy won. Four started in the hurdle race, T. C. Bate's, Edgewood, E. S. Andrew's, Russ, K. Graham's, Barney, and H. Kirby's, Betsy. Edgewood won.

ALFRED GEDDES.
Ottawa, Oct. 26th, 1889.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS ON DISEASES, BREEDING, MANAGEMENT, ETC.

Correspondents are requested to make full use of this column. The answers to enquiries as to diseases will be answered by a well-known medical man and breeder. Please read the following rules carefully.

1. Give a concise, clear and exact statement of case, always stating age, sex, and breed.
2. Enclose 3 cents stamp for reply.
3. Report result, not necessarily for publication. *This is absolute.*
4. Acute cases requiring immediate treat-

ment to be answered by mail in the first instance, later through KENNEL GAZETTE for the benefit of our readers.

5. Write legibly and on one side of the paper only.

6. Answers to be to name in full, initials or *nom de plume*, the first preferred.

1. Cocker Spaniel bitch, age 16½ months, weight 15 lbs., taken sick with distemper about the last week in June 1889, treated for same for about three or four weeks and recovered and gained rapidly in flesh again, taken shortly after with twitching of muscles of left foreleg, and has continued so up to date, 18th September, with partial loss of power and lameness in this leg, general condition fairly good. Please advise.

2. Black Cocker Spaniel pup about 8 months old, weight 23 lbs., trouble mange and worms, has been fed carefully on diet consisting principally of oatmeal porridge, milk and bread, has been treated for several months with coconut oil, coal-oil and sweet oil equal parts applied every other day, with no improvement, otherwise seems healthy and strong. BREEDER.

1ST CASE. Your bitch has chorea or St. Vitus' dance, a very difficult disease to cure.

1. Feed liberally, giving nearly 50 per cent of meat, sometimes raw and sometimes cooked, occasionally give vegetables stewed up with broth.

2. Get some freshly made *Fowler's solution* from a reliable chemist and give as follows: 5 drops twice a day in a little water with food or just after eating, for 10 days. Then intermit for 3 days and commence afresh, this time increasing the dose 1 drop daily for 10 days more, and again stop as before. You may have to continue this treatment for 4 to 6 weeks. Should the eyes get red or the tongue very white discontinue the treatment till those symptoms disappear.

3. Keep bitch free from excitement but give regular exercise.

2ND CASE. You should state the symptoms of what you call "mange" as this is a very variable disease.

1. Rid dog of worms by giving 20 grains of powdered arca nut, and 2 grains of santonine after a fast of 18 hours. After the dose has been given two hours, give a dose of castor oil and note results. If you see worms, repeat treatment in three days. Your feeding may be the cause of the disease which is possibly not mange but eczema. Give dog plenty of exercise daily. You may give dog biscuits or soda biscuits and milk, but try feeding meat wholly for one week and in large part meat afterwards. Starchy food as porridge, especially in warm weather, favours the appearance of skin disease. Wash dog with strongest dog soap and await results. If not improved in 10 days report again. Report in any case.

QUE. Having often noticed answers regarding ailments and treatments of dogs, thought I might be favoured with a little advice through the columns of your Kennel Gazette regarding my hound. He is a well bred dog, age one year and three months. He seemed in good health until about a week ago, when, after a day's hunt he seemed completely broken down with eyes bloodshot and running, and seems to be almost in a constant shiver, appetite poor, and very dull, occasionally he makes a kind of a coughing noise as if there were something in his throat.

Could you kindly advise me as to treatment and oblige,
Chesley, Ont. C. M. ROLSTON.

ANS.—Afraid your dog has either bronchitis, pleurisy or pneumonia (inflammation of the lungs).

1. Give a good dose of castor oil.
2. Keep in a well-ventilated place on a good bed of clean straw—with no exposure to draughts—in a stall or box kennel.

3. Feed well with raw eggs beaten up with milk, strong beef-tea, etc., and if the dog refuses all food, pour some of the above down his throat from a bottle or spoon. If he gets very weak add to this a little brandy.

4. Apply a jacket made of cotton wool quilted to flannel, attached by tapes in front to legs and stitched tight behind and over back—and big enough to cover whole chest.

5. Give a teaspoonful of the following mixture every 3 or 4 hours during the day and evening in a little water:

Carbonate of Ammonium	3 drs.
Spirits of Ether nitric	1 oz.
Spirits of Ether chloric	1 oz.
Tinct. Digitalis	2½ drs.
Syrup of Orange Peel	1 oz.
Water to	6 oz.

QUE Received your letter including treatment for dogs. Have not tried the mange treatment as it would have no effect in this case, it wants something more powerful. Am using the Fowler's solution but up to the present can see no improvement. BREEDER.

ANS.—We would like to impress upon you that it is not possible to give a sound and scientific treatment without an exact statement of all the facts and symptoms. The term "Mange" covers a whole host of diseases.

Feed your dog as we advised. See that his bowels act regularly, and that he has a good bed of clean straw, and plenty of exercise.

Apply the ointment we prescribe below three (3) times a day, and at the end of a week wash off and apply afresh.

Give one compound cathartic pill every four days in the evening, till three have been taken.

Continue the Fowler's solution for three weeks more. Report on this treatment in two week's time.

Ointment:—Flowers of sulphur, 1½ oz.; balsam of Peru, ½ oz.; fresh lard, 2 oz. Mix well and apply as directed above.

KENNEL REGISTER.

We make no charge for entries in this column, all we ask is that registration be made in the following form. Write plainly.

NAMES CLAIMED.

Kafa and *Dub*—by Corktown Cocker Kennels for black Cocker dogs whelped Sept. 21st 1889 by Lubo, A.K.R. 6659, out of Cleo C.K. R., 80.

Thora—Black Cocker bitch, same litter.
Prince—by C. H. Corbett, Kingston, for lemon and white English Setter dog whelped 8th August, 1889, by imported Rex out of Flo II, A.K.R. 6977.