

is by Count Dick out of Phantom. Phantom is a pure Laverack, and Count Dick is by Dan out of Countess, also a pure Laverack. We believe we are correct in saying that Count Wind'em is the handsomest English Setter that ever lived, and is the best specimen of the breed alive to-day. In speaking as we do of the Llewellyn Setter, we don't wish to give offence to those who fancy the Irish, the Gordons, or Pointers. We have had opportunities of seeing all these breeds, both on the show bench and in the field, side by side with our favorites, and if we are prejudiced it is a prejudice brought about by an experience that only a few on this continent besides ourselves have had. We have seen at our field trials the best of all these breeds that ever ran, and while we have no wish to override any other persons feelings, tastes or wishes, we are thoroughly convinced that for beauty and for field work the Llewellyn Setter has no equal.

Paris the subject of our illustration was whelped on May 6th, 1874, is a blue belton, and was sired by Leicester out of Dart, both of them champions. Paris is the winner of the following prizes:—Bench Shows,—Special prize, with his dam, at Detroit, January, 1875; Champion, at Memphis, October, 1875; Cup, for the best Setter at the Centennial; 1st prize, also special, for the best Setter at New York, May, 1877; special for the best Stud Dog, at Boston, March, 1878; special in class B., Boston, May, 1879; Champion, St. Louis, 1879; one of kennel special prizes, St. Louis, February, 1878; Boston, March, 1878, and Detroit, January, 1879. Field Trials,—Second prize, puppy stakes—his sister, Maud, 1st, — and 3rd, with Maud, in braces, running against aged dogs. Memphis, 1875; 3rd, in the Champion stakes, and 3rd with his puppy brother, Pride of the South, in the brace stakes. Memphis, 1876; 3rd, with his sister, Clip, in brace stakes, Memphis, 1879.

TORONTO DOG SHOW.

As previously stated, this show will take place in connection with the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, and will be held on September 8, 9 and 10. The following is the premium list:—

- Mastiffs—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- St. Bernards—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Newfoundlands—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Greyhounds—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Pointers.—Dogs—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Pointers.—Bitches—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Pointers.—Puppies—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Irish Setters.—Dogs—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Irish Setters.—Bitches—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Irish Setters.—Puppies—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Black and Tan Setters.—Dogs—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Black and Tan Setters.—Bitches—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- Black and Tan Setters.—Puppies—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- English Setters.—Dogs—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- English Setters.—Bitches—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5.
- English Setters.—Puppies—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Spaniels (Clumber and Sussex).—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Spaniels (Water).—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Spaniels (other breeds).—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Retrievers.—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Fox Hounds—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Fox Terriers.—Dogs.—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Fox Terriers.—Bitches.—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Collies—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Bull Dogs—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Hull Terriers—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Skye, Bedlington and Dandie Dinmont Terriers—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Rough-coated Terriers other than Yorkshire—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.
- Fugs—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.

Black and Tan Terriers—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.

Toys (any breed, 5 lbs. and under)—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$4.

Miscellaneous (not above specified)—First prize, \$7; second prize, \$5; third prize, \$5.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

For best dog or bitch (sporting class), in Show, Silver medal, value \$20.

For best dog or bitch (non-sporting class), in Show, Silver medal, value \$20.

Entries close on 21 Aug., 1880. Forms sent on application to H. J. Hill, Esq., Toronto, or A. D. Stewart Esq., Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

KENNEL NOTES.

PURCHASES.

Mr. A. D. Stewart, of Toronto, has purchased two rough Scotch colly pups from the kennels of Wm. Lindsay, Elizabeth, N.J. They are splendid looking dogs, well marked, and of full pedigree, being descended on both sides from prize stock. See names claimed.

NAMES CLAIMED.

HEATHER.—I claim the name of Heather for my imported rough Colley dog pup, by Mr. Lindsay's Laddie, out of his Moosie. Laddie, by Bob, out of Champion Meg.

CLOUDIE.—I claim the name of Cloudie for my imported rough colley bitch pup, by Mr. Lindsay's Roy, (1st New York, 1879), out of his imported Fannie, bred by Mr. John Lindsay, of Girvan, Scotland.

TILESTON MEMORIAL FUND.

To the Editor of Town and Country:

SIR,—I have to acknowledge the receipt to date of further subscriptions to the Tileston Memorial Fund, as follows:—Previously acknowledged, \$149; "Forest and Stream" Pub. Co., \$50; J. O. D., \$25; Richard Pancoast, \$25; S. Dillon, through "Turf, Field and Farm," \$10; J. C. Higgins, \$10; Anthony Higgins, \$10; H. C. Place, \$5; J. W. Munson, \$1; Mrs. J. W. Munson, \$1; Little Johnny Munson, age 8, \$1; Little Lillie Munson, aged 5, \$1; Little Edmond Munson, aged 3½, \$1; Little Charley Munson, aged 1½, \$1; Grandpa Munson, \$1; Grandma Munson, \$1.

Yours truly,

FRED. N. HALL, Sec.

New York, July 10, 1880.

Rod and Gun.

FISHING AT MUSKOKA.

To The Editor of Town and Country.

SIR,—According to promise I now send an account of the fishing trip of Mr. R. Morrison and Mr. W. Stewart two of the Toronto Gun Club. They started on Monday morning the 5th July for Muskoka Lakes. Arriving at Pratt's Hotel at the head of Lake Rosseau, the same evening about 9 o'clock, and made arrangements for a boat and guide. They were very fortunate in securing Mr. T. Webster, one of the best fishing guides in the Muskoka regions. They started on Tuesday morning after they had filled the hamper with such delicacies as the famous Mr. Pratt is noted to provide for sportsmen, and arrived at the fishing place about noon. When the three lines were thrown out, the sport began and was well kept up till after 8 o'clock, when they returned to the hotel and weighing the fish they found they had caught 12 lbs of good sized bass and dore. These were carefully packed on ice in a barrel by Mr. T. Webster, and sent by express to the club to be divided among the members who received them on Wednesday evening.

On Wednesday they started for Turtle Lake, a portage of six miles when they caught 90 lbs of good large bass averaging 3½ lbs. Those were also sent to Toronto and divided among the different members of the club who were on hand to receive them.

On Thursday they went across Morgan's Bay a portage of ½ of a mile to Little Lake Joseph, where they caught 70 lbs of bass and dore (the largest bass weighed 4 lbs 2 oz., and the largest dore 6 lbs 3 oz.) This lot also went on to the club members.

On Friday they went to Pickerel Island and Hard Rock, two places only known to the guide, when they caught 80 lbs of bass and dore, all good sized

fish. These they brought home with them on Saturday night.

They caught in the 4 days fishing 306 lbs of bass and dore, independent of the fish they got away with at their dinners. Not bad sport for three lines. Of course the guide is a good fisherman, but he will not use a reel, his fishing rod is made of native hickory, and will stand such heavy pulls as bass fishermen only know.

Yours, T. G. C.

Toronto, July 17th, 1880.

A LARGE STURGEON.

Two St. John, N. B., fishermen had a piece of good luck on Saturday, the 10th inst. On the afternoon in question the men—Henry King and James King—were rowing up the harbor from Partridge Island and when about half way between the Island and the Beacon light they noticed something in the water. Rowing towards it they found that it was a large fish, but were at first unable to say whether it was a shark or a sturgeon. Taking the butt of the oar, Henry King struck the fish several times on the head, and then taking the painter they passed a "clove hitch" around the head of the fish, "abaft" the "forward" fins. By this time they had discovered that it was a sturgeon they had captured, and that it had only been stunned. The men having fastened the painter to the stern of the boat, concluded to tow the fish up to town, but his sturgeonship would not be so degraded, and started forward with a rush. The painter was then fastened to the bow of the boat, and the sturgeon towed the boat for fully half a mile at a swift pace, much more quickly, in fact, than the men could row. The fish then tired, floundered and moved in a zigzag direction, and was again pounded on the head by the boatmen with an oar, and was again stunned and towed up towards Lower Cove Slip. Charles King, the owner of the boat and brother of the men who had the fish in tow, procured another boat and went to his brother's assistance, and between them they landed the sturgeon in the slip alive and hauled him on shore. The fish, after being landed on the beach, continued to show fight, flourishing his tail and opening his jaws, until the men were obliged to turn him on his back, and getting ropes they carried him to Messrs. King's liquor store. Even here he was very violent, his demonstrations scattering the crowd who had gathered to do him honor. The fish lived for some time. His length was 9 ft. from the tip of his nose to the tip of his tail, and girth 40 inches at the thickest part. The landing of the fish and the exhibition, at Mr. King's attracted large bodies of curious spectators. It was intended to stuff the skin, but the fish was kept too long and it could not be done when the carcass was taken to Mr. Carnell.

From various sections we hear excellent reports as to the prospects of good bags of woodcock on the 1st of August, or rather the 2nd of that month, for the 1st falls on Sunday.

Advices from the Ottawa River respecting the ducking prospects are most favorable.

Kingston fishermen are complaining that they cannot fill their baskets owing to the quantity of food in their waters for bass, pickerel, pike, etc.

A gentleman who was present at the Bogardus-Rimell match we reported last week, says it was the biggest furoe he ever saw in the way of pigeon shooting; and there never was any element of a match about it. The birds could hardly fly out of bounds, so stiff and devoid of flight feathers were they when put in the trap. The fact that Bogardus and Rimell have now gone off on a hippo-tramping excursion through the States is ample proof of our informant's first assertion.

Last week a glass ball shooting match took place at London between six gentlemen of the Forest City Club, of London, and an equal number from St. Thomas. The shooting for the home team was unusually good, the average being fourteen out of a possible fifteen, with a total of 84 out of a possible 90. The St. Thomas gentlemen were not so fortunate and succeeded in breaking but 64 balls. The Londoners were:—Messrs. O. Stone, Skirving, Macdonald, R. Smith, T. Brunton, and W. Ham-