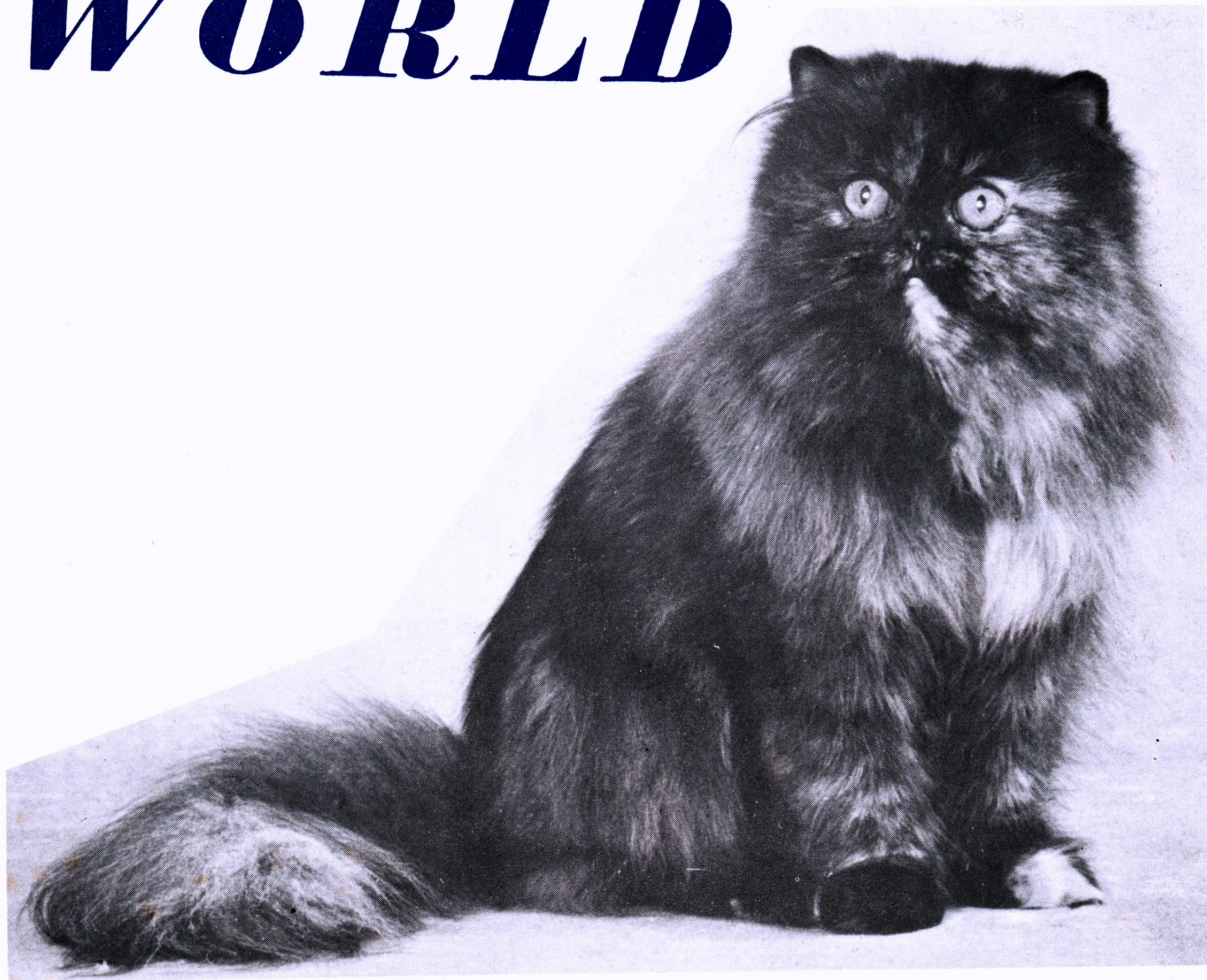


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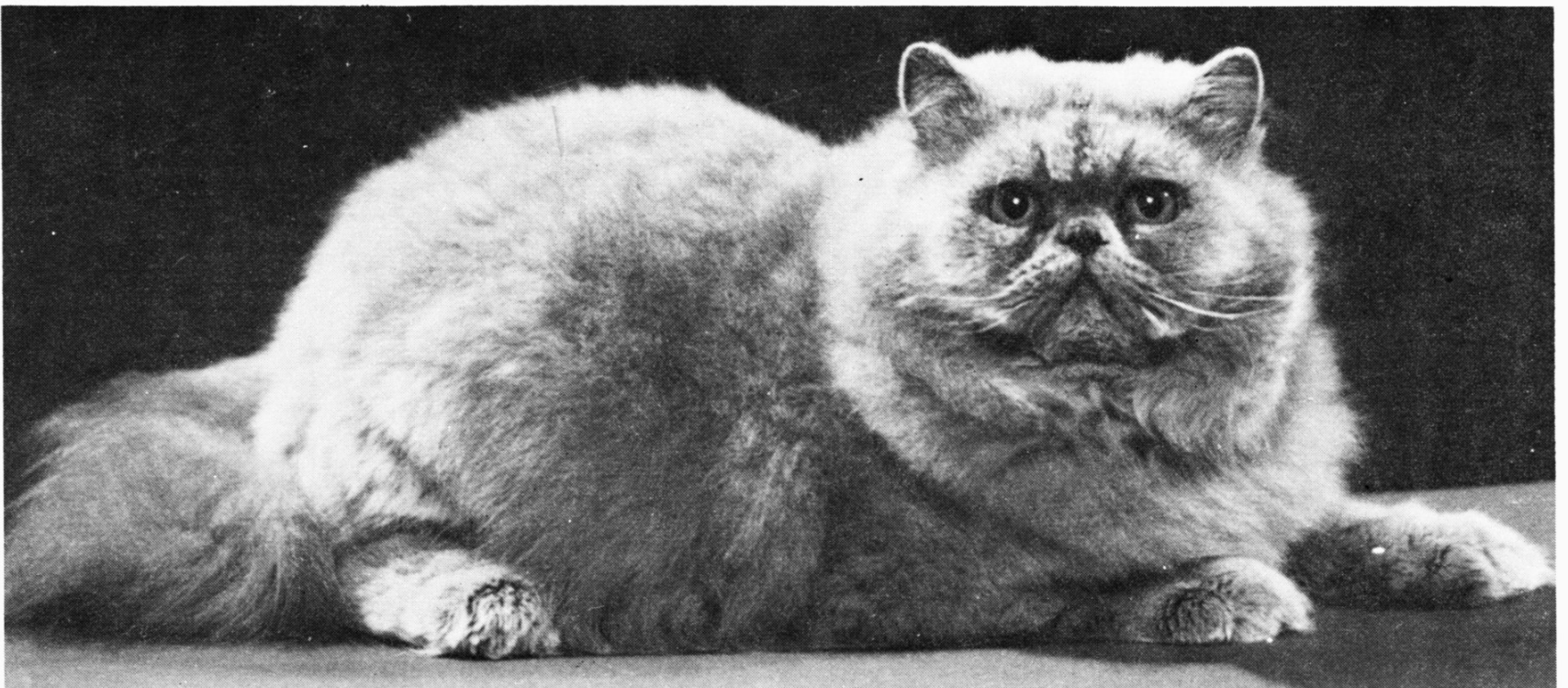
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CLOISONNE introduces the special center-section feature of this issue, CFA's annual salute to the 1977/'78 Regional Award Winners. According to statistics compiled by "Cats" Magazine, there were 61,875 entries in CFA shows during the show year. The eight other associations combined managed to field only 24,838! These CFA winners, and those presented in our July/August issue, in the face of such large and quality competition, have to be the cream of North American catdom. They are the true American All-Stars and we send congratulations to all their owners and breeders.

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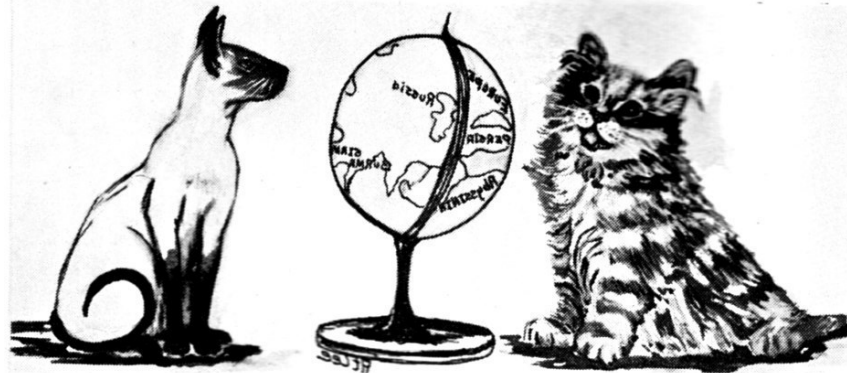
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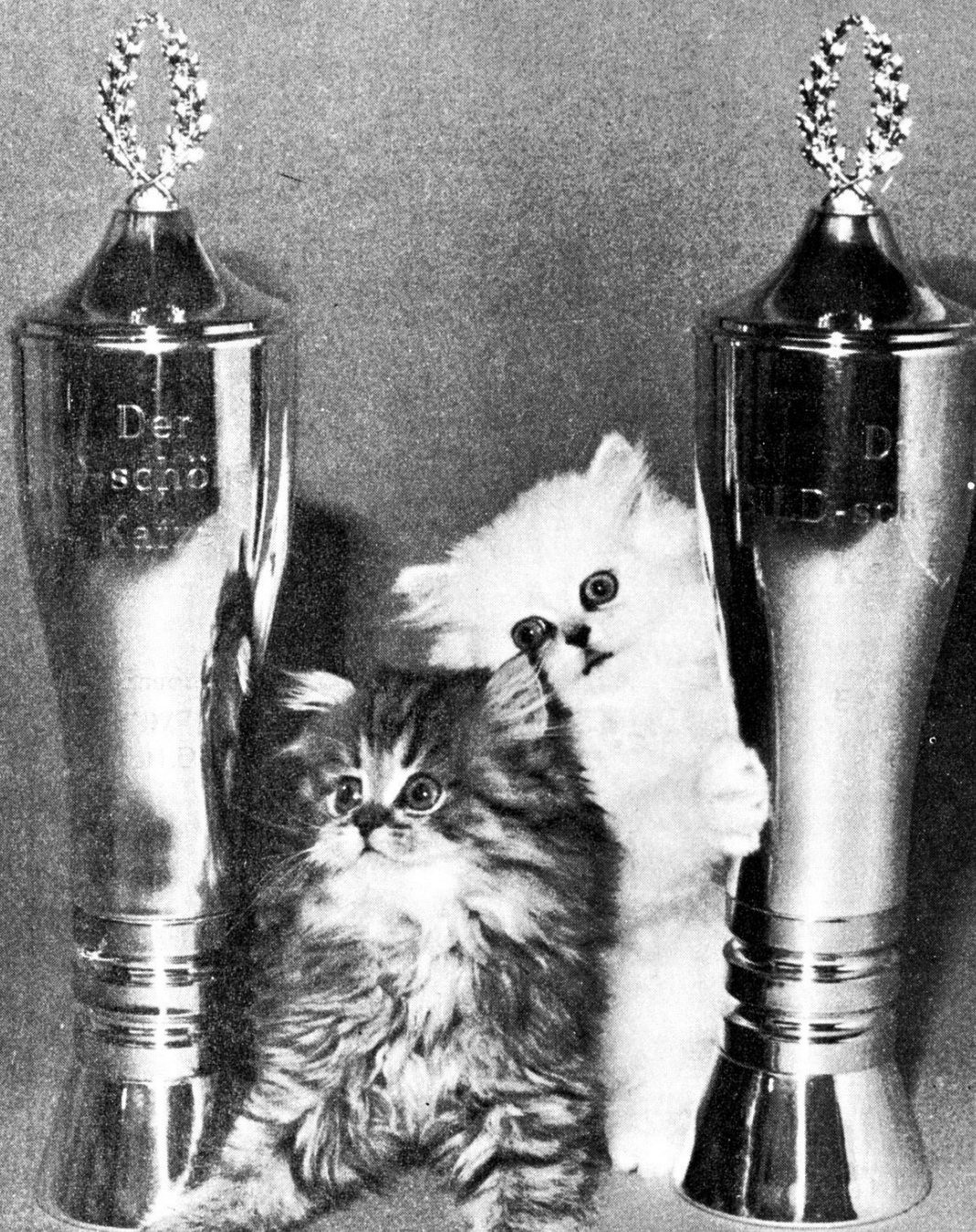
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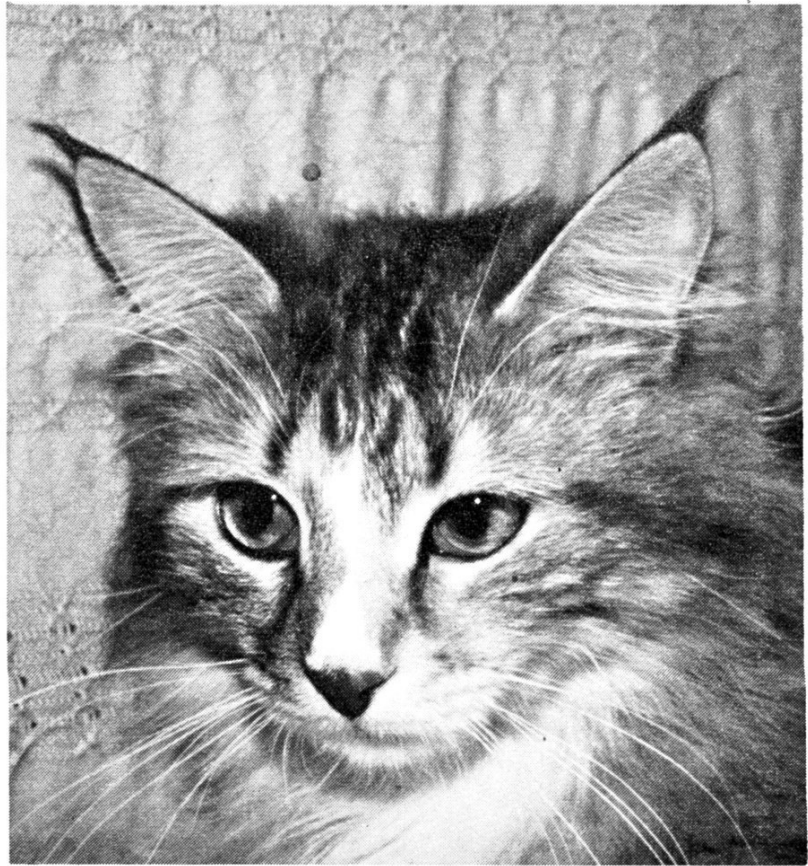
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Australia: 50 Years of Cats

by Beryl Chandler

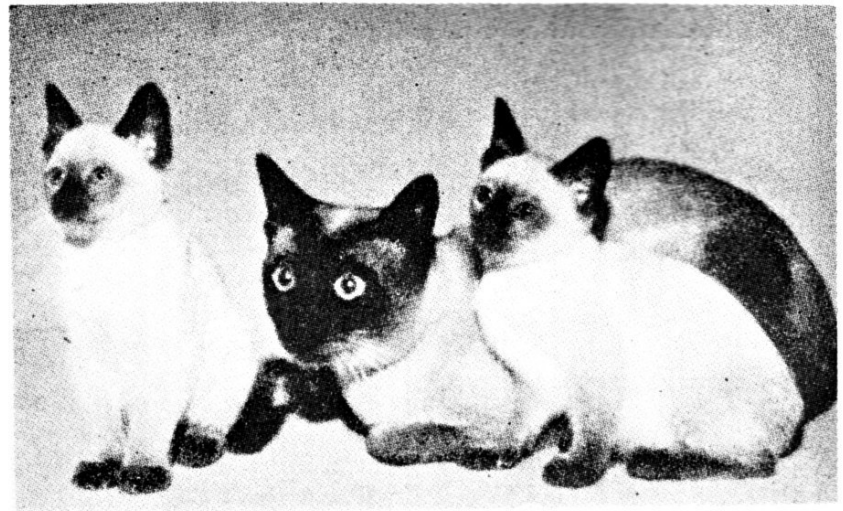
First: England; then America; and, now, Australia! 1978 is the Golden Jubilee Year of the Governing Council of the Cat Fancy, which has its headquarters in the State of Victoria. Many celebrations are planned by our affiliated clubs but the 'main event' will take place on November 25 and 26 when the gala Golden Jubilee Show of the G.C. Combined Clubs is held.

It is really fascinating to look back over 50 years of show catalogues and note the pattern of cats and breeds at the shows and how they progressed from 1928 when the Council was formed. Let me share some of these reminiscences with you.

Prior to 1928, cats were shown in combination with dog shows. Today we would laugh if we received a schedule for a cat show to be held as part of the dog show held under the combined control of the Victorian Poultry and Kennel Club and the Combined Clubs affiliated with the Victorian Kennel Association!

Cat shows in 1928 were not without interest. Sixty cats were shown at one of them including 58 pedigreed Long Hairs (Chinchillas, Shaded Silvers, Blues, Blacks and Whites) and two Siamese. Mrs. Keep showed her Seal Point male, *BOIS BOIS (IMP)*, and Miss Bonwick her Seal Point female, *UNDOONA PRINCESS SIANG*. The benching of these two Siamese did nothing to encourage breeding or ownership; not because they were not good but it was strictly a Long Hair cat era and the Short Hairs were a 'non-event'.

There were a number of imported Long Hairs at the shows of 1928, among them: *MAGOG OF MENDIP*, the fine male whose value as a sire became legendary; *DICK OF ALLINGTON*, a Chinchilla male from the famous cattery of Miss E. Langston; the lovely Chinchilla female, *LANGHERNE MOLLY*; and *ROSECOTT LILY*, *JERVETTE OF MAYFAIR*, *WHATMER*, *SOAMES RED ROCKET*, *DULCIBEL OF NEELS* and *CREAM PUFF*. I was amused to see an entry for a Shaded Silver by the name of *YENDA WHAT'S WANTED*. I wonder would it still be so today? Chinchillas and Shaded Silvers



An Australian-born Siamese male of the 1950's is pictured with two of his kittens. *BLUEMEAD CHAMINADE*, owned by Miss B. Saker, Melbourne, was the son of Siamese imported from England.

were the most popular of the cats benched, with Blues next; some shows would include up to ten Brown Tabbies, as well as smaller benchings of Blacks, Whites, Smokes and the occasional A.O.C.

In 1929, catalogues were reflecting the effects of the sense of status which came with being affiliated to a Cat Control Body. The Australian C.C. catalogue for the show held in the Manchester Unity Hall was particularly proper. The only judge, Hayward Clark, had 'Esquire' after his name; and where the Club officers were printed, the ladies had "Ladies" after their names and the men had "Gentlemen" after theirs. Mr. Clark's reply of acceptance to the Clubs asking him to judge, by the way, is a most charming example of Victorian courtesy.

The trophy lists for 1929 shows furthered the status image. Silver cups abounded, silver rose bowls, silver medals, gold mounted sashes. Trophies were donated by *DICK OF ALLINGTON, IMP.* and *LANGHERNE MOLLY, IMP.*, etc.

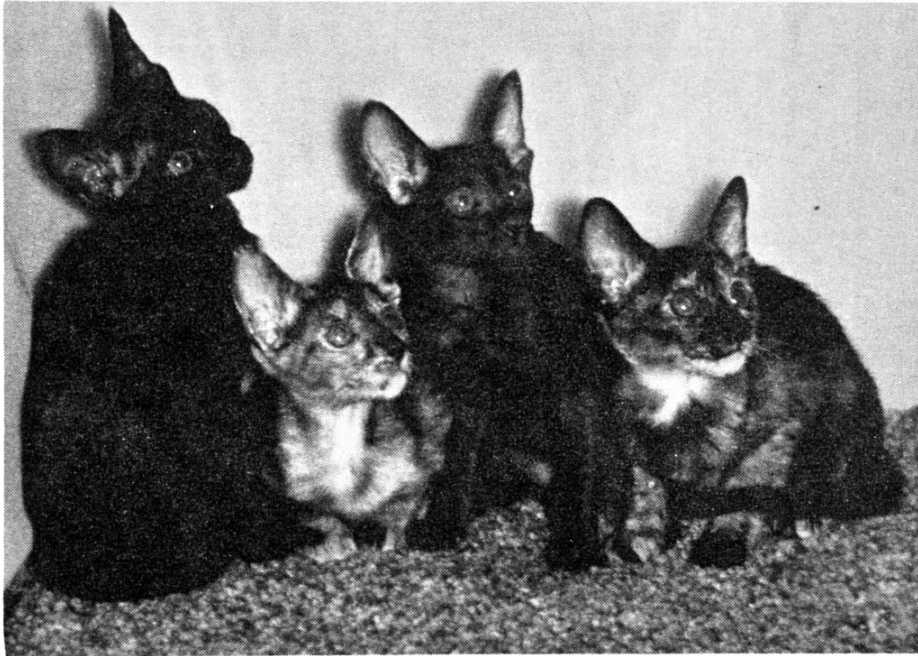
Show benchings that year were reaching 120 cats. Blue Long Hairs were just beating Chinchillas in numbers; Shaded Silvers down but Silver Tabbies in considerable numbers with Red Tabbies, Brown Tabbies, Smokes and Whites, Creams and Blacks following. There was a small class at each show for cats with unknown or part-known parentage but nothing for domestic pets. No Siamese were shown--thoroughly discouraged, no doubt!

The pattern of shows was mostly the same for several years with the progeny of the imported Long Hairs seen again and again. In 1934, the Blues were well in the lead with Chinchillas, Shaded Silvers and Brown Tabbies next and the rest rather scattered.

In 1937 something new was added. Mrs. Kreutzer showed one of that most rare L.H. colour - a Blue Cream! Benchings were: Blues still ahead, Chinchillas next and, close behind, a big benching of Red Tabbies. 1937 was a big year for me - I got my first Siamese.

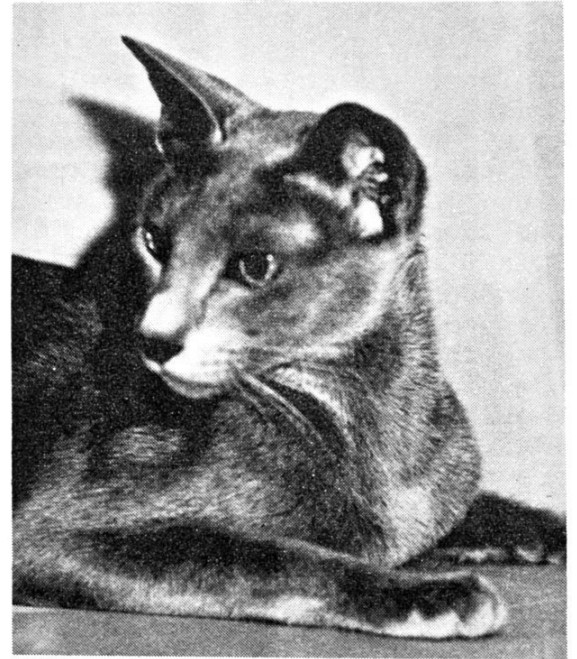
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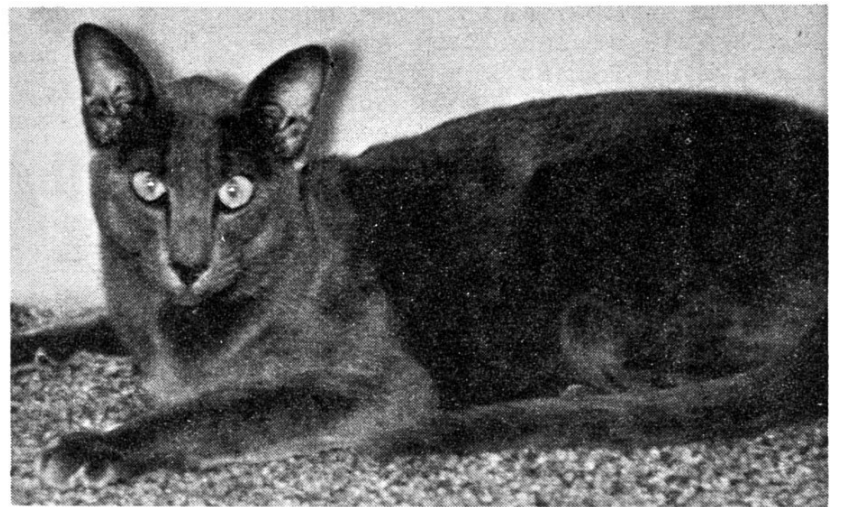


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THE POST-WAR ERA

The cat fancy ambled on into the war years - years which effectively dampened possible progress. It was a waiting time from which the fancy emerged ready for work and full of plans, though immediate post-war show catalogues would appear to deny this: miserable austerity ones they were. Benchings of cats were still of Long Hairs. It was still a Long Hair era and, as ours would have been the only Siamese present in 1946, we didn't bother to show. After all, it would be silly to have a Short Hair section at a show for one family's cats! There was no possibility of importing cats which would have been a big boost. Imports after the war were restricted to essentials, so we spent our time planning and organizing with the English breeders. You could only send small amounts of money out of the country so we kept doing this, building up a Sterling credit in England for the planned imports, pending Government permission to ship cats.

The permission came in 1949. Old hat now, importing cats in 1949 caused the authorities to consider you a mental case. In 1949, a few others had become Siamese fanciers and up to eleven Siamese were benched at shows. In all, show benchings were in the vicinity of 100 cats. In the Long Hairs, the 25 Blues led in numbers and some were really good, Salisbury Blues especially; the Regent Blues were just getting set for their long winning run. Plenty of Chinchillas, not good: Stelle Beattie's *MONIVAE* just starting, her prize winning yet to come. Lots of Red Tabbies and Blue-Eyed Whites, some Creams and other colours and four Blue Creams.

The shows of 1950 were when variety really took off. A Siamese Cat Club had been formed and the imports were arriving. This was the beginning of the Siamese cat fancy. We brought out Victoria's first Seal Point, *DONERAILE DANTESS*, and a Blue Point. Jack and Elsie Hine brought Seal and Blue. These first Blue Points were: *LELA NOW* and *MISSELFORÉ PANELA*. Helen Chase and George Dyke brought out Russian Blues: *MOUCHE MOKEY* and *MOUCHE IVAN*, female and male. Margery Hawkes brought Chinchillas. For these English imports alone, the year 1950 was a very good one for the Victorian cat fancy. To add to it all, Mrs. Dehle bred Australia's first Chocolate Point Siamese. We were able to bench 35 Siamese at shows in 1950 and the show scene was becoming excitingly varied - Blue Point and Chocolate Point Siamese for the first time, and Russian Blues.

1951 took off like a rocket. Progeny of the 1950 imports were shown and to them were added more Seals and Blues imported by the Hines, ourselves and others. George Dyke imported a very good Cream male Long Hair. The year saw Australia's first all Chocolate Point litter which created shock waves. The litter was from two Seal Points with, as far as we knew, no Chocolate Point anywhere behind them. The sire was the imported Seal

A famous Longhair who travelled to Australia after World War II was *CH. JASPER OF PENSFORD*, bred by Mrs. Joan Thompson of England. His owner was Mrs. Price.



Point, *LEMLING PERTAMA*, and the dam was our own breeding, *WESTWOOD FAIR MAID*. It took that mating to bring out the recessive Chocolate Point factors behind the cats. Never a dull moment. Then Mrs. Springhill produced Australia's first Tabby Points; geared to thinking only of solid point colour in Siamese points, no one was amused. 1951 was quite a year in the cat fancy!

It might be thought that with the activity in the Siamese fancy, hundreds would be shown but this wasn't so. Siamese were considered delicate and there was no cure then for the dreaded Feline Infectious Enteritis, etc.

Show benchings were up to 160 in 1952. In all cases, these are the cage numbers. Litters were and are counted as one and as we could show litters at 6 weeks old then, and there were generally between ten to fifteen litters shown, actual benched exhibits could be considered quite high. Siamese and one Russian Blue were still the only Short Hairs that year. Long Hairs more than doubled them in numbers. Ruby Prince's Regent Blues were starting their winning run now and her fabulous male import, *JASPER OF PENSFORD*, was scooping the pool with what must have been for other Long Hair owners depressing regularity. The Monivae Chinchillas and progeny from the Chinchilla imports were showing breeders just how good Chinchillas could be. A lot of Torties were shown and an even representation of the other usual colours. The Long Hairs had the numbers but the newer breeds and variants were yet to come.

1953 saw only a slight rise in show benchings. It still was not 'fashionable' to be a member of the cat fancy. For too long it had been the poor relation, its shows held in places suitable to poor relations. The change to status venues such as the Melbourne Town Hall, which began in 1949, was too recent to educate people. Though domestic pets were loved by their owners, few considered showing them. Mrs. Baker imported a smashing Cream, *WIDDINGTON JESSIE*, in 1953 who, fortunately, had a few litters before she was lost and never found. Miss Cubbin benched the most fabulous

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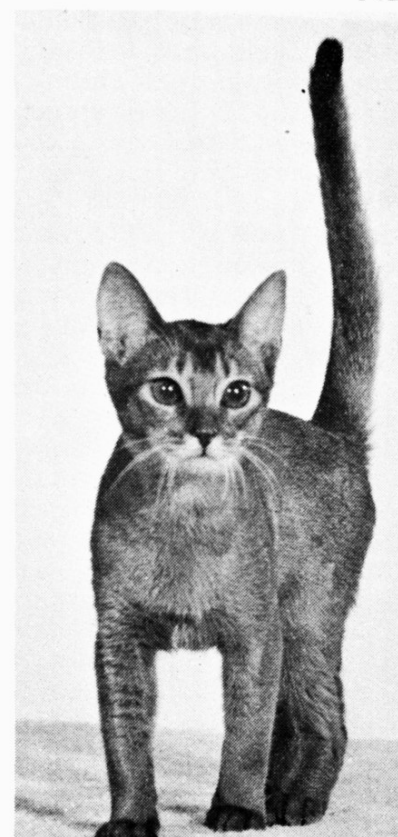
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FIRST CHOCOLATE POINT IMPORT

Siamese imported in 1954 included several more Seal Points, another Blue Point and Australia's first Chocolate Point import. The latter, a female, was very good in type but poor in color. We were used to coat color of glowing magnolia cream and points of milk chocolate: the newcomer's lack in this direction was a disappointment. We hoped that the import's type combined with the local cats' color would prove a winner, but this didn't happen. Her name was *DONERAILE BRUN BROWNIE*.

Some elegant Supplementary Register Russian Blues were shown in 1954. The female import of 1950 had been mated to a Blue Point Siamese and a son of this mating, *RUSSIAN VELVET*, was mated to his dam with more good Russian Blues for type and coat resulting - older breeders may remember the truly lovely *PRINCESS MIMOSA* - but people were only interested in Siamese. There was no market for Russian Blues and the breeder had the stock neutered.

Show benchings in 1954 reached just under the 200 mark and, at one show, there were more Siamese benched than Long Hairs! At that show, duplicated sheets showing all winners were available at 3 P.M. The effort must have been too much because we didn't attempt it again.

Long Hairs at 1954 shows featured Blues in greater numbers at one show and Chinchillas at the next. There were good benchings of Shaded Silvers, Creams, Blue-Eyed and Orange-Eyed Whites, a few Blacks, etc., and the occasional Smoke. Looking back, I realize that any resemblance to the fabulous Smokes we see at shows today and the Smokes of 1954 was purely coincidental. Reading the catalogues and seeing the cats again in memory, I think the Chinchillas of that year were the most outstanding of the Long Hairs.

As with so many shows of the past, in 1954 it was a 'must' to have someone really special to open the shows. Jeannette Brooks, daughter of the ten State Governor; Dame Sybil Thorndyke; Marie Collier, the famous singer; Winifred Attwell, and many others.

1955 was highlighted by progeny of the past year's imports, by litter classes of nine and ten entries, and by Mr. and Mrs. Uphaw's efforts to breed British Type Shorthairs. There were no imports to help them - they had to start from scratch and it was not unusual for them to bench up to nine at a



BENJAMIN OF SALISBURY, Blue LH male, became the first post-war Grand Champion. His breeder/owner was Mrs. L. Rose.

show. If only one or more other breeders had worked with them, the Uphaws' breeding programme may have continued to full success. By 1956, their British Type S.H. were being shown under a prefix and they had a most interesting Tabby, *ESPERANCE MACK*.

The first L.H. Tortoiseshell to become Best Long Hair In Show appeared in 1956. She was Mrs. Matheson's *LINDISFARNE MARY GOLD, IMP. NZ* sired by *CH. ROYAL OF PENSFORD, IMP. UK*. I have never seen a better Tortie. Ruby Price had also bought *HOMEND COPPER IMP UK* and began through him to produce the Regent cats, so famous for the pale purity of their Lavender coats. Up until then, L.H. Blues had been quite dark. The 1956 Shorthairs consisted of Seal, Blue and Chocolate Point Siamese - not even a lone Russian Blue. The Seal Points were very good, but the Blue Points were at a peak of perfection very rarely seen now or for many years. We ourselves bred a litter of seven Blue Points: *WESTWOOD BLUE JADE*, *BLUE ECHO*, *BLUE ISIS*, *BLUE ORIRIS*, *BLUE HAZE*, *BLUE BEAU* and *BLUE IRIS* which became famous in all States and were so good they only reflected the overall quality of the Blue Points of the day. There were just so many good Blues - all owing to the great stock imported from the United Kingdom.

1957 saw big benchings of Blue-Eyed White Long Hairs. How rarely we see these beautiful cats now! Very big benchings of Chinchillas, with Monivae generally taking honors: I well remember the great *MONIVAE TROY*. A few British Type S.H. were shown, but by the 'Britishers' benched today, the 1957 British Type would be classified domestic. Foreign Short Hairs? Still only the three Siamese colors.

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS

The Governing Council held the first of the now many Cat Sections of County Agricultural Shows at Shepparton in 1958. Whenever an application came in from a County Agricultural Show, G.C. would send someone (usually my husband, Clyde, and I) to meet the show committee, outline requirements and look at

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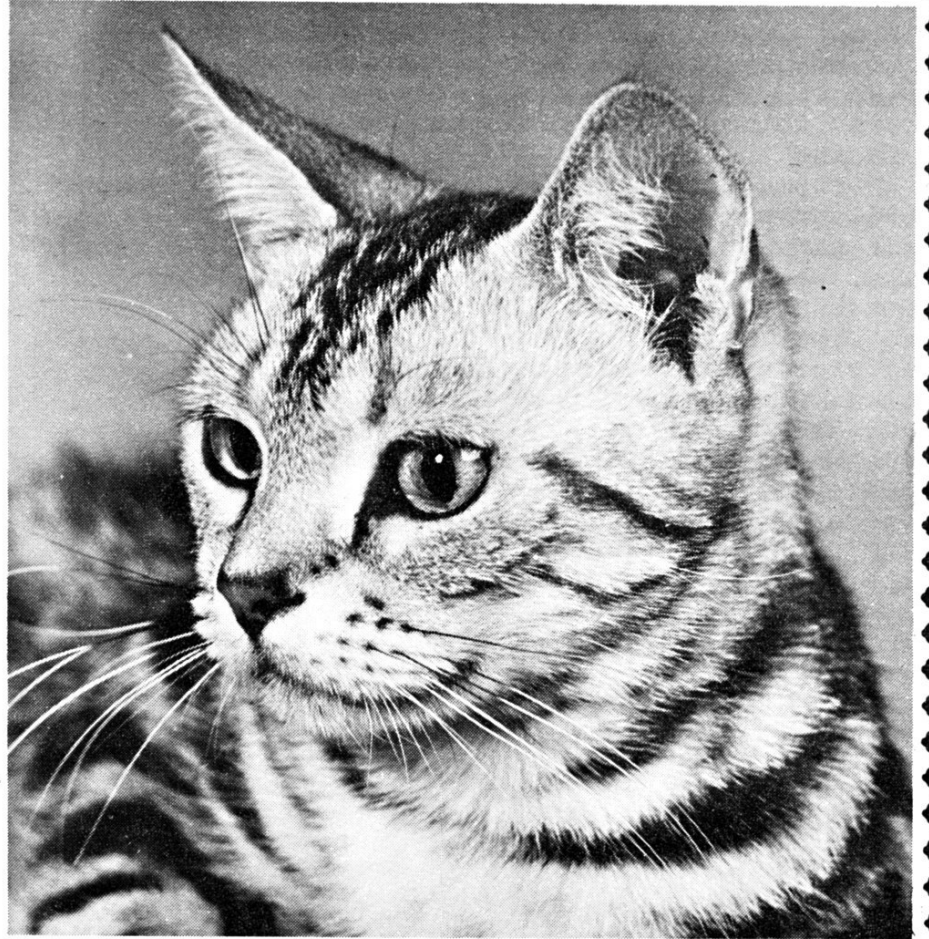
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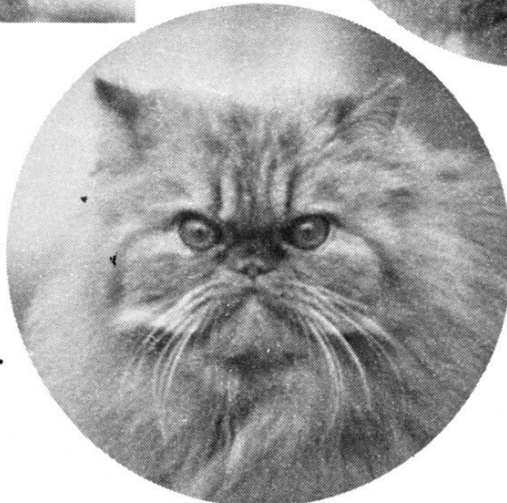
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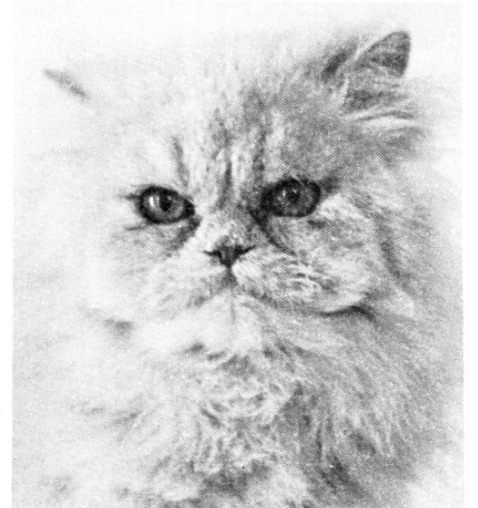
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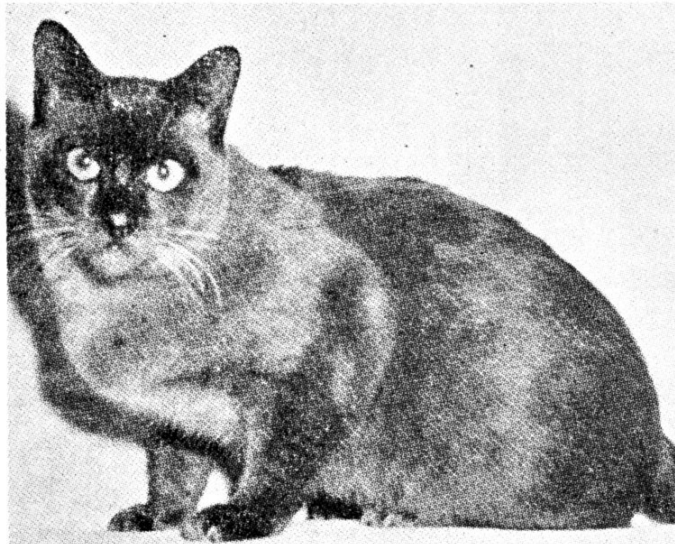
Forest Acres Miss Fortune
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the site in which the cats would be benched, before permission for a show was granted. If the cats could not be properly, safely and comfortably benched in acceptable conditions, no show. For those where we agreed to hold shows, we would charter a bus to take exhibitors and their cats.

Burmese and Manx made their debut at our 1958 shows. Lylie Thurmer of South Australia sent *RANSEIN HIRAJI IMP NZ*, a male, and *AMHERST HORSIA*, who was the result of a Burmese (*TOMAHAWK IMP UK*) x Siamese (*TALBINGO TURELLA*) breeding. This male was part of a Supplementary Register programme being undertaken by Geoff Allen. Mrs. Matheson showed a Manx. Blue-Eyed Whites dominated the other Long Hairs: type wasn't marvellous but they really had blue eyes. The Blue L.H. were very good in type and color: Regent predominated but Laraine Picken, Kashan, was showing more U.K. imports, as well as progeny of those already imported. It was strange how few Creams were shown. The year 1959 followed a similar trend.

RANSEIN HYRAJI, first Burmese in Australia was imported from New Zealand. Owned by Mrs. J. Thurmer, he was bred from UK imports.



1960 got off to a good start with a cat show held in conjunction with the Royal Agricultural Society's "Royal Melbourne Show" which met with great success. That year the Foreign Short Hair classes were made exciting by the addition of two Abyssinians: Lylie Thurmer's *FINISTERE CASSIM* and *FINISTERE SHERADA*, both imported from New Zealand and, at that time, owned by a South Australian breeder. *CASSIM* and *SHERADA*, while owned by Lylie, gave birth to a litter and among the kittens was Australia's first Red Abyssinian. *SHERADA* was later sold to Nell Moloney and gave birth to the then world record litter of nine Abyssinians! Lylie Thurmer continued to show her Burmese male, *MAUSEIN HIRAJI*, in G.C. shows.

During 1960, in the Supplementary Register Show section, kittens from the Black Oriental breeding programme were shown, as were kittens from a programme toward Red Point Siamese. Still, however, Seal, Blue and Chocolate Points were the only Siamese benched. It was not uncommon to find up to twelve Siamese litters at a show. The Long Hair scene remained static.

DISCORD IN THE CAT FANCY

Despite another successful cat show at the Royal under Governing Council rules, despite the growth of the cat fancy and plans for its future, 1961 saw the end of unified cooperation in the Victorian fancy and the end of an era.

After a year of strife, there was a split in the fancy and a number of fanciers went under the control of the Royal Agricultural Society in a cat section named the F.C.C.

The 33-year-old Governing Council had an exciting start to the year 1962 with the arrival from England of two fabulous Lilac Point Siamese: a male, *ANNELIDA LILAC NOKOMIS*, and a female, *SUPRA LOLLYPOP*, imported by Mrs. E. Moloney and Mr. Howard Scott. In 1963, Mrs. McDonald showed a Cameo Long Hair, and again we marvelled at the delphinium blue eyes of the same owner's White, *DELHI ARCTIC STORM*. Will we ever see anything like the blue of those eyes in a L.H. White again?

Howard Scott showed *EASTERN CIRCE* in 1964, a Blue Burmese female so good that she would give today's Blue Burmese a run for their money. She was from Australia's first all-Blue litter of Burmese bred by Mrs. Abbott of New South Wales. Good Abyssinians, Brown and Red, were seen as well as many exquisite Lilac Point Siamese, progeny of the first imported pair. Good they were, but it was years before one came up to beat their sire. Two more legendary cats were shown when Margaret Turner brought with her from England the Blue Point male, *GALEGLOW FLORESTAN*, and a 'first' for Tabby Points, the female *SAMSARA SILVER SHADOW*. Black Foreign Shorthairs (now called Black Orientals) were shown in considerable numbers. Chestnut Browns, on Supplementary Register, made occasional appearances as did S.R. Red Point Siamese. In the Long Hairs that year, Blues dominated with Chinchillas next and a surprising number of really good Odd-Eyed Whites. The show benches were getting exciting with variety!

In 1965, the progeny of *ANNELIDA LILAC NOKOMUS IMP UK* were doing well and, from this foundation, the excellence of all Lilac Point Siamese to the present day must be credited. Blue Point U.K. imports, *GOLDEN FLORESTAN* and *MISSELFOR TYRAN PRINT* were having their influence on Blue Point Siamese breeding. That year, Mrs. Nottingham showed Australia's first Red Point Siamese, an import from New Zealand.

Tan Cattery (Mrs. Moloney) and Eilandonna Cattery (Howard Scott) dominated Abyssinian breeding. Scott benched the first Russian Blue kittens born in Australia from U.K. imports *SYLPHIDES SHARKOV* x *ARCHON CINDERELLA* and imported another Burmese from New Zealand, *RANSEIN LORENZO*. Rex cats were imported for the first time and shown. Mrs. Purnell showed an Australian Silver Tabby (British type).

For the Long Hairs, 1966 generally meant a top win for a Regent Blue, though Monivae Chinchillas did well and Lil Roberts' Yandal-

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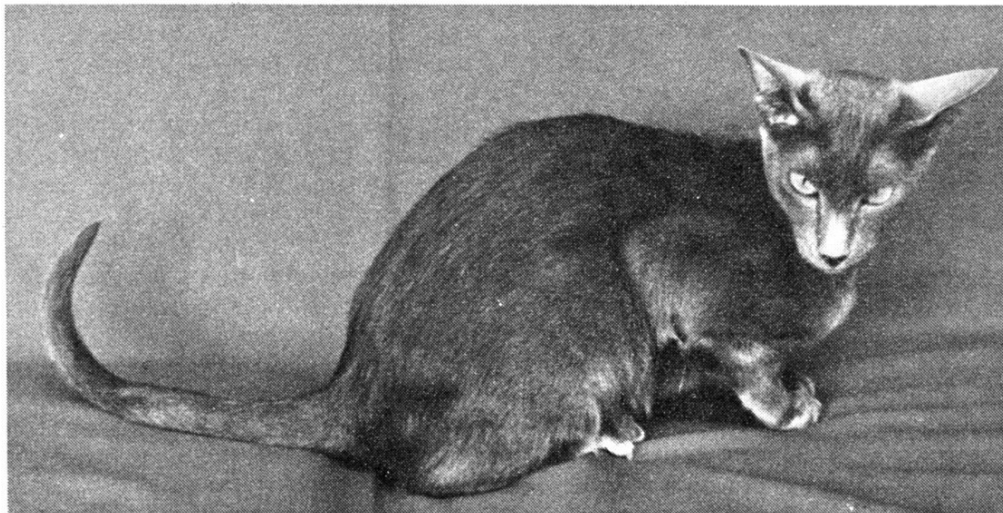
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la Chinchillas were also to the fore. *Kalmia Cattery* was tops for Whites. Siamese were interesting: Mrs. Moloney showed *SOUTHVIEW FIDGET IMP UK*, a Chocolate Point with an intensely important pedigree; she also showed a litter of Red Points from *ABERDARE GOLDEN KIWI X ABERDARE MERRI GOLD*, all very good.

Governing Council stood sponsor for the first "Sanction Cat Show". This was one run by the Committee of an entrant in the Miss Australia contest. It was conducted under our rules and G.C. judges officiated. It was a good show and lots of fun. Some cat clubs had celebrities as their Patrons: the Blue Pointed Siamese Cat Club had Miss Vivian Leigh (of "Gone With The Wind" fame).

Noteworthy in 1967 was the showing of the first Color Points (Himalayans) in Australia, and the beautiful Classic Silver Tabbies, British type, shown by Mrs. Purnell.

For the first time in ten years, Chinchilla Long Hairs took Best In Show wins in 1968. Tortie Point Siamese made their debut at the 1969 shows.

1970 was a very good year. A smashing Cream kitten, *ROXBERRY ZELDA*, bred by Nell Shead and owned by Lil Roberts was shown. Victorian Creams just weren't cream until 1970. Birmans, Dr. Tait's U.K. imports, were seen at our shows for the first time.

Siamese were seen in quantity at the 1971 shows - some good, some very good, but the effect of past good imports and the work of careful breeders was being eroded by the careless. Best were the Tabby Points and Paolina Silverside benched some stunning ones. In the Orientals, Blacks were good, but Lavenders, Browns and Blues were better.

DEVON REX IMPORTED

Leslie Batiste imported the first Devon Rex into Australia from England in 1972. He was a Black Smoke, *HEPHAESTOS SHARIM* - pixielated perfection indeed. *WATERMILL KANDLEWICK*, a fabulous Cream, sired the first Australian-bred Cornish Rex litter. A particularly good Black Oriental, *MOONLIGHT SHERE KHAN*, owned by the Bells was shown that year and Mrs. Purnell continued to bench her British type Silver Tabbies, Smokes and Chinchillas. Wyn and Bill Essex were showing Black and Red L.H. which later had tremendous influence on Torties. Annette Inness imported from U.K. a Seal Point Siamese male, *CASUARINA CHEETAH*, a stud who was to have great influence.

In 1973, Ann Marks and Lil Roberts showed two wonderful Black Smokes, *FISHERMORE NABUCO* and *SONATA IMPRESSARIO IMP UK*. Sarayan Cattery introduced exquisite Cream and Blue Cream Point Siamese to the show scene. The Burmese, already well represented, received two exciting additions when Carol and Mike Bray brought in two lovely Creams from U.K. - Australia's first ones - *KERNOW CREAM KERBURHO* and *KERNOW CREAM CAROMEL*. This new color had vital breeding effects, as did the bloodlines the cats carried. More firsts for the Orientals: Beryl and Laurie Wilson imported

Whites from New Zealand, two males, *OURLYNN APOLLO LEVEN* and *OURLYNN AJAX*. Sarayan Cattery came up with a Lavender Oriental as beautiful as a melody, *SARAYAN SILVER CHIBA*.

The first Lilac Burmese came in from England in 1974 to the Delmoro Cattery, *SIT-TANG LILAC CRESSIDA*. Ten Blue Burmese appeared at one show and we saw a number of Manx after many years of absence from the shows.

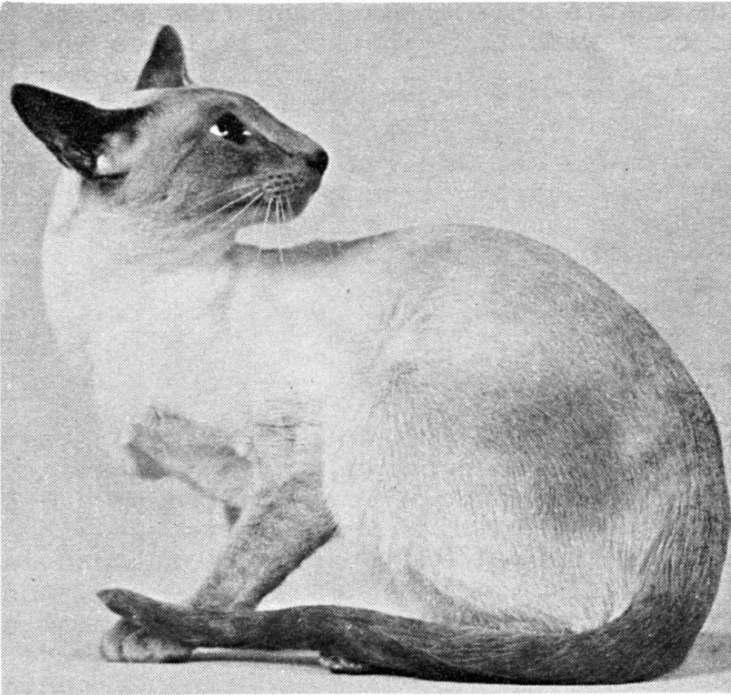
A superlative Red Long Hair was shown in 1975 and there were more Birmans and Seal Colorpoints at the shows. The Burmese were continuing to increase in Brown, Blue, Cream, Blue Cream, Tortie, Red, Chocolate - the latter due to the arrival of the country's first Burmese of this color from U.K., *ILUSKASS KAI-FENG*. Leslie Batiste imported another Devon Rex, a female, *STANLESA SAPPHIRE HAZE*. The Korat appeared at the shows, and there were a few Cornish Si-Rex. Quality of Abys was fair that year but one alone had captured the Aby "essence", its style, its unique charisma, the particular type of nobility only an Aby conveys: *OPTIMA RASSELAS*, owned by Paolina Silverside. He wasn't perfect but he had that magic and I hope we shall see this again because this cat is gone now.

Two smashing Smokes came to Australia from the U.K. in 1976: *HARDENDALE SMOKE NOCTURN* and *HARDENDALE FAVORITA*, male and female. Smokes are excitement cats, a challenge and a frustration to bench at the time of full coat glory. We saw a stupendous Blue Cream L.H. in Noel and Marion Heaton's *PEMBROOKE PALADIN*.

And so we come to 1977. Here's how it was reflected in the show catalogues.

For the Burmese, it was a very good year. The popularity of this breed ensured the numbers for a successful Specialist Show held by the Burmese Cat Club. Browns predominated in entries, Blues next, then Torties, Cream and Red, followed by Chocolate. Shows for the rest of the year were All Breeds and, in the Long Hairs, Blues and Chinchillas were the largest benchings, followed by Orange-Eyed Whites and Creams with most other standard LH colors in varying numbers. At one show there were 43 Chinchillas, just beating the Blues. In the Siamese, Seal Points had the numbers but were closely followed by Lilac, Chocolate and Red Points. The big benching of Seals at one show was very nearly outnumbered by Red Points! Tabby Points in all colors were not in such great numbers as the previous year but made up for this in quality. A British Blue, from imported stock, was shown. Benchings got bigger for Orientals which is good as long as quality is not lost in the popularity boom. Russian Blues shown were the best ever. Abyssinian and Rex benchings were impressive in numbers but an Aby is more than a foreign shorthair with a ticked coat. Quality walks a razor's edge in Rex and the responsibility of Rex breeders to ensure the future of this special breed by what they do now is an awesome one. GOODBYE, 1977. HAIL TO 1978 --the Governing Council's Golden Jubilee!###

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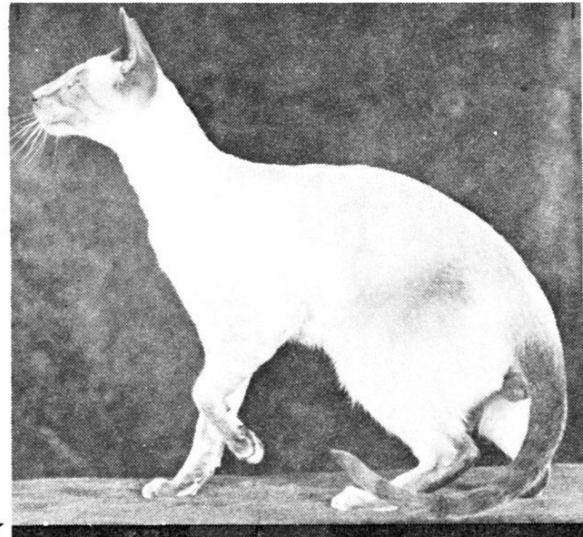
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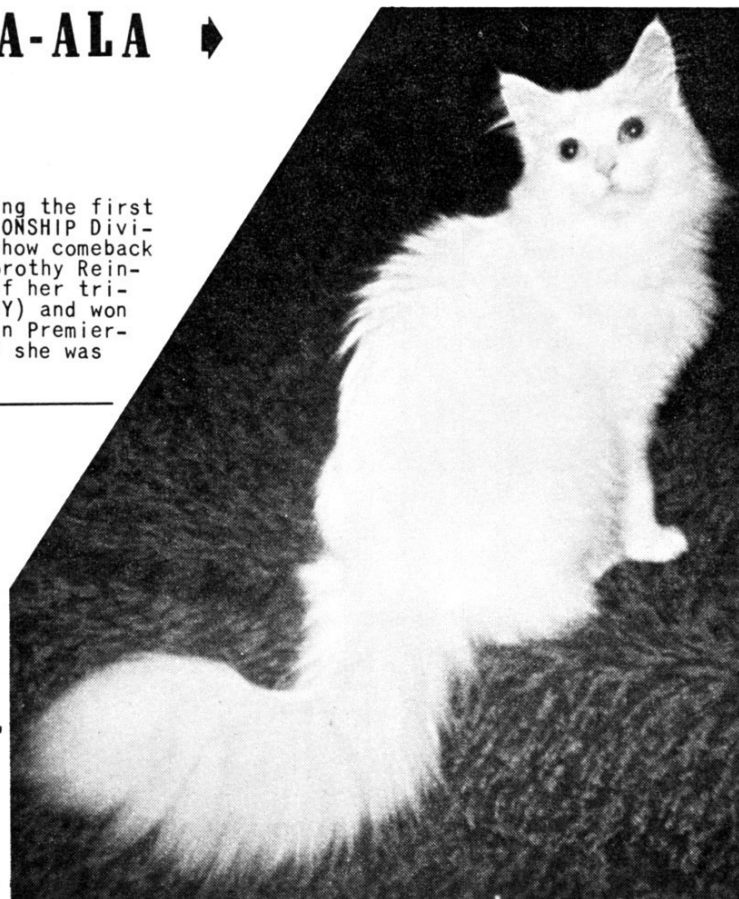
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Part of the joy of raising Abyssinians is to be able to watch them move at high speed, dance in delight and stretch their graceful limbs in the sun. Abys are particularly interested in the affairs of a household, and if they must be confined or separated from family activities they will visibly wilt.

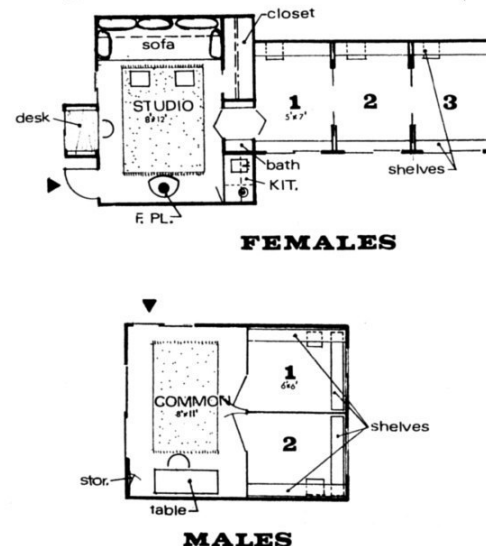
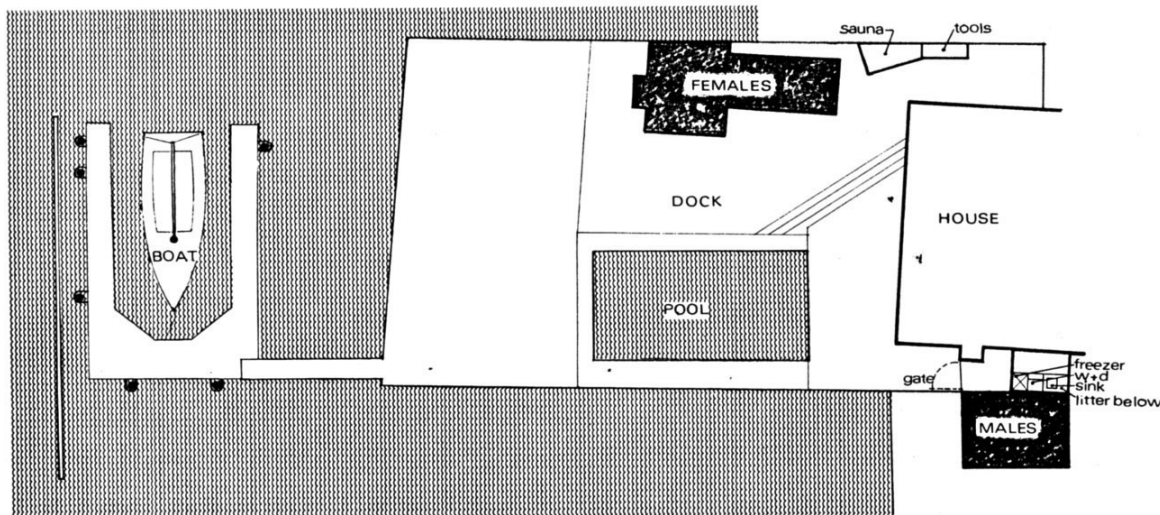
We bought an Abyssinian as a pet almost ten years ago and our first breeding female eight years ago. During that time, we began thinking about the kind of environment which would ideally suit this unique cat. We wanted our cats to continue to enjoy a life as close to that of household pets as possible. Nepenthes "Cattery" then evolved as a whole concept rather than an isolated space for breeding cats.

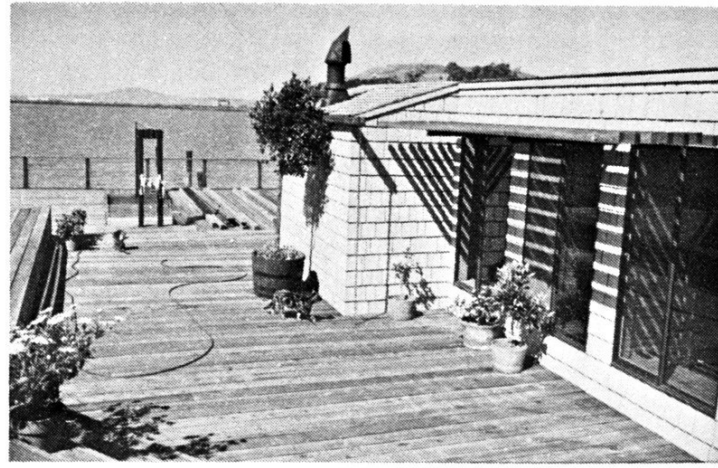
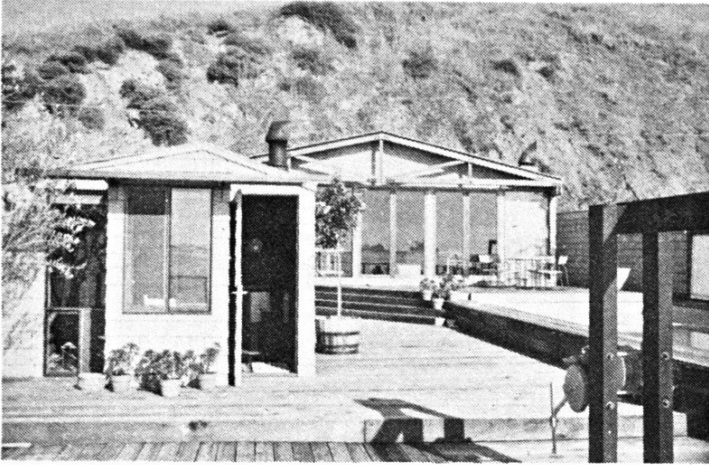
In 1971 we found our property. It is directly on the bay not far from San Francisco and is situated in a small private community in the county. My husband, Alfred, who is an architect, and I, an interior designer, began remodelling the existing old house and a workshop, which is now called the "cat house". Most of this property, including all of our house and the cat house, is supported by pilings and extends over the water. Our large dock, now with a swimming pool suspended within, is surrounded by water on three sides.

The house and security fences on the fourth side enable our cats to have free access to the dock without being able to leave the property. On adjoining land we built a small guest house where an elderly friend lives who helps care for the cats, our vegetable garden and greenhouse. Quarters for our three male cats were added to the house and face both the garden and water with access also to the dock which is the main center of all our activity.

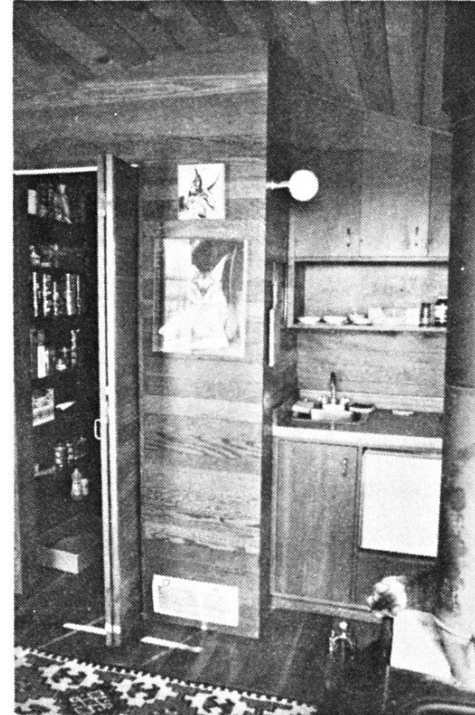
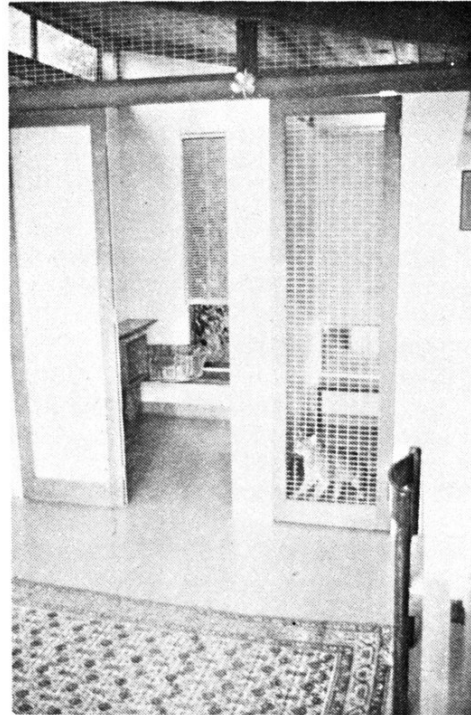
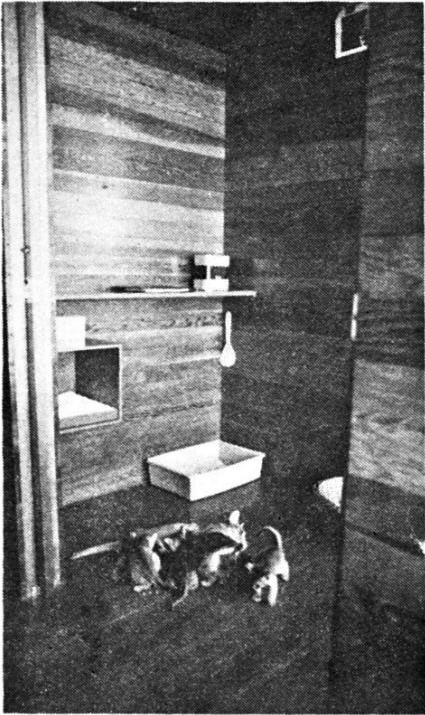
The cat house is for the females and consists of a studio with kitchen facilities to prepare cat meals, desk for cattery correspondence, book shelves for a now extensive cat reference library and a Franklin stove for cozy fires on a rainy or cold evening. Seating cushions can be converted to a bed so we can be close when a female is due for queening. There is a storage closet and in a very small space a bathroom, only made possible by using the fold down W.C. and sink unit designed for private jet airplanes. There are also three small rooms which can be opened into one larger space or subdivided by the use of sliding pocket doors. This allows flexibility so that a lactating female can have privacy or a cat in heat and spraying may be confined for short periods. A female who doesn't get along with one of the others can also be separated when necessary. Each of these three spaces opens directly onto the dock by sliding windows.

Materials in the cat house are practical but still give a warm, homelike atmosphere. All surfaces are natural wood with four coats of polyurethane so that the floors can be mopped and disinfected and the walls scrubbed. Because most of our females do spray at times we have to plan on periodic resanding and applying a new coat of polyurethane in certain areas. There are shelves, "cubby boxes" and wicker baskets. We use towels in these which go in the washing machine once each week. Recessed electric heaters are located where they can not be reached by spraying, which would be a fire hazard. The cat house is well insulated; all glass is solar bronze tinted and shaded from the hot sun by wood trellises, so the temperature is comfortably





Views of
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Exterior of
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Our six breeding females are usually free to wander in and out of our house except when in heat. They all seem equally content to be either in our house or the cat house. Kittens are born in the cat house but brought into our house as soon as they are weaned and have their first shots so they can be exposed to all the household noises and activity. Older show potential kittens we are watching develop and young adults going to shows are also in the house with our 9½-year old neutered American Shorthair tabby. We have always been nervous about kittens in close contact with the show going cats but so far have not had problems with disease from the show hall. Sometimes we think perhaps our kittens build up good immunity because of this exposure. The young kittens are kept in our guest bedroom and allowed to run around the house only when we are there to supervise since Aby kittens are unsurpassed in their inventiveness.

The males' quarters are designed to be comfortable but also especially easy to clean because of the spraying. There are two small

rooms off a common area. All wall surfaces are lined with laminated plastic without metal joints to corrode. The floor is a monolithic Swedish vinyl which is soft and resilient without seams and coved at all edges under the wall material. Shelves, sleeping cubby boxes and ceiling are polyurethaned natural wood. Shelves are spaced away from the wall about 3/4" which allows sprayed urine to run down to the floor rather than collect on the shelf. These shelves are 3' - 6" from the floor with the sleeping boxes attached underneath, a height the cats determined as being most favored. Sitting and lying platforms line up with the window sills and are moveable for easy cleaning. Doors to the small rooms are wood and wire mesh coated with white epoxy paint. The quarters are heated by thermostatically controlled heat tape set in the concrete slab. This was easy to install during construction and has proven to be an extremely satisfactory solution. The heat source is at the level of the cats and there is no hot air blowing on them or heat registers to be sprayed into. We have one recessed electric heater positioned high on

the wall which can increase the temperature in about three minutes to a level more comfortable to us, since we usually keep it a bit cooler for the cats. Fresh air comes in off the water through a sliding door screen and exits through awning type clerestory windows at the ceiling which can be always open in all weather. With the sliding door to the dock and sliding windows in each of the two small rooms there is plenty of good air circulation and natural light. A minimal storage cabinet in the common area holds every day cleaning materials and a laundry room is close by with a large sink, washer/dryer and large freezer.

Construction costs for the cat house were about \$4,000 and the males' quarters \$2,500.

Two of our males are 2-year-old littermates; they adore each other and still sleep together in a wicker basket, clean each other and run together on the dock. They have access to both the common area and one of the small rooms when inside. Our 4-year-old male until recently got along well with the young toms; however, minor territorial squabbles have caused us to separate him so when he is not outside on the dock he is confined to the other small room. He enjoys his view of the garden, birds and visiting mallard ducks.

CATTERY ROUTINE

Our cattery routine is similar every day as the cats seem to like this. They are fed starting at 6:30 AM. Then the oldest tom cat is let out on the dock. He especially loves the crisp morning air and will even play in a light rain. At about 8 AM the two young males are out until 9:30 when I leave for the city (Monday through Thursday). All cats are checked and groomed each morning. They usually settle in for a morning snooze until our helper comes over to give lunch to kittens and pregnant queens. The cat house is then opened to the dock so the females are free to run from about 1 until 3:30. During part of this time their quarters are cleaned. The males are out again from 3:30 until 4:30 and their quarters are cleaned. Until feeding time, at approximately 5:30, whatever cats in the house or cat house who wish to go out are free to run. The tabby neuter comes out of the house precisely at 4:30 every day but only if there is no wind at all, no big waves and a bright sun in a cloudless sky.

By the time we come home around 6:30, everyone is cleaning faces and fur and everything is tidy. We vary this schedule somewhat as ideally we like the cats to run on the dock until they decide on their own to go back in their quarters. On warm evenings, the lights are on and some are out until we go to bed.

Fridays through Sundays the schedule is the same except the cats have access to the dock longer in the morning. They have endless things to experience each day and enjoy

exploring the old pilings with smells of seaweed and sea gulls. Barrels of grass, plants, trees and the wood pile all become places to lie, chase butterflies and pretend. On the days we are home, the pool is cleaned with a big supervision crew and when we take the sailboat or rowboat out there will always be a send off and greeting committee.

We have learned a few tricks over the years in an effort to outsmart the few cats who get ideas about exploring beyond the dock. Wire mesh 'rat guards' are concealed in the tree branches. Clear plexiglass panels close off a few spots where they could get to the top of fences or the roofs. People often ask us about the possible hazard of cats falling in the water. We are careful to watch kittens once they are old enough to jump on the railings. The adults are graceful and confident, rarely falling in. (When they do, it happens only once.) They always come out quickly on the lower floating dock or swim to a piling where they can find a place to wait if they should fall from a railing. They are never out when someone is not at home to provide help. Abys are very competent swimmers.

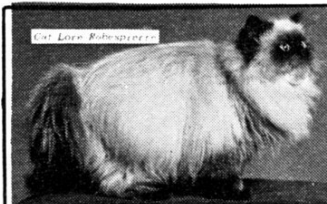
Falling in the swimming pool is a more regular occurrence because of cutting corners too fast, but again they are usually out before the water even saturates their coats.

We also find the dock to be a good place for mating. It is a more natural free environment than a cage or small room and assures a breeding only when the female is really ready. One of our males, however, prefers to lure the girls into his own quarters. We are not now accepting outside stud services, but did have a female on lease recently who adapted easily to this arrangement. Mating sessions take place morning and late afternoons over a two to three day period. We have no set time between breeding our queens but prefer approximately 8 months between litters, depending on the condition of the individual female, her age and heat cycles.

A good long term relationship with our veterinarians enables them to know all our cats well. They are sympathetic to breeder interests and spend a whole afternoon at our house twice a year for routine examinations, tests and shots. It gives us a chance to discuss health matters in a more leisurely way than is possible in a busy clinic.

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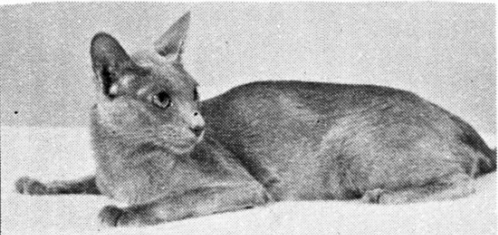
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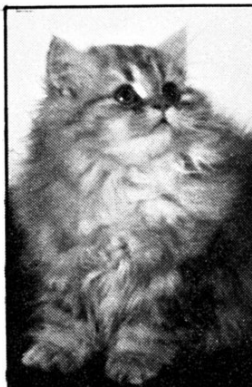
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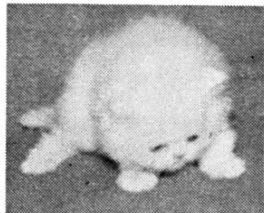


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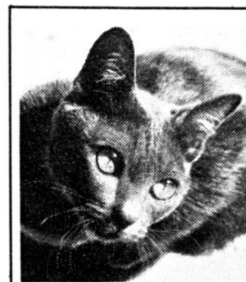
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**CFA REGIONAL
 AWARDS**

This month CFA shines the spotlight of fame on its illustrious 1977/'78 show season Regional Award Winners. Wherever a CFA cat is shown throughout the season, it may earn points for annual award recognition by the Region of its owner's residence. The points are compiled by the CFA Central Office and the awards are made by CFA's seven Regions (North Atlantic--NA; Northwest--NW; Gulf Shore--GS; Great Lakes--GL; Southwest--SW; Midwest--MW; and South--S).

From the following summary of breeds represented in the Top Ten Cats, Top Five Kittens and Top Five Cats in Premiership of each Region, it is evident that Persian owners ran away with this year's Regional honors; every one of the seven Best Kittens was a Persian, six of them from the Solid Color Division! The runner-up Siamese did not claim even a quarter of the award slots won by the Persians.

CFA clubs sponsored 63% of all shows held in North America in 1977/'78 and 71% of all cat show entries were in CFA shows. The cats featured in these charts, and those presented last issue, won their awards in com-

**Breed Composition of Top CFA Regional Cats,
 Kittens and Cats in Premiership**

	Top 10 Cats	Top 5 Kittens	Top 5 Prem.	Total
PERSIANS	32	19	14	65
SIAMESE	9	3	5	17
ABYSSINIANS	7	1	2	10
AMERICAN SH	5	0	4	9
BURMESE	3	2	4	9
EXOTIC SH	3	3	1	7
HIMALAYANS	1	3	2	6
MANX	1	2	1	4
RUSSIAN BLUES	1	2	1	4
ORIENTAL SH	3	0	0	3
REX	3	0	0	3
COLORPOINT SH	1	0	1	2
BIRMAN	1	0	0	1
	<u>70</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>140</u>

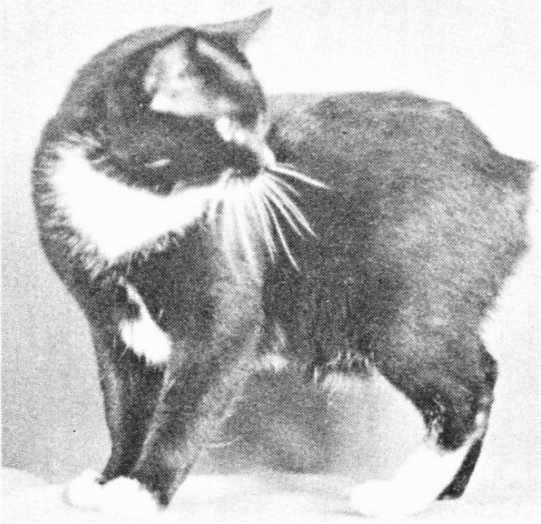
petition with the finest cats on this Continent. They are indeed the 1977/'78 "Greatest Cats of North America".

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Regn.	Award & Winner	Color & Breed	Sex	Owner
BEST CAT				
NA	KY-RO'S PHARO	Black Persian	M	Barbara Distinti
NW	JO-SAN'S PHEROUSA	Seal Point Siamese	F	John & Sandi Turner
GS	SAM-WAI CLOISONNE OF EMERES	Tortie Persian	F	Marian Shaw
GL	JAMA KATS MIDNIGHT SUN	Black Persian	M	Marlene Luyster
SW	CAN-DO AFTERNOON DELIGHT	C-E-White Persian	F	F. & D. Blankenship
MW	ADAM'S RIB CHICAGO FIRE	Cameo Tby. Amer. SH	M	Stan Barnaby
S	TAMRI'S RED DEVIL	Red Exotic SH	M	Mark Hannon
SECOND BEST CAT				
NA	THAIBOK TANTRA	Chocolate Pt. Siamese	F	Ed & Donna Davis
NW	SWANY'S JADE OF CHATEAU BLANC	Tortie Exotic SH	F	Ron & Patte LeBlanc
GS	ALLAINE COTTON CANDI OF JO-RE-I	C-E-White Persian	F	Curtis & Nancy Grove
GL	MIRIBU'S RHAPSODY IN BLUE	Russian Blue	M	Carol & Deborah Probst
SW	ROSEBUD CINDERFELLA OF VIGNETTE	Black Persian	M	Mrs. D. L. Fissel
MW	JENSEN'S TWO PERSONS	Blue Persian	M	Lois & Clark Jensen
S	WIL-O-ROSE JODI OF NORTHBROOK	C-E-White Persian	F	Peggy & Arnold Blackburn
THIRD BEST CAT				
NA	ANSHENT-WON'S MANANI OF SOKETUMI	Ruddy Abyssinian	M	Carlton Smith & R. Rerat
NW	SA-BIN'S OH JAY	Black Persian	M	Georgia Sabine
GS	SIN-CHIANG FOOLISH PLEASURE	Seal Point Siamese	F	Merle & Betty Crotzer
GL	QUIN-JO'S PIETRO	Ruddy Abyssinian	M	Rich & Becky Jones
SW	VINDABONA LANCE OF SEA SHELL	Lilac Pt. Siamese	M	N. Callahan
MW	CARROLL'S KUBLA KAHN	C-E-White Persian	M	Ricky Carroll
S	BALOFF GALANDRIEL OF AUSTRIANA	Burmese	F	E.Graf-Webster & W.Webster

Regn.	Award & Winner	Color & Breed	Sex	Owner
FOURTH BEST CAT				
NA	Q-T CATS SUFI OF TAURAH	Bluecream Persian	F	Peggy Keyes
NW	ALA BABA'S BRUCE JENNER	Burmese	M	Barbara Furton
GS	OUIJA LEMMINKAINEN	Bi-Color Manx	M	Fay Ann Herzog
GL	SURREY HILL SUNBURST OF OAKWAY	Tortie Persian	F	Judy Sturm
SW	SOLEDAD'S SAMSON	Silver Tby. Amer. SH	M	Olen Wilford
MW	K-BAR-O'S O'REILLY OF CHAMANAUD	Red Persian	M	Gene & Judy Hatfield
S	SHANX EBONAIR	Silver Tby. Amer. SH	M	John & Dianna Glennon
FIFTH BEST CAT				
NA	SAND N' SEA BIKKURI OF JEMWYCK	Tabby Oriental SH	F	Jayne Murray
NW	WIL-O-ROSE GLADABOUT	Blue Persian	M	Bill & Rosemary Herrmann
GS	NEBERLE MR. BIG STUFF	C-E-White Persian	M	Bernard & Nettie Le Blanc
GL	SUNNERISE'S BEECHNUT	Ruddy Abyssinian	M	Robert & Diana Boyce
SW	PHAULKON'S EZZEDIN	Ruddy Abyssinian	M	Jim & Sylvia Fitzgerald
MW	QUIRE'S GAL-X-C NAKOMIS OF SYRANO	Seal Pt. Siamese	F	Jack & Dona Fitch
S	BASTIS PANAMA RED	Red Abyssinian	M	W. Harding & R. Armstrong
SIXTH BEST CAT				
NA	LOWLANDS PACESETTER	Cream Persian	M	L. & D. Williams & E. Lilley
NW	NEPENTHES LEO	Ruddy Abyssinian	M	Joan & Alfred Wastlhuber
GS	CARBEN CUBA'S IRIOSA OF BODANTE	Lavender Oriental SH	F	Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Thompson
GL	KASIMS RED PEPPER	Red Persian	M	Kay Sims
SW	CAR-TOMA MITZEN OF GRAY-IVY	Chinchilla Persian	F	I. Over/B. Bell/D. McIntire
MW	SOBAKA'S BANSHI	Seal Pt. Himalayan	F	N. Fischer & R. Karpiak
S	KAZMAZAD'S KAJUN	Tortie Persian	F	Sheila Reyes
SEVENTH BEST CAT				
NA	GUARDIAN'S ZODIAK	Seal Pt. Birman	M	Rev. & Mrs. A. Savas
NW	SYBO'S SABRA	Lynx Pt. Colorpt. SH	F	Sylvia Boyd
GS	GATNEL'S GIGI	Bluecream Persian	F	Jim & Jody Garrison
GL	MARLY NEFERTARI	C-E-White Persian	F	Mr. & Mrs. L. Barsi
SW	IRAN'S DYNA-MITE OF BELL-MERE	Cream Persian	M	Jan & Marie Tinley
MW	SAREN DEL'S STAR SPANGLED GIRL	Silver Mk.Tby. ASH	F	Mary McIntyre
S	BEN-MAR BLUE JEAN	Blue Persian	M	Mr. & Mrs. B. Ehrhardt
EIGHTH BEST CAT				
NA	SHARA SOLO DE CHOCOLATL	Chocolate Pt. Siamese	M	Sharon Kapilian
NW	TIKI'S MAME	Tortie Rex	F	Linda Gray
GS	HARDENDALE SILVA MORN	Black Smoke Persian	F	Mrs. L. Russell
GL	JA-LAN ALLEGRA OF TRELAWNY	B-E-White Persian	F	Robert Sorenson
SW	MILLCREEK'S CYMBE OF PORTRAIT	Silver Tby.Amer. SH	F	M. Williams & D. Dale
MW	PATAPAW JUSTA FOO-LIN	Tortie Oriental SH	F	Marilyn Buchanan
S	BADFINGER'S BUMBLE BEE	Ruddy Abyssinian	F	Laura Thompson
NINTH BEST CAT				
NA	FENWAY BLOSSOM	Gold-Eyed White Rex	F	N. Dodds & R. Maiorisi
NW	SUN-THUNDER'S M. VALENTINE SMITH	Pk.-Face Red Tby.Pers.M	M	Kim Wheelwright
GS	IN LIEU SHEENA	Seal Pt. Siamese	F	Mrs. R. Atwell
GL	LEE'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARY	Tortie Persian	F	Mr. & Mrs. W. Lee
SW	RODELL RELVIANNA	O-E-White Rex	F	Bob & Dell Smith
MW	PRIM-PET PROUD AS PUNCH	Solid Color Persian	M	Evelyn Prather
S	LARKS-PURR DOVE	B-E-White Persian	F	Gladys Morgan
TENTH BEST CAT				
NA	TABBYLAND TREASURE OF LUVSWEET	Red Tabby Persian	M	Mr. & Mrs. D. Intrabartolo
NW	VENUSBERG'S FAFNER OF WALTUR	Blue Pt. Siamese	M	Nancy Krakow
GS	JO-RE-I TIGGER TU	O-E-White Persian	M	Curtis & Nancy Grove
GL	KAPA'S KIZZY	Black Exotic SH	F	Paul & Kathy Reich
SW	MOQUI'S PRIMROSE	Seal Pt. Siamese	F	W. A. Turner
MW	JAI-BUR'S SMEAGOL GOLLUM	Burmese	M	Burton & Janyce Jay
S	SHENNEN'S MIRAGE OF WILDERNESSE	Cream Persian	M	Ralph & Margaret Folsom
BEST KITTEN				
NA	JO-LE'S JET SET	Red Persian	M	Joseph & Carol Giannuzzi
NW	FURHAVEN PAPRICA	Red Persian	F	Carol Russell
GS	GATNEL'S WINDSONG II	Blue Persian	F	Jim & Jody Garrison
GL	SURREY HILL FANCY PANTZ	Bluecream Persian	F	Gene Darrah
SW	CAN-DO BOUQUET	Cream Persian	F	F. & D. Blankenship
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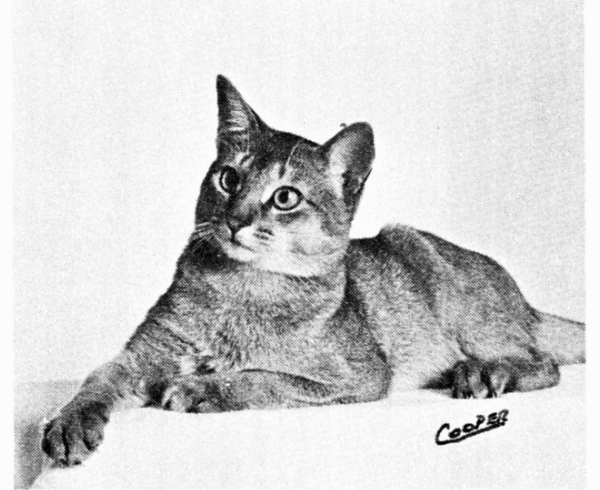
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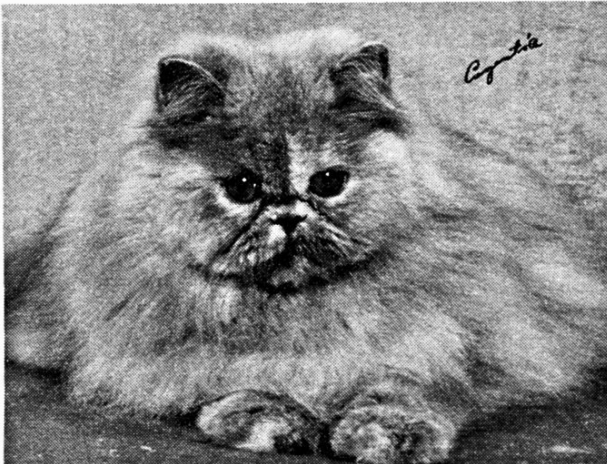
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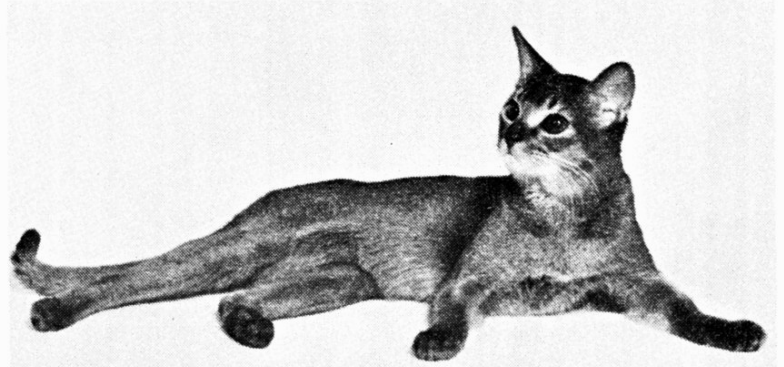
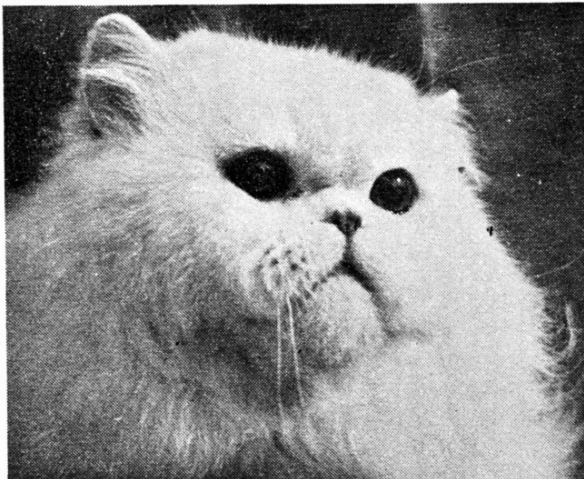


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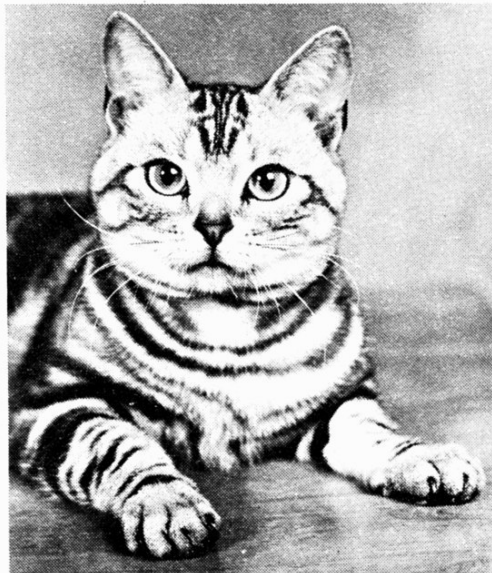
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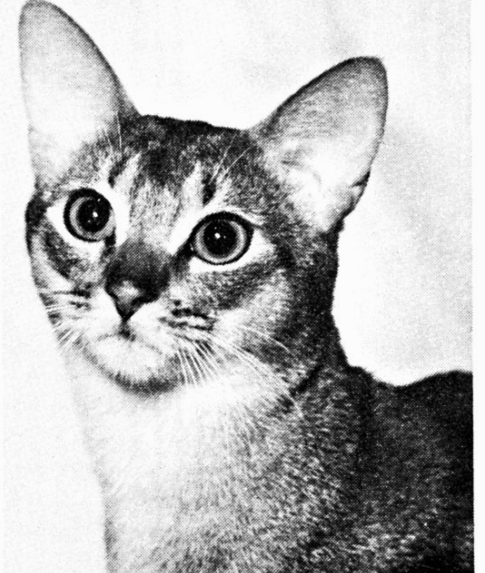


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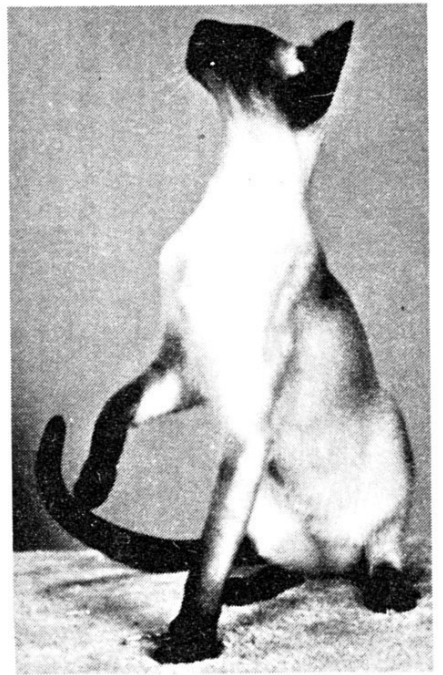
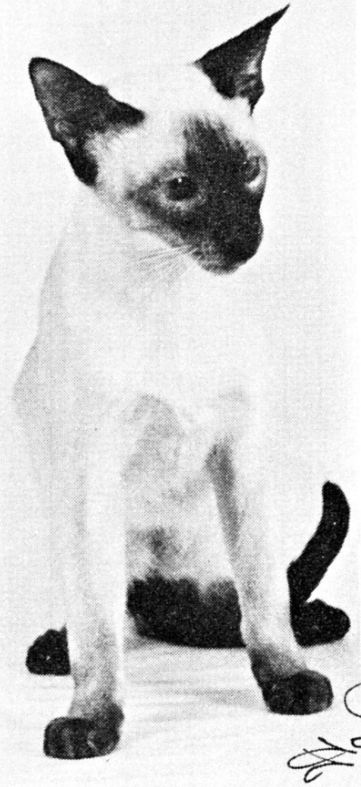
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NW	CLARE-WAY'S CHEERS	Bi-Color Persian	F	Clare Johnson
GS	RAINTREE LANE RUMOR	Cream Persian	M	Mrs. K. Wilson
GL	KAPA'S KIZZY	Black Exotic SH	F	Paul & Kathy Reich
SW	PAQUITA'S LIGHTS OUT	Black Persian	F	Mildred Federico
MW	QUIRE'S GAL-X-C NAKOMIS OF SYRANO	Seal Pt. Siamese	F	Jack & Dona Fitch
S	SOUTH PAW WIND SONG	Blue Pt. Himalayan	F	Judy & Greg Brocato
THIRD BEST KITTEN				
NA	CONFECTION'S TOOTSIE ROLL	Seal Pt. Himalayan	F	Diana Lagerwall
NW	PACIFICA DAY DREAM OF JOLEE	Tortie Pt. Himalayan	F	Ivan & Gerrie Raicevich
GS	MIWOOD ARIETTE	Bluecream Persian	F	Maynard & Ilene Wood
GL	SURREY HILL HOT FLASHES	Tortie Persian	F	Gene Darrah
SW	LION HOUSE MUMBLYPEG	Bluecream Exotic SH	F	Russ & Sue Fraser
MW	KAWPAW'S SUNFLOWER	Burmese	F	Jerry & Toni Woolard
S	AUSTRIANA ALIA	Burmese	F	E.Graf-Webster & W.Webster
FOURTH BEST KITTEN				
NA	ZION'S HOT T'MOLLY OF DARCY	Red Tabby Persian	F	K. Mayer & B. Warshefski
NW	JA-NAL'S SWEET WILLIAM	Blue Exotic Shorthair	M	Jane & Al Hall
GS	WYNDEN'S MAB	OMC Manx	F	Mrs. J. Keith Pevey
GL	BRYN MAWR PARTI GIRL	Tortie Persian	F	Werner/Irene/Mike Kachel
SW	MOQUI'S SIROCCO OF JOCAR	Blue Pt. Siamese	F	Joe & Carolyn Gray
MW	JENSEN'S BABY SNOOKS	Solid Color Persian	F	Lois & Clark Jensen
S	CONNAUGHT MR. MCGHEE	Blue Persian	M	Claudia Moore
FIFTH BEST KITTEN				
NA	SERESHKA SPARKLE PENTY	Russian Blue	F	G.Bartelmes & Brian Levy
NW	TSAR BLU'S ZSA ZSA	Russian Blue	F	Donna Fuller
GS	PUSSY PUR MEW'S MARY FRANCES	Blue Pt. Siamese	F	Penelope Klepinger
GL	LEE'S CANDY BAR	Tortie Persian	F	Mr. & Mrs. W. Lee
SW	BRIAR BRAE MISROB OF A LA MONTE	Bi-Color Manx	M	Jackie Wankovsky
MW	CHERAMOR CARISSIMA	Black Persian	F	Eileen Perego
S	LE-HI BABY PRECIOUS	Bluecream Persian	F	Aubrey & Betty Sauls
BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP				
NA	CATLIN ARIADNE OF SANGAZURE	Burmese	S	M.Pajak Jr. & D.Goffredi
NW	SERENDIPITY'S SOLID STATE	Seal Pt. Siamese	N	Lee Placchi
GS	YANG-LE'S PEACHY DOLL OF CATILAC	Silver Tabby ASH	S	Ramona Fizzell
GL	KÅ-DEN PEGASUS	Chocolate Pt. Siamese	N	Karen/Gary/Shirley Dennis
SW	THAIA BROWN SUGAR	Burmese	S	Donna Cooper
MW	WILLOW GLEN'S FIRE FLY OF JA CA TO	Red Persian	S	Mrs. Jack Bragg
S	NIPAWIN PIPKIN OF TABBYLAND	Bluecream Persian	S	Lawrence Filson
SECOND BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP				
NA	LOWLANDS WHIM	Cream Persian	N	N. & N.Giannuzzi & L.Williams
NW	DEE-J'S DE MAN	Shaded Cameo Persian	N	Dee Single
GS	CATSREALM TARANTELLA OF ROFERN	Tortie Persian	S	Roy & Doris Jennings
GL	BAKRON REGAN	Blue Pt. Himalayan	S	Elizabeth Noce
SW	NEW DAWN TOMIE OF LION HOUSE	Tortie Exotic SH	S	Russ & Sue Fraser
MW	SAREN-DEL'S TIGGER TOO	Silver Mk.Tby. ASH	N	Susan Kay Dammann
S	O-G'S YING OF PASHAKA	Blue Pt. Siamese	S	Gwen & Paul Zimmerman
THIRD BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP				
NA	BEIRUT'S EL BANDITO OF CUMM-IN	Brown Tabby Persian	N	Fannie Cummings
NW	QUEEN GUINEVERE	C-E-White Persian	S	Ann Louise Onto
GS	SNOBERY RHAPSODY OF GATNEL	Blue Persian	S	Jim & Jody Garrison
GL	CIRCLE C FIRECRACKER	C-E-White Persian	N	Beth Ann Springston
SW	LION HOUSE TIMOTHY OF CHERIBON	Cream Persian	N	LeRoy & Carolyn Beal
MW	HILL HOUSE QUINELLA OF BUR-MINN	Burmese	S	E. Johnson
S	J-BAR'S ARNIE	Red Colorpoint SH	N	Jack & Barbara Collins
FOURTH BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP				
NA	SHADY PAWS BLUE CHIP	Blue Pt. Siamese	N	Lucy Smith
NW	HELIUMS RED RAVEN OF AMARA	Red Abyssinian	N	Lorna Malinen
GS	BLUE CHARMS BLU-KRIS	Russian Blue	N	G.Harrell/H.& J.Hurlbut
GL	BAKRON RAIDER	Blue Pt. Himalayan	S	Ron & Betty Kauffman
SW	MAR-GEO DRAPER'S DAPHNIE OF TARA	Bluecream Persian	S	Jane Carlson
MW	KELSHA ANGELI 3 OF POCO-LINA	Brown Tabby Manx	S	Linda Wensing
S	TABBYLAND'S TALCUM	Silver Tabby Persian	S	Jim & Sandy Smith

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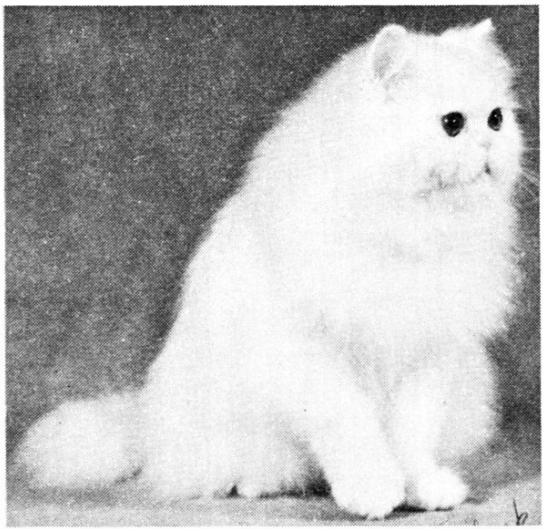


GRAND CH. CARBEN CUBA'S TRIOSA OF BODANTE (IMP), Lavender f born 12/10/76, is Gulf Shore Region 6TH BEST CAT, 3RD BEST SHORTHAIK and BEST ORIENTAL SHORTHAIK. B: C. & B. v.d. Bergh. O: Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Thompson, Littleton, CO. J. Van Vleet photo

GRAND CH. SHARA SOLO DE CHOCOLATL, Chocolate Pt. m born 1/7/76, is North Atlantic Region 8TH BEST CAT, 4TH BEST SHORTHAIK and 2ND BEST SIAMESE. B/O: Sharon Kapilian, New Paltz, NY. Howard photo.

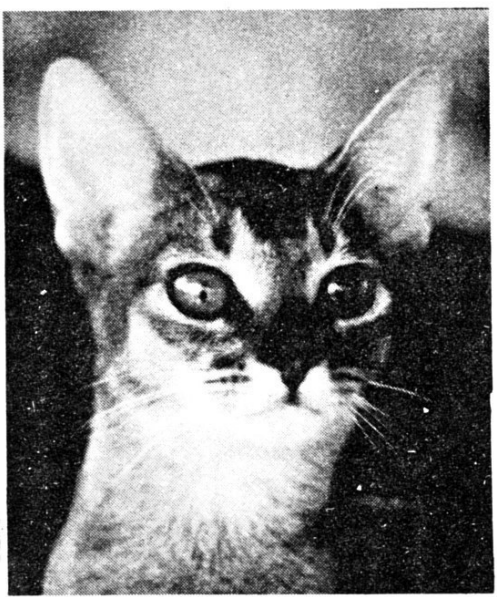


GRAND CH. IN LIEU SHEENA, Seal Point f born 9/26/76, is Gulf Shore Region 9TH BEST CAT and 2ND BEST SIAMESE. B/O: Mrs. R.K. Atwell, Tulsa, OK.



GRAND CH. MARLU NEFERTARI, f born 8/8/76, is Great Lakes Region 7TH BEST CAT and BEST COPPER-EYED WHITE PERSIAN. C. Black photo

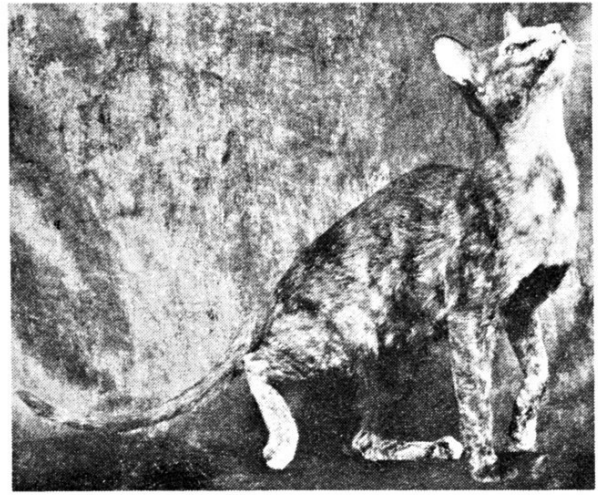
GRAND CH. BADFINGER'S BUMBLE BEE, f born 2/4/77, is Southern Region 8TH BEST CAT, BEST RUDDY and 2ND BEST ABYSSINIAN. B/O: Laura Thompson, Tarpon Springs, FL. →



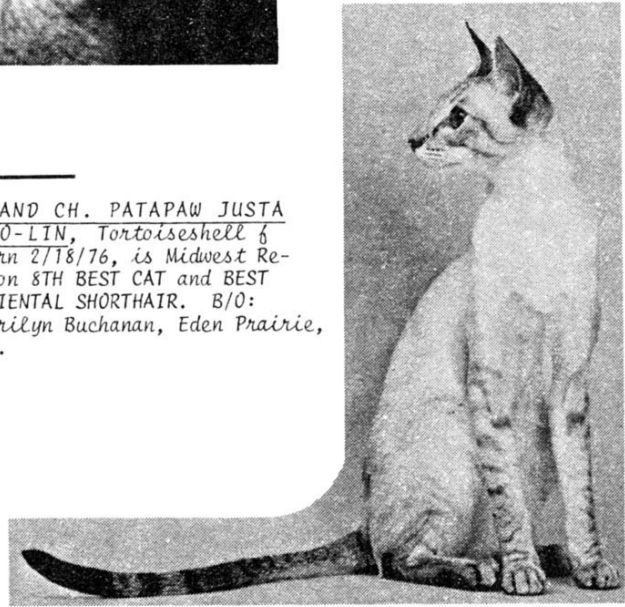
GRAND CH. SYBO'S SABRA, Seal Lynx Point f, is Northwest Region 7TH BEST CAT and BEST COLORPOINT SHORTHAIK. B/O: Sylvia Boyd, San Mateo, CA. ← J. Turner photo



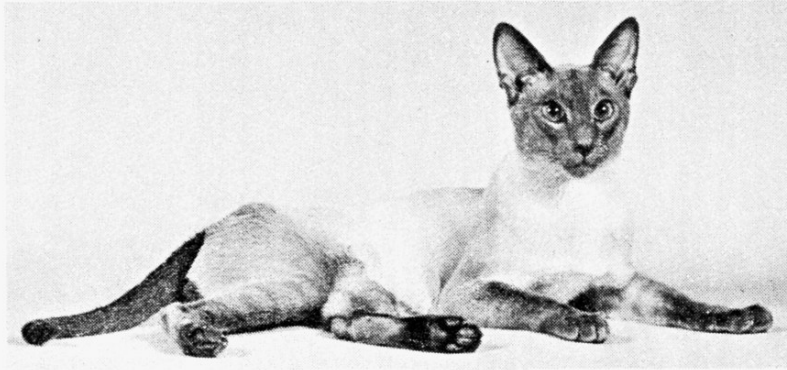
← GRAND CH. NEPENTHES LEO, Ruddy Abyssinian m born 3/29/76, is Northwest Region 6TH BEST CAT and BEST ABYSSINIAN. B/O: Joan & Alfred Wastlhuber, Vallejo, CA. J. Turner photo



← GRAND CH. PATAPAW JUSTA FOO-LIN, Tortoiseshell f born 2/18/76, is Midwest Region 8TH BEST CAT and BEST ORIENTAL SHORTHAIK. B/O: Marilyn Buchanan, Eden Prairie, MN.

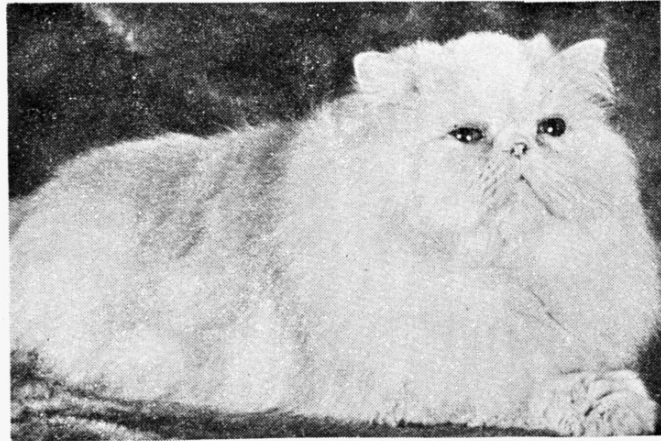
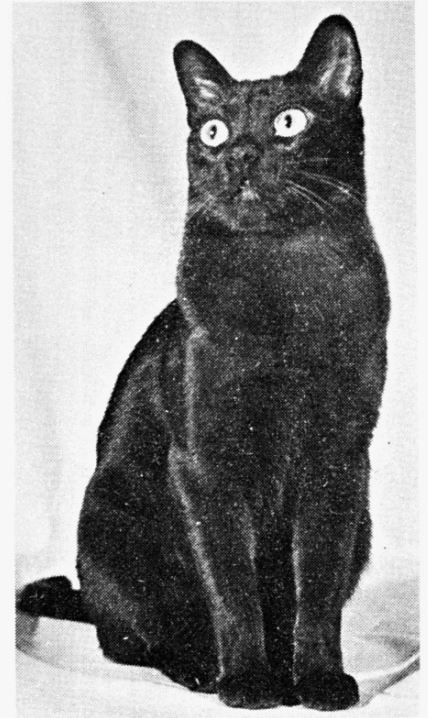


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GRAND CH. VENUSBERG'S FAFNER OF WALTUR, m born 7/18/76, is Northwest Region 10TH BEST CAT, 2ND BEST SIAMESE and BEST BLUE PT. B: A. Ammons II. O: Vernon & Nancy Krakow.

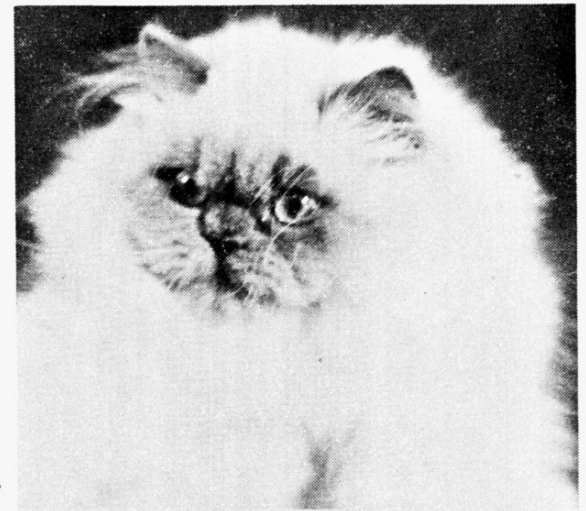
GRAND CH. KAWPAW'S SUNFLOWER, Sable Burmese f born 12/21/76, is Midwest Region 3RD BEST KITTEN. B/O: Toni & Jerry Woolard, Shawnee, KS.



GRAND CH. MOQUI'S SIROCCO OF JOCAR, Blue Pt. Siamese f born 3/3/77, is Southwest Region 4TH BEST KITTEN. B: W. Turner. O: Joe & Carolyn Gray, Redlands, CA.



GRAND CH. SHENNEN'S MIRAGE OF WILDERNESSE, Cream Persian m born 6/20/71, is Southern Region 10TH BEST CAT. B: P. & S. Peterson. O: Ralph & Margaret Folsom, Raleigh, NC.



GRAND CH. SOUTH PAW WIND SONG, Blue Pt. Himalayan f born 8/3/77, is Southern Region 2ND BEST KITTEN. B/O: Judy & Greg Brocato.

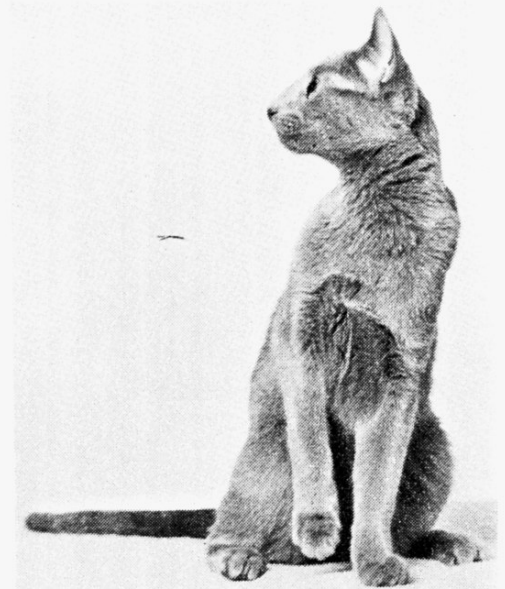
GRAND CH. BRYN MAWR PARTI GIRL, Tortie Persian f born 7/5/78, is Great Lakes Region 4TH BEST KITTEN. B/O: Werner, Irene & Mike Kachel, Fairborn, OH.



GRAND CH. TSAR BLU'S ZSA ZSA, Russian Blue f born 3/7/77, is Northwest Region 5TH BEST KITTEN. B/O: Donna Fuller, Foster City, CA.

CH. CONNAUGHT MR. MCGHEE, Blue Persian m born 8/17/77, is Southern Region 4TH BEST KITTEN. B/O: Claudia Moore, Elkton, MD.

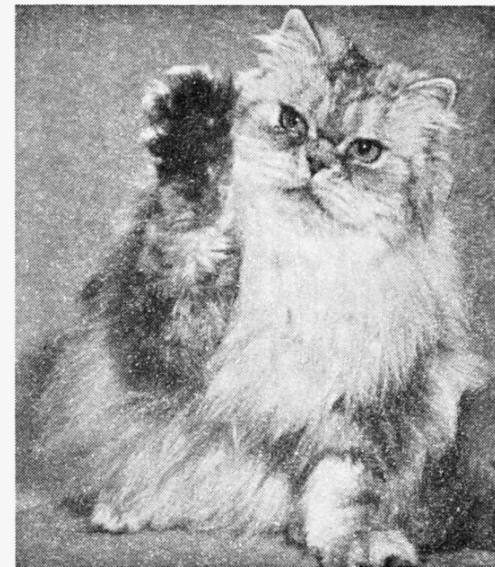
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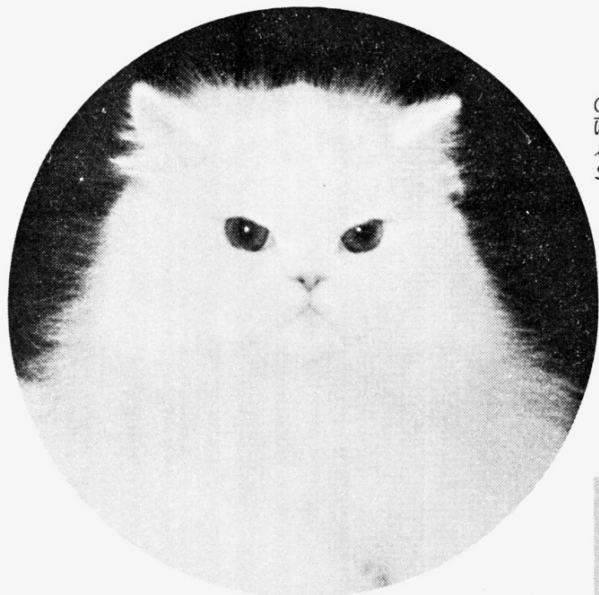
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GRAND PR. CASAL'S GANDALF OF ROBKAT, Ruddy Abyssinian n born 11/2/75, is North Atlantic 5TH BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: A. Orlando. O: R. Kilgallen, New York, NY.



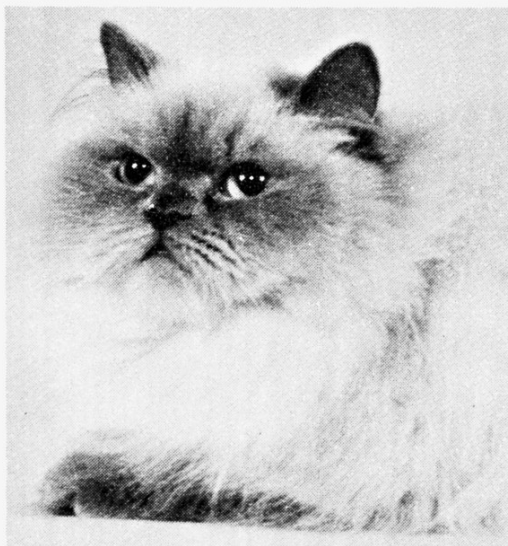
GRAND PR. TABBYLAND'S TALCUM, Silver Tabby Persian s born 6/15/72, is Southern Region 4TH BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: B. Witbeck. O: Jim & Sandy Smith, Alexandria, VA. Creszentia photo.



GRAND PR. CIRCLE C FIRECRACKER, Copper-Eyed White Persian n born 7/4/75, is Great Lakes Region 3RD BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B/O: Beth Ann Springston, Tallmadge, OH.

GRAND PR. QUEEN GUINEVERE, Copper-Eyed White Persian s born 7/5/75, is Northwest Region 3RD BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: P. Hopper & J. Johnson. O: Ann Louise Onton, Saratoga, CA.

GRAND PR. BAKRON REGAN, Blue Pt. Himalayan s born 6/1/75, is Great Lakes Region 2ND BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: R. & B. Kauffman. O: Elizabeth Noce, Henrietta, NY.

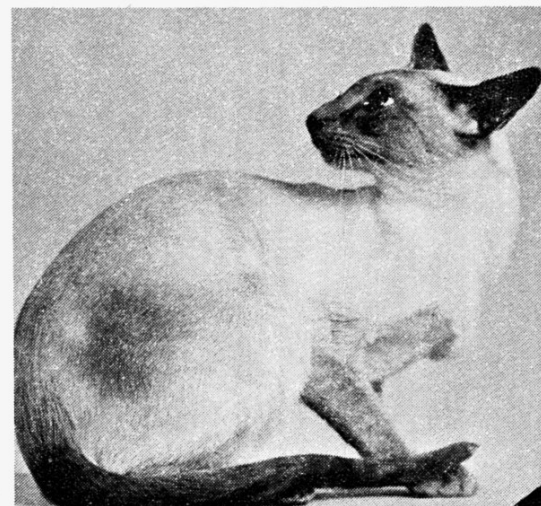


GRAND PR. SAREN-DEL'S TIGGER TOO, Silver Mackerel Tabby American Shorthair n born 4/11/76, is Midwest Region 2ND BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: M. McIntyre. O: Susan Kay Dammann, Ottawa, IL.



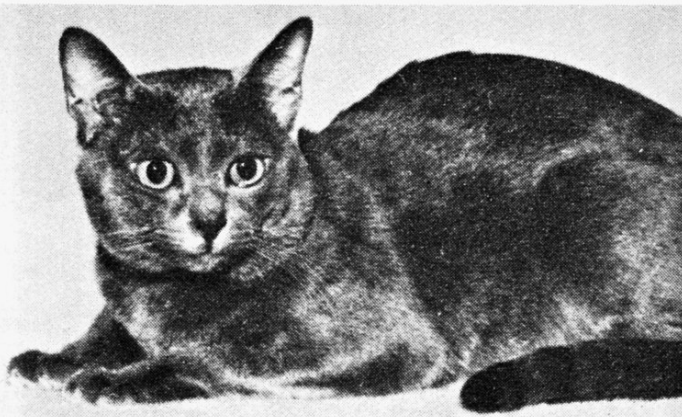
GRAND PR. CATSREALM TARANTELLA OF ROFERN, Tortoiseshell Persian s born 7/30/73, is Gulf Shore Region 2ND BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: Mrs. E. Davis. O: Roy and Doris Jennings, Spring, TX.

GRAND PR. & CH. JECARO JACKNIP OF PURRVEY, Blue Pt. Siamese n born 3/11/76, is Southwest Region 7TH BEST CAT, PREMIERSHIP. B: J. Kunzelman. O: Mona Stolcz, Las Vegas, NV.

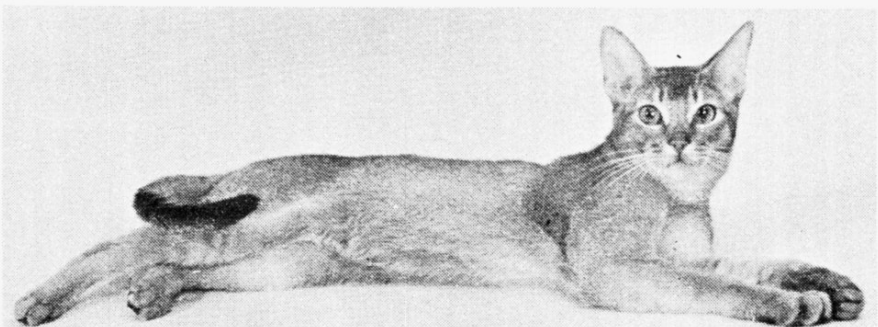


Regn.	Award & Winner	Color & Breed	Sex	Owner
FIFTH BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP				
NA	CASAL'S GANDALF OF ROB KAT	Ruddy Abyssinian	N	Rob Kilgallen
NW	NORPARK'S DON PABLO OF MARLIE	Shaded Silver ASH	N	Marjorie O'Connor
GS	MAR-CHU SABRA OF SHAHDARA	Burmese	S	Dick & Jeanne Root
GL	SURREY HILL JESSE JAMES OF DARUE	Red Persian	N	Ruth Schiele
SW	JOVA TIGGER OF ANNAJO	Burmese	S	Drs. McFarlin & Spaulding
MW	ADAM'S RIB LITE-MY-FIRE	Red Tabby Amer. SH	N	Adam Frecowski
S	NORTHBROOK'S SPUNKY OF REILETA	Shaded Silver Persian	S	Greg Clark
Regn.	Breed & Winner	Color	Sex	Owner
BEST ABYSSINIAN				
NA	ANSHENT-WON'S MANANI OF SOKETUMI	Ruddy	M	C. Smith & Rita Rerat
NW	NEPENTHES LEO	Ruddy	M	Joan & Alfred Wastlhuber
GS	HELIUM'S SUNFIRE OF SIROCCO	Red	M	David Schneider
GL	QUIN-JO'S PIETRO	Ruddy	M	Rich & Becky Jones
SW	PHALKON'S EZZEDIN	Ruddy	M	Jim & Sylvia Fitzgerald
MW	EL QAHIRA'S DARIUS II	Ruddy	M	Rae Ann Christ
S	BASTIS PANAMA RED	Red	M	W.Harding & R.Armstrong
BEST AMERICAN SHORTHAIR				
NA	APACHE DELGADITO OF SHIRL-E	Brown Tabby	M	Earl & Shirley Huff
NW	HONEY DEW	Silver Tabby	F	Chet Plucinski
GS	SILVER MYNE'S FILIGREE	Silver Tabby	M	Rhonda Hanson
GL	MIRIBU'S C MARKS THE SPOT	Brown Tabby	M	Margot Mellies
SW	SOLEDAD'S SAMSON	Silver Tabby	M	Olen Wilford
MW	ADAM'S RIB CHICAGO FIRE	Cameo Tabby	M	Stan Barnaby
S	SHANX EBONAIR	Silver Tabby	M	John & Dianne Glennon
BEST BALINESE				
NW	ELITE SUNUP SKY OF SUNUP	Blue Point	F	Ila Logan
GS	VERDE'S FLUFF PUFF	Blue Point	F	Karen Tye
SW	DEL-RI'S MIIKO RIKKI	Lilac Point	M	Adelle Hathaway
MW	GAYNELL'S SIR GALAHAD OF MIDWAY			Charlene Naugle
S	GAYNELLS BLUE DENIM	Blue Point	M	Nellie S. Sparrow
BEST BIRMAN				
NA	GUARDIAN'S ZODIAK	Seal Point	M	Rev. & Mrs. A. Savas
GS	MAI SINH'S YA CHI	Blue Point	M	Bonnie Evans
GL	RINDY'S HAVEN YOMANDA	Blue Point	F	Ed & Harriet Rindfleisch
SW	JANDRA'S ZEE TEDDY BEAR	Seal Point	M	Jim & Pam Pugliano
MW	JOBACA'S ZETA OF BONNI-BIR	Seal Point	F	Mrs. Harold Bonneau
S	HEPHZIBAH CAERULEUS	Blue Point	M	Fay Mosier
BEST BOMBAY				
NW	SHAWNEE AI AI OF SANKACHI	Black	F	Sandra Sulloway
SW	KEJO KYRIE	Black	F	Patricia Taylor
BEST BURMESE				
NA	SANGAZURE LILY TOMLIN	Sable	F	Michael F. Pajak Jr.
NW	ALA BABA'S BRUCE JENNER	Sable	M	Barbara Furton
GS	BROWN WATCH MAC LEOD OF NOMAD	Sable	M	Scotty Griffey
GL	BRIAR-BRAE BENELDA	Sable	F	Harley & Georgia Kemp
SW	PUM-KO DAWN	Sable	F	Robert & Carole Salisbury
MW	JAI-BUR'S SMEAGOL GOLLUM	Sable	M	Burton & Janyce Jay
S	BALOFF GALANDRIEL OF AUSTRIANA	Sable	F	E.Graf-Webster & W.Webster
BEST COLORPOINT SHORTHAIR				
NA	RED POPPY OF TINTADEL	Red Point	F	Erica Mueller
NW	SYBO'S SABRA	Lynx Point	F	Sylvia Boyd
GS	TANG-KIRA CAYENNE OF BODANTE	Red Point	F	Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Thompson
GL	J-BAR'S SUN BURST OF DAHARA	Solid Point	M	D.Happ & R.Bockman
SW	CIARA'S MIDAS TOUCH OF LUMAX	Red Point	M	Laura McIntyre
MW	PATAPAW RUNNING DEER	Tortie Point	F	Marilyn Buchanan
S	J-BAR'S ROBERT REDFORD OF MIJA	Red Point	M	Mike & Janice Brown
BEST EGYPTIAN MAU				
NA	SANGPUR JONATHON DOT DOT		M	Shirley Keenan
GL	HAI'S BETSY ROSS		F	Judith Lill
SW	HAI'S TASHI OF HYDYNASTY	Smoke	F	Eileen Austin
MW	PHISET CLEOPATRA KAHIRAH			Ginger Miller
S	TRILLIUM'S CHIPMUNK OF HAI	Bronze	M	J.Hershey & N. Archibald

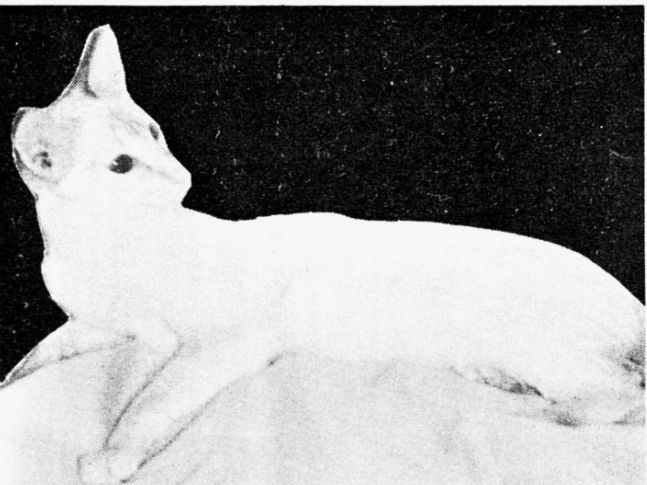
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GRAND CH. SOINA ACHERON APOLLO, m born 7/28/75, is Southern Region BEST KORAT. B: S. Anderson. O: Lyn Broadwell, Apex, NC.



GRAND CH. EL QAHIRA'S DARIUS II, Ruddy m born 5/13/77, is Midwest BEST ABYSSINIAN and 14TH BEST CAT. B/O: Rae Ann Christ, Elgin, IL.



GRAND CH. STAR OF SIAM MERLIN OF CALERMAR, Blue Pt. m born 5/27/77, is Southern Region BEST SIAMESE. B: D. Rowland. O: Carl & Marion Butler, Parris Island, SC.



GRAND CH. TAWNEE BALLERINA, Lavender f born 5/25/75, is Southern Region BEST ORIENTAL SHORTHAIR. B/O: Ann Billheimer, Opa Locka, FL.

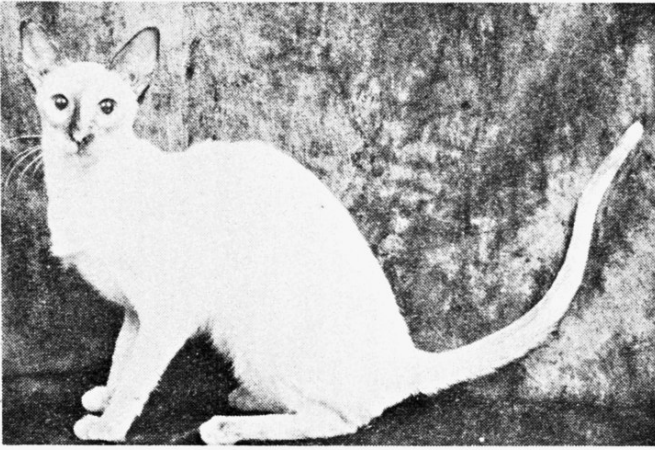
CH. TANG-KIRA CAYENNE OF BODANTE, Red Pt. f born 2/18/76, is Gulf Shore Region BEST COLORPOINT SHORTHAIR. B: J. & C. Hargrove. O: Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Thompson, Littleton, CO.



GRAND CH. KEJO KYRIE, f born 4/5/75, is Southwest Region BEST BOMBAY. B/O: Patricia Taylor, Phoenix, AZ.



GRAND CH. PATAPAW JENE KELEA OF KEJO, Lavender f born 10/27/76, is Southwest Region BEST ORIENTAL SHORTHAIR. B: M. Buchanan. O: Patricia Taylor, Phoenix, AZ.



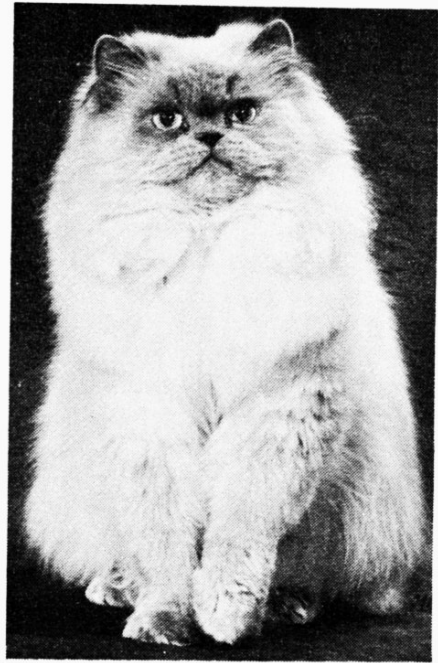
GRAND CH. PATAPAW RUNNING DEER, Chocolate Cream Pt. f born 3/8/76, is Midwest Region BEST COLORPOINT SHORTHAIR. B/O: Marilyn Buchanan, Eden Prairie, MN.

Regn.	Breed & Winner	Color	Sex	Owner
BEST EXOTIC SHORTHAIR				
NA	LOWLANDS DIABLO	Black Smoke	M	L. & D. Williams & E. Lilley
NW	SWANY'S JADE OF CHATEAU BLANC	Tortie	F	Ron & Patte LeBlanc
GS	GATNEL'S REBEL	Blue	M	Jim & Jody Garrison
GL	KAPA'S KIZZY	Black	F	Paul & Kathy Reich
SW	LION HOUSE EDMOND FITSGERALD	Blue	M	Marianna Tharp
MW	FESENBRAD'S SEVILLE OF KENN-MAX			Ken & Maxine Smalley
S	TAMRI'S RED DEVIL	Red	M	Mark Hannon
BEST HAVANA BROWN				
NW	BUNDASH'S BIG BEN	Brown	M	Howard & Norma Placchi
GL	ARAGON'S ANNE-CATHERINE	Brown	F	Byron Tassler
GL	HAVANA HAVEN HULLABALOO	Brown		Sherry Swihart
SW	TOBACCO RD'S HELEN GURLEY BROWN	Brown	F	Ed & Marilyn Windham
MW	NAMEKAGON DANTE	Brown	M	Velta Dickson
S	SAMOW'S TOKAMID OF WENSIN	Brown	M	Jean Wenrich
BEST HIMALAYAN				
NA	CONFECTION'S DREAM WHIP	Blue Point	M	Diana Lagerwall
NW	PACIFICA DAY DREAM OF JOLEE	Tortie Point	F	Ivan & Gerrie Raicevich
GS	STOCKWELL SANDPIPER	Blue Point	M	Bill & Mickey Stockwell
GL	WIEHAVON MACAIBO	Seal Point	F	Teri Fassel
SW	KITS BUTCH CASSIDY	Blue Point	M	Elmer & Ruth Kitsmiller
MW	SOBAKA'S BANSHI	Seal Point	F	N. Fischer & R. Karpiak
S	COASTIE'S CAJUN JOE	Blue Point	M	Pat & Dave Browning
BEST JAPANESE BOBTAIL				
GL	RAN-WIN'S FUJI-SAN	Brown Tabby & White	M	Nancy Winans
MW	MI-HO'S GRANDY)		F	M. & B. Hodits
	MI-HO'S KUDO) Tie		M	M. & B. Hodits
BEST KORAT				
NA	PASSPORT'S TARJI	Blue	F	Linda Singler
NW	HISSNSAWAT PINOT GRIS	Blue	M	Herb Beimbuch
GS	JALNA'S DAFFLI OF LOROASTER	Blue	F	Eugene Smith Jr.
GL	MIRIBU'S GREY GHOST	Blue	F	Dean & Ruth Bridenbaker
SW	TIRANO OF GAETANO	Blue	M	Cynthia Rafferty
MW	JASMINE	Blue	F	Doreen Walker
S	SOLNA ACHERON APOLLO	Blue	M	Lyn Broadwell
BEST MAINE COON				
NW	SUZERAN'S PAGLIACCI		M	Suzanne Servies
GL	KTAADN BULLWINKEL	Red Tabby & White	M	Sandra Vorndran
SW	PURRBRED'S SILENT STRANGER	White	M	Ruth & Bill Patt
MW	SUNDAR ARAGORN OF CLOUSER	Parti-Color	M	Larry & Teddy Page
S	EMLU'S DON QUIXOTE	Silver Tabby	M	Mary Lou Nagy
BEST MANX				
NA	RED OAKS MILL MELLA ELLA	Odd-Eyed White	F	Marjorie Lomoriello
NW	BRIAR-BRAE MS. CHIF OF NUFURS	Copper-Eyed White	F	Susan Nuffers
GS	OUIJA LEMMINKAINEN	Bi-Color	M	Fay Ann Herzog
GL	KELLOG BRIGID	Brown Tabby	F	L. Lee/E. Kellogg
SW	CAREEJ ARAIDH	Brown Tabby & White	F	Gail Robinson
MW	TETRO TAIGA OF KELLOGG		M	Elree Kellogg
S	KELSHA O'CEALLAIGH	Copper-Eyed White	F	Judith Shaw
BEST ORIENTAL SHORTHAIR				
NA	SAND N' SEA BIKKURI OF JEMWYCK	Lavender Spotted Tby.	F	Jayne Murray
NW	SAND N' SEA RHONWEN			Ruth Cook
GS	CARBEN CUBA'S IRIOSA OF BODANTE	Lavender	F	Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Thompson
GL	PETMARK BEAU GARCON OF KALYAN	Lavender	M	Eleanore Hamling
SW	PATAPAW JENE KELEA OF KEJO	Lavender	F	Patricia Taylor
MW	PATAPAW JUSTA FOO-LIN	Tortie	F	Marilyn Buchanan
S	TAWNEE BALLERINA	Lavender	F	M.A. & L.B. Billheimer
BEST PERSIAN: SOLID COLOR DIVISION				
NA	KY-RO'S PHAROH	Black	M	Barbara Distinti
NW	SABIN'S OH JAY	Black	M	Georgia Sabine
GS	ALLAINE COTTON CANDI OF JO-RE-I	Copper-Eyed-White	F	Curtis & Nancy Grove
GL	JAMA KATS MIDNIGHT SUN	Black	M	Marlene Luyster
SW	CAN-DO AFTERNOON DELIGHT	Copper-Eyed-White	F	F. & D. Blankenship
MW	JENSEN TWO PERSONS	Blue	M	Lois & Clark Jensen
S	WIL-O-ROSE JODI OF NORTHBROOK	Copper-Eyed-White	F	Peggy & Arnold Blackburn

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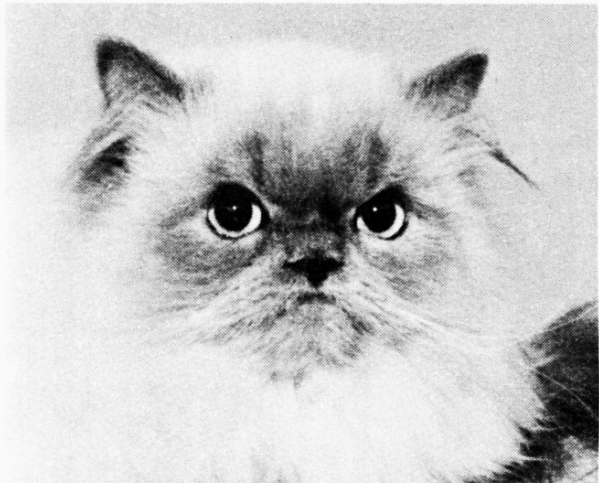
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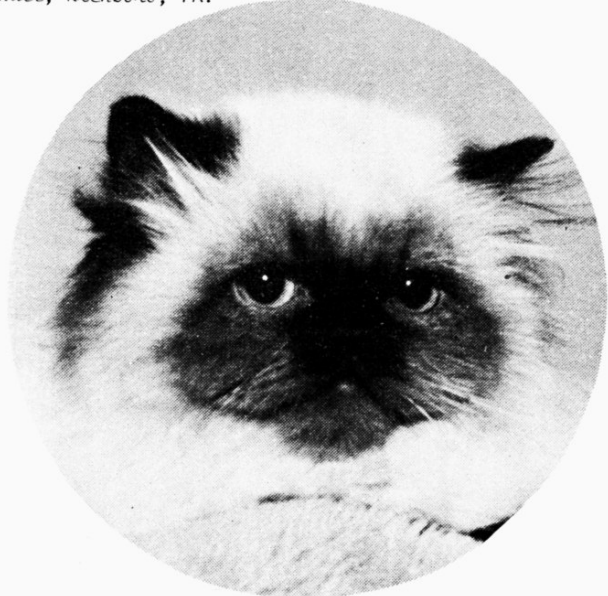


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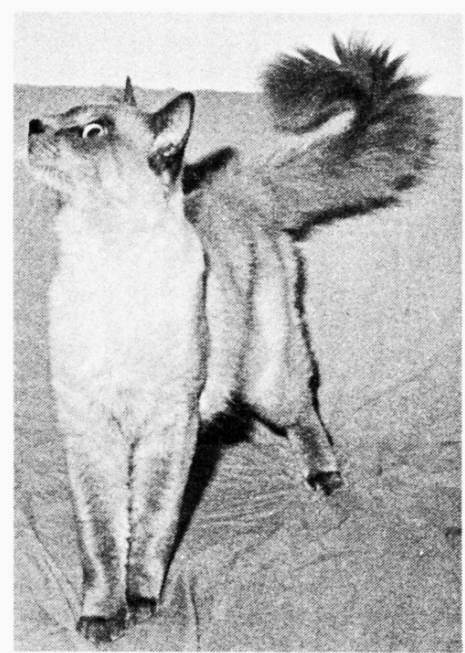
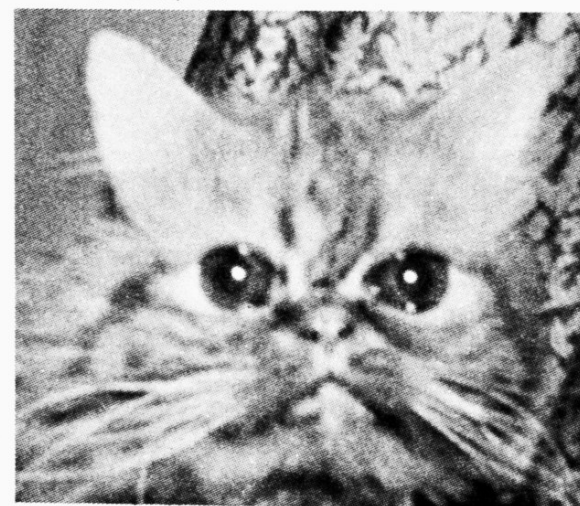
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Regn.	Breed & Winner	Color	Sex	Owner
BEST PERSIAN: SHADED DIVISION				
NA	DIADEM ALLEGRO	Shaded Silver	M	Mrs. Walter Reichle
NW	PACO TICO ANTONIO	Shaded Cameo	M	Nancy Sweeney
GS	COLBYSHIRE'S LUV N STUFF	Shaded Cameo	F	Charles Jordan
GL	GAY PURR-EE'S SHEER DELITE	Shaded Silver		Mary Caito
SW	CAR-TOMA MITZEN OF GRAY-IVY	Chinchilla	F	I.Over/B.Bell/D.McIntire
MW	HIGH ECHO CHARMIN FELLA	Chinchilla	M	Jane Kelly
S	NORTHBROOK JUDD OF REILETA	Shaded Silver	M	Greg Clark
BEST PERSIAN: SMOKE DIVISION				
NA	CHARCOAL'S KATRINA OF RON-LEAN	Black Smoke	F	Harlean Hershey
NW	HADWAY JAMIE OF PLUMLANE	Smoke Tortie	F	Mary Dye
GS	HARDENDALE SILVA MORN	Black Smoke	F	Mrs. L. Russell
GL	BAJI WINDJAMMER OF BLACK CREEK	Black Smoke		Wesley & Jacqueline Hyde
SW	FAIR OAKS UWAHI IKI KAIKAMAHINE	Black Smoke	F	Sharon Balagna
MW	RENE'S WIDGET		M	Jeanne Sullivan
S	SUNNYDALE ROCKY MOUNTAIN WAY	Black Smoke	M	Nancy Lamarche
BEST PERSIAN: TABBY DIVISION				
NA	TABBYLAND TREASURE OF LUVSWEET	Red Tabby	M	Mr. & Mrs.D.Intrabartolo
NW	SUN-THUNDER'S M. VALENTINE SMITH	Peke-Face Red Tabby	M	Kim Wheelwright
GS	WYNDEN'S MACRAME	Brown Mk. Tabby	F	Mrs. J. Keith Pevey
GL	MARLBORO BITTERSWEET	Red Tabby	F	Edith Kelly
SW	CHANSON CIGALE	Peke-Face Red Tabby	F	Larry & Nancy Schilder
MW	SILVER WILLOW'S DON ROI OF DUNCAN		M	Mrs. Ken Duncan
S	WINTERSET'S WOODCHUCK	Red Tabby	M	Chris & Larry Filson
BEST PERSIAN: PARTI-COLOR DIVISION				
NA	Q-T CATS SUFI OF TAURAH	Bluecream	F	Peggy Keyes
NW	MIDAS MISTLETOE OF EIREWOOD	Tortie	F	Barbara Maxwell
GS	SAM-WAI CLOISONNE OF EMERES	Tortie	F	Marian Shaw
GL	SURREY HILL SUNBURST OF OAKWAY	Tortie	F	Judy Sturm
SW	CORSICA'S CASINO	Tortie	F	Diana West
MW	JENSEN LOVE ME OR LEAVE ME OF LILI	Bluecream	F	Lillian Baxter
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BEST REX				
NA	FENWAY BLOSSOM	Gold-Eyed White	F	N. Dodds & R. Maiorisi
NW	TIKI'S MAME	Tortie	F	Linda Gray
GS	BIEN-FUR TEXAS TWIT	Black	M	Mr. & Mrs. Michael Bender
GL	JAKAI CHENA	Blue Mk. Tabby	F	Sheila McMonagle
SW	RODEL RELVIANNA	Odd-Eyed White	F	Bob & Dell Smith
MW	LEO'S LAIR BAGATELLE	Dilute Calico	F	Patsy Spight
S	KENI KATZ TYCHE OF MAJIKAT	Calico	F	Phyllis Amick
BEST RUSSIAN BLUE				
NA	SERESHKA ALAKAZAM OF KITTAY	Blue	M	Brian Levy
NW	TSAR BLU'S FITZWILLIAM OF VELVA	Blue	M	Donna Fuller
GS	SILVERTON'S NYSHA	Blue	F	James Thompson
GL	MIRIBU'S RHAPSODY IN BLUE	Blue	M	Carol & Deborah Probst
SW	THAT'S A NO NO IVAN OF NORPARK	Blue	M	Michael & France Bowman
MW	VELVA'S RACHMANINOV	Blue	M	Mary Jane Hickey
S	VALE'S KRISTI BLUE	Blue	F	Kristin Bury
BEST SIAMESE				
NA	THAIBOK TANTRA	Chocolate Point	F	Ed & Donna Davis
NW	JO-SAN'S PHEROUSA	Seal Point	F	John & Sandi Turner
GS	SIN-CHIANG FOOLISH PLEASURE	Seal Point	F	Merle & Betty Crotzer
GL	KIT-LAND'S MELODY IN BLUE	Blue Point		Andrew & Judy White
SW	VINDABONA LANCE OF SEA SHELL	Lilac Point	M	Nici Callahan
MW	QUIRE'S GAL-X-C NAKOMIS OF SYRANO	Seal Point	F	Jack & Dona Fitch
S	STAR OF SIAM MERLIN OF CALERMAR	Blue Point	M	Carl & Marian Butler
BEST TURKISH ANGORA				
NA	MEERA'S KELLEBAR	Amber-Eyed-White	F	Joan Kapetanakis
GL	ME-TI ME TOO	Blue-Eyed-White	M	Dell & Ken Barrick
MW	DORE'S SNUFFY	Blue-Eyed-White	M	Ralph & Donna Weber
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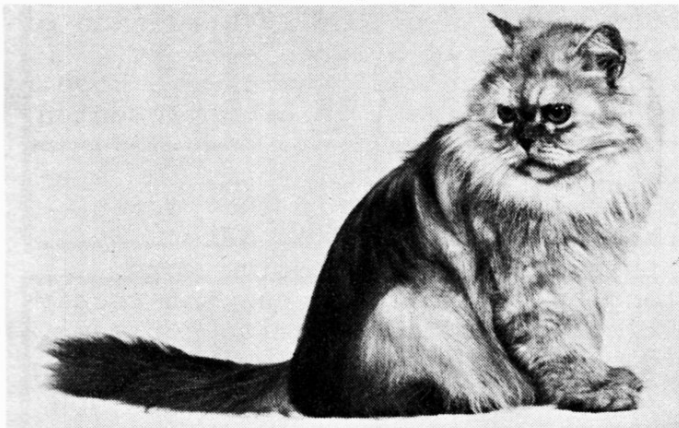
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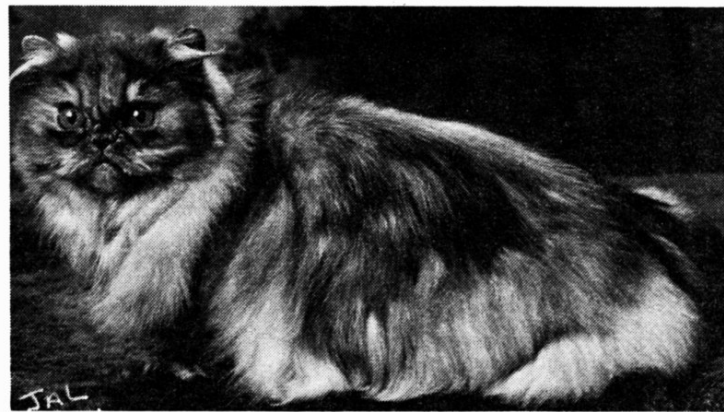
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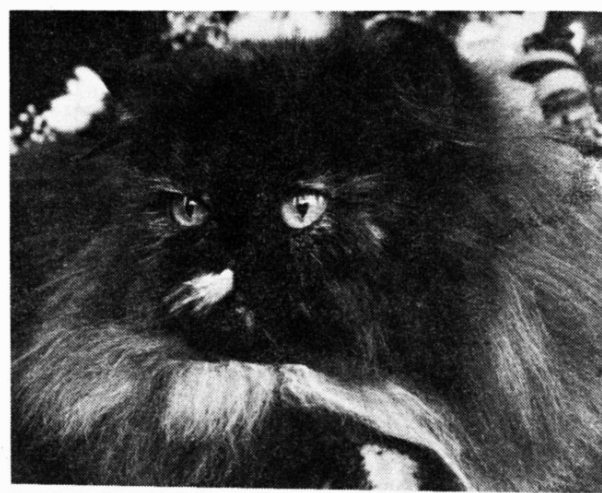
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WAY, Black Smoke m, is Southern Region
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Region BEST PARTICOLOR PERSIAN and 14TH BEST
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Preamble (Continued from page 4)

shipping cats to a show and received a letter from Continental Airlines which tended to give the impression that regardless of the amount of value declared for insurance purposes, this would not necessarily be paid in the event of a claim. We wrote to Mr. Charles A. Bucks, Executive Vice President, Marketing, Continental Airlines, and asked for his clarification of this situation for the information of concerned exhibitors of pedigreed show cats. Here is his interesting and helpful reply dated August 18, 1978:

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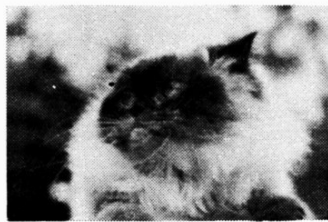
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(Signed) Charles A. Bucks.

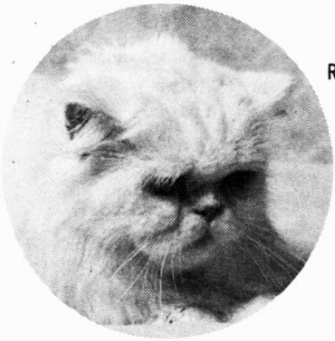
COMING SOON: WHO'S WHO IN THE WORLD OF CATS Work is about to begin on the 1979 edition of "Who's Who In The World of Cats". Entry forms are going in the mail now and we hope that all readers will want to be represented in one or more of the sections: "People", "Cats" and "Catteries". Last year, the special entry forms got buried in the postal service until after the closing date! We hope that this year's will receive more prompt attention. Anyone who has not received information is invited to write for same.

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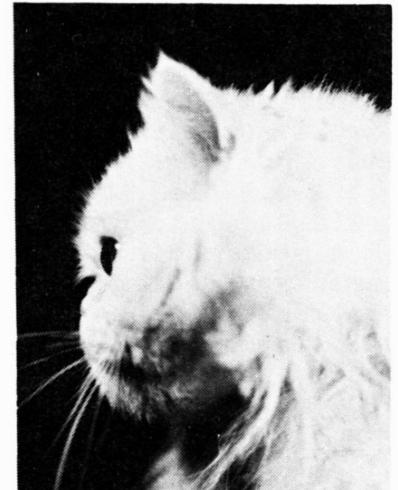
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AUSTRALIA

BERYL CHANDLER

May I take this opportunity to thank the Cat Control Bodies, Clubs, Officials and Breeders from the cat fancy around the world who are sending trophies, sashes, rosettes and medals for our Governing Council's Combined Cat Clubs' show set for Nov. 25-26, 1978--the culmination of celebrations of 50 years of cats. What a great family is this world of cat fanciers! We do thank you all and will be writing to everyone and reciprocating with awards for the cat shows of all our generous donors. The pride of our exhibitors who win these overseas awards will be great and as we will be having exhibitors from all over Australia at the show, the awards won will be displayed and admired all over our great Continent.

The Mildura Cat Club is mourning the untimely death of its President, Dorothy Osmond, who was admired and respected by all. The club's August 20, 1978, show was designated "The Dorothy Osmond Memorial Show" as a fitting tribute to her memory.

Despite the winter weather, the Governing Council T Shirts are a feature at shows. Come Spring, the shows will really blossom with them! Trust the Cat Fancy of the Northern Territory to do things in style: a cat show in the new Silver Geodysic Dome. Saw a superb Tortie Point Cornish Si-Rex and at two other shows my Best In Show were a pin-up girl of a Blue Cornish Rex and a pixilated doll of a Red Devon Rex. There's talk of an Australia-wide Association of Rex Breeders, independant and non-political, just a co-op working together of all dedicated Rex breeders to ensure the continuing quality of both Cornish and Devon Rex West Australian Abyssinian breeder, Mrs. Smart, has got a litter of mixed colors from her two imports. At a recent Victorian show I saw a Chocolate Aby.

Oriental controversy is intense in Australia. Our G.C. classifies Orientals as those Foreign Shorthairs sharing the same type as Siamese. Siamese are accepted breeding partners for all cats within the Oriental group. Registered Orientals mated to registered Siamese: all Oriental progeny go on full Register and all Siamese progeny go on Supplementary Register to breed up to Siamese for four generations (or be neutered, if desired). Not all States follow these terms of reference but a lot of activity and enquiry is going on. Never a dull moment!###

NEW ZEALAND

JILL DAWSON

My apologies for my long silence. It isn't that I haven't wanted to write this column,

but simply that lack of time precluded it. From Oct. 1, 1977 until June 5 this year, I have been Acting Longhair Registrar for the NZCF and this, on top of my other commitments has kept me busy ten to twelve hours daily. Ann Frost, who was assisting me, and I were very happy to see our LH Registrar, June Marchin take over again after her leave of absence. With all the extra filing cabinets moved out, we can now almost get into the kitchen!

The 1977 New Zealand "Cat World" Award feature in the March/April issue looked very impressive, and how lovely to see so many owners so thrilled with their Awards and displaying photos of their winners. Hurle Rayner, NZCF Honours Officer, and CW's Official Scorer, is busy checking and recording details from this season's catalogues as they arrive as very soon it will again be time for the big tally up and announcement of the 1978 winners.

Time has permitted me to attend only a few shows this year. I particularly enjoyed the huge 15th Felix National Cat Show held in Dunedin on June 24 organized by the Otago Cat Fanciers Club. Show Manager, Mr. G. Jenks, and Show Secretary, Mrs. D. Mussen, did a fantastic job organizing this mammoth show. Everything ran like clockwork from start to finish culminating in a superb Trophy Presentation that was right on time. The weather was terrible, pouring rain, but the hall was cosy with a warm, inviting atmosphere. There were 883 entries: 270 Regd. LH, 347 Regd. SH (including Siamese), 160 Household SH, and 106 Household LH. 113 LH Entire Adult Regd. Cats were judged by Mrs. Muriel Calder of Surrey, England; 75 SH Cats were judged by Miss Anne Rickson, Manchester, England; and Siamese Cats, including Orientals, (71) were judged by Mrs. Edna Field, Canada. Miss Rickson and Mrs. Field conferred for the major SH show placings and the overall BIS SH (146 entries) was the very beautiful British Blue who also won her third Grand Challenge certificate, *GR.CH. BONAVENTURA POLLY PERKINS (IMP.ENG.)* owned by Mrs. Rains, Christchurch. Runner-Up (at her second consecutive National) went to our Oriental Choc. Tortie who was on the cover of this magazine in March/April, *GR.CH. DONAHILL CHOCO SEQUINS*. It was really enjoyable to meet these overseas judges; one hears so much about them but is so seldom able to get the opportunity of meeting them. Edna Field, of "How To ..." column fame, came briefly through Christchurch after the National on her way to many more judging assignments in Australia and managed to visit some catteries. North Island fanciers who were unable to be at the National Show had the opportunity to hear her speak in Auckland on August 12 at a Seminar held by the NZ Siamese Cat Association.

More overseas judges visit NZ every year. Geyserland Cat Club, Rotorua, recently had the pleasure of having Betty de Hay from

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With great pleasure we announce GRAND CH. SAN TOI'S MIGHTY MITE (Lilacpoint Siamese) is now at home with Sybo Lynxpoints. His daughter, CH. SYBO SABRINA OF KENSMERE, on her way to Grand, his son SYBO'S SOONER, with multiple kitten wins including Second Best of the Best Kitten under David Mare at La Paz, 1977, to be shown as a Premier. A repeat of this breeding next year. Their dam, CH. SYBO'S SIZZLING, now raising SYBO'S SIGNATURE, Seal Lynxpoint male, from a litter by CH. STANMONTY MINTO OF DAH-IN (IMPORT). Watch for them ... They'll be there!

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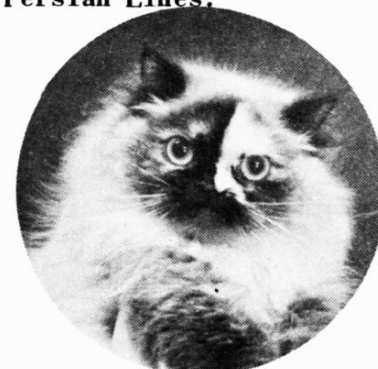
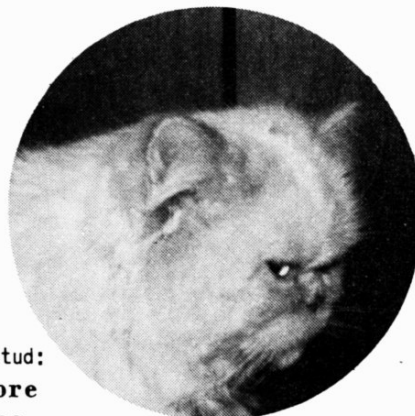
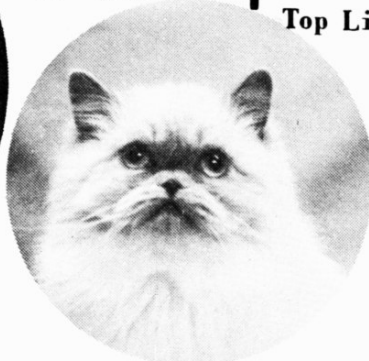
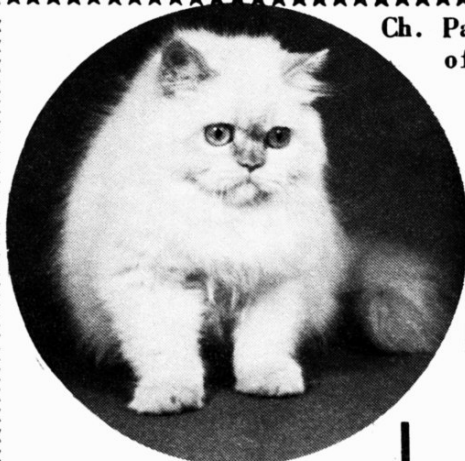
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Hawaii judge all SH cats at their show and she was a guest speaker at a Seminar the next day I just missed meeting Don Yoder who passed through Christchurch on his way south to judge at the Southern Cross LH Cat Club show, but I received a lovely letter from him saying how hospitable he found New Zealanders and that he found Air NZ to be one of the best airlines he had ever travelled on --nice praise indeed.

Some considerable concern is showing in NZ at present over all the various varieties of 'snuffles' vaccinations which are available, none of which seem to give total immunity when cats are faced with snuffles viruses. While some veterinary surgeons prefer the intranasal drops, others refuse to use them at all after observing side-effects in vaccinated animals. These long-awaited vaccines are, unfortunately, not bringing the peace of mind all breeders hoped for, at least not here in NZ.

Interesting news on the home front is that Flavia Clifford-White, the new Editor of "NZ CATS", will soon have her first issue ready for distribution. Through circumstances beyond Flavia's control, it has been many months since the last issue; however, it sounds as though she has spent her time preparing a most informative magazine with a whole new format.

UNITED KINGDOM

The 1978 Kensington Kitten & Neuter Show took place in London July 29 and everyone was unanimous in praise for Show Manager Angela Sayer who strives each year for greater perfection and new ideas. For 1978, she introduced "line stewards" whose responsibility it was to collect judging slips from the teams of judges and stewards. They saved the time of the judges' personal stewards and thus helped speed up the judging process. A new type of judging book was used and rosettes took the place of the customary cash prizes. Supreme Kitten at the Kensington was Sarah Meakin's White British SH, *SARAMAY STUPENDOUS*; Supreme Neuter was Mrs. Anderton's Lilac Pt. Siamese, *PR. AMBER TAMBOY*.

Dr. Ivor Raleigh was re-elected Chairman of the Governing Council on June 21. Vice-Chairman is Prof. K. W. Bentley. The Birman standard was amended to require that front paws have pure white symmetrical gloves ending in an even line across the paw and not passing beyond the angle formed by the paw and leg. It was decided that cats taken abroad who were born in the U.K. could be registered subsequently if the application is submitted by their breeder.

Supreme Exhibit at the White Persian Cat Club's show was Mrs. Bebbington's *CH. SUKAMBA SUPERSTAR*. Top winner at the Siamese Cat Club's 48th Championship Show was Mrs. Grabham's Chocolate Pt. male, *PENTANGLE BEAUMAN*. Teeside Cat Club held its first Sanction show in July and Supreme Cat was Miss Everington's

Smoke LH female, *CH. LYNETTE PERSEPHONE*.

The Chinchilla, Silver Tabby & Smoke Cat Society now offers an excellent Journal which should interest all breeders of these cats. It contains lovely photos and helpful articles. More information from Vicky Sanders, 85 Main Road, Hockley, Essex, U.K. The Society sponsored its first show on August 12 and its president, Mrs. Lily Speirs, judged fifteen classes in place of Mrs. McVady who was ill. It was a successful show and brought this much-admired lady much satisfaction. Sadly enough, it turned out to be the climax of her long career in the cat fancy which traces back to the granting of her Brentside prefix in 1930. Mrs. Speirs passed away suddenly on August 15.

Farewell to: *CH. BONAIVIA FLUTE*, unbeaten male Chinchilla owned by Rosemary Gowdy. Sire of many famous offspring, he died recently in his fifteenth year.###

U.S.A.

One of the most important subjects on the agenda of the CFA October Board Meeting is Championships. Proposals will be considered to make this title tougher to attain than the present requirement of 6 winners ribbons. *CAT WORLD* readers who wish to express their views on Championships may consider the proposals printed in the CFA Summer "Quarterly" and send their opinions and/or suggestions to CFA, Box 430, Red Bank, NJ 07701 "New Points", newsletter of the Progressive Colorpoint Cat Club, reports a hot race shaping up for Breed Council Secretary between Carol Hargrove, Texas, and Jack Collins, Georgia ... Balinese Breed Council Secretary Georgianna Bonds is a candidate for re-election, according to "Eastern Balinese Mews" which will have two new editors in the persons of Nellie Sparrow and Carolyn Enzauro. Members of Eastern Balinese Assn. are considering a possible merger with Balinese Internationale, as well as a new standard ... *GR.CH. OUIJA LEMMINKAINEN*, CFA's 1978 Best Manx, made the cover of the August "Manx Cat" magazine ... CFA rescinded the granting of Championship status in the Himalayan Breed Section to Lilac and Chocolate LH cats. According to "The Informer", newsletter of United Choc. & Lilac LH Society, breeders are now mulling the possibility of applying for Provisional Breed recognition as a hybrid breed, the Kashmir.

Farewell to: *ROGERS HTS. GERONIMO*, Burmese male bred by Willa Rogers, owned by D. Hopkins and M.J. Eaton, who passed away April 30 at the age of 16. *GR.CH. WALDECK'S MOON FLIGHT*, owned by Joanne Winslow, sire and grandsire of many Rex Grands. *CH. ELC KATS SURPRISE GIRL*, ACFA's first Champion Balinese and grandmother of both Gaynells Tanisha of Die Lilo (first female Balinese to Grand in CFA) and Carosam's Little Caesar (first male to Grand in ACFA). Bred and owned by Elcy Crouch, *SURPRISE GIRL* was 9 years old.###

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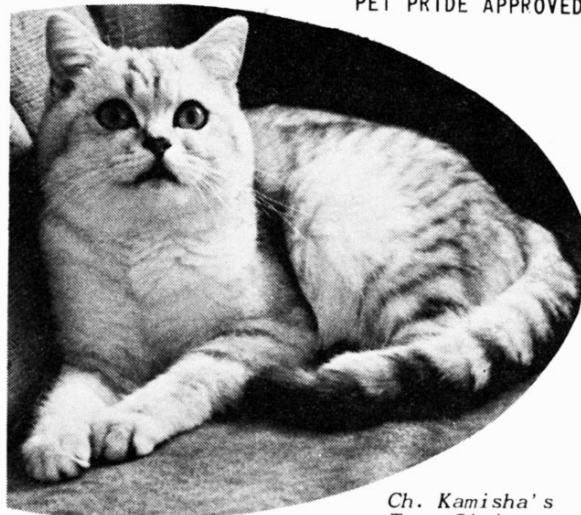


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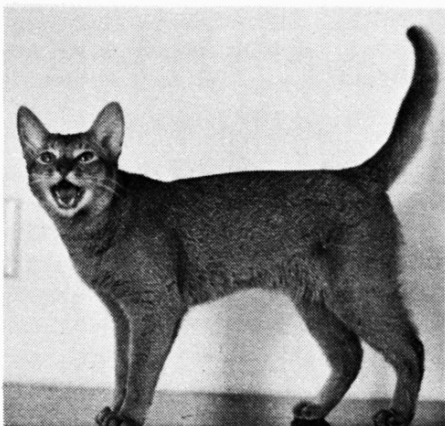
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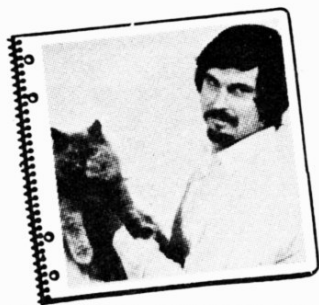
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Breeder's Notebook

by A. DAVID BANDY

Editor's Note: Readers who have questions about any phase of cat fancying (or suggestion for a discussion) are invited to write to Mr. Bandy (address on page 6)

Some say that time passes rapidly when one is enjoying what he is doing. The summer has really sped by. We departed June 21 for the Orient. Our first stop was Tokyo at the new airport where we changed planes within the hour and continued on to Hong Kong. We arrived in Hong Kong about 9 P.M. June 22. I have always enjoyed Hong Kong but this time I was able to meet many members of their Cat Fancy. (I plan to write a separate article on my visits with fanciers in Hong Kong, Amsterdam and London so I shall only mention them in passing here). I spent three days in Hong Kong then departed for India arriving in Delhi at 2:30 A.M. June 26. I had to lay over there until 4:30 P.M. next day when the daily flight to Bangalore in South India departed. Delhi is on a desert plane and is frequently very warm; Bangalore is 3000 feet up in the mountains so the cool weather was most welcome. The taxi driver who took me to the hotel volunteered the information that Sathya Sai Baba was at Putlaparthi so next morning we took the four hour drive there. It is about 120 miles northeast into the desert and it was a fascinating trip going from a large city back into areas where mechanization was at best primitive except for the very few cars, buses and trucks. People live by very primitive methods (according to U.S. stand-

ards). Fields are worked by oxen pulling wooden plows hand carved out of tree branches. It was interesting to see how very little material goods were necessary to live and yet the people were relatively happy.

We arrived in Putlaparthi, a village of about 1000 mud huts, and moved into our accommodations. For almost a month we were to stay there subsisting on only the basics. Rent was one rupee (12 cents) per day, and meals were 1½ rupees each. There were Westerners living there on less than U.S.\$50 per month.

In the midst of these surroundings was the man who is worshipped as God by almost half of India today. Thousands of people were there, chiefly from India but also from many other countries. Some were afflicted with terminal illnesses and considered Sai Baba as their last resort. Some had come to observe a man who frequently defies the laws of physical science. The time passed rapidly and on July 21 I departed to Delhi from Bangalore. From Delhi we flew to Frankfurt, Germany, via Tehran and Istanbul.

I arrived in Amsterdam on July 23. It is one of my favorite cities. I met many of the cat fanciers there and even travelled outside Holland into Belgium to visit cat fanciers. After a few days, I flew to London which was filled to capacity for the summer, but Mrs. Nancy Hardy with her daughter's assistance was able to secure lodgings for me. I was a guest at the Judges dinner held the night before the Kensington Kitten & Neuter Show. There I was able to meet and visit with several of the judges who would officiate at the show over an excellent dinner.

I spend July 29 at the show where the manager, Mrs. Angela Sayer, was kind enough to permit me to observe the judging. Next day I attended a garden party given by the White Persian Society at a lovely house in Sussex. It was a most enjoyable occasion at which I was able to visit with many British fanciers. The entire trip was a pleasure enhanced by meeting cat fanciers around the globe. I would recommend the experience to anyone.

DILUTION GENES

A question posed by a reader returning a *CAT WORLD* Opinion Poll concerned how many generations the gene that produces chocolate or lilac coat color can be carried as a recessive, i.e. be genetically present in the cat (genotype) but not be shown in the cat's coat (phenotype). It might be interesting to discuss the origin of this particular dilution gene.

As a point of clarification, it should be stated that there is a dilution gene present in the domestic cat which, when homozygous (2 genes making a pair) in the animal, modifies black coat color to blue, and red to cream. This gene is found in all breeds of domestic cats (*Felis domesticus*). In Siamese

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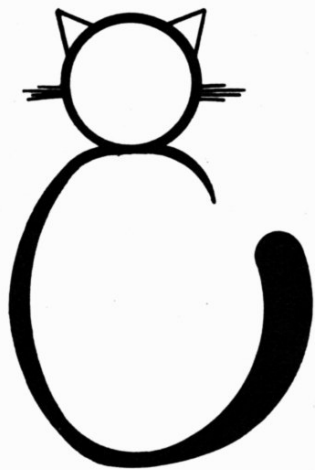
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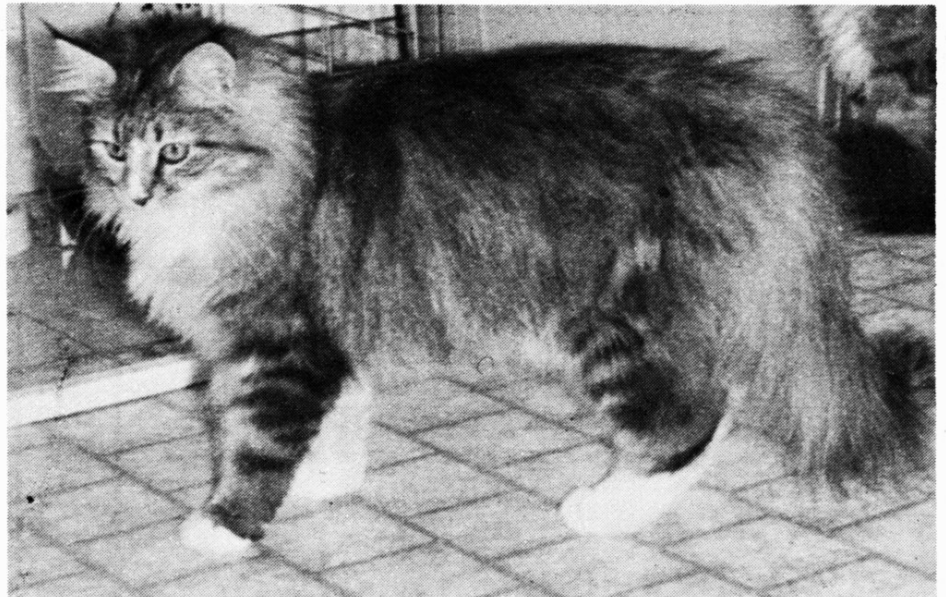
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by Zygmunt Kozaczka



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It is difficult to believe that almost a decade has passed since my wife and I bought our first Maine Coons. The breed is now accepted in the Championship class of every association in North America and several in Europe.

During the years, many new breeders have joined the Maine Coon bandwagon yet, in the East where the Maine Coon has its roots, old-time breeders have diminished with scarcely a dozen still active in breeding programs.

The Maine Coon is no longer talked about as an "excellent mouser", as the farm people of Maine once did. It is now spoken of as a "large show cat". The breed was among those listed in the first volume of the CFA registry with 28 Maines registered.

There is still some misunderstanding and myth existing concerning the size of the Maine Coon. If indeed there ever was a cat weighing 40 pounds, today's representatives of the breed come no where near that figure. Their size varies, depending upon sex: a female may weigh from six to ten pounds and a male from eight to fifteen pounds. In travels over a good portion of U.S.A., including the East Coast, the size of the purebred Maine appears to be very much the same in all parts of the country.

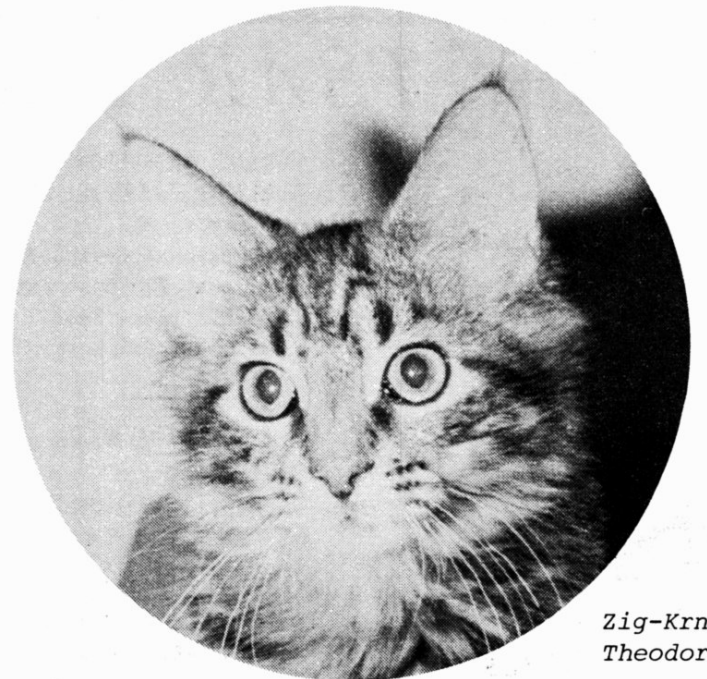
One of the first Grand Champions, *DAUPHINE DE FRANCE OF TATI-TAN*, was of similar size to those Grands who followed. Breeders remark to us what a large cat *O-NO* is yet he weighs in around 12 pounds and is larger than most of his offspring. He is a Grand, sired the country's first Quad Grand Champion, *MOR-ACE'S SATAN*, and is grandsire of *DBL. GR.CH. MOR-ACE'S MY BOY OF ZIG-KRN*, *GR.CH. MOR-ACE'S THOR* and *QUAD GR.CH. ZIG-KRN'S ENCHANTRESS*. The latter is the first Quad Grand in ACFA.

Large in the Maine Coon means length and height with all parts of the body in proportion. Type is the most important feature: weight and size are secondary. Unfortunately too much emphasis in the past has been placed on size and too little on type. In the pre-

sent day, judges are learning to recognize the importance of type and proper proportion and take away points from a cat who has a head too large for the rest of the body, or tail too long and out of proportion, etc.

A modernday myth is that the Maine is born with a relatively short coat, acquiring a long coat in its third year. While the Maine does not develop in size usually until its third year, the cat is a longhair at birth and remains so throughout life.

The Maine Coon is a purebred cat. A number of years ago, a hybrid Maine was derived from the crossing of a Domestic Shorthair and a Persian/Angora mixed cat. This program was pursued and lasted several years bringing irreversible genetic consequences. In the beginning, litters from this breeding brought long and shorthaired kittens; currently, offspring from the hybrid breeding show the telltale short to medium length even coated cat. Although limited hybrid



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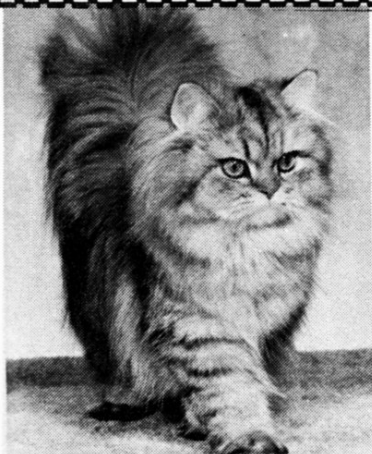
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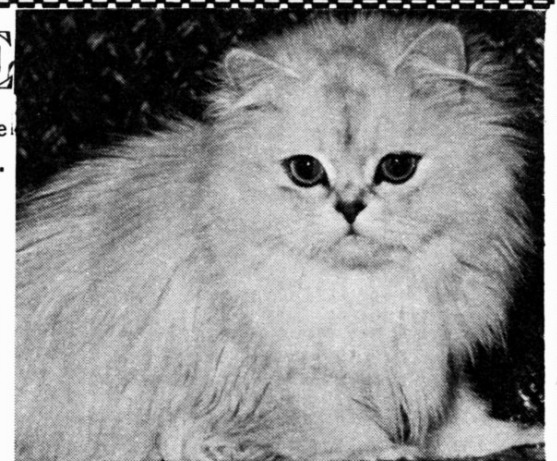
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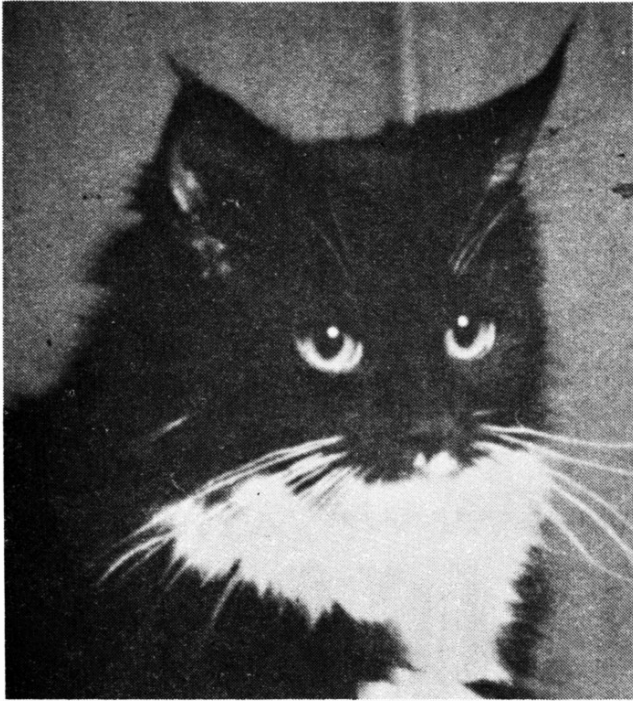


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Over the years it has been found that a true Maine Coon's pedigree, for the most part, shows a Whittemore or Tati-Tan, if not both, in its ancestry.

MANY COLORS AVAILABLE

The Maine Coon comes in a multitude of colors and patterns, yet the Brown Tabby seems to remain the favorite of fanciers. Perhaps because of the similarity of the brown tabby markings to those of a raccoon, some judges in the past have seemed to prefer the color and other colors came in second best. So conditioned were the East Coast breeders to

this desired color, many kept the Torbie secluded, using it only for breeding, never to be shown, even though it was one of the original Maine colors. At this writing, all but two associations accept torbies along with all other known colors for championship. Maine Coons are often referred to as coming in all colors of the rainbow.

The breed is unusually healthy, perhaps due to its ability to survive the bad weather of the North Eastern U.S. for so many generations. Its coat maintains its condition with a few minutes of grooming with a comb daily.

The Maine Coon is a very intelligent animal, good with children and other pets. It gets your attention by "talking" to you, or butting you with its head; some love to drink water with their paws and also to eat with their paws. Others will pursue their "conversation" with you right into the bathtub where they will swim a little. Gatherings of Maine breeders today bring out stories of the cats, as did the farmers of years ago at the All Maine Cat Shows.###

Breeder's Notebook (Continued from page 44)

this dilution gene when homozygous modifies Seal color to Blue. But there is also another dilution gene found in Siamese which, when homozygous, modifies Seal to Chocolate, and Blue to Lilac. This gene was originally restricted to Siamese and Havana Browns (really a Chocolate coat color) for a long time. It may be present in some Birman lines but I am not aware of this.

Any breed which has Siamese stock in its ancestry has a possibility of carrying this second dilution gene. It has to be homozygous in order to appear in the coat. However it can be carried in the heterozygous (1 gene) stage indefinitely and you will never be able to detect it in the coat color. But if two heterozygous cats, or a heterozygous and a homozygous cat, are mated then there is a chance that it will appear in the progeny as a homozygous condition. But it must be inherited from both parents to appear in the coat.

A breeder can determine if he carries it in his stock with a test mating of the suspected carrier with a cat carrying chocolate or lilac coat color. The more kittens produced, the more accurate will be the results. However, if your queen produces five or more kittens in the test litter and none show the chocolate or lilac gene in their coats, you may be relatively certain the cat in question does not carry that dilution gene. If you wish further verification, make another test mating. You should bear in mind that all of the offspring in the test litters carry at least one gene for that dilution, inherited from the parent carrying chocolate or lilac. Therefore, if you are trying to avoid this dilution gene in your breeding program you must not use these kittens for breeding stock.###

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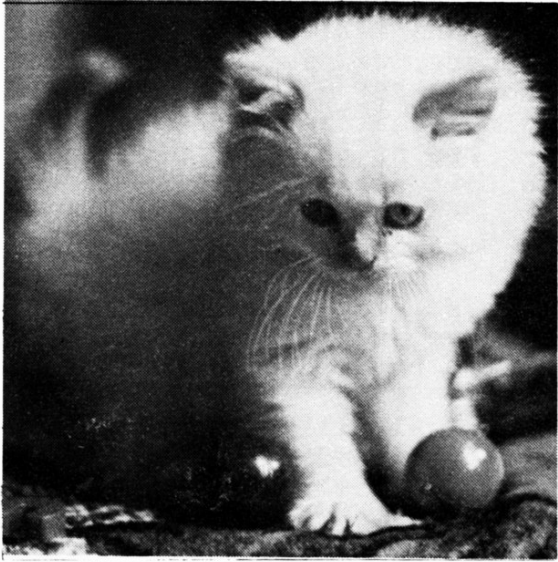
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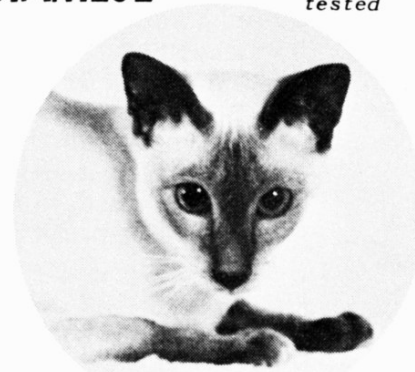


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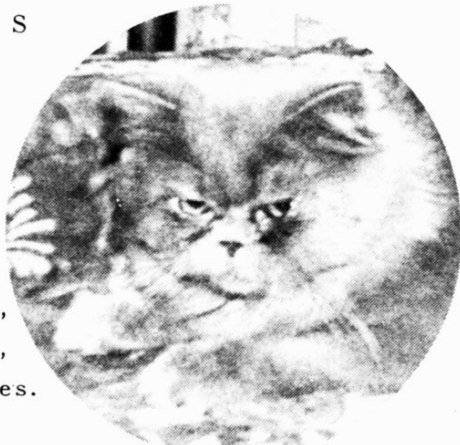
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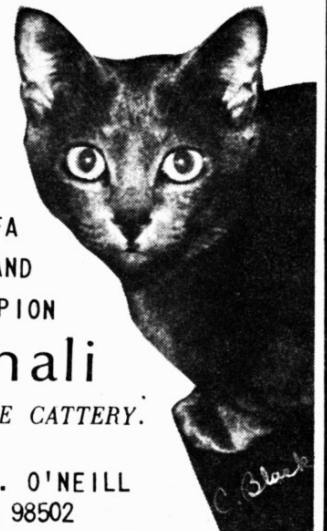
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BOOK REVIEWS

Several new cat books have been issued in recent months which will be of interest to the serious cat fancier. The best one is Dr. Louis L. Vine's "COMMON SENSE BOOK OF COMPLETE CAT CARE" (*W. Morrow & Co., 105 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10016--\$12.95 hardcover, \$8.95 paperbound, 256 pages*). Just out, this book is presented in four parts: Life Cycle; Personality, Intelligence, Behavior; Nutrition & Care; and The Ailing Cat. Of particular note are the chapters on Breeding, Prenatal and Postnatal Care, Kitting, Nursing/Medicating/Force Feeding, Ailments/Diseases, and the Appendix which explains how to interpret symptoms evidenced by a cat. The book has an attractive format, is easy to read and contains a comprehensive index. It is a worthwhile addition to the libraries of CAT WORLD readers.

Due in October is an interesting book, "THE INTELLIGENT CAT", co-authored by two British judges--Angela Sayer and Grace Pond (*Dial Press, 1 Dag Hammarskjold Plaza, 245 E. 47 St., New York, NY 10017--\$5.95 hardcover, 154 pages*). A history of the cat and description of breeds are included as well as chapters on the cat's brain and how an owner might test a cat's intelligence. Other chapters examine behavior and learning in kittens, sexual behavior, territorial marking, maternal behavior, cat psychology, etc.

"CHAMPION CATS OF THE WORLD" by Grace Pond and Catherine Ing, first published in 1972, has been reissued (*St. Martin's Press, 175 Fifth Av., New York, NY 10010--\$17.50 hardcover, 128 pages*). Main topics are cat history and descriptions of cat breeds and colors. 32 pages of full-color photos by Sally Ann Thompson appear and, although the captions do not include the cats' names, the publisher remedied this omission by adding a final page with this data. In this reviewer's opinion, the book cannot compare with Grace Pond's well-known "Cat Encyclopedia" and it is not worth its high price.

Many good hints for the breeder/exhibitor will be found in Dorothy Silkstone Richards' book: "A HANDBOOK OF PEDIGREE CAT BREEDING" (*B. T. Batsford Ltd., 4 Fitzhardinge St., London W1H OAH, England--£2.95 paperbound, 143 pages*). There are some fine photos of the stages of birth of a kitten which should be useful especially to the novice, and chapters on cattery construction,

genetics, stud work, etc. Included in the appendices are diet sheets, first aid data, gestation tables, etc. While some of Mrs. Silkstone's ideas are more applicable to U.K. breeders, we feel that the book's small price (about US\$6) quite justifies its inclusion in the collections of those breeders elsewhere.

One of the most pleasing aspects of Howard Loxton's "GUIDE TO THE CATS OF THE WORLD" (*Two Continents Publishing Group, 30 E. 42 St. New York, NY 10017--\$3.95 paperback, 176 pp.*) are the marvellous illustrations in color by Peter Warner. The book offers chapters on the care and raising of cats and kittens plus about a hundred pages of breed descriptions. Worth reading.

A well-illustrated book on cats has just been published by Kosmos, Postfach 640, Pfizerstrasse 5-7, D-7000 Stuttgart 1, W. Germany. It is written in her native language by an experienced breeder, Dagmar Thies. We just wish her publisher would issue a translation in English!

While we have not yet seen a copy of the new book "BEHAVIOR OF CATS", we understand it is a reprint of the popular columns written by Dr. Benjamin L. Hart which have appeared in the excellent bi-monthly magazine "Feline Practice". Having read many of these columns this reviewer feels that the book will certainly be worth having. It can be ordered through the advertisement on page 4.

FOR THE HOUSEHOLD PET OWNER

Muriel Beadle, intrigued by behavior traits in her own three cats, embarked on a large-scale research project to determine the whys and wherefores of same. She presents her conclusions in a 251-page book, "THE CAT" (*Simon & Schuster, 1230 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020--\$9.95 hardcover*).

"CATS: ALL ABOUT THEM" by Alvin & Virginia Silverstein has large print and lots of black-&-white photos by Frederick Breda. (*Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., 105 Madison Av., New York, NY 10016--\$6.95 hardcover, 224 pp.*)

Mordecai Siegal tells how to handle the emotional problems of dogs and cats in his "HAPPY PET/HAPPY OWNER BOOK". (*Rawson Assoc., 630 Third Av., New York, NY 10017--\$8.95 hardcover, 218 pages*).

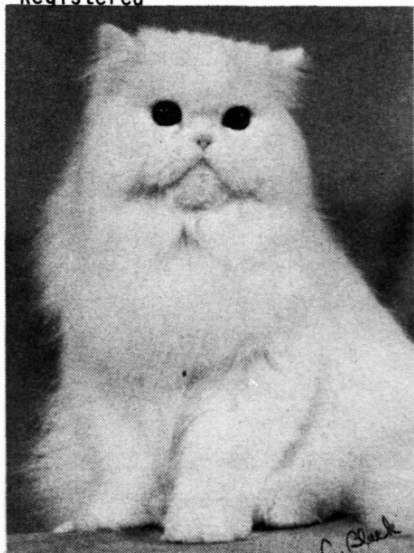
"THE HEALTHY CAT AND DOG COOK BOOK", as its name implies, is a collection of recipes for pets, plus general advice. Obtainable from the author, Joan Harper, Rt. 3, Richland Center, WI 53581--\$2.25 paperback, 142 pages.

Want to keep your kids happy at a cat show? The Associated Humane Societies are offering an educational "COLORING BOOK" with 112 pages of drawings, photos and information to make learning about young animals fun. Its reasonable \$2 price includes a one-year subscription to "Humane News", and proceeds from the "Coloring Book" go to animal welfare.

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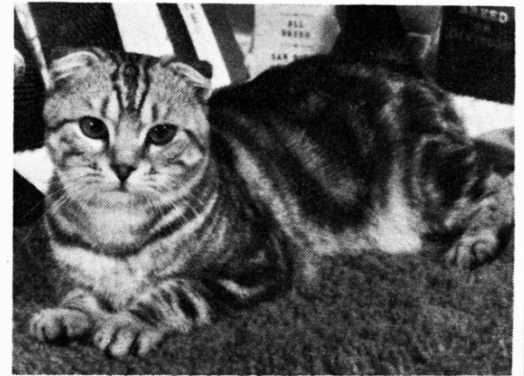
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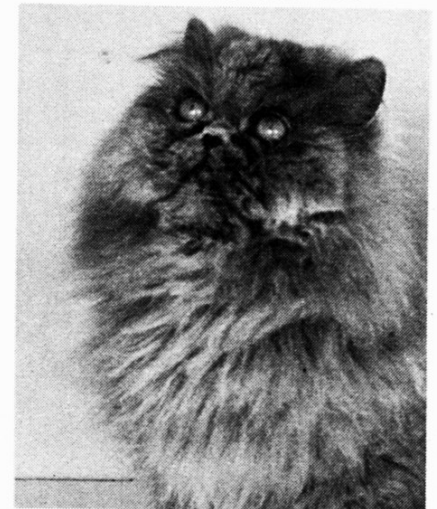
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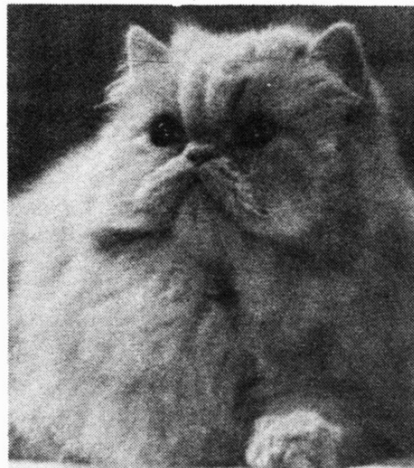
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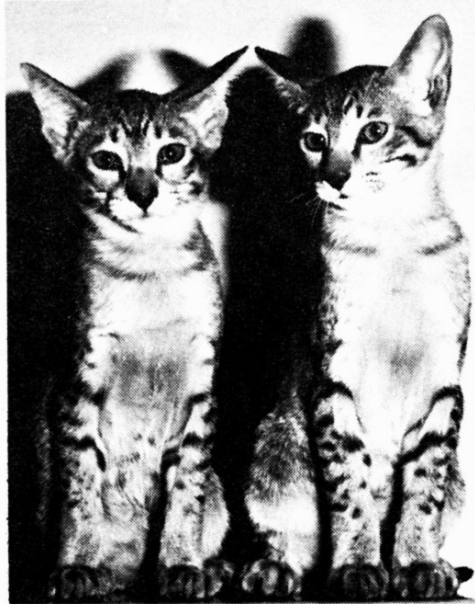
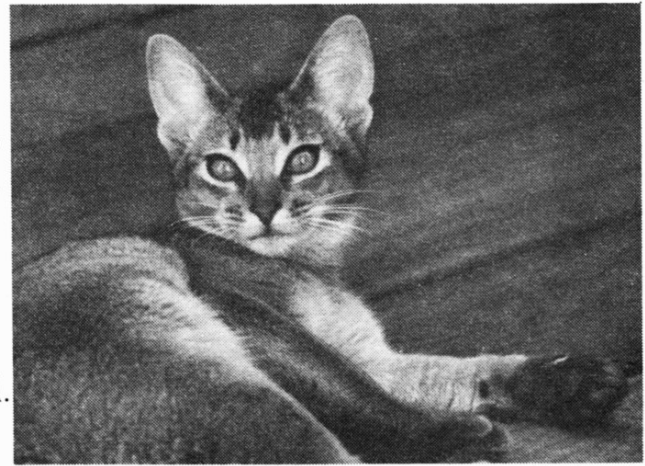
CH. PANTHERRA BLACK MAGIC, Bombay m born 3/2/77, is 4TH BEST BOMBAY in the 1978 Intl. Bombay Society Awards. B: J.Smith. O: C. & G. Schreck, Downers Grove, IL.



GR.PR. ROUSHKA'S MOONRAKER, Russian Blue m born 7/4/77, won 4 BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP awards from CFA judges W.Beck, M.Dunston & D.Mare. B: Jim & Carol Boshears, Library, PA. O: S. & D. Beckham. ◀

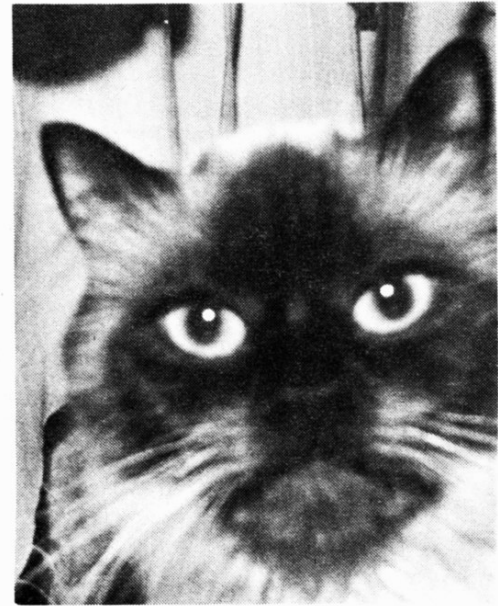
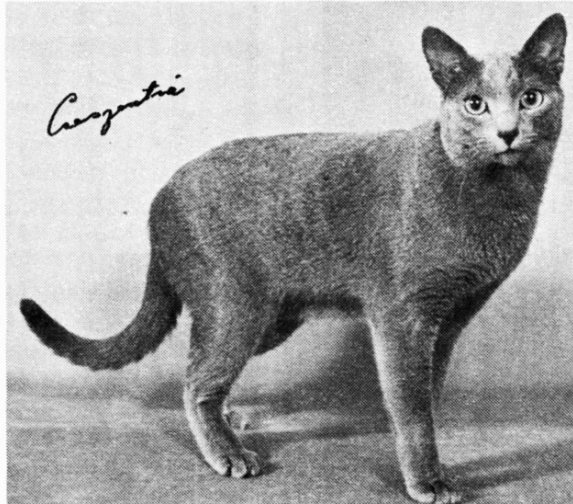


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NEPENTHES NEREUS, Ruddy Abyssinian m born Nov. 11, 1977, won BEST KITTEN from CFA judges D. Williams, D.Yoder, D. Doernberg & C.Owen at the Russian Blues West show, CA, in July. He was D.Mare's BEST CAT at Mo-Kan, Kansas City in August. B/O: J. & A. Wastlhuber, Vallejo, CA.



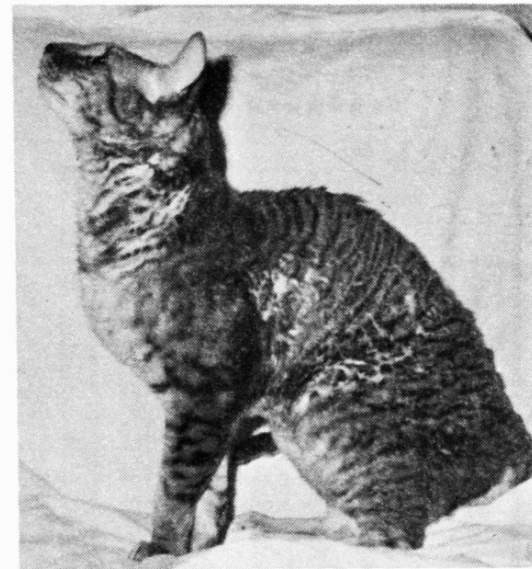
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GRAND CH. PAU-NES WINTER SPRITE, Russian Blue m born 12/22/74, was CFA judge M. Dunston's BEST CAT at Americans For Russians CC show, Warrendale, PA, in June. B/O: Ruth & Paula Nesenkar, Colonia, NJ.

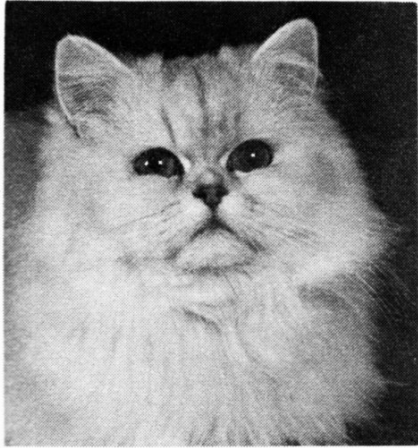


TR.CH. KASTLETON'S TIMASHI OF HAIREM, f owned by Julia Johnson, Spokane, WA, won Himalayan Society's Western Regl. Best Seal Pt. Kitten. Her ACFA Awards included Regl. 2nd Best Himalayan, Best Seal Pt. f and 2nd Best Himalayan f.

SHARTEBO NELAI BELAI OF KANDRA, Blue Mackerel Tabby Rex n born 5/28/76, was CFA judge M. Cruz's BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP at Kalamazoo, MI. B: S. Bolander. O: Kandy Sugden, Bay City, MI.



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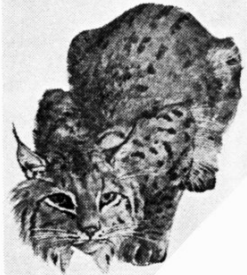


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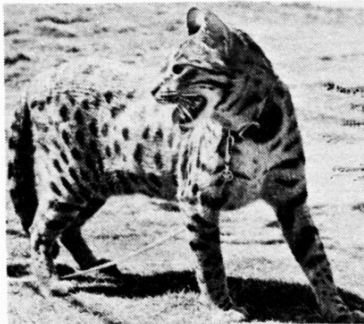
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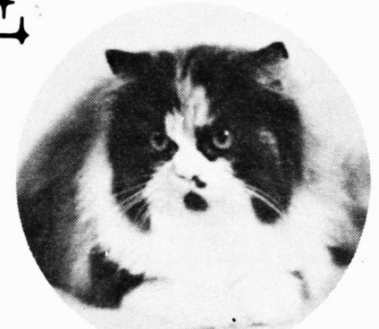
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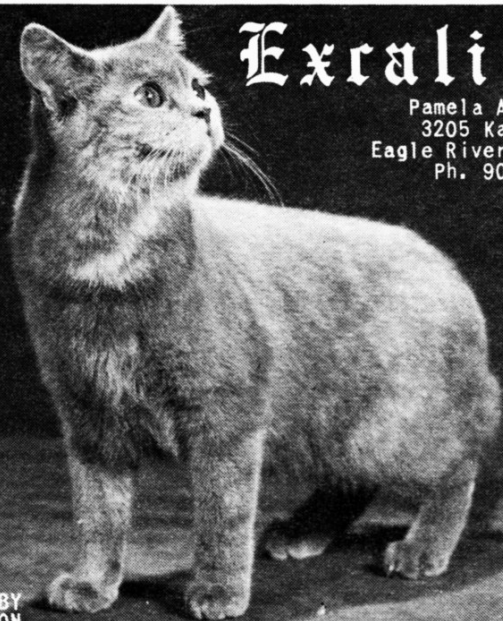
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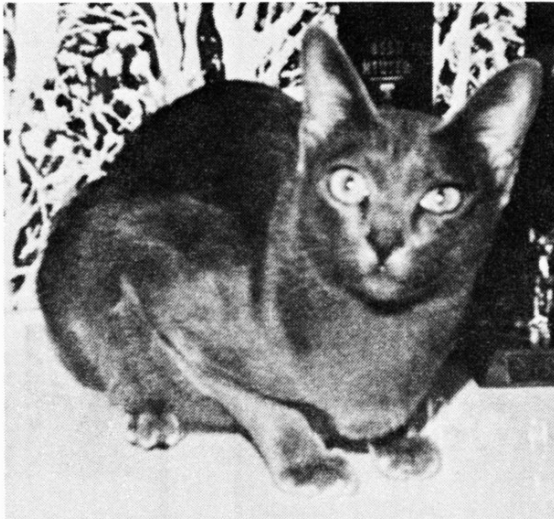
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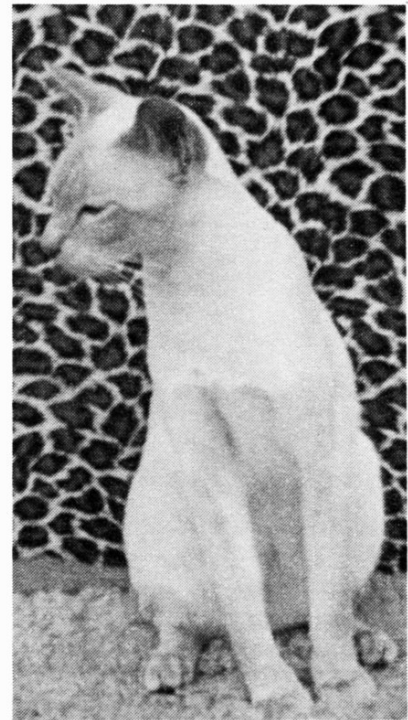
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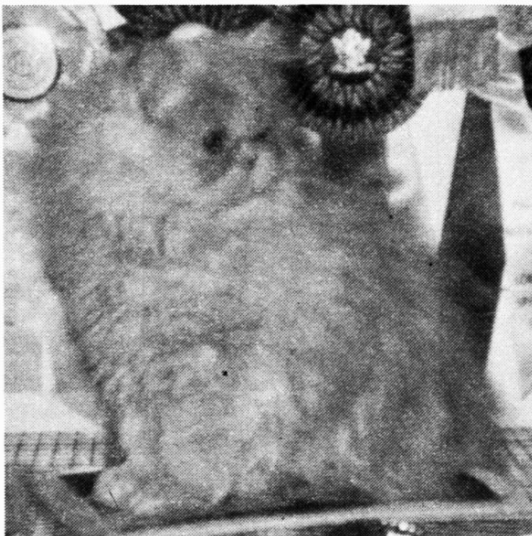
PHULKON'S KASSIBI, Ruddy Abyssinian m born 10/18/77, was CFA judge Wayne Park's BEST CAT at the Bast & Siamese Show, Los Angeles, in July. B/O: Jim & Sylvia Fitzgerald, Solana Beach, CA. *J. Cooper photo*



TATHA-GATA AHRAT, Korat n born 8/12/76, was ACFA judge J. Leutze's BEST ALTER at the Tropicana CC show, Ft. Lauderdale, in Feb. B: E. Epstein. O: Chester & Nancy Schiffe, Loxahatchee, FL.



INT. PR. CHIUMING QUINCY, Lilac Pt. Siamese n born 3/8/77, won BEST CAT IN PREMIERSHIP awards from CFA judges D. Doernberg at the March Vintage CC show and in April at Centennial CC. At the latter he won a similar award from B.Yoder. B: P. Kahn. O: Laura Khan, Mississauga, Ont., Canada.



NASSAU'S ANGELO, Cream Persian m born 12/29/75, has a BEST KITTEN win from the late CFA judge A. Frecowski and a BEST CAT from W.Hutzler. B/O: Marie Massie, St. Vincent de Paul, PQ, Canada.

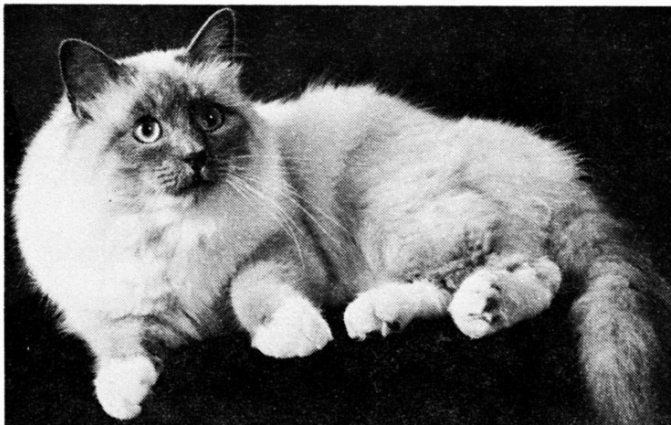


GRAND CH. NASSAU'S MANOLICA, Blue Persian f born 7/28/72, is CCA 5th Best Cat, 1977-1978. B/O: Marie Massie, St. Vincent de Paul, PQ, Canada.

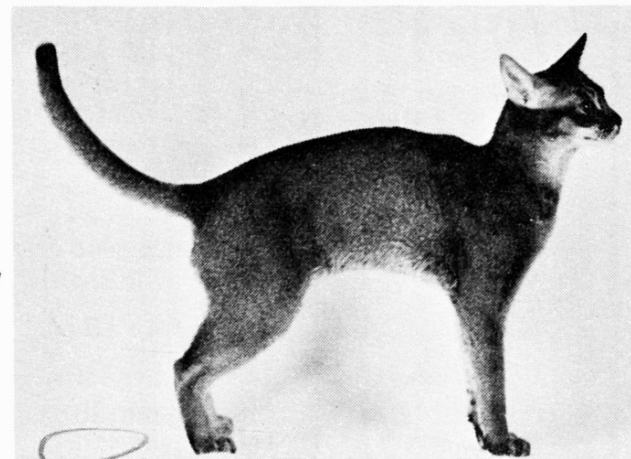


BOISLAND AUGUSTUS JUBILEE, Blue Birman m born 2/20/77, is the 1977/'78 Best Blue Adult Male Birman of England's Birman Cat Club. B: J.Cresswell. O: Jan Clarke, Pine Springs, ME *B. Love photo*

CALERMAR'S EXCALIBUR, Seal Pt Siamese m born 11/5/77, won BEST KITTEN under CFA judge D. Doernberg at the Upcountry show, Greenville, SC, in April. B/O: Carl & Marian Butler, Parris Island, SC. -



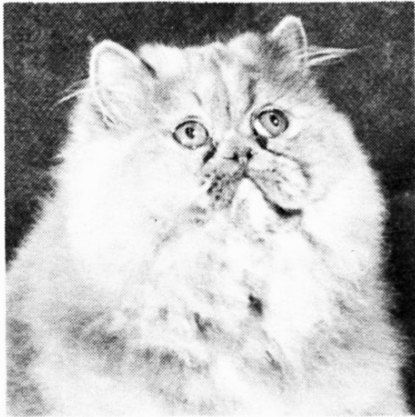
GRAND CH. SOKETUMI SAMADARI, Ruddy Abyssinian m born 4/14/77 was BEST CAT in all 4 rings at the Naragansett Bay CF show in May. He also has 24 CFA Best Kitten awards. B/O: Carlton Smith & Rita Rerat, Glen Cove, NY. *Howard photo*



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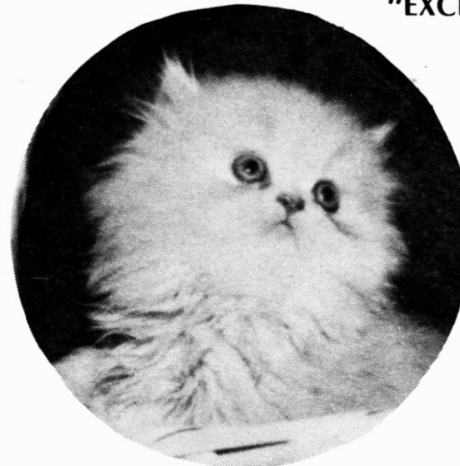
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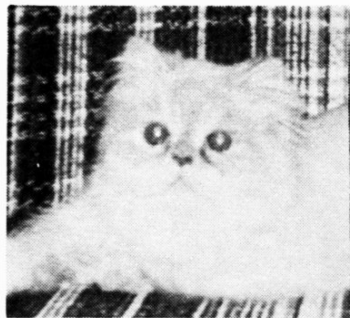
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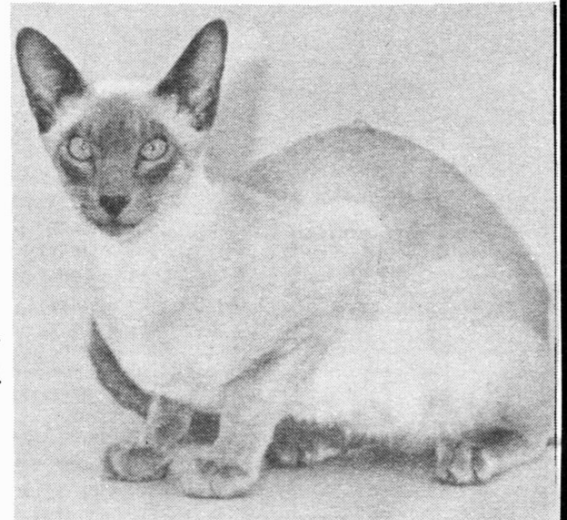
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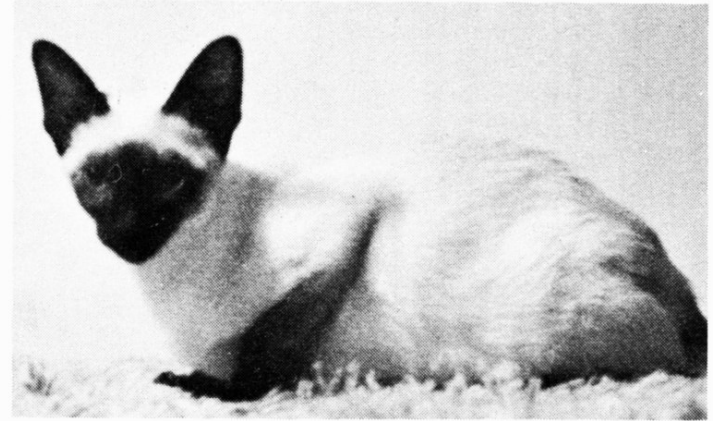
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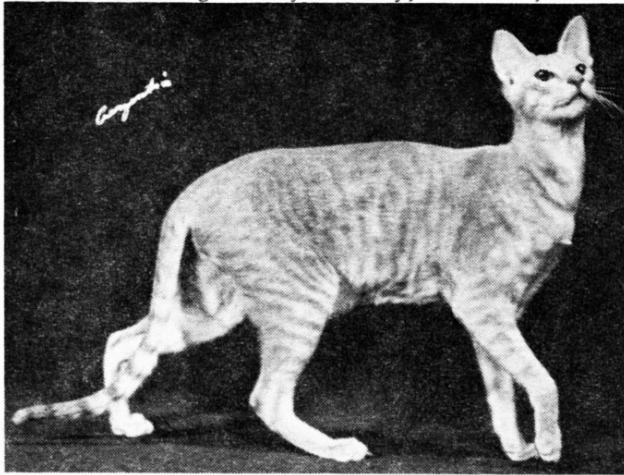


GRAND CH. MORVERN'S CHRYSANTHEMUM, Tortoiseshell Persian f born 4/23/77, was CFA judge R. Bryan's BEST CAT at Midland, MI, in May. B/O: Bette Beatson, Fairfield, OH.

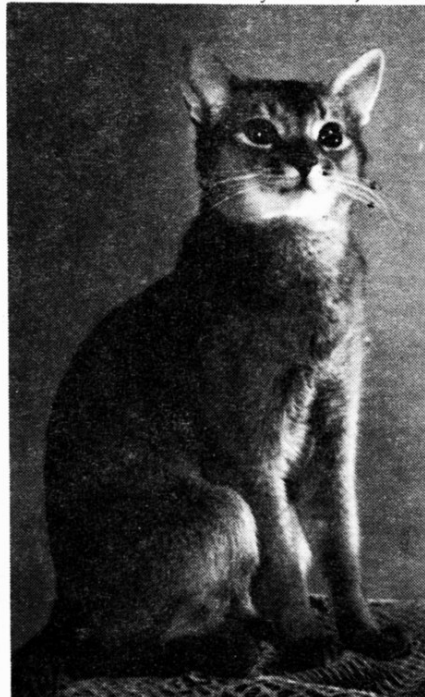


CALERMAR'S JAMAICA RUM, Seal Point Siamese f born 11/5/77, won BEST KITTEN under CFA judge G. Wawrzyn at the Upcountry show, Greenville, SC, in April. B/O: Carl & Marian Butler, Parris Island, SC.

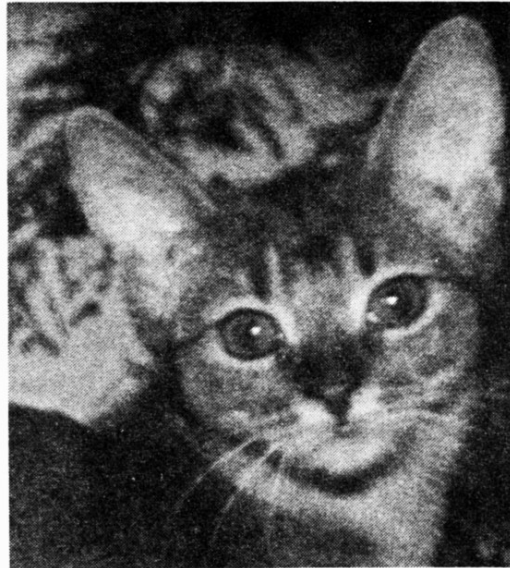
GRAND CH. SAND 'N SEA BIKKURI OF JEMWYCK, Lavender Spotted Tabby Oriental SH born 1/5/77, won BEST CAT from CFA judges M. Slodden, K. Everett and F. Roderick at the Empire CC show, New York, in Feb. B: A. Hedberg. O: Jayne Murray, Mt. Kisco, NY



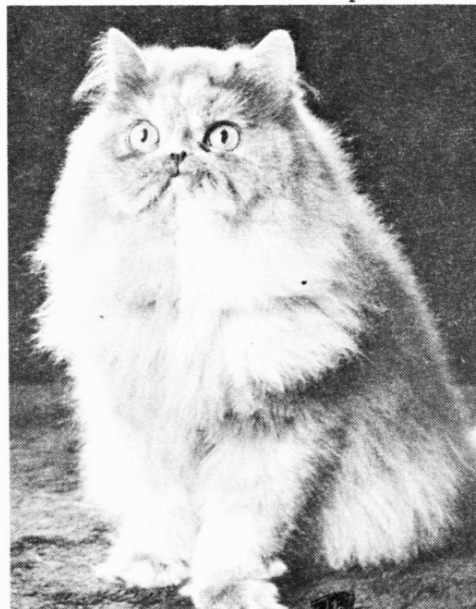
GRAND CH. KATS II TETON OF PHANCY, Ruddy Aby m born 4/20/77, was CFA judge D. Doernberg's BEST CAT at Centennial CC show in April. He won 3 ACFA BEST CAT awards in April & May. B: D. & M. Garret. O: Paul & Nancy Clarke, Ontario, Canada.



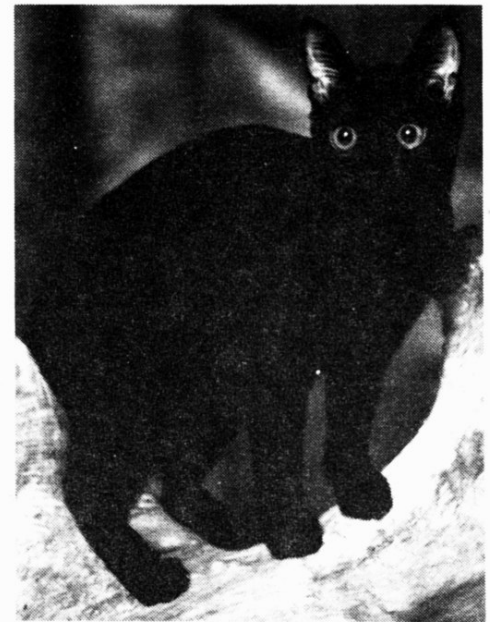
PUKLAT'S NEON RUSH OF PHANCY, Red Abyssinian f born 10/28/77, won BEST KITTEN awards from CFA judges R. Koepp (Midwest Siamese) and R. Bryan (MW Sia. & Mid-Michigan CF) in May. B: P. Webber. O: Paul & Nancy Clarke, Ont. Canada.



GRAND CH. JAMA KATS LI'L DICKENS OF TSAR BLU, Bluecream Persian f born 7/31/77, was CFA judge W. Thompson's BEST CAT at Portland, OR, in May. B: M. Luyster. O: Donna Fuller, Foster City, CA.
Duncan photo



CH. KEJO FELICITY OF MIDINITE, Bombay f born 8/25/77, is the Intl. Bombay Society's 1978 3RD BEST KITTEN. B: P. Taylor. O: Lucia Pozzi, New Brighton, MN.

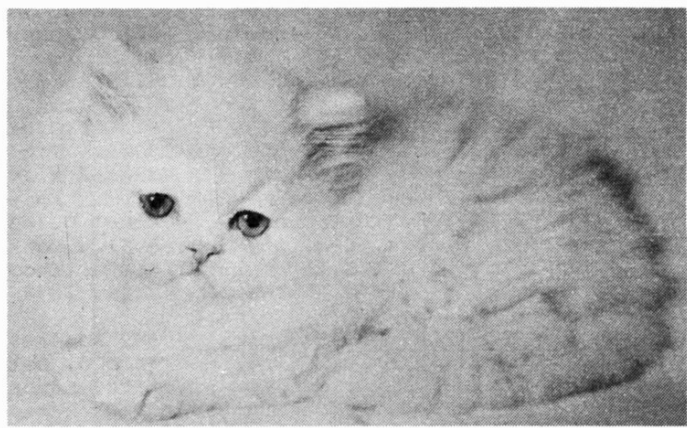


KEIJIK'S TAMIMI TAL LI, Burmese f born 9/28/77, won BEST CAT awards at the Burmese West show from CFA judges D. Swanson, D. Mare & B. St. Georges last Sept. B/O: Charlene Gould, Portola Valley, CA.
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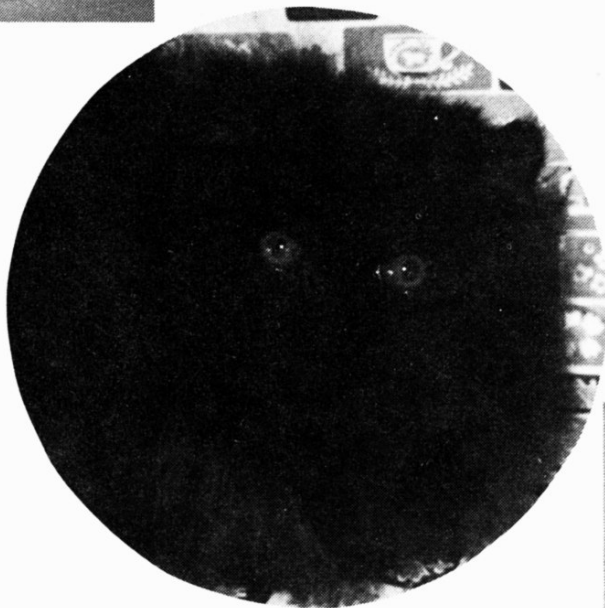
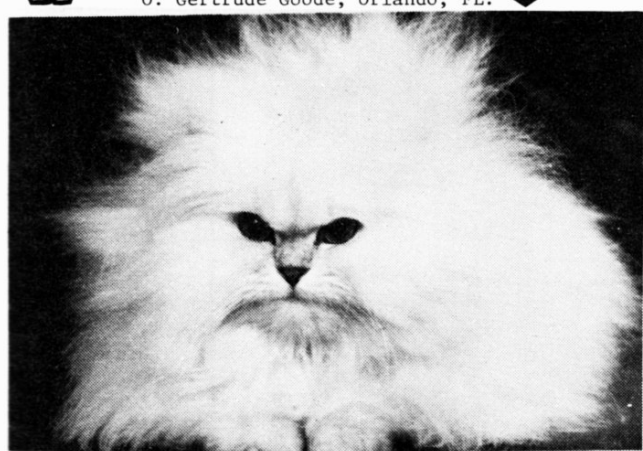


CH. FELINORA'S LORELIE, Odd-Eyed White Persian f born 5/24/77, was CFA judge K.Griffin's BEST KITTEN at the Magic City CC show in May. B/O: Lise Priatel, Dol-lard Des Ormeaux, PQ, Canada.



GRAND CH. PETIT BONHOMME OF PATOU, Blue Persian m born 5/12/75, was CCA judge B.Harrison's BEST CAT at the Club Felin de Montreal show in April. B: D. Korzenko. O: Lorraine Hains, Longueuil, PQ, Canada. He also won BEST CAT from CFA judge D.Doernberg at the Alouette CC show in April.

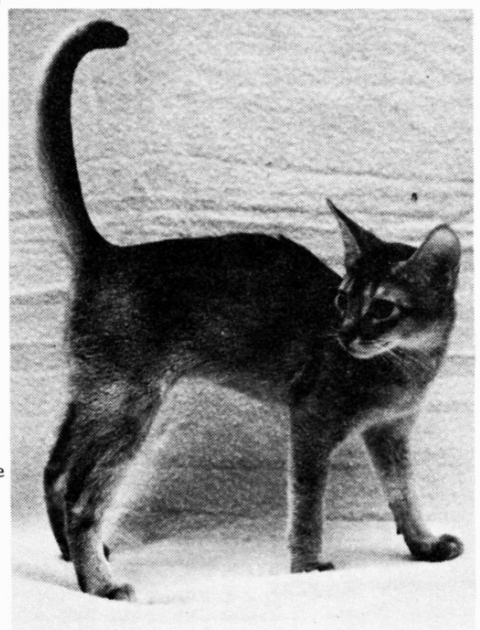
MONDREY'S KINI-TINA OF WHIS-KURR, Chinchilla Persian f born 8/24/73, won BEST OF THE BEST at the Jan. ACFA show in Orlando, FL, after going BEST CAT under 3 judges. B: A. Good. O: Gertrude Goode, Orlando, FL.



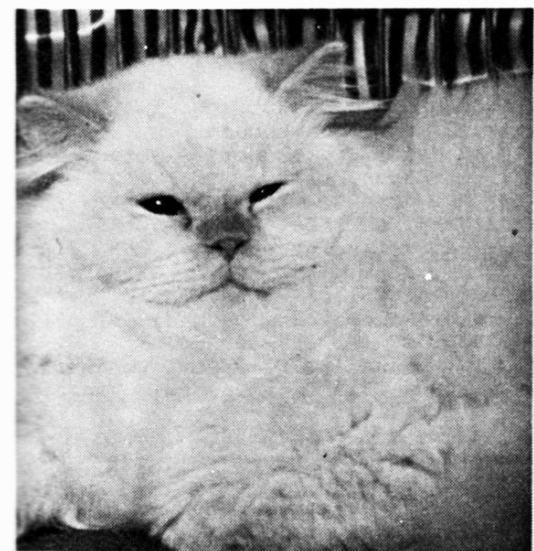
PATOU'S SAMOURAI, Black Persian m born 9/6/77, was CCA judge M. Finora's BEST KITTEN at Le Club Felin de Mon-treal show in April. B/O: Lorraine Hains, Longueuil, PQ, Canada.



SPARTACUS BENEDICTION I, Ruddy Abyssinian m born 1/18/78, won BEST KITTEN awards from CFA judges D. Doernberg & S. Barnaby at Southern Felines show, Atlanta, in June. In July, R. Bryan made him BEST KITTEN at Anthony Wayne CF show, Toledo. B/O: Ruth Bauer & Lissa Fried, Washington, DC.



GRAND CH. BROWNSTONE'S HOLLY, Blue Persian f born 6/6/76, was BEST CAT under CFA judges W.Friend & J. O'Hara at the Gtr. Sussex show, Newark, NJ in April. B/O: Mr. & Mrs. John Stees, Cochranville, PA.



TAMIAMI'S DUBLIN, Flamepoint Himalayan m born 7/7/77, won BEST KITTEN awards from ACFA judges B.Whipple & P.Connor at the Tropicana CC show in Feb. B: F. Pickering. O: Paul Grill and breeder, Miami, FL.

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SYMBOLS: # ALL BREED; * LH/SH SPEC.; = LH SPEC.; + 'SH SPEC.

NOV. 4: PUYALLUP, WA. Red N Ruddy Happening. Hiraoka# J. Thompson* R.Everett# Bryan*. M.Kilborn, 1 Rips Lane SW, Tacoma, WA 98499. 206-584-0565.

NOV. 4-5: CHICAGO, IL. Macho AB CF. Wells#, Barnaby# Royal* R.Carroll*. L.Johnson, 3903 Hampton, Western Springs, IL

NOV. 4-5: HANOVER, PA. Another CC. Top 10. LH Sat. SH Sun Park* Friend* Eisenman* Rothermel= Winslow+. J.Glennon, 4501 Old Columbia Pike, Annandale VA 22003. 703-354-1480.

NOV. 4-5: CLAREMONT, CA. Malibu CC. SH Sat. LH Sun. Barber* Swanson* Koepp* Norris= Naples+. R.Walker, 2474 Montrose Av., Montrose, CA 91020. 213-249-0433.

NOV. 11-12: MILWAUKEE, WI. Midwest Siamese. Hutzler* Royal* Wawrzyn* R.Carroll*. R.Fiege, 2 Harrison St., Ft. Atkinson WI

NOV. 12: SAN JOSE, CA. San Jose CC. Raine# Owen# Bandy# Summerville*. Top 10. J.Tucker, 1391 Redmond Rd., San Jose.

NOV. 18: HONOLULU, HI. Hawaii AB CC. D.Yoder# Raine# Swanson* Koepp#. L.Tennent, 99-1041 Manako St., Aiea, HI.

NOV. 19: SEATTLE, WA. No Dogs Allowed. D.Williams# Rogers# Summerville* Napolski= R.Everett+. Top 10. S. Hejnig, 10226 California Av. SW, Seattle, WA 98146. 206-935-4207.

NOV. 19: ROCHESTER, NY. Iroquois LH. Lee= Baker= Doernberg= Kachel=. B.Vogt, 177 Apollo Dr., Rochester, NY 14626.

NOV. 25-26: ROSEMONT, IL. Windy City CF. Park# St.Georges# Royal* Teron= Bradshaw+. M.Woods, 10137 S.86 Ct., Palos Hills, IL 60465. 312-598-0149.

DEC. 2-3: COLUMBUS, OH. Ohio State Persian. Gebhardt# Bandy* Friend* Barnaby#. M.Byrne, 1000 Kings Highland Dr. Apt. 109, Columbus OH 43229. 614-436-1401.

DEC. 2-3: TAMPA, FL. Sunshine CF. D.Williams# Field# Slodden# Giannuzzi= Jones+. D.Terry, 4015 W.Powhattan, Tampa

DEC. 2-3: ROCKVILLE, MD. Katnip Kat Klub. Doernberg* B. Yoder* Hutzler* Darrah= Roderick+. S.Krebs, 18243 Lost Knife Circle, Gaithersburg MD 30760. 301-948-7735.

DEC. 2-3: KNOXVILLE, TN. Tennessee Valley. D.Yoder# J. Thompson* Wolfe# Kachel= Bradshaw+. J.Veal, Rt.4, Box 259, Summitt Rd., Louisville TN 37777. 615-984-5390.

DEC. 2-3: JANESVILLE, WI. United Persian Soc. Mare# Wawrzyn# Royal* Inlay= Doernberg+. R.Alexander, 1628 S.Prospect Av., Park Ridge, IL 60068.

DEC. 9-10: LONG BEACH, CA. Regency CF. Dawe* J.Thompson* Hiraoka* Koepp*. P.Nelson, POBox 3758, Riverside, CA 92519.

DEC. 9-10: NEW ALBANY, IN. Dimes & Dollars. D.Thompson# Barnaby# Giannuzzi= Kachel= Bryan+ Insall+. J.Sandefur, 4601 Orange Dr., Louisville KY 40213.

DEC. 16-17: ROCKVILLE, MD. Mark & Linda. Top 10. W.Beck* D. Thompson* Ehrhardt* Koepp*. L.Buel, Box 471, Rockville, MD.

JAN. 6-7: MIAMI, FL. Magic City CC. Cruz# Mare# Hiraoka# Griffin*. M.Jackson, 5010 Madison St., Hollywood Hills, FL.

JAN. 6-7: CHARLESTON, SC. Lowcountry CF. Teron# Friend# Summerville* Koepp*. J.Sellers, 16 Edison St., Charleston SC

JAN. 13: TACOMA, WA. Daffodil Valley. D.Thompson# Hiraoka# Hummer* Saleh= Connaughton+. N.Overland, 901 N.Yakima, Tacoma, WA 89403. 206-272-9055.

JAN. 13-14: RICHMOND, VA. Old Dominion CC. Cruz# Eisenman# Davis* Friend*. P.Summers, 7509 Noble Av., Richmond, VA.

JAN. 13-14: JACKSONVILLE, FL. Cats of Jax. Top 10. O'Brien# Wawrzyn# Doernberg* Goltzer= Kapilian+. S.White, Box 307, Middleburg, FL 32068. 904-282-1506.

JAN. 13-14: HOUSTON, TX. Houston CC. Barber# Mare# D.Yoder= W.Thompson= K.Everett+ D.Williams+. C.Franco, 1922 Ganyard, Houston TX 77043. 713-465-9606.

JAN. 21: CLAREMONT, CA. Western Himalayan Fan. Split Formula. Owen= O'Brien= Raine= A.Lunde=. P.Nelson, Box 3758, Riverside, CA 92519. 714-784-1174.

JAN. 27-28: ST. LOUIS, MO. Gr. St. Louis CC. Hiraoka# Hutzler* J.Thompson* Barnaby#. B.McDonald, 800B S. Main, Millstadt, IL 62260.

JAN. 27-28: SAN DIEGO, CA. San Diego CF. Wawrzyn* McPhee* Park* Norris= Dawe+. D.Smith, 4680 Lisan St., San Diego, CA.

JAN. 27-28: GRANTVILLE, PA. Persians Elite. Field* D.Thompson* Faulkner* Giannuzzi= Roderick+. F.Cummings, Box 57, Mt. Aetna, PA 19544. 717-933-5217.

JAN. 27-28: BIRMINGHAM, AL. Birmingham FF. Cruz* Dunston* Koepp# TBA#. V.Buryn, 644 Paden Dr., Birmingham, AL 35226.

JAN. 27-28: ST. PAUL, MN. Saintry City CC. Rogers# K.Everett# Inlay= Jones+ McQuillen#. T.Crawford, 8473 Henna Av. S. Cottage Grove MN 55016. 612-459-3616.

FEB. 3-4: GAITHERSBURG, MD. Mark & Linda. Baugh# D.Thompson# Hiraoka* Haussman=. M.Hannon, Box 209, Washington DC

FEB. 3-4: LOUISVILLE, KY. Roses for Felines. Barber# D. Williams# Bandy* W.Beck*. J.Sandefur, 4601 Orange Dr., Louisville, KY. 502-966-8408.

FEB. 3-4: MIAMI, FL. Miami Florida CF. Friend# Barnaby# J. Thompson* Bryan*. D.Meqna, 6800 SW 63 St., Miami, FL 33143.

FEB. 10-11: TAMPA, FL. Gasparilla FF. Field# Cruz# Teron# Shaw*. L.Urso, 6811 Tuttle, Tampa, FL 33614. Top 10.

FEB. 10-11: PORTLAND, OR. Oregon CF. McPhee# K.Everett# J. Kilborn* Owen*. F.McDowell, 6631 NE Siskiyou, Portland OR.

FEB. 10-11: YORK, PA. White Rose CC. Raine* D.Yoder* W. Beck* Ehrhardt*. D.Ogle, RD5, 95 Richard St., York, PA 17402

FEB. 10-11: DAYTON, OH. Kittyhawk Felines. D.Thompson# D. Williams# Hutzler* Kachel= Jones+. A. Blore, 2648 Shadycrest Dr., Dayton, OH 45431. 513-429-1465.

FEB. 11: OAKVILLE, ONTARIO. Seneca SH. Rogers# Koepp# Royal* Lee= Dodds+. B.Miller, RR5, Georgetown, Ont. Canada.

FEB. 17-18: JACKSONVILLE, NC. New River CF. Sandefur* D. Thompson* Cruz* McFadden= Connaughton+. R.Stewart, 13 Walbut Dr., Jacksonville, FL 28540. 919-455-8189.

FEB. 17-18: ARLINGTON HTS., IL. Lincoln State CC. Raine# Owen# Bryan* Prather= Winslow+. J.Kethley, 533 Elgin, Forest Park, IL 60130. 312-771-5589.

FEB. 17-18: LAS VEGAS, NV. Las Vegas CC. Dawe# Naples# K. Everett* Hiraoka*. L. Jeske, 3204 Judson Av., N.Las Vegas NV

FEB. 17-18: DALLAS, TX. La Rosa She Blooms. Teron# Koepp# R.Carroll* Haussman= Roderick+. S.Jones, 1306 Guildford St., Garland TX 75040. Top Ten. 214-495-4942.

FEB. 24-25: CINCINNATI, OH. Cincinnati CC. D.Williams# Kachel= Bryan+ Field# Wawrzyn*. I. Kruse, 795 N.Bend Rd., Cin.

FEB. 24-25: NEW YORK, NY. Empire CC. Heuser= D.Thompson= Reyes= Eisenman= D.Yoder+ St.Georges+ Koepp+ TBA+. B. Rabinowitz, 918 Lanett Av. Far Rockaway, NY 11691. 212-471-6282.

FEB. 24-25: SACRAMENTO, CA. Sacramento Valley. Owen# W. Beck# Cruz* Hummer*. A.Bittaker, 7200 Linda Sue Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610.

FEB. 24-25: SANTA BARBARA, CA. Compadres de Los Gatos. W. Thompson* Friend* O'Brien# Barnaby#. P.Peters, 558 Center Lane, Santa Paula CA 93060.

FEB. 24-25: COLUMBIA, SC. Palmetto CC. Park# Wolfe# Hutzler* Doernberg*. P.Amick, Rt.4, Box 294Y, Lexington, SC.

FEB. 24-25: BATON ROUGE, LA. Gr.B.R.CC. B.Yoder* Ehrhardt* Royal* TBA#. V.Barber, 9521 E.Damuth Pl, Baton Rouge, LA.

MARCH 3-4: PITTSTON, N.E. Atlantic Regn. Hutzler* Cruz* D.Williams* D.Thompson*. M.Fellman, RD3, Box 3264, Etters PA

MARCH 3-4: TULSA, OK. Ozark CF. Barber# Baugh# Barnaby* B. Yoder*. M.Hall, Rt.3, Box 369, Collinsville OK 74021.

MARCH 4: HEMET, CA. Hemet FF. Park# R.Smith# Frankfield# Bandy#. Top 10. D.Johnson, 44388 E.Florida, Hemet, CA

MARCH 4: VALLEJO, CA. Poppy State CC. K.Everett# Field# R.Everett= Swanson= Hiraoka+ Owen+. J.Morrison, 934 Hamilton Dr., Pleasant Hill, CA 94523.

MARCH 10: POMPTON PLAINS, NJ. Ramapo FF. Ehrhardt# Eisenman# Rothermel= O'Hara= Connaughton+ Kapilian+. B.Ainsworth 110 Mt.Av., Pompton Plains NJ 07444. 201-839-6856.

MARCH 10-11: WEST ALLIS, WI. S.E. Wisc. Hummer# Koepp# R. Carroll* Inlay= Roderick+. P.Merten, 6511A W.Chambers St., Milwaukee, WI 53210. 414-442-1591.

MARCH 10-11: PROVIDENCE, RI. SH Club of RI. Faulkner* D. Thompson* Royal* Rothermel= Connaughton+. J. Grant, 123 Wilson Av., Warwick RI 02886. 401-738-1466.

MARCH 11: ST. CATHARINES, ONT. Vintage CF. Field# Barnaby# McPhee* TBA*. K.Lawrence, 26 Greystone, St.Catharines.

Other

NOV. 25: PHOENIX, AZ. Gold Diggers CC. Hanna# Rebello# P.Zenda* Brehm*. J.Parsons, Box 1825, Phoenix, AZ.

NOV. 25-26: DALLAS, TX. N.Texas CC. Bodner# Sweet* DeHay# Harding*. M.Doring, 4123 Dunhaven, Dallas, TX.

DEC. 9: ALEXANDRIA, MN. Granite City CC. Potter* Stillwell* Whipple* Bremer* Brown*. D.Clapp, RR#2, Maple Lk, MN.

JAN. 6: BELLINGHAM, WA. Mt. Baker CF. Nottingham# Holm# Williams* Becknell*. M.Henry, Box 6, Ferndale, WA 98248.

JAN. 20-21: CEDAR RAPIDS, IA. Friendly Kat Fan. Denny* Morgan# Bremer# B.Zenda# Boeger= Toepelman+. S.Madison, 5711 Golden Ct NE #43, Cedar Rapids, IA. 319-366-6545.

JAN. 27-28: VICTORIA, B.C. Island CF. Jeffrey# Woodman# R. Zenda* Stillwell*. J.Hamilton, 2313 Cranmore Rd., Victoria.

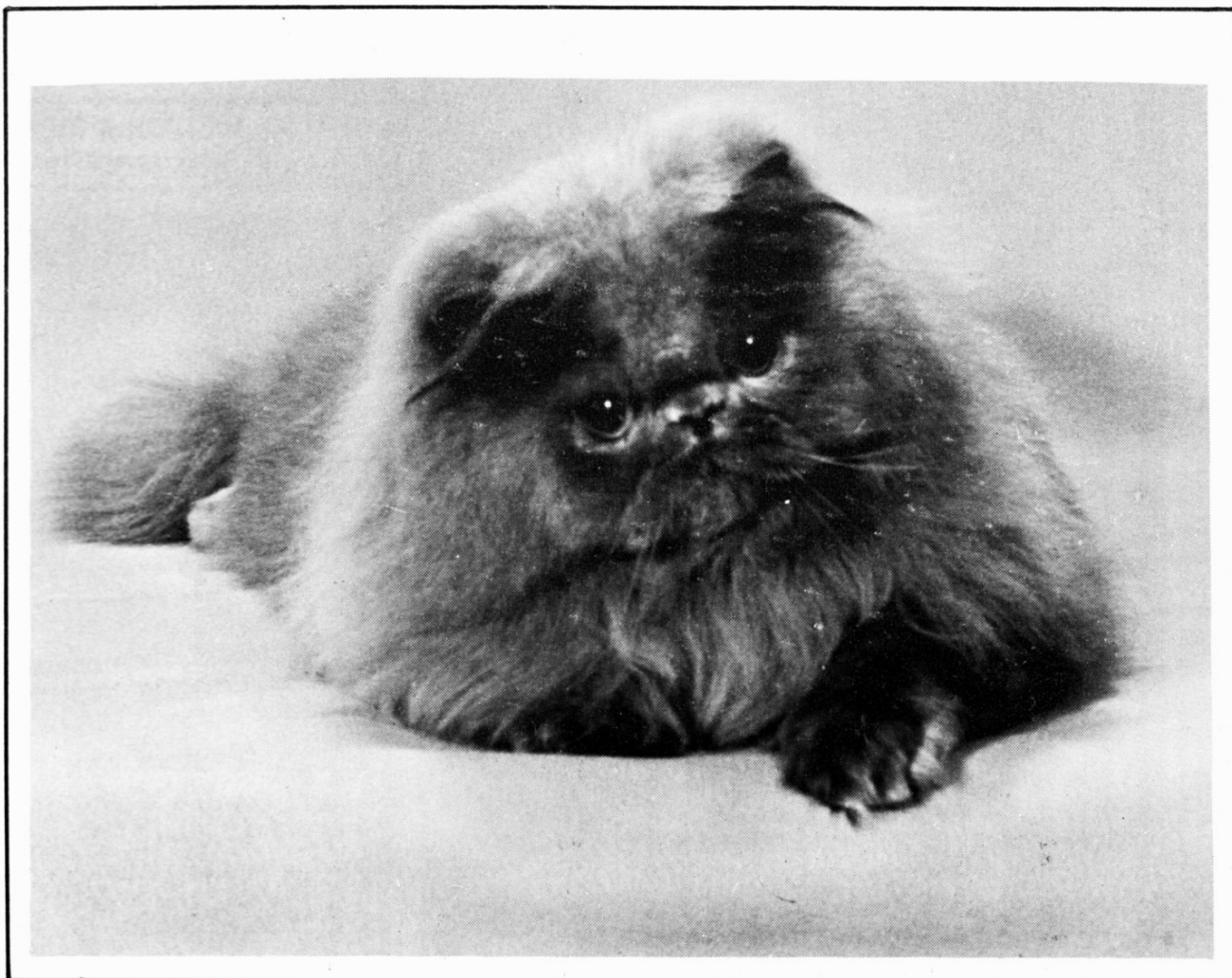
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EUROPE (Ind.): Nov. 11-12 Geneva; 25-26 Berlin/Paris;

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