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The cat section of the NE Cheshire Silver Jubilee show was a great success. Miss Rickson managed everything with her usual efficiency and courtesy. Unfortunately, I had to leave early, and sincerely thank the judges who kindly took over my classes at a moment's notice, and also my steward, Mrs Ryder, who did so much to help me and even came with me to the station.

BLUE, BLUE CREAM or CREAM LH Ad 5: 1 Lucas's Joyda Vanessa, lovely condition, well shown, good type, rather shady, full coat for summer 2 White's Wildfell Peter, nice type, good eye colour, short of coat and hot down back at present 3 Tricket's P Diane Shady, good type and eyes, neat top to head, out of coat due to summer 4 Shaw's SP Pheobus vhc F Fairy Princess
COLOURPOINT and BIRMAN 2: 1 Crockart's J Don Juan, well grown, strong bone, type very fair, eyes rather pale 2 Hickson's F Mirabella, not quite enough contrast in colour, ears rather upright **AC** Breeders kitten 1 (abs Phillipson): 1 Phillipson's Darindos Dolwyn, good colour of clear blue, good type and bone, eyes changing now, tail a little pointed **SILVER TABBY** Ad 2: 1 Pearson's L Silver Jonathan, clear, even markings, good type, well ringed tail 2 Pearson's L Silver Gillian, coat a little long, rather white under body and legs, well opened eyes **SPOTTED TABBY** 2: 1 Pearson's Ch Lowenhaus Melancthon, well shaped, good type, very clearly spotted except on back, which is a little solid 2 Pearson's L Juno, coat a little soft and long, well spotted, eyes not yet quite turned in colour **DEVON or CORNISH REX** 2: 1 Bewley's C S Strangers, good type, well placed ears, soft coat with even waves 2 Bewley's A Georgina, type very fair, nice thick coat **AOV SH** Neuter 6: 1 Alcock's B Red Dorian, good deep colour, fine condition, nice type, could have clearer ticking 2 Stock's Fairlie Menelik, bluish Abyssinian, good type, well shaped body and close coat 3 William's Pr S Clement, well marked Silver, good coat, rather white on chest 4 Pearson's A S Sylvester, rather solid back, good type and eye, markings clear, rather white under chin, not much between these four nice cats r Crumber Hill Minsk vhc Petrav Atlas **AV** Junior Neuter 9: 1 Rae's Nicky Rae, soft long coat, very good type 2 Moss's La Sun Tarquin, nice type and neat body shape, close shining coat 3 F Menelik 4 Windswift R S Lancer vhc Pr S Clement hc P Atlas. I hope Miss Alcock will accept my apologies for leaving out her cat, Bernina Red Dorian, this was my mistake. J M NEWTON

Mrs Burrows's classes

I hope exhibitors were not too disappointed at me taking over some of Mrs J Newton's classes, owing to her indisposition. My thanks to Mrs J Crockart for stewarding.

AV Litter 7: 1 Hale's Caudale, litter of Seal Points and Colour Points, very good, one really outstanding, a little beauty, lovely eyes for shape and colour, very good for age 2 Baxter's Blue Point litter of six, lovely babes, strong and sturdy kits, excellent eyes, lovely coats, very good condition 3 Fletcher's Veluer litter, lovely condition, one male cream babe, a little beauty, very promising r Hepburn's very nice litter of two Red Points, one Tortie Point, tip top condition. ENID BURROWS

Mrs M Thake's classes

My grateful thanks to my stewards, Mr Greenlees and Mrs Rider who did a grand job.

SIAMESE AC Breeders cat: 1 Ryder's Ryanna Melody, SP, excellent type, good long wedge, dark eyes, excellent profile, whip tail, dainty legs and feet, well set ears 2 Baxter's Embee Kluengern, excellent type male, good points colour, long body, whip tail, good head, round eyes of good colour 3 Rides's Kraisie Jamee, Blue Point, well nourished, excellent points colour, excellent head, good eye setting and colour, good profile, well set ears r Ryder's Ryanna Ruffy Tufty, Blue Point massive male, excellent head, muzzle a little square AC Breeders kitten: 1 Haggard's Sharlroi Pandora, Seal Point, dainty kitten, excellent type, lovely long wedge, dainty paws, whip tail, large ears well set, slight pinch, excellent eye setting, good contrast 2 same owner's Sharlroi Silver Jade, excellent type, dainty paws, whip tail, good profile, excellent eye setting 3 Fenton's Dal-trees Blue Costella, Blue Point, good colour, excellent coat texture, good tail, eyes rather round r Allaun's Darwinnie Coaite, SP baby boy, good contrast, excellent head, very good ears well set, excellent eye colour **AOV** **BRITISH** Cat: 1 Pearson's Cathriis Renee, Black female, excellent type, round head, neat ears, excellent eye shape, good dense black coat 2 Entwistle's Rylands Cletic Rogue, British Blue, excellent type, coat rather loose and patchy, greeny yellow eyes 3 Flanagan's Burtweene, Manx, fair type, long

muzzle, good head **BURMESE** Cat: 1 Hobson's Mayat Ramana, fair type, good head, green eyes, good tail and legs **AOV** **FOREIGN** Cat: A very strong class, very hard to choose between the first three 1 MacIntyre Taishun Zuki, lovely Abyssinian, excellent type, lovely head and ears, good colour, well ticked, excellent tail, a very striking exhibit 2 Kirby's Velsk, beautiful Russian Blue, beautiful coat colour and texture, good head shape, lovely eye colour 3 Ball's Patrev Andomeda, CBF, marvellous green eyes, good type, even coat colour r Threadingham's Bernina Heida, another old favourite, excellent colour, excellent coat texture, good tail, head rather short **SHORT HAIR** Breeders kitten: 1 Pearson's Lowenhaus Fingal, excellent type Silver Tabby, very well marked, excellent head shape, good contrast **BURMESE NEUTER**: 1 Moss's La Sun Tarquin, excellent type, lovely head, good coat colour and texture 2 Moss's Kevitor Brown Mixx, fair type, good colour, nice head **RADIUS NEUTER**: 1 Alcock's Bernina Red Dorian, Red Abyssinian, excellent colour, lovely type, good coat, excellent head 2 Williams's Pr Silversea Clement, very well marked Silver Tabby, excellent type, good eye colour and shape, lovely head 3 L Tarquin **MONICA** **THAKE**

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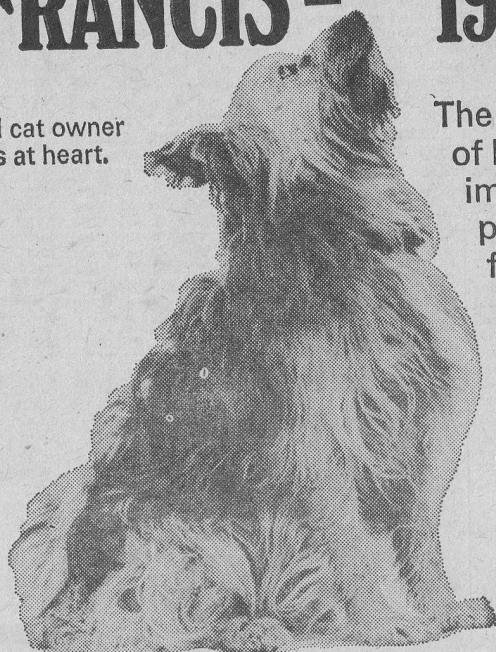
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LIVERPOOL WINNERS—concluded

Miss Ann Rickson's classes

My sincere thanks to the show manager and her committee for inviting me to this happy and excellently run show and for giving me such a patient, helpful and super efficient steward in Mrs Pat Jones.

SIAMESE SP Ad: 1 Burn's Newlan Serendipity Sue, good head, length, nice profile, well set ears, good eye colour and shape, beautifully pale coat, good whip, elegant little queen 2 Moss's Mimi Feng Wei, good head length, slight pinch, nice ear set, eyes little pale, coat little dark but very good texture 3 Clarkson's Maiaou La Chose, good head length, pinch, good eye colour, firm chin, eyes round and too big, dainty feet, good whip, very pale coat r O'Neill's no name, average head length, round eyes, good ear set, nice whip, very good coat colour BP Ad: 1 Benyon's Alamo Tai Ling, good head length, eyes rather too big, well set ears, wonderfully pale coat, silky and close lying, very good points colour, very well presented 2 Dick's Suan Sapphire Solomon, excellent head, with good length, firm chin, well set ears, very good width between oriental eyes of excellent colour. Fine masculine cat, he did not seem on top of his form today, coat dark and open, he will be much better later in the season 3 Burn's Octavian Schatz Rofrano, could do with more head length, eyes good colour but rather round, good whip, lovely coat r Leadbeater's Santhone Firefly Gem, head little short, good ear set, coat very pale, but too woolly AOC Ad: 1 Allau's Ch Scintilla Golden Legend, good head length, well set eyes of good colour, nice ear set, nose spotted, good points colour, coat rather shaded 2 Fantin's Benhall Henry, good head length with pinch, good ear set, eye colour and set, points colour uneven 3 Matthews' Lilac Suzette, head little short, nice ear set, eye shape and colour, good points colour and coat texture r Fantin's Bianco Harlaquin, head little short but nice wedge, eyes little pale, nice points colour, coat little long and woolly AC Kitten: 1 Taylor's Lorelei Dorinda, excellent little lilac, very good wedge, firm chin, very good ear set, good body length, excellent whip, lovely points colour and coat texture, faulted only on rather round eye 2 Leadbeater's Sumida Sayarama, beautiful head, true oriental eye of

excellent colour, very good ear set, lovely profile, potentially an excellent kitten, but at the moment not quite robust enough 3 Walton's Coffee, another very good kitten, very good head length, ear set, eye colour and shape, dainty legs and feet, excellent coat colour and texture, would like points a little paler r Myerscough's Tuscolas Lucindra, another nice little kit, head could be longer, excellent ear set, very nice eye colour and shape, excellent whip, pale coat **NEUTER:** 1 Taylor's Lucifer Lilac, delightful lilac and my best exhibit, beautiful head with lovely eye colour and shape, well set ears, fine legs, dainty feet, pale, fine coat and true lilac points, excellent whip, a most elegant exhibit, very well presented, and a great loss as a stud 2 Allau's Windswill, Red Point of good type and brilliant red point, excellent whip 3 Cox's Whakaot Thomas Hale, most appealing Blue Point with lovely wedge, and ear set, eyes excellent colour but slight squint, coat fine and silky, but a little dark, sweet nature and a real pet r Taylor's Ernie, SP with excellent head, well set ears, eyes a little round, good whip, coat dark. **ANNE RICKSON**

Mrs E Towe's classes

It was interesting to judge again at this show, as I was at the first one and I was very impressed by the expansion of the cat section. Congratulations to Mrs Logan and Mrs Fiddes and their helpers for an interesting day.

BRITISH Ad: 1 Stewart's Fendale Astra, nice type Black, good dense coat, eye colour good, should like nose to be straight 2 Davis's Sweethope Chi-Chi, excellent type Blue Cream, good orange eyes but coat too dark, lacks cream Kitten: 1 Stewart's Sweethope Lochinvar, Blue British, good colour coat, straight nose, eyes good, nice tail, eye colour will be good 2 Stewart's April Dancer, Blue Cream, good type, nice tail, eyes will be good, lacks cream in coat, blaze on nose incorrect in a SH **BURMESE Ad:** 1 Russell's Tabac Bellona, nice type Brown, coat of good colour and texture, good tail, dainty feet, eyes rather too green 2 Bidston's Santhone Sherpa, good type Brown, good head, should like eyes more yellow, nice tail, coat shady today 3 Bidston's Santhone Solena, small Blue, coat very shady today, nice feet, small kink in tail **ABYSSINIAN** Male cat: 1 Fantin's Woodhouse Marmaduke,

good type and style, nice ears, nice colour coat and undercoat, good tail, little white under chin, golden eyes Female cat: McCann's Dalsal Sheebe, good head and tufted ears, coat and undercoat a little dark, some white on mouth and chin, nice type, good tail **AOV SH FOREIGN:** 2 Allau's Malvyn Tanera, British type, yellow eyes, colour of coat indeterminate, tail dirty, no standard to judge by Kitten: 1 Stewart's Dandy-cat Brown Bear, good dense coat for colour and texture, good type, good green eyes, pink pads and nose leather, typical expression for Chestnut Brown Foreign 2 Russell's Mohenjo Daro, good type Brown Burmese, yellow eyes, good coat for colour and texture, good tail 3 King's Youtha Yassin, dainty Brown Burmese, good type, nice tail, good Brown Burmese, good type, nice tail, good coat, eyes green r Allau's Darwinnie Cusha's Snowy, pretty White kitten, foreign type, whip tail, eye colour incorrect for Foreign White

RESIDENTS Oat or kitten: 1 Milhench's Raeburn Apollo, well grown BP Siamese, good head and eye shape and colour good, nice coat, correct blue mask and points, good tail 2 Walker's Perry Fuse, good type SP Siamese, nice head and eyes, good coat, dense points, good tail 3 Jackson's Delycia Shamrock Boy, elegant kitten, good head and eyes, lovely coat, whip tail, mask and paws pale, promising ex 3 Higginson's Juanita Pachushka, BP, good head and eyes, good texture coat but shady today, nice tail r Matthews' Lilac Suzette, good type LP, good coat, good colour points and mask, eyes rather pale **SH NEUTER** (ex Siamese): 1 Taylor's Mandu, good type Brown Burmese, lovely coat for colour and texture, nice tail, eye colour could be deeper, very friendly **SOUTHPORT CC** AV Household pet: 6: All entries owned by Miss Stroud, all lovely cats and shown in excellent condition, 1 Tiddles, lovely SH Tortie 2 Fluffy, sweet Brown Tabby, white front and feet ex 1 Ginger, SH Red Tabby, lovely colour and markings, eight-year old 3 Tinker, LH Red Tabby, lovely colour, well shown 4 Timmy, SH Red and White 5 Penny, SH Cream Tabby, what a family. Mrs Logan, Miss Rickson and I were able to agree unanimously on the best in show awards: Best LH in show, lovely Blue Cream, Mrs Galt's Hilldeew Golden Shadows; best SH cat, Mrs Fantin's Abyssinian, Woodhouse Marmaduke; best kitten, Mrs Stewart's Chestnut Brown Foreign, Dandy-cat Brown Bear. My sincere thanks to my steward, Mrs Benn. She handled the exhibits well and was a great help through a hot and busy day. **E TOWE**

KENTISH—continued

My congratulations to Mrs I Johnson and Mr and Mrs Philpot and their committee for a most enjoyable show. Some very good exhibits were on show including household pets. As referee judge I was pleased to nominate Mrs Kent's Sonata Carissima, a very nice Smoke. It is nice to see more of these beautiful cats in the shows again.

I enjoyed judging the household pets. All were in excellent condition, the winner of the children's class (117) and best pet in show was Miss G Tweedie's Pom Pom, a big LH brown tabby, good colour, nice eyes, well groomed.

HOUSEHOLD PET AV SH Cat: 1 Broad's Sebastian, good well grown black, good cat, dense to roots, green eyes, good tail, 2 Higgin's Nimrod, big tabby, lovely green eyes, would not be handled today 3 Broad's Cleo, good Tortie and White, bright colours, nice eyes r Stock's Felix Sylvester, big black and white, lovely head, nice eyes AV Kitten: 1 Otto's Tammy 2 Colville's Nelson Junior Female neuter: 1 Longley's Buzz, good type red and white SH, nice eyes 2 Cleo 3 Nash's Tina, nice Tortie and White, bright colours, well shown r Linnell's Zoe Most friendly cat or kitten: 1 Mitzi 2 Tammy 3 Nelson Junior r Cleo. Grateful thanks to my steward, Mrs Lloyd. I had a very interesting day. **E TOWE**

JUDGES AT HERTS AND MIDDLESEX

Will exhibitors at the Herts and Middlesex championship show on September 6 please note that Mrs Hardy will judge Devon Rex adults, Mr J Trevor Turkish adults and kittens and Mrs P Hughes LH Tortoiseshell adults and kittens.

YORKSHIRE CAT CHAT

Nearly thirty people attended the Cat Chat Social Evening held by Mrs Joyce Lodge at the Junction Hotel, Pudsey on July 22 and enjoyed an informative talk on cat care and management by Mrs M G Baxter. Donations, a raffle, a bring and buy sale and 'a shop' raised £14 9s 9d for the Yorkshire County Cat Club.

RECORD?

MY blue cream Persian, Davindos Moonrakers Dream, had nine kittens on Sunday night, and today, four days later, they are still alive.

As a novice breeder I would be interested to know if this is a record? I understand that Persians only have three to five kittens.

The sire of my kittens is Miss Bull's Oh Leemor Rupert.

I have asked a few breeders and they do not know of a Persian having nine kittens. **DOREEN PHILLIPSON, Manchester.**

CATS AT BEDFORD

(Continued)

Mrs M Montgomery's classes

Congratulations to Mr D Hughes and helpers for a well run show. Thanks to my very capable steward, Mrs Applin.

SIAMESE AC Litter: 1 Dack's Hihoe Litter, two male and three female Lilac Points, very even, all of very good type, lovely eye colour, well placed ears and lovely pale coats and points of correct colour, a very pleasing litter 2 Worthy's Sayonara litter of five, two Lilac Points, three Chocolate Points, good kittens over all 3 Mills's three males and three females, nice lot of kittens all with well placed ears and good eye colour 4 McLean-Ingalls's Ceedee-Em litter, very fair over all r Rowe's Zigeumer litter, quite nice, coats rather long at present SEAL POINT Novice kitten: 1 Smith's Spotlight Rouble, male, very good, excellent ear placement, good eye colour and set, good body length, long head well balanced, fair coat 2 Maddick's Pi-Den Cherubim, female, over all type, good, pale coat of excellent texture, good eye colour, excellent points, slight pinch ex 2 Smith's Marshbrook Sascha, male of very good type, good head, excellent points, pale coat, shows promise 3 Knight's Bru-Bur Leonie, female, good over all, good top of head and eye colour and set, chin a little weak ex 3 O'Brien's Pundit Nai, male, very nice over all, good wedge, good eye colour, excellent stance 4 Willshire's Stoney-cloud Sereleaf, female, very good head but for pinch AOC Novice kitten (Breed 24): 1 Burton's Bru-Bur Marson, Blue Point, over all very good type, good wedge, excellent ear placement, good eye colour and set, pale coat, excellent whip, well balanced 2 Clarke's Sahreen Satash, Blue Point, over all good, nice head but a little pinched, excellent eye colour, pale coat 3 Clark's Herbe Slipper Tree, Blue Point, nice type, good wedge, eyes good colour, excellent whip, points rather dark ex 3 Leech's Beaumanoir Dixie, CP of good type, excellent ear placement, good eye colour and points, pale coat 4 O'Brien's Tamara Melga, BP, small kitten of nice type, good head and eye colour, points rather dark AOC Novice kitten (Breed 24): 1 Thomson's Paramount Pixie, Lilac Point of very good quality, very good wedge, eye colour and set, lovely pale coat and points of correct colour, good stance 2 Ball's Fangorn Fleur, CP, type good, very nice head, excellent eye colour, points of fair colour 3 Shewbridge's Sundance Chantal, Lilac Point, type good over all, good head, eye colour, excellent body colour, points rather dark AOC Novice kitten (Breed 32): 1 Willshire's Recky Seretina, Cream Point of lovely type,

excellent head and ear placement, pale coat, tracings of head and legs as yet faint 2 Pitt-Chambers's Bru-Bur, Tabby Point of nice type, excellent eye colour, good tracings on head and legs and whip 3 Humphrey's Green-leaf Geronimo, Tabby Point of excellent type, good head, eye colour and ear placement, good tracing but those on whip of different colour r White's Catherston Red Tagam, Red Point, small kitten of nice type, good points, head rather short NEUTER SEAL POINT Siamese: 1 Cronin's Starshine Sorokki, excellent type, very good wedge, eye colour and set, good contrast in coat colour 2 Mills's Diadem Shang-Yin, very good over all, long head, excellent eye colour and points, nice contrast in body colour, very good stance and so friendly 3 Woodley's Seikie Tie-Polow, type good, lovely head, good eye colour and set, excellent points r Bettridge's Kybra Chui-Chai, nice type, good wedge and eye colour, excellent points. The kittens in the four classes judged were all of very pleasing type, better than I have seen for the last two or three seasons. M MONTGOMERY

Mrs M Thake's classes

An excellent show well organised by Mr David Hughes and his committee; a very pleasant hall, very lofty and well lighted. In spite of the intense heat the cats seemed quite comfortable. My grateful thanks to my hard working and efficient steward, Mr Waits.

SILVER TABBY Male cat: 1 Pearson's Lowenhaua Roderick, excellent type, clear sparkling coat, good head, excellent eye colour and setting, good tail rings 2 Watt's Hill-cross Watatah, good type, coat rather soft, excellent black, nose a little long, eyes not quite round, very good contrast Female cat: 1 Pearson's Hill Cross Jacaranda, really beautiful cat, lovely head shape, excellent profile, good round eyes of excellent colour, splendid markings, good contrast, excellent coat texture, good tail 2 Watt's Sirelli Felicity, excellent type, lovely head, round well opened eyes, coat rather brindled at present 3 Dodkin's Wilmar Persephone, excellent type, lovely head, eyes rather orange, a little brindled, excellent coat texture **BROWN BURMESE** Male cat: 1 Butler's Tiffen Tu, excellent type, good head shape, eyes rather green, well set ears, good profile, coat rather rough Female cat: 1 Hudson's Amerilla Artemis, excellent head, good eye shape and colour, good profile, well set ears, excellent coat colour and texture, tail a shade short 2 Rowe's Strumphshaw Cilla, nice type, good head shape, coat shady, near legs, good tail **BLUE BURMESE** Male cat: 1 Silkstone's Jingpaws Blue Monarch, excellent type, good head shape, colour rather lawn at present, well set ears, good eye setting, good legs, lovely shape, stands well **SILVER TABBY** Kitten male: 1 Wheway's Bretton Silvershark, excellent type, well marked, good contrast, neat ears, good head and eyes, a little beauty **BURMESE** Kitten: 1 Craters's Sabra Blue Zillah, excellent type, fair colour, excellent head and profile, good eyes, dainty kitten, good legs and tail 2 Howard's Amberley Brown Velvet, good type, eyes greeny blue, very tidy, excellent coat colour and texture 3 Dell's Blue Esmeralda, good type, soft coat, dainty legs, good head, ears a little small, never stopped purring **VISITORS** Foreign SH cat or kitten: 1 Craters's Zillah 2 Arenis 3 Griffiths's Taishun Endora, lovely Abyssinian female, bright colour, good type, excellent head, well set ears. MONICA THAKE

Mrs B Barron's classes

Many thanks to the committee for inviting me to judge again. My thanks to my stewards, Mr H J Wilson, who as always was most efficient and considerate.

LH BLUE, CREAM or BLUE CREAM Kitten: 1 Suddaby's Edelstein Marionette, Blue kitten of lovely type, strong muzzle and chin, good eyes, coat of good quality but a little shady, but this will clear later in the season 2 Rothwell's Rysard Golden Imp, Cream, good type but nose perhaps a little straight, good wide spaced eyes, eye colour coming well, coat of good colour but a little shady 3 Metcalf's Peela Fiona, good top of head and neat ears, bold wide apart eyes, eye colour coming well, her coat was a very nice shade of blue, but was sunburnt, will be very nice later in season **COLOURPOINT** Kitten: 1 Trevor and Nicholas's Beaupre Chantelle good type, nice top of head and chin, eyes appeared a little pale, very pleasing colouring, pale body colour and good blue points, a very attractive exhibit **LONG HAIR AC** Breeders cat or kitten: 1 Fisher's Praha Krapping, good Birman, good head and coat colouring with correct white feet and gauntlets, very nice type, eyes appeared a little pale 2 Wright's Raindrop Topsy, Blue of lovely type, bold eyes of good colour, strong muzzle, very nice cat but her coat was very shady, very light on flanks on the day, but this will clear later in the season 3 Chantelle Voltaire's Sphershill Ballema, B. Chinchilla, good type, lovely bold eyes of good colour, ears well set, good coat AC Limit kitten: 1 E Marionette 2 P Krapping 3 Paines's Hartland Polyanna, nice Chinchilla, good type and coat, good eyes r Newick's Karanwick Iceburg, Chinchilla, nice type, good coat, eyes not quite so good in colour as third **VISITORS** AC LH Cat or kitten: 1 Silverman's Camber Valient, beautiful White, bold wide set copper eyes, good top of head, muzzle and chin, lovely coat, beautifully prepared and a really beautiful tail, full and without the slightest discoloration 2 E Marionette 3 Frank's Polar Valerio, Chinchilla, good

type, lovely eyes for shape and colour, good top of head, a little heavily ticked r H Pollyanna. BLANCHE BARRON

Mrs E Towe's classes

I took Mrs Newton's place as referee judge as she was not well. I am glad to hear that she is quite well again. Congratulations to the show manager and his committee and helpers on a very good show. The club is fortunate to have such a good hall. Some very good exhibits were on view.

HOUSEHOLD PETS BLACK or BLACK AND WHITE: 1 Franks's Smudgey, good SH Black, good eyes 2 Franks's Miki Finn, very pretty black and white, regret she would not be handled 3 Wilkes's Hercules, well grown black with white feet **TABBY or TABBY AND WHITE** Ad: 1 Deakin's Juliette, pretty LH Brown Tabby, well presented, I understand she was a rescued cat, she is very well cared for now 2 Jerome's Bomber Jim, good LH Red, coat of good colour, well presented ex 2 Preen's Mr Tigg, big brown SH Tabby, well marked, good green eyes, regret he would not be handled 3 Warde's Burt Ardew, big Tabby Abyssinian, good green eyes, good looking cat ex 3 Wilkes's Shere Khan, pretty well marked mackerel tabby, nice eyes. A very good class, all in excellent condition **TORTOISESHELL or TORTIE AND WHITE** Ad: 1 Paddy's Katie, good type SH, good eyes, Tortie with brightly coloured coat 2 Clarke's Goldie, well grown Tortie and White, well patched but would not be handled 3 Brown's Muffin, LH Tortoiseshell, good head and eyes but coat too dark r Frank's Candy the Second, good type Tortie, well patched coat, green eyes. Another good class **AOC** Ad: 1 Colville's Gorge Nageeb, odd eyed SH White, good type, eye colour very deep, one blue, one orange, well presented, later best household pet 2 Thawley's September Lady (lovely name), LH White, well presented but would not be handled. Most friendly cat or kitten: 1 Jerome's Bomber Jim 2 Preen's Mr Tigg 3 Warde's Burt Ardew ex 3 Colville's Marty r Frank's Patsy. All the pets were well presented and in good condition. My thanks to Mr Britton for his patience in handling so many heavy weights, a very nice day. E TOWE

SIAMESE CAT ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

(Continued)

Mrs Clarke's classes

My thanks to an efficient steward, Miss Gamble, who stepped in at the last moment in place of Mrs Wellidin who was unable to attend.

LILAC POINT Male: 1 ch Furber's Ch Winceby Valentine, excellent type and lovely coat texture, correct points, colour and very good eyes, tail slightly barred and chin could be firmer, in superb condition 2 Gregory's Winceby Lustre, litter brother, but not with such good points colour, rather on the blue side, very handsome cat with good head and eyes, fairly good tail 3 Hyde's Kenardra Gondolier, good head and nice coat texture, mask rather blue, tail too fawn r Roger's Seoiaenge Centaurus, lovely coat and condition but a little heavy in bone Klitten 3-6: (abs King) 1 Appleby's Samaris Apollo, very promising, excellent colour and body length, good eyes 2 Espinoza's Lavarack Topal, larger kitten of very good colour and type, eyes a little round 3 Appleby's Samaris Adonis, very good head, ear set and coat, not quite so tidy as Apollo his litter brother r Watkin's Sadiki Cumisboi, excellent points colour but muzzle too square, nose rather short **AOC** Breeders: 1 Paramor's Physalis Mai Ling, CP of excellent colour, flat mask not yet complete, lovely length of body and tail, excellent ivory colour 2 Waund's Sahkon Zephyr, BP, very dark coat but excellent type and fine boned, very cross with me 3 Burlton's Bru Bru Rochefort, CP, good colour of body points, fine muzzle, very good eyes, ears set too high on top, chin rather weak r Howard's Fossaway Lilac Symphony, Lilac, very good colour, excellent eye shape, difficult to handle AC Breeders abs Greenland 1 Brabyn's Sakura Corrynalyx, Tabby Point of excellent type and lovely head but body rather shaded 2 Hayes' Rushay Romeo, Chocolate Tabby Point of good type, eyes a little round, good body and tail 3 Halpern's Shalom Allie, good head but body rather dark, lovely eyes, long tail r Eyles' Ambercourt Captain Simon, head rather short, lovely body colour and coat AC Jun neuter: 1 Lewis's Monkrise, Lilac Point, gorgeous neuter, has looks, colour and temperament, afterwards best neuter 2 Raine's Symbellette Lysander, excellent SP, lovely head and oriental eyes, firm chin 3 Graham's Somerlid Adonis, SP, another lovely cat, in beautiful condition, gorgeous coat, chin a little weak 4 Dodgson's Sirisian Sarabende, BP, lovely head, long body but a little fawn in colour, good eyes and very sweet tempered 5 Smith's Pr Bru Pegasus, BP with exceptional coat and very long head 6 Carter's Pr Verikbridge Calpernia, LP, very good head and eyes but body too shaded today ex 6 Badcock's Sua Papagedo, BP, lovely type, excellent head and oriental eyes, lacks contrast, this was a most outstanding class which gave me great pleasure also great difficulty Radius: 1 Bullery's Merina, Chocolate Point, point too dark, body colour good, fair type 2 Lyne's Rocky Starlight, nice head but too much Tabby markings on body. DORA CLARKE

Readers write . . .

JOYS OF A SHOW

MY husband and I, both of us schoolteachers, never exhibit our cats but we attend many shows each year and FUR AND FEATHER is our weekly treat for cat news. Mrs Colville's recent thoughts on show procedure baffle us. First she expressed her dissatisfaction with almost everything pertaining to cat shows and their traditional and well tried procedures and bemoaned the discontinuance of special stud and brood award cards. Now, she appears to advocate that nobody should ever get excited, thrilled or otherwise be joyous or made happy during those great moments when the best in show winners are being selected.

How very dull it would all be if there was no fun in exhibiting, meeting old and new friends, making acquaintances and even touches of romance at times. All these facets of the cat show seem to escape Mrs Colville. In fact, most things seem to be wrong for her. Does she wish us all to be ever grim-faced, intent and deadly serious as if we were assembled for a big military funeral; no handclapping or cheers when the supreme winners are chosen, no handshakes, no kiss of congratulation, no joy, no excitement. Says Mrs Colville, it's 'cats only' or as she herself puts it 'one might as well go to bingo'. Well, Mrs Colville, your alternative suggestion bingo, also has its rules and traditions, which must be accepted before you get your cards. ALICE and GEORGE WATTS, Surbiton, Surrey

ULTIMATE ANSWER

IT has been brought to my attention that the Mr Carling, mentioned by Winifred Miles (FUR AND FEATHER of July 17) was a misprint for Dr Tony Carding BVSc, MRCVS, now director of the World Federation for the Protection of Animals, an international body recognised by UNESCO, FAO, the Council of Europe and IOE.

Dr Carding and his wife, Jane, worked in Tokyo for the Japan Animal Welfare Society, London, for eighteen months. They did not have a private practice, but worked in the misery of the pounds and laboratories and the sights they witnessed were essentially the same as those reported in the Kansai by Ken Gardner of The People.

Largely through their perseverance the Tokyo pounds now use a humane lethal drug, supplied free by this society and we are now making every effort to persuade the Kansai pounds to accept this drug too.

It is as pointless as it is obvious to state that cruelty exists in this country, and all over the world, and we should 'put our own house in order'. Japan is a marvellous example of economic progress to all of the Far East, and to achieve this it has adopted many Western standards. However, Western humanitarian standards have not been equally advanced and the extent of unthinking cruelty in that country, where there are no anti-cruelty laws, is truly appalling.

In a humane country the local council does not support a pound full of ravenous and diseased animals, where a Collie with a broken back cannot be put down as the tanner will not arrive for bodies for six days, and where puppies and kittens are piled into a heap a foot and a half high to whimper away their short lives, as it is not economic to feed them or to administer a humane lethal drug. This happens in all parts of Japan.

Do owners tire of pets? Do unwanted kittens appear from the most pure bred queen? Do cats ever escape? Is a sick cat always taken to a veterinary surgeon by an ignorant owner? Do you condone conditions such as those described above? The ultimate answer lies with cat breeders themselves. SALLY PLUMMER (JAWS, London)

PUBLIC NOTICE RE RUSSIAN BLUE CATS

1. When the Russian Blue Cat Club was wound up two trustees were appointed to take charge of the records and the cups. I am one of the trustees.

2. When Miss Rochford died I inherited all her papers and records. Many of the statements appearing in FUR AND FEATHER recently concerning Miss Rochford and her methods of breeding Russians are entirely without foundation.

3. Intending purchasers of Russians are informed that some cats shown or sold under this description are in fact blue foreign. The undermentioned Association will send on request a description of the true Russian Blue. It will also assist an aggrieved purchaser to undertake in the Courts a prosecution under the Trade Descriptions Act 1968.

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Mrs E Kent's classes

Mrs Barron and her show committee are to be congratulated. The Kensington Kitten and Neuter Cat Club put on an excellent show which was most enjoyable. Unfortunately, it being a very hot day, the kitten exhibits suffered from the heat. Many grateful thanks to my steward, Mrs Dunnill who was a great help.

BURMESE NEUTER PREMIER BLUE AND BROWN: I think it a pity the colours could not be separated. To me the Brown is far superior to the Blue, resulting in the latter not doing so well as it would if it had a class of its own. Twenty-eight exhibits, four absent. 1 Pr Marshall's Ardenia Black Opal, shown in beautiful condition, good short wedge, lovely eye colour, excellent tail, slightly shady on chest, dense colouring, rather tiresome and did not like us, but a very pleasing cat. 2 Simmons's Wavemouse Einme, another nice cat, good head, dense coat of good colour, excellent eye colour. 3 Larent's Dinham Bernard Cat, good head and eyes, excellent coat apart from slightly pale on chest. 4 Gaffney's Pr Magamba Apollo, lovely eye colour, head a trifle short, pale on chest today with slightly open coat. 5 Barnes's Buskins Tsiang-Kinn, good head, pale on chest, few white hairs, nicely tapered tail. 6 Hutwaite's Seathwaite Bamboo Boy, good head, pale on chest with a few white hairs also on shoulders, short close coat, eyes pale. 7 Laurent's Dinham Benjamin, good head, nice type, eyes too pale, good tail. 8 Brook's Pussinboots Sirocco, very dark, lovely condition, ears slightly wide apart, nice eyes. 9 Fardeil's Linlinkye Kubara, beautiful coat texture and colour, pale on chest, hair slightly up (abs, Caldicott, Roberson, Stock, West). No 648 could not be handled and 640 appeared to be overcome with the heat. The haw was entirely up and he lay completely exhausted and was removed by the veterinary surgeon to a cooler place where I hope he recovered. I was very sorry not to be able to handle this cat as he appeared to be a very good quality specimen. Eye colour generally was poor, very few cats having the real chartreuse yellow and the Blue Burmese had mostly too much green. In spite of the heat the cats were in very good condition.

SH GRAND PREMIER: This was a magnificent class, every cat worthy of a first prize. 1 Bennett's Pr Brynbuboo Blue Joss, superb British Blue, lovely colour, short texture of coat, glorious eye colour and wonderful type, afterwards best SH neuter in show, well deserved. 2 Froom's Pr Dordon Remus, Blue Point Siamese of wonderful type, good head, straight line and no pinching, excellent whip tail and lovely deep eye colour. 3 Lambert's Pr Coco D'Abu, quality Lilac Point Siamese, excellent eye colour, chin slightly weak and tail slightly barred. It is utterly absurd to compare Siamese or any other Foreign types with the British. Both are first class in their own way. 4 Richard's Pr Bambi's Mischieff, Cream Shorthair, good head and type, eyes could be deeper, slight bars today. 5 Pr Magamba Apollo. **SIAMESE Litter:** 1 Biggie's excellent Blue Points, one really superb kitten which should go far, all in good condition. 2 Smallwood's Lilac litter, good strong kittens of nice type. 3 Worthy's four Chocolates and one Lilac, well grown kittens, nice type. 4 Wakeford's four Chocolates, good coats. 5 Burgess's four Chocolates, two Lilacs (abs, Goodman, Greenland, Janson, Rowland).

The litter class was an eye-opener of what is happening to Siamese breeding. There were only two Seal Point litters exhibited, both of mediocre quality, although all were in excellent well grown condition. Most of the other litters were mixtures of blue, lilac and chocolate, seal, tortie, etc. in the same litter. Anyone, especially the novice, would have no idea of what their adults will produce unless they know all the cats in the pedigrees. What a pity this state of affairs has been allowed to arise. A breeder would be lucky today to find a sire and dam guaranteed to throw all one colour.

ABYSSINIAN NEUTER: 1 Hawes's Taishun Ramsee, very nice head, good eye colour, ticking good and well defined, unfortunately a lot of white on lips and chin. **ELSIE KENT**

Mrs Nancy Hardy's classes

Congratulations and sincere thanks to Mrs Barron and all her helpers for a very pleasant show in an excellent hall with plenty of room and every help and comfort for judging. As usual my excellent steward, Mrs Deakin, was such a help, my best thanks to her again.

BLUE POINT SIAMESE PREMIER: 1 Pr Mann's Druries Julius, very handsome cat with a good head and a lovely profile, fine eye colour and good long tail, his colouring was a little too fawn but a nice pale coat. 2 Smith's Bur-Bur Pagasas, another beautiful cat, ran very close indeed to the first, good wedge head and fine ear set, good eye colour, tail a little short, coat colour too fawn. 3 Froom's Pr Dordon Remus, lovely head with good profile and fine eye colour, good long tail but rather barred and colouring rather dark. 4 Birley's Simeaw Adam, colour

again too fawn, good wedge head and lovely ear set, some barring on the tail, good eye colour. These four cats were all very close with only a few points between them. **AOV NEUTER (Breeds 13a and 26 only):** 1 Brown's Craigiehillcock Snowflay, a beautiful little foreign type white cat, very nicely shown, good long body with fine ear set, head a little short and tail could be finer. 2 Bench's La Bamba, a good British type white cat with nice coat, paws rather soiled, body a bit long and tail could be shorter, good green eyes. **NANCY HARDY**

Mrs Doris Brice-Webb's classes

There was a bumper entry and Mrs Barron must have worked very hard to put on such a wonderful show as this was. Congratulations. I judged the Chinchillas and with one or two exceptions found them most disappointing. Ears were too large and noses too straight. One only hopes that they may improve with age. My most grateful thanks, as usual, to my very good and hard working stewards, Mrs Gee, who helped me through a very busy day.

CHINCHILLA male 2-3 mth 3: 1 Best's Midas Marcus, quite a good kitten, nice type, good muzzle and chin, very good eye shape and colour, full coat, a little smudgy on tail. 2 Best's Midas Thomasina, litter brother and very similar, coat was a little clearer, but eye colour not so good, in lovely condition and well shown, as was his brother. 3 Faris's Trymcoote Bonny Lad, smaller kitten than winners, really lovely eyes for shape and colour, coat a little smudgy, ears rather pricked at present. Female 2-3 mth 6: 1 Roll's Pasha Sheba Starlet, a little gem and my best kitten today, was my nomination for best in show, lovely short nose, good muzzle and chin, tiny ears set down on her skull, brilliant eye colour, full soft lightly ticked coat, cobby body, wee short tail, well shown. 2 Faris's Trymcoote Ballerina, lovely typed kitten, huge eyes of excellent colour, well tufted ears, coat rather on the short side but lightly ticked. 3 same owner's Trymcoote Belinda, very nice kitten, pure soft lightly ticked coat, nice cobby body, eyes not yet determined. 4 Brown's Smokey Hill Cressida, sweet kitten, glorious eyes for shape and colour, ears rather pricked, pure soft coat, but tail rather heavily ticked. Kitten 3-6 mth male 6: 1 Newick's Khranwick Leoburg, lovely kitten, sweet open face, glorious eyes for shape and colour, good muzzle and chin, full lightly ticked coat which was groomed to perfection, ears just a little upright at the moment, but he should grow to these with maturity. 2 Paine's Hartland Cherubim, well grown kitten, very good head, lovely brick nose tip, wonderful eye colour, full lightly ticked coat, ears rather pricked. 3 Taghioff's Khranwick Donella, wonderful full lightly ticked coat, good head and eyes, ears too tall and would like a stronger chin. 4 Moseley's Khranwick Little Baron, nice kitten, but at the moment his eyes appear to be more yellow than green, very nice coat, in good condition. Female 7: 1 Donnell's Atlanta Solitaire, very nice kitten, full soft lightly ticked coat, very good eyes, lovely open face, good muzzle and chin. 2 Hopkinson's Bonavia Cassandra, another very good kitten, very good head, neat well set ears, short nose, good eyes, full well groomed coat which was nicely ticked. 3 Antone's Hartlands Carello, pure coated kitten, but not so good in type as winner's, her muzzle needs to fill out, eyes changing, well shown. 4 Brill's Chico Chiquita, I liked this kitten, but at the moment her coat is very short and heavily ticked, glorious eyes, good type. **BLUE NOVICE** male 13: 1 Foster's Finchfield Vagabond, one of the loveliest blue kittens I have seen for some time, wonderful broad head, neat well set ears, short nose, good muzzle and chin, deep copper eyes, full well groomed coat, I would have liked to have taken him home. 2 Clarke's Tabask Persian Treasure, another little beauty, lovely broad skull, neat well set ears, short broad nose, firm muzzle and chin, deep copper eyes, cobby body, wee short tail, ran winner very close. 3 Worth's Rojodanco Silver Spray, good kitten, sweet open face, would like a stronger chin, eye

colour promising, full coat which was well groomed. 4 Orpin's Robhurst Rohan, wee baby which I liked very much indeed, but he just would not open his eyes, he seemed too sleepy! lovely head and type, tiny ears, nice short tail, cobby body. Female 6: 1 Cordell's Moonshine of Dunesk, lovely kitten, grand head, neat well set ears, good muzzle and chin, full pale sound coat, well groomed, excellent eye colour. 2 Dexter's Exhuma Proud Penny, a very sweet kitten, lovely round apple face, pale fairly sound coat, nice cobby body, short brush. 3 Williams's Willanbet Imogen, good kitten, nice strong muzzle and chin, nice full cheeks, ears rather pricked. 4 Worth's Rojodanco Cuddly Babe, good kitten, very nice open face, good width between eyes, neat nose, but would like a stronger chin. **AV Long Hair or Short Hair neuter** brace 4: 1 Hone's Amahama Benedict and Amahama Bambino, two very good Brown Burmese, wonderful coats and heads, lovely to handle. 2 two Colourpoints belonging to Mrs Pither, Bonbon Rajah, a very good Seal Point with excellent coat contrasts and Bonbon Sultan, Blue Point, not so full in coat as the Seal Point but two cats in grand condition. 3 Munford's two lovely Cream Cornish Rex, Lohteyn Golden Boy and Burch Mace, well rexed coats and good heads and type. 4 Silverman's and Swift's Cuckoo Chit Chin and Sabra Silva Nickel, a Blue and Brown Burmese of good type and coats. I liked the Blue better. **Supporters class AC Long Hair or Short Hair neuter** 19: 1 Staple's Canella Zelah, Blue Long Hair, excellent head, really lovely type, wee ears, lovely eyes, sound well groomed coat. 2 Lewis's Misty Montise, lovely Lilac Point Siamese, wonderful coat for texture and colour, lovely wedge head, dainty oval feet, whip tail, grand eye shape and colour. 3 Brown's Zurelia, another very good Lilac Point Siamese, wonderful type and coat colour, not quite so sweet as my second, but a grand cat. 4 L Golden Boy. 5 Crameri's Weinkatz Blue Syrah, very good Blue Burmese, excellent coat, eyes quite a good colour, very good type. So sorry to leave so many good neuters in this class careless, as there were some very good ones. **DORIS BRICE-WEBB**

Miss Ann Codrington's classes

SILVER TABBY 2-9 mth: 1 Pearson's Lowenhauz Fingal, another very good beginner from the Pearson stable, good type, good eyes and clear markings, abs 198. **SPOTTED** 2-9 mth: A class of very good exhibits. That 202 and 203 did not figure in my list was because they were so much younger than the others. Next time round they should take their place. 1 2 Higgin's Zephyr Dionysia and Dionysus, I must report on these two exquisite brown spotted together because I had difficulty in choosing my winner. Both had wonderful spotting all over and were of very good type and colour, Dionysia's nose is slightly shorter than her brother's, but really there was nothing in it, my best kitten. 3 Rose's Elston Amelia, another very good one, lovely type, eyes and spotting. 4 same owner's Elston Amos, very good indeed, fails to his sister by having a slight solid marking on spine. **RED or BROWN TABBY** 2-9 mth: 1 Watts's Sireli Lorne, brown Tabby of outstanding coat colour, a rich brown, good type, lovely eyes. 2 Higgin's Zephyr Eridanus, good type, a bit brindled at present, should improve. **TORTIE and T and W** 2-9 mth: 1 Pearson's Lowenhauz Springtime, Tortie of good type, would like more red in coat, which was otherwise beautifully mingled, abs 210. **BICOLOURED:** 1 Warren's Dunsdendolly, a charmer in brown and white, though actually not conforming to standard. **AV Breeders Foreign (female)** 17: A class of great quality, 1 Farquharson's Hatchgate Aniseed, Devon Rex, hard to fault, fine type, very good eyes and what a coat! lovely! 2 Marshall's Kogeni Aurora, most promising, very good type, good coat in colour and quality and good eyes. 3 Hone's Amahama Choco Cabrina, lovely kitten with exceptionally good eyes. 4 Wiseman's Contented Infanta, a good Abyssinian with excellent coat and eyes, good type and not too much white on throat. 5 Rees's

Hesperian Honey Love, another very nice Devon Rex which only fails to the winner in quality of coat, very promising. 6 Dell's Kupro Blue Kourra, very good blue Burmese, at present eyes are green, I hope will turn, abs 257, 268, 288, 291, 327, 328, 331. **AC BRITISH:** 1 Richard's Pensylva Honeymaid, cream with even colouring, gorgeous eyes and excellent type. 2 Jordan's Monas Autumn Morn, very attractive red and white Manx, good type coat and stance, no tail. 3 L Springtime. 4 Absalom's Brynbuboo Britannia, British Blue with lovely coat and eyes, nose a fraction long, abs 179, 225. **AV Novice exhibitor:** 1 Grant and Fitzsimon's Sabra Blue Jasper, blue Burmese of lovely type and colour, younger than others but full of promise. 2 Dyke's Lynsilva Rameses, Burmese with coat of lovely quality and colour, full of promise. 3 Walker's Chambang, I thought this little Burmese very good indeed, but alas, she has a kink. 4 Culter's Rojodanco Amberwood, head too round, good eyes and coat. Once more heartfelt thanks to Miss Swift, who not only stewarded admirably but lent me some articles to replace those I'd lost en route. Also thanks to Ian Dack who helped us. The show manager, Mrs Barron, is to be congratulated and I thank the committee for asking me to judge the many entrancing kittens, none of which seemed to be suffering from our tropical weather. **ANN CODRINGTON**

Mrs J Merry's classes

There is always a thrill about the Kensington show with the new season's crop of kittens making their debut and looking so full of promise and the many loved and glossy neuters. There was a magnificent array of Burmese neuters. Congratulations to Mrs Barron on her usual impeccable organisation and my thanks to my very efficient steward, Mrs Mary Wilson and to Mrs Van Winsen of the Netherlands, who helped so pleasantly as second steward and handled the cats with great skill.

BROWN BURMESE Male 2-5 mth 13: (six abs) 1 Laurent's Dinham Nadaloo Tyuang, a really lovely boy with excellent head seen from any angle, good width at the jaw line, very clear golden eyes, tail well tapered but could be slightly longer, coat of good quality and even in colour, just a few white hairs on turn, my nomination for best in show which he later won. 2 Mack's Belcanto Andra Chenier, this kitten flattened his ears apprehensively when he saw me so did not show to advantage, he appeared to be more Siamese in type than the winner, his eyes were quite a good colour and his coat excellent for texture and colour, fine bone, very good tail and very good general balance added up to a very pleasing exhibit. 3 Marshall's Kogeni Achilles, good head, nice eye and ear setting, but eye colour rather green, fine bone, coat not quite so close as the two winners but a lovely warm even colour. 4 Mack's Belcanto Idomeneo, nice young kit with good bone and general proportions, very good coat texture, promising head. 5 O'Neill's Morningstar Dark Warrior, a really nice kit of good type, delightful ears, slight chin weakness, coat rather open today, fine bone. 6 Hanson's Amberilla Belisarius, well proportioned and a pleasing head with well set ears, coat rather cold in colour and brindled today, tail had terminal kink. Female 2-5 mth 18: (four abs), a strong class of quality kittens, hard to judge. Some good ones went carelessly. 1 Stephens' Nautical Hi-C, lovely type and temperament, gorgeous eye colour, beautifully balanced kit, very similar in type to my best in show kitten and ran him close, but slightly barred today and unfortunately had a few white hairs on his chest. 2 same owner's Nautical Goone-See, nice long kit with fine bone and dainty paws, very typical Burmese head with particularly sweet expression, eye colour not as good as winner's, ran winner close. 3 Holmes's Cragland Golden Bambino, this kit was very small but most promising, pleasingly rounded head with good eye colour and setting, long well proportioned limbs, body and tail, excellent coat. 4 quality r Stephens' Nautical Sucka-Sea, slightly more Siamese in type than her sisters but a strong general likeness, nice eye colour vhc same owner's N Annabelle, this one tended, if anything, to be slightly more British about the head than her sisters, failed to them in coat quality but both coat and eye colour were good. This was a very lovely litter. 5 Marshall's Kogeni Aphrodite, long elegant kitten, good with dainty paws, good profile, coat could be shorter but was very soft and silky. 6 Hewson's Amberilla Britomartis, very young kit with excellent head and good limbs, tail could be longer, good coat. Male 5-9 mth 6: (two abs) 1 Smith's Magamba Argus, a striking boy, deep chested and very muscular with a commanding head, coat texture quite good, ears could be a little

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PRINCIPAL WINNERS

Best long-haired kitten: Mrs C Ashurst Blue Cream female, Cargeo's Miss Goodytwohoes.

Best short-haired kitten: Mrs M Laurent's Brown Burmese male, Dinham Nadaloo Tyuang.

Best Siamese kitten: Mr B Burton's Blue-Point female, Bru-Bur Marmora.

Best long-haired neuter: Mrs V Whitley's Chinchilla, Pr Bonavia Balthazar.

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larger, well presented and a lovely temperament. 2 Dyke's Lynsivia Rameses, very big muscular male, good coat quality, head slightly flat on top with a longer wedge and narrow jaw line made him look a little Siamese but a handsome exhibit. I regret that I did not feel justified in awarding cards to the other two kits in this class as they did not conform sufficiently to my interpretation of the Burmese standard. They had sweet temperaments and should make lovely pets but I hope they will be neutered soon. Female 5-9 mth 5: 1 Horne's Buskin's M-Hling, very good type with large bright well-set eyes and gently rounded top to head, very fine bone and silky coat, tail of good length but too whip, beautifully presented 2 Innocent's Procul Koko, very typical Burmese, close short coat but not as fine as winner's, eyes could be larger but were well set, well proportioned and with a good tail, promising 3 Evelyn's Kemow Mocha, good head, nice quality, shiny coat, rather shady today, eyes greenish but excellent for shade and setting, very lustrous r Boal's Freefolk Tanya, very fine bone, head a little flat between ears, eyes rather cold but well set, particularly good coat quality, well proportioned vhc Chapman's Procul Nadia, quite good type but obviously not at her best today, her coat was pale and shady and she had quite a bad pinch, probably teething. JOAN MERRY

Mrs M M Calder's classes

There was a large entry for this very well organised show, but I should think the gate may have been disappointing. Possibly due to the cold, very spring, the kittens on the whole seemed to me to be backward. On the other hand, and perhaps for the same reason, the neuters were in gorgeous coat and condition. Congratulations to Mrs Barron on putting on such a good show, and many thanks to my efficient steward, Mrs Holroyd, for her patient help on a hot and tiring day.

BLACK LH Kitten male or female 2-6 mth 6 (one abs): 1 Sanders' Chadhurst Black Rosebud, cobby little kitten with sound pure coat, only a little grey at ends of hair on ruff, well balanced head with neat ears, round, open eyes of good colour 2 Reynolds's Petriavian Rachel, also has a very good black coat, just a few white hairs, good head with firm chin, excellent eye colour, but her eyes might be larger 3 Absalom's Brynbuboo Black Muffet, silky coat, not quite so sound as those above, good width between ears, which are a little large and open r Shepard's Deebank Gay Cavalier, promising male kitten, round open eyes of good colour, snub nose, coat at present showing rusty tinge and pale undercoat, but of course, this often becomes a very good black when adult **BI-COLOURED LH** 1: 2 Baker's Opus Serenade, black and white, I regret I was unable to give this kitten a first prize as his markings are not close enough to the standard, well grown kitten with broad head and somewhat large ears, black markings are sound except for a few white hairs **AC Pairs**: Three pairs were taken out of this class and put in the brace class, as, according to the schedule, pairs must be of the same colour. 1 Taps's Goravon Melanie and Snow Queen, beautiful pair of whites, particularly Melanie, excellent type, with broad heads, neat ears and short noses, eyes perhaps might be larger, well prepared pure white coats 2 Sharp's Blyth Oscar and Honey, attractive Creams with sound coats of a lovely pale shade, good heads and body shape 3 Ford's Haising Bit D' Sunshine and Cute Cupid, Seal Colourpoints, typey kittens with nice body colour and suits darkening well 4 Dexter's Exhuma Sun Suku and Sherilee, creams with pale coats and balanced heads r Ford's Westbridge Imogen and Columbine, creams, striking eye colour, fairly sound coats, fail type **LONG HAIR** Kitten visitors 13: (one abs) 1 G Melanie 2 Cochran's Edelstein Nono, Cream of superb type, flat face with huge round orange eyes and snub nose, coat sound at roots, paler at ends 3 Knight's Mooncoin Trumpeter, Blue, pale even coat, strong head with broad muzzle and full cheeks, marred by weepy eyes r Hopkinson's Bonavia Cassandra, Chinchilla, nicely ticked coat, good eye colour, fails on type. MURIEL CALDER

Mrs A Ferguson's classes

Congratulations and thanks to Mrs Barron and the show committee of Kensington Kitten and Neuter Cat Club for another highly successful and enjoyable show. The New Horticultural Hall is an ideal venue for what was plenty of space for air to circulate on what proved to be a very hot and trying day, especially for the long haired exhibits. Everything possible was done to minimise the discomfort of the heat, and I am sure it would have been much worse had the hall not had such a lofty ceiling. My very grateful thanks to Jean Burton, who, as always, was a most competent steward and a most pleasant companion with whom to spend a

long day. AF

AOC SIAMESE Premier 2: 1 Pr Menim's Casmen Karensuando, most elegant Tabby Point with good length of body, long legs, good wedge head, good chin, very nice eye colour, correctly set, well placed ears, rings on tail could have been more clearly defined, lovely coat in beautiful glossy condition, but alas too dark on back however it is correct Seal Point colour and there was no barring on flanks or back 2 Wilson's Careyvale Cottage Tiger, very fine boned Tabby Point of good type, good wedge head, good eye shape, colour not as deep as is usual in Tabby Points but not by any means pale, large well set ears, very long whip tail but somewhat lacking in rings, coat in excellent condition **LILAC POINT** Novice Kitten 3-9 mth 22: (Abs, Bowman, King Deakin) 1 Follett's Jaylondee Dorchester, young male of excellent type, good length of body and legs, lovely wedge head with straight nose and profile, well set eyes but could be deeper in colour, good size well spaced ears, good whip tail but needs just a little extra length for perfection, coat in excellent condition 2 Clarke's Craigiehiloch Petunia, dainty female of really lovely shade of lilac nice firm wedge head, rather pale at the whisker pads, good shape eyes but need more depth of colour, large very well set ears, good whip tail, excellent coat condition 3 Shewbridge's Sundance Chantal, nice type and head, eye colour good but shape could be better, medium ears well set, fair tail, coat in good condition 4 Palmer's Jessie McBeath nice type kitten with medium wedge head, eyes nice shape and colour, but slight suggestion of squint in left eye, coat in excellent condition ex 4 Weldon's Meikierigg Stupid Cupid, nicely shaped head, but triangular rather than wedge, good eye colour, nicely set, good ears, fine whip tail, coat in lovely condition r Sayer's Edwardian Sweet Lavender nice type kitten with well shaped head but needs more length, good eyes and ears, coat in very nice condition **COLOUR POINT and LILAC POINT NEUTER** (ex Premier) 9: I was sorry not to be able to put the Colour Points higher in this class. Unfortunately, though good for Chocolates, they could not compete for evenness of points colour and depth of eye colour with the Lilacs. 1 Andriez Ch Tijha Ares, lovely Lilac with good long solid wedge head, very good type, excellent eye colour and shape, good size well set ears, lovely long tail, just a trifle solid coat in excellent condition, colour a very good even lilac 2 Lewis's Misyat Montise, another very pleasing Lilac with good colour contrast, good wedge head a little square in muzzle, very good eye shape and colour, nicely set ears, long whip tail, very good condition 3 Wakeford's Seebec Kinky Boy, nicely shaped wedge head eyes good shape but rather pale, well set ears, nice Chocolate but has spectacles today, good length tail with very small kink at tip, excellent coat r Brown's Aureia Adonis, a lovely boy who would have done much better had he not been so fat and heavy, very good long wedge head, good eye shape and colour, large well set ears, would have been lovely type had it not been masked by overweight, fair tail, points colour rather blue for Lilac **AC Speyed** female 7: 1 Cullen's Patrician Madonna fine boned and dainty, very nice type, good wedge head, very good eye colour but shape could be better, good even chin, large well set ears, good colour contrast, fair tail 2 Gerton's Mayfield Pearl, well shaped medium wedge head, very slight pinch, good eye colour but too round nicely set ears, fine whip tail, coat in lovely condition 3 Pressey's Margray Lilac Papillon, very nice type, good head shape, eyes rather pale, good ears for size and setting, whip tail but needs more length, lovely coat r Blunden's Druries Juno Yasitih, nice type, fair head shape and length slight pinch, very good eye colour but roundish, good ears, very nice condition. ALICE FERGUSON

Mrs Lauder's classes

The show was as beautiful as it always is, and I congratulate Mrs Barron and her helpers on doing a hard job so splendidly. My best thanks to Mrs Hamilton, who stewarded so well for me. I was a little disappointed in my open classes but the Siamese Cat Society of the British Empire's class provided two of the most beautiful kittens I have ever seen: Mr Shewbridge's Sundance Chantal, a Lilac Point which I could not fault, and Mr and Mrs Furber's Crown Jewel, Blue Point, which was unfortunate to be in the same class with Chantal. After looking very carefully at both, I found a faint suggestion of fawn at the root of her tail. She is almost faultless, and it seemed positively ungracious of Chantal to push her into second place. ML

SIAMESE CHOCOLATE POINT male 3-9 mth: 1 Galea's Craigiehiloch Choringo, very good type, eyes and colouring very correct, good ear placement, a little shading points not yet complete 2 Lewis's Misyat Marius, fine tail, good eye colour, sweet temper, head a bit short eye no pinch, good points-

colour 3 Shaw's Cheonsun Burnet, nice type, pale coat, points even colour 4 Leech's Beaumanoir Dixie, good type and tail eyes a bit pale, ears correct colour r Lewin's Dengor Yindee, has a thick tail, but an extremely pale coat and remarkably good eyes Female: 1 Bell's Seawitch Chocolate Cameo, wonderful type, fine tail, eyes correct shape and colour 2 Ball's Fangorn Fleur, remarkably good tail, good colouring and eyes, nice type 3 Flynn's Greenleaf Pochontas, fine head, good eyes and tail, nice colour r M Miriam SEAL POINT Breeders female 3-5 mth: 1 Thurman and Hefferman's Seawitch Deillah, pale coat, eyes too round, good type and lovely points colour 2 Burness's Windale Tina, fine tail, good eye colour, some shading, good dense points 3 Busk's Pukisong La Petite, dense points, some shading, good profile, she had torn up everything within reach r Stace's Dukies Spitchie Gig 5-9 mth female: 1 Collins's Pitti Sign, beautiful points, really good eyes for shape and colour, a little shading 2 Macalister's Kuala Dawn, very good profile, nice type and colour 3 Refe's Andora, good points, eyes too round, some 'ghost' marking r Hall's Sanskrit Gabriella AC Pairs 3-9 mth male or female: 1 Imlach's Chalmi Tambi and Chalmi Tokay, Blue Pointed with some shading but fine tails and beautiful eyes for shape and colour, extremely alike 2 Lawrence's Kamar Adonis and Kamar Apollo, tiny Seal-Tabby Pointeds, very well and cheerful but so small as to be difficult to assess, however, they were exactly alike 3 Humphrey's Ubon O'Chan and Ubon Orion, very alike, with beautiful ear placement, Orion is a fraction paler and has slightly the better tail 4 Baxter's Embee Kon and Embee Kooj, Lilac Points, very alike but Kooj has markedly the better tail r Baxter's Embee Krahn and Embee Kradum, tiny Blue Pointeds with good tails. PHYLLIS LAUDER

Miss Shirley Beever's classes

Good weather, a well organised show and a pleasant, excellent, steward, Mrs Barbara Plews helped to make this show most enjoyable for me.

CHESTNUT BROWN FOREIGNS 2-9 mth: 1 Mrs Sayer's Dandycoat Hula Dancer, female of good colour and type, well grown and an attractive cat, showing one or two white hairs, good head and eyes 2 Mrs Baxter's Embee Kawlek Tarn, male, type good but too dark in body colour, also showing white hairs 3 Mrs Hyde's Flurentine M'Bele, male, very young but of quite good quality, I consider this kitten too young to be shown. I am of the school that thinks three months should be the age of a kitten before it can be shown.

I refused to judge the Russian Blue kittens because of recent correspondence I have received. My reason for refusing was that as secretary to the Short Haired Cat Society, I wished to remain 'open minded' and impartial upon the conflicting opinions recently presented.

Having no other open classes there are some kittens I would like to comment upon. Mrs Absalom's Brynbuboo Britannia, although only three months old, shows great promise. I also liked Mr and Mrs Watts's Sireli Loretto. Miss Atchison's Amberwood Eleanor is a most attractive little Manx, I liked her very much.

I was pleased to see a kitten I had bred myself being shown, Fendale Impish. It was commented upon that he had a long-hair tail. Surely, this is better than the long tapering tails we are getting in some of the British. His type and colour are superb and better than his father's, the very well known Ch Fendale Imp.

Congratulations to Mrs Barron. Even though the show is over there will be no rest for her for several weeks. SHIRLEY BEEVER

Mrs Crickmore's classes

Congratulations to Mrs Barron and her committee on another lovely show. I enjoyed every minute of it. My thanks to my excellent steward, Miss L. Burmess. There were some lovely kittens in the classes that I judged. Several Blues and Creams were outstanding and should do well at the coming shows. The Blue Neuter premier class was a good one. The exhibits had long flowing coats in most cases in spite of the hot summer weather. Another pleasing thing was that all the neuters and kittens in my classes had excellent temperaments and seemed to enjoy the show and being handled which made judging so much easier.

BLUE Neuter 8: 1 pr Green's Georgian Eowyn, lovely cat, excellent type, good coat, full tail, good head with small ears, eyes a trifle deep set, my nomination for best in show 2 Davies' Ardwyn Jaxson, another lovely cat, close up to first, beautiful long pale coat, perfectly presented, excellent nose, eyes rather deep set and not quite as good in head as winner 3 Staples's Camella Zelah, very nice cat, good head, full coat but rather shady which is to be expected at this time of year r Shepard's Startops Rocky, very nice head with well placed ears, coat nice texture but short vhc Carr's Deebank Sapphire, I liked very much, lovely eyes for shape and colour, best eyes in class, but her coat was dark and very short, I would like to see her in full coat Maiden 2-9 mth male

7: First three in this class were very lovely kittens 1 Clarke's Tabask Persian Treasure, quite a baby, lovely type, pale, well groomed, soft coat, small ears 2 Orpin's Roburist Rohan, very nice, good type, slightly darker in colour, good head 3 Knight's Mooncoin Trumpeter, another of excellent type, good coat, short tail, lovely eyes r Turner's Lady-down Marquis, very typey, very short nose, strong chin but ears open at base and appeared too big for such a short face giving an unbalanced appearance. One kitten in this class was of excellent type but had a small kink at end of tail which of course put it down Female 5: 1 Cordell's Moonshine of Dunesk, beautiful kitten of excellent type, long pale, well groomed coat, chin could be a bit stronger but this should develop with age 2 Sutton's Blue Angel, very nice kitten, will have beautiful eye colour later, already showing copper, medium blue 3 Metcalf's Peela Fiona, another very good kitten, good coat, short tail, lovely eyes r Williams's Willanbet Imogen, pale coat but rather short **AC SELF** (except Blue) 11: 1 Fawell's Barwell Helios, exquisite Cream kitten of lovely type, excellent coat, my nomination for best kitten 2 Howes's Honeyism Cream Tarzan, Cream, good kitten, eyes rather pale at the moment 3 Sheard's Dinadan of Dunesk, very good Cream but coat very shady r Harrison's Milyndas Snowstorm, Orange-eyed White, short of coat on the day so ears appeared large Novice 17: Abs Whyte, Fletcher, Fawell, Sheard. The Cream kittens in this class were outstanding. 1 Clarke's Tabask Wild Honey, baby Cream, nice head, good coat, sweet kitten 2 Brunton's Dainty of Dunesk, another good Cream kitten, pale coat, nice head, firm chin 3 Stephenson's Ashdown Buttercup, Cream of very good type, good head, nice eyes, firm chin 4 Fawell's Barwell Flora, Cream, good type with pale coat r Sanders' Chadhurst Black Rosebud, Black kitten of very nice type, lovely eyes, coat rather shady **NEUTERS** AC LH Novice 8: Abs Hayes, Shepard 1 Plews's Champion Tehwit Camelia, FN, lovely type Cream, excellent head 2 Willey's Finchfield Valentino, MN, Cream, nice type, lovely eyes 3 Hoover's Pelote Alouette, Seal Colourpoint, fair type, nose rather long r Durbin's Nivehiv Snow Imp, MN, Blue-eyed White, excellent bone, not in full coat.

My other classes were club classes. One outstanding exhibit was in National Cat Club neuter class, Whitley's Pr Bonavia Balthazar, a magnificent Chinchilla in full coat (wonderful for time of year) and of excellent type. MARGARET E CRICKMORE

Mr F Tomlinson's classes

LH BLUE Male 2-3 mth 12: 1 Foster's Finchfield Vagabond, very good type, well balanced head, good skull with small well placed ears, eyes of good colour and wide open, short nose, good muzzle and chin, good body shape, nice coat, soft, pale and even in colour but like most of the Blues a little sunburnt, short tail 2 Clarke's Tabask Persian Treasure, good head and type, nice top of head, neat ears, good eye shape, eye colour not yet fixed, broad nose, nice muzzle and chin, cobby body, pale coat of good texture, even colour on top but darker at roots, short tail 3 Knight's Mooncoin Trumpeter, good head and type, good width of skull with ears well placed, ears a little open, short nose, good muzzle and chin, eye shape could be better, colour not yet fixed, soft pale coat, even colour r Howe's Honeyism Blue Viscount, not the type of those above, a little longer in nose and not quite so neat in ear, nice muzzle, good eye shape, promising colour, long pale coat of good texture (abs, Page, Whyte) Male 3-6 mth 5: 1 Sutton's Blue Angel, very good head and type, ears set well apart, good eye shape and colour, short nose, nice muzzle and chin, nice coat of good texture, fairly pale and even in colour, tail could be shorter 2 Sutton's Blue Toreador, brother to winner, good head and type, ears could be neater, good eye shape, promising colour, broad nose, full cheeks, nice soft coat, fairly pale and even in colour, tail rather long 3 Sutton's Blue Troubadour, another male from the same litter, similar kitten, ears could be neater, nice open face, good eye shape, colour not fixed, could be stronger in muzzle and chin, coat of good texture and even colour r Williams's Willanbet Ivan, nice broad skull with ears well set but a little open at base, good eye shape, promising colour, nose rather straight, a little pinched in muzzle, coat of good texture and even in colour vhc Judge's Honeyism Blue Admiral, good head and type, good top of head with tiny well placed ears, good eye shape and colour, nose a little straight, chin could be stronger, long coat, colour a little uneven, would have gone higher but for a defect at the tip of his tail Kitten 6-9 mth 1: 1 Wilde's Silverjoys Emma, female, good head with well placed ears, good eye shape and colour, broad nose, square muzzle, fair chin, appeared to be in between coats, a little harsh in texture, medium blue colour on top, pale at roots, rather a long tail **LONG HAIR** AC Breeders (ex Blue) self male 10: 1 Fawell's Barwell Helios, Cream of outstanding quality, excellent type, beautifully balanced head,

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