



Line and Lure



Line and Lure Editors: Connie Austin,
Ule James, Claire Redell

Send or call in news items, by the first week of the month
to: Ule James, 1905 Alton Drive, Champaign IL, 61821
(217-352-7136)

One-year subscription to the Line and Lure will be \$10.00
(Free newsletter to each member club). The racing secretary
for each club will get the club copy so please circulate it
to be fair. Each club gets its own newsletter but if you as
an individual want a copy please send subscription requests
with form located in the newsletter to Ule James: See
address above. Please make checks out to Ule James.

Newsletter will be published monthly from May to October and
every other month from November to April. We will try to
have the newsletter out mid-month depending on when we get
race results.

Newsletter classified advertising and Boasts and Brags:

**48 words	\$ 2.00
each additional 12 words	\$.50

Space permitting	full page	\$10.00
	half page	5.00

Classified advertising and Boasts and Brags will be run when
space is available. Please make checks out to Ule James.

The CWA and the Line and Lure take no responsibility for
statements or claims made in the advertisements that appear
in this publication.

Editor's note: Please correct the July 21, 1991 race meet results, put a 1 next to Saltwater as he and Charlie tied for first, and Saltwater is listed as 2.

Editor's note 2: Sorry about how long it took for the newsletter to come out but blame it on "planned obsolescence" of IBM computer screen monitors, we are leasing one until the old one comes back from repair so we should be on time from now on.

Funny tails

THE KODIAK KAMIKAZE- According to Abby

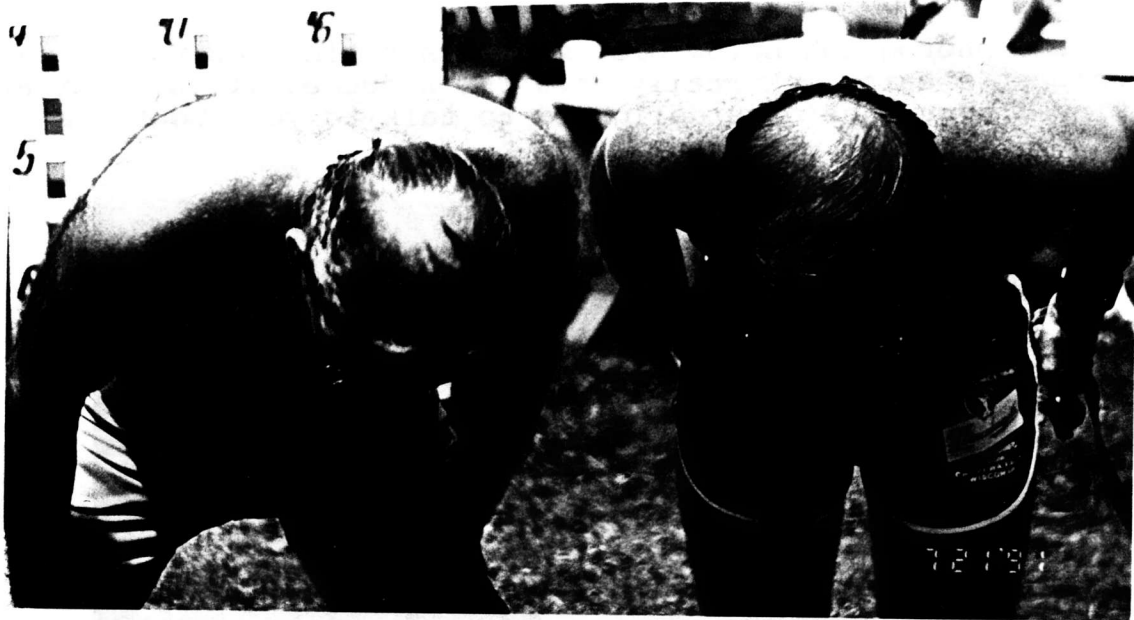
Hi there, whippet buddies! It's me again-Abby. I have another nifty game to tell you about. Any number of whippets can play, but you also need a dog of another breed, preferably a dumb one. Since we are obliged to share out living space and affection with Claire's son's Siberian Husky, Kodiak, we use her...gleefully, I might add!)

We could also call this game "Hassling the Husky". As far as we whippets are concerned, Kodiak is a not too bright, overgrown hairball. She would like to pretend she's a whippet by leaping on the couch with us, and that's when we nail her. We whippets are allowed to sit on the couch, but Kodi isn't because she's too galumpy and hairy. When Claire says, "Kodi, get off the couch", that's our cue to start the action. I start scolding her. I'm the leader. At first Kodi hides her face behind her legs because she thinks that if we can't see her eyes, she's invisible. How's that for stupid? It doesn't work on me, and I keep on scolding, telling her she'd better get her fat body off the couch or we will turn her into muttmeat. That's the cue then for Dakota and Iko to join in the game.

We are relentless and mercilous. Kodi starts sobbing like a dumb baby, but that tactic doesn't work either. We continue to verbally pound on her until she slithers off the couch and hides under the coffee table with her eyes still covered. Pitiful. Truly pitiful. Then we three wonderful whippets take out rightful places on "our" couch, giving Kodi sneaky smirks while she cries herself to sleep. All we have wounded is her dignity, but we've had a marvelous time doing it.

I don't have any other games to tell you about now, but if I invent any new ones, I'll let you know. Submitted by Abby Redell.

Which aircraft carrier landing strip would you pick if you were on the airplane to land on the carrier???



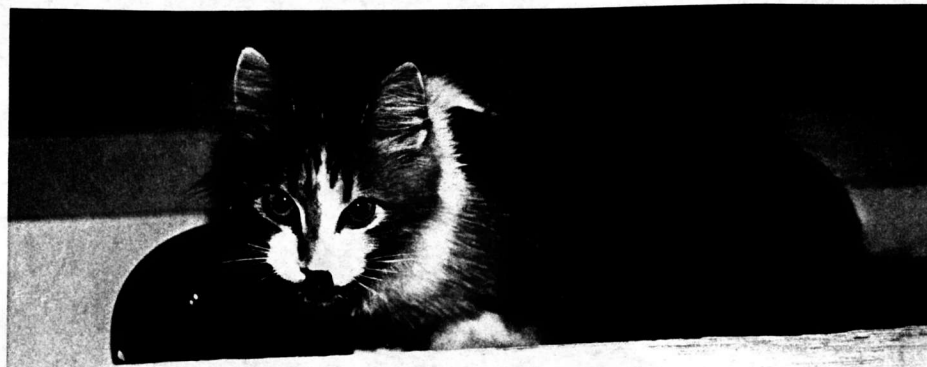
The newest fashion in whippet play, as modelled by Mighty Mite. This is very inexpensive neckwear, a car mitt with a hole at both ends, this enables the neck being chewed to be protected, and yet attracts other whippets to the neck. Mighty Mite voluntarily puts this on when noone is interested in playing with him so as to get their attention.



In the photograph below Ule is demonstrating how to make a whippet's ears look really good for a judge, if you want any tips I'm sure he'd be delighted to talk to you about his trick.



The newest edition to the Arthur household, a live hissing, spitting, clawing lure (Imagine this poor animal's surprise and horror?? at realising how many whippets she would be sharing the household with. It'll probably take her a few months at least to establish dominance over that pack).



Badgerland Whippet Club
 August 31, 1991
 Milwaukee, WI
 Race Conditions:: Cool, extremely windy, beautiful

RACE RESULTS
 Number competing 12 Adults 2 Puppies

Final place Adults	Starting Grade	Whippet's Complete Name & Titles	Owner's Surname	Total Pts	ARX Pts
1	A	Marial's Reata <i>Saltwater</i> ARX	Arthur/Strauss	29	
2	A	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Princeton</i> CD FbDX	Austin/James	21	3
3	A	Ch Marial's Palmeridge <i>Brandeis</i>	Almquist/Arthur	17.5	2
4	B	Swiftsure Luke's <i>Jayson</i> ARM ORC	Lukitsch	15	1
5	B	Marial's Reata <i>Firewater</i>	Arthur/Strauss	14	
6	B	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Auburn</i> CD	Wittman	13	
7	C	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Dakota</i>	Redell	10.5	
8	B	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Paris</i>	Arthur/Strauss	10	
9	D	Delacreme Belle <i>Coccinelle</i>	Curik	6	
10	B	Luke's Palmeridge <i>LeMans</i>	Lukitsch	4	
11	C	Proverbial <i>Sugar n Spice</i>	Randall	3	
12	B	Coggeshall's <i>Emissary</i>	Huff	0	
Puppies					
1	FTE Pup	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Cornell</i>	Austin/James	20	
2	Pup	Finghin Black <i>Moon</i> Rising	Owen	12	

CONFORMATION RESULTS Judge: June Mastracola

Eligibility	Whippet's name	Place
HS A	Marial's Reata <i>Saltwater</i> ARX	1
2nd HS A	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Princeton</i> CD FbDX	
HS A BOS	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Brandeis</i>	2
HS B	Swiftsure Luke's <i>Jayson</i>	
2nd HS B	Marial's Reata <i>Firewater</i>	3
HS C	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Dakota</i>	
2nd HS C	Proverbial <i>Sugar n Spice</i>	
HS D	Delacreme Belle <i>Coccinelle</i>	4
Puppy	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Cornell</i>	
BOS Pup	Finghin Black <i>Moon</i> Rising	

RACE PROGRAMS

Program 1
Puppy: Cornell, Moon
D: 12:75 Coccinelle
C: 12:58 Dakota, Sugar
B: 12:83 Firewater, Jayson, Paris, LeMans, Auburn, Emissary
HIPT: 12:19 Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis
Program 2
Puppy: Cornell, Moon
Race 1: Jayson, Auburn, Paris, LeMans, Emissary, Sugar
HIPT: Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis, Firewater, Dakota, Coccinelle
Program 3
Puppy: 9:96 Correll, Moon
Race 1: Auburn, Paris, LeMans, Coccinelle, Emissary, Sugar
HIPT: 12:40 Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis, Jayson, Firewater, Dakota
Program 4
Puppy: 10:17 Correll, Moon
Race 1: Auburn, Paris, LeMans, Emissary, Coccinelle, Sugar
HIPT: 12:08 Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis, Firewater, Jayson, Dakota



Marial's Reata Saltwater, ARX winner of Aug 31 and Sept 1 race meet competition.

Dairyland Whippet Club

September 1, 1991

Milwaukee, WI

Race Conditions:: Cool, windy, beautiful

RACE RESULTS

Number competing 13 Adults 3 Puppies

Final place	Starting Grade	Whippet's Complete Name & Titles	Owner's Surname	Total Pts	ARX Pts
Adults					
1	A	Marial's Reata <i>Saltwater</i> ARX	Arthur/Strauss	27	
2	A	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Princeton</i> CD FbDX ARX	Austin/James	22.5	
3	A	Ch Marial's Palmeridge <i>Brandeis</i>	Almquist/Arthur	18	3
4	B	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Auburn</i> CD	Wittman	15	2
5	B	Marial's Reata <i>Firewater</i>	Arthur/Strauss	14	.5
5	B	Swiftsure Luke's <i>Jayson</i> ARM ORC	Lukitsch	14	.5
7	C	Luke's Palmeridge <i>LeMans</i>	Lukitsch	11.5	
8	C	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Paris</i>	Arthur/Strauss	11	
9	C	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Dakota</i>	Redell	10	
10	D/FTE	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Calais</i>	Curik	6 (SCR)	
11	D	Delacreme Belle <i>Coccinelle</i>	Curik	5	
12	C	Coggeshall's <i>Emissary</i>	Huff	4	
13	D	Proverbial <i>Sugar</i> Spice	Randall	0	
Puppies					
1	FTE Pup	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Cornell</i>	Austin/James	18	
2	Pup	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Pepperdine</i>	Wegner	14	
3	Pup	Finghin Black <i>Moon</i> Rising	Owen	8	

CONFORMATION RESULTS Judge: Jean Schroeder

Eligibility	Whippet's name	Place
HS A	Marial's Reata <i>Saltwater</i> ARX	3
2nd HS A	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Princeton</i> CD FbDX ARX	4
HS A BOS	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Brandeis</i>	
HS B	Marial's Palmeridge <i>Auburn</i> CD	
2nd HS B	Marial's Reata <i>Firewater</i>	
2nd HS B	Swiftsure Luke's <i>Jayson</i> ARM ORC	2
HS C	Luke's Palmeridge <i>LeMans</i>	
2nd HS C	Marial Palmeridge <i>Dakota</i>	
HS D	Marial Palmeridge <i>Calais</i>	
2nd HS D	Delacreme Belle <i>Coccinelle</i>	
Puppy	Marial Palmeridge <i>Cornell</i>	
BOS Pup	Marial Palmeridge <i>Pepperdine</i>	1

RACE PROGRAMS

Program 1	
Puppy:	9:78 Cornell, Pepperdine, Moon
D:	12:94 Calais, Coccinelle
C:	LeMans, Dakota, Emissary, Sugar
B:	12:34 Jayson, Auburn, Firewater, Paris
HIPT:	12:72 Saltwater, Princetonn & Brandeis (tied)
Program 2	
Puppy:	10:03 Cornell, Pepperdine, Moon
Race 1:	12:31 Firewater, Paris, Emissary, Sugar
Race 2:	12:67 Auburn, Dakota, Coccinelle
Race 3:	12:30 Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis, Jayson, LeMans, Calais (SCR)
Program 3	
Puppy:	10:06 Cornell, Pepper, Moon
Race 1:	12:65 Paris, LeMans, Dakota, Emissary, Coccinelle, Sugar
HIPT:	12:06 Princeton, Saltwater, Brandeis, Firewater, Auburn, Jayson
Program 4	
Puppy:	9:72 Pepperdine, Cornell, Moon
Race 1:	12:69 Jayson, Paris, Dakota, Emissary, Coccinelle, Sugar
HIPT:	Saltwater, Princeton, Brandeis, Auburn, Firewater, LeMans



Marial's Palmeridge Princeton, CD, FbDX, ARX
second place on Aug 31 and Sept 1 race meet competition.

RACE SUMMARY SHEET					LAST MEET				2ND LAST			3RD LAST			AVG		NEWG
RTG	Dog's Name	Owner	SG	ARX	NARX	TRP	LOC	PL	PTS	LOC	PL	PTS	LOC	PL	PTS		
Adults																	
1	Marial's Reata Saltwater ARX	Arthur/Strauss	A	12	8.5	8	WI	1	27	WI	1	29	WI	1(TIED)	24	26.67	A
2	Marial's Palmeridge Princeton, CD, FbDX	Austin/James	A	13	2	7	WI	2	22.5	WI	2	21	WI	1(TIED)	24	22.50	A
3	Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis	Almquist/Arthur	A	13		6	WI	3	18	WI	3	17.5	OH	3	18.5	18.00	A
4	Marial's Swiftsure Finale	Arthur/Strauss	A	4		6	WI	3	18.5	WI	3	18		5	14.5	17.00	A
5	Palmeridge Duke	Corner	A			4	OH	4	17.5	OH	5	14.5	IL	5	16	16.00	A
6	Slades Palmeridge LaSalle	Henry	A			4	WI	7	14	WI	4	15.5	OH	3(TIED)	18	15.83	A
7	Marial's Palmeridge Auburn, CD	Wittmann	B	3		6	WI	4	15	WI	7	13		4	15.5	14.50	B
7	Swiftsure Luke's Jayson, ARM, ORC	Lukitsch	B	1.5		8	WI	5 (TIED)	14	WI	4	15	WI	6	14.5	14.50	B
9	Slades Bugle Boy Blu	Henry	B			4	WI	5	15	WI	6(TIED)	13	OH	6(TIED)	13	13.67	B
10	Marial's Reata Firewater	Arthur/Strauss	B	0.5		8	WI	5	14	WI	5	14	WI	9(TIED)	10	12.67	B
11	Slades Muddie Water, ARM	Corner	B			1	OH	8(TIED)	12							12.00	B
12	Marial's Palmeridge Paris	Arthur/Strauss	B			3	WI	9	11	WI	7	10	WI	5	14.5	11.83	B
13	Marial's Whippetree Ice Water	Healy	C			1	WI	8	11.5							11.50	B
14	Fox Run's Callie Kalbah	Dievans	D			1	OH	9(TIED)	11							11.00	B
15	Marial's Palmeridge Dakota	Redell	C			8	WI	10	10	WI	7	10.5	WI	9(TIED)	10	10.17	B
16	Ch. Shamasan Knock on Wood	Wegner	C			2		12(TIED)	7		8(TIED)	12				9.50	C
17	Luke's Palmeridge LeMons	Lukitsch	C			6	WI	7	11.5	WI	10	4	WI	9 (TIED)	10	8.50	C
18	Slades Bouncing Blu Bubbles	Henry	D			1	WI	11	8							8.00	C
18	Fox Run's Jockey	Sparks	D			1	OH	12	8							8.00	C
18	Blaz-N Kiwi Kate	Hadley	D			1	OH	11	8							8.00	C
21	Ch. Palmeridge Alexandria	Almquist/Arthur	C	1		4	WI	13	2	WI	13	5	IL	11	9.25	5.42	C
22	Delacreme Belle Coccinelle	Curik	D			5	WI	11	5	WI	9	6	WI	12	5	5.33	C
23	Fox Run's Pearl Necklace	Sparks	D			1	OH	13	4							4.00	D
24	Proverbial Sugar N Spice	Randall	C			3	WI	13	0	WI	11	3	IL	12(TIED)	7	3.33	D
25	Blaz-N Warm Wyndancer	King/Thatcher	C			1	OH	13	3							3.00	D
26	Coggeshall's Emissary	Huff	C			3	WI	12	4	WI	12	0	WI	12	0	1.33	D
Puppies																	
1	Mystic's Dash of Ash	Barrett	P				OH	1(PUP)	20							20.00	Pup
2	Marial's Palmeridge Cornell	Austin/James	P				WI	1(PUP)	18	WI	1(PUP)	20				19.00	
3	Marial's Palmeridge Pepperdine	Wegner	P				WI	2(PUP)	14	WI	1(PUP)	20				17.00	Pup
4	Finghin Black Moon Rising	Owen	P				WI	3(PUP)	8	WI	2(PUP)	12	WI	2(PUP)	12	10.67	Pup

CONFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	NTE	TOTPT
RTG Dog's Name	Owner						
1 Slades Bugle Boy Blu	Henry	2	2			4	16
2 Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis	Almquist/Arthur	2	1	1		5	15
3 Marial's Reata Saltwater ARX	Arthur/Strauss	1	1	2	2	8	14
4 Marial's Palmeridge Pepperdine	Wegner	2				2	10
5 Marial's Swiftsure Finale	Arthur/Strauss		1	1	1	3	6
5 Swiftsure Luke's Jayson, ARM, ORC	Lukitsch		2			3	6
7 Ch. Palmeridge Alexandria	Almquist/Arthur	1				2	5
8 Proverbial Sugar N Spice	Randall		1			2	3
9 Slades Bouncing Blu Bubbles	Henry			1		1	2
9 Ch. Shamasan Knock on Wood	Wegner			1		1	2
9 Fox Run's Callie Kalbah	Dievans			1		1	2
9 Blaz-N Warm Wyndancer	King/Thatcher				1	1	2
9 Marial's Reata Firewater	Arthur/Strauss			1		4	2
9 Marial's Palmeridge Princeton CD, FbDX, ARX	Austin/James				2	7	2
15 Palmeridge Duke	Corner				1	2	1
15 Delacreme Belle Coccinelle	Curik				1	3	1
Slades Palmeridge LaSalle	Henry					1	0
Marial's Palmeridge Paris	Arthur/Strauss					1	0
Marial's Palmeridge Auburn, CD	Wittmann					6	0
Marial's Whippletree Ice Water	Healy					1	0
Marial's Palmeridge Dakota	Redell					4	0
Mystic's Dash of Ash	Barrett					1	0
Finghin Black Moon Rising	Owen					2	0
Luke's Palmeridge LeMans	Lukitsch					4	0
Blaz-N Kiwi Kate	Hadley					1	0
Terms							
NTE=number times qualifying for conformation							
TOTPT=total points for all conformation events							
(5 pts for first, 3 points for second,							
2 pts for third, and 1 point for fourth)							
RTG=Rating based on TOTPT							



Aug 31, 1991, June Mastracola, L to R Doug with Saltwater, Gail with Brandeis, Brett with Firewater, Cheryl with Coccinelle.



Sept 1, 1991, Jean Schroeder L to R Gail with Pepperdine, Brett with Jayson, Doug with Saltwater, Jean with Princeton

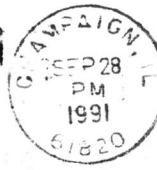
The second CWA double header race meet held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was every bit the successful event that the first one was. Mother Nature smiled on us and provided cooler temperatures than the July meet along with a brisk breeze on Saturday, which was heading towards the dogs as they ran. The track at Arthur's Acres is a little greener, a little thicker and a little drier than before. On behalf of all CWA participants, I offer our thanks to the Arthur's for all their time, money, and effort spent in developing a safe and secure track for CWA events.

Saturday's meet was dominated by Marial's Reata Saltwater. Undefeated in all four heats, "Salty" went on to win the conformation event that day under judge June Mastracola of Colacove Italian Greyhounds. "Salty" is owned by the Strauss/Arthur team. Salty may have hurried to the finish line fast, so as to pursue his romantic interest in Brandeis who studiously ignored him for the love of her life, the lure. Earning 3 ARX points that day and his ARX title as well was Marial's Palmeridge Princeton CD, FBDX, ARX. "Charlie" is owned by Connie Austin and Ule James. Congratulations on yet another title for this versatile whippet! Also earning ARX points on Saturday were Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis, 2 points, owned by Almqvist/Arthur and 1 point to Swiftsure Luke's Jayson, ARM, ORC who is owned by the Lukitsch's. It was also nice to see Brandy back in fine form. High scoring puppy was Marial's Palmeridge Cornell. The Saturday night potluck cookout was a great opportunity to kick back, relax and PIG OUT! A brisk, chilly wind kicked up however and caught some folks unprepared and perhaps saved others from consuming another 1000 calories or so!

Kathi Randall browsed through June Mastracola's sighthound jewelry collection but found herself in a dilemma in deciding between two nice pins. Oh, decisions, decisions. Which one should she buy? Ule James' opinion was solicited, but Ule just couldn't get past a certain part of Kathi's anatomy and focus on the pins. While pointing at the pin, located strategically on the shirt, Ule stated, "I don't like what's below here" (Well, who asked you anyway?). Ule even tried to cover up the distraction but still couldn't render an opinion. Connie never saw a more red faced Ule and neither did we! Ule claimed it was simply sunburn (just like the mud was always Charlie's fault!). Sunday dawned several degrees warmer and minus the cooling breeze. At meet's end, it was "Salty" again on top. By our count, this is the sixth meet win for this young dog. Charlie came in second and did manage to win one heat but that was due to the foul-up of the tangled string in the lure machine, which meant the dogs had to be removed from the box. Maybe we should develop some hand signals so the box loader knows what's happening or maybe we shouldn't to allow a hand signaling demonstration at both ends, kind of like Charades. I think Claire finally won the contest. Sunday's point winners were Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis earning 3 points, her littermate Marial's Palmeridge Auburn, CD earning 2 points and owned by Larry Wittman, 1/2 point to Marial's Reata Firewater, owned by Strauss/Arthur and 1/2 point to Swiftsure Luke's Jayson, ARM, ORC. Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis or "Brandy" also becomes the CWA's first Dual Purpose Champion. This is the highest level of achievement in the CWA and it recognizes the true dual purpose whippet exhibiting both speed and beauty. Congratulations to her owners on this fine achievement. Another first was the fact that Ule remained relatively clean throughout both days meets (except for his jewelry comments). Charlie succeeded in destroying yet another muzzle to the great dismay of Ule, who had high hopes for this one, as he had reconstructed 3/4 of the Halemar muzzle. But, the 1/4 left of Halemar's part broke, the plastic front, if you can believe it.

Sunday's conformation match was judged by Jean Schroeder of Willabe Whippets. She found Marial Palmeridge Pepperdine to her liking and placed her at the top of the competition. "Pepper" was second high point puppy that day and is owned by Dean and Gail Wegner. Mighty Night (alias Cornell) was high scoring puppy. Larry Wittman introduced the handicapping system which would reward the most improved dogs, for that particular race meet, i.e. those dogs which had the highest difference between their score at that race and their average score in the last three meets. This was proposed as an addition to, not a replacement for, regular awards which reward the top scoring whippets. Dogs receiving ARX points that day would not be eligible for this handicap award. The nice thing about this award is that it jumps around, and any dog doing well on a particular day can win.

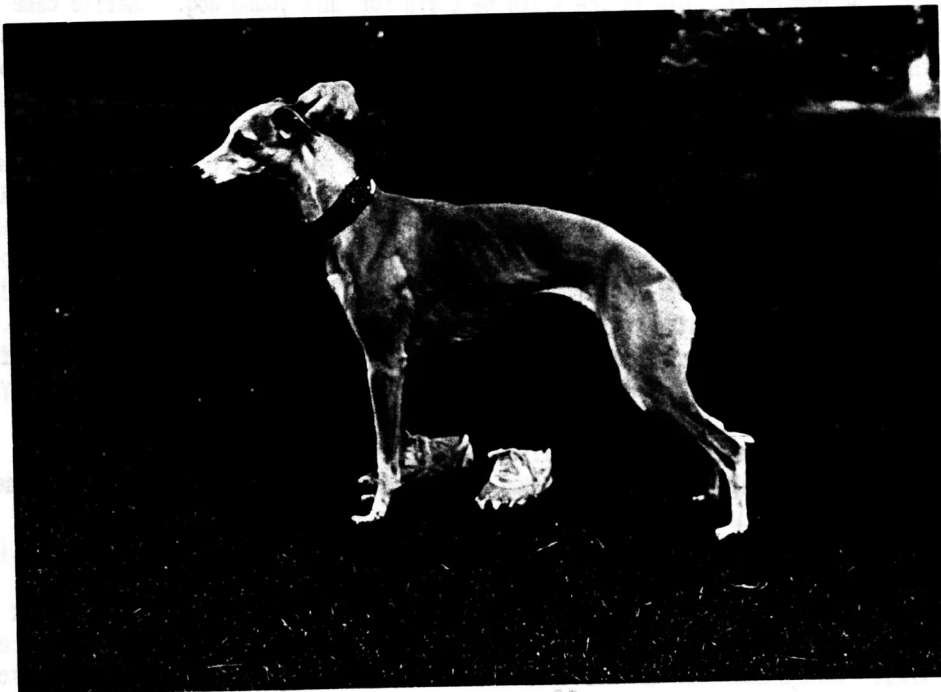
Gail Wegner



Line and Lure

Connie Austin & Ule James
1905 Alton Drive
Champaign, Illinois 61821

Mary Huff
621 Wayzata Blvd
Wayzata, MN 55391



Ch. Marial's Palmeridge Brandeis, third place
on Aug 31 and Sept 1 race meet competition