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— ON THE COVER —

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AM. MEX INT. CH. DEL SOL'S MIGHTY MURPHY (top right), finished his championship in 5 shows with four 4-point majors, from the puppy class. He is 4½ pounds, bright orange & very short backed. He is a group winner with many group placements. He has produced some beautiful pups, all of them heavy coated like he is **Murphy** was handled by **Mitch Wooten**.

DEL SOL'S THIS BUD'S FOR YOU (top left) shown at 8 months of age. A very heavy coated black & tan, sired by **Ch. Sun Ray's Bat Man**. Very short backed with exceptional markings and a beautiful head, **Bud** is now at home with his new owner **Nan Shartell** of Riverside, California.

DEL SOL'S MIGHTY MARGARET, a beautiful light orange female with a heavy coat, very short back and beautiful head. **Margaret** has 8 points and will soon return to the ring to complete her championship under the expert handling of **Don Walker**.

All of the **DEL SOL POMS** are linebred from the **Sun Ray** line of **Fern Rodrigues**. Special thanks to Fern for being a close and dear friend who has always been there for me. Fern's love of Poms keeps her believing in the newcomers, and she has been great help to many novices trying to get started.

Also, thanks to **Mitch Wooten** for expert care and handling of my Poms, and for a great friendship. Mitch is soon to retire and we will miss him in the ring.

We want to welcome **Don Walker** to the team - Don will be handling the **DEL SOL POMS** in the future.

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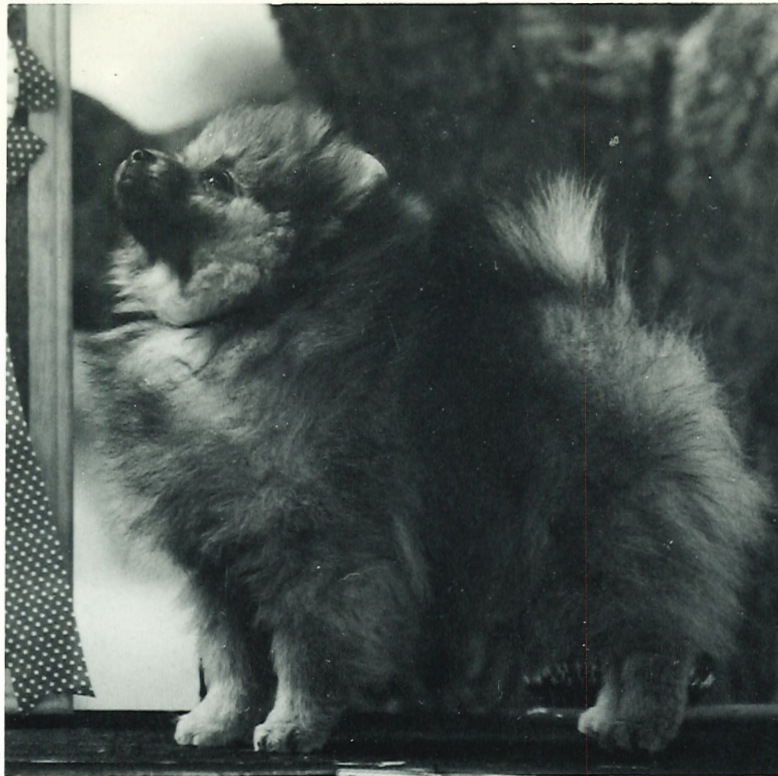


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- **Group II** - at 16 weeks of age - Match and Show News ABM, 6-19-88.

JJ makes his AKC debut in late August 1988. **JJ** is exclusively handled by **Glenn Bernardo** of **CROWNCREST POMERANIANS**. Watch for him — you can't miss him...

THE FORCE HAS ARRIVED!!

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Bill's Tiny Tyke

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SHOWSIGHT — FROM THE EDITOR

It has been brought to my attention that last month's editorial, in which we made mincemeat out of poor old Mr. Meyer, may have been slightly misleading. You see, a member of my family has suggested that I have had a memory lapse, and that possibly Michael was not *all* to blame for some of the things that happened, and that maybe, just *maybe*, I might have had a part in the planning and execution of several episodes of mischief. All I can say in response is that I find it high time to change the subject.



Sylvia Kelly has completed the move to another home and newer kennel to house her dogs. Sylvia reports that everything is going well, which means, of course, that everything is a disaster and you can't find anything because it's in another box that you forgot to mark and you miss your old butcher and shopping mall and you can't find the new bank. I've moved before — you can't fool me. And you can't cook because everything's packed up, so you have to rely on junk food restaurants for substandard nutrition...which of course leads us to the subject of the month: *The Dreaded Drive Up Window*. Now, everyone knows that I am the world's most fervent proponent of electronic gadgets modern conveniences, but I cannot tolerate those things, and sometimes I yearn for a return to days gone by.

Many made that trip at a recent cluster of dog shows, when the **Central Florida Kennel Club** hosted its **ROCK AND ROLL FIFTIES DOG SHOW**. Underwritten by **Kal Kan**, this affair was a gas; many luminaries of the dog show world were decked out like nerds and weirdos, some of whom normally aren't. **Duane Doll** looked like the guy everyone hated Freshman year, a real cool cat dressed to the nines. **Arlene Czech** dragged out her poodle skirt and bobby socks; **Alan Harper** was dressed like a grease monkey, and the editor was just grease, period. (Actually, not having been out and about in the fifties, I had no idea what to wear. I finally decided to dress like all the guys my big sisters weren't allowed to date; it worked.) **Dr. Leon Seligman** won the Best Men's Costume competition; **Linda Goldberg** did not win the Women's but she looked really rad; **Linda Rowell** looked, well, like anybody would look with two BISA on a Pug bitch, although it's hard to be sure because I don't believe it's been done before; there was a hula-hoop contest which was a riot; the live band was super, and there was even an *Elvis Impersonator* who had most of the place in a frenzy; I seized the opportunity to catch a quick nap - I like those acts almost as much as drive-up food machines. All in all, it was great, and I think these affairs are a terrific addition to the sport of purebred dogs. Congratulations are in order to the Club, to its President **Diane Albers**, and to all the individuals who made it possible.

And speaking of moving, and we were at one point, other Pom fanciers are settling into new abodes. **Jessie Stephens** has moved from Maryland to Washington state, of all places, and we wish her good luck in her new home. And of course the **Ken Miller vs. Eleanor Miller** split has everyone in an uproar. You see, Ken has been transferred to Ohio, and Eleanor is still here in Florida waiting for her house to sell. (And with our help it won't be soon. We've been hiding out on the corner, and when prospective buyers approach, we holler out "*You don't want to live on THIS street, Oh No! Not this street!*") The would-be buyers take a powder, and we get to enjoy Eleanor's company longer.) But although they're apart, they still visit each other from time to time. The other day, after one of Eleanor's weekend visits, one of Ken's new neighbors asked "Who was that lady I saw you with last night?", and Ken replied, "That was no lady, that was my wife!"

DO YOU STILL BEAT YOUR MOTHER Department...And not to be outdone, son **Randy Miller** is making waves. With all the moving and confusion, Randy threw his hands in the air, bought a Pom of his own, and NOW THERE'S ANOTHER MILLER WINNING IN THE RING. Keep up the good work, Randy!

And now, back to the subject if there was one. Of course, as far as pickup windows go, they are not exactly new. I was

around when the first one opened in Schaumburg, Illinois, or wherever. Sheila and I were tooling around, acting cool in a convertible, and decided have a little fun with this new contraption. We zoomed on up, got our two large Fries and Cokes, leaned close to the microphone and screamed at the top of our lungs, "*See you later alligator! After awhile, crocodile!!!*" We burst into fits of pealing laughter, I tromped down on the gas pedal and *killed the engine*. And we had to sit there for fifteen minutes like two idiots, while everyone in the restaurant glared out the window at us. Making improper use of the intercom system is just not tolerated in Schaumburg, Illinois.

Actually, pickup windows have been the source of three embarrassing experiences for me; that was only one. One day I was in need of a foot-long chili dog. These are not easy to find in my area, but I decided to try; you never know what new little item they are trying to peddle to a long-suffering public. I rolled up to the menu board and began to search for a foot long chili dog. A squawky voice piped up: "Welcome to Le Quic Burger. May I take your order?" I asked for a moment to ponder the offerings, and two seconds later the voice was back, more forceful than before. "Welcome to Le Quic Burger! May I take your order?" I said I wasn't quite ready. One second later they hit on me again. "WELCOME TO LE QUIC BURGER! MAY I TAKE YOUR ORDER???" I said thanks but no thanks, I couldn't find anything on the menu that I wanted. "WHAT?", the voice squawked, "EXCUSE ME, SIR?" I repeated, *Thank you, but I wanted a chili dog and you don't have one, so I'll just be on my way*. As I pulled past the delivery window I glanced in...there was the Voice, the Manager, the Assistant Manager, and several other people in dumb-looking uniforms glaring at me with unconcealed irritation. Loitering in the pickup lane without purchase is considered *outré* at Le Quic Burger.

One day I was rushing home from the post office. I was also rushing to beat an impending thunderstorm, a pretty bad one from the looks of things. And yet I felt in need of a junk food fix. I roared into the Taco place and as I pulled up the rain came down. Buckets of it, complete with high gusting winds and booming thunder. I ran my window down, shouted my order, then ran the window back up. The machine said something. I ran the window back down, repeated the order, then ran it back up. The machine said something else. Gingerly, I opened the window a crack and asked it to repeat itself. This time I heard clearly and as I opened my window to shout *NO I DO NOT WANT ANY FRIJOLES RESFRITOS* the wind changed, and a great gush of rain hit me in the face, as if someone had thrown a bucket of water. And the most unfortunate part was that I, in surprise and irritation, bellered a most unfortunate four letter word which even more unfortunately was broadcast throughout the whole unfortunate restaurant. You should have seen the looks I received as I attempted to collect my six Burrito Supremes and Four Beefy Tostados. Shrieking profanity into the intercom is frowned upon at *Taco Rapido*.

Enough already. We're on our way to England - we'll tell you about it next month. Until then, **POMS AWAY!** **JMcG**

HAPIAN POMS



EMCEE'S WEE GOLD YETTA

Jolie has had a busy summer. She is shown here going Winners Bitch at Union County Kennel Club under judge **Mr. Raymond Swidersky**. She also went Winners Bitch at Plainfield Kennel Club, Winners Bitch at Greenwich Kennel Club and she went Winners Bitch at Twin Brooks Kennel Club under judge **Mr. Richard A. Koester** for a 4 point major.

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TOP TWENTY POMERANIANS

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Presently we find a number of Poms making their impact in Specials competition. In order to keep you informed as to the progress of these hard-working members of the breed, we are pleased to offer you SPECIALS ADDITION.

SPECIALS ADDITION is your monthly rating system of the Top Twenty Pomeranians in the United States. Rules for the rating system are as follows:

Breed points (not to be confused with AKC Championship points) are allotted to individuals according to the highest placement received in any given AKC show, as reported in the American Kennel Club Show, Obedience and Field Trials Awards Book. Only this source will be used for point awards. A number of points has been allotted to the various placements,

and they are as follows:

BEST IN SHOW (All Breeds).....	500
BEST IN SHOW (Specialty).....	250
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX (Specialty).....	75
TOY GROUP FIRST.....	250
TOY GROUP SECOND.....	150
TOY GROUP THIRD.....	75
TOY GROUP FOURTH.....	25
BEST OF BREED.....	10

Statistician: SUSAN WADE. The following is the listing of the Top Twenty Pomeranians for 1988, as compiled from the JANUARY-JULY 1988 AKC GAZETTE.

POINTS	NAME (Owner)	BISA	BISS	BOSS	I	II	III	IV	BOB
7000	CH. GREAT ELMS PRINCE CHARMING II (D)..... (Piazza/Baker, Owners)	4	1	-	12	9	4	2	5
1775	CH. GREAT ELMS PRIDE AND JOY (D)..... (B. Stetson, Owner)	1	-	-	3	1	4	1	6
2070	CH. GREAT ELMS PRIDE AND JOY (D)..... (B. Stetson, Owner)	3	-	-	4	1	4	2	8
1410	CH. PRECIOUS PETITE'S GABRIEL (D)..... (C. Pfeffer, Owner)	-	-	-	4	2	1	1	1
1215	CH. APOLLOETTE MOONLITE GAMBLER (D)..... (M. & M. Presser, Owners)	-	-	-	2	2	4	1	9
1140	CH. LANA'S TOP PRIORITY (D)..... (Craig/Ejchorszt, Owners)	-	-	-	-	5	4	2	4
855	CH. PEDRON'S DRAGON THE CONQUEROR (D)..... (Galindo/Welch, Owners)	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	3
755	CH. CHRISCENDO CALVIN KLEIN (D)..... (Hertz/Miller, Owners)	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	3
635	CH. WHARTON'S SEPPI VON HONIG (D)..... (Coke/Wharton, Owners)	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	6
625	CH. TEXICAN'S GIANT KILLER CHULA (D)..... (N. Gad, Owner)	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	5
600	CH. SOUTHLAND'S MR VIP O'IDA (D)..... (Creed/Jenner, Owners)	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	5
*575	CH. CLAIRMONT'S CAROLINA DELITE (B)..... (L. Bryson, Owner)	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	10
*575	CH. MIXON'S ROSSI OF FRIPP (D)..... (L. Collings, Owner)	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	15
570	CH. IDA'S TOUCH OF BEV-NOR (D)..... (Hageman/Tarver/Creed, Owners)	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	2
520	CH. TIM SUE'S HIGH LIGHTS (D)..... (Luginsland/Goddard, Owners)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
515	CH. SYSAME CLEAN SWEEP (D)..... (S. Schlien, Owner)	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	4
485	CH. HERD'S LITTLE YO YO (D)..... (B. Gibbs, Owner)	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1
430	SHY ACRES OUR MAN FRIDAY (D)..... (N. Burnette, Owner)	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	3
415	CH. STOLANNE THUNDERBOLT THOR (D)..... (F. Stoll, Owner)	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	4
385	CH. BELLS GRANDSTAND ROWDY (D)..... (B. Bell, Owner)	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	16
360	CH. SOUTHLAND'S TOAST TO BEV-NOR (B)..... (Creed/Payne, Owners)	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	6

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This was *Comet's* first show with Pat and her new owners.

Comet's breeder is **Ann Cannon**.

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A CANADIAN BREEDER'S POINT OF VIEW

by *Karen Bradshaw*

CANADIAN POMERANIAN CLUB

Hi! It's me again. I thought it would be a good idea to fill you people in on our Canadian Pomeranian Club. I am one of the founding members and like to help out whenever possible. A lot of our membership contribute by writing articles in the newsletter, advertising, donations for special shows and volunteer work. Here is a list of our new executives for 1988:



President:

Gerda Hill, Chilliwack, B.C.

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As you can see, our executives are from across Canada from East to West coast.

As a Club we put out a bi-monthly newsletter in a magazine format. Members across Canada advertise to pay for the newsletter's publication expenses. Because we exchange articles on breeding problems, etc., we are brought closer together. We all know each other, if not personally, in print. Also we receive news of upcoming events, and we publish a litterbasket page. I will try to keep you up to date on the Pomeranian news in Canada.

Our Club is putting on its 2nd National Specialty at Confederation Park in Regina, Sask., July 9, 1988. here is a schedule of the events and the judges:

July 8, 1988: **Puppy Sweepstakes.** Judge: **Marg Moran McQuinn** of Regina, Sask.

July 9, 1988: **Specialty.** Judge: **Mr. Kenneth Miller**, Lakeland, Florida. These events take place at a regular championship show, July 8,9, & 10, 1988.

Since this show will be history by the time you read this, and not at time of writing, I will forward the show results at a later date. Also, if you are interested in the dogs showing in Canada, I can send in the show results when possible.

Here is a list of the top Pomeranians in Canada as of February 1988. I will send in an updated list when it's available.

1) Am. Can. Ch. Great Elms Shining Starr

Total Canadian Points: **2812**

Owners: **N. Dunfee & C. Roberts**

2) Ch. Luxton Forever Perri Pickle

Total Canadian Points: **2082**

Owner: **Leslie Rogers**

3) Ch. Valleybrook Jolvin Cavalcade

Total Canadian Points: **486**

Owners: **J. & M. Beech**

4) Ch. Tiniest Toy's Fine 'N Dandy

Total Canadian Points: **459**

Owner: **J. Noonan**

5) Ch. Fanfare's Twinklin Red Robin

Total Canadian Points: **154**

Owners: **C. & D. Berry**

6) Am. Can. Ch. Harbin's Time To Pop The Cork

Total Canadian Points: **119**

Owners: **I. & S. Harbin**

7) Ch. Chriscendo Castle Rock

Total Canadian Points: **102**

Owner: **Matt Heindle**

8) Ch. Tiperon's Dandy Lion

Total Canadian Points: **88**

Owner: **J. Noonan**

9) Silver Meadows Make My Day

Total Canadian Points: **69**

Owner: **P. A. Martz**

10) Ch. Debonne's Sid Vicious

Total Canadian Points: **67**

Owner: **P. Wiebe**

Getting back to the work our Club is doing - for a long time now the Canadian Kennel Club has printed the size of the Pomeranian in our Standard as 4-6 pounds, which was a printing error. For years now our Secretary, Til, has tried to get them to correct this error. Well, she did it! Our Standard now reads: **7 Pounds and Under; preferred size 4-5 lbs. for show.** There are also some colour changes we will be working for in the years to come. Brindle and Black & Tan are not recognized colours to date. Parti Poms are only allowed in orange/white and black/white. As you see, we have our work cut out for us.

If any of you have any information or comments on these articles, they would be greatly appreciated. **Bye for now...**

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LOCAL POMERANIAN EDUCATION NETWORK

by Sally Baugniet

As you know, your **American Pomeranian Club** Board of Directors has appointed me to be the Pomeranian Education Coordinator. A.K.C. has just expanded the education network to encompass representatives on the local level throughout the entire United States.



Because exhibitors of various breeds have questioned judges' knowledge in some of the breeds they judge, A.K.C. is going all out to educate judges. They encourage judges to learn more about the breed through seminars, discussion of the breed with breeders, reading books, studying the standard, video and any illustrations or interpretations of the standard that may be available.

The purpose of the local E.C. will be to organize an occasional Pomeranian seminar, disseminate information to area judges and Pom fanciers, and to assist A.K.C. in their new hands-on testing of a breed for which a judge has newly applied. The local Pomeranian E.C. will contact their area Pomeranian people to have the needed Poms available for any Hands-On Testing A.K.C. may want to set up in that particular area. The only thing local E.C.'s will need to do at this time is to contact these local Pom people and set up an education committee to assist them. Local clubs could contribute greatly by preparing educational materials not available from the A.P.C. As this is done, please send information updating your accomplishments.

Any other Pom person willing to serve on an education committee in their area please contact me. I will publish the name of the local Education Coordinators in the next Pom magazine or when the organizations of E.C.'s is complete. I thank everyone in advance for the effort put forth in the education of our breed to the many interested people.

The listing of books available on the Pomeranian is completed. If there are any that I have not included, please send this information to me. I will add them to the list.

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Inheritance of Coat Color in Dogs by Little. (Howell)

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Reference Material Addresses For Judges and Breeders

Magazines:

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Denlinger's Publishers; P.O. Box 76, Fairfax, VA 22030.

T.F.H. Publications; 211 West Sylvania Avenue, Neptune City, NJ 07753.

W. & G. Foyle Ltd., 119 Charing Cross Road, London, W.C.2

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TOP TEN EXHIBITORS

★ JANUARY-JULY 1988 AKC GAZETTE ★

Welcome to UPDATE, your monthly rating list of breeders and exhibitors out there winning points in the show ring. As most all serious Pomeranian fanciers are, in one way or another, involved in campaigning their Poms for AKC Championship points, we feel that it is important to keep tabs on the Pomeranian doings in this area.

The procedures for tallying the point scale are as follows:

The source for all points is the official show awards book of the AKC Gazette. Only this publication will be used for point credits. Exhibitors are credited with all AKC Championship points won in the Gazette year, and published monthly according to appearance in the Gazette. As keeping track of each and every AKC show in the United

States is an onerous task (accomplished diligently by AKC), many times the actual show dates will vary from the date of publication (i.e.- a September show may not be published until December.). The Gazette year, as a rule, runs from about November of the previous year until September of the present calendar year.

Points are allotted to THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE DOG AT THE TIME OF COMPETITION.

Statistician: Susan Wade. Any questions concerning UPDATE may be addressed to the editor.

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Flora was born of good parents, non-related but whose pedigrees were similar and should have been compatible. Flora progressed just like any other potential show Pom, and at the age of nine months was super heavy coated, trained and thought to be ready for the ring. Then she came into season. Nothing remarkable about this season, but shortly afterward Flora began to have sporadic, brief stagger fits. She would look at you as if she had just imbibed four martinis *and* the olives, keel over and before you could rush to her aid she was on her feet, wobbly but alert and smiling. No caloric supplement ever reached her fast enough to aid in her recovery, and none administered on a routine basis prevented the 'staggers', so a sugar kid was ruled out. Neither did Flora arrive quickly enough to the veterinarian's for one of her staggers to be witnessed by a professional. And after several thorough exams and many tests the vet finally looked at Flora's owner with a questioning eye. "Uhh," he said, "maybe you are overworked or something. There's nothing wrong with the dog. She's healthy as a horse!"

So — It was Flora's owner that was the neurotic, not the dog! This Flora's owner might have believed had she not had one withering eye on her checkbook, plus being in possession of the knowledge that vets (blessed though they be) have an uncanny way of separating one's checks from their book.

But *AHA!*; the vet could not deny the bloom of pink patches where the lioness's undermane used to be. Flora lost her undermane and her bib was not a gorgeous shade of peony pink! For the moment, however, the 'martini' staggers ceased. Skin scrapings, medicinal baths were taken, no cause surfaced and no medication helped. Flora was, over a period of time, checked for: Heart problems, diabetes, epilepsy, under-or over-active thyroid, improperly acting kidneys, liver trouble, adrenalin, hormonal imbalance, and glucose difficulty. She was pronounced 'healthy as a horse'. After a while Flora's pink patches faded, her coat grew in and she was again entered in upcoming shows. The day after entries closed Flora's skin was normal but her guard hairs began to fall out! The undercoat remained firm, but only a few scraggly weeds straggled from what had once been a beautiful garden. The 'coatless wonder', Flora's owner dubbed her, but Flora's owner wasn't laughing. The show dates passed, Flora stayed home, eating well and playing merrily. Then, in a few months, the pink patches came back on the chest, and the staggers began again at the same time. Sometimes she staggered once a week, sometimes but once a month, and none of the fits lasted more than a minute from onset to end. But the strange thing was Flora never chose to get 'drunk' outside her home environment. A closet alcoholic, do you think? A trip to the vets, or to visit friends, or three hours on a long distance car ride...no staggers. But Flora's owner was certain that Flora wasn't drinking at home, either!

Flora was taken round to visit several different vets. Nothing was found, but one vet, a specialist in the reproduction field, sug-



gested Flora be bred. *BE BRED???* Well, it was a thought dear to her owner's heart, but under these auspices? But Flora was bred, her owner promising Flora that no resultant pups would be sold. Flora didn't seem to mind. Rather, she flourished like the proverbial green bay tree. Her coat came in by the bushel lot. She was bouncy, pleased with herself and 'sober'. No staggers. But then there were no puppies, either.

No puppies, but there is always showtime and Flora was once more in great coat. When Flora's owner's husband came in from the kennel quarters one afternoon — after entries had closed — shouting "*THAR SHE BLOWS!*", Flora's owner knew he wasn't talking about Moby Dick. This time Flora was taken, checkbook in hand, to the College of Veterinary Medicine in Gainesville, Florida. Flora was quite a sensation up there. She spent two nights and three days on what turned out to be a happy holiday for her. The vets there even assigned a special assistant, a very pretty young lady, to sit up nights with Flora, watching TV, to catch Flora 'sneakin' a drink and gettin' drunk'. Flora passed herself off as a teetotaler and as well managed to convince the vets in Gainesville that her owner was the nut!

"*But the pink patches are there...*", Flora's owner cried. They smiled at her in Gainesville. Then seeing Flora's owner's temperature rise, they suggested a flea allergy. *FLEAS?* You know, one itsy-bitsy flea and the antihistamines go crazy and little pustules raise up all over. Ok, Ok. So Flora went happily home and was flea-combed daily. If they jumped on they jumped off again just as quickly. Six months passed, Flora had one stagger fit, her coat again returned to normal, and upon consultation with the dogs in Gainesville Flora was once more bred. Ovulation smears were taken daily, the male was checked, the breedings were excellent, and the samples of Flora's blood and smear specimens were sent off to Gainesville. Flora flourished as before. But there were no puppies. Three months later Flora had peony pink patches all over her chest and three stagger fits in one week. One final experiment remained to be done. An exploratory operation was suggested, and after much soul-searching by Flora's owner it was done. The only thing the surgeon found unusual in Flora was that her reproductive organs were no bigger than a cat's! But then the surgeon said that he had never seen the reproductive organs of a five pound Pom unless he were sectioning and the organs were swollen by pregnancy. So? *Don't ask me — I'm only telling the story.* But to shorten it Flora remained in OLYMPIALAND until she was five and a half years old. There were good times and bad. Stages of heavy coatedness, normal seasons (no more matings), then the staggers and the pinkies. At four years of age the pinkies finally left for good, but the staggers became more frequent and of longer duration. The local vet finally got to witness one of a half-hour duration. After these, Flora would get to her feet, wag her tail, look a little 'tipsey-eyed' and then bounce back to play.

A beginning, a middle, and an end, Aristotle taught, is to every story a necessity. The end has come for Flora today. Flora is leaving OLYMPIALAND to go to a very special home with a very special lady who is the wife of a very special veterinarian who is going to very specially spay Flora and keep her as long as she lives, 'on the wagon or off'. But OLYMPIA and her operator, Flora's owner, are always going to be wondering whatever made Flora a world's wonder. *Do you know?*

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Secretary's Page

CAROLINA POM CLUB*...On June 11 the first meeting of the **Carolina Pom Club*** was held, with approximately 25 people in attendance. The meeting was held at **Ken Griffith's** house in Kannapolis, NC. As this was the first meeting, the day was spent electing officers, board members, and going over all the rules and regulations set down by AKC for beginning clubs.

We have a great group, everyone seems very enthusiastic, and we have a lot of great ideas planned for this Club. One such idea is to have a match, which met with a favorable response.

After the meeting was adjourned there were wonderful refreshments, and the new AKC video was shown. This was also a great time to talk with old friends and meet many new and interesting friends who share our love of Poms. And you know how it is with us Pom people; we start talking dogs and some of us just don't know when to go home. We know who we are.

The next meeting is planned for September 24 and will have already been held by the time you read this so watch for our next report. Our official meeting place is Ken Griffith's house at 4345 Rogers Lake Road, Kannapolis, NC 28081. We have decided to hold the club meetings quarterly. We will also have a newsletter that will allow members to list puppies that they have for sale.

If you are interested in joining the **Carolina Pom Club*** contact **Lance Bryson** at 535 Huffman Mill Road, Burlington, NC 27215 or myself for an application.

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POET'S CORNER

A bushy tail, a button nose
Pricked-up ears, and tiny toes;
And cute the face that be surround
by fur as soft as a billowy cloud.
Though small and trim, a dainty thing,
'Tis great the happiness he does bring.
Those almond eyes alert with glee
That gaze with joy and love at me;
No greater friendship, no bond so strong,
Than that of mine and my little Pom.

For my wonderful Pomeranian "Whisky"

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"LETTING GO"

*That special little fellow there, playing with the rest
is sold - on hold - all picked out (and I seem to love him best)
Of this pom litter, I offered one, for sale as we often must;
One was sable, one was cream, and one was red as rust.
A deposit made, weeks ago, picked out the Rusty-Red
All were very special pups, but I chose the other two instead.
Now as the time draws ever close, to let 'Rusty' go
I find my mind working overtime, to find a way to say no.
This little one has wriggled his way, right into my heart;
Sitting there looking at me - he gives a tiny bark.
Bright button eyes don't miss a thing - from his pen he watches me
He whines coaxing to be picked up, to be out & running free.
I really didn't pick him out for special attention at all...
I just seemed to happen & before I knew it, he was the one I'd call.
The other two are just as cute, & very promising, too;
But there always seems to be a certain one that takes a liking to you.
Maybe it's his quick response, to sounds, & smells, & love;
For he is always first to come, while the others push and shove.
I know I just can't keep them all, but it does tear at your heart;
When after weeks of 'T.L.C.' the time has come to part.
The Lady called me, just today - "Is he ready to be mine?"
With heavy heart, I said, "He is - he's doin' extra fine."
I pick him up and hold him close, my little bit of fluff;
The price I quote, way back when, just doesn't seem enough.
He nestles up against my neck, & licks my nose & cheeks;
How can you feel so very much, in only 6 short weeks?
In every litter there's always one that steals your heart away;
It's never easy letting them go, when your heart wants them to stay.
But a promise made & deposit paid means he belongs to Mrs. Dow;
So with sad heart I'll give him up, and try to smile...somehow.
Pom Puppies are the Dearest ones, in all the world, I know;
No one can resist their beguiling ways, for love, for pets, for show;
And so, next year, when the time comes near, & a new litter to tend,
I will try to refrain from getting attached again
to a Pom puppy only on "lend".
Sitting here on the floor, playing with him now,
Tomorrow she comes to take him home; I'll say Goodbye, somehow.
So it is with each Pom-child we let go;
Giving up - but getting back - the love we know will grow.
TAKE CARE, GOD BLESS YOU, MY TINY RUSTY RED,
MUCH LOVE & NEW FRIENDSHIPS AWAIT YOU UP AHEAD.
YOUR NEW FAMILY WILL BE GOOD TO YOU I KNOW:
AND PART OF MY HEART WILL BE WITH YOU...
NO MATTER WHERE YOU GO.
Someone once said "You can't package love for sale" - well, I guess they
never bought a Pom Puppy.*

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