



IRISH TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA

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NOTE:—This is the third of a series of bulletins your officers will issue from time to time on activities believed to be of interest to the membership. If you have bulletin material send it to the secretary.

BULLETIN NO. 3—AUGUST 1944

1945 WESTMINSTER CLASSES TO BE MADE CLUB'S ANNUAL SPECIALTY—AMOUNTS OFFERED IN CLASSES DEPEND ON MEMBERS' RESPONSE TO APPEAL FOR CONTRIBUTIONS—WIDE DISTRIBUTION OF CLUB'S ANNUAL TROPHIES JUSTIFIES TERMS OF COMPETITION.

To Members of the Irish Terrier Club of America:

Following a poll of the club governors which showed practically unanimous approval of the idea, your officers have decided to make the Irish Terrier classes at the 1945 Westminster Kennel Club show the club's annual specialty. Announcement of classes, prize money and other matters concerning the event will be made as soon as these details are arranged. As most of you probably are aware, Westminster officials have selected our secretary-treasurer to judge the breed at their 1945 event.

What we can offer in the way of cash specials and in the regular classes (as well as at other shows throughout 1945) depends on the extent of contributions to the club fund for this purpose. Please consider this an appeal for such contributions. The more generous they are, and the sooner they are made, the better position we will be in to complete show arrangements. As usual, contributions should be sent to the secretary-treasurer, Howard C. Rice, Brattleboro, Vt.

In a sense, this 1945 event will be the club's first show of the recovery period, and it will be of great help to the breed if it brings out a large number of youngsters to serve as foundation stock for the future. All evidence points to a definite revival of interest in Irish.

So mail your specials contribution today, and then start looking over your young stock with a view to determining what you will show

at Westminster next February.

In 1936 a committee was appointed to recommend improvement in the annual trophies then offered by the Irish Terrier club. The committee found that since its annual awards and competitions were competed for entirely at shows held in New York City, competition tended to be restricted and did not offer equal opportunity to all Club members, wherever located.

The annual trophies and awards recommended by the committee and offered for competition by the Club in 1937 and 1938 had among their objectives: (1) Opportunity for competition to be readily available to all members, wherever located; (2) Basis of competition to be equitable, considering the location of the Club member.

(Complete objectives and conditions of the annual trophies and awards appear in the Book of the Breed published by the Irish Terrier Club of America, 1941.)

Now that these trophies have been in competition for several years it is interesting to review the lists of winners, particularly their addresses, to determine the extent to which these competitions have accomplished their intended purposes. These lists show a gratifying geographical distribution among the winners of the several trophies and indicate that the objectives of the competition are being fulfilled. They follow:

THE JAMES EAGER MEMORIAL TROPHY

(For the Owner accumulating the largest number of Trophy Points through winning American-bred classes.)

1937	John Mulcahy	Bronx, N. Y.	1942	Glen Antrim Kennels	
1938	John Mulcahy	Bronx, N. Y.		(Mrs. Josephine Thord-Gray)	
1939	Mr. and Mrs. W. A. E. Woods			Greenwich, Conn.	
		Fort Worth, Texas	Tie	Mr. and Mrs. W. A. E. Woods	
				Fort Worth, Texas	
1940	Andrew Roulston	New York, N. Y.	1943	Mrs. H. E. Britcher	York, Pa.
1941	Felix A. Donnelly	New York, N. Y.	Tie	Dr. L. W. Goss	Columbus, Ohio
				Fred L. Sherry	Falls Church, Va.

(Over to conserve paper.)

THE ANDREW A. McCABE MEMORIAL TROPHY

(For the **Individual Dog** accumulating the largest number of Trophy Points for a single owner through winning American-bred classes.)

1937	Not in competition		
1938	Knockalong Sweetheart	John Mulcahy	Bronx, N. Y.
1939	Conchubair of Ballywood	Mr. and Mrs. W. A. E. Woods	Fort Worth, Texas
1940	Derg Valentine	Andrew Roulston	New York, N. Y.
1941	Maradon Trixie	Felix A. Donnelly	New York, N. Y.
1942	Glen Antrim Advance Guard	Glen Antrim Kennels	Greenwich, Conn.
1943	Bernagh Patricia	Mrs. H. E. Britcher	York, Pa.

THE WILMOT R. EVANS MEMORIAL TROPHY

(For the **Individual Dog** winning the American-bred class the greatest number of times for a single owner.)

1937	Not in competition		
1938	Raith's Michael Masterpiece	A. H. Raith	Singac, N. Y.
1939	Ballyhoo Bootie	Thos. J. Twomey	Cincinnati, Ohio
1940	Cnoc-Luing Dream Girl	Felix A. Donnelly	New York, N. Y.
1941	Rum Runner	T. B. Maginnis	Chicago, Ill.
1942	Glen Antrim Advance Guard	Glen Antrim Kennels	Greenwich, Conn.
1943	Sherry's Rowdy Rhu	Fred L. Sherry	Falls Church, Va.

THE JOHN R. THORNDIKE MEMORIAL TROPHY

(For the **Owner** accumulating the largest number of Trophy Points for "Winners" or better.)

1937	John Mulcahy	Bronx, N. Y.	1941	Mr. and Mrs. Harrison E. Spangler	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
1938	John Mulcahy	Bronx, N. Y.	1942	Felix A. Donnelly	New York, N. Y.
1939	Sidney E. Ferriss	Detroit, Mich.	1943	Mrs. Geo. M. Peters	Buffalo, N. Y.
1940	T. B. Maginnis	Chicago, Ill.			

THE HUBERT RUTHERFORD BROWN MEMORIAL TROPHY

(For the **Individual Dog** accumulating the largest number of Thorndike Trophy Points for a single owner through Terrier Group and Best-in-Show placings.)

1937	Not in competition		
1938	Kelvin Colleen	M. H. Bird	Norwell, Mass.
1939	Kilmorna	Sidney E. Ferriss	Detroit, Mich.
1940	Patjay Charlie McCarthy	Ballylanders Kennels (T. J. Twomey)	Cincinnati, Ohio
1941	Fablin Triple Threat	Mr. and Mrs. Harrison E. Spangler	Cedar Rapids, Ia.
1942	Maradon Trixie	Felix A. Donnelly	New York, N. Y.
1943	Another Norah	Mrs. Geo. M. Peters	Buffalo, N. Y.

THE CHAMPION SPOKESMAN TROPHY

(Donated by Mrs. Martha G. Hall)

(For the **Member-Breeder** of the dog accumulating the largest number of Thorndike Trophy Points through Terrier Group and Best-in-Show placings.)

1937	Not in competition		
1938	Not in competition		
1939	Sidney E. Ferriss	Kilmorna	Detroit, Mich.
1940	Mrs. R. H. Simms	Sheilah O'Los Poblanos	Albuquerque, N. Mex.
1941	Dr. L. W. Goss	Goswyre Red Raven	Columbus, Ohio
1942	T. B. Maginnis	Lawrence Mulligan	Chicago, Ill.
1943	Mrs. Geo. M. Peters	Another Norah	Buffalo, N. Y.

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