

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

October 4, 1954

The members and visitors of the Durham Kennel Club were welcomed by Mrs. Charles Moore, president. The meeting then turned over to Dr. Kamin, program chairman.

A motion picture produced by AKC, entitled "221", was shown. This picture was most interesting and gave us all a better idea of how the AKC operates.

After the program Mrs. Moore introduced Mr. Robert Block, newly appointed leader for the Junior Group. Mr. Block then called the Junior Group together for their own meeting.

The minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer's report was given showing receipts \$893.69, disbursements \$81.30, leaving a balance of \$812.39. This report was approved.

Mrs. Moore then read a letter from Mrs. Perkins, now living in Oregon. Her letter gave a very interesting and informative description of the Kennel Club and its show in Eugene, Oregon.

One thing that impressed Mrs. Perkins most were the drop curtains around each ring. She claimed this eliminated the distraction of dogs being shown by movements and other dogs outside the ring.

Mrs. Moore asked Miss Aleen Ledford to look in to the cost of such curtains for two show rings and one obedience ring. Her report to be ready by the next regular meeting.

Thanks was given Mrs. Hoenig and her committee for their splendid work in making the Sanction Match a success. Mrs. Hoenig reported there were 56 entries at \$1.00, and \$16.40 cleared on the concession stand.

Mrs. Atwood made a motion that the Club send a gift to Mr. Corbitt, judge for the Sanction Match. Mrs. Atwood explained further that Mr. Corbitt offered his services without fee.

Mr. Reginald Keplar seconded.

Mrs. Hoenig asked for discussion of motion. She wanted to bring to the attention of the Club that Mr. Corbitt was given \$25.00 to cover expenses and that it was her opinion a gift was not required.

Mr. Keplar thought by sending a gift would assure Mr. Corbitt the Club's appreciation for his judging and also promote good will for the Club.

Vote was taken, motion carried.

Mrs. Moore appointed Mrs. Atwood to see that a gift be purchased, price not to exceed \$5.00.

Dean Cox reported on the first class in Obedience. Seventeen persons met with their dogs. Four steps were introduced. Dean Cox is very pleased with the progress made.

Mrs. Moore then introduced Mrs. Hilda Thomas and Mr. & Mrs. Hess, and welcomed them as visitors to the Club.

The regular members were asked to stress the need for new members in the Club and regular attendance to all meetings.

Mrs. Robt. Block asked the Club's approval for money to cover postage spent on notices sent to the Junior members.

Dean Cox made a motion the Club cover this expense.

Mrs. Atwood seconded. Motion carried.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. H. O. Sicker

Secretary.