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Summary Information

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| Repository: | American Kennel Club Library & Archives |
| Creator: | Poodle Club of America |
| Creator: | Poodle Club of America Foundation |
| Creator: | Clark, Anne Rogers |
| Creator: | Jenner, Edward Baker |
| Creator: | Wurmser, Ruth |
| Creator: | Poodle Club of America |
| Creator: | Carneal, Thomas |
| Title: | Poodle Club of America collection |
| ID: | AKD.6.13 |
| Date [inclusive]: | 1884-2016 |
| Date [inclusive]: | 1931-2016 |
| Physical Description: | 32.0 Linear feet in 44 boxes (28 doc boxes; 1 legal box; 8 album boxes, 2 cartons; 2 flat boxes, 3 microfilm boxes) and 2 A/V drawers |
| Language of the Material: | English |
| Language of the Material: | English |
| Language of the Material: | The bulk of collection materials are in English, with a few catalogs and books in French and German. |
| Abstract: | The Poodle Club of America collection contains records of the club's activities and administration dating back to the mid-1930s, including meeting minutes, breed standard and bylaws and constitution drafts and correspondence, officer reports, and National and Regional Specialty files, catalogs, photographs, and audio-visual documentation. Of wider research interest are the personal papers and photographs of prominent figure in the sport Anne Rogers Clark, obedience pioneers Blanche Saunders and Helen Whitehouse Walker, and Count Alexis Pulaski ("Mr. Poodle"), owner of famous mid-century poodle Masterpiece. |

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Breed and Club History

BREED HISTORY The poodle breed is one of the most universally popular dogs in the world, charting the most AKC registrations of any breed between 1960 and 1982. While the poodle is regarded as the national dog of France, it is said to have originated in Germany, or even earlier in recorded history. There are three varieties of the breed: Standard and Miniature, which compete as Non-Sporting dogs, and Toy, which competes in the Toy category. Breed standards are the same for all varieties, with the exception of height.

The Standard poodle, the oldest of the varieties, was a well-regarded water retriever. Evidence indicates that the smaller varieties developed only a short time after the breed assumed the general type by which it is recognized today. The original shearings of portions of its coat to enhance swimming speed led to the traditional custom of clipping poodles, known as having the most elaborate and meticulous coat trim in the show world.

The poodle swiftly rose in popularity in England and later France, where it was particularly popular in the smaller varieties amongst the nobility and became associated with the reign of Louis XVI.

There may be more references in art and literature to the poodle than any other purebreed, partially attributed to the wealth of variety in size and coat, and also to the dog's intelligence and prodigious learning abilities. Its wiry and curly coat lends itself to all manner of styling, while its acrobatic skill and trainability led to its presence in its circus and other performance venues, and its later prominence in obedience competitions.

The breed was acknowledged by the AKC in 1886. Four standards, three miniatures, and two toy poodles have received "Best in Show" at Westminster.

CLUB HISTORY The Poodle Club in America was formed in 1931 under president Henry J. Whitehouse. The majority voted to associate with the Anglo-French, rather than German, type of Poodle. The following year, it adopted a new standard for the breed, approved and published by the AKC, coinciding with the steady flow of British imports that served as foundation stock for the early serious American attempts at breeding programs, such as the famed Blakeen and Carillon kennels. Toys were renamed a variety of the breed, rather than a separate breed, in 1943. A significant breed standard revision was published in 1959.

In 1935, Nunsoe Duc de la Terrace of Blakeen became the first Poodle to go Best in Show at Westminster, kicking off a steady rise in the popularity and esteem of the breed within American dogdom. In 1938, the Interstate Poodle Club became the first member club of the AKC to specialize in Poodles. The Poodle Obedience Training Club of Greater New York was incorporated in 1951, under the supervision of Blanche Saunders, and became an affiliate club of the PCA in 1956; by the late 20th century, the PCA had 45 affiliate clubs.

The first five PCA specialty shows were held in North Westchester, beginning in 1932 with five canine entries. In 1938 it hosted its first independent specialty in Far Hills, New Jersey, with 142 Poodles in competition and in subsequent locales including Rye, New York; Garden City, New York; the Bryn Mawr Polo Grounds; Ludwigs Corner, Pennsylvania; and Upper Marlboro, Maryland. Its first regional specialty was hosted in 1974 in Topeka, Kansas.

The club published the six -volume series Poodles in America, charting the breed between 1929 and 1984. The books compile and publish club officers, affiliate clubs, breed standards, registration and performance stats, breeder honor rolls, specialty winners, champion pedigrees, and more.

The PCA enforces stringent guidelines for membership in order to protect the breed. Every member of PCA gets a vote, which means that every member can affect changes to the breed standard. The Poodle Club of America Foundation, established in 1989, oversees many health and education initiatives.

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Scope and Contents

The Poodle Club of America collection contains records of the club's activities and administration dating back to the mid-1930s, in addition to personal papers and photographs of prominent leader in the sport Anne Rogers Clark, obedience pioneers Blanche Saunders and Helen Whitehouse Walker, and more.

Club administration features annual and board meeting minutes (1951-1998); correspondence, drafts, and printed matter relating to the constitution and by-laws and breed standard; officer files; membership directories and reports; financial documents; ingoing and outgoing correspondence; and more.

The Poodle Club of America **Foundation administration** dates back to its founding in 1989. Notably present are meeting minutes (1991-2012); grant proposals and reports on funded projects; secretarial files containing articles of incorporation, by-laws, and policy; financial documents; logos and letterhead; and more, in paper and digital format.

Dog Shows includes files on the club's Annual Specials/National Specialties (1935-1988), featuring a wealth of logistics and planning documentation, as well as marked catalog pages (1939-1955) and a complete run of catalogs from 1966 to 2015. Regional Specialties are also represented through files and/or catalogs from 1970 through 2013. National and Regional Specialty win shots, dating from the early 1980s, are present in digital and hard copy. VHS and digital videos chronicle National Specialties, including color and black-and-white transfers from 16mm film footage of several specialties in the 1950s

and 1960s, as well as 8mm footage of the 1974 and 1976 specialties and 1972 Westminster poodle events. Video documentation of national specialties and a few noted regional shows, are present from 1989 on. Personal photograph collections of prominent breeders Ruth Wurmser and Edward B. Jenner, and handler Ruth Cooper, in addition to a small supply of artifacts (ribbons, pins, and other awards).

Publications include the PCA newsletter *The Poodle Papers*, an extensive run of *Poodle Review* (1977-1979; 1987-2010); and miscellaneous clippings and publications, in addition to a rare books collection of late 19th-century American and international show catalogs assembled by the PCAF.

The estate of **Anne Rogers Clark** includes an assortment of personal items belonging to Clark and her mother, fellow breeder and enthusiast Olga Hone Rogers, such as photograph albums, chiefly of win shots (1944-1991); awards; pamphlets and clippings; research and manuscripts by fellow poodle fanciers; registration certificates; and a large collection of pedigrees for dogs from their own kennel Surrey and Rimskittle, as well as many others.

Three scrapbooks/photo albums belonging to mid-century poodle fancier, entrepreneur and eccentric **Count Alexis Pulaski**, known as "Mr. Poodle," are also present in the Clark estate. The first contains a 1960 manuscript for his never-released book *Pulaski on Poodles*, on topics ranging from breeding to poodles in fashion to advocacy on behalf of parti-colored poodles. The second features book promotion, publicity, publisher correspondence, press clippings, and photographs, much of it regarding his prized poodle and society page fixture "Masterpiece." The third contains photographs and correspondence of prominent poodle owners and companions -- from politicians (the Churchills) to actresses (Tina Louise, Joan Bennett) to Salvador Dali and various socialites. Man portraits of Pulaski and Masterpiece, the world-famous poodle who held five titles and whom his owner claimed had the highest appraisal value of any dog in history, are interspersed throughout.

Lastly from the Clark estate, is a collection of materials relating to **Blanche Saunders and Helen Whitehouse Walker**, most notably the travel journal from their famous 1937 cross-country dog obedience demonstration tour. Many photographs, both famous and rare, document the women at various stages in their lives and careers, obedience demos and classes, and significant poodles from Carillon Kennels, as well as articles and manuscripts, chiefly written and researched by their acquaintance Catherine C. Reilly.

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Arrangement

This collection is organized into five groups based on content and creator:

- 1 Club Administration, 1927-2016
- 2 Foundation Administration, 1988-2012
- 3 Dog Shows, 1935-2015
- 4 Publications, 1884-2016
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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Provenance

The collection was donated by club Historian Tom Carneal, on behalf of the Poodle Club of America, in 2009. Additions were made in 2016.

Access Restrictions

Only membership applications and select financial and legal documentation are restricted, as noted in the container list. The collection is otherwise open to all researchers.

Conditions Governing Use

Many of the materials, particularly photographs, may still be under copyright and require permission of the AKC and/or the creator before publishing. Please consult the Archivist.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Minutes
- Black-and-white photographs
- Color photographs
- Videotapes
- DVDs
- Correspondence

- Catalogs
- Pedigrees
- Premium lists
- Constitutions
- Pamphlets
- Clippings
- Membership lists
- Toy poodle
- Standard poodle
- Miniature poodle
- Magazines (periodicals)
- Newsletters
- Rogers, Olga Hone
- Saunders, Blanche
- Walker, Helen Whitehouse
- Poodle Club of America
- Carneal, Thomas

Collection Inventory

1. Club Administration, 1937-2016

Date [inclusive]: 1937-2016

Physical Description: 6.5 Linear feet in 10 doc boxes; one record carton; three microfilm boxes

Scope and Contents Note

The Minute Books contain minutes for meetings of the general membership, Board of Governors, and Executive Committee as well as Treasurer's Reports, Committee Reports, and related correspondence. Other documents include correspondence, drafts, and printed matter relating to the constitution and by-laws and breed standard; officer files; membership directories and reports; financial documents; ingoing and outgoing correspondence; medical and genetics research; club publications; and more. Membership applications and select financial documents are restricted due to the presence of personal information.

Processing Information:

Processing Information

Meeting minutes removed from original bindings and foldered.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
|--|-----------|------------|
| Meeting Minutes, 1951-1959 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1951-1959 | Box 1 | Folder 1-7 |
| Meeting Minutes, 1960-1965 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1960-1965 | Box 2 | Folder 1-7 |
| Meeting Minutes, 1966-1970 | Box 3 | Folder 1-7 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1966-1970 | | |
| Meeting Minutes, 1971-1977 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971-1977 | Box 4 | Folder 1-10 |
| Meeting Minutes, 1978-1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1978-1989 | Box 5 | Folder 1-5 |
| Meeting Minutes, 1996-2003 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1996-2003 | Box 5 | Folder 6-10 |
| Meeting Minutes, 2004-2008 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2004-2008 | Box 6 | Folder 1-5 |
| PCA Meeting Minutes and Documents of Incorporation. Microfilm, 1963-1995 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1963-1995 | Box MF.3 | Reel 3-6 |
| Affiliate Files. Arctic Poodle Club of Anchorage - William Penn Poodle Club. Microfilm, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box MF.1 | Reel 1-10 |
| Affiliate Clubs of National Committee / Unaffiliated Clubs. Microfilm, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box MF.1 / MF.2 | Reel 11 / 1-3 |
| Constitution and By-Laws. Printed Pamphlets, 1937-1953 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1937-1953 | Box 6 | Folder 6 |
| Constitution and By-Laws. Drafts, Amendments, and Related Correspondence, 1937-1953 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1937-1953 | Box 6 | Folder 7-13 |
| Constitution and By-Laws. Drafts, Amendments, and Related Correspondence, 1954-1974 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1954-1974 | Box 7 | Folder 1-9 |
| Constitution and By-Laws. Drafts, Amendments, and Related Correspondence, 1980; 1989; 2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1980; 1989; 2009 | Box 7 | Folder 10-12 |
| Code of Ethics, 2012 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2012 | Box 7 | Folder 13 |
| Breed Standard. Printed Pamphlets, 1956-1959; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1956-1959; Undated | Box 7 | Folder 14 |
| Breed Standard. Printed Pamphlet. Clipping, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box 7 | Folder 15 |
| Breed Standard. Reports and Related Correspondence, 1939-1953 | Box 7 | Folder 16-18 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1939-1953 | | |
| Breed Standard. Related Correspondence, 1954-1982 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1954-1982 | Box 8 | Folder 1-4 |
| Breed Standard. Report. Cryptorchidism, 1952-1953 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1952-1953 | Box 8 | Folder 5 |
| Breed Standard. Notes. Mrs. George Putnam, 1968 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1968 | Box 8 | Folder 6 |
| Breed Standard. Four Translations, 1981 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981 | Box 8 | Folder 7 |
| Breed Standard. Illustrated [with French translation], 1992 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1992 | Box 32 | folder 1 |
| General Information. Handouts and Forms, 1971; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971; Undated | Box 8 | Folder 8 |
| General Information. Poodle Reports. Barbara Johnson, 1987-1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1987-1989 | Box 8 | Folder 9 |
| General Information. Pamphlets for New Members. Breeder and Ethical Guidelines, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box 32 | folder 2 |
| AKC Presentation. Standard Poodle as Field Retriever, 1998 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1998 | box 32 | |
| Medical Research. Handouts and Statistics, 1989; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989; Undated | Box 8 | Folder 15 |
| Genetic Anomalies Committee. Reports, 1996; 1998; 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1996; 1998; 1999 | box 32 | |
| Correspondence. Conflicts and Disciplinary Action, 1971; 1980-1986 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971; 1980-1986 | Box 8 | Folder 10 |
| Correspondence. AKC, 1996-1998 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1996-1998 | Box 8 | Folder 11-12 |
| Correspondence. Club Inquiries. Outgoing, 1971 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971 | Box 8 | Folder 13 |
| Correspondence. Poodles in America. Volume IV, 1974-1975 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1974-1975 | Box 8 | Folder 14 |
| Correspondence. Club Inquiries. Incoming, 1997 | Box 9 | Folder 1-2 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1997 | | |
| Correspondence. Club Inquiries. Incoming., 2004-2005 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2004-2005 | Box 9 | Folder 3 |
| Corresponding Secretary Files, 2001-2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2001-2002 | Box 9 | Folder 4-7 |
| Elections, 1988-1990 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1988-1990 | Box 9 | Folder 8 |
| Newsletters. Updates from the President, 1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989 | Box 9 | Folder 9 |
| Finance. Miscellaneous Documents, 1955-1986 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1955-1986 | Box 9 | Folder 10 |
| Finance. Accountant Reports, 1982; 1985 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1982; 1985 | Box 9 | Folder 11 |
| Finance. Treasurer's Reports, 1974-1990 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1974-1990 | Box 9 | Folder 12-13 |
| Publicity. Director's Report, 1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989 | Box 9 | Folder 14 |
| Lawsuit. Alice Holt vs PCA, 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1999 | Box 32 | folder 3 |
| Policy Decisions Summary, 1978 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1978 | Box 32 | folder 4 |
| Policy Manuals, 1990; 1994 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1990; 1994 | Box 32 | folder 5-6 |
| Membership. Reports and Announcements, 1983-1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1983-1989 | Box 10 | Folder 1 |
| Membership. Acceptance Notifications. Sponsors, 2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2002 | Box 10 | Folder 2 |
| Membership. Directories [3], 1966, 1968-1969 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1966, 1968-1969 | Box 10 | |
| Membership. Directories [5], 1990-1993 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1990-1993 | Box 10 | |
| Membership. Directories [8], 1996-2004 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1996-2004 | Box 10 | |
| Membership. Directories, 2006-2008 | Box 10 | |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2006-2008 | | |
| Membership Applications. RESTRICTED, 1940-1979 | Carton 11 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1940-1979 | | |
| Membership Applications. RESTRICTED, 1981-1995 | Carton 11 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981-1995 | | |
| Membership Applications. RESTRICTED, 1977; 1994-1998 | Carton 11 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1977; 1994-1998 | | |
| Membership Applications. RESTRICTED, 1991-2003 | Carton 11 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1991-2003 | | |
| Membership Applications. RESTRICTED, 2010-2016 | Carton 11 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2010-2016 | | |
| Membership Files. Microfilm, Undated | Box MF.2 | Reel 4-9 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | | |

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2. Foundation Administration, 1988-2012

Date [inclusive]: 1988-2012

Physical Description: 0.65 Linear feet in 1.5 doc boxes

Historical Information

Incorporated in 1989, the Poodle Club of America Foundation Inc. was founded to foster and promote the public's knowledge and appreciation of dogs in general and Poodles in particular; to further understanding of the diseases, genetic anomalies and injuries that affect dogs in general and Poodles in particular; to support and promote study of and research on the character, history, genetics, breeding and related characteristics that establish the Poodle as a distinct breed of dog; to establish a database/library of educational and resource materials on the Poodle; to develop and make available to the general public and the Fancy information about the proper care, treatment, breeding, health, development and training of poodles. The PCAF has provided over \$500,000 in research grants to fight health problems common in Poodles and other dogs and to identify genetic causes of Poodle disease. Advances resulting from PCAF-funded studies have included new DNA tests that allow breeders to avoid the devastating genetic diseases neonatal encephalopathy and prcd-progressive retinal atrophy. PCAF contributes funding to many AKC Canine Health Foundation-sponsored projects with the potential to benefit Poodles, such as the current CHF Bloat Initiative aimed at ending the toll of bloat and torsion.

At each National Specialty, PCAF presents a free seminar offering education on topics such as health issues, breeding strategies, training, structural soundness in dogs, and Poodle wisdom from revered authorities like the late Anne Rogers Clark.

Scope and Contents

The PCAF administrative materials include its original founding documents and meeting minutes dating back to 1991. Also present are grant proposals and reports on funded projects; secretarial files containing articles of

incorporation, by-laws, and policy; financial documents; logos and letterhead and more, in paper and digital format. Select legal and financial documents are restricted.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
|--|------------------|--------------|
| PCAF Meeting Minutes, 1991-2012 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1991-2012 | Box 21 | Folder 1-4 |
| PCAF Founding Documents, 1988-1990 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1988-1990 | Box 21 | Folder 5 |
| PCAF Policies and Procedures. Amendments, 2008; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2008; Undated | Box 21 | Folder 6 |
| PCAF Letterhead and Logo, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box 21 | Folder 7 |
| PCAF Documents and Correspondence, 1989-2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989-2009 | Box 21 | Folder 8-9 |
| PCAF Grant Proposals, Information, and Reports, 2009-2011 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2009-2011 | Box 21 | Folder 10-11 |
| PCAF Finance, 2005-2008 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2005-2008 | Box 21 | Folder 12 |
| PCAF Corporation Renewals. State of Minnesota. RESTRICTED, 2005-2008 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2005-2008 | Box 21 | Folder 13 |
| PCAF Secretary Files. Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, and Policy, 1989-2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989-2009 | Box 22 | Folder 1 |
| PCAF Secretary Files. Meeting Minutes, 2007-2010 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2007-2010 | Box 22 | Folder 2 |
| PCAF Secretary Files. Funded Projects, 2007-2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2007-2009 | Box 22 | Folder 3 |
| PCAF Secretary Files. Finance. RESTRICTED, 2008-2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2008-2009 | Box 22 | Folder 4 |
| PCAF Secretary Files. Correspondence and Forms. RESTRICTED, 2008-2010 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2008-2010 | Box 22 | Folder 5 |
| PCAF Digital Files. Logos, Finance, Articles, Board Rosters, Resolutions, Website Design [disc], 2008-2010 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2008-2010 | Box 22 | Envelope 1 |
| PCAF Digital Files. Minutes, Finance, Grants, Conference Recordings [USB flash drive], 2010-2012 | Box 22 | Envelope 1 |

Date [inclusive]: 2010-2012

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3. Dog Shows, 1935-2015

Date [inclusive]: 1935-2015

Physical Description: 16.75 Linear feet in 9 doc boxes; 6 album boxes; and 2 A/V drawers

Scope and Contents

Dog Show materials include files on the club's Annual Specials/National Specialties from 1935 to 1988. Files through the late 1950s variably include schedules and lineups, lists of winners and approved judges, and all related correspondence on subjects including registration and regulation changes, premium list and catalog production, and the arrangements and disbursement of cash awards and trophies. Later ones also feature premium lists, judges programs, AKC show date and judge approval applications, contracts (many with the Foley Dog Show Organization), financial documents, event layouts, publicity materials, and more.

The collection holds marked catalog pages for many National Specialties, between 1939 and 1955, and a complete run of catalogs from 1966 to 2015, including 1981's "Golden Anniversary" show. Regional Specialties are also represented through files and/or catalogs from 1970 through 2013.

National and Regional Specialty win shots, dating from the late 1980s, are present in digital and hard copy. VHS and digital videos chronicle National Specialties, including color and black-and-white transfers from 16mm film footage of several specialties in the 1950s and 1960s, as well as 8mm footage of the 1974 and 1976 specialties and 1972 Westminster. Video documentation of national specialties and a few noted regional shows, are present from 1989 on, as well as presentations by Annie and James Clark, with handler Frank Sabella.

Personal photograph collections of prominent breeders Ruth Wurmser and Edward B. Jenner, and handler Ruth Cooper, in addition to a small supply of artifacts -- ribbons, pins, and other awards -- also appear.

Processing Information:

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Some marked catalog page dates were determined based on the postmark of the mailing envelope they were originally housed within and may not be accurate.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
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| Annual Specials. Files, 1935-1964 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1935-1964 | Box 12 | Folder 1-16 |
| Annual Specials. Files, 1965-1969 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1965-1969 | Box 13 | Folder 1-5 |
| Specialty Shows. Microfilm, 1935-1949 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1935-1949 | Box MF.3 | Reel 1-2 |
| Specialty Shows. Microfilm, 1950-1984 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1950-1984 | Box MF.2 | Reel 10-11 |
| Annual Specials. Show Performance Log, 1939-1940 | Box 13 | Folder 6 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1939-1940 | | |
| Annual Specials. Marked Show Catalog Pages, 1939-1941 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1939-1941 | Box 13 | Folder 7-11 |
| Annual Specials. Marked Show Catalog Pages, 1942-1945; 1951-1955 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1942-1945; 1951-1955 | Box 14 | Folder 1-15 |
| Annual Specials. Files, 1970-1988 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1970-1988 | Box 15 | Folder 1-16 |
| National Specialty. Past Winners Lists. Variety and Obedience, 1932-1979 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1932-1979 | Box 15 | Folder 17 |
| National Specialty. Judges Ballots and Policy, 1968-1991 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1968-1991 | Box 15 | Folder 18 |
| National Specialty. Policy, 1959-1976 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1959-1976 | Box 15 | Folder 19 |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1966 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1966 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1967 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1967 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1968 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1968 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1969 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1969 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1969 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1969 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1970 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1970 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1971 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1972 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1972 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1973 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1973 | Box 16 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1974 | Box 16 | |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1974 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1975 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1975 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1976 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1976 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1977 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1977 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1978 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1978 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked [2], 1979 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1979 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1979 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1979 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1980 | Box 16 |
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| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1981 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1984 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1984 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1986 | Box 16 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1986 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked [2], 1988 | Box 16 |
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| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1989 | Box 16 |
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| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1992 | Box 17 |
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| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1993 | Box 17 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1993 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1994 | Box 17 |
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| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1995 | Box 17 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1995 | | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1997 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1997 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1998 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1998 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1999 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Judging Results, 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1999 | Box 18 | Folder 1 |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2000 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2000 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2001 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2001 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2002 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2003 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2003 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2004 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2004 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2005 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2005 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2006 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2006 | Box 17 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2007 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2007 | Box 18 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2008 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2008 | Box 18 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2009 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2009 | Box 18 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2010 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2010 | Box 18 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2011 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2011 | Box 18 | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2012 | Box 18 | |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2012 | | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2013 | Box 18 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2013 | | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 2014 | Box 18 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2014 | | |
| National Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2015 | Box 18 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2015 | | |
| National Agility Trial. Catalog. Unmarked, 1999 | Box 18 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1999 | | |
| National Specialty. Judging Results, 2015 | Box 18 | Folder 1 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2015 | | |
| National Specialty. Ephemera Removed from Catalogs, 1995-2015 | Box 18 | Folder 2 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1995-2015 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Files, 1970-1990 | Box 19 | Folder 1-19 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1970-1990 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1974 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1974 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1975 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1975 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1976 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1976 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1977 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1977 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1978 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1978 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1978 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1978 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1979 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1979 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1981 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1982 | Box 20 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1982 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1985 | Box 20 | |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1985 | | |
| Regional Specialty. Judging Results, 1985 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1985 | Box 20 | Folder 1 |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1986 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1986 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1987 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1987 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1989 January <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989 January | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1989 September <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989 September | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1994 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1994 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Judging Results, 1994 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1994 | Box 20 | Folder 1 |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 1995 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1995 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Marked, 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1999 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Chairman's Show Report, 2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2002 | box 32 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2005 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2005 | Box 20 | |
| Regional Specialty. Catalog. Unmarked, 2013 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2013 | Box 20 | |
| Working Certificate Tests. WC and WCX. Catalog, 2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2002 | Box 32 | |
| Artifact. Ribbon. Best of Breed. National Specialty, 1995 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1995 | Box OS.1 | |
| Artifact. Hand-painted Wood Block on Easel, 2001 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2001 | Box OS.1 | |
| Artifact. Pin. PCA Mardi Gras, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box OS.1 | Box OS.1.1 |
| Artifact. Pin. Israeli Poodle Club, Undated | Box OS.1 | Box OS.1.1 |

Date [inclusive]: Undated

Artifact. Seafren Kennels Trophy. American Bred Dog Class. Box OS.1
Miniature. Interstate Poodle Club, 1940

Date [inclusive]: 1940

Artifact. Woodblock Stamp. Poodle, Undated Box OS.1 Box OS.1.1

Date [inclusive]: Undated

3.1 Photographs

Scope and Contents

Most National Specialty photographs are in color. The 1981 event was shot by Louis Gossett, and all others were covered by John Ashbey. Date, location, and dog name are indicated.

In addition to win shots, most series of photographs after 1993 are accompanied by brochures, and other photos of the trophy and award table, venue, and event.

Small collections of photos were contributed by the handler Ruth Cooper and Omaha, Nebraska-based Standard Poodle breeder Lorraine Means. Some of Means's champion certificates, including American, French, and Mexican examples, are also present.

Processing Information:

Processing Information

National Specialty photographs have been maintained in their original plastic sleeves but removed from their original binders and combined; original order was maintained.

Biographical Note

Frequent win shot subject Frank T. Sabella, a native New Yorker, began in dogs with a Standard Poodle in 1953 and by 1955 had finished his first champion and group winner.

By the early 1960s he had become one of the most sought-after professional handlers of his time, known for his flair with Poodles and other coated breeds. Mr. Sabella's handling career culminated in 1973, when he guided Standard Poodle Ch. Acadia Command Performance to a Westminster Best in Show. Mr. Sabella's grace and showmanship in the ring can no doubt be attributed to his success as a professional dancer. His career included a stint with the New York City Ballet and touring with his own troupe.

Mr. Sabella served as bench-show chair of the Santa Barbara Kennel Club and a member of the Greyhound Club of America and the Poodle Club of America. Approved to judge all terriers, hounds, toys, and non-sporting breeds, and several breeds from the remaining groups, his assignments took him "all over the world." He judged Westminster several times, including Best in Show in 1990.

Among the books authored by Mr. Sabella was a highly influential dog-handling manual. His many awards included Kennel Review's Male Handler of the Year and Gaines FIDO Dog Man of the Year.

| Title/Description | Instances |
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| National Specialties. Photos, 1981; 1985-1995 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981; 1985-1995 | Box PH.1 |
| National Specialties. Photos, 1996-2001 | Box PH.2 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1996-2001 | | | |
| National Specialties. Photos, 2002-2006 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 2002-2006 | Box PH.3 | | |
| National Specialties. Photos, 2006; 2008-2009, 2011-2012 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 2006; 2008-2009, 2011-2012 | Box PH.4 | | |
| National Specialties. Photos. Digital Scans, 1986-2012 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1986-2012 | Box AV.1 | Disk 3-31 | |
| Regional Specialties. Photos, 1985-1993 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1985-1993 | Box PH.1 | | |
| Regional Specialties. Photos, 2003 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 2003 | Box PH.3 | | |
| Collection of (handler) Ruth Cooper. Photos. Win Shots, 1955-1961 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1955-1961 | Box PH.5 | | |
| Collection of Lorraine E. Means. Photos. Win Shots and Candid, 1973-1977 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1973-1977 | box OS.2 | | |
| Collection of Lorraine E. Means. Championship Certificates [US, Canada, and Mexico], 1966; 1971 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1966; 1971 | box OS.2 | | |
| Rebecca "Becky" Mason. Photograph and Memorial Tribute, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : Undated | box 23 | folder 8 | |
| Assorted Conformation Shows. Photos. Win Shots, 1968-2000 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1968-2000 | | | |
| Greater Milwaukee Poodle Club. Photos. Win Shots, 1973 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1973 | Box PH.8 | | |

3.1.1 Ruth Wurmser collection of poodle materials, 1966-1974

Date [inclusive]: 1966-1974

Biographical note

Ruth Wurmser was a prominent breeder based in Louisville, Ky. She and he husband Ted were also known for Boxers.

| Title/Description | Instances | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--|
| Photos. Win Shots. Digital Scans, 1966-1974 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1966-1974 | Box AV.1 | Disk 2 | |
| Photos. Win Shots, 1966-1974 | | | |

Date [inclusive]: 1966-1974

Box PH.5

Registration Certificates, 1960; 1972

Box 29

Folder 13

Date [inclusive]: 1960; 1972

3.1.2 Edward B. Jenner collection of show poodle photographs, 1971-2004

Date [inclusive]: 1971-2004

Biographical note

Owner, breeder, and judge Edward Baker Jenner (1925-2005) was active in the field for most of his life. He attended the Westminster Dog Show at the age of 9, and within two years won his first Best of Breed, never missing the competition again for the rest of his life. At his death he was one of only five people to have two Westminster Best in Show winners: white standard Poodle Ch. Acadia Command Performance (1973) and Pekingese Ch. Wendessa Crown Prince (1990). "Bart," as his champion poodle was known, earned his title as only a 9-month-old at the Chicago International and was a controversial pick at WKC, eliciting some boos and hisses, but defended by the judge based on his "exuberance."

Jenner founded Knolland Farm, originally a famous champion Saddlebred horse farm, in Elburn and later Richmond, Illinois. In the 1970s he converted Knolland into a kennel based in Burlington, in which he also raised Beagles.

He was an AKC judge for over fifty years, and frequently presided over Poodle Club of America specialties. Upon his death, handler Frank Sabella, who appears in many of the images, commented that "it is an end of an era in this sport," as "There are no more people like him who are in the sport just because they love it, not to win. He was as great as a loser as he was as a winner. I never heard him say an unkind word about a judge when his dogs didn't win, never."

| Title/Description | Instances |
|---|-----------|
| Win Shots. Acadia Xaari, 1971-1972 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1971-1972 | Box PH.8 |
| Win Shots. "Bart", 1972-1973 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1972-1973 | Box PH.8 |
| Win Shots. "Ruffian", 1979 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1979 | Box PH.8 |
| Portraits. Ch Acadia Command Performance, 1975 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1975 | Box PH.9 |
| Portraits. Ch Mescal Alexis, 1975 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1975 | Box PH.9 |
| Portrait. Ch Ludar's Rave Review, 1985 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1985 | Box PH.9 |
| Portrait. Ch. Grisarr(?) Colette, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box PH.9 |
| Win Shots. "Nina", 1992-1995 | Box PH.9 |

Date [inclusive]: 1992-1995

Win Shots. Darroff Stolichnaya, 1999-2000 Box PH.9

Date [inclusive]: 1999-2000

Win Shots. Various Poodles, 1957-1999 Box PH.7

Date [inclusive]: 1957-1999

Win Shots. Various Poodles, 1988-2004 Box PH.9

Date [inclusive]: 1988-2004

3.2 Audiovisual Materials, 1955-2015

Date [inclusive]: 1955-2015

Processing Information:

Processing Information

All discs were removed from original packaging and placed in acid-free sleeves.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
|---|--------------|---------------------|
| National Specialty. Digital Video transfer from 16mm film. Color, 1955; 1961; 1963 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1955; 1961; 1963 | box AV.1 | disk 78 |
| National Specialty. 8mm Film. Color, 1972; 1976 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1972; 1976 | Drawer 18.02 | |
| National Specialty. Video, 1986; 1989-2002 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1986; 1989-2002 | Drawer 18.01 | Cassette 1-91 |
| National Specialty. Video, 1991-1992 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1991-1992 | drawer 18.01 | cassette 123-134 |
| National Specialty. Video, 2002-2005 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2002-2005 | Drawer 18.02 | Cassette 92-122 |
| National Specialty. Digital Video, 2012-2014 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2012-2014 | Box AV.1 | |
| Regional Specialty. Video, 1993; 1998 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1993; 1998 | Drawer 18.02 | Cassette 123-124 |
| PCA Seminar. Show Ring. Video, 1989 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1989 | Drawer 18.02 | Cassette 125 |
| DJA Presentation. Judging the Poodle. James Clark, Annie Clark, and Frank Sabella. Video, 1990 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1990 | Drawer 18.02 | Cassette 126 |
| DJA Presentation. Everything You've Always Wanted to Know About the Poodle (But Were Afraid to Ask). James Clark and Annie Clark. Video, 1991 | Drawer 18.02 | Cassette 127 |

Date [inclusive]: 1991

Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show. Poodle Competitions.
8mm film. Color, 1974

Date [inclusive]: 1974

National Specialty. Digital Video, 2015

box AV.X.1

Date [inclusive]: 2015

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4. Publications, 1884-2016

Date [inclusive]: 1884-2016

Physical Description: 3.3 Linear feet in 5.5 doc boxes and 1 carton

Scope and Contents

Publications includes a non-inclusive run of the Poodle Club of America's newsletter *The Poodle Paper* between 2001 and 2016; and a near complete run of the bimonthly *Poodle Review*, the oldest independent poodle publication, from 1977 to 1979 and 1987 to 2010. Other special poodle themed magazine issues and articles, as well as several 1970s yearbooks of the British Poodle Council, are present. A small assemblage of late-19th century British, German, French, and American rare books and catalogs collected by the Poodle Club of America Foundation.

| Title/Description | Instances |
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| PCA Newsletters. <i>The Poodle Papers</i> , 2001-2012 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 2001-2012 | Box 23.A |
| PCA Newsletters. <i>The Poodle Papers</i> , 2013-2016 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 2013-2016 | Box 23 |
| Magazine. <i>The Poodle Showcase</i> , 1969 May <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1969 May | Box 23 |
| Magazine. <i>Dog Fancy</i> . Special Poodle issue, 1999 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1999 | Box 23 |
| Article. "Remembering Bill Carter of Chorus Line." Unknown publication, c. 1997 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1997 | Box 23 Folder 7 |
| Magazine. <i>Our Poodle</i> , 1976 January <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1976 January | Box 23 |
| Magazine. <i>Poodle Review</i> , 1977-1979 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1977-1979 | Box 24 |
| Magazine. <i>Poodle Review</i> , 1987 | Box 24 |

Date [inclusive]: 1987Magazine. *Poodle Review*, 1988-1992

Box 25

Date [inclusive]: 1988-1992Magazine. *Poodle Review*, 1993-1999

Box 26

Date [inclusive]: 1993-1999Magazine. *Poodle Review*, 2000-2007

Box 27

Date [inclusive]: 2000-2007Magazine. *Poodle Review*, 2008-2010

Box 22

Date [inclusive]: 2008-2010

Yearbook. The Poodle Council [UK], 1971

Box 22

Date [inclusive]: 1971

Yearbook. The Poodle Council [UK], 1972-1973

Box 22

Date [inclusive]: 1972-1973**4.1 Poodle Club of America Foundation Rare Books Collection, 1884-1898**Date [inclusive]: 1884-1898

| Title/Description | Instances |
|---|------------------|
| Catalog. The National Dog Show (UK), 1895 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1895</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Championship Dog Show at the Crystal Palace (UK), 1897 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1897</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Sixth Derby Dog Show held in Royal Drill Hall and other Dog Shows (UK), 1896 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1896</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Grand Commemoration Open Dog Show at the Earl's Court Exhibition (UK), 1897 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1897</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Kennel Club's Fortieth Exhibition: Sporting Other Dogs held at the Crystal Palace (UK), 1895 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1895</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Kennel Club's Forty-First Exhibition: Sporting Other Dogs held at the Crystal Palace (UK), 1896 <u>Date [inclusive]: 1896</u> | Carton 28 |
| Catalog. Northhamptonshire Second Great Dog Show (UK), 1895 | Carton 28 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1895 | |
| Catalog. Cruft's Dog Show, Exhibition of Sporting Appliances, Fine Arts and Photography (UK), 1898 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1898 | |
| Catalog. Fylde Fox Terrier Club. Tenth Annual Championship Show of Smooth and Wirehaired Fox Terriers (UK), 1898 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1898 | |
| Catalog. Societe Centrale pour L'Amelioration des Races de Chiens en France, 1895 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1895 | |
| Catalog. Societe Centrale pour L'Amelioration des Races de Chiens en France, 1897 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1897 | |
| French-language Book. <i>De L'Exterieur Du Cheval</i> . Armand Goubaux and Gustave Barrier, 1884 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1884 | |
| French-language Book. <i>L'Homme et le chien dans L'Univers</i> , 1945 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1945 | |
| German-language Book. <i>The Dog and Its Races</i> . Arthur Seyfarth, c. 1900 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1900 | |
| Stud Book. The Kennel Club (UK), 1894 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1894 | |
| Stud Book. The Kennel Club (UK), 1895 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1895 | |
| Stud Book. The Kennel Club (UK), 1896 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1896 | |
| Stud Book. American Kennel, 1884 | Carton 28 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1884 | |

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5. Anne Rogers Clark collection, 1910-2011

Date [inclusive]: 1910-2011

Physical Description: 5.0 Linear feet in 2 doc boxes, 1 legal box, 2 album boxes, and 3 flat boxes

Biographical Note

Anne Rogers Clark (1929-2006) was an internationally respected all-breed judge and the first female professional handler to win Best in Show at Westminster (she ultimately garnered three career victories: 1956, 1959, 1961). She was also a premiere breeder and figurehead in the breeds of the Poodle and the English Cocker Spaniel, penchants instilled in her by her mother Olga Hone Rogers, whom she opened a dog-grooming business in Manhattan, Dogs Inc., following stockmarket crash-inflicted financial hardship. Clark, known by many as "Annie," bred top-winning champions under the Surrey prefix shared with her mother, and with her husband under his Rimskittle kennel.

Clark bred her first spaniel champion as a teenager, and led her mother's Ch. Comachne of Ranch Aero to her first all all-breed BIS in 1950 at the Monmouth County Kennel Club. She became a very successful professional handler, often in friendly competition with her friend Jane Forsyth, and with her grooming set models for presentations of breeds.

She married James Edward Clark in 1964 and together they devoted themselves to education of dog breeds, judging, and the sport; they provided commentary to the Westminster dog show for many years.

Clark hosted panel discussions at the Santa Barbara Kennel Club and PCA shows, breed-specific seminars, and co-wrote *The International Encyclopedia of Dogs* while also contributing to many dog publications including the *AKC Gazette* and *Pure Breed Dogs in Review* (the columns of the latter are collected in the book *Annie On... Dogs!*). She was the recipient of numerous prestigious honors including Handler of the Year and Judge of the Year, and served as president of the PCA and the English Cocker Spaniel Club of America.

"My life has been the sport," she wrote towards the end of her life, "and without the care, understanding, encouragement, mentoring, and interest bestowed upon me by the persons in the sport, I would not be the person I am today. I am at my happiest at the shows ... doing the job that I like best to do: evaluating breeding stock."

Scope and Contents Note

The estate of Anne Rogers Clark includes an assortment of personal items belonging to Clark (Mrs. James Clark) and her mother, fellow breeder and enthusiast -- and founding PCA Board of Governors member -- Olga Hone Rogers (Mrs. Byron Rogers), such as photograph albums, chiefly of win shots (1944-1991); awards; pamphlets and clippings; research and manuscripts by fellow poodle fanciers; registration certificates; and a large collection of pedigrees for dogs from their own kennel Surrey and Rimskittle, as well as many others.

The photographs (1944-1991) chronicle Clark's career as a handler and judge, but also include win shots of other prominent dogs, judges, and handlers (such as Clark's later assistant, Dick Bauer); portraits of poodles, including Ch Rimskittle Rampart (matriarch of the Rimskittles) and Ch Surrey on Your Marc; and select images of Olga Hone Rogers. Photographs are varyingly labeled with information on the show, location, date, photographer, dog, handler, and owner, some of which can be determined by the show ribbon and/or placard. Highlights include PCA specialty shows in the mid-50s and several shots of Clark and 1956 Westminster Best in Show winner Ch. Wilbur White Swan, the first victory for the Toy Group and for a female professional handler.

The handwritten pedigrees date between 1931 and 2006 and chart the lineage of many prominent poodles -- toy and standard, American and foreign, some champions -- produced by Rogers family kennels Surrey, Rimskittle, and Roadcoach, and other significant breeders including Pillicoc and Blakeen Kennels.

Most registration certificates (1933-1966) are in the Rogers name, but others are present for Thayten Kennels, Robert Koepfel, Clairwell Kennels, Margaret D. Silkworth, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Erlanger.

Collections of Count Alexis Pulaski and Blanche Saunders and Helen Whitehouse Walker have individual scope and contents notes.

Arrangement

The photographs are organized in the following scheme: early snapshots, individual dog portraits, numbered images believed to be part of an indeterminate publication, 1940s, 1950s, 1960s, 1970s (bulk), and undated (circa 1970s), with a final small selection from the 1980s and 1990s and images from an indeterminate dog show. Images featuring Annie Clark have been placed in the front of each section, and all have otherwise been loosely arranged in chronological order within these subdivisions.

The pedigrees have been arranged alphabetically by kennel or breeder name, and, if in the absence of this information, by dog name.

Registration certificates attached to pedigrees were maintained together rather than separated.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
|---|-----------|------------|
| Photographs. Win Shots, 1944-1991 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1944-1991 | Box PH.7 | |
| Snapshots. Poodle Presentation, c. 1990 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1990 | Box 29 | Folder 14 |
| Olga Hone Rogers Files, Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> Undated | Box 29 | Folder 1 |
| Trophy Receipts, 1968 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1968 | Box 29 | Folder 2 |
| Pen and Ink Drawings. Ann Wood, 1981 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1981 | Box 29 | Folder 3 |
| PCA Pamphlets and Show Materials, c. 1950-1965 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1950-1965 | Box 29 | Folder 4 |
| DCA Award Nomination Certificate, 1993 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1993 | Box 29 | Folder 5 |
| DCA Award "Maxwell" Medallion. Best Education Handbook. Illustrated Study of the Poodle Breed Standard, 1992 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1992 | Box OS.1 | |
| Clippings Files, 1967-1970; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1967-1970; Undated | Box 29 | Folder 6 |
| Research Files. "Apricot History." Martha K. Duff, 2000 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 2000 | Box 29 | Folder 7-8 |
| Unpublished Manuscript (Bound). "Greenspring Poodle Club and the Revival of Poodles as Retrievers", c. 2000 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 2000 | Box 32 | |
| Announcement. Best American Bred Dog: Ch Pillicoc Rumpelstiltskin CD, 1937 | Box 30 | Folder 1 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1937 | | |
| Pedigree (Extended). Ch Annsown Gay Knight of Arhill, 1973 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1973 | Box 30 | Folder 2 |
| Pedigrees. A - C, 1933-1955; 1973-1974 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1933-1955; 1973-1974 | Box 30 | Folder 3 |
| Pedigrees. Barrack Hill Kennel, 1941-1945 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1941-1945 | box 30 | folder 4 |
| Pedigrees. Blakeen Kennels, 1931-1947 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1931-1947 | Box 30 | Folder 5 |
| Pedigrees. Champions (Toy), 1953 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1953 | Box 30 | Folder 6 |
| Pedigrees. D - F, 1940-1950; 1971-2006 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1940-1950; 1971-2006 | Box 30 | Folder 7 |
| Pedigrees. Foreign-Bred Dogs, 1992; Undated <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1992; Undated | Box 30 | Folder 8 |
| Pedigrees. G - I, 1941-1955 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1941-1955 | Box 30 | Folder 9 |
| Pedigrees. J - M, 1960; 1971-1980 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1960; 1971-1980 | Box 30 | Folder 10 |
| Pedigrees. O - P, 1941-1958 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1941-1958 | Box 30 | Folder 12 |
| Pedigrees. Pillicoc Kennels, 1938-1945 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1938-1945 | Box 30 | Folder 13 |
| Pedigrees. R - S, 1948-1956; 1977-1982 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1948-1956; 1977-1982 | Box 30 | Folder 14 |
| Pedigrees. Roadcoach Kennels, 1941-1945; 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1941-1945; 1960 | Box 30 | Folder 15 |
| Pedigrees. Sirod Kennels, 1940-1948 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1940-1948 | Box 30 | Folder 16 |
| Pedigrees. Surrey and Rimskittle Kennels, 1965-1985 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1965-1985 | Box 30 | Folder 17 |
| Pedigrees. Surrey Kennels, 1939-1979 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1939-1979 | Box 30 | Folder 18-20 |
| Pedigrees. T - W, 1946-1991 | Box 30 | Folder 21 |

Date [inclusive]: 1946-1991

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| Registration Certificates. Olga Rogers Clark (Owner), 1933-1957 | Box 30 | Folder 22 |
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Date [inclusive]: 1933-1957

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| Registration Certificates. Annie Rogers Clark / Surrey Kennels (Owner), 1949-1968 | Box 30 | Folder 23 |
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Date [inclusive]: 1949-1968

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| Registration Certificates. Miscellaneous Owners, 1942-1966 | Box 30 | Folder 24 |
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Date [inclusive]: 1942-1966

5.1 Count Alexis Pulaski scrapbook collection

Biographical note

Count Alexis Pulaski, or “Mr. Poodle,” was a well-known breeder, entrepreneur, mid-century society page fixture, and passionate advocate for multi-colored poodles. He owned kennels in Willimantic, Connecticut and New Brunswick, New Jersey while his store and salon Poodles, Incorporated was on 52nd Street and Fifth Avenue in Manhattan. Prominent customers included Eva Peron, Judy Garland, Dolores Del Rio, Clare Booth Luce, Gary Cooper, and Hattie Carnegie.

Pulaski originally bred Doberman Pinschers in Russia as early as 1912, and began showing them in stages in 1928 -- having immigrated from Leningrad to America in 1926 as, it has been alleged, an anti-Communist who had fought the Bolsheviks in the Russian Civil War. His friend and later business partner Gilbert Kahn asked him to babysit his poodle, which prompted an unexpected but lifelong devotion to the breed when Pulaski was so impressed with its intelligence and loyalty.

Born in 1946, the grey miniature poodle Masterpiece was Pulaski’s prized possession. He won his first show in the puppy class in Westminster in 1947 and ultimately held Champion, CD, CDX, and UD titles, which were said to have been earned within weeks of each other. Earning \$11,000 annually in stud and modelling fees. Masterpiece was claimed by his owner to have the highest appraisal value of any dog in history, and in fact prince Ali Kahn tried to purchase the dog for \$25,000 for his wife Rita Hayworth. Pulaski travelled the world with Masterpiece, a declared “ambassador of good will” to Europe, Cuba, and Haiti, and host to annual fashion shows at the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show. Their antics were regularly featured in gossip and society columns.

Masterpiece was stolen from Poodles, Inc in 1953 and never recovered. The store, which offered 16 different haircut varieties, closed in 1956. Pulaski subsequently channeled his energies into passionate advocacy and breeding of mixed or “parti-colored” poodles (such as coats of brown and white, gray and white, and black and white). These theories placed Pulaski in opposition to the breed standards established by the AKC and the Poodle Club of America. He devoted himself to the writing of the poodle encyclopedia “Pulaski on Poodles,” which contained many of his divisive theories, and was completed in 1961. Despite his efforts, he was never able to secure a publisher.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists of three scrapbooks and photo albums created and kept by Alexis Pulaski. The first contains a 1960 manuscript for his never-released book “Pulaski on Poodles,” on topics ranging from breeding, to poodles in fashion (written by Nadine Bertin, who had designed poodle window displays with Pulaski), to advocacy for parti-colored poodles. All contributors are noted in the container list. The second features book promotion for “Pulaski on Poodles,” publicity, publisher correspondence, press clippings, and photographs. The third, a photo album, contains photographs, clippings, and correspondence of prominent poodle owners and Pulaski friends -- from politicians (the Churchills) to actresses (Tina Louise and Joan Bennett) to Salvador Dali

and various socialites, including a poodle tea party. Many portraits of Pulaski and Masterpiece are interspersed throughout.

Processing Information:

Processing Information

The first two scrapbooks' contents were removed from their binders and placed in acidfree folders. The third scrapbook's contents were transferred from their original plastic album sleeves to new acidfree sleeves. Original order was maintained. Color photocopies were made of the original scrapbook covers, which were too deteriorated to maintain.

Related Materials:

Related Materials

Two editions of the annual booklets Pulaski produced and distributed about Masterpiece are located in the Library's pamphlet vertical files.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
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| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. Preface and Prologue, c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 1 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "What Is A Poodle?", c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 2 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "The Show Poodle versus The Pet", c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 3 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "The Philosophy and Practice of Breeding", c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 4 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Breeding to the Ultimate", c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 5 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. Color Controversy, c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 6 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Darwin Kennels: Part-Colored Poodles in England." Shirley Waine, c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 7 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Whelping." Phyllis M. Jackson, c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 8 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "The Health of Your Poodle", c. 1960 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 9 |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Training Your Poodle." Lucy Elizabeth Copestake, c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 10 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Grooming Your Poodle." Tonti Hutchings, c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 11 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "The Poodle in Fashion and Advertising." Nadine Bertin, c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 12 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Famous People and Famous Poodles", c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 13 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. "Poodles I Have Known", c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 14 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 1. Book Manuscript. Epilogue and loose pages, c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 15 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 2. Book Promotion, Publicity, Publisher Correspondence, Press Clippings, and Photographs, c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 16-24 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |
| Scrapbook 3. Photographs and Correspondence. Prominent Poodle Owners | Box PH.11 | |
| Scrapbook Covers [photocopies], c. 1960 | Box 31 | Folder 25 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1960 | | |

5.2 Collection of Blanche Saunders, Helen Whitehouse Walker, and dog obedience materials, 1910-1980

Date [inclusive]: 1910-1980

Processing Information:

Processing Information

Photographs are arranged according to subject and time period. All were sleeved in archivally safe protective plastic.

Historical note

Helen Whitehouse Walker and Blanche Saunders were the pioneers of dog obedience in the United States. In 1931 the Poodle Club of America was formed, with Helen Whitehouse Walker as its founding Secretary-Treasurer. That same year she made her first fateful British import, Nymphaea Jason. The brown Standard Poodle became the foundation sire of her famous Carillon Kennels. In 1933, Ch Whippendell Poli of Carillon became the first Poodle to win the Group at Westminster.

Meanwhile, Walker had also become interested in the Obedience Tests featured in her English dog magazines. In the summer of 1933 she contacted kennel clubs, breeders, and exhibitors with the proposal that an American rendition be held that fall. The first All Breed Obedience Test was held at her estate Bedford Hills in Mount Kisco,

New York. The following year she imported Tango of Piperscroft, C.D.X., who had already been trained by his esteemed breeder Grace Boyd, and traveled to England to study the sport.

In the fall of 1934, Walker and Tango of Piperscroft came to visit the promising applicant of their job posting for a kennel maid. Maine native Blanche Saunders had graduated from Massachusetts Agricultural College with majors in animal husbandry and poultry raising. With her poodles in Saunders's very capable hands, Walker concentrated on convincing the American Kennel Club to acknowledge Obedience as a competitive field. She published the booklet *Obedience Tests – Procedure for Judge, Handler, and Show Giving Club*. In early 1936, AKC granted recognition and approval, with the first licensed tests held in June.

Walker and Saunders then set their sights on the American public. Most famously, in 1937, they remodeled a Buick to fit three dogs in the backseat and hauled a 21-foot trailer across 10,000 miles in 10 weeks to perform demos. Recalled Saunders in *The Story of Dog Obedience*, "The ringside was crowded as everyone was anxious to see the 'two crazy women from New York with the trick Poodles,'... People were enthusiastic and their applause lavish. Part of this may have been due to the Poodles' fancy hairdo, but in much greater part it was due to the thrill of seeing [dog] Carillon Epreuve work in Obedience." In 1939, Saunders designed an exhibition at the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show and Walker joined the AKC's newly created AKC Obedience Advisory Committee. Requests soon pooled in from hospitals, training clubs, Scout troops, and more.

Saunders became the face of dog obedience as it swiftly grew in popularity. She conducted demonstrations at Rockefeller Plaza, the Polo grounds, the old Grand Central Palace, and Yankee Stadium, before a crowd of 70,000. Her book "Training You to Train Your Dog," first published in 1946, was a stalwart bestseller well through the 1970s; it was followed up by nine more books, in addition to six widely dispersed black-and-white educational film reels by the same name. For many years she ran The Carillon Poodle Shop in Manhattan's East 50s, taught classes in New York sponsored by the ASPCA, and officially took over the Carillon prefix from Walker in 1943. She was the subject of an extensive profile in *The New Yorker* in 1951, and was named Gaines Fido Dog Woman of the Year in 1946 and 1958.

Scope and Contents

Of special note is the original travel journal maintained by Blanche Saunders on the famous 1937 "trailer trek" across the country, in which some photos are affixed. Further photographs depicts Walker and Saunders at various stages in their lives and careers; obedience demos and classes, from the early 1935 Bedford Hills training to the famous Yankee Stadium and Rockefeller Plaza performances; and significant poodles from Carillon Kennel. Many of the famous and iconic images taken by Louise Branch and published in Saunders' books are present, as are rare candid. Articles and manuscripts, chiefly written and researched by their acquaintance Catherine C. Reilly, and a collection of pedigrees owned by Walker also appear.

| Title/Description | Instances | |
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| Travel Journal. Blanche Saunders. Obedience Tour with Helen Whitehouse Walker, 1937 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1937 | Box OS.2 | Item 1 |
| Photos. Blanche Saunders. Youth, 1910s-1920s <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> 1910s-1920s | Box PH.10 | Folder 1 |
| Photos. Blanche Saunders. Obedience Demos, c. 1935-1938 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1935-1938 | Box PH.10 | Folder 2 |
| Photos. Tango of Piperscroft CDX. Obedience demos (with Blanche Saunders), c. 1932 <u>Date [inclusive]:</u> c. 1932 | Box PH.10 | Folder 3 |
| Photos. Carillion Courage. Obedience demos (with Blanche Saunders), 1938 | Box PH.10 | Folder 4 |

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| <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1938 | | |
| Photos. Carillon Jester UD. Obedience demos (with Blanche Saunders), c. 1945 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1945 | Box PH.10 | Folder 5 |
| Photos. Blanche Saunders. Obedience demos, c. 1950-1963 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1950-1963 | Box PH.10 | Folder 6 |
| Mounted Photo Reproductions. Blanche Saunder. Obedience demos, c. 1946 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1946 | Box OS.2 | |
| Photos. Blanche Saunders. Digital Scan [2], Undated <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : Undated | Box AV.1 | Disk 1 |
| Photos. Bedford Hills Training Class, 1935 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1935 | Box PH.10 | Folder 7 |
| Photos. Rockefeller Plaza Obedience demo. National Dog Week, 1952 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1952 | Box PH.10 | Folder 8 |
| Photos. Yankee Stadium Team Obedience, 1953 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1953 | Box PH.10 | Folder 9 |
| Photos. Carillon Kennels. Facilities, 1951-1964 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1951-1964 | Box PH.10 | Folder 10 |
| Photos. Carillon Kennels. Black Standard Poodles, c. 1930-1945 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1930-1945 | Box PH.10 | Folder 11 |
| Photos. Ch Nymphaea Jason of Carillon (with Helen Whitehouse Walker), 1931 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : 1931 | Box PH.10 | Folder 12 |
| Photos. Ch Carillon Amour CD (with Helen Whitehouse Walker), c. 1935 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1935 | Box PH.10 | Folder 13 |
| Photos. Ch Carillon Boncoeur, c. 1935 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1935 | Box PH.10 | Folder 14 |
| Photos. Ch Carillon Courage, c. 1938 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1938 | Box PH.10 | Folder 14 |
| Photos. Helen Whitehouse Walker, c. 1980-1985 <u>Date [inclusive]</u> : c. 1980-1985 | Box PH.10 | Folder 15 |
| Manuscript. "The Carillon Story: Helen Whitehouse Walker." Catherine C. Reilly [2 parts], 1976 | Box 29 | Folder 10 |

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| Articles and Programs. 50 Years of Dog Obedience, 1983 | Box 29 | Folder 12 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]: 1983</u> | | |
| Manuscript. "The Carillon Story: Blanche Saunders." Catherine C. Reilly [2 parts], 1976 | Box 29 | Folder 11 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]: 1976</u> | | |
| Early Poodle Pedigrees. From Connie Crews to Helen Whitehouse Walker, 1900-1960 | Box 30 | Folder 25 |
| <u>Date [inclusive]: 1900-1960</u> | | |
| Audiocassette. "The Story of Obedience", Undated | Box OS.2 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]: Undated</u> | | |
| Audiocassette, "C.C. Reilly - Breed + Obedience / Walker", 1983 | Box OS.2 | |
| <u>Date [inclusive]: 1983</u> | | |

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