'42 Salem Dog Show Opens at Armory Today

47 Breeds Listed: Soldiers Invited to Attend, Free; Illinois Judge Presides

The fourth annual Salem Lions Kennel club dog show, whose 1941 predecessor drew an estimated 3000 spectators, will open at the armory here at 1 o'clock this afternoon with an entry list closely approaching 200 and classifications for 47 breeds.

Tire rationing and other war conditions have resulted in a slight decrease in entries, but dog fan- Judging ciers are assured of very nearly the usual number of breeds and the past quality of animals, J. H. Program "Harry" Willett, general chairman, declared Friday night.

The Kennel club this year is bringing on his first official trip to the Pacific northwest Alf Mitchell of Deerfield, Ill., old-time TODAY: all-breed judge who has presided 2-5 p.m.-All toys, group V, such at a majority of the large shows in the eastern states during his 30 years of experience. The Salem show is Deerfield's only engagement in the west this year. He is ■ breeder as well as a judge of 7:30-11 p.m.—Collies, Group III, fine dogs.

Successful exhibitors will carry away with them Sunday night, in SUNDAY: addition to 13 types of club rib- 10:30 a.m.-12 noon-All nonbons, a wide variety of sun-gold, bronze and pewter trophies whose aggregate value is reported to be

Special arrangements were completed Friday by Edward Majek, publicity chairman, and Willett, for the admission of all service men in uniform free of

The soldiers may be especially interested to find an exceptionally large exhibit of Doberman Pinschers, a breed of dog frewas on exhibition in Hawaii at not eligible to be shown.

Special event for this year's show is the children's handling class, to be conducted at 6:30 p. m. Sunday with E. T. B. Hill of Salem as the judge. Entrants are to be 12 years of age or younger. They are required to obtain one of the dogs entered in the show with which to demenstrate their handling ability. Three trophies will be award For best boy handler, best girl handler and champion handler.

This year's show, like its predecessors, is conducted under license from the American Kennel club and the club's rigorous rules applied. The committee requires that all dogs be submitted to examination by a veterinarian be-

Salem Lions Kennel club dog show, armory, today and Sun-

as Chihuahuas, Griffons, Pekingese, Pomeranians, and hounds, group II, such as Afgans, Bassets, Beagles, Bloodhounds, Borzois and Dachshunde.

and all terriers, Group IV.

sporting Group IV except Boston terriers, and remainder of working dogs, group III, such as Shepherds, Great Danes, Shetlands and St. Bernards.

-5:30 p.m.—Boston terriers and all sporting dogs, group I, such as Pointers, Retrievers, Setters, and Spaniels.

charge during the two-day 6:30-9 p.m.—Children's handling classes.

> Variety classes. Parade of champions, best brace and best dog in show.

quently used in military service. fore benching. No dog is permit-Cocker Spaniels constitute the ted to be permanently removed breed represented by the greatest from the show before the judging number of entries, with Boston is completed Sunday night, with-Terriers running second. One of out special permission. Puppies the latter, a puppy from Seattle, born after August 27, 1941, are

the time of the attack on Pearl "Best dog in show" selection is determined by an elimination routine in which winning animals of each breed are chosen for entry in the variety class groups and group winners judged for the grand award.

> Ribbon colors represent wards as follows:

Blue-first prize. Red-Second prize. Yellow-Third prize.

Royal purple and white-Re-

serve winners. Blue and white-Best of win-

ty breed.

Royal purple and goldof breed. Purple and silver-Best **Head Committees for Dog Show**





Here are the Salem Lions club leaders in charge of arranging the city's 1942 dog show, which opens today: Upper left, Virgil T. Golden, club president; lower left J. H. Willett, general chairman; above R. W. "Joe" Land, chairman, property committee; to his right, Jacob Fuhrer, chairman, ticket committee; and Edward Majek,



Lions Set up Own Kennel Club Here

A formal sub-organization of Members of the bench show armory today and Sunday, as it Christison and Jack Hubbard.

(Willet photo by Kennell-Ellis.) Putnam, ring steward.



has done in the last three years. Officers of the kennel club are J. H. Willett, president, expert dog fancier and breeder who serves on benching committees of other major Pacific northwest shows; Jack Putnam, vice president, and H. W. Scott, secretary-treasurer.

Salem Lions club members, the committee are Putnam, Jacob Lions Kennel club of Salem, con- Fuhrer, Edward Majek, Denver ducts the dog show at the local Young, Tracy Porter, Monroe S. Cheek, R. W. "Joe" Land, L. S. Mrs. Norma Perry is show chairman, publicity committee. superintendent and secretary and



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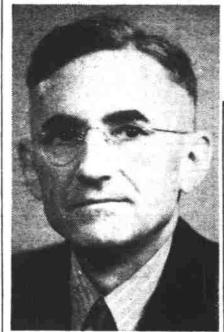
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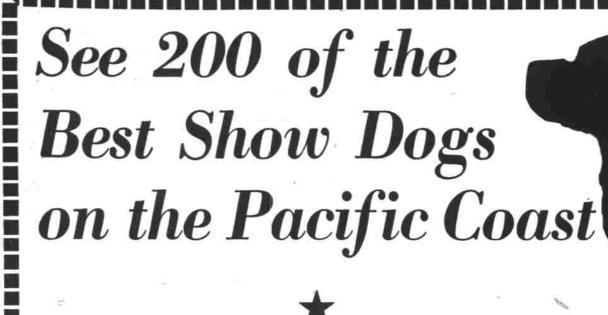
opposite sex to best of breed. Dark green-Special prize. Additional and non-regular

classes: Rose-First prize.

Brown-Second prize. Light green-Third prize. Acclaimed as fine as any seen

in western dog shows is the benching made and owned by the Salem Lions club members. A project for construction of wooden, demountable benching was undertaken two years ago. The club now owns sufficient benching for

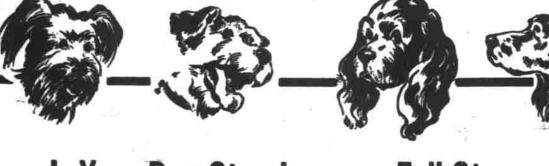
Proceeds of the Lions dog shows go into its charity fund for the aid of the blind throughout the year and of underprivileged children at Christmas time. Approximately \$500 was turned into the fund from the 1941 show.



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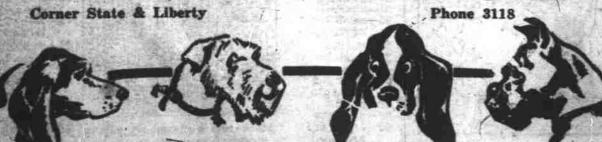
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