

INTERNATIONAL SHEEP DOG SOCIETY

PROGRAMME OF

SCOTTISH NATIONAL TRIALS

AT

THE BUGHT, INVERNESS

ON

Friday & Saturday, 27th & 28th July, 1951

Commencing each day at 9 a.m.

Scottish President—JAMES GRAY, Mayfield, Garelochhead

JUDGES :

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- (b) Local : See "Acknowledgments" (p. 2).

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- (a) General Secretary : Mr T. H. Halsall, Southport
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HON. VETERINARY SURGEONS :

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REFRESHMENTS ON THE GROUND

No Pass-out Checks.

Programme: One Shilling

**“ THERE IS NO GOOD FLOCK WITHOUT A GOOD SHEPHERD,
AND NO GOOD SHEPHERD WITHOUT A GOOD DOG.”**

—Motto of French Shepherds' Club.

OBJECTS OF THE “INTERNATIONAL ”

(Excerpt from the Constitution)

The objects of the Society shall be to stimulate public interest in the Shepherd and his calling; secure the better management of stock by improving the Shepherd's Dog, and give financial assistance to Members (and their Widows) in case of need. These objects shall be promoted by the holding of Trials, the institution of a Stud Book for Sheep Dogs, Grant from the Funds of the Society, and in any other way calculated to attain them.

It is not necessary to own a Sheep or even a Sheep Dog to be a Member of the Society. To be a dog lover and in sympathy with our objects is sufficient. (See back page).

GENERAL NOTE

WHILE THE ORDER OF THE CATALOGUE WILL BE ADHERED TO AS FAR AS POSSIBLE, THE RIGHT TO RUN ANY DOG AT ANY TIME IS RESERVED TO THE COMMITTEE (RULE 14).

Presentation of Prizes on Saturday

AT CONCLUSION OF TRIALS BY

MRS GRIGOR, LENTRAN HOUSE, LENTRAN, INVERNESS-SHIRE

At the Close of the Driving Class all the Prizes at the Trials will be distributed and the Teams for the “International” at Ruthin announced as follows:—

- (a) **Hired Shepherds' Class (first three dogs);**
- (b) **National Team (twelve dogs from either Class);**
- (c) **Driving Representative for Scotland (one dog from either Class);**
- (d) **“Brace” Representatives for Scotland (first three pairs).**

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- 1. **GROUND** Loaned by Inverness Town Council.
- 2. **LOCAL REPRESENTATIVES**—Provost, Magistrates and Councillors.
- 3. **Messrs John Macpherson and Sons**, Inglis Street, for Displaying Trophies.
- 4. **MATERIAL, PENS, ETC.** Inverness Junior Agricultural Club, and Messrs Macdonald, Fraser and Co.
- 5. **SHEEP** Loaned by John Urquhart, Esq., Clunas Farm, Cawdor, Nairn.

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PRIZES AND GRANTS

The Directors have decided to give a Grant of £5 to each Competitor qualifying for, and competing in, any of the Classes at this year's "International"; all the Cash Prizes formerly awarded are cancelled, except as follows:—

1. SINGLES

(1) SHEPHERDS' CLASS

Shepherds' National Cup, five prize-winning tickets to the first five dogs in order of merit, and in addition the former 4th, 5th and 6th £3, £2, £1 cash prizes, provided the winners of these prizes do not qualify for any at the "International." (Note—The first three prize-winners in this Class qualify for the Special Hired Shepherds' Class at the "International," and accordingly will receive no cash prizes).

SPECIALS

Breeder of Winner (previous winning dogs excluded)	£1
Upstanding Style	10s

(2) FARMERS' CLASS

Six prize-winning tickets to first six dogs in order of merit.

SPECIALS

Breeder of Winner (previous winning dogs excluded)	£1
Upstanding Style	10s

SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

SCOTTISH CHALLENGE CUP, VALUE £15 (presented by Miss Rainie, Ayr), awarded to the first dog in order of merit (irrespective of class). This is the fifth Scottish Cup and third presented by Miss Rainie. To be won three times in succession or five times in all before becoming the property of any Competitor.

DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP

Best Driving Dog (either class)

"TOM GILHOLM" TROPHY (PERPETUAL). Trophy presented by Mr Geo. Gilholm, Aberlady. (See pages 5 and 6). If not otherwise entitled to same, owner of the first prize dog will also receive a grant of £5 towards his expenses attending the "International." (See below).

YOUNGEST COMPETITOR

(Either Class)

THE "DRUMCLOG" CUP (PERPETUAL). Presented by Mrs Prentice, Hamilton (1937).

2. DOUBLES

1st SCOTTISH "BRACE" CHALLENGE TROPHY (PERPETUAL) (presented by Burgh of Helensburgh). If not otherwise entitled to same, each of the first three prize-winners will receive a grant of £5 towards his expenses attending the "International." (See below).

INTERNATIONAL TEAMS

At the three National Trials held by the Society this year in Scotland, England, and Wales, teams will be selected to represent their respective Countries at the "INTERNATIONAL" at BLACKPOOL on September 20th, 21st and 22nd. The Scottish teams will be selected at the close of the Trials, and, subject to the Rules, will consist of:—

- (1) The first three dogs in the Shepherds' Class to enter the SPECIAL Hired Shepherds' Class at the "International."
- (2) The twelve highest-pointed dogs (irrespective of class) to enter the Qualifying Trials for the Supreme Championship at the "International."
- (3) The best driving dog to enter the International Driving Championship, and
- (4) The first three pairs in the "Doubles" to enter the "International."

1. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND QUALIFYING TRIALS FOR INTERNATIONAL

No.	Competitor	Name	Stud Book No.	Age Yrs. Ms.	Sire	Dam
SHEPHERDS' CLASS						
3 rd 1	Watson, Thomas, Eccles Newtown, Coldstream ... (Employed by R. Irvine and Sons, Eccles Newtown)	Sweep	6103	3 2	Sweep (W. J. Hislop) 3834	Nan (Watson) 4973
2	Burns, James, Culcrae, Ringford, Castle Douglas (Employed by John Haddow, Esq., Ringford)	Meg II	4938	5 3	Glen (Templeton) 4403	Meg II (Burns) 4348
3	Cameron, H. Plan, Kilbirnie, Ayrshire ... (Employed by Robert Logan, Esq., Kilbirnie)	Star	6200	3 1	Sweep (Cunningham) 4086	Queen (Cameron) 6191
4	Watson, Wm., Harelaw, Greenlaw, Berwickshire ... (Employed by G. Scott-Watson, Esq., Greenlaw)	Lass	4370	8 4	Cap (Wilson) 3036	Bess (Watson)
5	Inch, Thos., Tanderlane, Haddington, E. Lothian (Employed by D. Cunningham, Esq., Haddington)	Fly	6566	2 4	Spot (Gilchrist) 3624	Queen (Gilchrist) 6033
93 rd 6	McKinnon, Duncan, Macmaridge, Butterstone, Dunkeld ... (Employed by Capt. Lyle, Butterstone)	Nell	6134	5 4	Garry (McLeod) 3369	Flick (Smith) 3687
9 7	Work, Wm., Wester Alenoor, Robertson, Hawick (Employed by Robert Ferguson, Esq., Robertson)	Dave	5604	4 5	Nap (Lothian) 3732	Fly (Lothian) 4731
8	MacLeod, Donald, Stylemouth, Ballintuim, Blairgowrie ... (Employed by Major Nairn, Ballintuim)	Corrie	6263	2 1	Garry (McLeod) 3699	Floss (Morrison) 4603
9	Simpson, J. B., Kingask, St Andrews, Fife ... (Employed by S. W. Weir, St Andrews)	Phil	5980	3 5	Vic (Murray) 4368	Queen (Simpson) 5674
10	McDonald, Angus, Strone Farm, Dalnally, Ayrs ... (Employed by H. Kennedy, Esq., Edinburgh)	Toby	5697	3 8	Bob (Hickman) 4481	Doodle (Furneaux) 3927
9 th 10a	Stoddart, Andrew, Dunmaglass, Aberarder, Strathnairn ... (Employed by A. Shaw, Esq., Aberarder)	Jim	7877	5 4	Glen (MacLeod) 4165	Phil (MacLeod) 4164
11	Sherry, Hugh T., Larg, Bargrennan, Newton Stewart (Employed by T. MacWhirter, Esq., Bargrennan)	Bob	6740	3 2	Ben (Galloway) 5069	Flo (Thomson) 5038
12	Farquharson, W., Teasses Farm, Leven, Fife ... (Employed by Bdgr. W. G. C. Black, M.M., Leven)	Roy	6023	3 9	Mirk (Wilson) 4438	Juil (McNaughton) 6024
13	Brown, James, Seagate, Kingsbarn, Fife ... (Employed by Murdo Fraser, Esq., Cupar)	Mona	4957	9 3	Rock (Brown) —	Judy (Brown) —
8 th 14	Redpath, G. R. Batts, Harden Mains, Jedburgh ... (Employed by J. S. Bathgate, Esq., Jedburgh)	Moss	6805	2 6	Sweep (Hislop) 3834	Jed (Swinton) 349
15	Burns, James (see 1) above	Tam	7032	2 5	Ben (Millar) 4931	Meg II (Burns) 4348
11 th 16	Work, Wm. (see 7 above)	Ken	6761	2 4	Dave (Work) 5604	Queen (Ferguson) 6006
17	Inch, Thomas (see 5 above)	Nell	5342	6 5	Spot (Gilchrist) 3624	Jet (Adams) —
18	Watson, Wm. (see 4 above)	Tib	5670	6 0	Nickey (Watson)	Miss (Hush) —
19	MacLeod, Donald (see 8 above)	Nan	6094	2 9	Jaff (Holmes) 4450	Nell (Holmes) 4484
20	Cameron, H. (see 3 above)	Queen	6191	6 3	Ben (Burns) 4219	Maid (Burns) —
21	Watson, Thomas (see 1 above)	Nell	3671	9 0	Cap (Wilson) 3036	Bess (Watson) —
FARMER'S CLASS						
22	Pollock, Jack, Knocklandside, Kilmarnock, Ayrshire	Tig	6090	3 7	Toss (Pollock) 4059	Nell (Drenman) 5912
23	Murray, George A., Davoch, Rogart, Sutherland ...	Lena	4077	7 3	Daur (Mellwrick) —	Mar (Mellwrick) —
24	Dunn, Wm., Carsebrook, Blackford, Perthshire ...	Afton	7812	2 5	Ben (Millar) 4931	Winnie II (Dunn) 4408
25	McPherson, J. D., Loithen Lodge, Innerleithen ...	Fleet	5657	5 7	Moss (Davidson) —	Bess (Scott) —
26	Gilchrist, J., Justice Hall, Oxton, Berwick ...	Spot	7320	3 5	Boy (Renwick) 5323	Jed (Gilchrist) 4941
27	Hyslop, A. G., Knockiebay Newluc, Wigtown ...	Vic	4275	6 2	Sweep (Hislop) 3834	Beat (Brotherstone) 3897
28	Gilchrist, John, Alderston Mains, Haddington ...	Moss	7753	2 0	Spot (Gilchrist) 3624	Gem (Russell)
29	Hogarth, James, Linglie Farm, Selkirk ...	Tam	7655	2 2	Glen (Hogarth) 3868	June (Johnston)
30	Dickson, David, Greensidehall, Hawick, Roxburgh	Ben	5592	5 1	Toss (Crozier) 5009	Beat (Robertson) —
31	Bonella, Thomas, Tillyochie Mains, Kinross ...	Fly	6864	3 6	Mirk (Wilson) 4438	Queen (Bonella) 3389
32	Little, W. R., Kirklands, Innerleithen, Peebles-shire	Spot II	6775	4 5	Glen (Banks) 3957	Tib (Banks) 4458
33	Murray, David, Glen Bield, Peebles ...	Nap	5526	3 3	Vic (Murray) 4368	Bess (Anderson) 5647
34	Johnstone, John, Mainhill, Lockerbie, Dumfries ...	Sweep	7070	3 1	Ben (Galloway) 5096	Flo (Thomson) 5038
35	Millar, J. R., Baidlandhill, Dalry, Ayrshire ...	Ken	7364	1 4	Ben (Millar) 4931	Nell (Fraser) 5147
36	McCormack, Mrs. A. L., Rynuan, Kingussie, Inverness ...	Phil	7164	2 2	Glen (Wilson) 3940	Queen (Coltherd) 6143
37	McClure, W. E., Maidland, Wigtown, Scotland ...	Meg	5141	7 2	Jim (Scott) —	Nell (Kirk) 3514
38	McPherson, Andrew, Loch Treig, Carrou, Inverness	Boy	5071	8 1	Ferach (McPherson) 1980	Judy (McPherson) 4622
39	McIntyre, Duncan, Ardentraive, Colintrave, Argyll	Rab	5646	3 11	Don (McIntyre) 4528	Bett (McDougall) 4850
40	McLean, F. I., Ruthven Farm, Kingussie, Inverness	Monty	4493	7 11	Cap (Wilson) 3036	Jed (McLean) 3086

II. BRACE CLASS						
1	MacLeod, Donald (see 8 and 19 above) ...	Corrie	6263	and	Nan	6094
2	Johnstone, John (see 34 and 46 above) ...	Mirk	6084	and	Sweep	7070
3	Cameron, Hugh (see 3 and 20 above) ...	Star	6200	and	Queen	6191
4	Thomson, J. T. M. (see 53 and 68 above) ...	Rob	4072	and	Flo	5038
5	McPherson, J. D. (see 63 and 25 above) ...	Moss	4551	and	Fleet	5657
6	McIntyre, Duncan (see 39 and 61 above) ...	Rab	5646	and	Miffy	4527

10 8 Miller
12 2 Work
12 m. Clure

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No.	Competitor	Name	Stud Book No.	Age Yrs. Ms.	Sire	Dam
FARMERS' CLASS						
41	Hyslop, A. G., (see 27 above)	Toss	5519	3 2	Dan (Hyslop) 5739	Vic (Hyslop) 4275
42	Hyslop, A. G. (see 27 and 41 above)	Lad	4276	7 6	Jim (Lambie) —	Fly (McTaggart) —
43	Anderson, James, Lilliards Edge, St. Boswells	Garry	4915	5 0	Glen (Banks) 3947	Tib (Banks) 4458
44	McClure, W. E. (see 37 above)	Glen	6123	4 2	Mark (Jones) 4991	Floss (Mostyn) 5058
45	McBain, F. M., Suie Hotel, Kincaig, Inverness	Hemp	5605	6 0	Glen (Wilson) 3940	Nell III (Wilson) 3597
46	Johnstone, J. (see 34 above)	Mirk	6084	2 8	Bobby (Pinkerton) 6122	Maid (Johnstone) 5979
47	McKerchar, James, 78 MacEwen Drive, Inverness	Sweep	7815	2 2	Cap (MacKay) 7815	Queen (McDonald) 3342
48	Leitch, James, Gateside Farm, Darvel, Ayrshire	Drift	7814	1 3	Glen (Leitch) 5715	Trixie (Leitch) 5364
49	Hislop, W. J., Colterooks, Gordon, Berwickshire	Glen	7755	2 6	Bruce (Cameron) 3728	Swift I (Cullens) 3932
50	Wallace, J. A. R., Over Barskeoch, Dalry, C. Douglas	Phil	4689	5 4	Mirk (Wilson) 4438	Queen (Wilson) 4205
51	Wilson, J. M., Whitehope, Innerleithen, Peebles	Tib	6903	5 3	Mirk (Wilson) 4438	Queen (Wilson) 4205
52	Wilson, J. M. (see 51 above)	Scott	7492	2 1	Glen (Banks) 3597	Tib (Banks) 4458
53	Thomson, J. T. M., Kilhern, New Luce, Newton Stewart	Rob	4972	7 0	Dusk (Walker) 2658	Pen (Walker) 3341
54	Millar, J. R. (see 35 above)	Speed	4382	9 1	Roy (Paton) —	Emma (McCutcheon) —
55	Murray, David (see 33 above)	Vic	4368	6 4	Ben (Phillips) 4475	Fly (Murray) 5506
56	Hogarth, James (see 29 above) Dog works to name of Sweep	Roy	5048	4 6	Sweep (Hislop) 3834	Bel (Forrester) —
57	McCormack, Mrs. A. L. (see 36 above)	Meg II	4954	6 1	Jim (Davidson) 4178	Jed (Davidson) —
58	McCormack, Mrs. A. L. (see 36 and 37 above)	Roy	4277	7 7	Cap (Wilson) 3036	Toss (McCormack) 1873
59	Gilchrist, J. (see 28 above)	Spot	3624	8 0	Tam (Purdie) 3465	Trim (Purdie) —
60	McPherson, Andrew (see 38 above)	Jim	4976	5 9	Jim (Fletcher) 4029	Jean (Metcalf) 4054
61	McIntyre, Duncan (see 39 above)	Miffy	4527	8 2	Joek (McIntyre) —	Nell (Donnachie) —
62	Anderson, James (see 43 above)	Hope	7029	2 9	Garry (Anderson) 4915	Biddy (Anderson) 5492
63	McPherson, J. D. (see 25 above)	Moss	4551	11 1	Cap (Wilson) 3036	Jed (McLean) 3086
64	Hislop, W. J. (see 49 above)	Sweep III	5950	3 0	Sweep I (Hislop) 3834	Meg (Wardrop) 3414
65	Hislop, W. J. (see 49 and 64 above)	Ben	6874	2 6	Glen (Wilson) 3940	Nell (Edgar) 5453
66	MacKay, Joseph, Langdale, Strathnaver, Sutherland	Cap	7815	6 0	Sweep (Little) 4326	Floss (McIntyre) 7110
67	Little, W. R. (see 32 above)	Roy	4497	7 1	Spot (Storie) 3032	Jed (Burns) —
68	Thomson, J. T. M. (see 53 above)	Flo	5035	5 3	Rover (Cairg) 2308	Maid (Thomson) —
69	Dunn, Wm. (see 24 above)	Mick	6649	5 4	Jim (Dunn) 3339	Myrtle II (Dunn) 6204
70	Dickson, David (see 30 above)	Nell	5426	5 2	Toss (Crozier) 5009	Trim (Dickson) 2665
71	Bonolla, Thomas (see 31 above)	Moss	7878	2 2	Moss (McKerchar) 3831	Swan (Cowan) —
72	Hislop, John R., Eildon View, Gordon, Berwickshire	Fly	5031	5 0	Jaff (Hughes) 4313	Queen (Hislop) 4212
73	McKerchar, James (see 47 above)	Moss	3831	8 3	Moss (McPherson) 4551	Trim (McKerchar) 3829
74	Wilson, J. M. (see 51 and 52 above)	Mirk	4438	7 0	Spot (McDonald) 3369	Chris (Cole) 4065
75	Wilson, J. M. (see 51, 52 and 74 above)	Moss	5176	5 2	Mirk (Wilson) 4438	Nell (Kirk) 3514

II. BRACE CLASS

7	Hislop, W. J. (see 64 and 65 above)	Bon	6874	and	Sweep	5940
8	Gilchrist, John (see 59 and 28 above)	Spot	3624	and	Moss II	7753
9	Murray, David (see 55 above)	Vic	4368	and	Number	6152
10	Hogarth, James (see 56 and 29 above)	Roy	5048	and	Tam	7655
11	Anderson, James (see 62 and 43 above)	Hope	7029	and	Garry	4915
12	Renwick, J. M.	Moss	4428	and	Glen	5107

1. SINGLES

(a) NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND QUALIFYING TRIALS FOR "INTERNATIONAL."

COURSE (See Plan 1)

- (1) GATHERING 5 Sheep—B.F.—400 yards. In outrun dog may be directed on either side, Straight fetch from lift to shepherd. No obstacle.
- (2) DRIVING AWAY—From pole where shepherd will stand 300 yards in triangular direction through two gates. Failure to negotiate gates will involve a loss of points in Judges' discretion, according to circumstances, and a second attempt at either gate will not be allowed. Drive ends when sheep are back to Shepherd.
- (3) SHEDDING—Two UNMARKED sheep within ring 20 yards in diameter. Dogs must be in full control of THESE sheep, otherwise the shed will not be deemed satisfactory.
- (4) PENNING—Square Pen, 6 ft. with gate. On completion of shedding, Competitors must proceed to pen, leaving dog to bring sheep to pen. Competitors are forbidden to assist dog to drive sheep to pen. Competitors to stand at gate end, holding rope (6 ft.), while the dog works sheep into pen. A Competitor who leaves the gate end before being ordered to do so by the Judges, through the Course Director, will lose points in the Judges' discretion.
- (5) SINGLE SHEEP—Competitor to proceed to shedding ring, leaving the dog to bring the lot from pen to ring. ONE OF TWO MARKED SHEEP to be shed off within the ring, and thereafter worn (in or outside the ring) to the Judges' satisfaction. Competitors are forbidden to assist the dog by driving off the single any distance or to press it on the dog.

SCALE OF POINTS

GATHERING 25 (Outrun 10; Lifting 5; Bringing 10). DRIVING—10; SHEDDING — 5;
PENNING—5; SINGLE—5; STYLE—5; TOTAL—55. AGGREGATE (2 Judges)—110.
TIME LIMIT—15 Minutes. No extension.

(b) DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP.

20 Sheep. Distance—400 yards in straight line. No obstacles. Points 5. Time—7 minutes. No extension.

2. DOUBLES

COURSE (see Plan 2).

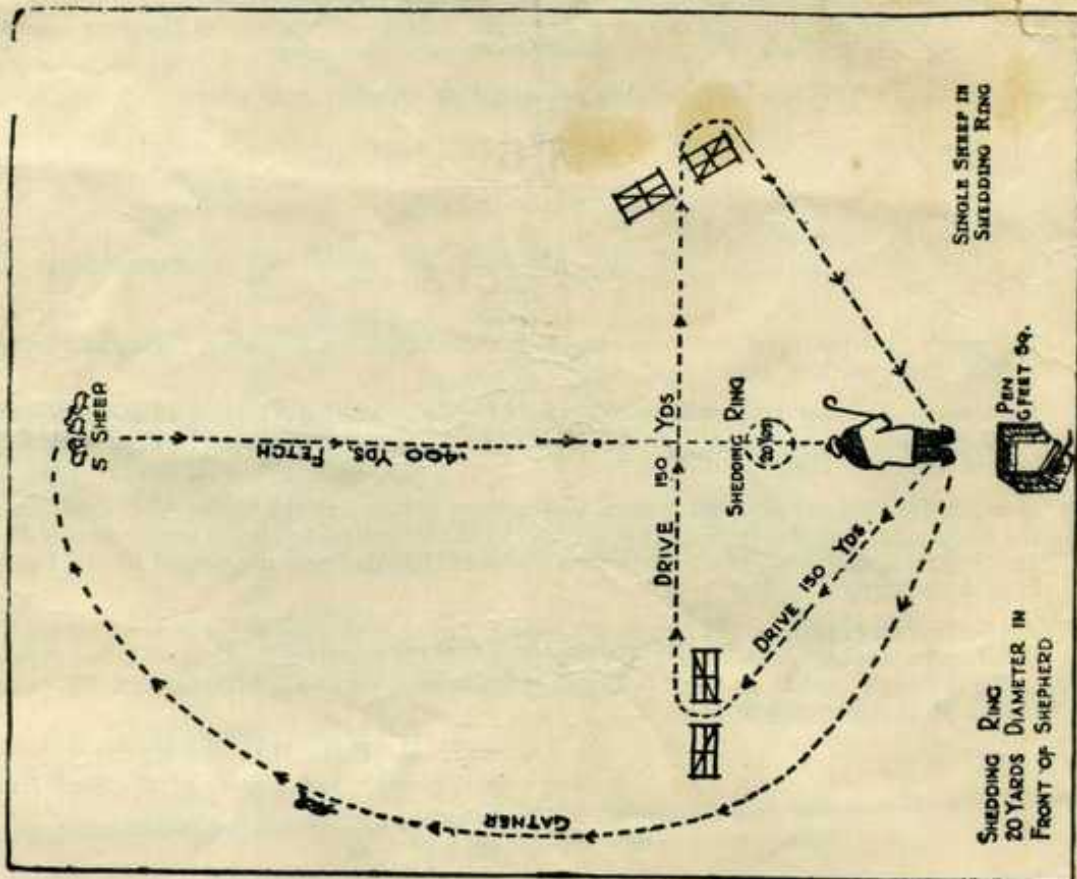
- (1) GATHERING (6 Sheep; B.F.) Sheep to be placed 400 yards from shepherd. Both dogs to start at same time, one going on left and the other on right hand, crossing at head permitted. Dogs to bring sheep through centre gate 150 yards from shepherd. Failure to negotiate gate to be penalised by loss of points in the Judges' discretion. No re-try. Each dog to keep its own side till fetch is finished. Crossing is fetch to be penalised in Judges' discretion, except at head.
- (2) DRIVING—6 sheep with two dogs, 300 yards in triangular direction through two gate obstacles back to shepherd. Failure to negotiate the gates will be penalised by a loss of points in the Judges' discretion. No re-try at either gate; each dog to keep its own side till drive finished. Crossing to be penalised in Judges' discretion.
- (3) SHEDDING—Lot of six to be divided into two lots of three each.
- (4) PENNING—One lot to be penned with either dog in V-shaped pen, with four feet entrance and no gate on the right. Dog to be left in charge while other lot are penned by other dog in similar pen, 50 yards apart on the left.

SCALE OF POINTS

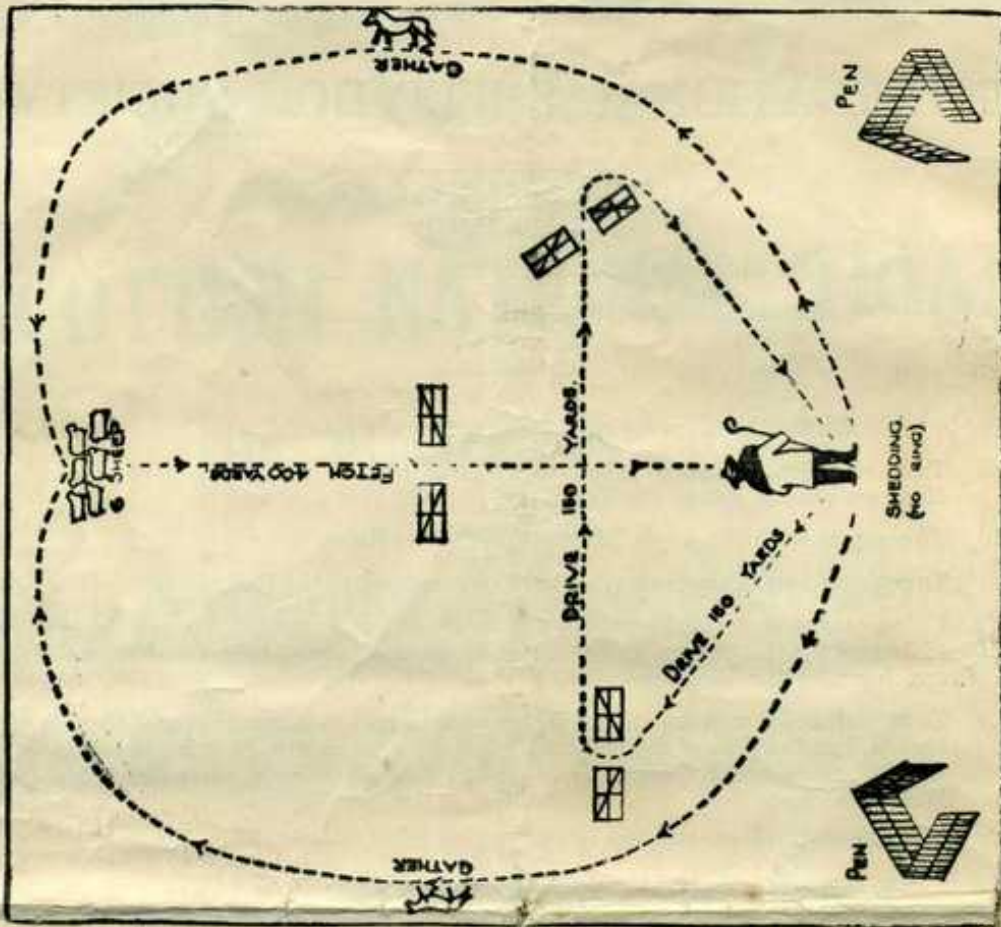
GATHERING 30 (Running out 10; Lifting 10; Bringing 10); DRIVING 10; SHEDDING 5; PENNING two lots 10; STYLE 5; TOTAL 60. Aggregate (Two Judges) 120.
TIME LIMIT—20 minutes. No Extension.

PLANS OF COURSES

1. SINGLES



2. DOUBLES



The Gate is introduced on the Fetch

INTERNATIONAL SHEEP DOG SOCIETY

MEMBERSHIP.

Life Membership	£5 5s
Annual Membership	10s

A Member in the U.K. has the following rights :—

- (a) To receive free admission tickets to all Trials held by the Society. Tickets are sent to Members shortly before the Trials.
- (b) To compete at the Society's Trials, subject to the Rules.
- (c) To register dogs in the Society's Stud Book, subject to the Rules.
- (d) Unless otherwise decided by the Directors from time to time, to vote in the appointment of Judges for the "International" in each year. (NOTE.—Judges at National Trials are appointed by the Directors).
- (e) To attend, move motions at, and otherwise take part in Annual General Meeting of Members held at the time of the National Trials in each country, Scottish Members attending the Scottish Meeting, English Members the English Meeting, and Welsh Members the Welsh Meeting.
- (f) To receive all the publications of the Society.

A Member resident outwith the U.K. has the following rights, viz. (a), (c), and (f) above.

A Sheep Dog Association may be enrolled as a member, in which case all the Society's communications (including voting papers) are sent to a person to be nominated by the Association as representing it. Persons or Associations desirous of enrolling as Members may do so with any Director or with the Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTE.—Membership runs to 30th October next year.

NOTICES

- (1) This year's "International" will take place at BLACKPOOL, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday—20th, 21st and 22nd September.
- (2) Next year's National Trials will be held at PAISLEY. APPLICATIONS FROM SUITABLE PLACES ARE INVITED FOR THE 1953 TRIALS. The "International" will be held in Scotland at a suitable centre in 1952.
- (3) Members for 1952 are now being enrolled. Members receive free tickets for ALL Trials held by the Society, and are also entitled (if so decided by the Directors) to vote in the election of Judges for "International" each year. Judges for the NATIONAL Trials are elected by the Directors in each country.
- (4) Application for registration of dogs in the Society's Stud Book may be made at any time. Only Members can register dogs, and no dog can compete at the Society's Trials which is not registered in the Society's Stud Book on or before June 1st in each year. Registration Fee, 10/- per dog; Litters up to one month free.

T. H. HALSALL, SOUTHPORT,
Secretary, Treasurer and Keeper of the Stud Book.