

1934 Pedigree for Knif-Li with Steed's Ching Foo Stud card

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OWNED BY <i>R. A. Miller</i> 3912 Ray REG. No. <i>218077</i>			
SIRE <i>Flossman X Mu Chang</i> <i>956707</i>			
PEDIGREE ... of ...			
NAME <i>Knif-Li</i>			
BREED <i>Chow Chow</i>			
COLOR <i>Red & Cream</i>			
SEX <i>Female</i>			
DAM <i>Linda Lal</i> <i>650358</i>			
BRED BY <i>Miss Viola M. Wade</i>			
WHELPED <i>Sept. 5, 1934</i>			

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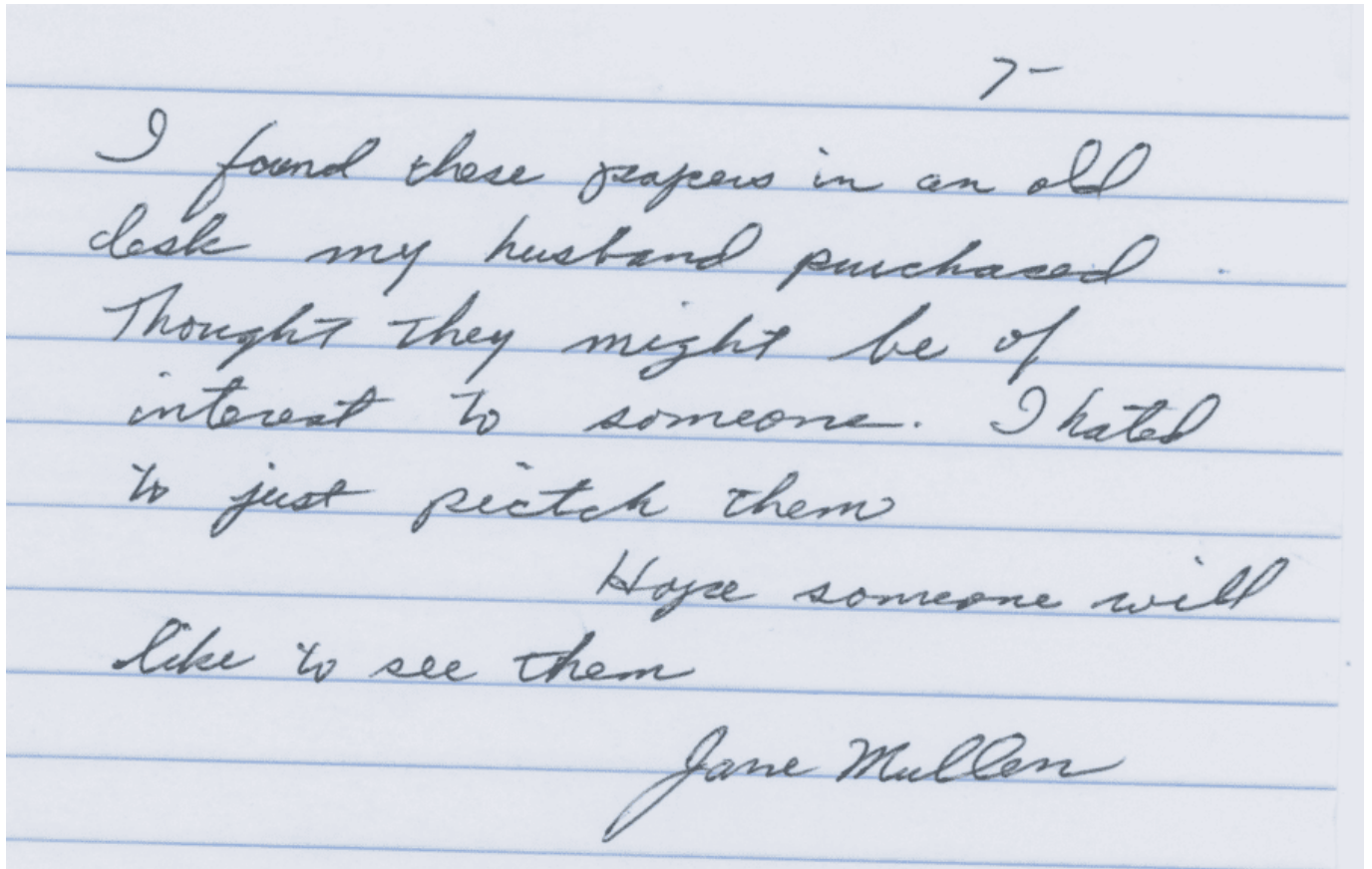
<i>Mu Chang of Manchow</i>	<i>Chowman Brilliantine of Manchow</i>	<i>A. Kaban</i>
		<i>Ashville Chop Chop</i>
	<i>Champion of Manchow</i>	<i>Wildcull Bee</i>
		<i>Long</i>
<i>Flossman Baccante</i>	<i>Young Worthy</i>	<i>Zoo King</i>
		<i>Chie Chie of Waring</i>
	<i>Lala Huang</i>	<i>Picknell</i>
		<i>Hai Fung</i>
	<i>Chink's Chum</i>	<i>Bengusa</i>
		<i>Machine</i>
<i>Chink's Chum's Bay</i>	<i>Cha Ming</i>	<i>Sam Sam's Son</i>
		<i>Shen Cherry Chum</i>
	<i>Little Lord Chumby</i>	<i>Little Lord Chumby</i>
		<i>Luna O'Jays</i>
<i>China Mah Jongg</i>	<i>Wei Waihi (Sun Lay)</i>	<i>Luna Chum</i>
		<i>Chie Moo</i>

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This amazing pedigree for female chow Knif-Li was sent to the Chow Chow Club Inc. in 2016 (then mailed to me by Linda Albert) with the attached letter below. Also in the package was a stud card for one of America's top stud dogs in the package. This is an incredible treasure, which from the sound of the note could have just as easily ended up in the trash. The "rescue" of these rare and brittle artifacts is what keeps me going as an archivist. To most people they mean nothing....to our Chow breed and my mission as curator to

ChowTales....they are priceless!



Knif-Li came from incredible ancestry, from the very first generation on back. Some of the highlights below are clickable to see photos or articles

[CH. CHOONAM BRILLIANTINE OF MANCHOOVER](#)

CH. CHINO MAH-JONG

ASHVILLE CHOP CHOP

[BERGSUSA \(blue\)](#)

[LORD CHOLMONDELEY](#)

SUM CHUM (sired by the famous [Pusa of Amwell](#))

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PEDIGREE

... of ...

NAME *King-Lion*

BREED *Chass. Chass.*

COLOR *Red & Cream*

SEX *Female*

REG. No. *4-18077*



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CHAMPION STEED'S CHING FOO

At Stud - Fee \$35



Ch. Steed's Ching Foo is a large type dog, carries a beautiful red off-standing coat, is very heavy-boned, has a short body, good head with nicely filled-out muzzle, well-set eyes and ears and perfect legs, feet and gait. The majority of his ancestors had good coat and heavy bone, which is being transmitted to puppies sired by him.

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1930's STUD CARD FOR CH. STEED'S CHING FOO
- In the private collection of Sandra Miller ©2017

ABOVE AND BELOW IS THE STUD CARD WHICH WAS FOUND WITH THE
PEDIGREE IN THE DESK DRAWER

My imagination runs wild I'm sure, but I can't help think that the handsome Ch. Steed's Ching Foo may have been considered a possible suitor for M'lady "Knif-Li" , from the pedigree above....afterall, they were found in the same desk drawer and both hail from Missouri!!! A sign of true love!!!

Looking at Ching Foo's pedigree I am wishing this boy were around today to add to a breeding program. [Mumsie and Foxie](#) are 2 of the top dams in breed history with [Ch. Chee Kee](#) and [Sum Sultan](#), [Winsum MinT'Sing](#) and the El Cher dogs , all being the best of the best representatives of the breed in the 1920's.

Pedigree of Champion Steed's Ching Foo

Ch. Sum Sultan	Ch. Winsum MinT 'Sing
Ch. Tuthy Ame of El Cher	Tang
Mumsee	Sundawn
Kemal Siddy of El Cher	Foxie
Barzie of El Cher	Rugi
Sans Souci of El Cher	San Toi II
Ky San of El Cher	Red Sun
Chinkie Tong	Sue San Nee
Steed's Whirl Wind	Sum Sun's Son
Steed's Hum Dinger	Klew Tee Wee
Steed's Yukie San	Ch. Chee Kee
Buddy Foo Chow	Dinda's Pupper of Roxbury
Steed's Lady Lu	Chinkie Tong
Lady Yona	Chinkie Red Girl
	Steed's Black Night
	Steed's Sultan Girl

Conditions of Service

At least \$10 must be paid at time of service—balance to be paid before we sign registration papers. Amount paid us will be refunded if no puppies are whelped—provided we are notified within five days of last due date.

Out-of-town females should be sent express prepaid. Please send her name, registration number, name of sire and dam.

We have our own brood matrons, raising our own supply of puppies and will not breed this stud on a puppy basis.

Show Wins

- Best in Show—Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 1932.
- Best Non-sporting Group—Denver, Colo., Sept. 1933.
- Best of Breed—Overland Park, Kan., Aug. 1933.
- Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 1933.
- Denver, Colo., Sept. 1933.
- Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 1933.
- Reserve Winner—Columbus, Ohio, Mar. 1931.
- Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 1932.
- Detroit, Mich., Nov. 1932.
- St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 1933.