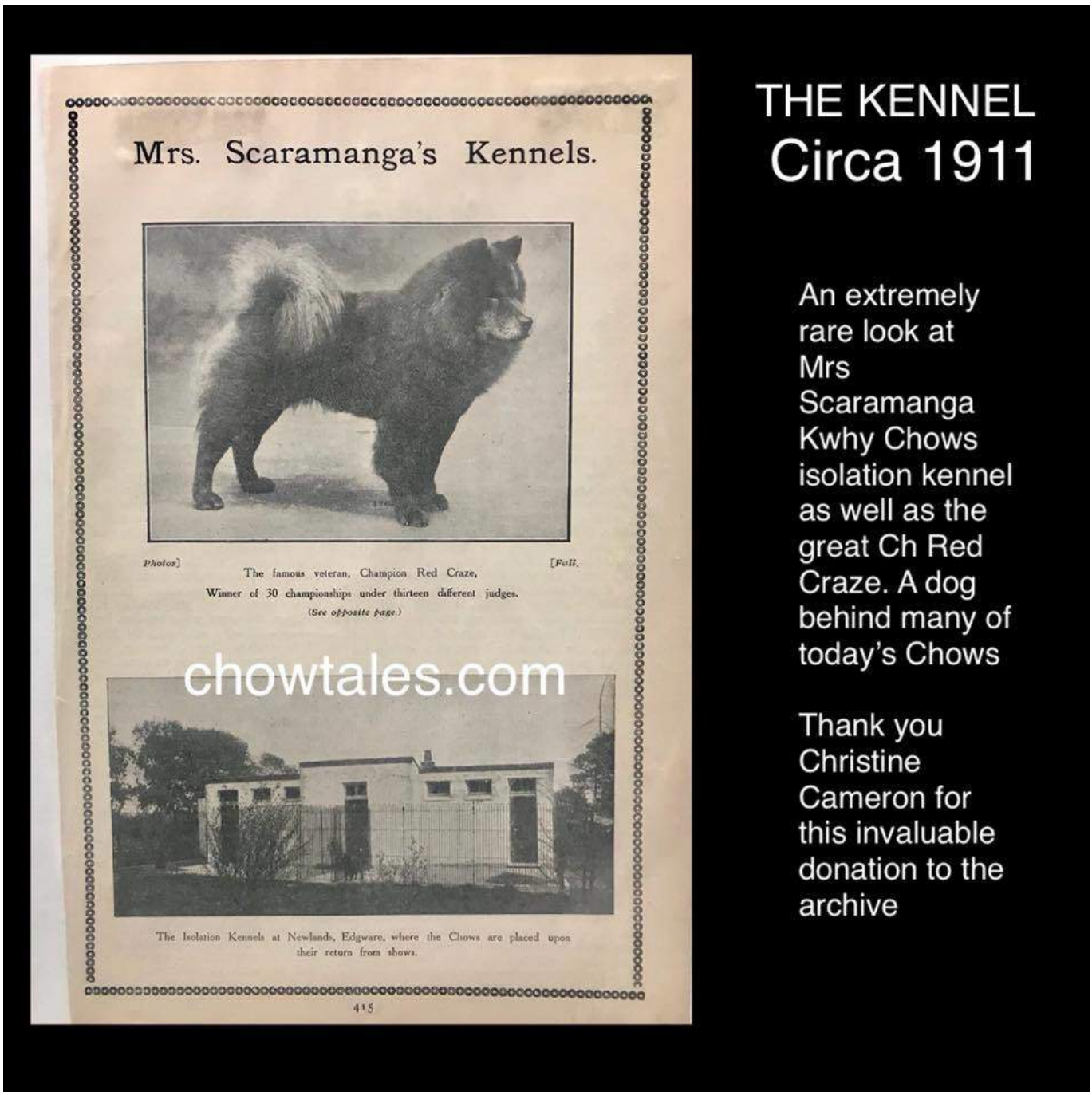
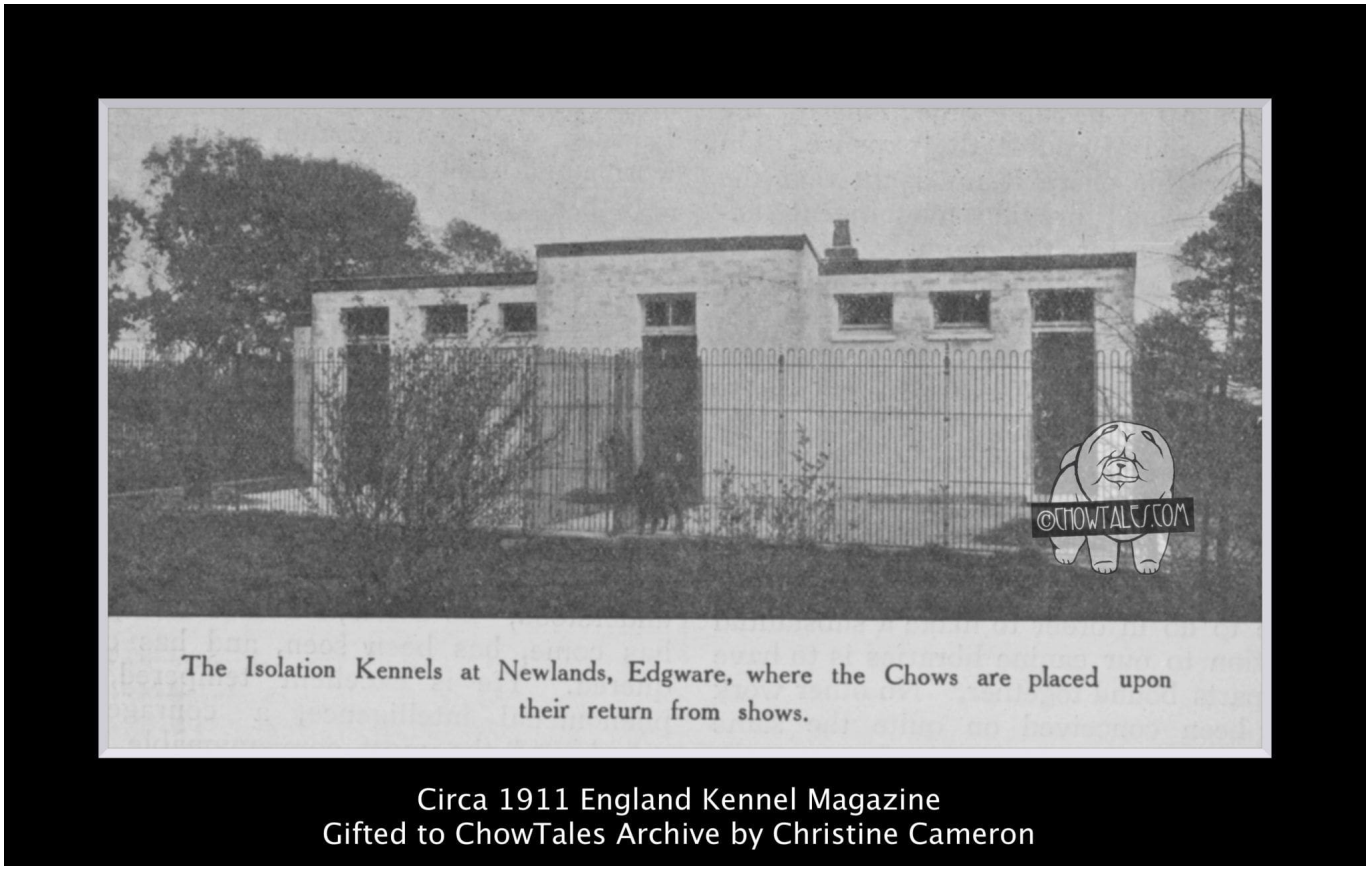
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Circa 1911 this gorgeous antique magazine page shows one of the top foundation dogs of our breed, as Red Craze was the

most influential as a stud dog for his correct head type , scowl and expression
The bottom photo is an incredible image as well, depicting the isolation kennel of Kwhy Chows. This is where dogs would stay for a time after returning from dog shows.
Risks ran high back then…. for distemper and heartworm etc were many times the end of a breeding program. There were no vaccines for things we, fortunately, have better control of today
Thank you so very much, Christine Cameron from the Chow community for donating this piece of important history, plus the others below, to the ChowTales archive!!!!

BELOW SEE THE KENNEL PHOTO AND RED CRAZE LARGER AND IN BLACK AND WHITE TO SHOW THE DETAILS



The Isolation Kennels at Newlands, Edgware, where the Chows are placed upon their return from shows.

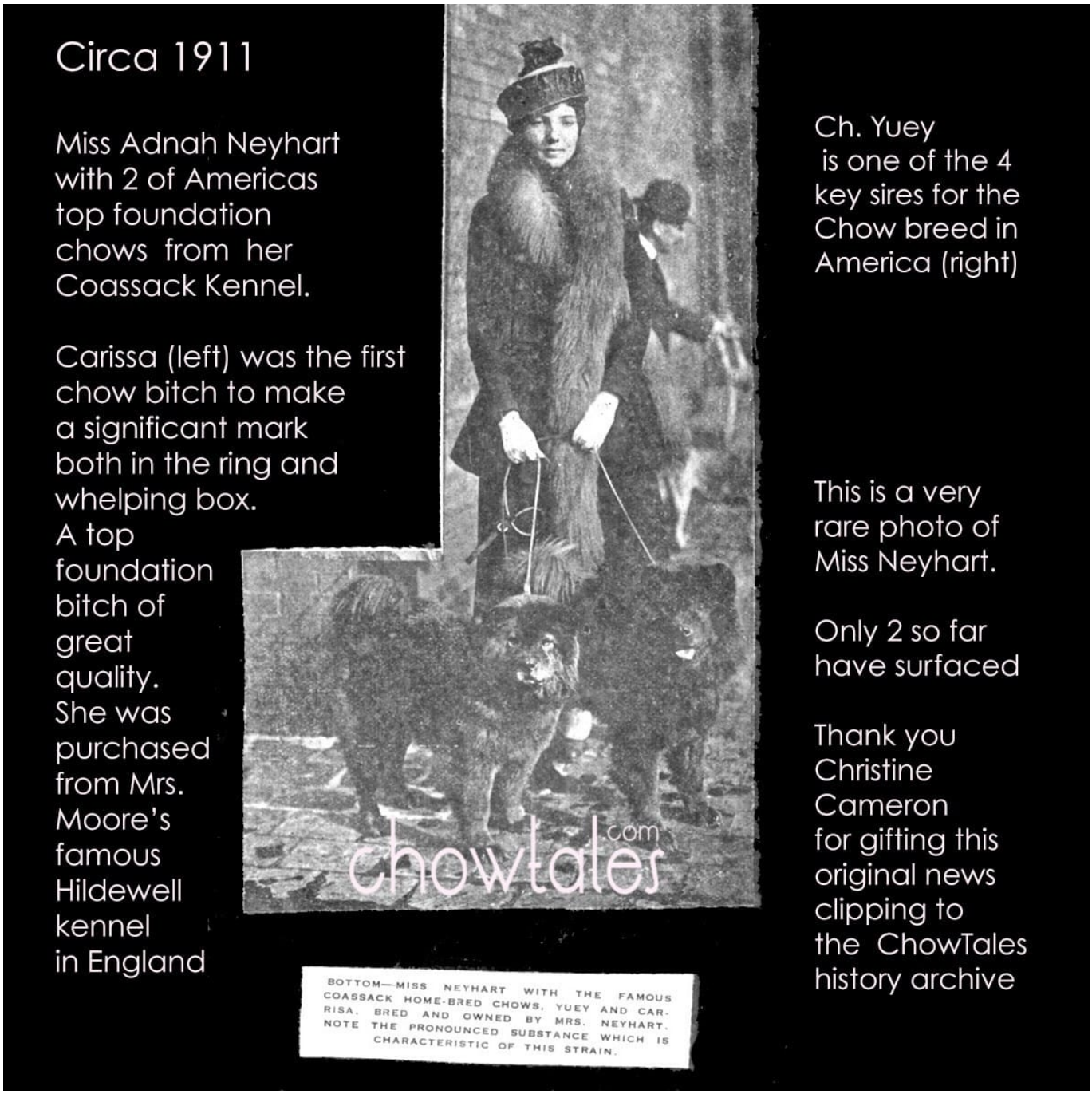
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The famous veteran, Champion Red Craze,
Winner of 30 championships under thirteen different judges.

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THE BARIHILL CHOW CHOWS

OWNED BY

DR. and MRS. R. H. BARIBEAU, R. R. 9, Battle Creek, Mich.

THE kennels of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Baribeau, at Battle Creek, Michigan, have to be reckoned among the leading chow chow kennels of the country. Although that is saying a lot, in view of the many great kennels of this popular breed, it is no exaggeration, as a visit to the kennels will prove.

When we recently stopped there, it was to find a large collection of healthy, typical chows housed in modern and well appointed kennels, with acres of well drained ground for exercise. It is no wonder that they looked well, especially when it is added that Dr. and Mrs. Baribeau take a keen personal interest in every animal, and the kennelman looks after the welfare of his charges with interest as well as experience.



Mrs. Baribeau with Chang of Kang Shi

Among the many excellent chows, there is no denying the leading place to Chang of Kang Shi, the young red dog purchased by the Barihill Kennels from the world-famed kennels of T. Hartwell, London, England. Chang was one of the outstanding dogs in England, and a prominent winner that was looked upon as a sure future champion there. Brought out on this side at the Sesqui show, he went second to Int. Ch. Choonam Brilliantine in the open class, although not in the best of form at the time, and made a very favorable impression with the fancy there. Wallace MacMonnies, the judge, says of him: "A really great dog this, but not right on the day, being too thin and out of coat. He has a huge muzzle, is big, upstanding and heavily boned. He will have an easy time to get his fifteen points, and is a valuable acquisition to our fancy." Chang has proved a wonderful sire, endowing his puppies with his massive bone and real chowiness Several youngsters by him now at the Barihill Kennels have only to live to make his name more famous than ever as a sire.

Song Hong of Manchoover is a red son of Ch. Victorious of Tien Hsia, and although exhibited only a few times has always been well up in the money. His services as a stud are much sought after, and we are not surprised at this after looking at a litter by him now at the Barihill Kennels. They are real chows, and we understand he is getting many such litters.

Next came Bluey of Barihill, a blue, as will be inferred from his name. He is a grandson of Little Boy Blue, and it must be stated that blues of his massiveness, quality and type, are by no means easy to find and should be of special interest to breeders of blues. Bluey has five generations of blue and cream blood behind him.

Ching Lu Chin of Barihill was missed at the kennels on our visit, and Mrs. Baribeau informed us that this grand red dog had been sold at the recent Cedar Rapids show for a big price. He had just about completed his championship at that time, and there is little doubt that his new owner will be entitled to put the prefix, "champion," in front of his name by the time this appears in print.

There is a grand collection of bitches at this kennel, and as the bitches are usually the backbone of a successful kennel, it is a pretty safe guess that the Barihill chows will keep their place in the front. Among the many good females may be mentioned Ming Susa of Barihill, a daughter of Bergsusa, which is now nursing a splendid litter by Song Hong of Barihill. Manchu Chu Si Fu is a red by Ch. Sum Sultan, and is of show calibre, having won many prizes, including reserve winners at Battle Creek. She is now mothering a litter by Chang of Kang Shi. Mitzi Su of Barihill is a granddaughter of Bergsusa and Ch. Win Sum Ming T'sing. Two exceptional puppies whelped by her and sired by Chang are now being raised at the kennels. Ling Tow of England is a black granddaugher of Amwell Pusa, imported from England. She has been bred to Bluey of Barihill. Chi Mai of Barrihill is a granddaughter of the great English champion, Lenming. A very promising litter from her and sired by Song Hong of Barihill is being raised at Barihill now.

There are other good bitches, equally as well bred, and at the time of our visit twenty splendid puppies of various ages were either nursing or playing around.



Eight Weeks Old Puppies by Chang of Kang Shi