

1912 and 1913

Basenjis at Crufts

In 2019 Glen Dymock writes: I have been as guilty as the next person when it comes to talking about Basenjis 'making their Crufts debut' in 1937. However, in all likelihood, there were Basenjis shown at the great show before this date, especially in view of the British colonial activity of the Victorians who were fascinated by all things exotic.

It is well documented that a 'Congo Terrier' was exhibited at Crufts in 1895.

Featured here are two Crufts catalogue pages from the era when the foreign dog breeds began to be listed. Firstly, from 1912 we have an exhibit called Adam described as a "Nuem-Muem or Soudenese Terrier". The name Niam-Niam (or Nyam-Nyam) was frequently used by foreigners to refer to the Zande people in the 18th and early 19th century. Adam was owned by Mr G Blaine of Maidstone in Kent and won a second prize. I wonder if Mr Blaine had handwriting which was difficult to read?

The next catalogue page is from 1913 when a "Nyam-Nyam Dog" with the intriguing name of Avungara Budwe was exhibited by Mr S J Burton of Chippenham in Wiltshire.


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- ✓ 317 Mr. S. J. Burton. **Avungara Budwe**. Nyam-Nyam Dog. Pedigree unknown.
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