

Leonard's had settled down in
Late in November, when the
was designed to recognize
which the honorary professorship
University the kind of distinction
fairly continue to bring to this
his active service he will cer-

Sound 24

Entered as Second Class Matter January 3, 1926
at the Post Office at Laconia, N. H.

LACONIA, N. H.



SLED DOG DERBY winners pose with Queen Anita McKeown and the runnerup in the queen contest after the three-day race was completed yesterday. Left to right are Queen Anita, Dr. Charles Belford of Deerfield, Mass., who placed second in the derby, Keith Bryar who scored his third triumph in the Laconia event and Barbara Weddall of Alton, member of the queen's court. Bryar holds the Governor's trophy, presented by Gov. John W. King.

Bolduc
sister

Bryar Wins Sled Dog Title Again, Retires Huge Trophy

Keith Bryar, 38 year old local musher, became a three-time world champion yesterday as he shook off a dogged challenge by Dr. Charles Belford of Deerfield, Mass. to successfully defend the title he won here last year. Bryar was also the 1960 winner, Belford was the 1956 world champion.

In addition to the race trophy, presented yesterday by Gov. John King, Bryar was also awarded the huge silver bowl, since 1936 in possession of the sponsoring Lakes Region Sled Dog Club. It went to Bryar permanently by virtue of his three victories.

The presentation was made by Ovide Carrier of Quebec who was the 1936 champion and whose name led the names of the winners inscribed upon it. Incidentally Carrier had a son, Claude, who raced here this weekend and finished in the first ten of the 32 who finished the three day marathon. There were 37 starters.

"This is the Grand Prix of sled dog racing," Bryar said as he accepted the trophy.

The local musher took a narrow lead in the first day of the race, saw it sliced to 66 seconds

50th Anniversary

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
SLED DOG DERBY

1929 - 1979



Championship Inaugurated 1956

Laconia, New Hampshire

FIRST DAY OF ISSUE

February 23, 1979



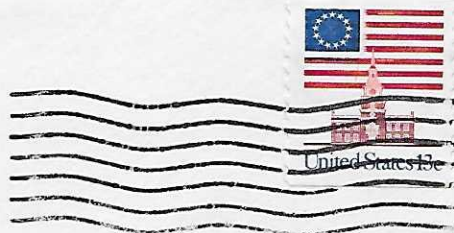
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
SLED DOG RACES FEB.
4TH WEEK LACONIA, N.H.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
SLED DOG DERBY

1929 - 1978



Championship Inaugurated 1956
Laconia, New Hampshire
FIRST DAY OF ISSUE
February 10, 1978



Handwritten address:
C/O Lafayette St.
Laconia, N.H.
03246