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Dear Mr. Jewel:

We want to acknowledge your letter of October 17.

We can understand fully your disappointment and that of the Santa Caligon Club, which was to host the Midwestern Red Setter Championship at Leroy, Kansas, on October 14 and 15.

As you are aware, Jim Flythe, president of the National Club, sent a newsletter under date of October 6, explaining the decision to cancel the fall trial.

We presume that the survey was made in conjunction with officials of the Santa Caligon Club and other clubs of the National Association so that the results would be from combined thinking. Of course, it is the prerogative of the National Red Setter Club to make the decision and while a cancellation always works a hardship on some, it is hoped that such a course is taken only when it will be beneficial in the long run. You may recall the cancellation of the running of the National Championship at Grand Junction in 1965 and what a furore it caused.

There is no recourse from the decision of the sponsoring club unless it is proved that the action was prompted by improper reasons.

It is felt that the National Club would want to reimburse the Santa Caligon Club for whatever expenses might have been incurred in the pre-trial preparations.

Sincerely yours,

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✓ cc - Jim Flythe, President

Editor

*Have received several
complaints about the
cancellation.
W. A. Brown*