Several excellent books have been written about the Pointer breed over the years. Unfortunately most are out of print however used copies often become available on websites such as Amazon or eBay

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so we consider it worthwhile featuring these here.

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