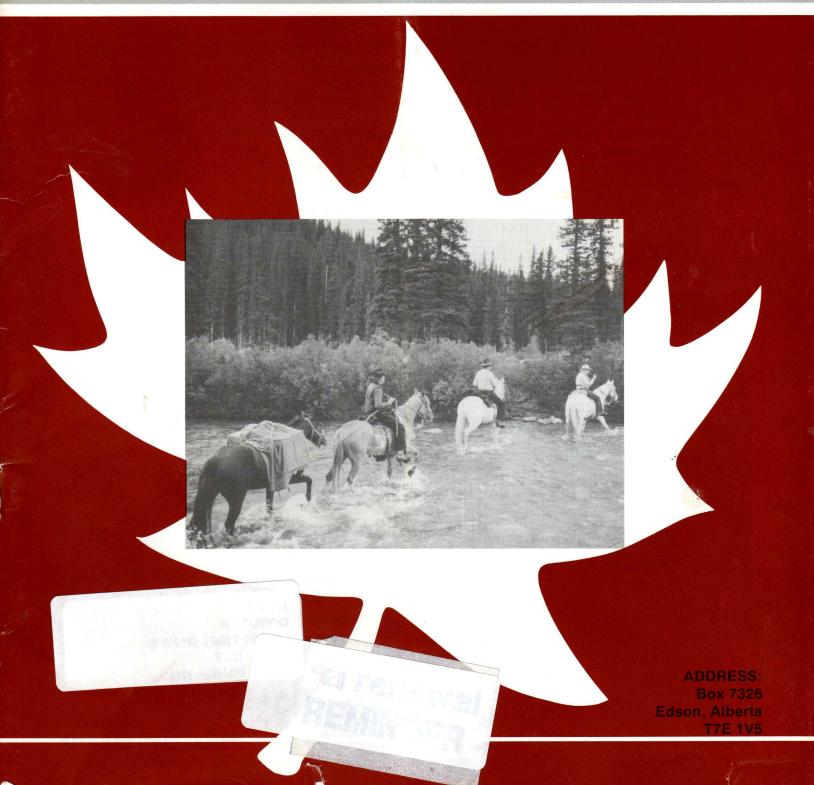
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Good Grief! It's fall already and we're down to only one more 1992 issue after this one. I'd like to remind you that it's already time to book space on next year's cover. We print all the covers at one time so these ads appear on every issue and keep your name and address in front of potential customers all year long. See page 32 for details.

We also like to have cover photos from all parts of the country but we can't do it without your help. Please send your pictures along when you write, subscribe, send ads, or whatever. Give us lots to choose from! And a big thanks to those who've already sent in their pictures. We'll use as many as we can, if not on covers, then in each issue.

I'm looking forward to hearing from you.

Marjorie C. Lacy

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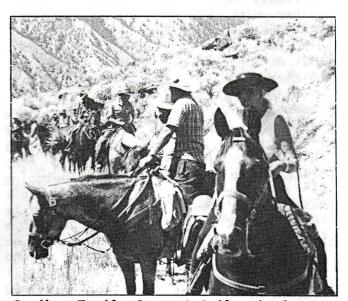
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PEACE AREA NEWS

by Jo-Anne McDonald

Not much news this year except bad news. It has been the worst drought in recent times this year in our area. We have had under three inches of rain since the snow left in April. Needless to say, the hay crops are poor and the grain crops are barely worth mentioning. A lot of farmers are dispersing their cows as they cannot afford to pay for hauling hay long distances. We have sold quite a few cows but are hoping to hang on to the horses.

On the happier side, Jayne Walker took in the Cariboo Ride near 100 Mile House in July. There were more Walking Horses



Cariboo Trail, Jayne & Sailor in front

this year. Jon Perry was there with his gelding, Napa Mendacino, Brian Bourke had Misty's Summer Breeze and Brian Perry had a half Walker gelding, CR Winchester. Jayne was riding her first Walker, Merry Sailor Boy, and says she got the usual complaint about Sailor walking ahead of the trail boss. (Maybe they are going to have to get better mounted trail bosses and solve this problem!) Jayne would like to know of any rides for next year in Alberta or B.C. You can write her at 917 - 102 Ave., Dawson Creek, B.C.

I don't have the official details but I understand that Betty Ann Janni and her mare, Monteray Masterpiece (Tera) and Erica Peters and her gelding, Canadian Champion (Champ) did exceptionally well at the Canadian Competitive Trail Ride Championships at Kamloops in August. We are "busting our buttons" at McDonald Farms as both these horses were born and bred here and were, I understand, the only two Walkers taking part. Good luck in the future, girls. You are doing more than most to show that the Walking Horse isn't just a show ring darling but an actual using horse."

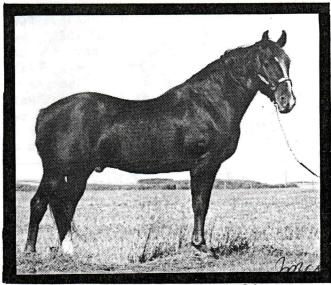
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Editor's note:

Jo-Anne phoned the morning of September 13 to say that their fine old stallion, Beauty's Sage King, the last Hey Joe son that we knew of, had died.

He was in good condition and had been running around his pen just the day before, but lay down and died peacefully in his sleep sometime in the night.

He was 32 years old.



Beauty's Sage King at 28yrs old

MANITOBA NEWS

DARLENE MOORE, BOISSEVAIN, writes, "I had a very wonderful show season this summer with my horses. I took four to five horses to four fairs and to the Brandon All-Breed Horse Show. Thev accumulated \$400.00 in prize money, 5 trophies, a Supreme Championship. Supreme Championship. Championships, 16 firsts, 7 seconds and 5 thirds. The horses placed in all classes they were entered in, against other Walkers, Arabs. Morgans and Quarter Horses."

"The 16 year old double registered Tennessee Walker - Pinto, Majestic's Streaker, had a particularly outstanding year. He placed first in every class he entered all summer. He won Supreme Champion Tennessee Walker and High Point of Show as well as winning first in 2 Gaited and Water Glass classes."

"Two of the <u>highlights</u> of the Brandon All-Breed Show for me were when Majestic's Streaker's entries placed first and second in Get of Sire and the entries of Sun's Special Angel placed first in Produce of Dam."

ONTARIO NEWS

From JULIE ANDERSON, COCHRANE, "How's everything in Western Canada? Things here are going really well. I have so much news I don't know quite where to start. Firstly, I have sold my two black mares, purchased from Lexie Cole, to Raili Tenkula who also purchased my three year old bay stallion, Can Am's Pride. I was reluctant to sell these horses but in all

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R.R.2 C-6B. Highland Park Rd. Armstrong, B.C. VOE 1BO Res: (604) 546-9584 Bus: (403) 236-5383 Fax: (604) 546-9911 fairness I did not have the time required to train them properly. I wish Raili luck with Can Am's Pride, F88's Lindy Ann and F88's Shocking Molly, and am confident that she will be pleased with them."

"I have purchased from Raili Bullett's Silver Fox (Foxy), a two year old grey filly, Fashion's Fandango (Dango), a three year old black mare, and Blue Gunsmoke (Koko), her beautiful black 16 year old stallion. I am looking forward to putting many miles on Koko. This will be the first year in many that I'm not training my main riding horse, and Koko sure is a joy to ride. I'll be starting to train Dango soon but Foxy will wait for next year."

"My good friend, Jenny Wilkins, who currently owns Bol's Handsome Lad, went halves with me and we bought Dakota Midnight Rena in foal to Blue Gunsmoke, also from Tenkula Farm. She foaled a bay colt on April 26 which has now been sold to Kory Burkholder."

"On Easter Sunday I lost my old mare, Shocker's Sugar (by Shaker's Shocker) due to foaling problems. She'd have been 23 years old. She has left me a beautiful chestnut colt with a blaze and hind stockings to remember her by. I'm hoping register him as Sugar's Final Masterpiece. "Master" as we call him is really doing well. I am switching him from a bottle to a pail and now that he has passed the first three weeks we are all breathing a little easier. I'm still feeding him every four hours, day and night."

SASKATCHEWAN NEWS

From STAN & JEAN RITCHEY, NEILBURG, "You and Jo and all the folks who write in are doing a great job. Keep up the good work! We're enjoying the Walking Horse News very much. I like the idea of the "Renewal Reminder" on the front by the address label. It's great for people like me whose memory is good - but very short!"

"Our horses are fat and lazy and enjoying the life of Riley. When we go out in the pasture they come up to be petted and groomed a bit (and also for a few handfuls of oats and a taste of hand picked alfalfa. They haven't had anyone on their backs for months. Maybe Stan and Connie will go riding a little when she's out next week for our grandson's wedding on July 25."

MARLENE SAMS writes, "Time for my yearly report! I was to have ten colts this year but my 3/4 bred, Judy's Joy, lost hers at birth and then Streaker's Minyonet lost hers at a week old (it was never very strong). I have one purebred filly from Royal Hope Diamond and Dakota Midnight. also, I wonder if anyone is interested in partbreds? I have three QH/TWH and three Percheron/TWH crosses - two colts and a filly of each. I'd make a good deal for all of them."

"David Stewart of Flin Flon, Manitoba, left his two mares for me to sell. Both are so gentle and quiet you can catch them anywhere. I put Calta's Sweet Victry in with Dakota Midnight so she should foal mid May, '93. I am riding Streaker's Lady. She's not in foal."

"I had a lovely visit with Russ and Rose Davies who stopped on their way home from the States. Just one problem - it wasn't long enough!"

"I've been keeping myself busy helping my son-in-law farm and fixing fences at home."

[Ed. Note: I had a note from Ellwood Smith of Donalda saying that Marlene was admitted to hospital for surgery on Aug. 10. All your TWH friends wish you well and a speedy recovery, Marlene.]

From LEXIE COLE, CABRI, "Just a few lines with my (2 year) renewal. We are having a different year here weatherwise. It's been quite cool and the odd place has even had frost already (July 29). We will not cut any hay at all this year because the spring was so dry. By the time the rain came, it was too late for our hay crop. I'm really wondering what the price of hay is going to be - I know that southern Alberta lost their first cutting because of too much rain. It's really a crazy country."

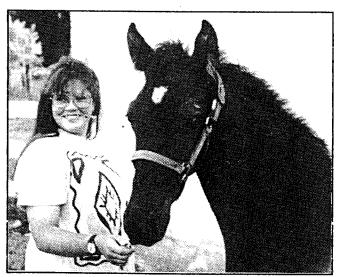
"We've had quite a few visitors this spring and summer. It's always nice to meet new people. There is finally starting to be some interest in Walking Hors'es in this area. It has sure taken a long time to break the way but people are finally taking a second look. There are lots of <u>bad backs</u> turning up who can't ride a trotting horse any more."

"We ended up with three foals this year. Our old Libby mare is always the one we never know about. Whenever she's palpated they say she's not in foal - but she always has one. So now we just wait and see and each year and save the \$20! Anyhow, we ended up with a nice big black/bay colt from Libby and Mike, and a nice dark chestnut filly from Dolly and Mike. We are also real pleased with Kodiak's first foal, a lovely bay filly from our Shocker mare. She seems to have Kodiak's superb disposition and a nice gait."

Welcome to a new Saskatchewan WHN subscriber, DEBORAH REYNOLDS of SASKATOON.

NEWS FROM OUR U.S. SUBSCRIBERS

CRISTINE HOLT, DUBUQUE, IOWA, writes, "Your May/June issue was great. Chris McKinnon's article certainly attracted my

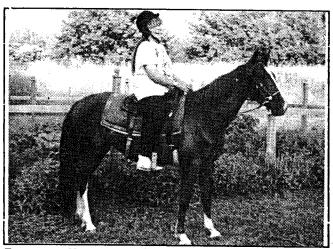


Tara Holt & My Merry Man Friday

attention. People don't realize how clearly the ring of truth can be heard from what she said. Things are not any

better here in the lower 48 now - in fact, they are worse. Our plantation show horses are stepping higher and higher every year. I wouldn't mind if I didn't know where all this could lead... At least those Canadians who admire and desire the big lick can exhibit here. Any one can buy a big lick horse if they have the money and keep their eyes in the misty blue sky."

"We are only producing about 3 foals a year now. Our Merry Man S.S. is 17 years old and we're looking into transporting semen. I have really grown to admire that Merry Boy (not Merry Go Boy) blood. I aim to raise family horses these days and Merry Man is giving us what I need."



Tara on Merry Man's Sue

"After 25 years of breeding and training these critters, we finally have enough horses for our family to go on a trail ride together. We have an old gelding, Old Dan, that Bob Schweiger (watch him in the TWHBEA Versatility Program) is letting us use. Anyone can ride him and he's fat on this Iowa grass. My son, Josh, is 14 and rides Agne's Dixie Dream, a granddaughter of Midnight Sun through her sire, Evening Sun J.G. She throws wonderful foals from Merry Man and does the trails at the same time with that silky smooth ride of hers. She had a red roan sabino colt this year with stockings all the way up his legs. We have named him Merry Midnight Flame and are watching him as a possible partner with his daddy in the breeding shed."

"My daughter, Tara, is 12 and has done more with horses than I ever did at her age. She's riding a Merry Man daughter, Merry Man's Sue, that we are keeping until we find a stallion that we think will complement the line. We have a yearling sorrel roan sabino spotted daughter whose mother was also old Merry Boy. granddaughter of should see her! We're saving Merry Man's Gold Bug for breeding some day also."

My 11 year old daughter, Shannon, is starting to ride our little Walking Pony, Merry Ann's Rebel. My littlest baby, Matthew, (2 years old), would go riding with her too - if I'd let him! Rebel is our babysitter and lesson horse for some of my apprentices."

"We have a 20 year old daughter of The Impala by Midnight Sun who has given us a blue roan sabino colt named Merry Man's Dream Weaver. We're watching him too just to see if he'll make the grade as a stallion, but he'll have to be good."

"We sold a daughter of Merry Boy's F88 to Bob Kollmer of St. Paul, Minnesota. F88's Free & Easy was sold with her Merry Man filly at side (a medicine hat sabino) and bred back to Merry Man for '93 because this was definitely a good cross. This is Bob's first registered Walking Horse and he's just now getting started in breeding. Easy and her baby have a great home, too."

"Just last weekend I sent a Merry Man colt to Trout Creek, Montana. Ron Eveans purchased My Merry Man Friday, a gorgeous black colt with star and hind socks who has performed a running walk almost without thinking since birth. Ron has impressed me with his insight and understanding of a horse's mind and I'm sure he'll bring out the best in this colt."

"I am busy teaching nine kids about horses twice a week and giving a cheap riding lesson here and there. This breed is so wonderful with kids, you can't help but love it. We're planning on loading up a few to go to our local county fair next weekend. There's a trail class and a gaited comfort class. We love trail classes and I might even be convinced to enter the Jack Benny class - first year I'm eligible so may as well take

advantage of it!"

"My greetings to my Canadian brothers and sisters who love this breed as much as I do. I read about your exploits with deep interest and enjoyment. I can't find out enough about your horses' bloodlines, so be sure to talk about pedigrees as much as you can. (I remember the days, Marjorie, when you would put the sire and dam in brackets behind every horse's name. That must have been a lot of work! But I've saved every single one of your newsletters.)"

"If anyone is travelling to my area, I invite you to come and visit ... even for just 30 minutes. I used to be in the boondocks when it came to Walking Horses but now we have counted more than 20 within five minutes of each other in our little valley. See how fast a good thing catches on?"

From LYLE & GRACE LARSON, FORSYTH. MONTANA, "This has been a busy summer at the Larson place. Our sons came home to help move the barn to the new property we purchased this spring. We are planning corrals, stalls, etc. granddaughter, Amber Czerwinski, age 8, was here for a month and a half. She gentled all the foals for us. They would come to her for a hug and petting. She spent quite a few hours aboard May's Copper Nutmeg and she's already planning next summer's events. Her big day was riding Tegun's Mountain Fawn in the Fair parade. I walked (or should say, RAN at times) leading King Pin's Mountain Princess, Fawn's foal."

"We want to congratulate George & Baibee Fulop of Billings, MT, the new owners of Another Snip. And our 3 year old filly is on her way to her new owners in Amery, Wisconsin, Diane and William Wright. Please send each of them a subscription to WHN as our gift."

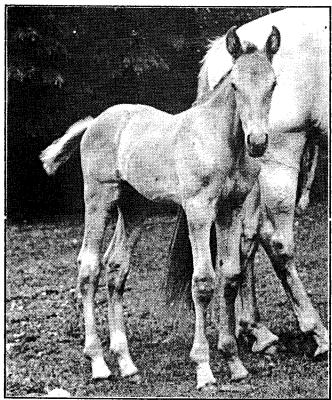
"We have two stud colts left to sell this year and we plan on keeping the King Pin filly and also the Delight's Sonny Boy filly."

KATHY STUMPH, NEWPORT, WASHINGTON, writes, "Chris & John Kobza were down Sept. 5, 6 and 7 and we had a great time and a good visit. Got to look at a video

of one of the Canadian shows they attended this year. We were impressed with the very nice Walkers on the video. We always laugh so much when the Kobzas are here that I need a day to recuperate!"

"Our stallion, Delight's Midnight Legend (Delight's Shadow Man x Sun's Lady Glory), began his show season this year. He is a wonderful horse, very sweet, calm and willing. People are amazed that a two year old stallion is that quiet and well mannered. His first foal is due in May of '93."

"Old Delight's Shadow Man's last foals are a black colt bred by Roy Nelson of Deer Park, WA. This colt's new owner is Laurie Toone. Also out of one of Roy Nelson's mares is a dark brown colt who is for sale. Last but not least is a cocoa liver chestnut colt born 6/4/92, out of Sun's Lyrical Imprint. He has a blaze and white chin, 2 stockings and a sock, and a flaxen tail. He also is for sale to the right home."



1992 Foal...McLaren's Robert x Chiffon's Amber Dream (M.Wray, Sundre, AB)

FOAL CALL

DARLENE MOORE, BOISSEVAIN, MB is proud to announce the arrival of STREAKER'S SPECIAL MYSTERY (Majestic's Streaker x Sun's Special Angel), a handsome black colt with hind stockings and blaze on June 6/92.

JULIE ANDERSON, COCHRANE, ONTARIO is pleased to announce the following 1992 foals:

Sugar's Final Masterpiece (Can Am's Pride x Shaker's Sugar), chestnut colt, hind stockings and blaze. Born April 19.

Korey's Dakota Blue (Blue Gunsmoke x Dakota Midnight Rena). Bay, star, hind sox & right front pastern. Born April 26.

TENKULA FARM, ONTARIO:

By BLUE GUNSMOKE

PALOMINO colt "Tribute to Gunsmoke".

Dam: Flowing Sunshine T.

BAY filly "Gunsmoke's Midnight Threat".

Dam: Merry Trip-A-Threat

By CAN-AM'S PRIDE

BAY filly "Worth A Little Patience".

Dam: F88's Lindy Ann

BAY filly "My Sweet Carman".

Dam: F88's Shocking Molly

By SUN'S COUNTRY DELIGHT

BLACK colt "Hunt for Red October".

Dam: Miss Sandra D.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA NEWS

From KIRK & SHEILA COBURN, KREEK SIDE WALKERS, PRINCE GEORGE, "Boy it's been a hot summer in Prince George. I'm not a hot weather kind of person so I'm glad it's cooled down a bit. (It could have skipped the frost we got last weekend though as all my flowers are dead now.)"

"We had one foal this year, a roan filly with lots of chrome from Miss NamraK. and Shadow's Super Seven. We have sold her to Jim and Robin Parish of Willow River, B.C. I have enclosed a gift subscription for them along with our renewal."

"Our well in the creek went this spring so we had one drilled -400 feet - expensive , but it sure is nice to have clear water after ten years of rusty coloured water. So I'm back to work and haven't been able to ride as I'd like."

"We were down to Quesnel to the TWHABC Celebration. It was nice to see Rosemary and Clem Jordan back again. We also met Erica Peters and her daughter from Keremeos with her beautiful black mare. Erica, Sandra Karl and Roberta Brebner are all with Cindy Botkin of High Meadows Training, and they cleaned house. Congratulations to them and to Cindy."

"The pot luck supper on Saturday night served up great food and conversation, and a good time was had by all."

"Our three year old, Namra's Miss Kaitlyn C. is at Cindy Botkin's for training. Kirk was down to see her and she's really doing well under Cindy's expert hand. We hope to get down again this weekend and I hope to go down soon for a week for some trining for me."

"I just read your item on Big Sky Trouble Boy. Rabbys used to live just down the road from us when they first came to P.G. but they moved and we haven't heard from them since. I'm not sure but I think we heard something about their selling their herd."

"Well, I've run out of things to say so will just add, Keep up the good work with the News."

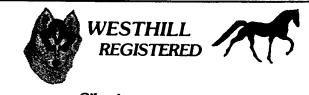
A letter from DEBBIE & DAVE SMITH at TOWER RIDGE FARM, MAPLE RIDGE, arrived just after I'd sent off the disk for the

last issue. Debbie writes, "Enclosed is my renewal - couldn't miss an issue! Our last foal for this year was born July 11; just what we wanted - a black and white tobiano filly. The first this year was a black and white tobiano colt by Cat Tracks. We bought the dam last November from California and brought her home right away before winter set in. She gave us a great colt. Our second was born Easter morning. As this was a last colt by our stallion, Sun's Rocky Velvet, we were wanting a black colt, of course, to replace Daddy. What a surprise we had that morning, to have a huge black colt greeting us at the stall gate. Third was Walkaloosa filly. As most of our Appaloosas have been sold, this is it for the part breds. "Cheeky", as we call her, is the prettiest of the four babes; bay with white spots on her rump."

"It is great to watch the foals run and play. I could never imagine a foal raised in a box stall. Ours are born in a paddock with a box stall but after a week or ten days, they're turned out into a big field to socialize and learn to be a horse."

"This summer we've taken it easy on the horse activities. Surgery mid summer has kept me off the horses. With the four foals and mares continually coming and going for breeding, it doesn't leave time for much else. Next year we'll try to cut down on foals and breeding and do some more travelling, endurance riding and showing again."

"Hope everything is going great, everybody. Happy trails. Keep up the good work, girls. Excellent rag!" ...cont'd >



Siberian Tennessee Husky's Walkers

Box 82, Darwell Alta. TOE OLO Connie & Allen McKenzie Ph: (403) 892-2681 B.C.News cont'd ...

From MARJORIE FABRO, KIMBERLEY, "We are having a very good year this year with our horses, busy showing, training, breeding and foaling, the time just flies."

"We have two beautiful foals this year. One is by The Legend out of a good mare we purchased from California; she is by Pride's Ultra Threat. Her baby is a stud colt and very handsome. Our other foal is a gorgeous filly by Pride at Midnight out of Canadian Firefly. We are very happy with these two babies."

"Our young stallion, Ultra's Major Threat, is doing great. He is just a great horse. We will be standing him to a limited number of mares next season."

ELIZABETH OLYNYK, LANGLEY, writes, "I'm late with everything! But had a fantastic two months visiting different

Walking Horse farms in the States. Absolutely wonderful hosts and hostesses and many beautiful horses. Needed one more month to finish the tour. Perhaps this winter or next spring..."

"Michael was kind enough to babysit our young adults and all my ____ horses. Two and four legged creatures were all in good condition on my return but <u>I</u> ended up with a whopping infection shortly after arriving home. I'm still waiting for a clean bill of health."

"Thank goodness TWHBEA have passed artificial insemination. Unfortunately too late for some of the magnificent old-timers like Sunny Midnight P. who carried about a dozen foundation sires on his papers. Those who were not introduced to him missed something very special. Our condolances to Heavenly Sunshine Farm, Nicholson, Mississippi, on this recent loss."

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GOLDEN SPECIAL (Dressed for Success x Monteray Gold). This weanling is a double rarity - a <u>buckskin</u> and <u>pinto</u> (tobiano). Both his parents are spotted so he should sire a high percentage of colored colts. He has nice gait. Will be weaned by Sept. 30. Registered U.S., Canadian and Spotted Saddle Horse.

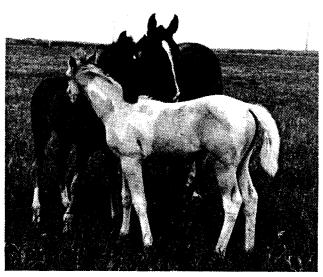
BLAZE BY DELITE (Misty Dark Delite x Dancer's Sundance). 2 yr old gelding. Bay roan, four stockings, blaze. Gentle. 14:2 to 14:3 hands at maturity. Easy to catch, been handled lots.

SUNDUST SUCCESS (Dressed for Success x Barker's Merry Miss). Yearling chestnut filly, flax mane & tail. Very friendly, excellent mover and an eye-catcher to boot.

SAGE KING'S LAST CHANCE (Beauty's Sage King x Cap's Candy Striper). Palomino yearling gelding. Nice mover, really an eye-catcher. Been handled lots.

GO 80Y'S HUDSON BAY (Go Boy's Crown Royal \times Miss Patience). Yearling bay gelding. Will mature to 15:2 to 15:3. Nice mover, very nice head.

All these horses have had regular worming and trimming. For further information or pictures please contact Don or Jo-Anne McDonald, 8ox 388, POUCE COUPE, 8.C. VOC 2CO Phone (604)782-7962



= Golden Special in the foreground =

ALBERTA NEWS

MURRAY McCARGAR, CALGARY, writes, "Cannot give you much news. My old mare, Joe's Josie, and I took a nasty fall last summer while we were out working a dog. She injured her left front foot. On the vet's advice, I laid her up for a year. We just got started again, riding her very carefully and easily, when she foundered on the lush grass. So, so much for this year. Maybe we'll have better luck next year!"

From MARLIN MATECHUK. COCHRANE. "Congratulations to Linda and Tom MacKay on their purchase of Dee J's Classic Jewel, a two year old black filly, full sister to Peppi One (this filly looks very much like her sister); also to Val Klatt, Leduc, on her purchase of Miss Stroll-o-Way, Alberta's top brood mare; and to Ken & Brenda Netzel, Calgary, on "Amos" their purchase of (Ebony's Lightning), black 6yr old gelding; and Lyla & Gary Goin, Millet, on Dee J's Legendary Pride, chestnut 2 yr filly."

"Good Luck to all and hope you have success and enjoy them as much as we have."

ELAINE & RON GRAY, BENTLEY, sent along a couple of beautiful photos and this note, "We're happy to tell you that on June 28 we purchased two more TWH from George and Heather Sharpe of Munson. We bought "Topper's Star", a two year old mare, black with 4 white socks, and "Topper's June Bug", a 4 year old black gelding with 2 socks. Ron is working very faithfully with the gelding and he is coming along really well under saddle. We're planning on getting Topper's Star bred next spring and start raising these beautiful horses."

"We've been to the mountains a few times this summer. The photos were taken at the YaHa Tinda in July. We were up on the "Dog Rib". My 1/2 TWH was really enjoying the view and of course our dog, Reba, was too! On one of our rides we happened upon a grizzly with an elk kill. We were within 150 yards of it before we saw it. It didn't take long to stretch

that yardage out once we were aware of it! It was really a sight to see the grizzly pulling the elk up the river bank. That experience will be talked about for years to come."

"Hope everyone has had a lovely summer. We're hoping for a nice fall so we can get to the mountains a few more times before winter sets in."

"Really enjoy reading the Walking Horse News. Keep up the good work."



Blaze & Reba on the top of "Dog Rib"

ELDON EADIE, SPRUCE GROVE, asked that I let you know that he will send out free demonstration disks of his Pedigree Program if you will send him a system disk formatted on your computer. See his classified ad for address. He also said, "We only had one foal this spring, by Merry Boy's Spirit. It is an excellent one, a bay roan marked just like old Merry Boy himself with a blaze and four whites. This is by far the best quality foal I have produced to date.

HELEN WILLIAMSON, CALGARY, sent in a gift subscription for Jerome St.Pierre of Calgary, who has purchased Shadow's Juncus G., a three year old sorrel gelding. Best wishes with your new TWH, Jerome.

F.J ROMERIL, MOUNTAIN VIEW, discovered one of our spring newspaper ads and wrote requesting our up-coming issue. We hope you find the information on Walkers that

you are looking for, and perhaps some subscribers near you will get in touch.

CHARIS COOPER, TURNER VALLEY, writes, "My husband retired this year and started trail riding with me. Our old QH gelding can't take the miles any more so we are looking for another horse. (See Charis' ad.) Hope our ad meets with some success as people don't want to part with well broken Walkers."

"I get out most days on Cindy (Joie's Cindy Lady) who is still going strong. We are also getting ready for the Battle of the Breeds so this has been a pretty good riding year. Cool weather and all."

From ALLEN & CONNIE McKENZIE, DARWELL, "Well, summer is over and our herd has really increased this year. This spring we purchased three mares, two of which foaled this summer. Chapie's Shadow, Royal Classy Lassie and Barb's Charm all now call Westhill Farms their home. Chappie and Classy both had foals by Wainwright's Shadow, and all three should have foals by our stallion, Go Shaker Go, next year. We also have two Arabians and some partbred Walkers."

"Last year Go Shaker Go (Go Boy's Crown Royal x Handshaker Candy S.) came to our home. He is now two years old and has attended a couple of reining courses. At the first one, he learned to stand still around other horses. At the second he actually learned quite a bit more!"

"We had a surprise visit from Don & Jo-Anne McDonald this summer. They have been so helpful and full of knowledge, especially on the ancestors of our new mares. We also really enjoyed the photos



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Jo-Anne sent us of Doll O' the Mist, Little Toot Wilson, Beauty's Sage King, Sue's Walking Eagle and Laddie's Monte Ray."

"We really enjoy the WHN. Please renew our subscription and print our business card for a year."

I had a phone call from DAWN CORRIVEAU, ATHABASCA, who says they had a great time at their local fair. She rode Len Boyer's stallion, Laddy's Stormy Doc, and it was really a fun show. Even won the stallion championship! Len and Dawn also lent horses for two Mounties to ride in the Fair parade, one Thoroughbred and one Walking Horse, not exactly a matched pair, but then, the Mounties weren't a matched pair either.

At UPHILL FARM, EDSON, we seem to spend most of our time fixing fences, making hay and generally working <u>for</u> the horses instead of vice versa. However, we did get out on one pack trip into the Willmore Wilderness area at the end of August. We packed Lucy and Maxie and Chuck rode Sawdust while I rode my old Morgan gelding, Eskimo. (Are you going to fire me from WHN?) It was quite a change after riding Rainbow for the past seven years. But we left her to baby-sit this time. I certainly have a new appreciation of what "trappy gaited" means!

We had a nice visit from MARGARET and JACK GURNETT of RIMBEY in July. Jack says they are using a 3 year old gelding by Rebel this year; Miles has been riding him on some of their pack trips. They have also sold one two year old gelding by Rebel and have two more 2 yr olds, another gelding and a big black filly, coming up for next year.

RUSS & ROSE DAVIES, DUFFIELD, stopped for a quick visit on their way back from a ride near Cadomin. They brought another Rebel offspring for me to see: a nice roan 3 yr old filly that they raised out of Merry Go Katie.

From JEAN REMPEL, WINFIELD, "Well we are just about at the end of the showing/riding season. Futurity is coming up this week end and of course, it's cold so the horses are getting fuzzy. The pastures

around here aren't good anymore as it has been so dry (seems the dry is only in this area)."

"Instead of going to horse shows this year we have gone to and competed in the TRAC Competitive Ride at Tees (finishing 7th,9th and 12th); the Bentley Poker Ride and the Wagon Train Ride at Winfield, the Buck Lake Parade (1st, senior decorated horse) and the Winfield Ugetuk Days Parade (2nd, senior decorated horse). On July 25th Mary and I competed with Luke (Northfork Sky Walker) at the Festival of the Gaits finishing up the day one point behind Northfork Woodstock, the High Point horse. Our winning the pack trip with Chimmey Creek Outfitters was a wonderful surprise. On August 15th Mary, riding Luke, completed the Short Ride (25 mile) in the Battlelake Endurance Challenge, placing 3rd out of riders. Diane, riding Nugget, completed the Novice Ride (15 miles) in Battlelake Endurance Challenge, placing 3rd out of 13 riders. Then on August 17, Mary and Diane left for the Rockies and 5 days of packing/camping with Chimmey Creek Outfitters."

"I have interested a couple of people in Walking Horses just riding across our pastures to get their stray cow. They couldn't believe the way Jessie walked away from their horses! Their son rode Chapie's Belle the next time they were up."

Mary and I would like to congratulate several new owners of Rocky Slopes Farm Tennessee Walking Horses. Walkien Sky Master, a 3 year old gelding, has gone to Robert Thorkman, Warburg, AB; Legend, a black yearling gelding to Marianne Wray, Sundre, AB.; Walkien Maverick, a 4 year gelding to Alfred Heilemann. Bentley, AB. and Walkien Rose's Rambler, yearling stallion, to Charlotte Larson of Jaffray, B.C."

LYLA GOIN, MILLET sent a note in with their ad. copy, "Congratulations to Carol & Bob Kirk of Fruitvale, BC, on their purchase of our mare Northfork Dblestar. We had a really good time visiting them and meeting their horses. Wade and I had a wonderful ride on their mountain guided by their daughter, Megan. It's sure beautiful country. We were / lonesome coming home with an empty trailer, but I Kirk's will really enjoy Dblestar and she gets to live right on a mountain."

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DUSTY FILES: Ten Years Ago in WHN - Sept/Oct.'82

The results of the first ever ALBERTA HORSE IMPROVEMENT SHOW were listed on the first page. Judges Lenore Wilson, Prof. R.B. Warren and Dr. John Gilray placed Sky's Mischief (Queen's Lil Joe x Big Sky Walkin' Merry), owned by Glovers of Lethbridge first in the class of ten. Prizes were awarded to sixth place.

A Tennessee Walker Shoeing and Trimming Clinic was announced for Oct. 30 with Chuck O'Hanley as instructor. This was sponsored by YWHA.

The Hacks of Calgary had spent a very busy season promoting Walkers. They'd

attended 12 shows and numerous parades, plus Kristin took part in making a video film promoting the TWH for the community cable TV station.

There were eleven ads for Walkers; one wanted, 11 for sale. Some names among the "For Sale" ads that you'll recognize: Barker's B.B. Ace, Go Boy's Foxy Doll, Misty Dark Delite, Bay Bally Hoo, Rocky's Flying Angel. AWHA T-shirts and bumper stickers were advertised and as usual, I was asking people to keep sending in ads

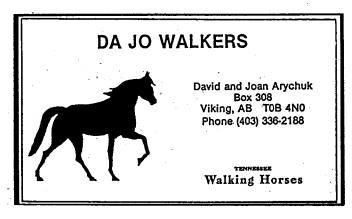
- "It's the ads that pay the postage!"

The Golden Horses of Dixieland

by Tom Moss

The Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders' Association is less than eight years old. However, the Walking Horses have been bred intensely for over a century in a few counties south οf Nashville. Tennessee. The older men, who have spent their lives in this business, can recite pedigrees of horses their fathers and fathers' friends bred. Checking up with several of these old-timers gives one just about as accurate a pedigree as going through Stud Books.

There are quite a few Palomino Walking Horses, but at least 90% of the ones registered on their pedigrees come from one grand old mare named Golden Lady. She is also a Palomino, and I have a picture of her at the age of 33, and she is still good-looking. Her sire was Eddie Hal, her



dam, Ella Posten. In Eddie Hal's pedigree in the fourth generation, one finds Tom Hal, which gives one cross to Copper Bottom, and one to the Canadian Tom Hal. Also in that generation is Earnheart Brooks, tracing to the Canadian Pilots. Ella Postens' fourth and fifth generations include Earnheart Brooks, tracing again to Canadian Pilot, and a daughter of Henry Clay, giving two crosses to Cockspur, and two to Copper Bottom. This totals up to three crosses to Copper Bottom, two to Cockspur, two to Canadian Pilot, and one to Canadian Tom Hal, a total of eight crosses to Canadian Horses.

I feel that all of our easy gaited horses owe their gaits to either the Canadian Pacer or the Naragansett Pacer. For example, there is Cockspur. foundation sire of the American Saddle He had only Horse is Denmark. outstanding colt, and that was Gaines Denmark, out of the Stevenson Mare, sired by Cockspur. His best colt was Washington Denmark, also out of a mare sired by Cockspur. In my opinion, that makes Cockspur much more important in founding the Saddle Horse Breed than Denmark. Then again, as shown by Golden Lady's pedigree, Cockspur had great influence in founding the Walking Horses. History tells of two horses named Cockspur, one supposed to have been bred in Virginia, and one imported from Canada. I am convinced in my own mind that the Canadian theory is correct, because Virginia bred horses, at that time, did not impart Saddle Horse or Walking Horse gaits to their off-spring.

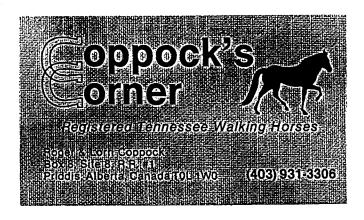
Copper Bottom was imported from Canada to Kentucky in 1812. He must have had a great many colts, and many of them must have been named Copper Bottom. I have heard of Copper Bottom horses in a dozen states. His name means so much that one frequently hears an owner describe his horse as being a Copper Bottom, no matter how many generations back Copper Bottom appeared. In Tennessee, older breeders can remember horses fifty years old, and remember hearing their fathers discuss horses nearly 100 years ago and tell about many Palomino Horses existing in those days. They also credit them with being a little more compact and having considerably more endurance than other horses. They almost unanimously give the credit for these golden horses to Copper Bottom. This is frequently claimed for other Copper Bottom crosses. I'll come back to these Canadian Horses later.

The modern Palomino horses, in the Walking Horse Breed, as I stated above, trace largely to Golden Lady. She was foaled approximately forty years ago. Her greatest colt, in my opinion, was Yellow Jacket. Right here let me apologize if I should happen to refer to Yellow Jacket as my own horse. I have sold him, but as he was the greatest animal I ever owned, I'll always feel as much interested in him as if he were mine. I not only consider him the greatest sire of the Walking Horse Breed, but the beautiful Palomino I ever saw. To date, he has sired two thirds of his colts Palomino color from every possible colored mare. He was only bred to two Palomino mares, and they were both darker colored than either he or the mare.

To go back to Yellow Jacket's pedigree, we first have Golden Lady, already described. His sire was Last Chance, a chestnut horse, having two crosses to Copper Bottom on his dam's side. Last Chance was sired by Hunter's Allen, and on his dam's side there

appear two more crosses to Copper Bottom. That gives Yellow Jacket four crosses to Copper Bottom through his sire, and three through his dam, a total of seven. He also has four crosses to Cockspur. The fact that Yellow Jacket is one of the strongest Copper Bottom bred horses in country, and one of the strong breeders of Palomino color, substantiates the belief of the old-timers in Tennessee that Copper Bottom was one of strongest influences in producing Palomino Walking Horses of that time. There are other Palomino Walking Horses from different families, but none of them that I have ever seen have the beautiful golden color that the family founded by Golden Lady has, nor do they seem to pass that color on, from my observation, as regularly as Golden Lady's family. rather believe Yellow Jacket is the strongest breeder of Palomino colored horses in country, regardless of whether they are the Walking Horse type, Saddle Horse type or any other breed. He not only sires Palominos, but his colts are best Palomino color.

Now let's go back to another horse four generations from Golden Lady. I own a Palomino Walking Mare, five years old, named Golden Sunrise. She is perfect in color. Years ago, Golden Lady was bred to Hunter's Allen, a chestnut horse, the result was a stallion named Golden Sunshine, a Palomino horse. He was bred to a black mare, whose breeding I don't know much about, having been registered on affidavits of the trueness of her walking gaits. The results of this mating was a stallion named Barker's Moonbeam, also a Palomino. Barker's Moonbeam was



bred to Kate McKnight, a chestnut mare sired by Red Eagle, a bay horse. This resulted in Golden Sunrise. That shows four generations straight down from Golden Lady, all Palominos, with some other colors bred in, but the Palomino color persisted. All I have written so far was based on actual knowledge gathered to the best of my ability, and shows the strong Palomino prepotency of Golden Lady's family. From here on, it is mostly suppostion.

Way back in Colonial Days, there were two families of easy gaited horses in North America. These were the Naragansett Pacer of New England, and the Canadian Pacer. There is a book being written about the Naragansett Pacer, and I wish I had it before me. For my purposes, the Canadian Pacer seems to be more important. I don't think these horses were regular side-wiping pacers, but had a straighter gait coming closer to the rack of the Saddle Horses or the running walk of the Walking Horse. Cowboys of the present day usually refer to any gaited horse as a pacer. Kentucky was more interested in the Show Saddle Horses, and selectively bred from these old horses to get the five gaited horse. The Tennessee people were more interested in the true steady gait of the Walking Horse, and selectively bred from the indivduals that eventually set that type. While I believe the Gaited Horse and the Walking Horse come from the same source, I do not consider them at all the same today. The Walking Horse should be 100% square gaited and should have everything that the Western Horse has plus a square running walk. We know of the prepotency of these two breeds, as far as gaits are concerned, so why not prepotency in color? Where did these two families come from? It is my opinion they came from Spanish Jennets. There is a breed of horse in Peru also that does a gait similar to the Walking Horse, but they step much higher with their front feet, and paddle considerably. These horses are also supposed to come from the Spanish Jennets. This proves to me that the strongest characteristic of the Walking Horse comes from Spain. From here on, I am sure Dick Halliday could write this

article much better.

The fine Spanish horse surely came from the Arabians. I have read of one family of Arabians that did an ambling gait. This branch of Arabians must have founded the easy riding Spanish Jennet that was nighly prized. I believe the better qualified students of the Palomino color trace it back to the Arabians.

In a recent article, Carl Raswan states his belief that the Palomino came from the Turcoman Horse that dates back to the Arabian Invasion of Persia, 636 A.D. In a round about way, I have traced the Palomino color, that appears Walking Horse, back to the same sources the California breeders' Palominos have arrived at, the Arabian. I do believe that the few Walking Horses that have carried on this color from Arabia, via Spain, Europe and the New World, then Canada, and finally to Tennessee, are extremely prepotent breeders of this most beautiful of all colored horses, and also in carrying on this color have carried on the best in our ideals of a compact, and beautiful proportioned Walking Horse of square gait.

Editor's Note:

This article is corroborated in almost every detail regarding the inheritance of the golden color by recorded facts gathered by myself in many different countries.

Dick Halliday

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Also, please note an error I made in the footnote to the last story by Tom Moss, in the July/August issue. I said that Yellow Jacket and Golden Sunshine F-44 were full brothers. That is incorrect. They were 3/4 brothers - out of the same mare but one by Hunter's Allen and the other by his son, Last Chance.

Marjorie C. Lacyl

Chart of horses mentioned in text descending from GOLDEN LADY

Eddie Hal F-14

GOLDEN LADY m.

GOLDEN GIRL m.

GIOVANNI'S GOLDEN KING

Easter Allen

YELLOW JACKET

FLASH LA MARR

Buck La Marr

GOLD GETTER

YELLOW JACKET JR. g.

THE INCOMPARABLE m.

TILDA III m.

ALLEN'S YELLOW HAMMER

GOLDEN SUNSHINE F-44

BARKER'S MOONBEAM

GOWAN'S POT O' GOLD

INVADER

SUNFLOWER LADY m.

CARTER'S GOLD MAGIC

GOLDEN MOON

ALLEN'S GOLDEN GENIUS

GOLDEN STROLLER

ALLEN'S GOLDEN BOY

PEG ALLEN m.

ALLEN'S SUPERGOLD

POT O' GOLD

GOLDEN BLAZE

AVIS GOLDEN MOONBEAM

BARKER'S STARDUST

ALLEN'S GOLDEN ZEPHYR

ALLEN'S GOLD ACE

GOLDEN QUEEN m.

SPILLER'S GOLD STREAK

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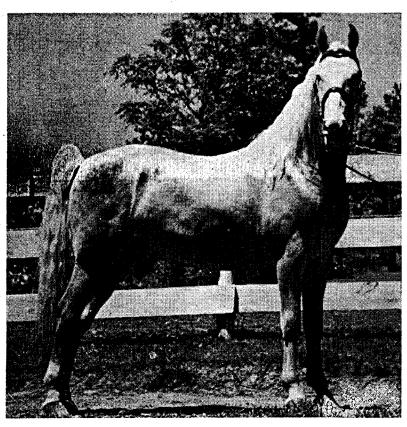
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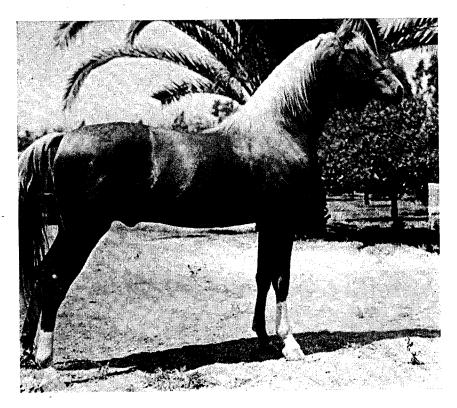
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TENNESSEE SHOWTIME

The third and final Annual "Tennessee Showtime" held at Claresholm, AB. August 1st and 2nd, 1992 was judged by Mr.Art Perry of Carpinteria, California. The social night on Saturday was a huge success, with door prizes & an auction lead by Miles Wowk. A great time was had by all. At this time I would like to say "Thank you" to all the competitors for supporting "Tennessee Showtime" for the past three years.

M. Matechuk

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Martin Marechuk/D-Joint Ranch Frank White/C. Varjas Jacquie Marechuk/D-Joint Ranch

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CLASS 37 PLANTATION JUNIOR HORSE TRAIL

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CLASS 40 YOUTH 12 & UNDER ENGLISH EQUITATION

lar. Sensations Quincy Kyle Wies?R.Wies

CLASS 41 PLANTATION JUNIOR HORSE WESTERN PLEASURE

1st. Magic's Jump for Joy
2nd. Dee J Pride's Image Marlin
3rd. Sun's Blue Eyed Mystery Christi

Cindy Botkin/E. Peters Marlin Matechuk/D-Joint Runch Christine Kobza/C. Kobza

CLASS 42 PLANTATION YOUTH ENGLISH PLEASURE 2nd. Midnight Sensational

Leah Coin/L. Coin Neil Benner/B.Benner

CLASS 18 PLANTATION WESTERN PLEASURE Ist. Sun's Blue Eyed Mystery 2nd Magic's Jump for Joy 3rd. Dee J Pride's Image

Christine KobzafC, Kobza Cindy Botkin/E. Peters Marlin Matechuk/D-Joint Ranch

GLASS 21 NOVICE RIDER - PLANTATION WESTERN PICASHRE lst. Ebony's Lightning 2nd Midnight Sensational

Jacquie Matechuk/D-Joint Ranch

CLASS 45 Youth 12 and order english Pléasure lst, Sensations Quincy Kvl

Kyle Wies/R. Wies

GLASS 46 LITE SHOD WESTERN PLEASURE

1st. My Choclate Lady 2nd Toddy's Perfect Lady 3rd, Pride's Blue Frost

Monty Gwynne/M.Gwynne Grethe Brobolm/G. Brobolm Shelly Fabro/M. Fabro

CLASS 47 PLANTATION YOUTH ENGLISH EQUITATION

Leah Coin/L.Coin

CLASS 48 PLANTATION WESTERN PLEASURE

Tat. Ebony's Miss Lock 2nd. Escapade's Baby Girl 3rd. Escapade's Baby Girl 3rd. Ebony's Lightning

Frank White/C.Varjas Marjin Matechuk/D-Joint Ranch Jacquie Matechuk/D-Joint Ranch

CLASS 49 OPEN PLANTATION OWNER, RIDER

lst, Prince Waingright 2nd, Miss Showtine 3rd, Midnight Sensational Sambra Kart/S.Rart Lyla Goio/Latorn

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Cindy Borkin/E. Peters Patti Hagen/M. Fabro Marlin Matechuk/D Joint Ranch

GLASS 53 PLANTATION BUILDIC HORSE \$100.00 CHAMPIORESHIP WESTERN PLEASURE lat, Dee J Pride's Image 2nd Magic's Jump tor Joy 3rd, Main Debut

Martin Marcelink/D-Joint Ranch Cindy Butkin/E. Peters Lorri Guppock/L. Cuppock

CLASS 54 PLANTATION YOUTH \$75.00 CHAMPIONSHIP WESTERN PLEASURE lat, Miss Showtime Leah Goin/L.Coin 2nd Midnight Sensational Neil Benner/B. Benner

CLASS 55 LITE SHOD WESTERN CHAMPION STAKE

lst. Prince Wainwright 2nd Pride's Blue Frost 3rd, My Choclate Lady

Sandra Karl/S.Karl Shelly Fabro/M. Fabro Monty Gwynne/M. Gwynne

CLASS 56 NOVICE RIDER \$100.00 CHAMPIONSHIP ENGLSTH/MESTERN PLEASURE lat. Midnight Sensational 2nd. Elony's Lightning Bob Benner/B. Benner Jacquie Matechuk/D-Joint Rauch

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CLASS 58 PLANTATION CHAMPION WESTERN STAKE

1st Encapade's Baby Girl 2nd. Ebony's Miss Lark 3rd. Midnight Sensational

Marlin Marechuk/D-Joint Ranch /

Frank White/C. Varjan Buh Benner/B. Renner

GLASS 59 PLANTATION \$250.00 CHAMPIONSHIP MESTERN PLEASURE lsc. Escapade's Baby Girt Martin Natechuk/D-Ji Zod. Eboov's Piss Lark Prank Unite/C. Vari

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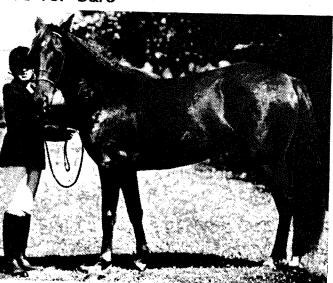
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SCANDALOUS STEPPER

Walking Horse News Sept./ Oct. 1992



Canadian Registry of the Tennessee Walking Horse

Effective January 1st, 1992

MEMBERSHIP		
Life Membership (individuals). Annual Membership. Youth Membership. Associate Membership (Annual). Honorary Membership.		.\$125.00 12.00 8.00 5.00 to Charge
REGISTRATION	MEMBERS NO	N-MEMBERS
Animals within 6 months of foaling date		
Animals after 12 months but less than 24 months	30.00	
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REGISTRATION OF IMPORTED ANIMALS A special reduced fee is still in effect for 1992.		
CANADIAN PAPERS WILL BE ISSUED FROM WALKING HORSE OF TENNESSEE WALKING HORSE BREEDERS & EXHIBITORS AS CERTIFICATES (SEND IN COPIES OF BOTH SIDES, WITH YOU APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION FORM). THIS DIVISION ANY AGE BORN IN CANADA AND REGISTERED WITH W.H.O.A.	SOCIATION JR CANADIA	4
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DUPLICATE CERTIFICATE Duplicate certificates shall be issued only on satisfactory proof of loss and upon application from the registered owner, but the issuing of same shall in any event be subject to the discretion of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Walking Horse Registry as set out in the By-Laws		
	25.00	50.00
REGISTRATION OF PREFIX (apply by letter and include fee.	35.00	70.00
REGISTRATION OF LEASE (apply on Lease Application Form)	5.00	10.00
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TWHBEA MEMOS

by Marjorie C. Lacy

A reminder to all TWHBEA members that you must register foals before they are 6 months old to qualify for the minimum rate of \$30 U.S. or to claim the one free foal registration that is yours as a perquisite of membership. Ask for this free registration when you send in the application.

There are <u>new</u> foal registration application blanks this year so don't use any old ones you already have. (If you phone TWHBEA (615-359-1574) before 8:00 a.m. MDT it's almost as cheap as a letter and a lot quicker.)

"Effective October 1/92, all new foals blood typed and registered out of a blood typed sire and dam will be issued a different colour of registration papers to designate their certification, once a complete parentage qualification is verified on the foal (sire, dam and foal)."

For Canadians who want to get a head start on bloodtyping their broodmares before the 1993 rules come into effect, or get the special TWHBEA registration papers for their '92 foals, the address of the Canadian lab which does bloodtyping is:

Mann Equitest
335 Laird Road, Unit Four
GUELPH, Ontario
N1H 6J3
Phone (519)836-2400

The price of the kit from Equitest was \$41.20 Canadian plus a small handling charge back in 1990.

If you blood type now, you can get \$10 off the regular price (\$50 U.S.) of a blood typing kit from TWHBEA in Tennessee but the blood samples must then be shipped across the border to the States.

Correction
Full name for W.H.O.A. is
"Walking Horse Owners Association"
not as stated on p.19 of July/Aug issue

C.R.T.W.H. NATIONAL REVIEW

COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDING TROPHY
C.R.T.W.H. donated a trophy for the Best
Performance TWH at the Canadian
Competitive Trail Riding Championships
held at Kamloops, B.C. at the end of
August. Congratulations to BettyAnn Janni
and Monteray Masterpiece who completed
the gruelling 84 mile course and placed
4th out of 32 starters.

MEMBERSHIP

It is just great to see an overall increase in membership this year. We have grown by almost 50%. Along with this growth of course, comes an increase in activity at the Livestock Records office. Ontario is presently showing the greatest increase in number of transactions.

TURN-AROUND TIME

The average time it takes for your transactions to be processed at C.L.R.C. seems to be running around 3 weeks now. As we grow and increase the amount of business this turn-around time will decrease. The reason for this is that when there are only a few TWH papers to process, they are "batched" together and some may wait a while until a sufficient number can be processed together. The more we send in - the quicker they will get done!

RENEWALS

1993 Membership Renewal notices will be mailed out by C.L.R.C. at the beginning of December. It is important to have your membership up to date by January 31 of the new year so that our mailing lists (and voting lists) are current.

Life Membership is \$125.00 Annual Membership is \$12.00/yr Youth Membership is \$8.00/yr Associate Membership is \$5.00/yr

If there are any changes made to the above fee schedule this fall.

YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED

- a) on the renewal notice from CLRC, and
- b) in Walking Horse News-Nov./Dec.Issue.



ALBERTA WALKING HORSE ASSOCIATION

P.O. Box 246, Postal Station "M" Calgary, Alberta T2P 2H9

NEWSLETTER

This is the first year of the new format of organization of the Alberta Walking Horse Association. The way it works now is that the Alberta Association is really made up of an association of Regional Clubs. Each club is to organize and sponsor its own slate of activities while the Alberta organization handles the major events and promotions.

There are over one hundred and thirty members of the Alberta Walking Horse Association this year. If you are a member of the participating clubs then you become a member of the Alberta Association. Although your socializing and local promotions are organized by the local club, the Alberta Association has also been very busy looking after your interests.

The Alberta Walking Horse Association is your representative to the Alberta Equestrian Federation and the Horse Industry Branch of the Alberta Department of Agriculture. Our main benefit from the AEF is our group insurance policy which covers the association and members for liability and accidental death or dismemberment. Through our contact with the Horse Industry Branch we do have some input into the Alberta Horse Improvement Program and other Government initiatives.

Besides the video, breeders list and our informational brochure which the Association has produced, we are involved in two of the major horse promotions in Canada. Your Association pays for the demo booth at Spruce Meadows Equifair and front ends the fee for entry into the Battle of the Breeds. We always win our entry fee back however. This year we have also begun two new services being a stud book and horses for sale book for those who wish to use the service.

The Alberta Association also directly sponsors two major shows which are intended to identify the best horses and trainers. The Alberta Celebration got its start this year and will continue with your support to be the major Walking Horse event in the Province. The Canadian Tennessee Walking Horse Futurity is underwritten totally by Association funds as the entry fees all go to the competitors.

So there you have it, whether yo are active in showing, training or riding for pleasure, you are being served well by the Alberta Walking Horse Association. Not only that, but a quarter of all membership fees collected go directly to support the regional clubs. Quite a package I would say - for only twenty dollars!

A.W.H.A. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND AWARDS BANQUET BALZAC COMMUNITY HALL

(just west of Balzac interchange, north of Calgary on HWY 2) NOVEMBER 14, 1992

2.00-5.00pm ANNUAL MEETING:

This is your chance to have your concerns voted on by the membership and also to elect a new executive.

Notice of Motions will be received up to October 17, 1992. Please include the wording of your motion plus an explanation and the name of a seconder who must also be a member of the A.W.H.A. The proposed motions will be sent out to members by October 24th so that any rebuttals may be prepared for discussion at the annual meeting.

5.00-6.00pm FREE TIME:

This will be the opportunity to renew acquaintances, view displays/videos, and put in your bids on items for the silent auction.

6.00-8.00pm AWARDS BANQUET:

A fully catered supper will be served and the top horses and riders of the year honored. One last chance will be given to put in your bids and the highest bidders can take their goods home.

R.S.V.P. PLEASE CONFIRM SUPPER ATTENDANCE AT \$12 PER PERSON (JUNIORS \$6) WITH LORRAINE ADAMS 652-2067, BOX 413, HIGH RIVER, AB. TOL 1BO

CENTRAL ALBERTA TENNESSEE WALKERS
will be holding their Annual Fall Meeting
on Sunday, OCTOBER 25, 1992 at 12 noon
at the new home of Dawn & Dave Sigurdson, Blackfalds, AB.

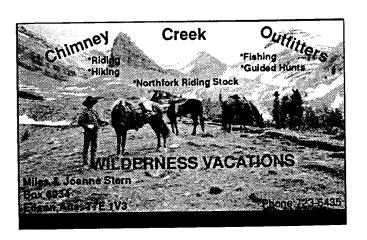
* Everyone Welcome *
POT-LUCK LUNCH : SPEAKER : ELECTIONS : PLANS FOR 1993!!!



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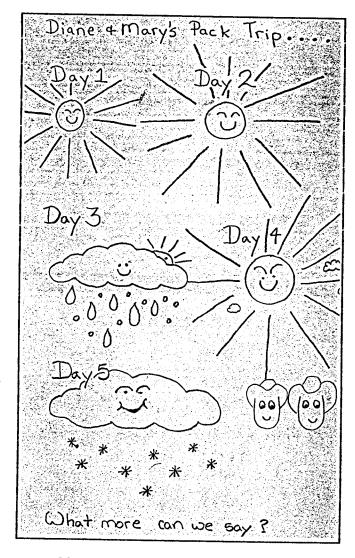
Ride with Pride on a Tennessee Walker

P.O. Box 935 Rimbey, Alberta TOC 2J0 Jack & Margaret Gurnett (403) 843-6124



OUR PACK TRIP WITH CHIMNEY CREEK OUTFITTERS

By Mary & Diane Rempel



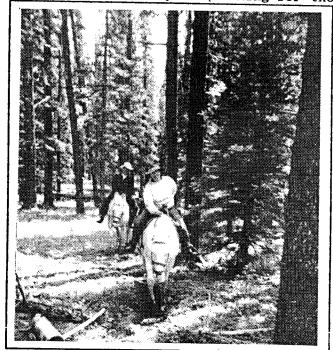
Hello everyone, it's me again, and am I ever going to tell you a tale. Let's see... How did that start again? Oh yeah! I remember now.

It all started on July 25th on the road to Tees for the Festival of the Gaits. Mom and I were discussing the pack trip that there was to be a draw for. Mom had just said that if our horses' number was the one drawn, that Diane and I could go.

Here we are at the Tees Rodeo grounds, the day is about done, and they are drawing for the pack trip. Well, danged if our horse's number wasn't drawn, good old number 60. I heard someone say congratulations to Mom. She turned to the person and said, "Don't congratulate me, I'm not going. Mary and Diane are."

That was all I needed to hear. The pack trip was officially ours. (I had witnesses too.)

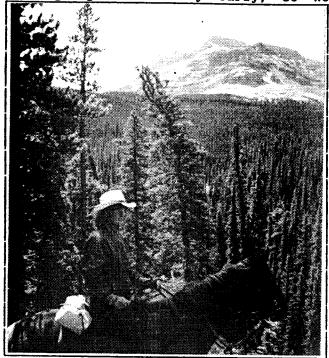
Now, to skip some more time, let me take you to Drayton Valley, with Diane and me in hot pursuit of all the things we would need to take along. This mainly consisted of very warm sleeping bags to make sure we didn't freeze in the mountains. We returned home after a couple trips to Drayton (looking for the



Margaret & Diane on the trail ...

perfect sleeping bags) with our new acquisitions. Our neighbor then phoned us a couple days later, only to tell us how we were going to freeze in the mountains, that our sleeping bags were not going to be warm enough, and that we had better take a good heavy tarp along to lay over us. (We did not take a tarp along.)

That takes me to the morning we left for the mountains, August 17th, bright and early. We threw our bags into the back of the truck, pulled the dog out, and proceeded to leave. The day didn't seem as exciting as we thought it would. (That might have been because we had just returned from our endurance ride, and were still high from our third places, and great prizes.) Nordegg was just around the bend, and it looked like we were going to be very early, so we



Mary - on that steep mountain?

stopped for dinner. Figuring that we had better leave a little early just in case we headed out on our way again. (We only got a wee bit lost. That is, we didn't think our turn was <u>our</u> turn.)

Eventually we ended up going down this little dirt road, which we were supposed to go 20 km down. 20 km came and went, but there was no sign of Miles, or Jack. At 29 km we decided that at the next road we would turn around and go back to the clearing at 20 km and wait there. As we came around to the next road there they were at the 30 km mark.

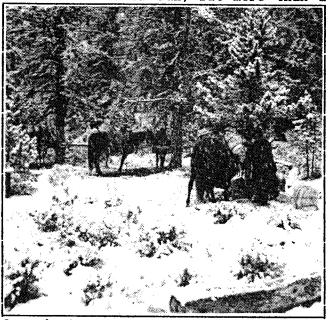
There was a suprise, too. Marianne Wray was coming along for this daring trip into the mountains as well.

Here we are, all on our way out to the middle of nowhere, horses packed, and everyone in their saddles, ready to go.

The trip our to first camp uneventful, and before long we were We even had a welcoming committee, for there stood Margaret Gurnett waving and taking pictures as we rode in. That was it, day one completed. All that was left was to visit, visit, and go to bed.

Day 2, all was packed again and we headed for camp number 2. The sun was shining, and all were in good spirits. Midway through the day we arrived at our destination, with all in one piece. That night we had a lovely visit, and a nice chicken supper. With evening coming along, and not a cloud in the sky, Marianne looked up and said, "I smell rain."

Basically we all said, "Yeah, right!"
The next morning when we woke up there
wasn't a trace of sun, but more than a



Surprise! SNOW on the fifth day...

trace of rain. (Bet you never guess who got blamed?) When the rain finally let up, we were asked if we still wanted to ride up the mountain that day. What did we say but yes. The horses were saddled, and we headed out. A ways from camp, Miles (our fearless leader) stopped, and said, "If your horse falls down this hill, go off the high side."

All I could think was that if this horse goes, I go with it. You should have seen

that hill! The horses knew what they were doing, however, and went along just fine. To get where we were going we went up and down, around and up, and up some more. (Right into a cloud as a matter of fact.) When we got to where ever we were the sun poked out for a few minutes, then disappeared for the rest of the day. had dinner up on that mountain, and proceeded to ride back down. About a mile from camp Miles asked if we wanted to ride any more. No one really said anything, but we all meant...NO! It was about then that it started to hail. one noticed the hill (that we were supposed to go off the high side if our horse went down) on that last mile back.

When we returned to camp Margaret had a nice fire going in the cook tent, and that night we played a game of UNO. The way the seating went Jack was about two feet from the stove, with his heavy jacket on. Midway through the game Margaret touched the back of his jacket and jerked her hand away, it was so hot. Someone offered to trade spots with Jack,

but he said he was just fine. A while later he jumped up and rapidly started peeling off layers of clothes. I guess the heat finally worked its way through! With the game over we headed for bed.

The next morning the sun was shining, and all was nice. Once again we packed up and headed out, this time back to our original camp. That day Marianne rode out stating that she had a sore back. Miles rode out with her that evening, and came back in with his wife, Joanne, and son, Coleman.

When we woke in the morning you'll never guess what awaited us. Snow! And <u>lots</u> of it. Did Marianne know something we didn't? The horses were packed in that lovely weather, and we headed for our vehicles. You wouldn't believe the pictures we got. Especially for August.

In summing up, we had a blast, and hope to do it again next year, even if we don't win it. The food was delicous, the company was great, and the horses were Walkers. What more could we ask?

(P.S.We never froze riding out, by the way. And oh yeah, neighbor, the sleeping bags were too warm enough!)

EASY RIDER TENNESSEE WALKING HORSE CLUB

NEWS FROM THE CALGARY, AB. AREA

The summer months have been jam-packed with opportunities for all Easy Riders to be involved in events suited to almost any interest.

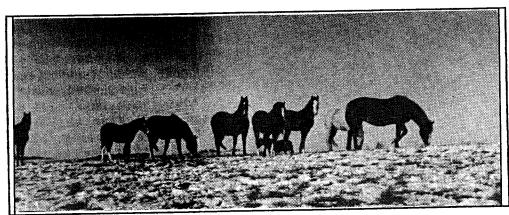
July 15th there was a Packing School at G2 Ranch under the tutelage of Glenn Robinson and Norm Thachuk. 14 graduates qualified, most of whom progressed to experience an overnight pack trip on July 25th venturing up Willow Creek, west of Chain Lakes. All 10 riders and 14 horses returned home safely and the event was declared a success.

On August 8th weekend the inaugural presentation of the Alberta Celebration

took place at Wydcombe Stud, Millarville with 30 horses competing in good weather. However, two weeks later we held Days of Old Show, also at Millarville and were plagued with <u>snowstorms</u> and yucky conditions! Congratulations to all who braved the first Alberta August snowstorm in 47 years! 25 horses made it and had a really good show.

August 14th was trail riding at Mesa Butte, and although disappointing for the low attendance, some members are still fascinated by the hunt that has started - looking for a grave site. Join in the search guys! Contact Roger & Lori, or Dick & Charis to pick up the trail.

NICK BROWN: REMINISCENCES



Some of our horses

Please renew our subscription for another two years. It's always a real thrill to open the mail box and see W.H.N., even though we haven't a horse or even the smell of a horse, which has long since vanished from the little tack and leather we have left.

Back in 1961 Bonnie got her first Walker from Calvin and Maxine Miller, Rhame, North Dakota. We're sorry that Calvin, a great horseman, has passed away, but once a year or so we try to keep in touch with Maxine.

The first time I ever set eyes on a Walker was when Bonnie and I were at Cache Creek, B.C. for a little holiday at a dude ranch operated by Mrs. Mattier. A wonderful hostess she was indeed and oh, those meals that she would put up. It was in the spring and calving was finished, the cows out on the range and Mother Nature had once again covered the country with a green carpet like she alone can.

This beautiful day we were treated to a horseback ride to the neighbouring horse ranch. Having always worn caulk or logger's boots, I found those cowboy boots rather awkward, but I managed. After about a ten mile ride — which seemed like a long jaunt — we stopped for a little break. When I dismounted, I wondered how anything stuffed with hay could be so hard! Well, call it bold or noble, I got into the saddle again ('cause I couldn't walk in them boots), but when I hit that saddle I hurt where I hurt when Mom gave me the last going

over.

The next scene: A gentle slope, a valley so green, a little lake with fluffy clouds reflected in it, and a band of horses galloping towards us, Thoroughbreds except the one in the lead — a sorrel mare with flaxen mane and tail and blaze face and oh, how smooth... she looked like she was on wings. Then, from beside me, came Bonnie's voice, "That's a Tennessee Walker".

Well, you guessed - I was hooked. I haven't ridden very much because of a shipyard accident during the war, but whenever I did ride a horse, it was great because I was riding the Cadillac of the horse kingdom.



Bonnie with "Chief", full brother to Sun's Merry Man (Hill's Perfection x Lady's High Calico). Our first purebred stallion.

It's been great to relive those pleasant days again. Thanks, Marjorie, for such a nice magazine.

HORSEMAN'S DIGEST

The Plantation Showcase, July, 1992, had a lot of "Canadian content". The front cover featured B.C.ers, Remembrance Early Edition owned by Elizabeth & Michael Olynyk of Langley, the 1991 West Coast Tennessee Walker Club Champion weanling, sired by Sun's Remembrance. Just inside the front cover was an ad congratulating Lexie Cole, Cabri, Sask. on her purchase of Party All the Time (Allen's Copy x Taylor's Party Gal), a 4 yr old roan sabino mare. And heading the "Spotted" Horse Showcase section was a full page photo of Ebony's Silver Cowboy (Ebony's Playmaker x Bow's Gemini Queen), a blue roan yearling owned by Karen Leach and Brian Erhardt of Surrey, Canadian subscriptions \$18 (U.S.) to 1819 - 118 Ave., WHEATLAND, Iowa 52777-9629 U.S.A.

I received two interesting issues of West Coast Walker from Elizabeth Olynyk recently. The spring issue featured photos and pedigrees of TWH stallions owned by WCTWHC members and others. It was most interesting to see the range of bloodlines, colours, sizes and types available. These stallion issues will be collectors' items in the TWH world in a few years. Hang on to them! WCTWHC, Box 1207, Stn.A, SURREY, B.C. V3S 2B3 Single membership \$20: family Newsletter with membership.

North American Walker has been featuring training tips from Lila McCartney of Colorado. In the July/August

she discussed what foals weanlings can learn. She feels that there are a lot of experiences that can make your young horses more sensible and safer. For example, she recommends taking the foals along when you ride the mare, at first loose in a safe area and later ponied (led) from the mare. Introducing the foals to grooming, clipping, bathing and blanketing can be done as soon as they will stand tied without pulling back. Leading through trail course obstacles is another good exercise. Why this training of youngsters helpful? McCartney believes that teach the colt to learn and increase its attention span, providing a basis for future training. Canadian subs \$24 (U.S.) to Box 365, Frederick, PA 19435 USA

For those interested in TWH in Canada and their bloodlines, get a copy of The Who and Where Handbook, 1992 edition. This little book lists 343 Walkers across Canada with their owners' names and addresses. It's available from Stone Valley Walkers, Box 274, Alix, AB TOC OBO for \$6.50. It will be a collector's item too! Get a copy and then make sure your horses are listed for '93.

Speaking of collector's items, some of the original TWHBEA Stud Books from the 1940s are still available for \$5.00 (U.S.) each from TWHBEA, Box 286, Lewisburg, TN 37091 U.S.A. I believe that six of the first nine are available. Phone (615)359-1574

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Southern Alberta Happenings by Ron Smith

There certainly have been plenty of events this year to keep us all busy in Alberta. Our own events in the south, although not well attended, were certainly a success for all those who participated.

Our spring meeting & ride was held in the Porcupine Hills west of the Three Walking Sticks Ranch. This is phenominal riding country with grassy hills giving way to small copses of poplar or groves of pines. As is beginning to be the tradition at our rides, our host Wayne Burbank did not show up as he had to chase cows. We did have a bit of excitement though, as the afternoon was spent chasing John Kobza's borrowed horse after he let it get away while changing from halter to bridle after lunch. That will teach him to stick to Walking Horses.

At the end of June we had our show in conjunction with the Taber Open Horse Show. This was a real good move as it was

excellent P.R. for all those Quarter Horse and Sport Horse people. Grethe Broholm came down from Calgary with Toddy's Perfect Lady and did very well in the open classes and even got third in jumping. I got 1st in Bareback Equitation on Chim Chim and Charity Shaver rode him to 2nd in the Trail class. I even got a 1st in Novice Western Equitation riding Grethe's horse. Our six Walkers made quite a showing at a pretty big AEF Circuit Show. The best showing was probably made by Ted Smith and Dominator in the Trail class; while backing through the metal gate the horse caught his heel on the crossbar at the bottom of the gate and it tipped the whole gate back with the top bar going over the horse's neck. Good old Dominator just stood there while rescued from a potentially dangerous situation. Good thing Ted had a Walker!

Unfortunately, we could not give out the Frank Smith Memorial cup at the Southern Alberta Competitive Trail Ride near Pincher Creek. Out of 60 riders, there was not one TWH in the Open division. The Janni's rode Novice, as did myself, Charity Shaver and Ken Douglas. BettyAnn was saving her mare for the upcoming Canadian Championships, and I had just sold Smokey to Adela Landa of Assiniboia, SK. so was riding my little 4yr old Crescent Merry Knight. We must congratulate Ken Douglas for winning 3rd

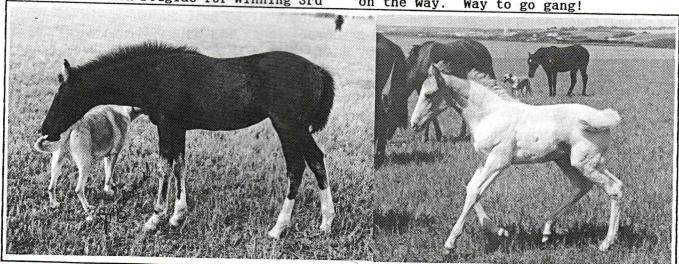
in the Novice HWT and the Breed award on a horse he had just bought. The same horse had competed and done very well at Tees a month earlier. Charity Shaver was also in the ribbons with a 3rd in Junior Novice division riding Chim Chim Cheroo.

We must welcome the Kinder family of Magrath, AB. into the Walking Horse fold. The Kinder's bought Crescent Class from Ted Smith and 14yr old Sabrina has already made her mark with him by winning the Junior Championship at the Alberta Celebration, near Millarville.

COUTTS-GRASS COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDE, Sept. 26th.

Tennessee Walking Horses again dominated the novice division at Writing-on-Stone Provincial Park. Forty riders dodging the hoodoos and navigating the "swiss cheese" canyons with no fences and the wide open spaces made you feel like one of the old whiskey traders dodging the R.C.M.P.

Anyway, back to the good news. Charity Shaver riding Chim Chim Cheroo (owned by Ron Smith) placed 1st in the Junior Novice division beating horses that had placed ahead of her on earlier rides this year. This puts Chimmy in contention for the TRAC Alberta Champion, Novice Junior division. Ken Douglas from Medicine Hat, riding a gelding sired by Thunder's War Eagle placed 1st in the Novice Heavyweight division beating lots fancy Arabs and very experienced riders on the way. Way to go gang!



1992 FOALS at McDonald Farms, Pouce Coupe, B.C. Left: Black filly by Misty Dark Delite x Monteray Snip

Right: Filly (Gemini Success) by Dressed for Success x Cap's Candy Striper

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BATTLELAKE ENDURANCE CHALLENGE on TWH

by Jean Rempel

We had heard and read all the bad things about endurance riding, but having completed two 25 mile competitive trail rides since 1991, we decided, as this endurance ride was real close to home, to enter in either the 25 or 15 mile ride and try to complete it. Northfork Sky Walker (Luke) and Golden Nugget (Nugget) had been conditioned to do the 25 mile TRAC Novice Ride at Tees in May so it wasn't hard keeping them in condition, riding farther and faster. Jessie Dee hadn't been doing much, so wasn't as well conditioned. Then a bad fall three weeks before the ride date put Jessie and me out of the running.

August 14th. The trailers and horses started gathering at the Headquarters camp on the Medince Lake Grazing Reserve just south west of Winfield, Alberta for the Second Annual Battlelake Endurance Challenge. There were a total of 49 horses that entered the pre-ride vet check. Only one horse did not pass this vet check (as this horse wasn't allowed to start, the entry fee was refunded) so there were 48 horses in the following divisions:

Long Ride (50 miles) --11 riders, Short Ride (25 miles) --22 riders, Novice Ride (15 miles) 13 adult and 2 Junior riders.

After the vets, Dr. Greg Davis and Dr. Doug Hunter, (those of us that have ridden the Competitive Trail Ride at Tees, AB. the last two years already know Dr. Hunter) were finished the pre-ride vetting, the evening pre-ride briefing of the trail and ride rules were held. The Ride Rules were basically: (1) Long Ride ride time is finished when horse crosses finish line (riding time allowed 12 hours). Horse's pulse must be down in 30 minutes and horse must be sound at finish of ride. Horse has a 15 minute rest at 15 miles and a 60 minute rest at 40 mile. (2) Short Ride - ride time is down time, pulse at finished pulse/vet check) at the 25 miles (riding time allowed 6 hours). Horse's pulse must be down and horse to be sound. Horse has a 30 minute rest after pulse down time at 15 miles. (3) Novice Ride - ride time is pulse down time. at pulse/vet check) at the 15 miles (riding time allowed 6 hours). Pulse to be down and horse sound. (4) LOOK AFTER YOUR HORSE'S WELFARE. Dr.Davis finished the evening with the thought that all riders should seek to finish the ride, not just in first place but with their horse in the best condition possible, as the BEST CONDITION RIBBON should be the MOST COVETED award of all. (Mary says the idea she has is "condition", "condition", and "use your head and don't hurt your horse".

August 15th. - the Long Ride started at 7:30 AM, the Short Ride at 8:00 AM, and the Novice Ride at 8:30 AM. As I wasn't riding I went out as a gate check person 3 miles from headquarters with the water truck and ambulance. The driver and his son kept the water pails full and I checked the riders in at the 8 mile, and the 12 mile point (the trail had a back loop in it). It wasn't long before the riders started coming through. I was really on pins and needles waiting for the two Tennessee Walking Horses to come through the gate. (Northfork Sky Walker (Luke) in the 25 miler and Golden Nugget (Nugget) in the 15 miler). Luke cantered in, drank from his water pail while his rider, Mary Rempel, sponged down his neck He seemed in fine shape and and legs. ready to run, so after walking out the gate and clear of incoming riders, he was off at a ground covering run. The 15 milers weren't losing any ground even though they were Novices. Soon Nugget appeared. He was doing well, travelling third in the group, but he didn't want any water. He played in it, while his rider Diane Rempel sponged his neck and legs. Next came the last of the 50 milers through their 12 mile gate check. They stopped only long enough to let their horses drink, and do a quick sponge down since they have a pulse/vet check and 15 minute rest at headquarters continuing. The 25 milers were back now also. Luke still going strong and his time seemed pretty fast, in with the first six horses. He had a couple of mouthfuls of water while Mary sponged him again and then they were off to camp for their pulse/vet check and 30 minute rest before continuing on the last 10 miles. Nugget and Diane came back through, and he drank this time as he was sponged. Their time was good and so was Nugget's condition. He will be done when he gets to pulse down at pulse/vet check at camp.

I didn't see our horses come in at the finish as they were done long before I got back, but they looked fine in their corrals. Mary says she could have ridden faster as Luke wanted to. At the finish of 25 miles he still wanted to go.

The SPCA was at headquarters watching until the last horse finished. By the end of the rides there were 3 horses pulled by their riders in the 50 miler, 1 horse pulled by its rider and 3 disqualified in the 25 miler, and 1 horse disqualified in the 15 miler.

The 25 mile horses were vetted 3 times on the ride (for a total of 4 times with the pre-ride vet). The 15 mile horses were vetted at pre-ride vet, pulse down check for ride time and then a final vet one hour later.

At eight PM. there was a Conditioning Vet check (not compulsory) for the first 10 riders finished in each of the 25 and 15 mile groups (50 mile horses would be vetted for condition Sunday morning) Both Dr.Davis and Dr.Hunter vetted each horse, soundness points were totalled (2 vet checks in one) and multiplied by 10. Riding time of the winner was subtracted from the other riders, 200 points were awarded to fastest rider and 1 point per minute difference was subtracted for your time. Weight was also accounted for with your weight (with tack) subtracted from the heaviest rider/tack. 100 points to heaviest rider with 1/2 point per pound difference subtracted from the 100 points for lighter rider/tack. Vet score plus time factor plus weight factor equalled the condition evaluation score.

10 PM.: Awards and ribbons were presented. Everyone that completed their ride received a certificate and a completion award (wormer, fly spray etc.).

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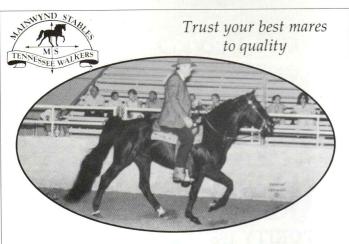
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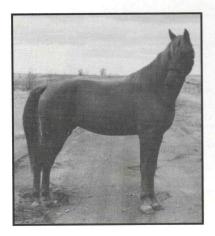
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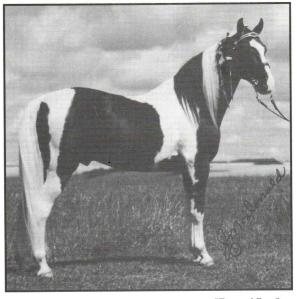
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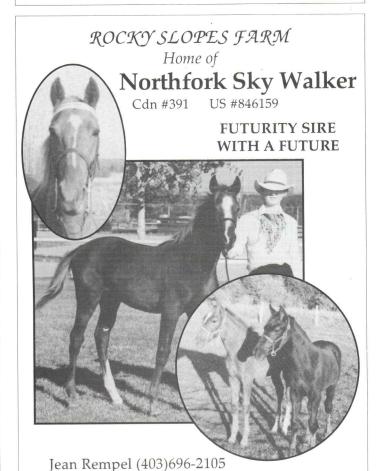
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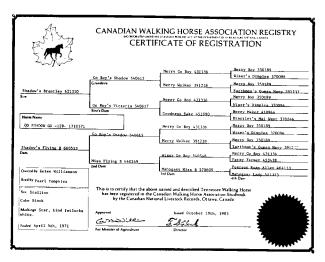
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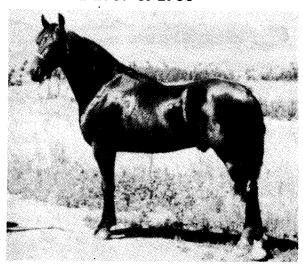
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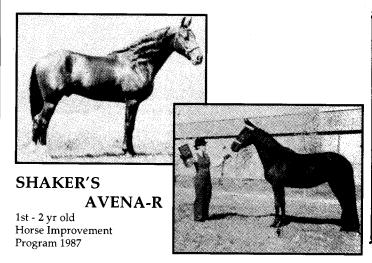
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Verline's Lady 655160 Dom		Sir NanGray 170358	Sir MauGrav 370358 Strauss' Merry Maid 390736 Milson's Allun 350075	
Owned by Helen S. Williamson Bred by Helen S. Williamson	Gray's Boll 580768 2nd Dam	Midnight Doll 470294 3rd Dam	Mande Gray 170077 Midnight Sun ±10751 Gracie B 180519 4th Dam	
Sex Stallion Color Liver black	This is to certify that the above named and described Tennessee Walking Horse has been registered in the Canadan Walking Horse Association Studbook by the Canadan Nitional Liventick Records, Ottawa, Canada			
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