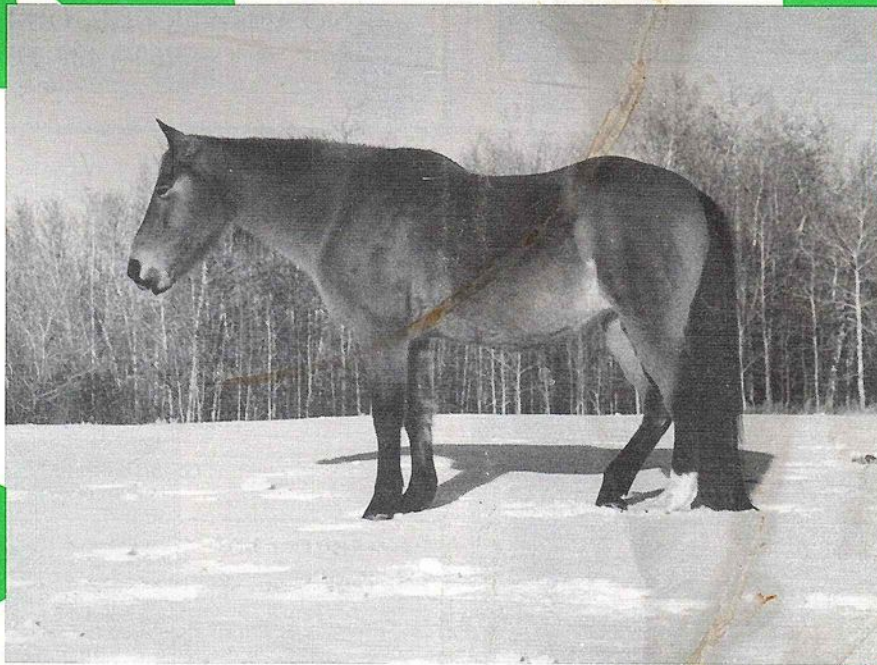


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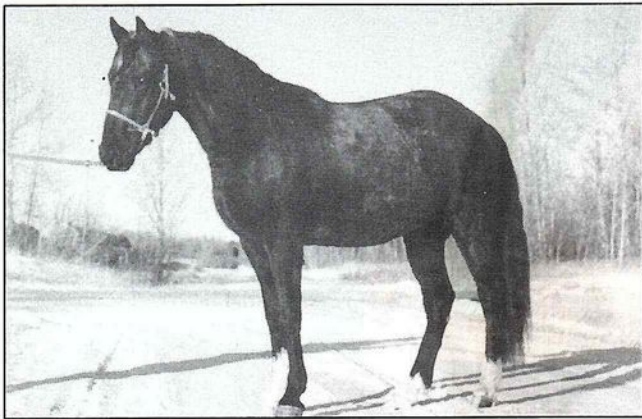
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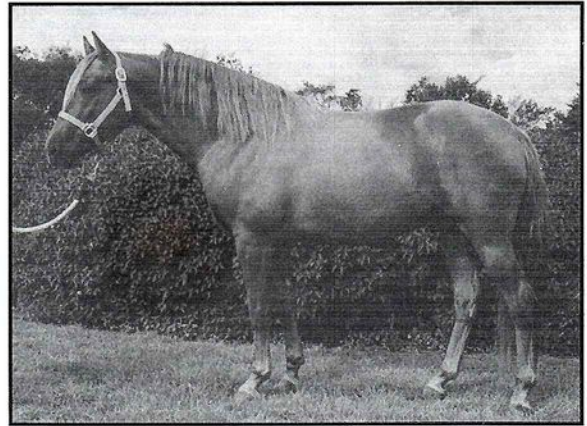


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Dear Subscribers,

Happy New Year to you all. I hope you and your horses are wintering well. In our neck of the woods, we're up to our necks in snowdrifts! (Well, not quite, but it feels like it.) We haven't had this much snow for over ten years - close to 30 inches now and nearly all has come in January.

Two people have sent in information on the TWH sales survey from the Nov/Dec Dusty Files column. But we'll need a lot more responses to come up with any significant averages or trends. How about it? Let's hear from you if you've bought or sold a TWH in the past couple of years. (See form on page 29.)

Thank you to all who sent in cover photo entries. We appreciated your response and had a hard time choosing which to use. So... Congratulations to Murray McCargar, Calgary (with a Bruno Engler photo), Michelle Grant, Calgary, Mary Henderson, Tees, Joyce Schuh, Medicine Hat, Glen Reum, Ryley, and Jo Kingsland, Alix. (What do you think Jo will do with a free subscription!) If you are already a subscriber we'll just extend your present sub by one year.

Let's make 1994 a good year for Walkers in Canada.

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ONTARIO NEWS

JOCELYN BRADY, THUNDER BAY, writes, "Just a quick note. All is well here. I recently sold a three year old gelding, Tracy's Good News, to Sandi and Bob Rezner from Maple Plain, Minnesota. He has been placed in training with Cindy Blom as a light shod competitor."

"I continue to work with my remaining Walkers, putting on the miles, doing a lot of road riding. I hope this note finds everyone well. All the best!"

RUTH VDOVICH, PICKERING, attended the TWHBEA Annual Meeting in Tennessee so we are eagerly awaiting her report on that. Also there was a TWH Demonstration at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto in November, 1993, with Marilyn Orr showing Generator's Sonata as well as other Walkers.

WHAC'E members arranged TWH booths, appearances and demonstrations at Elmira, Walkerton and Woodbridge Fairs where the smooth horses and enthusiastic people were well received. Good promotion, WHAC'E.

New officers of WHAC'E (Walking Horse Association of Canada East) are Ruth Vdovich, President; Sandra Hendrickson, Vice President; Dave White, Secretary Treasurer. The contact address is R.R.1, PICKERING, ON L1V 2P8 (905)683-9158

PEACE AREA NEWS

by Jo-Anne McDonald

Best wishes to some new owners of McDonald Farms Tennessee Walkers. Paul Dagesse, Grande Prairie, bought Dark Classic Delite (Misty Dark Delite x Monterey Snip), a black yearling filly with four socks. Shannon & Ken Peterson, Beaverlodge, bought the yearling bay filly, Magic Charmer (Dressed for Success x Shadow's Magic Maid) and the yearling black stud colt, Dictator's Perfection (Royal Dictator x Royal Bay Quest). Please send them a subscription to the magazine with our compliments."

"Our new arena works great to about minus 25 degrees and then it's a bit

chilly. It's really nice for starting the youngsters."

"I hope everyone had a nice Christmas. I was sick with the Beijing 'flu. Boy was that something else! It is one way to diet over the holidays - but I don't recommend it. It's the worst flu I've ever had. Everyone else managed to avoid it, thank goodness."

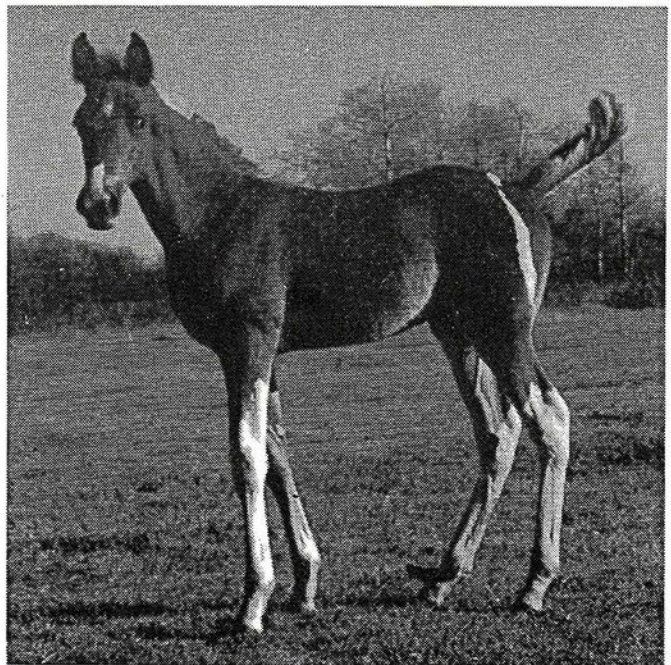
SASKATCHEWAN NEWS

MARLENE SAMS, STOUGHTON, writes, "It would seem I'm so slow that I'd come in third in a two horse race! Here's my subscription - sorry to be late. I really missed the last two mags."

"I didn't do too much this summer - too cold, too wet, too many "dive bombers". I did ride a little bit on my trusty Walker, Misty."

"I had six fillies and three horse colts this year. I sold two fillies, a purebred and a partbred and the three horse colts. Keith Doll bought the red filly and a black horse colt, I'm happy to say. One purebred filly was kicked and had her back broken and this fall a 3/4 bred was shot by hunters. ...cont'd >

1993 FOAL:



Stud colt by Maple Leaf Paint out of Midnight Kit, at Glen & Sheila Reum's, Ryley, AB.

"I am keeping three of Dakota Midnight's daughters. Dakota Midnight, aged 18, has gone to "the big pasture in the sky" as has a very favorite mare of mine, Judy's Joy. Joy was 20 years old and gave me a lovely black filly this year."

"I've been feeling good. It's been a lovely fall and I've done chores and driven the tractor for my son-in-law - things I haven't been able to do for a long time. I even took the half ton to the field and picked up some bales (light ones)."

I found this announcement in The Plantation Showcase, the magazine from Wheatland, Iowa, that promotes the Plantation Walking Horse. In it Darlene and Gerald Krauss of the Super "K" Ranch congratulate BARRY & LEXIE COLE of CABRI on their purchase of Gypsie's Magic Dream (Sun Time's Dark Lord x Call Me Cindy) and Splish Splash Splots (Allen's Copy x Gypsie's Magic Dream). Gypsie is an eleven year old black roan sabino mare, in foal to Squeaky Sneakers for 1994. Splash is a two year old daughter of Gypsie's, a lit-up sorrel roan sabino. The Krauss' also congratulate KAREN GRAY, BROWNLEE, on her purchase of Little Miss Muffit (Allen's Copy x Taylor's party Gal), a sorrel and white sabino medicine hat weanling filly. Best of luck with your new Tennessee Walking Horses.

BRITISH COLUMBIA NEWS

JANET GORDON, DAWSON CREEK, sent this note with her subscription renewal, "Our mare, Monterey Dusty Rose, had her first foal this year at age 13. He is Dusty's Little Dude, sired by Dressed for Success."

From JOYCE PATTERSON, CAWSTON, "All in all, 1993 wasn't too good for me. The spring and summer were damp and cold and wet too. Then, out of the blue, I came down with these horrible shingles and I've been very poorly since. I'm still itching and have a weak strip in my back and ribs. I'm sure hoping that by spring I'll be ready to hit the trails again."

"All I need to obtain is another gaited mare around 14:2 to 14:3 or so. My girl friend wants to ride with me and she's 5ft 6 inches tall. Anyone out there with a a nice old quiet reliable mare, give me a call instead of shipping her!"

"We had two weeks of quite cold winter weather in November. Then it warmed up. No snow to mention and not very cold, just overcast and damp. Oh well, the days are seven minutes longer now and by the end of January longer yet."

"On Christmas morning my ponies received a whole apple and a can of alfalfa pellets for breakfast. They are all as round as apples!"

"I'll wish everyone a very good 1994 in showing, trail riding and raising foals. Happy New Year and piles of good luck to everyone from Joyce and Ponies."

MARJORIE FABRO faxed us this report from sunny, 50 degree F. KIMBERLEY, "We were very busy this past year, 1993, and enjoyed a very successful year with our horses."

"Our broodmares produced some very fine foals again this year. Another Ultra Star had a beautiful big stud colt, chestnut, by Canadian Threat on April 7, 1993. Canadian Firefly had a black stud colt, a real show-off, by Pride at Midnight on June 5. Copy's Real Pride had her first foal, a beautiful chestnut filly by Pride at Midnight, also on June 5, just three hours after Firefly. A busy time was had by all!"

"We have sold our 1992 foals. Fire and Lace at Midnight, a black filly out of Canadian Firefly by Pride at Midnight, sold to Elna Konkin of Edgewater, B.C. Elna says she is the best cutting horse around and is constantly working their cows. Have fun, Elna, and congratulations."

"Our stud colt for 1992 went to Wayne & Debra Jack of Armstrong, B.C. The Distinguished Gentleman was out of Another Ultra Star by The Legend. I know they will be very happy with him as he has his Mama's walk ... so he can walk up a storm! I hear he is doing great in his training in Tennessee. Congratulations, Wayne and Deb."

"Shelley Fabro is the proud new owner of Prides in Overdrive, by Pride at Midnight out of Canadian Firefly. Shelley and this baby will be heard of in the coming years. Overdrive is half brother to Pride's Blue Frost."

"Don sold his 16:2 hh gelding, Star's Major Invasion, this past summer to Tom Yost of Kimberley. Tom will be using Major in the mountains for camping trips and hunting. Major is Tom's first Walker and he can't believe how great they are. His friends are green with envy!"

"We bought a smaller 4 year old gelding from Lexie Cole for Don and they are getting along fine. He didn't like the idea of climbing hills at first but he is getting the knack now. He's a great little horse, Lexie."

"Our show season was GREAT! A lot of fun and very successful. Our girls, Patti and Shelley have done a wonderful job of training and showing our Walking Horses. We participated in six shows in 1993 - two in Canada, the Wild Rose Specialty at Olds and the Alberta Celebration in Claresholm. The four in the U.S. were

Spokane, Ellensburg, Vancouver, Washington and Reno, Nevada."

"Our young stallion, Ultra's Major Threat, and Patti won seven firsts at the Wild Rose Specialty and at the Alberta Celebration they entered eight classes and walked away with eight firsts!"

"At the Spokane I.F.F.H. Show, Major and Patti won the overall High Point Award. At Ellensburg I.E.T.W.H.C. Show, they won the High Point Light shod 2 gait award and at the W.I.W.H.S. & F. Vancouver, Washington, they achieved yet another High Point Light shod 2 Gait. it was at this show that we entered Major in 3 gait as well as 2 gait classes. He won both the light shod Western 2 Gait pro/am Championship and the English 2 gait pro/am Championship, plus the qualifying classes for those, plus the English and Western 3 gait pro/am qualifying classes. This being Major's first 3 gait show, we were really excited!"

"Shelley and her great moving mare, Pride's Blue Frost, had a great year also. At the Wild Rose Specialty Show, Shelley and Frosty won the overall High Point 3 Gait Light Shod.. ...cont'd>

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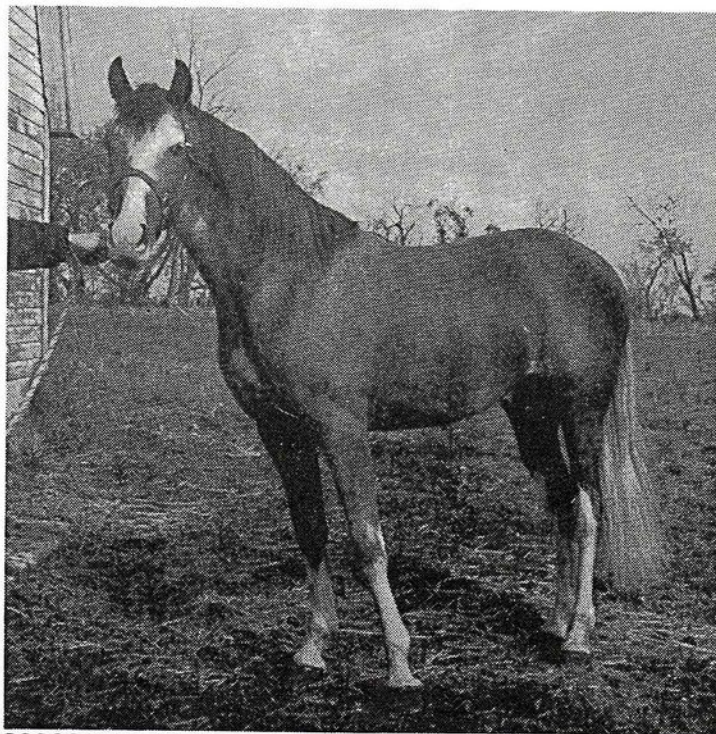
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and at Spokane I.F.F.H. they won the high Point 3 Gait Light Shod. At Vancouver, Washington, they were Reserve High Point 2 Gait Light Shod. At Vancouver ours were the only two Canadian horses there and we won the High Point and Reserve High Point Light Shod 2 Gait - quite an accomplishment I think!!!"

"Last but not least on our busy schedule was RENO! Besides a lot of fun and luck in the casinos, Ultra's Major Threat and Pride's Blue Frost finished the year off right. In classes of 15 and 16 entries, Major walked away with 2 firsts, 2 seconds, 2 thirds, and 3 fourths. This included two fourths in the English and Western Championship Stake classes. Pride's Blue Frost and Shelley had their share of the awards also with 1 first in the Amateur Owned and Trained English/Western 2 gait Light Shod, 1 second, 2 thirds and a fourth and a fifth. The girls and their horses did Canada proud."

"One of the youngest generation of Fabros is starting her show career off to a flying start too. Coming in fifth at the Wild Rose Specialty on Free 'N EZ Pride all it took for Katie Hagen to get the show bug and make her determined to do her very best at the Alberta Celebration. After riding and training every day between the two shows, six year old Katie and Free 'N EZ Pride (or Louie) went on to win first in the Plantation Western Youth 17 and Under, as well as third in the First and Second Year Showing class with 11 adults entered! Katie is definitely looking forward to the 1994 show season as is her Mom and Auntie Shelley and, oh yes, her Grandma!"

"To end this year on a top note, Ultra's Major Threat won the Versatility Stallion Award from the West Coast Tennessee Walker Club - for the second year running - and Pride's Blue Frost won the Versatility Mare Award - for the second year running!"

"Come July, the first baby by Ultra's Major Threat (from Copy's Real Pride) will be on the ground. We are really excited!"

"So all in all we have had a very busy year. We wish everyone the very best

in 1994."

RON SMITH, formerly of Magrath, Alberta, recently surfaced in OLIVER, and says, "It is with great pleasure that I renew my subscription to the Walking Horse News. You may wonder at the new address. I moved to B.C. at the end of March '93 to start a new job with the town of Oliver. Unfortunately I have not been able to attend any of the shows in Alberta this past year. I love to attend shows to see the horses that people are confident enough in to bring before public scrutiny. I really think the best horses are at the shows. To be more specific, the 3 gait pleasure classes to me are the real testers of good walking horses. A good trainer can teach a horse to go through gates, pull a buggy or go over jumps, and there are plenty of pretty horses with straight limbs to win halter and conformation classes, but can they really walk out and do a nice easy canter on either lead?"

"My horsing has suffered somewhat with the move but Crescent Merry Knight and I placed 13th in the big 25 mile endurance race in Kelowna in June and the Mayor of Oliver rode him in the local parade. He impressed everyone with a pretty spiffy sidepass at the run-walk. He also canters a nice diagonal facing square (the horse, that is!). There's a name for that in dressage."

"The weather here is pretty hard to take, in that we still haven't any snow (Nov.28) and I believe there were three days of rain this summer. There are plenty of hills right here for riding just out my back yard. I traded my eighty acres in Magrath for three acres here with a few fruit trees. Feeding hay and mucking out corrals is not fun though."

"Next year I will be training another three year old for my brother so will have to sell either Crescent or Pal. (See my classified ad.)"

"I am just over the mountain from Joyce Patterson and Erika Peters so there are getting to be a few of us now in the Okanagan, Similkameen. We'll have to get a ride going next spring!"

ERIKA PETERS, KEREMEOS, sent this

greeting, "I would like to wish you all a safe and happy '94. Keep up the good work. Please send a subscription with our good wishes to our friends, the Watkins of Republic, Washington, who are raising Missouri Fox Trotters and Tennessee Walkers."

From ANDY & JUNE ANDERSON, QUESNEL, "Find enclosed our renewal for WHN. We appreciate all the hard work that goes into putting together a very interesting magazine. We especially enjoy all the articles about good using Walking Horses."

"We do not show very much; our horses are used for every type of work that we need to do. We drive them, use them as cow horses, and may I say, do a very good job of it too. We use our horses to pack out moose and other game from the back country. Then they are hooked to a rubber tired wagon to pull our camping equipment and game back to where we left the trucks, usually anywhere from 14 to 20 miles. We ride them over very rough country and find that they can go all day. Our Walkers are working horses and we like the job they do. We find them very willing and not hard to adjust to any new chore that we have for them to do."

"I wish to stress that Walkers are not just show horses. Ours would show well in the show ring - they have good conformation. But our desire is to show them as working horses. We like what we can do with them and they do it willingly. They can take any kind of weather and stay in good shape and sound. I'd like to see more articles on using Walkers."

HANS BURCH, TEEPEE HEART RANCH, BIG CREEK, writes, "Freckles (Keen's Blue Shadow) is doing okay. We used her in the trail string for one season and now she is retired to the brood mare band. This spring she had an excellent blue roan filly by Tsuniah's Tripple Reward. However, the filly was diagnosed to have Idiopathic Laryngeal Hemiplegia so I had to put her down. What a shame! Freckles' black filly, Rockette's Blue Shadow, is turning two this spring and I hope to

have enough time to start her. She is well gaited with good bone and withers."

"Star (Uphill North Star) has developed into a good looking stallion, standing 15 hands and at present a bit overweight! His first offspring were born last spring, to two of my mares and two outside grade mares. The results were two buckskin colts, one sorrel filly with light flaxen mane & tail and a dark chestnut colt with flaxen mane/tail. Star did all the breeding this year except for two "try out" mares for my two year old stallion, Duchess' Royal Topper (Sunday's Topper x My Duchess Delight). (Picture in May/June '93, page 30) I did not preg test the mares but from what I see so far there will be eight foals in spring."

"The loss of My Duchess Delight was a tragedy. But thanks to my faithful friends, Walt & Elsie Mychaluck and Art Warner, and goat's milk, little "H.B." survived and looks like a super stallion prospect."

"I was interested in the article on equine dentistry in the last WHN. I have done most of the tooth floating on my horses in the past again because of the terrible cost of getting a vet out here, leave alone there being 40 to 50 horses to do. I've ended up buying \$400 worth of dentistry tools. It would be interesting to know more and I'd be thrilled to take a course either in Nebraska or here in Canada."

"Would you please send complimentary issues to some new TWH owners? Mike Bunyan of Big Creek is the new owner of Bee Honor Sunny Dream and Linda and Carson Smith of Hanceville are the new owners of a two year old gelding by Go Shadow Go Son out of a non registered mare by Colonel Amble Man #621652, whose sire was Black Watch #600116. (I've often wondered if this Black Watch stallion was the foundation sire for Black Watch Farms.) The best of luck to these newcomers to the wonderful world of the Tennessee Walking Horse."

"I wish you all a happy, healthy and successful 1994."

DEBBIE SMITH, TOWER RIDGE FARM, MAPLE RIDGE, writes, "Well, 1993 is behind us. Now we all have a fresh new

start for 1994. Dave and I have cut down on our herd considerably, from 16 head to only four in the barn for the winter. Don't know what to do with the extra time. I guess it's nice to have a spotless barn and house...?"

"Both our stallions have found new homes in the States. Pride's Pale Image was bought by a lovely Appaloosa breeder. Dawn Slater needed a change and this unique coloured stallion really caught her eye and was a must to own. They make a winning combination. Tom Cat Cruise, our tri-coloured spotted Walker has returned to the States after leaving California to make a new home in Canada. Tom sure knows how to travel! He has settled down in his new home and has had about 14 girlfriends since spring. He'll be a very proud daddy this year."

"Threat's Tinman, a very nice gelding by the great Canadian Threat, has found a new owner. Kevin Coburn is enjoying his new friend and they are spending endless hours enjoying the beautiful trails in Maple Ridge."

"Michelle Moore-Chamberlain has finally made the big step to purchase her first purebred Walker. Lyndy K has proven to be every bit as good as the Appaloosas she had for years. Michelle and Lyndy K. do most of their riding on the snow covered trails of Kelowna. Both Lyndy and Tinman did great at our Fall Festival and I am pleased that these special horses got wonderful new owners. Good luck."

"Both our pinto spotted Walkers are getting big. Both will be two years old this year. The stud colt will be broke in the spring and the little girl will be left until fall. We hope to get to some of the Pinto shows in our area this year to "Strut our Stuff"! We're expecting two foals in April, both from big black mares. We're really excited about both these breedings; the combinations are really different. Should be getting some big colourful headshaking babies!"

"Until next time, Marj & Jo, keep up the good work. I know it's hard, and sometimes nobody says "Thanks" - but I do! From Debbie Smith and her Spotted Ponies."

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From the West Coast Tennessee Walker Club December 10 Memo:

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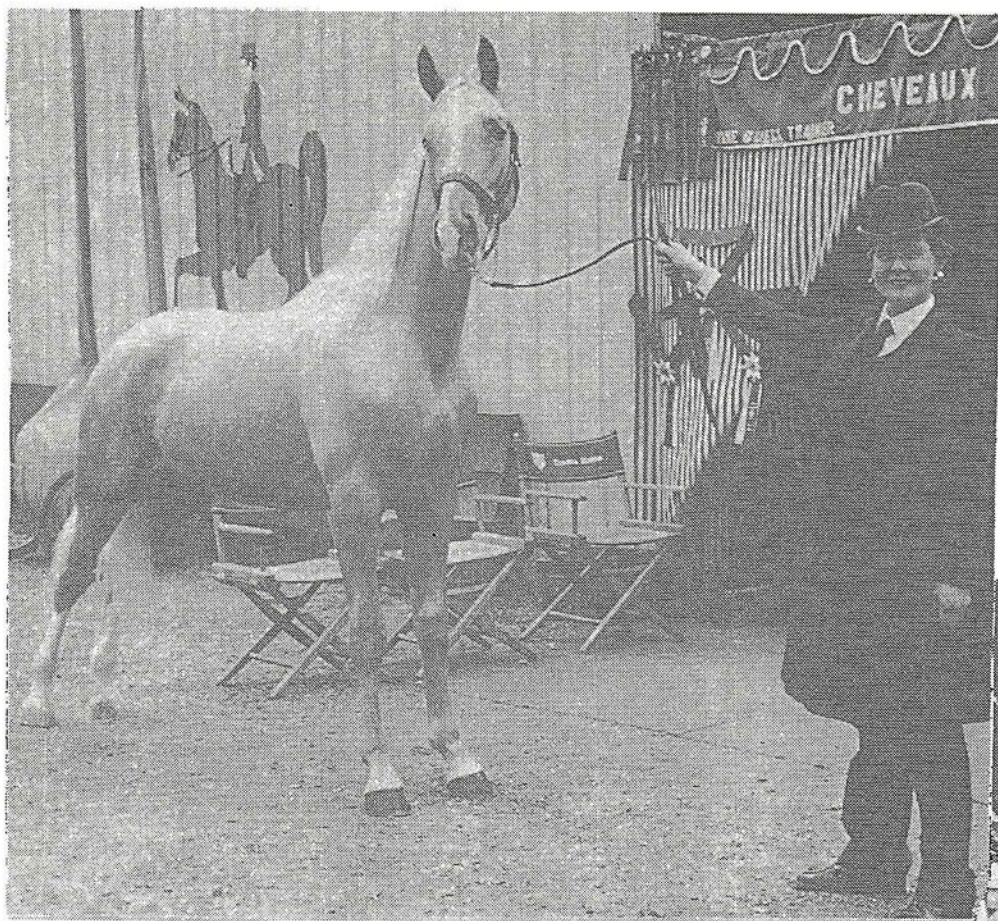
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M & M WALKERS

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GOLDUST'S MONTANA DRIFTER

Soon To Be Standing At Stud



Pictured at 16 months with trainer Diane Gueck at the WIWHF-Washington

Drifter is blood-typed and is nominated to the WIWHF. Golden Palomino with 2 hind socks, narrow blaze, white mane & tail. BLOOD LINES & COLOR AT ITS' BEST! Drifter is good-sized already.

1992 @ 2-Months - Drifter won Weanling Grand Champion at the Little Celebration.

1993 -He was in the Top Ten Yearling Class @ WIWHF. Trainer-Diane Gueck.

Drifter will stand at public stud in the near future.

M & M WALKERS has a few horses for sale:

*3-1/2 yr. old, bay filly with 1-sock. Smaller. Green broke. Likes to go!

*2-1/2 yr. old, bay gelding with 3-socks, star, and snip. Ready to start.

*8-month old stud prospect (F-88 Montana Cash).

Black with 4 socks & narrow blaze. Beautiful!

Also, foals from Trace The Rise N Sun (See his ad)

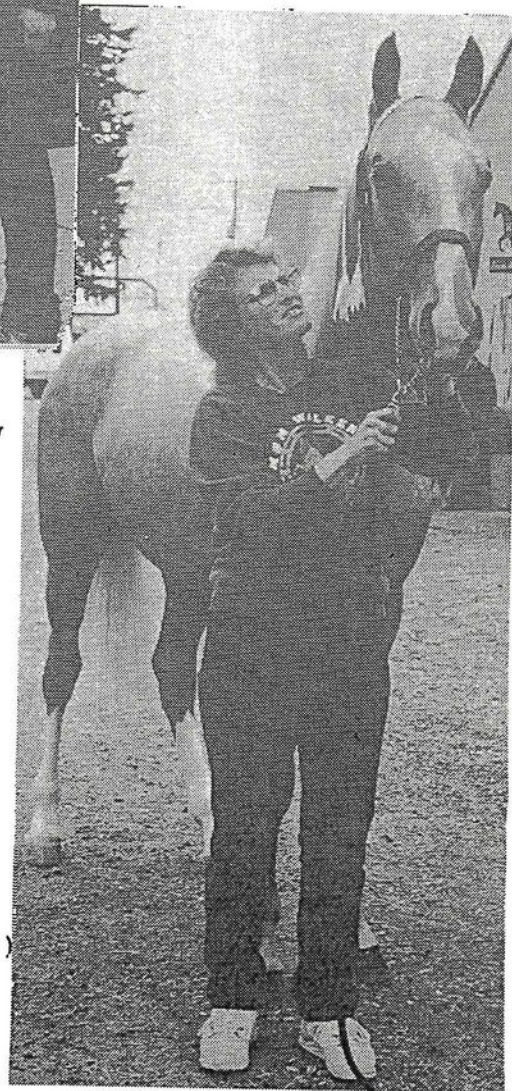
For information, call or write:

Marsha L. Wickman

13 Speer Court

Conrad, Montana 59425

Phone:(406)278-7822



Drifter & his Owner

ALBERTA NEWS

Our best wishes to MARY REMPEL and DR. ALAN KRUGER on their marriage January 24. May you have a long, happy and healthy life together. (When do you plan on getting Al converted to Walkers, Mary?) Good luck as well with your new business, Bon Accord Veterinary Services.

From DAWN SIGURDSON, BLACKFALDS, "It seems this year went too fast. With all the rain in July our horses got out of shape but we put in as much riding as possible in the fall."

"Chelsah and Daylan are in the Blindman 4-H horse club. Daylan is riding Friday's Joint Ventur and Chelsah is on Dust's Shadow. Our new "little" club has about 23 members - yet my children ride the only two Walking Horses."

JACK & MARGARET GURNETT of BLUFFTON stopped in here at Edson for a short visit just before Christmas. Jack is making a good recovery after emergency surgery in the fall. Best wishes to you, Jack, for your improving health and strength.

Jack & Margaret's daughter, Joanne Stern of Edson, was telling us about a freak accident that happened to one of their horses last season out in the mountains. Northfork Black Beau cut a tendon sheath as he crossed a creek and they had to do some "camp stitching" on him until they could get him home and to the vet. His leg was put in a cast to allow the tendon time to heal. Apparently it is coming along quite well now. Good luck with it.

From PEARL DAY, ATHABASCA, "I didn't breed Redwing (Beauty's Sage King x Midnite June Allen) this year. I may in '94. I really like pintos so may try for that. I have a partbred Walker that looks quite a bit like Redwing. I bred her to a friend's strawberry roan stallion that came from the Youngs at Lac La Biche. So we should have a nice baby come spring."

ARIANNE BAKER, MISTY RIVER RANCHES, MEDICINE HAT, writes, "It's been quite a year. Even with all the lousy weather 51

jobs came off the list. Only 22 more to go! The place is starting to take shape. Everything got a coat of paint; it only took 15 days and nights of painting in October. People who saw the place in April didn't recognize it in August and would be totally lost now! There is actually some semblance of organization taking place. It's unfortunate that the last 22 jobs are all major too."

"We are really pleased with our two new mares. Both Eagle's Vicktory and Ms Flying Allen are natural cattle horses. Ms is a great ambassador for the breed and every time a newcomer rides her they are converted to Walking Horses. It doesn't hurt having the bloodlines either. We finally have our Midnight Sun and Tracy's Midnight granddaughters."

"We certainly have had a lot of visitors and we really appreciate all of the new friends that we've made. By the way, just to clear up one thing - F-88's Merry Minstrel (Mike) is not the same horse as the stallion that Lexie had that was trained and shown in Alberta. That was F-88's Masterpiece who was a lot smaller than Mike."

"Hoping everyone had a great Christmas and all the best for '94."

E.L. (TED) FINDLAY, VULCAN, writes, "I have been talking to a few people with Tennessee Walkers and they have just about convinced me that this is the breed suited to my uses. Your magazine looks like a good way to get acquainted with Walkers so I would like to subscribe. I am particularly interested in locating good using horses (not interested in shows or show horses) and what the going rate is. Thanks for your help."

"My name is LYNDA FOX (used to be McNabb) and I now live at THORSBY. I'd let my subscription to Walking Horse News lapse for many years. Then I read the complimentary Nov/Dec issue sent to a friend of mine. (I'd recommended the WHN as a way for him to sell his TWH and the results were good. He sold his horse in a very short time.)"

"When I read the complimentary magazine, the article by Louise Waring of Limoges and her photo of a trail ride

caught my eye. In that photo was a horse I thought I recognized and in the article the name "Sage" and "Mr. Showbiz" plus the age of the horse, 19 years, made me think twice. I contacted WHN for Louise's address and phone number (Thanks, Jo) and when I phoned her, sure enough, the horse she'd been talking about in the article was my old Sage. I sold him about 12 or 13 years ago and I loved him with all my heart."

"I talked with Louise and she confirmed that Sage was well loved and had a very happy home. I can't tell you how happy that has made me. I couldn't have asked for a better Christmas present. This is the second time that I have been able to follow up on horses that were very special to me that I have sold. Misty's Chico Ray, a horse I sold many, many years ago that I also found through WHN, is doing fine too. So "Thank you" to WHN for publishing news from TWH owners across the country."

J.R. (BUCKY) SPROWL of KINUSO sent in a complimentary subscription for COLLIN SHELDON, KINUSO. He says, "Collin is 16 years old and is presently riding a Quarter Horse, but he is interested in the smooth gait."

MARIANNE WRAY, SUNDRE, writes, "I just received some pictures from Jack Gurnett that brought back some happy memories of summer, 1992. I was not fortunate enough to win the "Wilderness Vacation" that year at the Festival of the Gaits, but I decided that the trip was well worth the fee. I spent a most enjoyable four days in the mountains with the Chimney Creek bunch and the Rempel girls who had won the draw. You should go if you get the chance - plenty of scenic rides and great food!"

"We had several people very interested in our buckskin stallion, Silver, (McLaren's Robert) but in the end he is staying here. It's just been too easy having our own stallion and we didn't relish the thought of trailering mares hither and yon. We have sold all our trained mares and have only two broodmares left."

"I was looking forward to a full

summer of trail riding on "Bear", my palomino gelding, but unfortunately I damaged my knee quite badly the first week of holidays so ... I spent the rest of the summer in a recliner or on crutches. Bear looked longingly over the fence and I felt terrible that I couldn't take him out."

"Happy New Year!"



Riding with Chimney Creek Outfitters: L-R Jack Gurnett, Diane Rempel, Mary Rempel, Maryanne Wray.

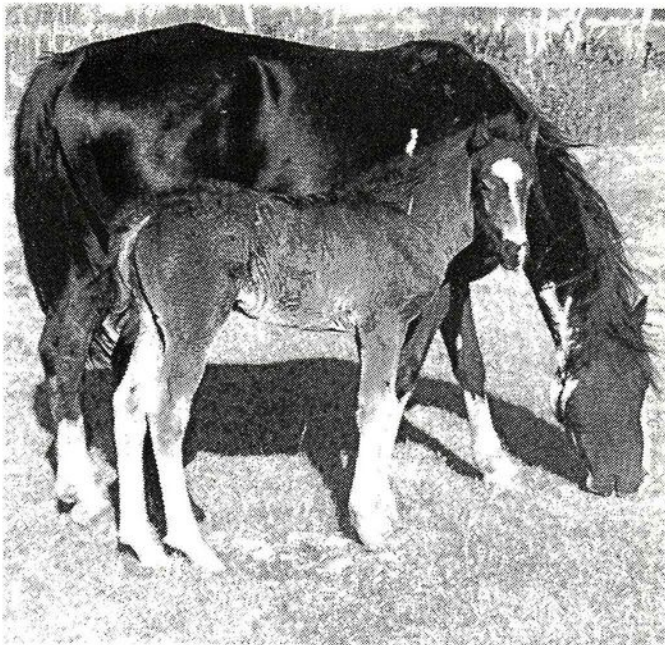
GEORGE & HEATHER SHARPE at MUNSON sent along some notes with their subscription renewal. Their stallion, Chapie's Topper, entertained six mares last spring and they had two stud colts by Topper, one out of Sunday Breeze and the other from Midnight Kizzy.

GRANT KIHN, SLAVE LAKE, wrote after seeing my news in the last issue about Uphill Firefly (He'za Walker x Lady's Merry Mist). Grant bought her as a 5 month old and then sold her back to me as a nine year old. He says, "I'm glad to hear Firefly is working out for you. She always was a very willing and easy going horse."

"I have a grandson of Firefly's, Kihn's Ace (Sundance Lad x Kihn's Kalamazoo) who was two last spring. He looks and goes real good. I stood him to a couple of grade mares and one TWH mare last spring and am anxious to see what he sires. If they are anything like him I

think both the mare owners and I will be extremely happy."

"I was sure sorry and surprised to hear of Russ Davies' passing. He knew Walkers like few others I've met in the past 25 odd years, and a heck of a friendly person as well."



1993 FOAL: Stormy's Rain Shaker produced a healthy foal just a month after being blown $\frac{1}{2}$ mile down the road in the destructive tornado that hit Holden last summer. Sire is Ring Side Gossip.

GLEN & SHEILA REUM, RYLEY, write, "Thanks to all the owners who bred their mares to our stallions last year."

"We have sold another spotted TWH to the United States, a stud colt this time. His new home will be in Minot, North Dakota, where he will be a future show and stallion prospect."

"Enclosed are some foal pictures from last year. The mare, Stormy's Rain Shaker, and her colt (nicknamed Tornado) are the ones that survived the tornado that hit Holden last summer."

JEAN REMPEL, WINFIELD, phoned and was telling me about one of the PMU farms near her place that is using two TWH stallions on their mares. There should be quite a few grade Walkers turning up at the fall colt sales for those who might want to try out a part Walker.

Also, Jean had heard of two TWH that were sold through the Drayton Valley Auction Mart in January. Auctions are usually poor places to sell a Walker. I wish people would keep in touch with us even if for no other reason than to sell their horses to better advantage (theirs and the horse's!) if the time comes when they have to sell.

RANDY JOHNSON, SHERWOOD PARK, writes, "We have had a good year in 1993, with breeding, selling foals, and even back into some showing at the Canadian Futurity."

"Coin's Gingerbread Boy (Coin Machine x Hallelujah's Ginger) was sold to Oregon, and we brought back a young mare as replacement for Blalocks Sumpter Lady, as she is 19 this year. Evening Blessing, by Prides Genius out of a Midnight Successor C. mare, is the same color as Blalock (chestnut, with mixed mane & tail), but Blessing, at two years old, is almost 16 hands. (I hope she stops growing any time soon.)"

"All mares bred here last year are in foal, and we are looking forward to our babies, as well as hearing about outside mares which were bred here. So if the breeding season is busy again, I had better have my letters and ads made up in January."

A tragic postscript to the October story about Ebony Walking Eagle came from JOYCE MOEN, AIRDRIE, "I am afraid that I am writing with very sad news. Eagle is dead. On December 6th, early in the morning, he was apparently attacked by a dog or dogs and bolted through a fence and down a well. He plunged head first into the well and broke his neck, which killed him instantly. He had bites on one hind leg. We are very upset about this incident - a totally unreasonable way for a wonderful friend to die."

MARY HENDERSON, TEES, writes, "I have sold two American Walking Ponies, a filly and a gelding. We also sold the two year old TWH filly, MacKay's Kimber."

DEBBIE WIART, THORSBY, "I'm sorry to say that our mare that was artificially

inseminated didn't catch. We were a day late and she was feeding a foal."

"I was at the Futurity this year and it was a lot of fun. I didn't place but it sure was a big class - 19 of us! I got my evaluation sheet and it was pretty good for two "first timers". Can't wait for next year!"

"The only thing I am not sure about is the dress code. There were people dressed English with the horse in Western tack, and vice versa. Maybe it doesn't matter since the horse is being judged, not the person? Anyway, it was a lot of fun and I met a lot of people."

T.R.A.C.

COMPETITIVE TRAIL RIDES in ALBERTA

1994 Tentative Date/Place Schedule

MAY 27-29

..... L & R Classic, Tees, AB.
> will include a Ride 'N Tie Race. If you're interested, please contact Linda Riley, 885-2333.

JUNE 17-19

..... Athabasca, AB.

JULY 8-10

..... Dawson Creek, (B.C.)

JULY 15-17

..... Pincher Creek, AB.

JULY 29-AUG 1

..... Calgary, AB.
This is a Two-Day Ride

AUGUST 12-14

..... Drayton Valley, AB.

AUGUST 19-21

..... Sundre, AB.

SEPTEMBER 2-5

..... Grande Prairie, AB.
This is a Two-Day Ride

SEPTEMBER 23-25

..... Coutts, AB.

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- * *To produce a colt that will WIN?*
- * *Extra beauty & style?*
- * *A colt that can really walk?*
- * *A foal easy to work with, with an outstanding temperament?*
- * *To compliment your mare with a new bloodline?*
- * *To check out our Breeder's Incentive Program or discount by booking before March 15th?*

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"The Canadian" 1993

The eleventh Tennessee Walking Horse Futurity was held at The Westerner in Red Deer on Sunday, September 25, 1993. There were 20 Stallions nominated, and 40 mares nominated resulting in 40 Weanling entries. The total Futurity entries were 79 horses. The judge was Marilyn Orr of Murfreesboro Tennessee.

The total prize pool was \$3281.84. The prize monies were paid as follows. (In all divisions the prize money was determined by the total pool in that division, pro-rated by the number of entries in each division - filly, colt, gelding)

WEANLING FILLY \$665.21 27 entries

First \$266.08
 Second \$199.56
 Third \$133.00
 Fourth \$66.52

WEANLING COLT \$320.29 13 entries

First \$128.12
 Second \$96.09
 Third \$64.06
 Fourth \$32.03

YEARLING FILLY \$574.15 8 entries

First \$230.06
 Second \$172.25
 Third \$114.84
 Fourth \$57.42

YEARLING GELDING \$294.63 6 entries

First \$117.85
 Second \$88.39
 Third \$58.92
 Fourth \$29.46

YEARLING COLT \$245.53 5 entries

First \$98.21
 Second \$73.66
 Third \$49.10
 Fourth \$24.55

TWO YEAR OLD FILLY \$313.74 5 entries

First \$125.60
 Second \$94.10
 Third \$62.76
 Fourth \$31.38

TWO YEAR OLD GELDING \$250.99 4 entries

First \$100.40
 Second \$75.30
 Third \$50.20
 Fourth \$25.10

TWO GAIT PERFORMANCE \$492.00 7 entries

First \$196.80
 Second \$147.50
 Third \$98.40
 Fourth \$49.20

THREE GAIT PERFORMANCE \$307.01 3 entries

First \$133.03
 Second \$102.33
 Third \$71.63

The following is carry over money (from stallion nominations and unpaid prize money) to be used in the following ways:

from 1993 to 1994 Yearling	\$150.50
from 1993 to 1995 Two Year Old	\$150.50
from 1993 to 1996 Two Gait	\$150.50
from 1993 to 1997 Three Gait	\$150.50
from 1992 to 1994 Two Year Olds	\$153.00
from 1992 to 1995 Two Gait	\$153.00
from 1992 to 1996 Three Gait	\$153.00
from 1991 to 1994 2 gait	\$142.00
from 1991 to 1994 3 gait	\$142.00
from 1990 to 1994 Three Gait	\$140.00

Not given out in 1993:

Two Year Old Gelding	\$ 25.10 (2 Gait)
Yearling Colt	\$ 24.55 (2 Year old)

TOTAL CARRY OVER \$1504.41

* 1993 extra funds \$100 to be used for discretion (determined from lapsed entry fees)



A belated "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" to PEARL TOMPKINS in Montana, whose birthday was January 13. For those who want to send their personal regards, Pearl's new address is St. Joseph's Center, Room 208, 9 - 4th Ave. W., POLSON, MT 59860 U.S.A.

1993 C.T.W.FUTURITY RESULTS IN FULL

TWO GAIT PERFORMANCE

Trophy courtesy of Louise and Ralph McLaren
(7 Entered, 4 Shown)

OWNER/BREEDER : EXHIBITOR

FIRST:

G2's Ebby's Master J.Glenn Robinson : Grethe Broholm
by Midnight Toddy out of Eb's Jet Stream

SECOND:

Toddy's Dusty Carbon Norman Thachuk : S.Thachuk
by Midnight Toddy out of Angel's Alberta Rose

THIRD:

Shaker's Silene-R Westridge Farms : M.Henderson
by Shaker's Royal Heir out of Macs Sunday Teardrop

FOURTH:

Calta Commander Calta Stables : Hilton Hack
by Calta Caligula out of Contender's Lady

THREE GAIT PERFORMANCE

Trophy courtesy of The Little Family
(3 Entered, 3 Shown)

FIRST:

Dee Jay's Miss Showtime L. G. Goin : Leah Goin
by Beauty's Trails End out of Miss Stroll-O-Way

SECOND:

Shadow's Juncus-G Westridge Farms : Carol Hall
by Go Shadow Go out of Shadows Flower Child

THIRD:

Shaker's Senica-R Westridge Farms : M.Henderson
by Shaker's Royal Heir out of Whispering Chella

WEANLING FILLY

Trophy courtesy of D-Joint Ranch
(27 Entered, 19 Shown)

FIRST:

Coin's Main Copy Mona McMillan : M. McMillan
by Coin Machine out of Copy's Super Dame

SECOND:

Generator's Electra C & J Kobza : John Kobza
by Generator's Diamond out of Chinook's Blue Beauty

THIRD:

Memorys Spark of Genius C & A Varjas : C.Varjas
by Create a Memory out of Ebony's Miss Lark

FOURTH:

Reigning Memphis Queen Mrs.Alice Green : R.Hemmett
by Tramp's T-Bone Walker out of Another Angel

FIFTH:

Angel's Dawn Glider Norman Thachuk : S.Thachuk
by Midnight Toddy out of Angel's Alberta Rose

SIXTH:

Toddy's Aurora C & J Kobza : C. Kobza
by Midnight Toddy out of Thing's Diamond Lil

WEANLING COLT

Trophy courtesy of Jordan Valley Farms
(13 Entered, 8 Shown)

OWNER/BREEDER : EXHIBITOR

FIRST:

Walkaway Diamond Ron Bannister : R. Bannister
by Royal Dictator out of Chapie's Bay Doll

SECOND:

Jus' Touch My Shadow Jus' Fine TWH : R. Johnson
by My Touch of Pride out of Lady Bonnie Shadow's

THIRD:

Treaty's Midnight Blazer Norman Thachuk : S. Thachuk
by Midnight Toddy out of Threat's Night Hawk

FOURTH:

Coin's Gingerbread Boy Jus' Fine TWH : R. Johnson
by Coin Machine out of Hallelujah's Ginger

FIFTH:

Unnamed Ed Hamel : E. Hamel
by My Touch of Pride out of Black Jem Star

SIXTH:

Unnamed R. Jordan : R. Jordan
by Answer to Prayer out of Dixie's Guenevere

YEARLING FILLY

Trophy courtesy of Cole Farms
(8 Entered, 6 Shown)

FIRST:

"Beta Than My PAPP" Monty Gwynne : Monty Gwynne
by Ebony's Beta Max out of Proof Gold Coin

SECOND:

Jo's Opel R.M. Jordan : R. Jordan
by Answer to Prayer out of Happy Jo Girl

THIRD:

Victrys Shadow Lexis SL P & S Pritchard : P.Pritchard
by Calta Midnight Victry out of Shadows Lucky Lady

FOURTH:

Generators Fairy Tale L & G Goin : Leah Goin
by Generator's Terminator out of Little Breeze

FIFTH:

Crown's Sable Walker SL P & S Pritchard : R.Hemmett
by Go Boys Crown Royal out of Sheba Walker II

SIXTH:

Pride's Delta Gem L & G Goin/W.Scott : Lyla Goin
by My Touch of Pride out of Black Gemstar

YEARLING GELDING

Trophy courtesy of Karen and Roland van Loo, and Andrea Thornber.

(7 Entered, 6 Shown)

FIRST:

Jus'Touch A Walkin'Man Westridge Farms : M.Henderson
/Jus' Fine TWH
by My Touch of Pride out of Blalocks Sumter Lady

OWNER/BREEDER : EXHIBITOR

SECOND:

Johnny Reb L & G Goin : Lyla Goin
by Answer to Prayer out of Thunder's Gingersnap

THIRD:

Answer's Moon Spinner R.M. Jordan : R. Jordan
by Answer to Prayer out of Quite Sensational

FOURTH:

Jus' Touch 'N Go Jus' Fine TWH : R. Johnson
by My Touch of Pride out of Lady Bonnie Shadows

FIFTH:

Double Image L & G Goin : Gary Goin
by Answer to Prayer out of Northfork Doublestar

SIXTH:

Mr. Blaze of Glory S & H von Lipa : H.von Lipa
by Mr. Skip Joey out of Glory's Gold Chiffon

YEARLING COLT

Colt Trophy courtesy of Leo Brilz
(4 Entered, 3 Shown)

FIRST:

Jus' Touch Masterpiece Jus' Fine TWH : R. Johnson
by My Touch of Pride out of Lynda Gayle

SECOND:

Toddy's Adonis Christine Kobza : C. Kobza
by Midnight Toddy out of Thing's Diamond Lil

THIRD:

Walkaway Hot Toddy Ron Bannister : R. Bannister
by Midnight Toddy out of Chapie's Sassy Doll

TWO YEAR OLD FILLY

Trophy courtesy of Jack Strachan, Heather and George Sharpe
(5 Entered, 5 Shown)

FIRST:

Shaker's Liatrix-R Westridge Farms : M.Henderson
by Shaker's Royal Heir out of Whispering Chella

SECOND:

Golden Dream Sheila Haines/Maryanne Wray : S.Haines
by Kary's Jeepers out of Summertime Blonde

THIRD:

Calta Nutmeg Calta Stables : Hilton Hack
by Calta Caligula out of Cinnamon Sunday

FOURTH:

Sundust Success L & N Levangie/ : N.Levangie
D & J McDonald
by Dressed for Success out of Barker's Merry Miss

FIFTH:

Misstery Girl WGL S.& H. von Lipa : H.von Lipa
by Mr. Skip Joey out of Glory's Gold Chiffon

TWO YEAR OLD GELDING

Trophy courtesy Chevron Oil Employee Involvement Program
(4 Entered, 3 Shown)

OWNER/BREEDER : EXHIBITOR

FIRST:

G'2's Ebby's Rainy J. Glenn Robinson : G.Broholm
by Midnight Toddy out of Eb's Jet Stream

SECOND:

Bopper's Classic Echo L. and G. Goin : Gary Goin
by Dee-J's Bee Bopper out of Little Breeze

THIRD:

Mr.Skips Apatchie-WGL S & H von Lipa : H.von Lipa
by Mr. Skip Joey out of Threat's April Nikko

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MARE WHOSE PROGENY ACCUMULATE THE MOST POINTS

Gold Coin Proof

Owner: Monty Gwynne

Trophy courtesy of Diane Sept

STALLION WHOSE PROGENY ACCUMULATE THE MOST POINTS

Midnight Toddy

Owner: Viggo Sorenson

Trophy courtesy of Westridge Farms

JACK STRACHAN MEMORIAL TROPHY

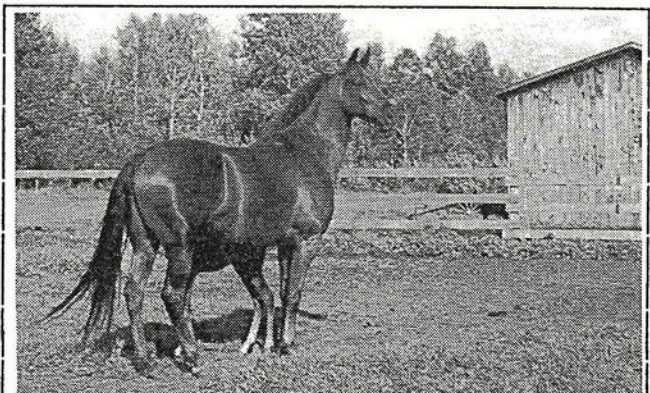
Golden Dream

Owner: Sheila Haines

Breeder: Mary Ann Wray

Trophy courtesy of Heather and George Sharpe

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APRIL 23, 1994

AT 10 A.M.

**Strathcona Olympiad Centre (Fultondale Arena)
SHERWOOD PARK, ALBERTA**

*Guest Speaker:
Bob Coleman, Horse Industry Branch
"Breeding Decisions"*

*Breeders' Display of Stallions at Stud
by Video and by Photograph*

cash lunch will be available

Directions
From the intersection of Highways #21 & #14 southeast
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then 2 miles East and 1/2 mile north

For more info: phone (403)931-3838 Secretary



SCHEDULE OF FEES

Effective July 1st, 1993 to June 30th, 1994

Fees are based upon postmark of the application and the membership status of the person making the application.

1. MEMBERSHIP			
a.	Full Membership (Canadian individual, Canadian family, Canadian Corporation, Canadian Partnership) voting, member fee schedule applies.....		\$ 15.00/yr.
b.	Individual Life (Canadian individual) voting, member fee schedule applies.....		125.00
c.	Youth (Canadian individual, under 18 years of age) non-voting, member fee schedule applies.....		10.00/yr
d.	Associate (individuals, organization, groups) non-voting, non-member fee schedule applies.....		5.00/yr
2. REGISTRATION OF HORSES NOT ALREADY REGISTERED WITH TWHBEA			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
a.	Within 6 months of foaling.....	\$ 20.00	\$ 40.00
b.	After 6 but less than 12 months of foaling.....	25.00	60.00
c.	After 12 but less than 24 months of foaling.....	25.00	250.00
d.	*After 24 months of foaling.....	300.00	500.00
	<i>*Subject to approval of Board of Directors - non-refundable fee of \$125.00 if application is rejected.</i>		
	<i>Registration with TWHBEA is not required if sire and/or dam is not registered with CLRC. Just send a photocopy of both sides of the TWHBEA certificate of the sire and/or dam with the application to register the foal.</i>		
3. REGISTRATION OF IMPORTED ANIMALS (also registered with TWHBEA)			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
	Fee until June 30th, 1994.....	\$ 25.00	\$ 70.00
	<i>Applications must be accompanied by a photocopy of both sides of the TWHBEA certificate and a copy of Canada Customs documents stating that GST has been paid at the border.</i>		
4. REGISTRATION OF IMPORTED HORSES OF ANY AGE RESIDING IN CANADA FOR MORE THAN 6 MONTHS OR CANADIAN FOALED HORSES OF ANY AGE.			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
	(must be previously registered with TWHBEA)		
	Fee until June 30th, 1994.....	25.00	Not available
	<i>Applications must be accompanied by a photocopy of both sides of the TWHBEA certificate. If you are not a member, send a membership application and fee with your application to register. This section will be discontinued on June 30th, 1994.</i>		
5. TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
a.	Within 1 month of date of sale.....	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00
b.	After 1, but before 3 months of date of sale.....	20.00	40.00
c.	After 3 months of date of sale.....	50.00	80.00
6. ALTERATION OF CERTIFICATES ISSUED			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
a.	Change of Colour.....	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00
b.	Change of Gender (gelded).....	5.00	5.00
c.	Death of a Registered horse.....	\$5.00 credit	No charge
	<i>Original certificate to be submitted. It will be marked DECEASED and will be returned to registered owner.</i>		
d.	Change of Name.....	\$40.00	75.00
	<i>Provided animal is no more than five (5) years of age and has no registered off-spring and subject to the approval of the Board of Directors and to a non-refund of fees submitted if application is rejected.</i>		
7. OTHER SERVICES			
		Member Fees	Non-Member Fees
a.	Registration of Breeder's Prefix.....	\$ 35.00	\$ 70.00
b.	Registration of Lease.....	10.00	25.00
c.	List of Progeny of Individual Breeding Stock.....	10.00	25.00
d.	Surcharge on incomplete or incorrect applications.....	10.00	25.00
e.	Duplicate Certificates.....	30.00	70.00
	Duplicate certificates shall be issued only on satisfactory proof of loss, and upon application by the registered owner, but the issuing shall be subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.		

All remittances payable to Canadian Livestock Records Corporation:
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Ottawa, Ontario K1V 0M7
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FROM JULY 1st, 1993 TO JUNE 30th, 1994**

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Foals born in Canada will be registered if the application includes any combination of the following:

The CLRC registration number or a photocopy of both sides of the TWHBEA registration certificate of the sire and dam.

The existing age limit of two years will be observed on completely unregistered horses.

Horses over two years old will be by approval of the Board of Directors.

Horses of any age foaled in Canada or imported more than six months ago will be registered if the application includes a photocopy of both sides of their TWHBEA registration certificate.

Horses of any age imported less than six months ago will be registered if the application includes a photocopy of both sides of their TWHBEA registration certificate and a copy of the Canada Customs document showing that GST has been paid at the border.

There will be no change to the requirement for signatures, descriptions, etc.

The above guidelines accompany the Fees Schedule sent out from CLRC. (see opposite page)

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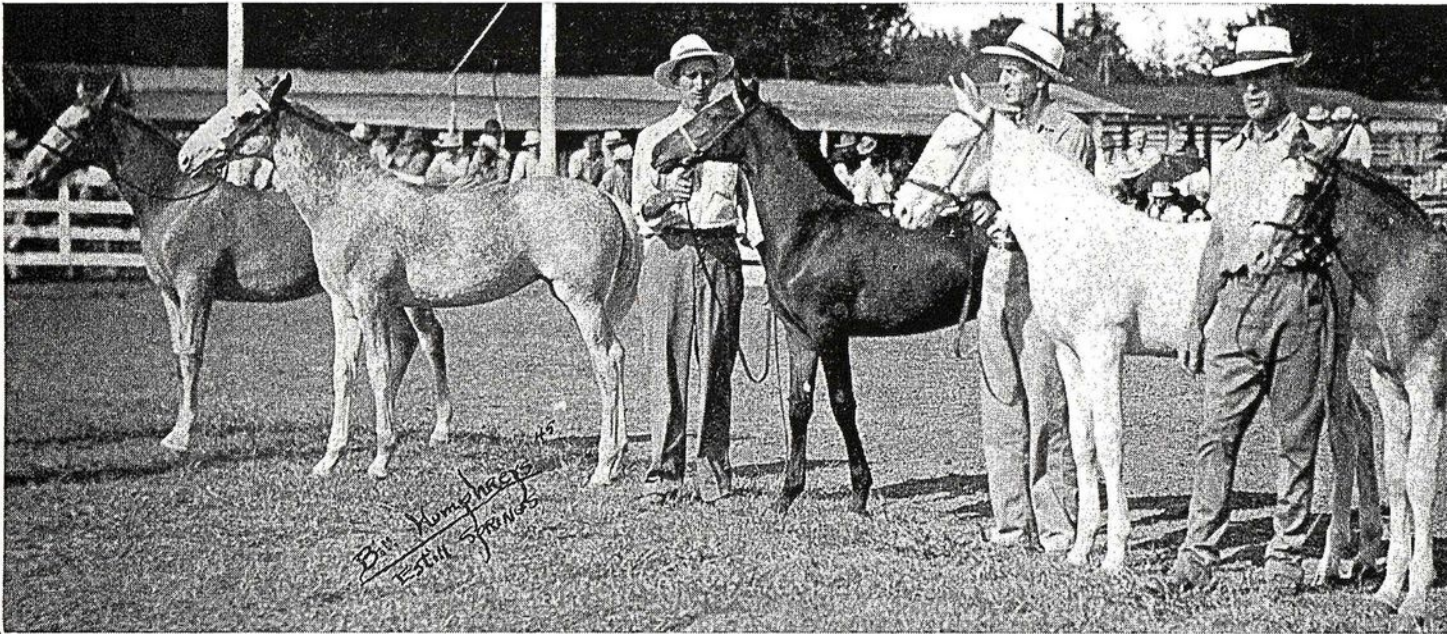
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Talk/Demo: Preparation of Horse ... clinician to be confirmed

Talk/Demo: "Riding in Rhythm with Your Horse" (D.Little)

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Entries required by April 30 ... Please make Cheques payable to AWhA

TWHBEA MEMOS

by Marjorie C. Lacy, Alberta Director

I received this reply from Bob Cherry regarding Canada being considered one region with provinces splitting off as they acquire 25 or more members. You will recall from the TWHBEA Memos in the Nov/Dec issue that this suggestion had been accepted and was to be implemented last August, according to Mr. Cherry's letter of Dec.15/92. On Dec.14/93, however, he wrote,

"With regard to your suggestion that we develop regions (for election purposes) made up only of Canadian provinces, we have decided against that revision at this time. The reason being that Canada is so large - East to West as well as North to South, that it makes more sense to regionalize the western provinces of Canada with the north western states of the U.S. and the eastern provinces with the north eastern states."

What do those of you in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Quebec, the Maritimes and the Territories think? Would you rather be represented by one Canadian director, or are you happy being included with the nearest U.S. states, and other countries?

Also from Mr. Cherry's Dec.14/93 letter: "For your information, blood typing resolutions that were adopted at the May Board meeting were brought to the floor for additional consideration. Recommendations were made and approved for some administrative and legal alterations. However, the resolution that requires parentage verification as a prerequisite to registration (for foals born after September 30, 1993), was not altered in any way."

Finally, in reply to my query as to what happened to the TWHBEA policy, announced a few years back, that "As soon as the computer program is written, we will immediately begin adding the color of the sire and dam to the registration

certificates", Mr. Cherry says,

"... This is the first time I have ever seen this particular memo, and I am told that it has not been sent out of this office in several years. I would suggest if you want to pursue this matter, please make your proposal directly to our new Breeders Committee Vice President, Phil Snodgrass."

Well, TWHBEA members? Is it worth anything to you to have the colour of sire and dam on a horse's registration papers? Let me know if it is, and if so, I'll pursue the issue.

Getting on to some new business, I've had an inquiry about the necessity of having a veterinarian draw the blood for parentage verification blood tests on foals. For some who live in remote areas it is almost impossible to get a vet out to do this. An item in the minutes of the Dec 4/93 TWHBEA Board of Directors meeting seems to address this problem. It states on page 8 of the minutes,

"Upon motion by Mr. Keenan, seconded by Mr Woodlee, ACTION WAS TAKEN, to allow someone other than a vet to draw the blood on foals born after 9/30/93, when the sire and dam's blood type is already on file with the lab."

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PROOF OF PARENTAGE

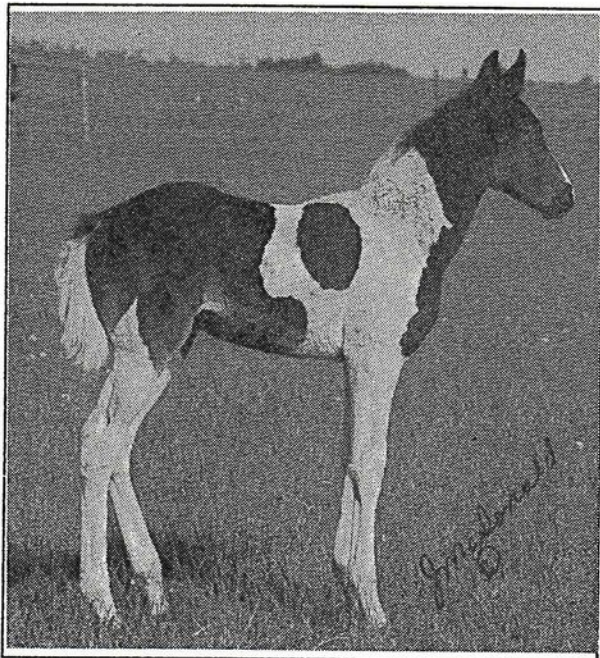
An article in the Nov.'93 *Equus* #193, sent to me by Jayne Walker of Dawson Creek, outlines the new DNA testing for horses that is being developed by Equine Genetics Research Partners (Molecular Tool Inc. and The Jockey Club).

This involves taking a mucous swab and mailing it to the lab for analysis. DNA testing is said to be more accurate, simpler and less expensive than blood typing. Blood breaks down quickly and the Jockey Club spokesman says they have a six percent retest variable on blood samples. DNA, however, is very stable, and they hope to make the new test simple and straightforward enough so owners can collect and send the sample themselves, saving the veterinary fees.

Sounds great. Good luck and hurry on with it! ¶

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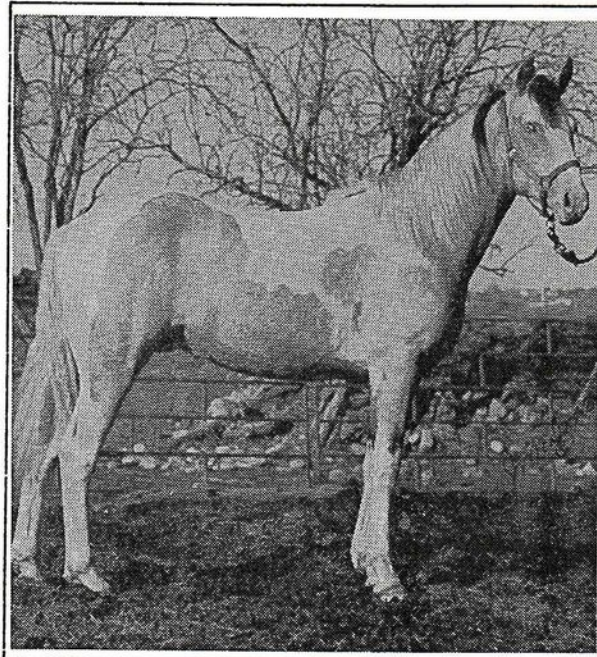
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By Go Boy's Crown Royal

GO BOY'S GAMBLER: Yearling black colt. Big and friendly. Loose mover. Halter broke.

All the above horses have had regular wormings and foot trims. For more information please contact Don or Jo-Anne McDonald, Box 388, Pouce Coupe, B.C. VOC 2C0 (604)782-7962

WALKERS ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

by Franne Brandon

It was one of those rare weekends in the life of a busy secondary teacher. The paperwork load was light and I actually had time to read my newest *Gaitway* issue. Browsing through the classifieds I skimmed over to the section marked "Personally Yours". An ad there attracted my attention: "Friends of Plantation Walking Horses in Germany would like to make contact with Plantation horse people in the U.S."

"How interesting", I thought. "We probably aren't the kind of folks they wish to contact. We are not major breeders, we don't show much, and only trail ride at home. But what if no one else in this whole country writes them! That would be terrible!" I got out my old typewriter and inserted a sheet of paper, wishing I remembered more of my elementary school German. "Dear Herr Holstermann...", I began.

"The answer came several months later, due to some confusion in overseas magazine delivery. Josef Holstermann, a vocational-level teacher living in Bad Zwischenahn, and his wife, Hilke, had first bought a gray Hanoverian gelding. One of the native German warmblood breeds, this individual had proven experience in dressage and jumping. The big beauty had been too highstrung for pleasure trail riding, however, and they began looking for a calmer breed. In this search they learned of the smooth-gaited Tennessee Walkers. These were very rare in North Germany though, and the owners they met were very unsure of what the walk really was and how to train for it. After reading all he could find, Josef flew to the Maryland farm of Andrew Shaw in 1989. There he learned a lot about the breed by asking and riding. He also bought a chestnut roan mare, very flashy but unsettled in her gaits. With patience and lots of flat-walking, Josef developed R-2 D-2 into a calm, true-gaited walking mare, safe enough even for his small children.

As spokesman for the German Friends of the Tennessee Walker, a division of the German Singlefooting Horse Association, Josef often

received calls from people wanting his recommendation for a good prospect. Because none were available, he and a friend, Hermann Mueller, had planned a visit to Middle Tennessee to "look behind the curtain of the Walking Horse industry" and hopefully purchase two or three mares for export. They wanted natural walking, liteshod mares between three and six years old, ideally to foal in the summer of 1992. Geldings would not be considered since the German department of agriculture classed nonbreeding



Hermann with sabino ANGEL LUCY SUE

stock as "sport horses", requiring an import fee of 25 percent of the purchase price. Because another acquaintance had mares lined up for their inspection and purchase, Josef simply wanted to meet us, and in our company visit some breeding farms in the area. Through letters and phone calls, we agreed to meet at the Pleasure Walking Horse Association of Tennessee Spring Sale in Murfreesboro.

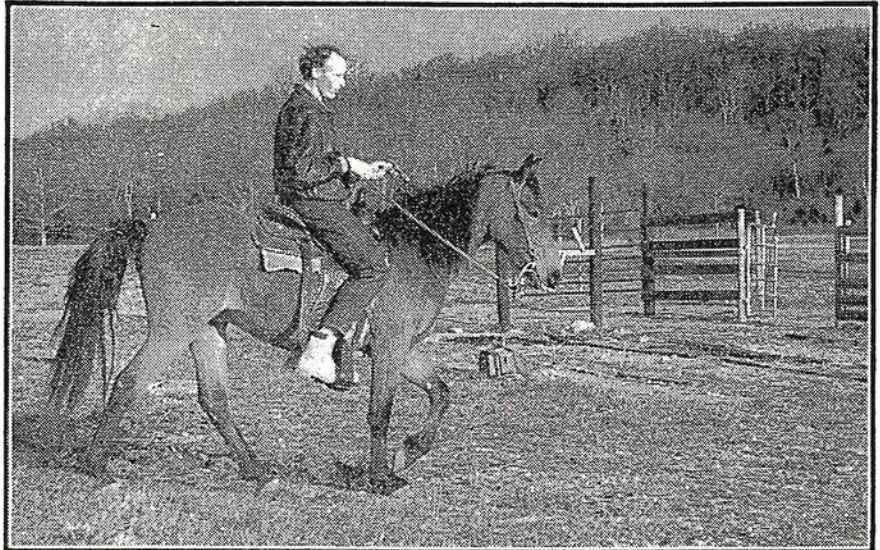
The fourth of April was a bright cool Saturday. We arrived first at the MTSU Livestock arena, purchased a catalog, and waited. In this

interim we met Suzanna Most who invited us to visit the Most Stock Farm with our new friends. After their arrival, Josef and Hermann seemed to enjoy the parade of horses at the sale but Josef expressed dis-appointment that so few of the entries were presented at the running walk. In the heartland of Walking Horse country he had expected Walking horses to walk! We explained that many pleasure riders prefer speed at four beats to the slower running walk, and never train their flatshod walkers to walk. Then we invited them to drive to our farm, where we had a horse that could walk. We caught Spur, our young gelding, only ridden three or four times since the fall. Just started in the canter, the colt showed them all three gaits, then co-operated for a photo session while Josef rode and Hermann handled the camcorder.

As darkness fell, we formulated an agenda of activities for the next few days. We learned that the mares presented by their other connection paced! So instead of just barnstorming, we were hoping to find, in only five days time, good walking mares in foal. Ideally, three, since the air cargo

charge for horses is based on the size of the shipping stall, and is the same for one horse or three!

[Walkers Across the Atlantic will be continued in our next issue. It is reprinted here with the



First ride in Tennessee on a walker: Josef and Spur

permission of the author, Franne Brandon of Pinefolly Farm, Petersburg, Tennessee, and of *Gaitway* magazine, Pat Zeitoun, Administrative Assistant. The article was first published in *Gaitway*, October, 1992.]

HELP US HELP YOU PROMOTE WALKERS!

HELP! We need your help. How?

1. Send in news and photos from your place - new foals, new stock, sales, activities. Ask questions. State your opinion. Let's hear from you!
2. Advertise if you have a horse for sale or at stud, or if you are looking for one. Advertise if you're looking for a special bloodline, size or colour. It lets people know you're still active in the TWH world (and we've sold a lot of TWH too!).
3. Give a WHN subscription to first time TWH buyers. Most people new to the breed appreciate being "welcomed in to the group", so to speak.
4. If someone new to the breed contacts you about Walkers, get their name and mailing address and send it to us so we can send them an invitational copy of WHN.
5. If there is a gathering or activity with Walkers in your area, send us a report on it and photos too if you can. We want to hear from TWH owners right across the country! U

POLOCROSSE

by Dawn Sigurdson

This Sunday we started polocrosse. I'm riding Dust's Shadow, Chelsah is on Ventur and Dixie Verstraete is on a halfbred Walking Horse. The general idea of polocrosse is as follows, though the terminology may not be correct.

The playing field has three parts. The field has two ends and a middle. At both ends are goal poles that the ball must go through for the team to score.

There are two teams of three players. I will call the teams "Team Red" and "Team Blue". Each team has a player called "Number 1", "Number 2" and "Number 3". All Blue and Red team members can play the middle field but no members can enter the field ends except Number 1 and Number 3.

So, the teams line up. The coach flings the ball down the center of the teams and everyone tries to catch it with their polocrosse stick. Only number 1 can score and then only from within their end. If Number 1 gets the ball while in the middle, he must bounce the ball within the end before scoring.

Number 2's job is to cover the middle area. For example, Red Number 2 picks up the ball or takes it away from a blue team member by striking the blue's polocrosse stick. Red Number 2 then passes the ball to another red team member or passes it directly to Red Number 1 so she can score.

Number 3's job is to defend the goal end and prevent the opposite team's Number 1 from scoring. For example, Red Number 3 must try to get the ball away from Blue Number 1 and pass it up the field so the Red team can score.

Now try to appreciate what it's really like for the first time players. Our job is to score by capturing the ball with a polocrosse stick. The stick has a netted end on it. I expected the stick to look something like a long armed tennis racquet with an end complete with butterfly catching net. That would be handy when trying to catch a ball that looks the size of a cannon ball when it is thrown right at you. Instead, you feel like you are holding up a riding crop with a small vegetable strainer tied to it. Keep in mind that the size of the ball is an illusion. It is really the size of a marble when you are trying to pick it up off the ground!

I took my polocrosse stick. I could see that I was going to need much practice. As far as my horse went, I was certain he would get in the

spirit of things quickly. Dust, however, clearly saw that the arena was not the place for him to be and felt that we should get out - now! In fact, he was willing to leave on his own if he had to.

Finally I got close to Chelsah who was looking VERY worried. She said the balls scared Ventur. Well, picture a racquetball court and ten players. The balls are bouncing off the walls and going everywhere. Naturally that arena scene was concerning Ventur and his idea of safety.

Now - Places, Everyone! I can safely speak for all ten riders there. Without a doubt this was the most fun I have ever had on horseback. Everyone has a position to play and rules to follow. But when that little ball was loose in the middle and four or five riders were trying desperately to pick it up, it reminded me of a big pot of soup and everyone with a spoon was after the pea.

This was a good group of people. They passed the ball like in an egg and spoon race to Chelsah so she could participate and when someone caught a long shot, both teams cheered. The two men showing us how to play were patient, enthusiastic and encouraging. The one coach even went so far as to point out the grass stains on his helmet so we would appreciate the rule that all riders wear protective headgear.

This winter we will practice polocrosse in an arena and when spring comes we will move outdoors. Then the field will be large enough to canter in and by that time we hope we can pick up the ball from the ground or catch it while on the move. We will have a new motto. It will go something like this:

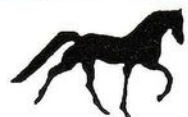
May polocrosse be the game for you.

May your horse be easy to train.

May you catch the ball that's thrown to you -
- and never experience grass stain.



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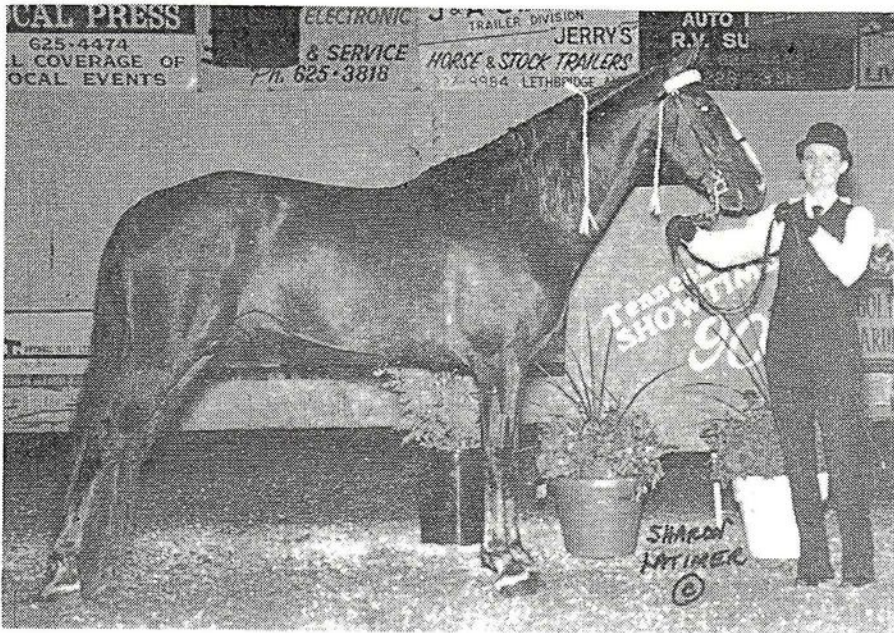
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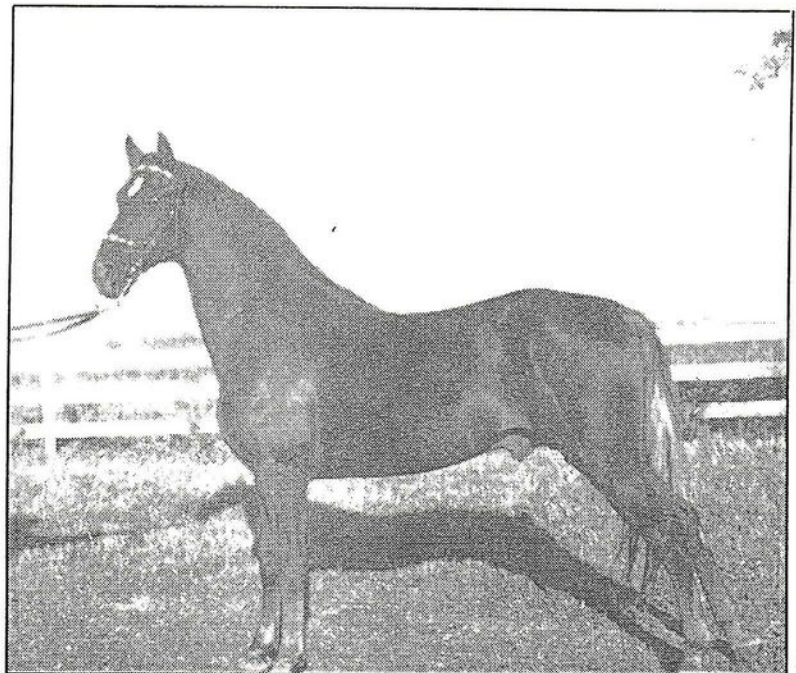
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DUSTY FILES - 15 Years Ago in WHN

Wow! The Jan/Feb '79 editorial hit me between the eyes. It said there that we had just moved out to our farm that month. (We camped in the basement while Chuck worked on finishing the upstairs rooms, I recall.) It seems like no time at all in some ways, yet it's as though we've always lived up here on the hill in others. I still wouldn't want to trade with any one living in the city or town - though lately when I'm plowing through snow past my knees to feed the horses I might weaken just a tad!

The six page newsletter noted Darlene Moore's trip to the States where she took in the Celebration. Nick & Bonnie Brown had just purchased palominos Flash's Dixie and her filly by Sun's Merry Man; a sorrel chestnut, My Merry Bonnie, in foal to Ebony's Reflection; a sorrel filly, Sun's Dakota Skylark, and the great old stallion, Sun's Merry Man, from Calvin Miller's ranch at Rhame, N.D. Myles & Sandy Herman of Ardrossan owned

two TWH, Shadow at Midnight H. and Big Sky Sunspot. Deborah McPhee of Calgary had purchased Black Passion, the 1978 West Coast High Point Halter Mare Champion, in California and was planning to bring her to Calgary in the summer. Guidrys of Pouce Coupe had imported two mares from Kentucky, Pickles at Midnight and Little Nancy Go Go, and sold two year old Spade's Merry Lady to Penny Wilson. Lynda McNabb was purchasing a Walking Pony and Louise Rathburn had sold King's Stormy Mist to Ellwood Smith of Stettler.

Only two "for sale" ads offered a 4 yr old palomino mare in B.C. and two partbred geldings in Saskatchewan.

Ten Years Ago in WHN

Guess who is missing the file for Jan/Feb '84? If you have borrowed my copy, please return it. Or if you just happen to have a copy you'd be willing to share, please let me know.

The Walking Horse News "Once a Decade" TWH Price Survey!

If you have bought or sold a Walker in the past couple of years and would like to help out with this survey, please fill out the form below and send it to me. All information will be confidential. I'll tabulate the information I receive and report back to you in a future issue on average prices and highs and lows out of number received. Send the form anonymously if you like.

YES, I bought/sold a purebred, registered Tennessee Walking Horse in the past 2 years:

CHECK: Stallion Mare Gelding Age

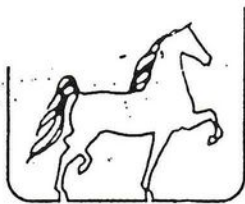
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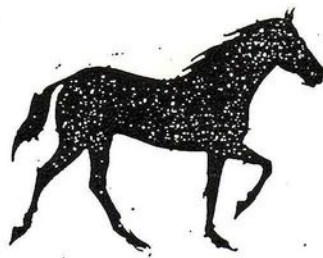
Price \$..... I got / gave my money's worth Yes No

If you've bought or sold more than one, just list the above info on another piece of paper and send to WHN, Box 7326, Edson, Alta T7E 1V5 It should be very interesting if we get enough replies to establish an average.

Once every ten years should show us some interesting trends!



American Saddlebred



MISSOURI FOXTROTTERS



ICELANDIC HORSES

DO YOU KNOW YOUR GAITED HORSES?

by Christine Schwartz

Two-beat, three-beat, four-beat, fifth gait... While it can be hard enough to keep the three gaits of most horses straight, the gaited horses throw in a few extra challenges. Find out how much you really know about gaited horses.

1. What is a gaited horse? A horse with high stepping action and a flashy gait: Go to 7. A horse with a smooth four-beat gait: Go to 4.
2. For a bad back or desire to just have fun and not work so hard riding, a gaited horse is the answer. Why bounce when you can have a smooth ride? Finish up with question 37.
3. No, speed has little to do with smoothness. Some gaited horses will do their gait at the speed of a fast trot or medium canter - all without a bounce. Back to 13.
4. Smooth is the right answer. Ease over to 16.
5. Gaited horses have little to do with status. Many of them are not overly fancy to look at, but furry family friends living in the pasture behind the house. Back to 33, we're almost done.
6. It takes little effort to sit well on a gaited horse, which is why many beginner riders or people with bad backs look very comfortable on a gaited horse. Back to 13.
7. Which of the gaited breeds has the fewest color restrictions? Peruvians: Go to 17. Icelandics: Go to 26. Tennessee Walkers: Go to 35.
8. Sorry, although there are high stepping gaited horses it is the order in which they move the legs that makes a gaited horse, not the height and flashiness. Try again at number 1.
9. You hit the right answer. When "in gait" these horses move in the same footfall as the walk, hind right, front

right, hind left, front left, just faster. One foot always maintains contact with the ground, eliminating the phase where the horse is in the air, changing from one diagonal to the other as they do in the trot. On to 21.

10. While some Fox Trotters or Paso Finos may occasionally throw in a mixture of 5 different gaits (walk, trot, canter, middle gait and pace) they are not supposed to do it. Scramble back to 16.

11. Are gaited horses: Man made, Go to 25. Naturally gaited, Go to 20.

12. Plain and simple, no. You might once in awhile get a gaited offspring, but it is by no means guaranteed and some gaited breeds are against crossing. Back to 21.

13. Why are gaited horses smoother than those that trot? They move slower than trotting horses. Go to 3. Their riders have learned to sit the gaits better. Go to 6. They always maintain contact with the ground. Go to 9.

14. Sorry, no 5 gaits in these breeds. Many Peruvians are forbidden to canter, making them two-gaited. Walkers have a walk, running walk and canter. Try 16 again.

15. Peruvian Paso, Paso Fino, Icelandic Horse, Missouri Fox Trotter, American Saddlebred, Tennessee Walker.

16. Which breeds are claimed to be 5 gaited? Tennessee Walker and Peruvian Pasos. Go to 14. American Saddlebred and Icelandic Horses. Go to 18.

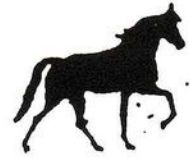
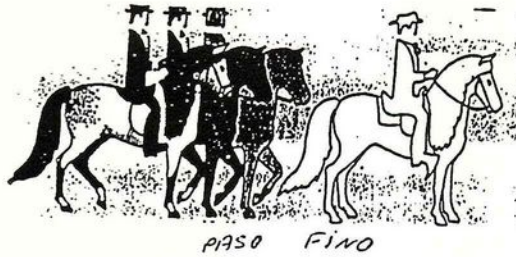
Missouri Fox Trotters and Paso Finos. Go to 10.

17. No, Peruvians have some of the strictest color rules. White on the face and high socks are not liked; it is said to distract from the horse. Give 7 another look.

18. This is the right answer. Both breeds walk, trot and canter. The Saddlebred's other two gaits are the running walk and the rack, both four beat gaits. The Icelandic has a four beat gait called the



Peruvian
Horses



Tennessee Walker

tolt and many of them also show the flying pace. Rack or tolt quickly on to 11.

19. Sorry, wrong guess, Camels pace, cows and cats prefer to trot. Pace back to 23 for another try.

20. Gaited horses do their gaits naturally. Some may need to be taught to do so, but it is virtually impossible to teach a strictly trotting breed an easy four beat gait. 7 is next.

21. When crossing a gaited with a non-gaited breed, do you get a gaited foal? Yes. Go to 36. No. Go to 12. Maybe. Go to 24.

22. Yes, worldwide about 15 to 20 percent of all horses are gaited. It is mostly in North America where we have a number of different gaited breeds, but still many more non-gaited horses. On to 33.

23. Which other animals perform a four beat gait? Camels, cats and cows. Go to 19. Some dogs, zebras and elephants. Go to 29.

24. Maybe so, but you never know and it is always advisable to stay within the breed, rather than to experiment, especially with breeds that have been pure for some time. Straight ahead to 27.

25. Sorry, wrong answer. While in some gaited breeds the action may be man-made, the footfall of the gait is still natural. About 2000 years ago most breeds were gaited but with breeding bigger horses and using them for driving many lost their ability to show a smooth gait. Bounce back to 11.

26. The more colorful the merrier. An old Icelandic saying tells that "a good horse has no color". Pintos are often found and liked as well as all shades of dun, bay, black, palomino and grey. On to 13.

27. Which two breeds are allowed to pace? Peruvian Pasos and Paso Finos. Go to 30. Icelandics and Standardbreds. Go to 32.

28. Add a few. In countries where horses are used all day long to work, riders preferred the smoother horses and encouraged their breeding. Back to 31.

29. Right again. Many dogs, especially the larger breeds prefer a running walk or amble. Zebras are naturally gaited and so are elephants. Could you imagine a two ton elephant pounding down on his diagonal if he was trotting. A running walk is much softer and more efficient for such a large animal. On to 31.

30. While Paso may sound close to pace and many Peruvian's gaits are closer to the pace than a trot, a pure pace is not liked in the breed. Back to 27.

31. How many gaited breeds are there in the world? 30 - 60: Go to 22. 10 - 30: Go to 28. 1 - 10: Go to 34.

32. Standardbreds are paced at the racetrack, pulling a sulky. Icelandics are also raced at the pace, but with a rider on their back. A slow pace is not liked in any breed; the pace is a racing gait. Pace on to 23.

33. So why is it people like the gaited horse? They are fun and comfortable. Go to 2. They are a great status symbol. Go to 5.

34. There are 1 -10 gaited breeds in North America, but many more in the world. China, Mongolia and Russia for example have quite a few small gaited horses. Try again at 31.

35. Not quite wrong, but also not right enough to let you go on. The Tennessee Walking Horse Registry had some typical restrictions, such as discouraging pintos, although a strong trend has developed toward more color. Back to 7 for another try.

36. No, back to 21.

37. Great ride!!! If you didn't get bounced or lost on the trail, the quickest route home took 21 steps. 1. 4. 16. 18. 11. 20. 7. 26. 13. 9. 21. 24. 27. 32. 23. 29. 31. 22. 33. 2 and 37.

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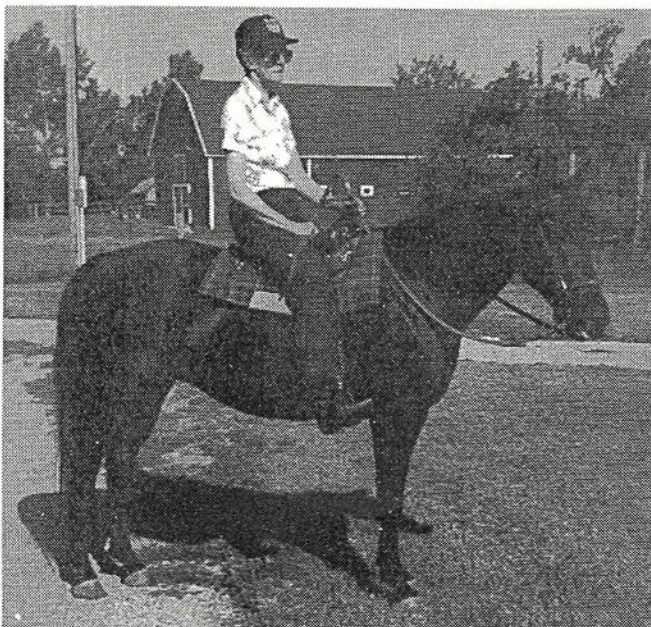
by Hazel Paton

In the July/August issue of WHN, Shirley Hancock of Balzac wrote that she MUST write to me (Hazel Paton) but that she hadn't got a letter away yet. They are the present owners of Merry Man's Velvet, a mare that I once owned. So on September 11/93 I wrote to Shirley in case she was too busy to write. A package of photos of Velvet, taken at our place nine years ago, and a separate letter, were started off on what proved to be "an incredible journey".

Harvesting went on and eventually ended on October 22. Still there was no reply from Shirley, which seemed a bit strange since she'd seemed quite interested in contacting me. By November 8th I could stand it no longer for I was worried about my snapshots. I got a telephone number for the Hancocks and placed my call.

That call proved interesting indeed, for Shirley sounded so friendly (and worried too). She said SHE had written to ME and sent a package of pictures on October 29, the day after she had received my September 11 letter! Well, where was her letter and where were the two sets of photos? And what had been going on since Sept. 11 until Oct.28 to delay my original letter?

After our chat on the phone we sat back and waited. On November 16 I called Shirley again



Hazel and Glory's Black Queen

to report no letter had arrived. She was getting really worried now too for some of the pictures she'd sent me were one of a kind. Days went by and I phoned again on Nov.25. Shirley thought surely I'd report having received the letter but I had no such tale to tell her.

But "D-Day" (delivery day) came at last on Nov. 27 when I received a brown Xpresspost envelope postmarked Edmonton Nov.25, Regina Nov.26 and Oxbow Nov.27. It contained Shirley's letter to me and all the pictures. There was also a letter from the Manager of Customer Services, Canada Post Corporation, in Edmonton. He gave his deepest apology for the lost letter being misplaced in the mail. His letter of Nov. 24 neglected to say where, what or why the properly addressed, stamped and postmarked letter that had worried us for a month, had gone missing in the first place.

I promptly phoned Shirley at Balzac to tell her the news. She could scarcely believe the journey that letter had made. I wrote to her again, enclosing her snapshots, and returned the envelope to her by Xpresspost again (which cost over \$3.00).

However, in two days Shirley had her pictures and my letter. She in turn phoned me and we had another great long talk - who says horse people aren't great? Someday we may meet but until then, we'll always wonder where the heck were our letters and why letters have to go by special post nowadays to ensure their arrival.

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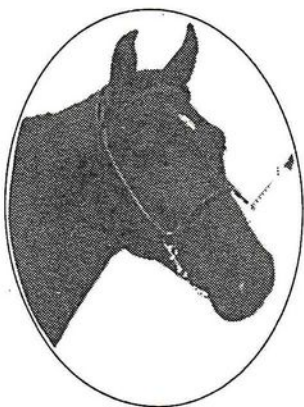
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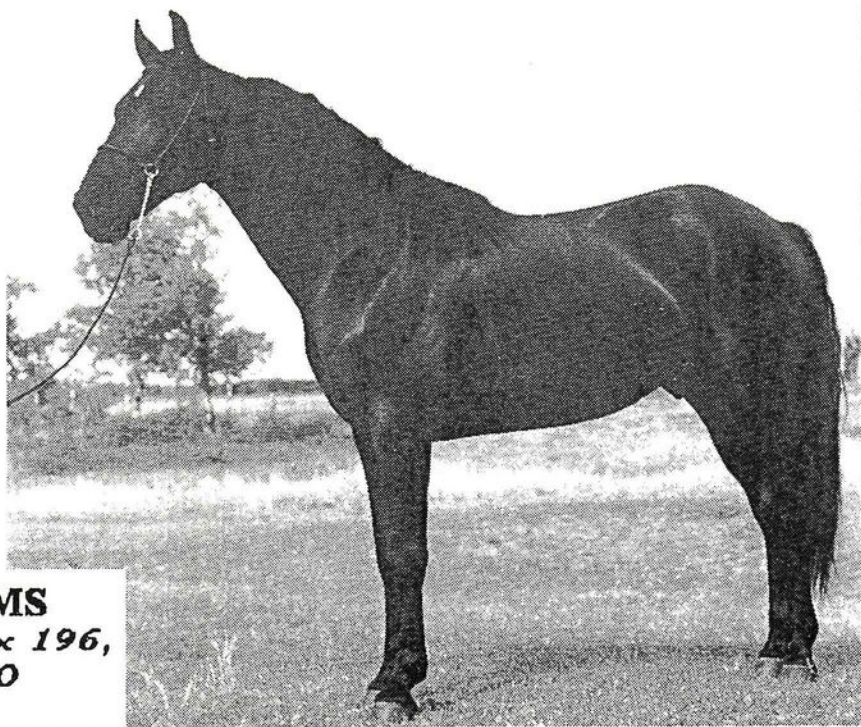
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by Helen Williamson

I read with interest Debra Jack's report on her visit to Equitana in Germany in March of 1993. Congratulations on Tsuniah's Sunday's accomplishments.

I would also like to congratulate and give recognition to the breeder of this horse, Roberta Brebner, Tsuniah Lake Lodge, Williams Lake, B.C., for selecting the sire and dam to produce such a fine horse.

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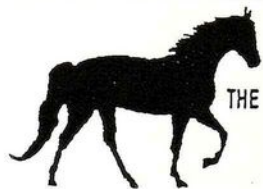
Something else that stirred my curiosity was to read that a ten day

clinic was put on in Germany in September by Russ Keyser, Bob Cherry and a farrier, Jeff Frantz. Although Germany is not familiar with the Tennessee Walking Horse breed nor with the long toe that is required with the heavy plantation shoe and/or the stacked pads that are used on the "high performance" horses, they have such a history of equine knowledge that only those who are new to the equine world and do not understand the physiology of the horse will accept this type of shoeing.

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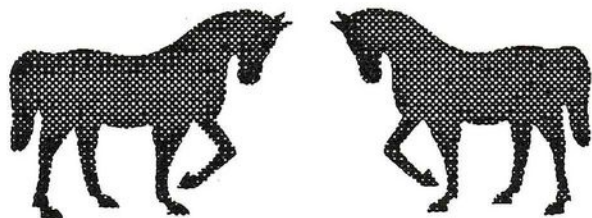
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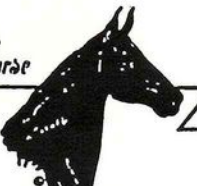
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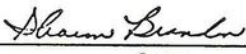

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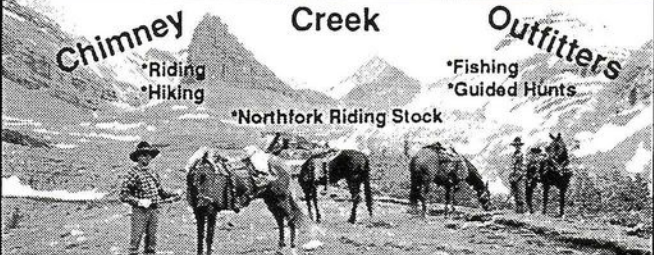
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Shadow's Bantley 621310
Sire
Go Boy's Shadow 540615
2nd Dam
Go Boy's Victoria 540617

Shadow's Flying 8 640513
Dam
Miss Flying 8 640749
2nd Dam

Owned by Helen Williamson
Bred by Pearl Tompkins
Sex: Stallion
Color: Black
Markings: Star, hind fetlocks white.
Foaled: April 5th, 1971

Merry Co. Boy 431336	Merry Boy 350189
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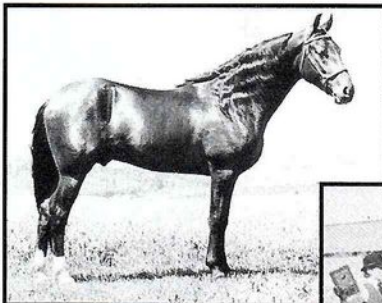
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Shaker's Professor 744027
Sire
Shaker's Royal Heir -135- 1810017

Verline's Lady 655160
Dam
Deep's Doll 180208
2nd Dam

Owned by Helen S. Williamson
Bred by Helen S. Williamson
Sex: Stallion
Color: Liver black
Markings: Star, snip, hind socks white.
Foaled: May 8th, 1981

Mack K's Handshaker 561320	Midnight Mark X 490450	Midnight Sun 410751
Deep Purple 411908	Paola 390027	Tramble 370106
Dictators Professor 501895	Black Henry Jr. 41895	Wagon's Allen's Dictator 391048
Little Fog 190850	Lady Mc Oola X 433684	Stone's Prince Allen 451079
Merry Co. Boy 431336	Merry Boy 350189	Wiser's Dimples 370096
Merry Marquita 340823	Sir MacGray 370318	Strauss' Merry Maid 392736
Sir MacGray 370318	Wilson's Allen 391048	Wade Gray 320017
Midnight Doll 520296	Midnight Sun 410751	Gracie 8 385119

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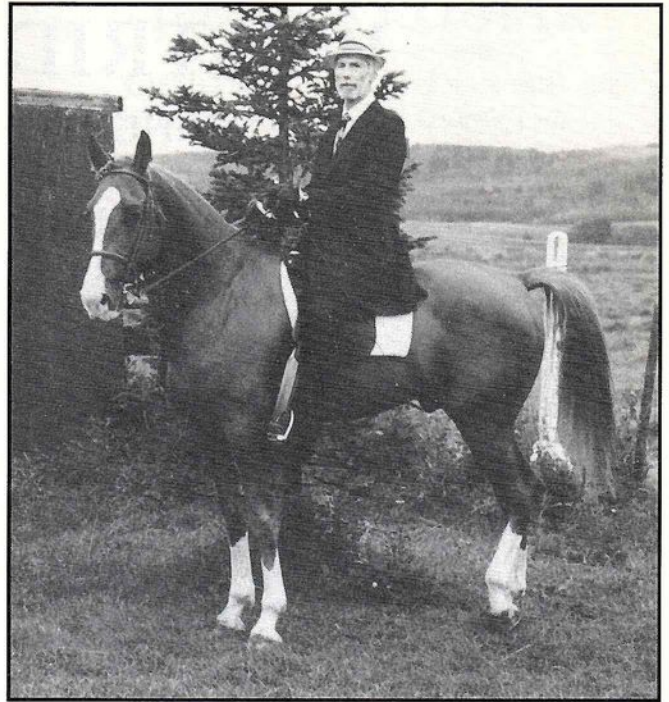
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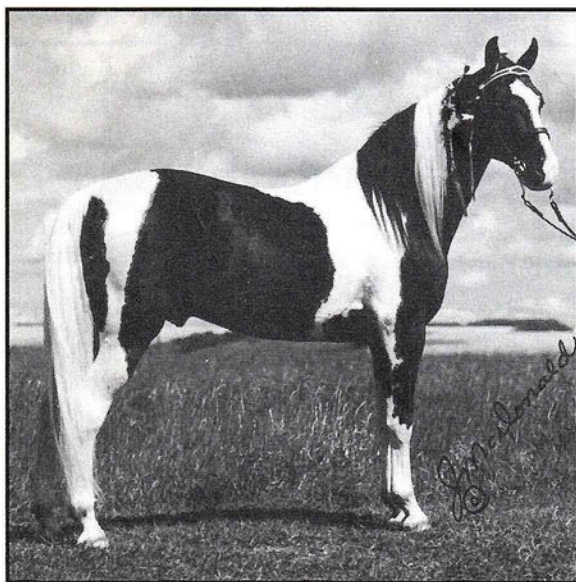
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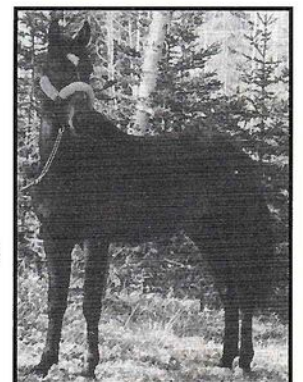
sire: Kary's Jeepers #756166
dam: Bell's Little Nugget #726127
Fee: \$300.00

CAN-AM'S PRIDE

CDN #1038 US #891463

mahogany bay with blaze -
16.2hh

sire: CAN-AM'S Choice #803525
dam: Buddy's Peach Delight
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