

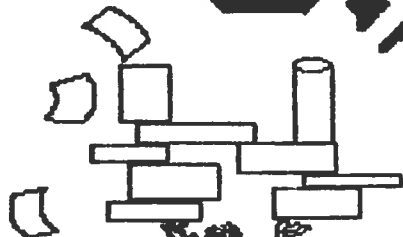
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Heather "No More Buns" Wells, & Kay "Bun-Free" Fowler, hysterical over Laurie's ability to coordinate a simple little show like WRC, rejoice over the fact that neither of THEM have to do it!!



Model

Toulouse Latrec
(It seemed the thing to do at the time...)



"Mammoth" Sweatshirt



Laurie "I Gotta Bun In The Oven" Jensen, bored with her dull, routine existence, is confident in her ability to coordinate a simple little show like Western Regional Congress.

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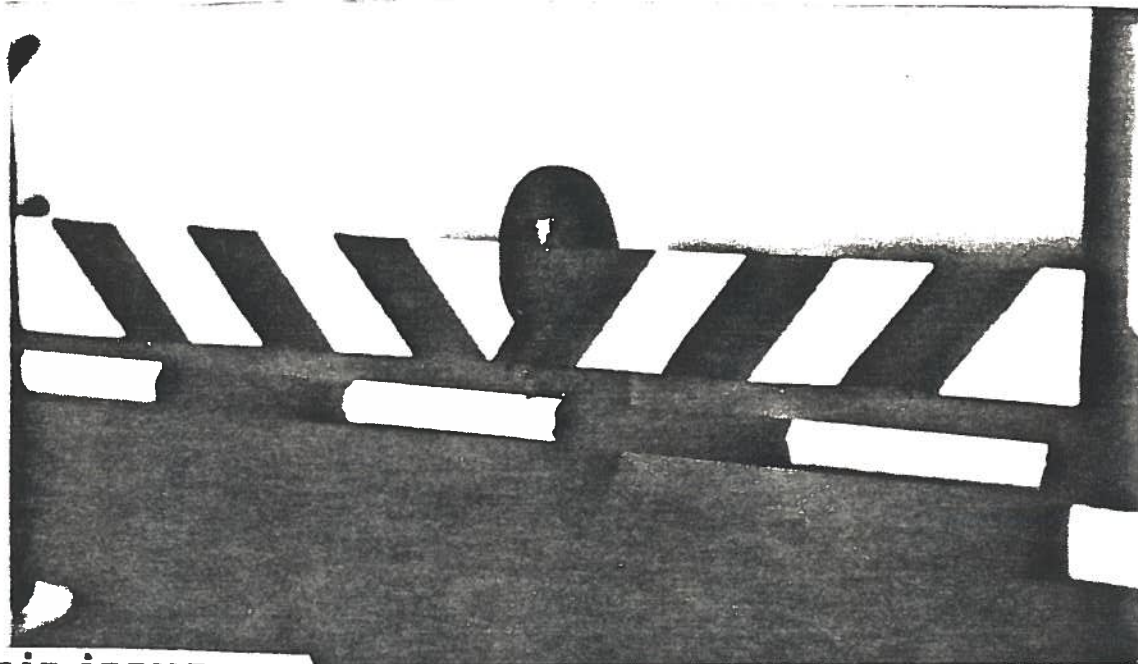
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As promised in our last issue, we here at TMR are pleased as punch to present, for your viewing pleasure, straight from the offices of Sullivan Payne Co., in Center City Philadelphia, MY PET SLUG!!!!



Inside this issue.....

New Special Run News.....Our First "Wierd Pet".....Sneers and Jeers From Our Readers (But we only printed the ones that came with money enclosed!).....Plus the usual assortment of insanity, hilarity, and blatant favoritism!



THE MODEL RAG INFORMATION



Our Format:

The Model Rag is divided into several sections to allow you to more easily find the things that you are most interested in. We have separate sections for items for sale, items wanted, misc (tack & remaking services, clubs, etc.), model show classlists, a "People, Places & Things" section to let you hear about the (yes, you guessed it!) people, places & things that make this hobby special, and our commentary section, which includes "The Litterbox" where you can air your gripes about events, or get the lowdown on the latest rumours. The Model Rag is created with a Macintosh 512K computer, using MacPaint, FullPaint, and Graphic Works programs.

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Heather Wells: 3985 Strong Street, Riverside, CA 92501. Heather is in charge of subscriptions, material for "The Litterbox" and the "People, Places and Things" columns, and questions from the Peanut Gallery.

Kay Fowler: 160 Stony Bank Road, Glen Mills, PA 19342. All advertising should be sent to Kay. Please specify which section you would prefer your ad(s) to go in; e.g. For Sale, Wanted, Misc, Showtime. (215) 459-0484.

Laurie Jensen: 32891 Calle del Tesoro, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675. Send her anything you want for her Drivel column, plus any pix for Remaker of the Issue, & Old Timer's Album. Also, any Frog Trivia DEFINATELY goes to Laurie!



FOR SALE

Models, etc

FOR SALE: Breyer Bay Western Prancer, Chestnut Canterng Welsh, WG Brahma Bull for trade. Plus many more. SASE for complete list. Heather Wells, 3985 Strong Street, Riverside, CA 92501

Discontinued Breyers for sale. Send SASE to Laura Diederich, Rt. 2, Berg Rd., Dodgeville, Wis 53533. Woodgrain FAS, FAM, & FAF, Black Grazing Mare & Foal, Palomino Fighting Stallion in matte & glossy, red roan Running Stallion, Mare & Foal, chestnut Saddlebred Weanling, Balking Mules & many more. Also Hartlands, Breyer boxes & old manuals.

For sale or trade: more than 35 discontinued Breyers, including: glossy Palomino Five Gaiter, bay Stretched Morgan w/ bald face, Leopard POA, glossy Family Arabs, Black Fury, Appy Performance Horse, Grazing mare and foals, alabaster and smoke Running Foals. Send SASE for list and send me your sales lists! Liz Strauss, 2369 Tiffin Rd, Oakland, CA 94602.

FOR SALE: Over 90 models! Many disc. special run, RRH models RR prospects, and other animals. Also, send for our claslist for May 28-30 photo show and s/d list w/over 175 horses. Many champions. Leah Fuller, 421 Stevens Rd. #24, Eagle Point, OR 97524.

FOR SALE: RR Appy by Eliz. Bouras. A Stud Spider w/ nicer halter stance, painted blk/whit leopard. Halo-ing effect on spots. Excellent \$70. (what I paid). Add \$2.00 postage. RR brown/white Appy Running Foal, no hair, but nice foal \$12. plus \$1 postage. Brenda Metcalf, 7911 Menominee Road, East Dubuque, IL 61025.

FOR SALE: Over 150 Original Firish Breyer models in excellent condition, mostly discontinued and special runs, including #34, #40, #42, #48, #58, #62, #88, #96, #99, #119, #120, #128, #130, #143, #153, #175, #176, #177 and "Fury" Prancers. Call or write: Dotty Van Vogt, Box 77, Pomeroy, WA 99347. (509) 843-3090. No collect calls; SASE please.

FOR SALE: Disc. Breyers, including #40, 50, 54, 58, 61, 100, 105, 151, 153, 156, Special Run Belgians, Clydesdales, Basset, Benji, St. Bernard, glossy horned Hereford, Spanish Fighting Bull. Also disc. Hartland-Stevens Polo Pony and Indian and Rearing Pinto. Old Hartland 6 1/4" w/molded-on saddle. More - SASE to Pony Land, Box 373, Monmouth, OR 97361.

FOR TRADE: JAH SR chestnut Trakehner. Black & Bay bald face Morgans. Old dapple grey Clydesdale Foal. PAS dapple grey with black points. Black FAF. White Fury. Appaloosa Mustang. Lassie. WG Brahma for trade for another WG model (except FAF). Many others for sale. SASE for more information. Lani R. Keller, 10529 Irma Ave., Tujunga, CA 91042

HORSES FOR SALE - Prices do not include postage. Add \$2.00 for first model, add \$1.00 for each additional one. Laurie Jensen, 32891 Calle del Tesoro, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675.

Alabaster Running Mare - Was yellowed, has been bleached, otherwise very nice. Grey points somewhat faded. \$20.00.

Sorrel 5-Gaiter - gorgeous older light tan color, "chocolate" mane and tail. 1960's version. VGC. \$18.00

Appaloosa Yearling - GC, minor rubs, mouth opened for bit. \$7.00

Unpainted Trad Black Stallion - VGC. Minor rubs. \$20.00

Unpainted Sham - Rich Rudish autographed (and eyes done by Rich) VGC \$25.00.

D&A Flocked FAF - bay roan Appaloosa. Cute! Has pix. \$9.00 (postpaid).

HAGEN-RENAKER HORSES

FOR SALE:

Inquiries to: Renee DeVore, 8814 N. 46th Dr., Glendale, AZ 85302. Phone:(602)931-8611
-- absolutely NO collect calls will be accepted. Call in EVENINGS after 6 p.m. Phoenix time only, as I work during the days and cannot be reached.

Trades will be considered for Hagen-Renaker San Dimas and Monrovia MINI horses only. (No 80's releases, please). I am only selling these DW's so that I may expand my collection of MINI's. Trades very strongly considered over direct sale purchases.

1. *B708 Zara, doeskin. 4 breaks. Very nice detail. \$50.00
2. *B709 Zilla, doeskin. 3 breaks. Nice color & detail. \$35.00
3. *B704 Lippitt, San Dimas sorrel. MINT. \$40.00
4. *B704 Lippitt, San Dimas palomino. Very nice color. MINT. \$75.00
5. *B704 Lippitt, matte liver chestnut San Marcos. MINT. \$40.00
6. *B708 Forever Amber, San Dimas sorrel. MINT. Soft color. \$40.00
7. *B708 Forever Amber, matte liver chestnut. Soft color, nice detail. \$40.00
8. *B550 Roughneck, Monrovia matte white. 2 breaks; Name sticker. \$125.00
9. *B550 Roughneck, Monrovia matte palomino. 4 breaks. Very nice color. \$80.00
10. *B550 Roughneck, San Marcos matte liver chestnut. MINT. \$25.00
11. *B550 Roughneck, San Dimas sorrel. Nice color & detail. 1 break. \$25.00
12. *B755 Shamrock, glossy bay San Marcos. 1 break. Nice detail. \$25.00
13. *B075 QH Mare, matte bay. MINT. \$60.00
14. *B707 Amir, doeskin. Very pretty face! MINT. \$65.00
15. *B710 Lying Fez, matte white Monrovia. 2 'tiny' chips off the backs of each ear, not noticeable from the front. \$125.00
16. *B770 Silky Sullivan, San Dimas chestnut. 1 break; very nice. \$125.00 (has name sticker & oval sticker) ALL WILL BE SHIPPED POST-PAID.

WESTERN REGIONAL CONGRESS BENEFIT SALE!!!!

Lot #5: Franklin Mint Black Beauty - MINT \$135.00 postpaid

Lot #12: OF JAH Chestnut Trakehner - MINT \$43.00 postpaid.

Lot #14: Standing Stock Foal with POA head RRH by Sue Guffey. Liver chestnut with lots of white tobiano pinto, blue glass eyes, colt foal. \$26.00

Lot #38: Trakehner RRH by Moody. Head lowered, hunt style braided mane and tail, resculpted face. Bay with "checkered" pattern on rump. \$90.00 ppd.

Lot #55: Peruvian Paso Set by Cheryl Mundee. Saddle and two piece headgear. Tooled with lovely brocade seat, bell tapaderos, cutt band. New. \$50.00.

Lot #67: "Plata Viento" - Breyer Western Prancer RRH to blue roan Paso by Kay Fowler. Fiery expression! Live show winner. \$60.00 ppd.

Many others by Cook, Moody, Ross, Baum, Jensen, others! For complete list, send LSASE to Kathleen Rose, 8436 "B" Winter Gardens, Lakeside, CA 92040.

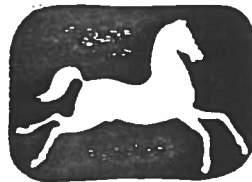
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DRM Originals Remake/Repaints & Tack

Daphne R. Macpherson, 5318 136th PL SW, Edmonds, WA 98020 Send SASE, \$1 photo deposit. Prices DO NOT include postage; add \$3 per model.

101 Park Avenue - LB ASB remade to a park trot suitable for ridden and harness classes - you don't usually see Saddlebred models in a trot! Liver chestnut with copper-gold highlights, flaxen hair m/t, strip, metal shoes, carved ears, nostrils & hooves, mounted on base. Anatomically correct gelding. Has photos in halter; unshown at present. **\$35.**

Frosted Autumn Leaves, Classic Sagar extensively remade to a general-purpose trot and mounted on base, head lowered, neck shortened, anatomically correct stallion, carved ears, nostrils and hooves, metal shoes. Repainted copper red chestnut tobiano pinto with hair m/t. Has photos in halter; unshown at present. **\$50.**

Chief Raincloud, #183 Fighting Stallion remade in gallop, one foot on ground, mounted on base; head/neck refined & repositioned. Repainted liver chestnut spotted blanket Appaloosa, hair mane/tail. May have photos; unshown. **\$65.**

Stillaquamish Sunrise, Classic Andalusian mare remade in correct dressage trot, repainted dark palomino (or golden chestnut), star, strip; metal shoes, light flaxen hair mane/tail. Would be best as a warmblood or Thoroughbred cross. May have photos; unshown. **\$45.**

Cloudy Bay, Western Prancer, shown as a NSH gelding - molded-on bridle removed, remade in collected canter, one leg on ground & mounted on base. Repainted stunning dark rose grey; metal shoes, hair mane/tail. Comes with DRM Originals custom Bedouin halter, some photos. I consider this my best r/r/h ever - lots of presence and very unusual color. **\$80.**

Pegasus, Japan bone china mini with wings added, repainted white with gold m/t, ruby eyes, gold/bronze wings. Comes with halter photo. Very cute **\$15.**

DRM Originals Tack - LB black fine harness to fit LB Arab, ASB and/or Morgan. **\$30. SPECIAL** - if purchased with **101 Park Avenue**, only **\$25.**

SM and LB Bedouin style halters - LB size: 1 Black/red tassles, 1 Lt. Blue/silver tassles, 1 Red/red, silver tassles - **\$8 each**; SM size: 1 Green/gold tassles, 1 Silver/red tassles - **\$7 each.**

Western tack in black with GOLD trim. Fits larger Classic size models. **\$25, set only; discounted to \$15** if purchased with **Stillaquamish Sunrise** above.

Repaints by Other Artists

Tea And Honey, repaint/hair by Karen Malcor in black bay pinto. Hair m/t a little rough, but should photo show well. Photos in western events by DRM Originals. **\$45.**

Copernicus, R/R/H PAS in bright chestnut with flaxen hair m/t, three socks and star/strip/snip. A rare chance to acquire an early KELLY LOWRY work! Complete DOUBLE sets of photos, also by Kelly. Copernicus has shown very well in live and photo shows, and is an excellent novice horse! **\$95** - exactly what I paid for him, and he's worth every penny! Offered for sale only due to lack of room on my shelves!

Augustus, Black Beauty/PAS remade by Elizabeth Thompson and repaint/haired by Kelly Lowry to a lovely extended trotting Arab in shaded dapple grey with grey mohair m/t. Remake a little rough, but shown at the Feb '87 Shining Aspen Live show (where I bought him), and placed well in several classes. I haven't had time to do complete photos of him (he does have a couple of halter photos by Kelly), and he needs a show home. **\$55.**

DQ Honour Bound, SM Silky Sullivan remade to ASB and repainted by Linda Leach. Paint a bit rough, but photo shows well. Comes with saddleseat set by DRM Originals, a few photos. **\$10.**

Amarna Fazuli, repainted Sham by Elizabeth Bouras in beautiful shaded mahogany bay. Comes with Amarna pedigree and halter photos. He is unshown, but should do well live or photo. **\$40.**

Original Finish - **Khommodore**, Beswick #H1771 Arab Glossy Bay. Has photos, pedigree. **\$40.**
Hartland 4" QH in buckskin, nearly perfect finish. **\$15** #232 SHS in Chestnut Appy; perfect condition. Has Prince Plaudit pedigree. **\$15.** **Man O'War**, OLD model; has Breyer blue ribbon sticker. A few rubs; perfect otherwise. **\$20.**

BREYERS FOR SALE:

1. Gloss Appy Mustang - "R" on under-belly \$50.00
2. Buckskin Indian Pony \$80.00
3. Old Timer gloss dap, no hat \$20.00
4. Pinto Indian Pony \$50.00
5. Old Red Roan Running Mare \$45.00
6. Dark Woodgrain Fighting Stal \$90.00
7. Very dark matte palo Fight Stal \$40
8. Smoke Run Mare, many rubs \$20.00
9. Buck Lady Phase, bald face \$40.00
10. "Chalkies":
 - a) chestnut Belgian, rubs \$30.00
 - b) bay Fighting Stallion, has foam pads \$40.00
 - c) white Fight Stal, has foam pads - really neat! \$40.00
 - d) Appy Perf Horse \$35.00
11. PAM dapple w/ black points, funny spotting \$35.00
12. SM Foals all colors -n- original packages \$15.00 each
13. Gloss dapple grey Clydes \$80.00
14. Cant Welsh, ch/red, bald \$35.00
15. White gloss Mustang \$100.00
16. Old Man-O-War w/eyewh \$45.00
17. Old color Lady Phase \$30.00
18. SB Weanling - one sock \$40.00
19. SB Weanling - three socks \$35.00
20. OM PAF, white gloss \$20.00
21. White Running Foal \$20.00
22. Dap gloss Run Foal, very light \$25
23. Buck QH geld old w/eyewh \$40
24. Palo pinto gloss Shet pony \$30
25. Brown Racehorse \$50
26. Chestnut Racehorse \$50
27. FAF woodgrain \$25.00
28. Classic Arab foal - grey \$20.00

HARTLANDS FOR SALE:

1. 11" Arab Regal buckskin gl \$40.00
2. Black woodgrain Rearing Mustang \$20.00 - as is
3. Sm. Black Mule/Donkey \$5.00
4. 7" Pinto Mare \$20.00
5. 7" Pinto Stallion \$20.00
6. 7" Arab Mare, grey \$15.00
7. 7" Family Arab Foal, grey \$10.00
8. 7" Unpainted grey/blue color QH foal \$15.00
9. 5" White w/ black pts foal (Arab) \$8.00 (very white)
10. 7" 3-gtd bay gl, eartip miss. \$15
11. 7" ASB bay gl \$20.00
12. 9" Arab Stallion eyewhites, metallic copper, rubs \$25.00
13. 9" Arab Stallion eyewhites, brown \$35.00
14. 9" Polo Pony eyewh, old \$40.00

REPAINTS FOR SALE:

1. #606 Ruffian rep. by Julie Froelich to a dun with striped legs & dorsal stripe. Very nice, one white sock, dark pts, mane & tail and legs \$75
2. "Touch of Class" repainted and paired chestnut with 4 white socks. RR by Denise Nelson \$20.00

All offers considered, payments available. Most models very good to mint cond unless stated. For info write: Kathleen Rose, 8436 B Winter Gardens, Lakeside, CA 92040. No SASE needed. Returns accepted w/in 10 days only.



Silvertail Stables
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 Derby, KS 67037

SILVERTAIL STABLES SALES LIST

Breyers

- #17 Brown Appy Stock Foal-MIB \$25.00
- 36 Race Horse-scratches and rubs, no saddle/reins \$50.00
- 63 Halla, MIB \$25.00
- 80 Clydesdale Stallion, grey mark on feathering otherwise mint older model without stenciling. \$12.00
- 102 Palomino QH Yearling (dark color) rub on right barrel, left hip \$27.00
- 110 Smoke Western Prancing Horse, few small rubs w/saddle & reins \$35.00
- 154 POA, bay blandet, MIB \$25.00
- 165 Appy Lying Foal, few factory flaws \$20.00
- 180 Alabaster Rearing Stallion-few black marks, hooves rubbed, in original box \$10.00
- 232 Appy Stock Horse Stallion, MIB \$20.00
- 233 Appy " " Mare, MIB \$11.00
- 234 " " Foal (standing), MIB \$15.00
- 236 Chestnut Action Stock Horse Foal, MIB \$15.00
- 415 Buckshot, MIB \$15.00 (or trade for Lady Roxana, Sherman or Secretariat)
- 420 Touch of Class, MIB \$15.00 (or trade for above also)
- 625 Hobo-few rubs with stand (Pix available) \$25.00
- 2090 Smoky w/book-older model with 4 white socks, MIB \$27.00

Special Runs

- 1984 Andalusian Family-Dapple Stallion, Alabaster Mare, Bay Foal, MIB \$35.00
- 1987 Chestnut PAS-rub on knee \$25.00
- ?? Lady Phase w/ standing stock foal in Buckskin (bald face) Mint \$50.00
Mare has show record, w/ a few so-so pix.
- ?? Flocked and Haired Misty and Stormy, MIB \$25.00

R/R Models

Remade Stablemate Swaps, head lowered and into mare, repainted blood bay with 2 socks and stripe by Tiffany Ryan \$8.00 pix available
 Repainted PAF-black roan w/white mane and tail (haired). Has pedigree and done by Brandie Hooper. \$15.00 pix available.

Hartlands

9" bay Thoroughbred Stallion, missing eartip, few scratches, otherwise very nice. Beautiful shading! \$15.00
 Chubby with Indian rider. Both are in really great shape for their age. Horse has a couple of scratches and yellowed, Indian has a few black marks but nothing major. No accessories except the plastic cloth the Indian sits on. Horse is black/white pinto \$35.00

Breyer collector's Manuals

- 1980-\$3.00 1982-\$2.25
- 1983-\$2.00 1984-\$1.50
- 1985-\$1.00 1986-\$.50

Breyer Dealer's Catalogs

- 1985-\$3.00
- 1986-\$3.00
- 1987-\$3.00

Misc.

Wrangler Play Set-includes 3 horses, brahman baull, water trough, signs and barrels (liittle smaller than Little Bits) \$20.00

Also have buttons with horses for sale. Write for more info!
 To see pix please send SASE (for models with pix)

ALL PRICES INCLUDE POSTAGE!!!!!! MIB means Mint in box.

YUCCA STABLES SALES LISTING - April/May, 1988

Inquiries to: Renee DeVore, 8614 N. 46th Drive, Glendale, AZ. 85302.

Please enclose a SASE with all inquiries. All items sent post-paid. All items in really good or mint condition unless otherwise stated.

I will trade for Hagen-Renaker horses and some Breyers and Hartlands. Send your sales/trade lists and let me know what you're interested in, maybe we can work a deal. Time payments accepted on a limited basis.

BREYERS

1. Proud Arabian Stallion, black; Special run. \$35.00
2. Proud Arabian Stallion, white. Older, great detail. Very nice! \$35.00
3. Proud Arabian Foal, white. \$20.00
4. Action Stock Horse Foal, chestnut. \$17.00

OTHERS

5. Durham Industries Mini 'Steel Stallion' series Metal horse. Exact copy of the Stablemate Morgan Stallion in a golden buckskin/bay. Made in Hong Kong in 1976. \$15.00
6. Durham Industries Mini 'Steel Stallion' series Metal horse. Copy of a mini Prancing Hartland horse. Same color as above model. \$15.00
7. Goebel Shetland Pony in glossy brown. China horse w/no breaks. \$20.00
8. Unknown china (6" tall) walking appaloosa in a black leopard appaloosa. Nice shading & detail. No kind of identification on the horse. No breaks. A nice horse for collectors of Japan chinas. \$15.00
9. Pair of glossy bay horses. LB/Small Classic scale; both look like ponies. One has a chipped ear-tip and is stamped 'Japan' on the belly; the other is in perfect condition; has a 'cloverleaf' design made w/ hearts and is stamped 'Japan' also on the belly, and has a '30' etched inside one of the hind legs. Both are quite nice. \$15.00 for the pair.
10. LB-scale china horse in matte palomino. Horse is in a trotting position w/head up. Stamped 'Japan' on the belly. \$8.00
11. Classic Foal size Lefton Running Foal in matte palomino. 2 breaks. Stamped H2212 on the belly. Nice foal! \$10.00
12. Hong Kong plastic (tenite) Fighting/Rearing Stallion in glossy grey. Very badly rubbed with one ear tip missing. Surprisingly, WONDERFUL detail and conformation for being a HK plastic. Trad size. Good for repainting and/or remaking for that unique showhorse. \$10.00

MY WANT LIST:

Cantering Welsh, all colors; PAM, black & chestnut; TWH, chestnut; ASB Whlg, all colors; Bucking Broncos, all colors; Indian Ponies, all colors; El Pastor, bay; Mustang, all colors; Fighting Stallion, all colors; All Disc. Stablemates. Possibly a few others, write and let me know what you have.

For those of you that have read my FOR SALE list of H-R horses, I will NOT trade these H-R's for Breyers, only for other H-R's, and all trade deals will be considered over direct sale. I may withdraw any item at any time.

My WANT LIST also includes most San Dimas and Monrovia mini horses. I am also interested in auction lists as well for H-R's.

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Small Draft Horse in bay, black	55.50
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All models are sent double boxed, sent via United Parcel Service. Postage is as follows:

Any Pony Adult	\$5.25
Any Foal (Excluding Shire foal)	\$4.25
Small Draft Horse and Shire Foal	\$5.50
Large Shires	\$6.00

Send a business-sized SASE for information to: **JANET HERGENHAN,**
77 GREENWOOD DRIVE, FREEHOLD, NEW JERSEY 07728

Well, here it is, at long last! My latest sales list/want list. All my horses are guaranteed money back if you're not delighted. I love to trade for woodgrains, decorafors, Hartlands, or horses off my want list. Please include \$2.00 postage for each model, but no more than \$5.00. Hope you find something you can't live without! Debbie Buckler, 1294 Hagen Rd, Napa, CA 94558. (707)224-9506 (no collect, please!)

1. Lady Phase - red chestnut, perfect \$20
2. Shire - sp. run bay w/wht stlks. A gorgeous mare, the loveliest Shire Breyer has ever made. Mint. \$40
3. Saddlebred Weanling - Very dark chestnut. Perky and near perfect - \$30
4. El Pastor - Dark red bay, few very tiny marks, nice \$25
5. TB Mare & Nursing Foal - excellent cond. Sell as set only \$35
6. Bay grazing mare - mint condition, lovely mare \$25
7. Running Stallion - matte light bay, couple small scuffs, otherwise mint \$25
8. Adios - very dark bay. One well repaired ear tip, otherwise near mint \$24
9. Old Timer - alabaster/grey, no hat, yellowed but no rubs \$20
10. Old Timer - gloss dapple grey, no hat, near mint but for one small scratch \$20
11. West Horse - black pinto, overall pretty good, no tack \$15
12. Chest App OH - w/molded on halter - super nice \$25
13. Running Stallion - matte bay, excellent cond and beautiful! \$28
14. West Prancer - smoke, slight yellow, no saddle, few sm marks \$18
15. Running Mare - red roan! Semi-gloss, gorgeous mare. Had a few small rubs touched up by professional (just try and find 'em!) - \$30
16. FAS - matte Appaloosa, very nice, couple of small rubs - \$15
17. FAS - gloss palomino - Beautiful plae color, few small rubs - \$15
18. FAS - gloss alabaster - well repaired tail break, otherwise very nice - \$15
19. FAS - semi-gloss appaloosa - few small rubs but still a nice model - \$12
20. Rearing Stallion - bay, perfect - \$12.
21. Rearing Stallion - palomino, slight yellow, neat older color - \$12
22. FAF - glossy charcoal - yellowed, but mint as for that - \$10
23. FAF - semi-gloss alab - have 2, both near mint, 1 with dk grey pts, 1 with lighter grey - \$12 each
24. West. Horse - alabaster - yellowed, no reins but has old black snap saddle, stirrups broken - \$15.00 - elegant old model!
25. West. Horse - alabaster - yellowed, no tack, pretty creamy ivory - \$12
26. West. Pony - alabaster - no yellow, ear chip, pretty little guy - \$10
27. FAM - matte charcoal - nearly black with white mane and tail. Stockings may be touched up. Few surface marks - pretty! - \$20
28. West. Prancer - smoke - lighter color, no tack, few rubs - \$12
29. West. Prancer - bay - good condition, one mark on shoulder, no tack - \$15
30. West. Prancer - palomino - slight yellow, has reins, excellent - \$15

31. Old Timer - alab/grey - super cond for a model this old, has yellow hat - \$25
 32. Action SHF - sp. run - Penneys 'roan appaloosa' - mint - \$7
 33. Shefland - gloss black pinto, older one, mint - \$10
 34. West. Pony - lovely dark 'orange' palomino, no saddle - \$15 Mint!
 35. Fury - very glossy black. Many scr that don't show. Has orig saddle, but one stirrup broken - \$20
 36. Lying Foal - buckskin, perfect - \$15
 37. Scratch. Foal - red roan and MINT cond. You'll never see him this cheap - \$28
 38. FAF - gloss honey palomino - cute! \$12
 39. West. Pony - black pinto - have 2, both have faults - inquire - \$8
- HARTLANDS!** I very seldom sell a Hartland, no matter what shape they're in, but I must let some of these guys go

1. Pinto/Morgan Family - This was one of the molds destroyed by the flood, so they're really special. Set is in excellent condition. Glue has yellowed on some seams and mare has a small factory flaw. A Beautiful and rare set - \$20
2. 9" Rearing Palomino - mane down, Trigger. No tack, some scuffs - \$10
3. 9" Standing/Walking Palomino - Trigger, many rubs, broken leg - included. No tack, still a sweet old horse - \$5
4. 8" 'Chubby' - Chief Thunderbird's pinto - in a bad way - desperately needs some TLC! - give a guy a home??



Sea-Watch Ranch Clearance Sale

MINDY BINKLEY: 4331 N.W. 7th COURT, PLANTATION, FLORIDA 33317

All models are Original Finish Breyers, unless otherwise specified. Condition is stated as accurately as possible.

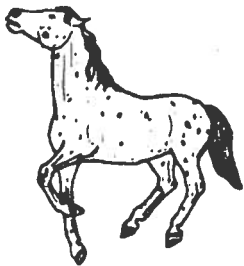
Trades will be considered for Hagen-Renakers and live show quality R/R models only. Please send an SASE with all inquiries.

****All Prices Include Postage and Insurance****

1. Saddlebred Weanling - Liver chestnut - mint cond. - \$50
2. TB Mare & Suckling Foal - Special Run Brown Pinto - mint cond - \$50
3. Overo Paint - mint cond - \$35
4. Old Timer - glossy dapple grey - mint cond - \$38
5. San Domingo - special run black - mint cond - \$40
6. Foundation Stallion - special run alabaster - mint cond - \$34
7. FAF - glossy caramel palomino - mint cond - \$18
8. FAF - special run dark chestnut - mint cond - \$18
9. FAS - special run dark chestnut - mint cond - \$22
10. FA Stallion, Mare & Foal - special run light chestnut, set only - mint cond - \$65
11. FAS - glossy alabaster - near mint cond - \$26
12. FAS - glossy palomino - very good cond - \$16
13. Indian Pony - brown pinto w/ no war paint - excellent cond - \$50
14. Fighting Stallion - glossy alabaster w/ grey mare/tail - gorgeous model, mint cond - \$125
15. Fighting Stallion - matte white - mint cond - \$22
16. Rearing Stallion - matte palomino - mint cond - \$15

(Mindy's sales list, cont.)

17. Stock Horse Stallion, Mare, Foal - special run 1986 (from Penneys) brown color w/red spots, sort-of red roan/appy colored - set only - \$45
18. SHS - appaloosa - nice dark bay color - mint cond - \$18
19. SHS - bay - mint cond - \$18
20. Cips - Limited Edition Paso Fino - mint cond - \$25
21. Halla - mint cond - \$28
22. Lady Phase - old chestnut (not the ugly red color) - excellent cond - \$45
23. Brenda Breyer Giftset w/ chestnut blanketed Appaloose Perf Horse - new in box - \$38
24. Brenda Breyer Giftset w/ palomino pinto Western Prancer - new in box - \$35
25. USET - new in box - \$20
26. Black Beauty & Friends Giftset - new in box - \$25
27. Polo Pony w/stand - mint cond - \$35
28. Hobo the Mustang w/stand - mint cond - \$35
29. Smokey - mint cond - \$25
30. Azteca - older dapple grey - mint cond - \$18
31. Belgian - 1987 special run dapple grey - \$18
32. POA - brown blanketed appaloosa - mint cond - \$25
33. Kelly Reno & Little Man Giftset (has polo Stock Stallion) - new in box - \$40
34. Classic Man O' War - mint cond - \$8
35. Classic Kelso - mint cond - \$8
36. Classic Swaps - mint cond - \$8
37. Classic Silky Sullivan - mint cond - \$8
38. Classic Ruffian - mint cond - \$8
39. Sherman Morgan - mint cond - \$15
40. Project Universe - mint cond - \$13
41. Buckskin SHS - mint cond - \$13
42. Buckskin SHM - mint cond - \$13
43. Buckskin Standing SHF - mint cond - \$8
44. Buckskin Running SHF - mint cond - \$8
45. Secretariat - mint cond - \$15
46. American Mustang - chestnut - mint cond - \$13
47. Josef Orig 6" Walk. Saddlebred - matte white - no sticker - mint cond - \$12
48. Melbaware 4" Standing Bay Foal - disc model w/sticker - \$16
49. Freeman McFarland 9" Standing Unicorn #140 - OF antiqued gold finish - excellent - \$50
50. Fred Stone Ltd Edition Black Stallion figurine w/base - new in box (photo available) - disc numbered piece - mint cond - \$155
51. Beswick - "Spirit of Fire" #H2829 - matte dapple grey - mint cond - \$45
52. Beswick - "Spirit of Wind" #2688 - matte palomino - mint cond - \$45
53. Beswick - "Troy" - wall plaque #2699 - mint cond - \$40
54. Beswick - "Arab" #H1771 - glossy bay - mint cond - \$38
55. Beswick - "Adventure" Foal #F2786 - glossy bay - mint cond - \$22
56. Beswick - "Horse" - #H1549 - has right foreleg lifted high - glossy palomino - mint cond - \$42
57. "Poker Chip" - SHM R/R/H by Debbie Pruitt. Head lowered and hind leg corrected. A lovely sandy bay/blanketed Appaloosa (done in hair-brush w/hand detailing). Comes w/lots of halter and perf pix (2 copies each photo). Live show quality. A champ in very limited showing so far. \$85
58. "Smokey Mountain Diamond" - SHS R/R/H by Kathy Maestas into a gorgeous black roan/blanketed Appaloosa. He is remade w/head turned to the right, and is trotting on two legs; mounted on a wooden base w/engraved nameplate. He has veining, shoes, and comes w/a full set of pix taken by Kathy (2 copies each pic). Live show quality, multi-champ! \$200



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Method of payment: _____ check enclosed _____ M/C _____ VISA

Credit card only: Your number _____

Bank # _____ **Exp. Date** _____

Signature _____

SETS: _____ **Quantity @ \$100.00 each =** _____

SINGLES:

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COLOR

@ \$20.00 each ppd

TOTAL _____

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602 Man o'War
603 Silky Sullivan
604 Swaps
605 Terrang
606 Ruffian

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220 Proud Arab foal
224 Stock Foal buckskin
225 Action Foal buckskin
231 Stock Paint Foal
237 Action Paint Foal
238 Action Foal Appaloosa
708 Liver Chestnut Family Foal

\$8.25 each
20 Misty
23 Shetland Pony bay

\$8.50 each
84 Clydesdale Foal

\$12.50 each
65 Justin Morgan
66 Stud Spider
68 Legionario III
401 Black Stallion

\$13.25 each
410 Sham
415 Buckshot
420 Touch of Class
425 Lady Roxanna
430 Sherman Morgan
435 Secretariat

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90 Phar Lap
103 Appy Yearling
213 Proud Arabian Stallion
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221 Stock Stallion Buckskin
222 Stock Mare Buckskin
226 Stock Stallion Bay
229 Stock Stallion Paint
230 Stock Mare Paint
233 Stock Mare Appaloosa
702 Stretched Morgan Bay
703 Grey Appaloosa
705 Standing QH
706 Family Stallion liver
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89 Black Beauty
109 Five Gaiter grey
117 Five Gaiter pinto
118 Mustang chestnut

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57 Western Horse
80 Clydesdale Stallion
83 Clydesdale Mare



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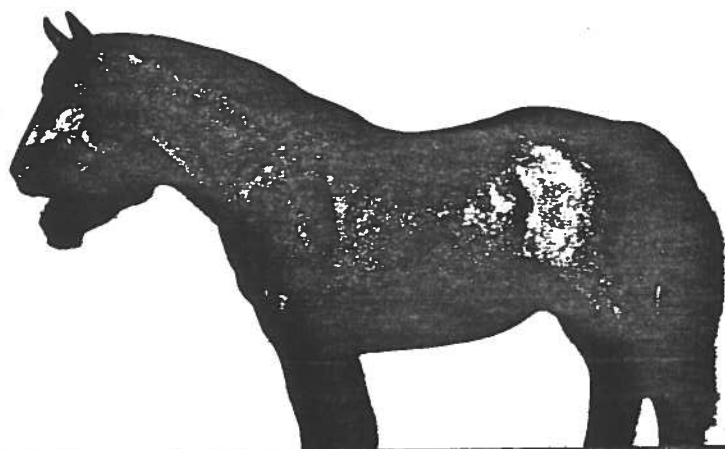
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Palomino _____ Buckskin _____
Appaloosa _____ Paint _____



WANTED

WANTED: PAS, Trad Black Stallion, PAF, and CAM for repainting/remaking. May be in any condition, but no broken legs or ears. Will refund stamps of all who write with offers. Give price plus postage cost, please. Mair Dodd - 4469 Union St. - Eureka, CA 95501

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WANT LIST: Palomino FAM w/white mane & tail, gloss charcoal Fighting Stallion, alabaster Mustang, Sp run palomino Belgian, Sp run palomino Pacer, Sp run palomino Running Mare, Black Grazing Foal, bay Bucking Bronco, white Fury, brown pinto Fury, old brown pinto Western Prancer, Woodgrains, Decorators, Old Hartlands. Debbie Buckler, 1294 Hagen Rd, Napa, CA 94558

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Most of you don't know what Nightmare Workshops is. It is my workshop specializing in fantasy/sci-fi creations, which is why some of the things on this list may seem a bit odd. If you have any of this stuff, please write and send your asking price. I will gladly refund your stamp! Rebecca Choquetta, P.O. Box 2355, Kailua-Kona, HI 96745

- A model horse skeleton, the kind found in those plastic kits? I don't know what the going price for these is.
- SM Lying or Standing Foals in lousy condition for R/R. Will pay \$3.00, regardless of condition, just so long as all major body parts are intact (can be missing ears, tails, or even legs on the Standing Foals).
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- SM tack at reasonable prices
- A Breyer Mountain Goat. This one in good condition for my collection. I've wanted one since we saw them in the Rockies on my graduation trip!
- Antlers or horns that have broken off your models. Possibly the model itself, if it is unrepairable, for R/R.

HELP!!

I need addresses to the following cattle registries. I wrote to these registries in October, 1985 and they either never answered my inquiries or my postcards came back "address outdated."

American Breed Assoc., Inc.; Angler; Ankina; Black Maine-Anjou; French Vosgienne; Friesan (Beef Type); Norwegian Red; Polled Shorthorn; Red Lincoln; Red Witrick; any other rare breeds.

The Troy Public Library hasn't any information on cattle. I would like addresses of any/all agricultural magazines, especially Farm Journal and Successful Farming.

I could use the following on a permanent year round basis to pass on to charities: coupons, refunds, special offers, cancelled postage stamps, Betty Crocker boxtops and the following Campbell products (labels from any cans or jars and proofs of purchase): Campbell Soup, Franco-American products, V8 Juice, Swanson products, Recipe dog products, Juice Works, Mrs Paul's frozen foods, LeMenu frozen foods, Chef's Kettle, Prego Spaghetti Sauce, Prego frozen foods.

Send all HELP to: Alice Bulson, RFD # 3, Box 216, Troy, NY 12180.

(Kay here - With respect to Alice's search for agricultural publications, a good source of addresses is an ag. university. Try the Cal. State Polytechnic Univ. Library, 3801 Temple Ave, Pomona, CA 91768-4083. They should be able to assist.)

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- *32 Glossy Appaloosa Fighting Stallion, leopard pattern (lighter body, spots up to neck, black pts)
- *22 Glossy brown pinto Shetland Pony, dark tan/brown shade
- *33 Matte palomino Fighting Stallion, tan/buff shade, not yellow/orange
- *36 Bay Racehorse
- *42 Glossy brown pinto Western Pony, dark tan/brown shade (also *P43) brown pinto
- *P44 Glossy chocolate brown Prancing Pony (Fury mold)
- *P45 Glossy alabaster Prancing Pony (Fury mold)
- *51 Glossy albino Five-Gaiter with dark eyes, not red
- *56 Glossy Brown Pinto Western Horse, light palomino shade
- *80 Glossy bay Clydesdale Stallion
- *85 Glossy alabaster Mustang
- *86 Glossy Appaloosa Mustang
- *93 Smoke Belgian
- *97 Glossy buckskin Quarter Horse
- *99 Glossy Bay Quarter Horse
- *106 Seal Brown Canterring Welsh Pony, blue ribbons, both solid and bald face
- *113 Glossy black pinto Western Prancer
- *114 Bay Western Prancer with eyewhites
- *115 Glossy brown leopard Appaloosa Western Prancer
- *126 Glossy charcoal Running Stallion
- *169 Liver Chestnut Scratching Foal
- *215 Dapple grey PAM with black points
- *220 Dapple grey PAF with black points
- OLD MOLD Glossy PAM & PAF in bay, palomino, Appaloosa
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- Hardland "Gil Favor" Rider
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s/d lists, repainting services, etc.

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- *1975 Breyer Dealer catalog. Twelve pages - \$2.50
- *1979 Breyer Dealer catalog. Eight pages - \$2.00
- *1980 Breyer Dealer catalog. Sixteen pages - \$3.00
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6" triple with five 2" x 15" streamers	2.95 ea
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QUESTION: *What do Gee Phelps, Ann Dypwick, Karen Perkins, Eve Kaplan, Ardith Carlton, Bridget Boling, Kelly Pirie, Brenda Harris, Jessica Saberman, Sheri Heilman, and Bonnie Robb have in common?*

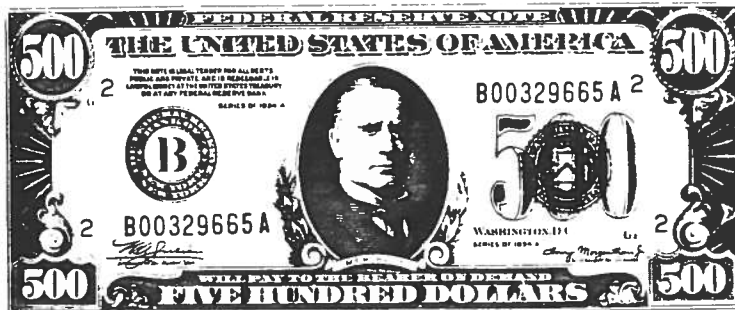
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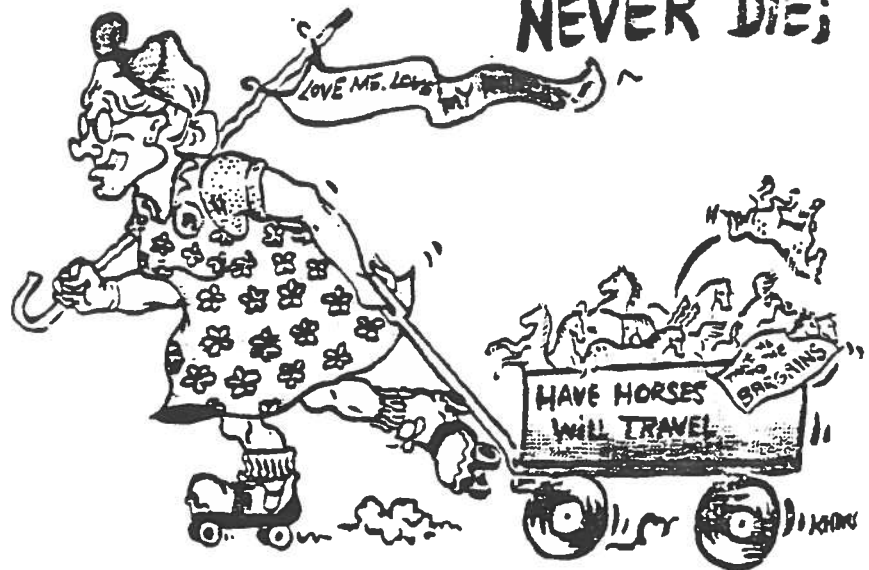
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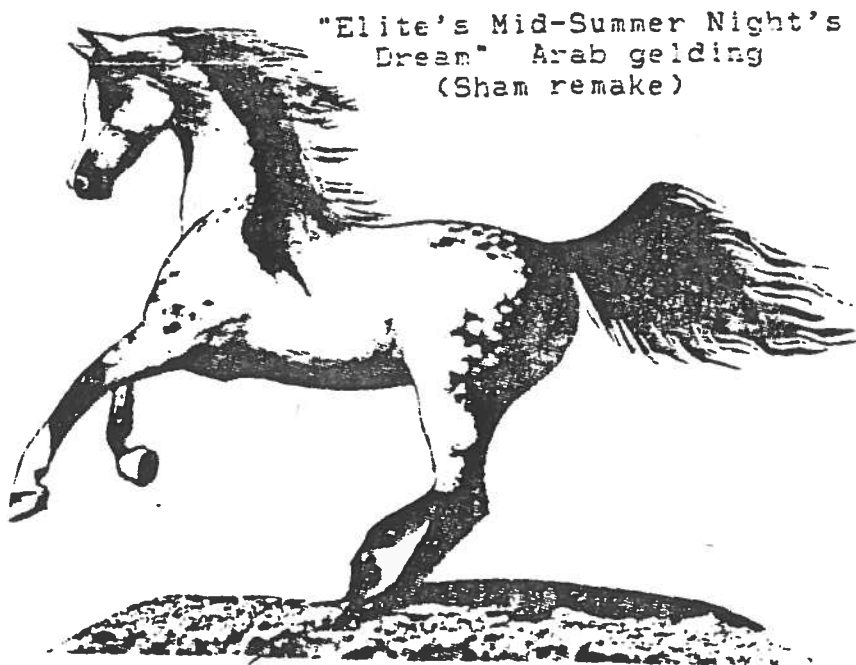


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PINE RIDGE STABLES' ALL BREED BONANZA May 28-30, 1988

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| 1. OF Stallion | 21. OF Pinto/Paint | 41. Black |
| 2. RR Stallion | 22. RR Pinto/Paint | 42. Palo/Buck/Dun |
| 3. OF Mare | 23. OF Morgan | 43. Grulla/Roan |
| 4. RR Mare | 24. RR Morgan | 44. Other Color |
| 5. OF Gelding | 25. OF ASB/TWH/NSH | 45. Western Pleasure |
| 6. RR Gelding | 26. RR ASB/TWH/NSH | 46. Western Trail |
| 7. OF Foal | 27. OF TB/Stand. | 47. Roping/Cutting |
| 8. RR Foal | 28. RR TB/Stand. | 48. Barrels/Poles |
| 9. Open Halter | 29. OF Trak/Hano | 49. English Pleasure |
| 10. Headstudy | 30. RR Trak/Hano | 50. English Trail |
| 11. Sire/Get | 31. OF Pony | 51. Hunt/Jump |
| 12. Dam/Produce | 32. RR Pony | 52. Saddleseat/Park |
| 13. Family | 33. OF Draft | 53. Dressage/Sidesaddle |
| 14. Showmanship* | 34. RR Draft | 54. Parade/Costume |
| 15. OF Arab | 35. Other Purebred | 55. Harness |
| 16. RR Arab | 36. Mixed/Half Breeds | 56. Versatility* |
| 17. OF Quarter Horse | 37. Chestnut/Sorrel | 57. Other Performance |
| 18. RR Quarter Horse | 38. Bay/Brown | 58. Most Realistic* |
| 19. OF Appaloosa | 39. Pinto/Paint | 59. Stable's Choice* |
| 20. RR Appaloosa | 40. Appaloosa | 60. Judge's Choice* |

RULES: *14 - halter/bridle required; 56 - 3 pix, 1 halter, 1 western, 1 english; 58 - 5 per stable; 59 - 3 per stable; 60 - all entered. Entries received no later than May 27. Please include large SASE for return of photos, results, and any ribbons won. Also, some extra stamps. Judge reserves the right to combine, cancel, or split any classes. Please make any checks/MO out to Leah Fuller. NO POSTAGE DUES.

ENTRY FEE: \$3.00 unlimited, \$1.00 unlimited (one horse), or .20¢ per horse per class. Ads in results are 25¢ for ¼ page or less, 50¢ for ½ page, & \$1.00 for full page. Please make sure ads are neat and legible.

AWARDS: Commercial flat ribbons 1-2 place. Placings 1-10. Rosettes to all champs and reserves. Champs and reserves to be named are: Stallion, Mare, Gelding, Foal, Performance, and Grand. There may be more champs, too!

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May 27-31, 1988

Hosted by:



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Rules: Entry fee per stable: \$1 Entry fee per horse: 25¢ FULL RESULTS to everyone! Be sure to include a sufficient sized SASE w/extra postage. Postage Dues will be held and notified and returned after show upon payment. Awards: Classes with (!) in front of it will be awarded new/used commercial ribbons to 6th place. Grand will receive half book of postage stamps and Reserve Grand a package of Hallmark stickers. This is a FULL benefit for MPPAC. If you'd like more information on a great arab club, you can write: Joanna Unger - 930 Franklin Street - Winchester, VA. - 22601 (Don't forget to enclose a SASE!)

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| (!)1.Stallions | 19.Stable Choice (1 per stable) |
| (!)2.Mares | 20.Mix/Grade/Partbreds |
| (!)3.Geldings | 21.Other Purebreds |
| (!)4.Colts | *22.Nag Class |
| (!)5.Fillies | (!)23.Western Pleasure |
| (!)6.Rem./Reh./Rep. | *24.Barrels/Poles |
| (!)7.Original Finish | *25.Cutting/Roping |
| 8.Arabian | (!)26.Trail (English or Western)(1 per |
| 9.Appaloosa | (!)27.Hunt/Jump horse!) |
| 10.Morgan | 28.Saddleseat |
| 11.Draft | (!)29.Huntseat Pleasure |
| 12.Thoroughbred | 30.Heavy Harness |
| 13.Quarter Horse | 31.Light Harness |
| 14.Pony | *32.Costume/Parade |
| 15.Paint | 33.Live Animal (No Men please!) |
| 16.Gaited | (!)34.Mascots (*See notes!!!) |
| (!)17.Donkey/Mule | (!)35.ANYTHING GOES (Go ahead - Make |
| 18.MPPAC registered | my Day!) |

Notes: Class 22*: For Bow Wow Babies, Over the Hill Glamour Girls and Botched up Bad Boys! Classes 24/25*: Split if enough entries allow. Class 32*: Split if enough entries allow. Class 34: Judged by everyone's favorite monster, "NONNEE E.F. (Ever Ferocious) Monster", who promises to behave himself!

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Entries out as promptly as possible! Class sponsorships available for 10¢ per class. Please give several choices. One line given in results after class sponsored!

***** THANK YOU ! *****



BEYER LITTLE BITS ONLY OPEN SPECIAL SHOW..... MAY 25, 1988

DIV. I and DIV. II

Division I: Complete original finish - no additions of any kind (repairs and breaks ok)

Division II: Repaint/Remade/Haired (any combination) - anything other than original - even the slightest addition to be included here.

HALTER: (halter not required)

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| 1. Stallion | 1a. Gelding | 2. Mare | 3. Arab |
| 4. Morgan | 5. T.B. | 6. Q.H. | 7. Clyd. |
| 8. Sdlbred | 9. Pinto/Paint | 10. Appy | 11. Other Br. |
| 12. Mixed Breed | 13. Showmanship(Hltr & lead required) | | |

Div I Titles to be given:
Halter Ch. and Res.

Div II Titles to be given:
Halter Ch. and Res.

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COLOR: (halter not required)

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|-----------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 14. Bay | 15. Chest/Sorr | 16. Black | 17. Grey/wh/dap |
| 18. Pinto/Paint | 19. Buck/Dun/Gru | 20. Palomino | 21. Appy |
| 22. Other Color | | | |

Div I Titles to be given:
Color Ch. and Res.

Div II Titles to be given:
Color Ch. and Res.

Grand Champion of Show Halter/Res

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PERFORMANCE: (proper tack required)

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| 23. West. Pl. | 24. Eng. Pl. | 25. Rope | 26. Harness |
| 27. Costume | 28. Other(please state what it is-judge's choice for possible seperation) | | |

Div I Titles to be given:

Div II Titles to be given:

Grand Ch. of Show Perf/Res

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Entry Fee: 3 current stamps

Awards: None. This is a show to introduce you to the club. A copy of Breyer Little Bits Club rules will be sent with returns at my cost (I'll add a stamp to your return env. No obligation to join.

Additional Classes: Be sure to mark breed and color, or performance event on photo back. Classes will be added if enough to fill a class to 5th place. The above class list is BLBC's monthly listing.

Results: Full results to all.

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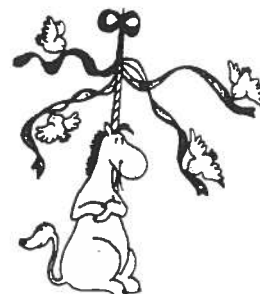
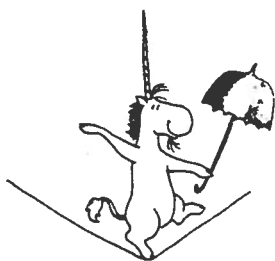
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THE MODEL RAG'S FIRST PHOTO SHOW

APRIL 1988, Judge: Cheryl Munde, 1025 Sheffield Pl., 1000 Oaks, CA 91360

ENTRANTS: Darryl Swift, Laura Ann Doll, Summer Miranda, Bonnie Robb, Suzy Adams, Michelle Bacon, Janice Brusky, Michelle Miller, Lee Frances, Traci Durrell, Ardith Carlton, Corky Visminas, and Janet Hergenhan!

Sorry, we could not print the full results, as there was 4 pages of them, but we do hope you enjoy reading these champions. This was a very tough and highly competitive show and we wish to thank Laura Conaway for all her help and companionship during this show.



THE MODEL RAG CHAMPIONS

GENDER CHAMPION

FAR STARS BURN o/by Ardith Carlton

GENDER RESERVE CHAMPION

SNOWFIRE o/by Michelle Bacon

MOLD CHAMPION

HI NO TORI o/by Ardith Carlton

MOLD RESERVE CHAMPION

WOLF TYPHOON o/by Ardith Carlton

BREED CHAMPION

FAR STARS BURN o/by Ardith Carlton

BREED RESERVE CHAMPION

RM THE TOY WONDER o/by Corky Vasminas

ENGLISH PERFORMANCE CHAMPION

LUCKY TIME TOM o/by Lee Francis

ENGLISH PERF. RES. CHAMPION

IMA DIAMOND SPLASH o/by Michelle Bacon

WESTERN PERFORMANCE CHAMPION

LUCKY TIME TOM o/by Lee Francis

WESTERN PERF. RES. CHAMPION

MUSIC AND GIN o/by Traci Durrell

MISC. PERFORMANCE CHAMPION

JUSTY o/by Ardith Carlton

MISC PERF. RES. CHAMPION

MUSIC AND GIN o/by Traci Durrell

OVERALL HALTER CHAMPION

FAR STARS BURN o/by Ardith Carlton

RES. OVERALL HALTER CHAMPION

HI NO TORI o/by Ardith Carlton

OVERALL PERFORMANCE CHAMPION

LUCKY TIME TOM o/by Lee Francis

RES. OVERALL PERF. CHAMPION

MUSIC AND GIN o/by Traci Durrell

GRAND CHAMPION

LUCKY TIME TOM

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

FAR STARS BURN

Laurie's Drivel Column

Time once again for an installment of mindless dither. First, apologies for the poor photo reproduction in the last Rag! The printer has been dismissed.

Thanks to all you drivel-readers who wrote in responding to the last Rags column. I enjoy hearing from you all! (Kay here - *Actually, she enjoys hearing from anyone who conversationally can handle more than three syllables at a time and who doesn't drool to show pleasure/displeasure. Oh, but that does tend to eliminate some of our more advanced model enthusiasts, doesn't it....*) Laura Doll, of Winter Park, Florida (*A contradiction in terms, I would say...*) writes:

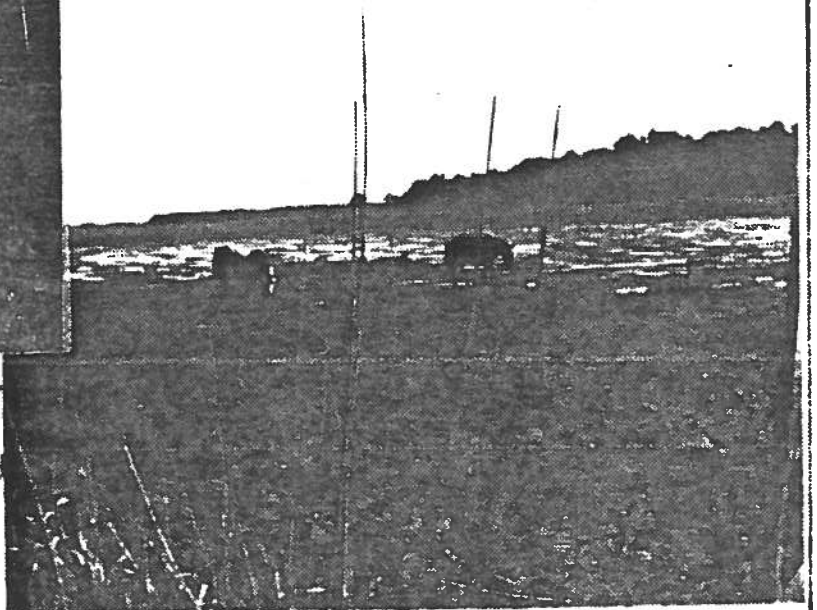
"I love your "drivel" column! A lot of times I've thought of writing -- but when you mentioned front yard decorations, I HAD to send this! Enclosed is a photo of "Flaky the Snowman," who is located in someone's front yard in Kentucky. I almost screamed when I first saw it." Well, Laura, I DID scream when I saw the picture....



Laura also says that she's glad she's 21 and can handle the emotional aspect of knowing that they stuffed Misty of Chincoteague. She asks, "Couldn't that (seeing Misty stuffed) traumatize a child?" Well, sounds to me like seeing the pathetic pinto, sleazily stuffed into a tumbledown trailer would traumatize most of us over 21. Yish!

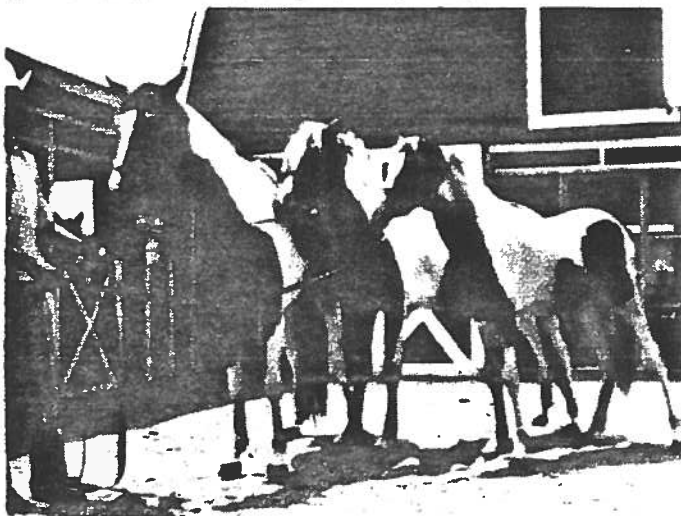
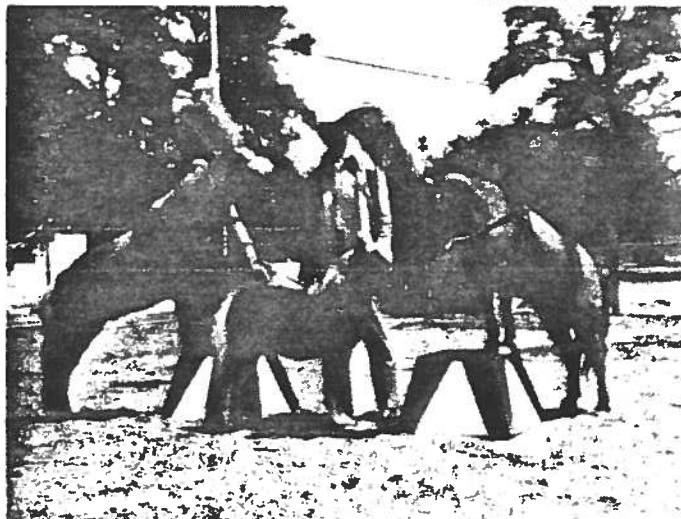
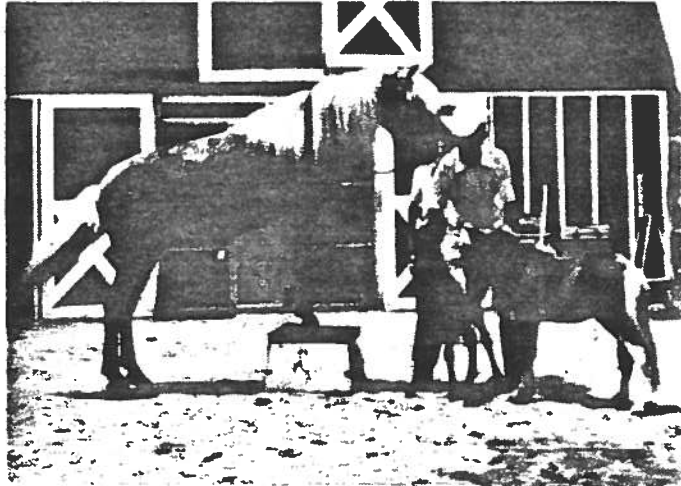
Brenda Harris of Redwood City, California actually sent us some photos of her vacation in Chincoteague as well as a postcard (see next page):

On the back of the postcard Brenda sent, there are several local attractions listed, one of which is "Oyster Museum." Kay do NOT neglect to visit that famous monument to the "Queen of Bivalves."



and "Erin." This is confusing to collectors -

Chincoteague Miniature Pony Farm
"World's Most Unusual Horses"
Chincoteague, Virginia



(Say...oysters are mollusks, JUST LIKE SLUGS!!) AND speaking of slugs...(Oh...I didn't realize WE were!) ...I hope you, Kay, have the photo ready of your pet slug. (Yes, Laurie, I do. As a matter of fact...it's on the cover this issue! So, "NYAH" to those of you who thought we couldn't top the photo of Heather and the deviled eggs! I've titled this one, "SLUG OVER FENCES." Although, having read Laurie's article on Jumpers vs Hunters, I truly feel that he may, in fact, be better suited to hunting...) What's his name, anyway? (His name is Louis. Louis of Louisville. Get it? "LOUISVILLE SLUG-er!!") Please print his photo so we can all have fits of envy. (Of course, you know me, I have fits of envy over most of Kay's possessions. Except her dogs, who bring home parts of large, decaying road kills as presents...After they've rolled in the stinky remains, of course.) (Actually, they seem to have recovered from that pastime lately. As I sit here, I note that my two pups have just trotted past the window carrying an empty gallon milk jug and a rusty tin can to the Sacred Labrador Playground...*SIGH*)

Seems that Mair Dodd keeps abreast (of what?) of slug-related newsbits and sent me this clipping from her paper:

Banana slugs honored

REDWOOD CITY, Calif. (UPI) — California has an official state tree, flower, reptile, bird, insect, animal and marine mammal, but a lawmaker wants to add one more to the list — official state mollusk.

Assemblyman Byron Sher, a Mountain View Democrat, is lobbying on behalf of the lowly, forest-dwelling banana slug. On Friday, he and the slimy slugs got a show of support from 400 children at Hawes Elementary School.

Most of the kids wore yellow outfits and costumes for Banana Slug Day, which attracted a band and officials from the University of California at Santa Cruz.

(Notice that the city listed in the clipping is RED WOOD CITY. O.K., Brenda! Are you a closet pro-slug activists? We have no secrets here. (We have no TASTE here...) Fess up!) Anyway, Mair asks: "Did you know that July 1-7 is NATIONAL SLUG WEEK? Yes, folks, this is the time when our slimy little friends make their pilgrimage to our lush green gardens and proceed to make gluttons of themselves on the precious baby plants we raised from seed." Mair's a good sport, though. She says she leaves a nice big bowl of beer out for "The guys" to quench thirst, or sometimes she "treats" them to a quick salt bath to calm their nerves. Whatta gal, Mair!! Mair urges us all to join her in her "salute to slugs everywhere! Hurrah for Mom, apple pie, and slugs!" Perhaps Ms. Dodd should move to Redwood City!?

(Kay here - I received a note from Fara O'Sullivan, who lives in Oregon. She said that "...My Pet Slugs' are manufactured in OREGON, and also sold in 'Made In Oregon' stores. I would imagine that North Westerners all over are making them!" Anyway, my apologies to those of you scouring the state of Washington, looking for a factory tour of the "My Pet Slug" Production Plant...

I also got a letter from Dotty Van Vogt, who lives in Pomeroy, WA. She writes, "By the way, Eastern Washington has almost no slugs...instead we have our own problems 'pets'..like grasshoppers and sagebugs!" There, you see? We have found a market niche! TMR should start producing "MY PET SAGEBUG!" We'd clean up!

Oh - before Laurie throws too much a fit because I'm hogging her column - in answer to those of you who asked - yes, people ASKED! - I work for Sullivan Payne Co., a reinsurance intermediary who's home office is located in the Century Square Building in downtown Seattle on 4th. But you all would have guessed that...)

In addition, Laura Doll says she's never owned a pet slug but she did own a caterpillar once. His name was Percy. (Uh,oh - his name WAS Percy - I sense an unhappy ending here!) Says Laura, "We kept him in a jelly jar...One day he wasn't moving so we gave him a proper burial...but you how children are (me: yes, I do) and we DUG HIM UP the next day and he was GONE!!! EEEK!....'Caterpillar of the Living Dead'?" (Me: I can see the movie marquee reading, "Percy's Revenge" or "Cocoon II...The Final Pupation" or "The Crawling Terror." (How about, "Nightmare In Elm Tree"...)

One last "slug goodie" comes from the Orange County Register newspaper where an article on making the banana slug California's Official State Mollusk features this poem:

ODE TO THE SLUG

Which will make you sicker?

A Slug,

Or a slimy poliricker.

Oh, banana slug, we can't wait

Until you're the official mollusk of the State.

-The Dynamite Blue Bird Troop
of Redwood City-

The article goes on to say that for a while it looked as though the bull (Oops - Typo! Tee hee!) BILL was headed for the trash heap - which probably would have been fine with the

slugs. Committee Chairman, Dick Floyd came to the hearing with a box of slug bait. Assemblyman Ross Johnson was ready to pour salt on the whole idea, saying, "I've personally enjoyed about as much of this as I can stand."

Well, I'm sure all you readers are feeling the same way just about now. (So are the writers...) So onward with FROG DRIVEL! (We seem to be preoccupied with lower lifeforms, don't we??) (Understandably...)

We had two BRAVE entrants to the "Name the Frogs (and Turtle) Contest." And now, the moment you've all been waiting for...THE WINNERS!

MS. SHIRLEY WYATT, Riverside, CA
and

MS. MAIR DODD, Eureka, CA!

Here are the names chosen for the frogs:

Bongo Bob Bullfrog - S.W.

Buford Bullfrog - M.D.

Butch Bullfrog - M.D.

Heda Harp Hopper - S.W.

Ben Bullfrog (Named after "you know you" Breyer) - M.D.

Terrence "The Terd" Wellington III - S.W.

Frederico Los Frogos - S.W.

Inga Toad (One of those Swedish Frogs) - S.W.

and-

Bob The Turtle - M.D.

Yay! Both Shirley and Mair will receive cheap and disgusting prizes as soon as I make them!! (Bet they can't wait!) (Lucky girls...)

I hear that Jean Lindgren of Hollywood has a mother who has a pond which has frogs. (How novel!!) She has offered to send some for me to stuff. Gee THANKS, Jean, but since I've become "in the family way" I don't think I could eviscerate any amphibian without serious upper gastric disturbances. Maybe in 9 months or so...(Oh, but that does bring up another topic. Heather and I were discussing the possibility of sending Laurie on an ALL EXPENSES PAID STUFFED FROG HUNTING TRIP!! So, since obviously neither one of US wants to shell out any bucks for this, we thought we'd give our GENEROUS subscribers the opportunity to contribute to THE FUND TO SEND LAURIE TO TIAJUANA TO LOOK FOR STUFFED FROGS!!! Those of you EAGER to participate should send their contributions to Heather. We figure we should scrape up the money right around mid-August, so Laurie "Almost Ready To Pop" Jensen can enjoy beautiful downtown T.J. in all of its sweltering glory! Please mark envelopes "TFTSLTTJTLFSF" - well, then again, maybe not... We'll be sure an PUNBLISH the names of all of those GENEROUS enough to contribute! Yes, we'll find out who Laurie's friends REALLY are!!!)

Got some fellow frog fanciers...(sent in from Laura Doll. Seems the "slimy creatures of the night" fascination runs deep in this family.) This is Laura's sister and a guy and

a stuffed frog:



Heather received a note from a certain T.W. - she sent us a story that came over the Associated Press wire machine..."That I thought would be of interest to the Model Rag's elite group of readers."

MICHAEL COLVIN IS NOT JUST A MEMBER OF BRITAIN'S PARLIAMENT. HE ALSO HAS AN ACQUAINTANCE WHO RAISES FROGS FOR A LIVING.

O-K. LET'S GET THEM OVER WITH NOW.

BUSINESS KEEPS HIM HOPPING. IT IS A RIBBETING OCCUPATION. FEEDING FROGS MEANS TIME FLIES. AND IT IS A CASE OF HUMAN BEING MEETING AMPHI-BEIN'.

NOW. TO THE NEWS: COLVIN HAS A COMPLAINT ABOUT A BILL BEFORE PARLIAMENT THAT WOULD GIVE TAX BREAKS TO LIVESTOCK GROWERS. THE TROUBLE, HE SAYS. IS THAT IT DEFINES LIVESTOCK IN TERMS OF MAMMALS AND BIRDS.

COLVIN'S ACQUAINTANCE. WHO RAISES AMPHIBIANS. IS OUT OF LUCK. COLVIN WOULD LIKE A CHANGE IN THE LAW.

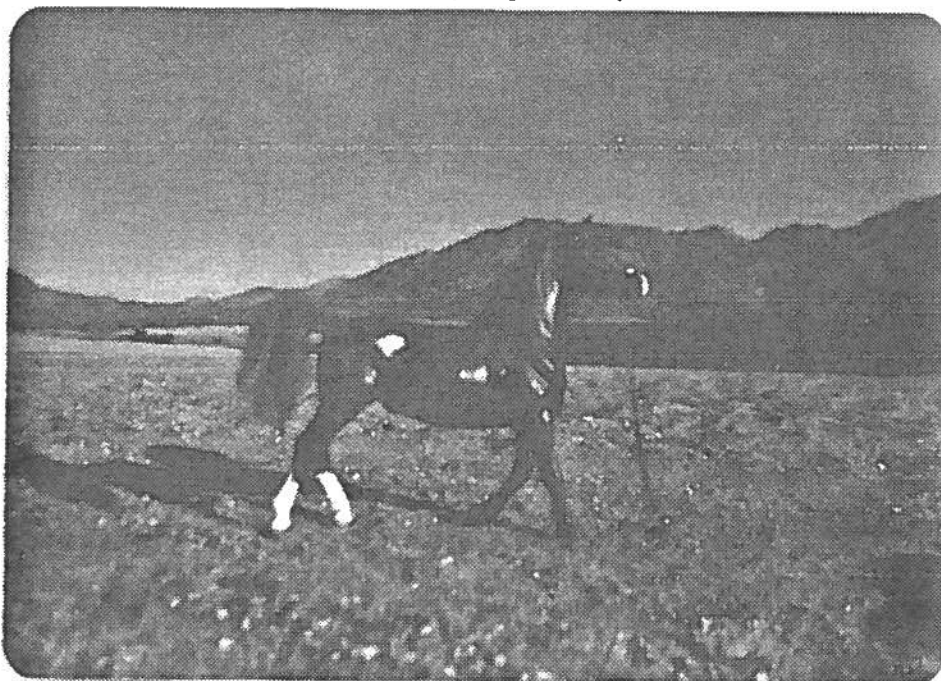
HE HOPES HIS FELLOW LAWMAKERS WILL HOP TO IT.

She also sent us a pic for the "Weird Pet Contest" (see next page). His name is "Watson", who is, she writes, "...a reformed model horse-eater. Now he sticks to the dog food we give him and all the cat food he can steal. Watson caused the demise of several repainted Breyers when he was a puppy...fortunately he never tried to tackle an Hagen-Renaker!



Also, a M.D. from Eureka (didn't want to embarrass you, Mair!) writes, "I wanted to enter the WEIRD PET contest but there were no rules listed in the RAG." Silly rabbit - rules are for NORMAL contests - given the people with whom you are dealing, what conclusions would YOU make?

Hey, we have a bow-wow this month by Holly Woodard! Holly says, "The best part about this picture is the background." See for yourself:



She adds, "I hope this will keep you entertained for a while." Ha, Ha! I'm constantly being entertained by all you Rag Readers! Thanks for the pic, Holly!
Time to bring this to a close with my "Quote to Remember..." "A dog is a dog except when he is facing you. Then he is Mr. Dog." Bye! *Laurie*

BUYER BEWARE!

Have you ever been approached to buy a highly desirable model at a cut rate price...maybe a deal too good to be true? In all probability, it IS too good to be true. The fact is, more and more unscrupulous people are making their mark on the model horse world. This article is meant to educate the buyer & seller of potential problems.

ORIGINAL FINISH MODELS: Everyone has his or her own opinion on the terms "perfect", "excellent", "fair", "good", etc. "Mint" condition may or may not mean the same to different people. It should be used in describing a model as it came from the factory, with additions to details as box rub on hindquarter, nose, ears, tips, etc. We all know the perfect model is hard to come by. Keep in mind that rubs do occur on new models during shipment from factory to dealers, and dealers to buyers. The new tie-wrap system of Breyer securing produced unwanted rubs on the banded legs. This is not a cause for return however, either to dealer nor factory, so keep this in mind. If you are buying mail order & want to lessen the chance of more rubs, you can ask the seller to unwrap from the original box and pad the model before shipment. Most sellers will accommodate you with this request. If you are selling, please try to be as accurate as possible when detailing condition, ie. pinhead sized rub right hind at stifle. Also, whether or not live show quality, or photo show quality. Spell out your terms for returns. If you have a money back if not satisfied clause or not. Please be honest. If the sale is due to a hurried need for money, the price may be cheaper than normal to insure a quick sale, but a return may not be available.

REPAINTS: Maybe you only collect from "known" quality artists. Remember, not all of a person's work is of the same quality. A person who has had a long career of repainting/remaking had to have learned the tricks of the trade somewhere. If you are buying a second hand repaint, not from the artist, you may be buying an early failure. Photos showing good closeups of finish and detail before the sale is actually made will eliminate most problems. Don't go by show photos however, as they were probably done when the horse was first done. Live shows and rough handling afterwards adds to the scratches and flaws in the present horse. Ask for current photos. If a person is asking a high price for the model, this isn't too much to ask for. Also, ask about returns before purchasing, and who is expected to pay shipping costs. Normally, the buyer pays all shipping charges to & from. Also, ask if the piece is signed by the artist. Many horses have been sold as being from one person, when they were actually not. If the value of the horse is due to it being a known artist, ask about having the fact verified by the artist.

TEST COLORS/SPECIAL RUNS: Confusion arises in the terms "test" & "special". A test color is a FACTORY AUTHORIZED production of a color, normally only 1 is produced of the pattern/color. Most do not get in the hands of the public. Most of the true test colors escaped from Breyer in the 1970's, when factory employees took home the extras. Many unauthorized "tests" escaped via different routes while in Chicago. These were not limited to 1 piece and were generally done on factory "seconds", or rejects. The value therefor, is secondary to a true test color. Also, there are limited release "test" colors, such as the palomino Adios available in a gift set...5 pieces escaped to dealers before the set was dropped. These are solid faced, and not to be confused with the special run ones.

Actually, the only confusion on special runs are the duplicate special runs. The special runs made are actually all different. The special run Clydesdale stallion in dapple grey was actually made 3 times.. first as a regular issue horse in the 60's and in gloss, the '70's issue in a brighter colored matte, and the current special available in a softer grey matte. Specify dates when selling special runs that were multiple issued. They are the buckskin Lady Phase (solid faced in the VaLes 1970s run, bald faced in the catalog run of 1985 or 86), the dapple grey Running Mare & foal; Dapple grey Belgian; Black Belgian; dapple grey Cantering Welsh in 2 versions of braid colors; and a few others.

LOOK-ALIKE REPAINTS: This coined term is actually one of my own. It describes a repainted Breyer done in the style & patterns used by the factory. Each model is stripped of all color and airbrushed back into other Breyer colors not found naturally on the model. I can only speak for myself when talking about these type of horses. Each BHR repaint is signed "BHR" between the hind legs. About 4 years ago, 6 pieces were given to friends unsigned...all pieces have been returned to me since then for signing. This is ONLY on look alike pieces, not on realistic type paint jobs. I can state that I do not "fake" paint jobs that I sell to others of actual production models, but only of paint jobs not knowingly produced on the mold. Such as a decorator colored Clydesdale stallion, buckskin San Domingo, alabaster Grazing Mare.

Now then, the main reason for this article is to protect YOU, the buyer, from the fakes. It has come to light that there are certain people faking paint jobs on actual production models. In further questioning of collectors, we have come across the following offered; glossy bay Fighting Stallion (not produced gloss); Glossy bay running Mare & foal (not produced), and a few others easily faked. This is just spraying gloss over a matte model. Very easy to do, so please beware of this. The smell of the gloss is a giveaway to a faked one of these.

The other fakes are actually more elaborate. The case that has come to my attention is a Decorator Gold Charm (solid gold) Fighting Stallion. This was very cleverly done, and if a person did not have a real one to compare with, would probably never suspect it. First of all... no Decorator has the USA stamp. This one did. The matte alabaster model was used, with the grey hoof paint removed with nail polish remover...a fact realized by the glossy appearance and shiney finish. The bottom of the hind hooves still had grey overspray on them. The seams had been melted by the nail polish remover, too clean to be from the factory. Also, the pink hooves needed for a real one hadn't been added. The coloring was too bright colored...like Testor's gold metallic....too bright to match a Breyer. Also, again the smell gave it away... like Krylon gloss...anyone working with this knows the smell. The masking of the mane/tail was too crisp. Breyer used clamp on masks for this, thus, the edges are sometimes leaked under, to produce a faded edge. This is model was "offered" to the buyer for aprox. \$150.00... way under the going price of \$200-500.00! The "seller" needed the money quickly was the story. The horse was traded thru 3 knowledgable Breyer collectors before it was identified as a fake. This is a serious problem. If you have any doubts about the authenticity of a horse, ask for an evaluation by a third party. If the seller balks at this, proceed at your own risk. We don't need these things to happen in our hobby. It is important that these matters be reported. The best recourse is to contact the editors of magazines, who can refuse publication of ads until the situation is remedied. Public blacklisting is cause for liable cases, so do not ask the editor to do this.

I hope that this has helped you in some way to better understand the buying and selling of your horses. Also, if buying an expensive horse from a person not known to you, ask for it to be sent COD. The seller is insured to get her money and the buyer to getting her horse. Too many bounced checks from buyers has caused the need for holding out of state checks, but what about the buyer? COD is a cheap solution to this. Happy collecting.

Karen Grimm
Black Horse Ranch

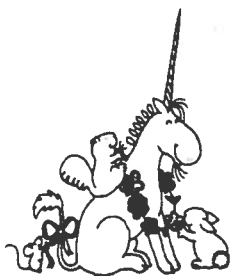
THE ENDLESS QUEST...

"HAROLD! CATCH ME!
IT'S-IT'S-A METALLIC SEMI-
GLOSSY, ROYAL ROANED
WOODGRAINED DECORATOR !!!!

LOOKS LIKE
ANOTHER PLASTIC
HORSE TO
ME.



K. Grimm 3/88



THE UNKNOWN COLUMN
is now, from this date forward, to be known as

CHEAP THRILLS

edited/written by Gale Good, 1359 Sherrill St., Anaheim, CA 92804

The winner of the Name-the-Column Contest is Shirley Wyatt. She not only came up with the winning name but also the second place runner-up. So she is entitled to two prizes and will be notified in the next two weeks as to which models she may chose from. A big Thank You to everyone who entered. It's been fun reading all your crazy, and creative, ideas. Next issue I hope to have a logo designed for the column featuring the new name.

Next on the agenda is write-ups. It has been pointed out to me that I have been remissed in placing my address on the column so that future participants may write to me. Sorry about that, Chief. I promise to do better.

Because I just held my first live show (a lot of hard work but loads of fun, too), there was a massive clean-up of the patio, house and horse room. The horse room is where I keep all my mail. Unfortunately, some of the mail (including other write-ups and bills) have either disappeared or been misplaced (maybe permanently). If you've sent something and it hasn't appeared yet, please send it again and accept my apologies.

If you're in the area for the Western Regional Congress '88 show in May, be sure to stop in and chat. I have been drafted to judge Original Finish Novice classes. No, really, I enjoy doing it. (You can stop twisting my arm, Laurie. Just kidding.) And if any one wants a grand tour of my horse room, they're welcome. Just let me know a head of time.

On to the good stuff:

At my show, Cori McGraw (I hope I spelled that right) mentioned that she had found a glossy charcoal mustang with eyewhites at a local antique store. This store is frequented by several other model horse collectors and was thought to be tapped out. Goes to show that you should periodically check out the old haunts because new merchandise may come in at any time.

S.L. found not one but TWO Breyer woodgrain longhorns. This particular finish/mold has been hard to locate in the pass. Maybe this is an indication that more will show up.

Another person, who shall rename nameless (no H.W., I'm not going to let you live this down), called me one day and said that her mother-in-law had bought her a little japanese ceramic foal, not knowing that she had already passed it by. She thought it was cute but oddly painted...maybe a Josef Original. The next time we got together, she brought the foal along. I nearly swallowed my tongue. "Dummy, I said, this is a Hagen-Renaker Clover." Checking my photos and price lists proved I was right. It was in perfect condition and a bay--a color K.G. says is the harder one to find. So let's hear it for mother-in-laws!

The manufacturers of model horses that most people collect are: Beswick, Breyer, Hagen-Renaker, and Hartland. There are about fifty others that have either made horse figurines for a limited amount of time or have produced only a few molds. A few of these are: Albany, Coalport, Franklin Mint, Goebel, Hutschenreuther, Lladro, Royal Copenhagen, Royal Doulton, and Royal Worcester. Most of this second group is either porcelain or fine china. The chances of finding these are rare but not impossible. You just need to seize the opportunity when it comes.

At a local commercial swapmeet where I had never found anything before, I came across a glossy white china horse. The piece was incredibly detailed for something that was unpainted. The lady had it marked \$35.00. I asked if she would take \$25.00. She said yes, mainly because she was afraid it would get broken during the trip home. The blue mark on the bottom was smudged and unreadable. It didn't really bother me that the manufacturer was unknown. I was quite happy with it. Then, on a business trip to England (many moons ago), I stumbled across a shop filled with beautiful Royal Copenhagen china. There was my little white grazing mare with a price tag of 90 pounds. About \$190+ in those days! I've since added two more pieces of Royal Copenhagen to my collection. Both are smaller in size but considerably more in price. Even if you don't collect this type of model, no piece reasonably priced should be ignored. You could always trade it.

I'm going to the San Francisco area next weekend for a convention. There may not be time, but I hope to hit one or two antique/junk shops in search of something great. Whenever traveling, you should try to keep an eye out for discontinued models. They turn up in the oddest places.

Back in 1971, a friend and I stopped at a trading post for directions and found a glossy Breyer dapple grey Clydesdale Stallion. It never occurred to me to ask if they had more than one which I believe they did because mine came in a box from the back room. Wish I could remember exactly where this shop was. Maybe they still have some. Sigh. Til next issue, Thock.

Now deluge me with write-ups or you'll hear more about my miserable finds.

Hey folks - we have a surprise for you! Here's an article written by another one of our subscribers, Sarah Minkiewicz. Thank you Sarah!

PAINTING A FLEA-BITTED GREY

by
Sarah Minkiewicz

Hi everyone! In this article, we'll explore two different ways to achieve that stunning flea-bitten effect on your model horse. These methods aren't difficult, but like all skills, they require practice, so be sure to do some experimenting before you create your masterpiece!

First off, you need to sand those mold seams off your model and do any remaking that you plan to do. A Dremel Power Sander is terrific for sanding, but it's not a toy and should be handled very carefully and protective eye goggles and filter mask should be worn. If you are using sand paper, start with a coarse grade, then medium grade and even. Phew! Now that all the sanding and remaking is out of the way, now comes the FUN part!

Flea-bitten greys, as we all know, are white with flecks of chestnut, brown or black hairs as a result of "greying out." This means that when the horse was born, he was either chestnut, bay or black or any solid color and as he grew older, and with subsequent sheddings, grey hairs became the dominant color. So keep in mind that you want the effect of the bites being PART OF the coat and not looking as though they are SITTING on top of it. Also, the color of the bites is not just "a dark color," but can be chestnut, bay, black, or even dark grey! Furthermore, don't just use black paint for the bites, it's much softer and more natural to mix burnt sienna, yellow ochre, a tiny bit of dark green even and burnt umber to create your bite color. Experiment and be creative!

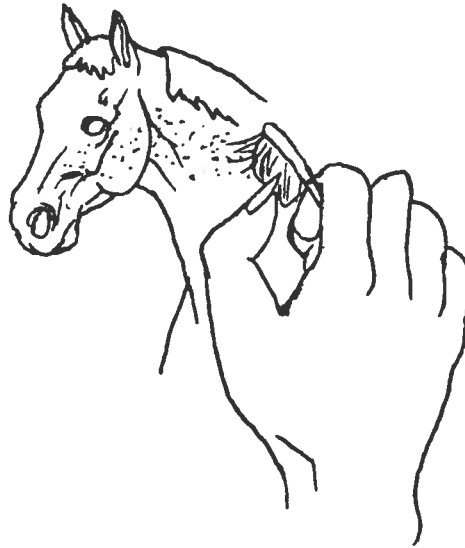
Before you begin to repaint, I recommend spraying on a white matte base coat and be sure it dries THOROUGHLY. This helps to smooth out the remaking and helps the paint "stick." You can use oils or acrylics for these methods, but acrylics dry faster and are cleaner. There's nothing worse than smudged flea-bites! However, if you are partial to oils, you can paint the body white (keep in mind that white oil paint yellows with age!) and all the shading that's needed in oils. Then when that is THOROUGHLY dry, you can paint the bites on with acrylics! Or visa-versa! The best of both worlds. Nevertheless, I use acrylics and the article will be from that perspective.

OK, here we go!

You've just finished painting the horse white and have done all the necessary shadings (Leave all the facial coloring, detail and leg markings, etc. until the very last). Now you want to paint on the bites. METHOD #1: Painting the bites directly on the horse with a brush. This is the most obvious way. The best brush to use in this instance is a 00 fine sable brush because it's fine, soft and holds paint well. Thin the paint you're using for the bites with water until it's the thickness of ink then load your brush with it and gently (!) put tiny dots of color onto your horse. Where there is shading, you should put more bites as opposed to highlights that have less bites. This takes practice because you don't want big blotches or smudges of color! Using a brush will take a long time and demands great patience, but the results are great! Remember it takes practice. After the bites have dried, you may want to put bites of thinned white paint over the dark bites to set them in the coat, to make them look PART OF the coat. Then after all that is done, you can add your facial detail and leg shadings.

METHOD #2: Splattering. This is my favorite method because it's fast, relatively easy and gives a fabulous effect! Splattering you say? Yes, splattering. To do this you need an old soft tooth brush, plenty of water and newspapers to keep the splattering paint off the table, walls, the cat, whatever! Take your bite color and thin it down with water to the consistency of ink. Be careful, if the paint is too thick you'll just end up with nice lovely blobs of paint on

your horse, and if the paint is too thin, you won't be able to see the bites! OK, take your toothbrush and dip it into the thinned paint, then tap it on the side of the water container to remove excess paint. BEFORE YOU APPLY THE PAINT TO YOUR MODEL, TEST IT OUT FOR COLOR AND CONSISTENCY ON THE BACK OF YOUR HAND OR ON THE NEWSPAPER! You should end up with loads of tiny little dots of paint. Apply the paint by pointing the bristle side of the toothbrush towards the horse and run your thumb over the bristles to flick the paint onto your horse. (See diagram below).



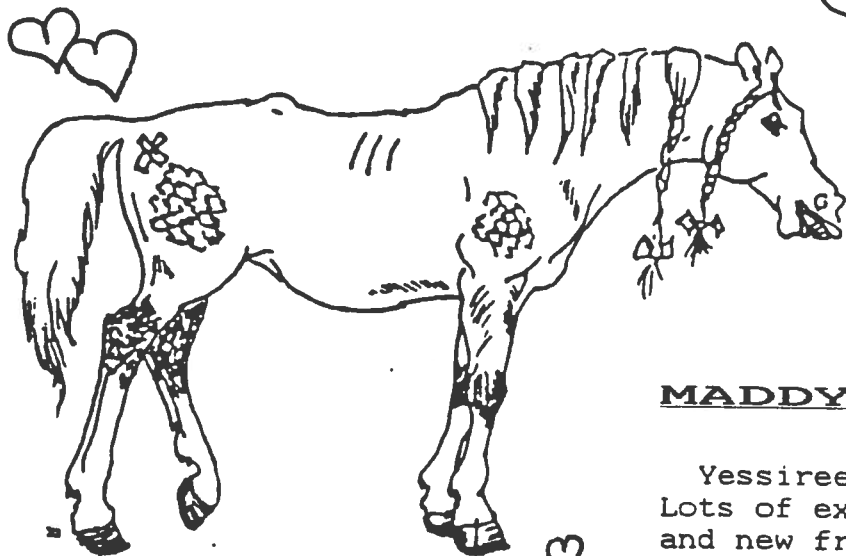
Note that holding the toothbrush at different distances gives different effects. Again, you should apply more bites to shaded areas, but it's easy to "over bite" with this method so be CAREFUL! The best advice is to leave your horse half done, that way he won't be overdone. (But use your own judgement and taste). Continue flicking until your horse is more or less evenly covered with bites. You'll have to re-dip your toothbrush in the thinned paint often to get evenly sized bites. Remember to test your flicking on your hand or newspaper before you apply it to the horse and be sure to get everywhere! After the bites are dry, you can clean your brush and thin out some white paint to ink consistency and flick a little of that over the bites to blend and really make the bites "sit back." This method demands A LOT of practice to really get a great effect. Also, think about experimenting with a hard toothbrush (it gives a slightly different result) or mix the soft and hard toothbrush effects together! Experiment with different types of brushes!

After your horse has been completely painted (but not haired yet) and has THOROUGHLY dried, spray a clear matte or glossy (whichever you prefer) protective coat over him to seal and protect the paint. It also gives a nice sheen to the horse. After that is dry, you can do your hairing and paint those eyes and hooves with clear nail polish for that extra shine! And TA-DAA!!! Your masterpiece is done!

I hope this article has been some help to you out there and if you have any questions about this write me SASE: Sarah Minkiewicz, 13760 Camino Rico, Saratoga CA 95070. (P.S. I need information on how to hair a tail with the original tail on and also with an epoxy tail bone. Thanks!)

Thank you, SARAH! Sure got my hands itching to do a flea-bitten grey! Well, maybe after I finish my back orders (I haven't forgotten you Lani!!!!) I will have time to try some of these techniques. If anyone else has model horse information or techniques to share, let us know!

april 1988
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MADDY'S CORNER

Yessireeeee! We have been busy!!
Lots of exciting shows, new models,
and new friends!!

A few weeks ago, I met this gal
from Indiana, name of Laura Cona-
way, and she is a really nice
person. Well, she wanted to go
to a genuine southern california

Live show! (who can blame her, we really have some exciting
ones down here, with Laurie jensen, Heather Wells, Gale Good
and Cheryl Munde, you never know what will happen!) Anyways,
I thought I would start out with Gale Good's WRC benefit on
Saturday, March 19, so we drove for 1½ hours through the won-
derful **L.A.** traffic (the things we do for plastic horses!)
missed the first two shows (Gale even waited a half hour for
us!) found a table and then proceeded to have the time of our
lives. Gads, there was Heather and Laurie, Kathleen Rose, Cory
McGraw, Lani Keller, Michelle and her sister (I forgot their
last names), and a few faces I didn't know. Gale had the show
on her covered patio, borrowed "tons" of tables from church,
had good lighting and a great potluck lunch (yummy chicken!).
We just did not want to go home. Bye the way, Gale's collect-
ino is **AWESOME!!**

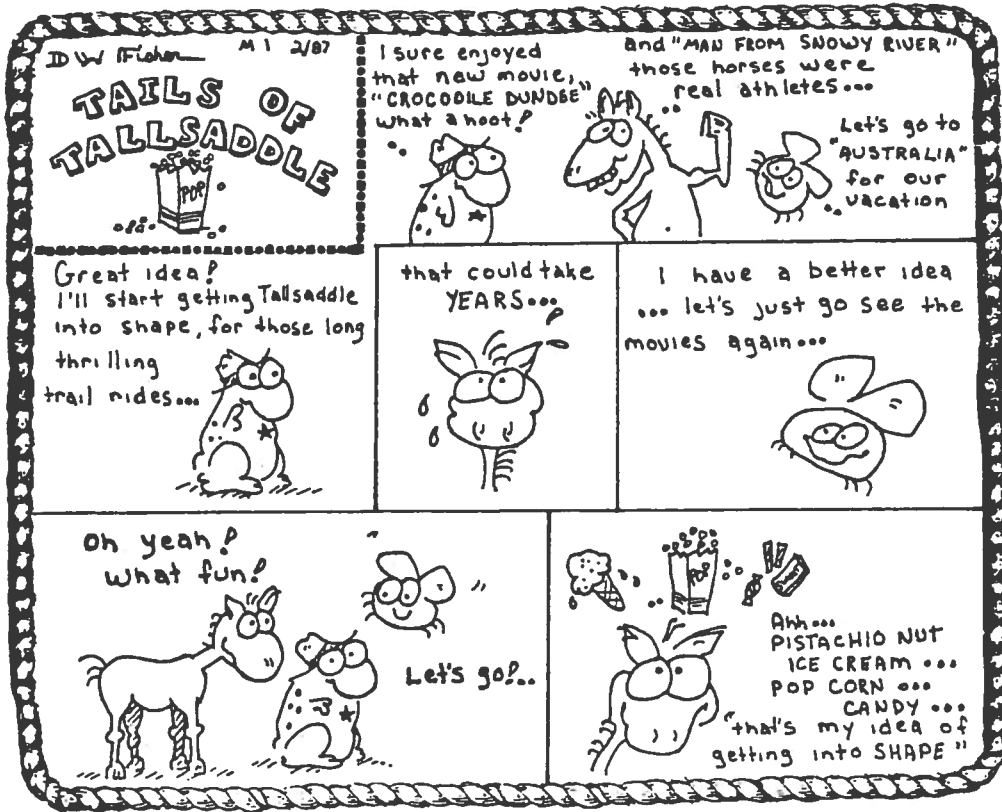
The next day, Cheryl and the
"little blue thing" Glenn went
to a real horse show in their
town, put on by ETI. English in
the morning, western after lunch
and Cheryl passed around some
fliers for the ETI Drill Team
looking for members, so those
interested should call her, as
she is the new ETI Drill Team
Director. Theres a parade and a
rodeo coming soon and need to
get some practicing done! That
evening we recieved four phone
calls! This upcoming Sat (at
the time I am writing this, its
March 26) will be another model
horse show, and then the follow-
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Yessireeeee! We have been busy!

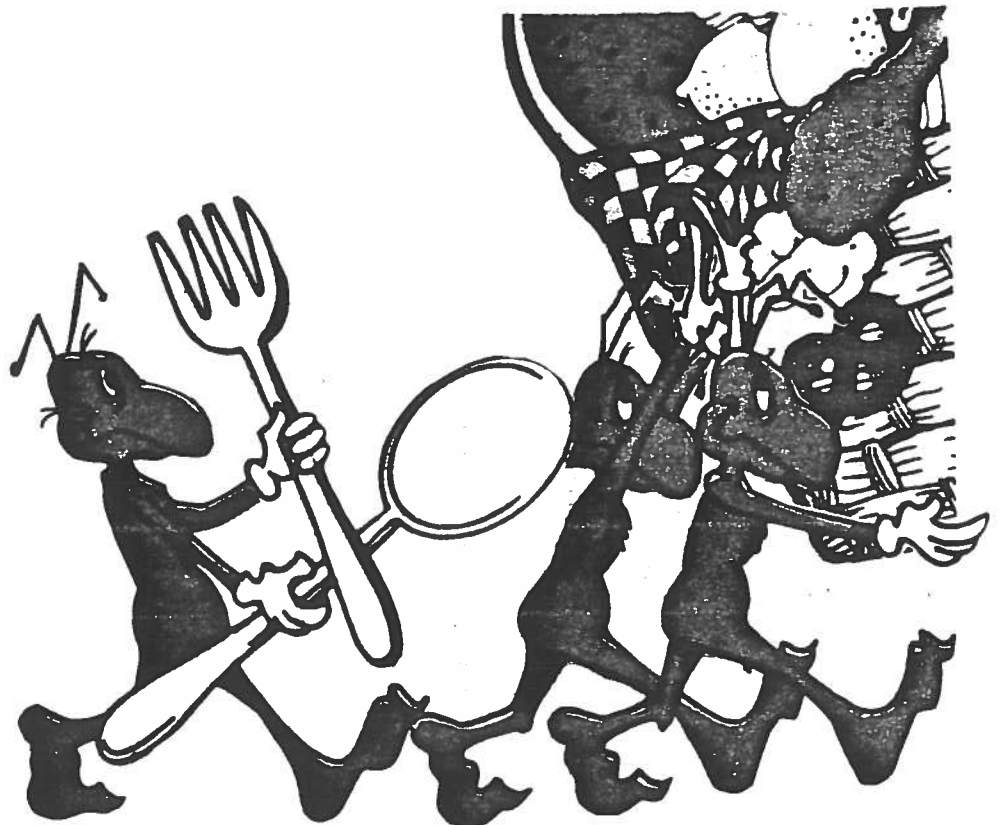


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Well, sorry this is so short, only two pages, but no one sent in any of their favorite mascots, so I will gladly put in these wonderful drawings by DW Fisher (notice the frog Laurie J.?)



And what would we do without our favorite bugs? Now that its Springtime, many of us will probably go on lots of picnics, or maybe lovely LIVE shows in the park, or maybe a trip to the park for a photo session, where we might bring a little lunch, and then these cute little "buggers" will gladly join us!!



Luv,
♡ Maddy ♡

PEOPLE, PLACES, & THINGS



Thanks to Cheryl Mundeel for some help with B-Days:

Michelle Bacon - May 9th

Gayle Roller - May 6th

Merryl Jensen - April 28th

Heather Wells - April 18th



Another Video Model report:

From Gay Mahlandt -

In "The Black Stallion", Alex has a black Foundation Stallion on his chest of drawers.

Thanks Gay!



And speaking of Videos... we had a comment from Nola Bennett:

"I did want to mention something in response to the November Rag item re: Video Taping Live Shows...nifty. You should offer them for sale in the Rag as well...I know I would certainly buy them. You might also entertain the idea of soliciting the appearances of noted remakers/repainters & tackmakers to do how-to segments on tape with some royalty percentage going to the featured artist for each tape sold and sell these also through the Rag. Would provide a whole new source of revenue for worthy modelling/publishing causes, eh?"

Interesting! Thanks for the suggestions, Nola - we'll have to let our "grey matters" get a workout on this idea!

Here are our "supplier's addresses" for the issue - dealing with hairing material:

Dollspart Supply Co, Inc., 5-15 49th Avenue, Long Island City, NY 11101.

(212)361-0888. Catalogue \$2.00. Sell straight mohair and doll supplies.

Holly Tree Workshop, Gretchen Haskett, 2205 Marquette Rd Apt C-3, Peru, IL

61354. SASE for pricelist, Sells straight mohair.



Cheryl Mundeel has treated us to some of her "classic" jokes - enjoy!

1) What kind of beer does Chewbacca like?

Old Milwaukee!!!

2) What goes, "99 Thump, 99 Thump, 99 Thump?"

A centipede with a wooden leg!!!

Thought you all would like to get another look at our mailbag from the last two months:

"I look forward to TMR; I need that dose of lunacy from my native state, (it makes life in the 'frozen wasteland' a little more bearable)." - W.E.

"The latest Rag was informative, as usual, and seems to maintain its quality format..." - T.T.B.

"I can't tell you how much I enjoy the conservative humor and excellent taste of The Model Rag. (Please don't be offended, it was meant as a compliment)." - G.T.

(Kay here - uh-oh, we have people complimenting our excellent taste now! We'll have to try a little harder to reach our former standards of trash and disgust!)

"Your newsletter is growing - and I am most pleased with the quality of your newsletter." - D.R.

"Enclosed check for...renewal of my subscription for a year to The Model Rag. Really enjoy it. It contains so much news and information & I have located several hard to find horses. Also enjoy your wit. Thanks." - S.K.

"I received the ad for TMR; hope it results in some new subscribers for you! I told everyone who didn't know about your magazine that it was really good, it's a little silly in areas - I enjoy it!" - D.M.

From the "And You Thought Collecting Model Horses Was Strange" Department:

Heard that Karen Grimm has a unique collection that she keeps at her office - shipping "foo-foo" (You know, that stuff that you pack in boxes!). She's comes up with at least 8 varieties, including "peanut", "shell", and the dreaded "potato chip" style. But do they come in woodgrain???

Karen has told us that she still has Special Run Adios and Indian Ponies left. If you still need to get these, or want to order an extra set, please write to her (address in For Sale section).

Interesting tidbit from Bentley Sales:

As you may or may not know, Cord & Co. keeps a computer model exchange. When Bentley's was looking for the right model to request for a special run, they turned to Cord & Co for some information. It seems that the model number most commonly requested by people looking for models for sale was - - - #190, the Bucking Bronco. Oh - guess that their sales of the special run Broncos are moving briskly; over one-half are already gone!

Here are our quotes of the issue:

"Gale (Good) can't chew gum and judge horses at the same time." -Anon.

"Horse collecting is a very stable hobby." -Dotty Van Vogt-

"God forbid that I should go to any heaven in which there are no horses." -Robert Graham- (submitted by Lynn Marie Duffy)



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We have some exciting news - It seems our own Laurie Jo Jensen & hubby Bill are expecting their second child! Congrats! Laurie's "Do-Date" is October 6th, so be sure and flood her with articles and items for the October/November issue! Hee!



And speaking of expecting...MRS. Kitty Whompus Grimm-Sandman is expecting her first child(ren) by new hubby "The Sandman." She's due to pop right around our mailing date - we'll get you the "scoop" on the cat-doings next ish. (Congrats to grandparents-to-be Karen & Peter Grimm!)



Seems that Heather is not the only Wells with the golden model-finding touch. Hubby Michael (Doc) picked up a Woodgrain Brahma the other day. Now, whose collection is that going to???



Most of you have heard about Leonard Huffman's upcoming special run -- it is going to be a Mustang in red roan and a San Domingo in red roan pinio. They are based on the Jeanne Craig story, "Wildfire & Ruby." They will sell as a set - not for the original price of \$50 to \$60, but for \$35, if you pay by May 1, 1988, \$45 after that. He will also take a deposit of \$15, and notify you when the models are ready. Write to him at: PO Box 729, Colorado Springs, CO 80901. Tell him you saw it in TMR. He also has several lists for sale: inquire.



And more exciting news from Black Horse Ranch!! Karen has a new Specail Run due late-May: The Mustang in SIX colors!! They will be black leopard, alabaster marie, bay/blanketed Appaloosa (like Indian Pony), grey fleabitten, palomino, and dun (like new Adios). She will have 2000 pieces available. They are \$100 postage paid, \$90 if you pick-up. She is also now accepting Visa and Mastercard (with a \$3.00 bank charge). See her address in For Sale section.



Also, concerning her special run of PAS in black, bay, and chestnut - it seems that due to the many problems in production (bent/broken legs, bad finishes), there are only about 1000 pieces out there! So, hang on to your sets!



Seems that Just About Horses is going to FIVE issues a year! But, sadly, that means an increase in subscriptions - now \$5.00 for renewals, \$7.50 for new subscriptions.



We were unable to get enough Hagen-Renaker Miniatures Spring 1988 color flyers to enclose with every TMR this time. We got about 30 flyers for Spring 1988, and 30 for 1987. If you would like one, please send an SASE to Heather. First come, first served! We hope to have flyers for Fall 1988 in the June/July edition.



And speaking of H-R Minis.....they are supposed to be bringing out a new series of mini HORSES!! They will be patterned after the "Postage Stamp" horses, featuring 4 horses and 1 foal!! Appears that some of our sources already have them!!!



News from the Hartland front!! Kathleen Moody, or Elite Decorations has been asked by Hartland to sculpt 3 prototype models for their 1988/89 line - Arab, Friesian, & Shire! Be on the lookout, as Kathleen does superior work! We'd also like to thank Kathleen for the wonderful cartoons that she sent for us to use! We appreciate it!



Renee DeVore wrote in to remind us all about the increased postal rates. She said to remind photo showers to enclose that extra postage necessary, as it is not the show-holder's responsibility to do so. First class is now \$.25; each additional ounce is \$.20; postcards are \$.15



Your Horse Source has told us that due to production problems with the new "John Henry" model, he is not expected until JULY!! But---they did just get in "Breezing Dixie!"



Oops! Looks like the other half of the Wells Model Finding Team got lucky! It seems that Ms. Heather was browsing through an antique store and noticed a ceramic lying foal. She looked at it, but decided it wasn't a Hagen, so passed it up. Then, a couple of days later, her mother (in-law?) brought by a whole bag full of horses for Heather - including the little lying foal. She had gone to the store and bought the lot of them. Heather thanked her and brought the horses with her when she went to see Gale Good. Gale about had a fit when Heather pulled a HAGEN-RENAKER CLOVER out of the bag!!!! Then she really had a fit when Heather told her she had already passed it up 'cause she didn't think it was real!!
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














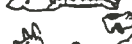



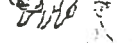
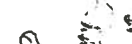






































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















































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DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO	RETAIL EACH
 SKI BEAR "GLUSSIE"	876	3.00
 SKI BEAR "HOT DOG"	877	4.00
 SKI BEAR "SITZMARK"	878	3.00
 PIANO BLACK	888	4.00
 PIANO FROG	814	2.00
 KITTEN WHO LOST HER MITTERS	857	2.00
 KITTEN WHO FOUND HIS MITTERS	875	2.00
 CURIOUS KITTY	868	1.00
 PERSIAN CAT	818	2.00
 PERSIAN KITTEN	819	1.00
 SITTING CAT	324	2.00
 LYING CAT	325	2.00
 TOM CAT	882	2.00
 MAMA CAT	438	2.00
 WALKING KITTEN	884	1.00
 BOXING KITTEN	886	1.00
 SITTING KITTEN	368	1.00
 LYING KITTEN	369	1.00
 SPILLED MILK PAIL	239	1.00
 CLIMBING KITTEN	377	1.00
 CLIMBING CAT	376	2.00
 STALKING CAT	855	2.00
 STALKING KITTEN	888	1.00
 PAPA CAT	484	2.00
 PLAYFUL KIT. PAW UP	436	1.00
 DANCING CATS	2802	5.00
 PAPA MOUSE	358	1.00
 MAMA MOUSE	356	1.00
 BABY MOUSE	180	1.00
 BABY NEW MOUSE	889	1.00
 MR. CITY MOUSE	133	3.00
MRS. COUNTRY MOUSE	294	3.00
BIG BROTHER	295	1.00
LITTLE BROTHER	296	1.00
CHEESE	A82	.80
POODLE	82	1.00
SCHNAUZER	898	2.00
PAPA BASSET	858	2.00
MAMA BASSET	854	2.00
BASSET PUP	883	1.00
MAMA CHIHUAHUA	835	2.00
BABY CHIHUAHUA	836	2.00
HOUND DOG	483	1.00
HOUND DOG PUP	474	.80
HUSKY	888	2.00
SCOTTISH TERRIER	886	2.00

DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO	RETAIL EACH
 PAPA COCKER	828	2.00
 MAMA COCKER	88	2.00
 COCKER PUP	81	1.00
 COCKER PUP	82	1.00
 DACHSHUND	347	1.00
 DACHSHUND PUP	348	1.00
 BOSTON TERRIER	176	2.00
 LABRADOR	888	3.00
 COLLIE	358	2.00
 BEAGLE	432	2.00
 BEAGLE PUP	434	1.00
 DALMATIAN	487	3.00
 DALMATIAN PUP	488	2.00
 LHASA APSO	816	1.00
 TERRIER	878	2.00
 GERMAN SHEPHERD	825	2.00
 DOBERMAN	827	2.00
 BLOODHOUND	854	2.00
 BULLDOG	855	2.00
 DOG DISH	2808	1.00
 PELICAN	181	1.00
 KILLER WHALE "SAM"	885	2.00
 KILLER WHALE "LOTTA"	886	2.00
 WHALE	883	2.00
 BABY WHALE	845	2.00
 PAPA PENGUIN	231	2.00
 MAMA PENGUIN	230	2.00
 BABY PENGUIN	232	1.00
 SLIDING PENGUIN	882	2.00
 PUFFIN	884	3.00
PORPOISE JUMPING	885	2.00
PORPOISE SWIMMING	886	1.00
PAPA SEAL	872	2.00
BABY SEAL	874	1.00
ROOSTER	374	2.00
HEN	373	2.00
CHICK	447	.80
CHICK	183	1.00
PAPA MALLARD	882	5.00
MAMA MALLARD	883	5.00
BABY MALLARD <small>Wings Out</small>	886	1.00
POND DARK — LIGHT —	228	1.00
SWAN	380	2.00
CANADIAN GOOSE ST.	884	1.00
CANADIAN GOOSE FLY.	883	2.00
MAMA DUCK	218	2.00

DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO.	RETAIL EACH
 HALF DUCK	229	.99
 BABY DUCK	219	1.00
 PAPA DUCK	319	2.00
 MAMA GOAT	848	2.00
 BABY GOAT	849	1.00
 SHEEP	275	2.00
 LAMB	276	1.00
 BULL	289	3.00
 COW	290	3.00
 CALF	822	1.00
 HOLSTEIN BULL	298A	4.00
 HOLSTEIN COW	298A	4.00
 HOLSTEIN CALF	291	2.00
 MAMA DONKEY	828	2.00
 BABY DONKEY	821	2.00
 MAMA PIG	822	2.00
 PIGLET STANDING	823	.88
 PIGLET SITTING	824	.88
 PIG RUNNING	828	2.00
 PIG SITTING	821	2.00
 PIG STANDING	847	2.00
 FATHER GOOSE	289	3.00
 MOTHER GOOSE	381	3.00
 GOSLING	273	1.00
 HIPPOPOTAMUS	488	2.00
 CIRCUS ELEPHANT Hd Dn	880	3.00
 CIRCUS ELEPHANT sh	879	3.00
 CIRCUS ELEPHANT Hd Up	881	3.00
 ELEPHANT	283	4.00
 BABY ELEPHANT	284	2.00
 CAMEL	281	4.00
 OSTRICH	843	3.00
 BABY CHIMPANZEE	313	2.00
 PANDA	483	2.00
 PANDA	494	2.00
 MAMA KANGAROO	279	2.00
 MAMA KOALA	858	1.00
 BABY KOALA	848	1.00
 MAMA POLAR BEAR	842	2.00
 BABY POLAR BEAR	329	1.00
 ESKIMO TOT SITTING	843	3.00
 ESKIMO TOT BENDING	845	3.00
 HUMMINGBIRD	811	3.00
 COCKATOO ON PERCH	887	3.00
 BLUE BIRD	888	2.00
 MR. DOVE	885	2.00
 MRS. DOVE	886	2.00
 PROFESSOR OWL	846	3.00
 TOUCAN ON PERCH	889	4.00
 MAMA PARROT	878	4.00
 MACAW ON PERCH	2887	4.00
 PAPA TWEETIE	481	1.00
 MAMA TWEETIE	482	1.00
 BABY TWEETIE	483	1.00
 PAPA HORNED OWL	184	2.00
 MAMA HORNED OWL	188	2.00
 BABY HORNED OWL	186	1.00
 MOOSE	A39	5.00
 OTTER STANDING	843	2.00
 OTTER LYING	844	2.00

DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO.	RETAIL EACH
 PAPA QUAIL	321	4.00
 MAMA SKUNK	86	2.00
 BABY SKUNK	84	1.00
 BROTHER RABBIT	858	2.00
 PAPA RABBIT	187	2.00
 MAMA RABBIT	188	2.00
 BABY RABBIT	189	1.00
 LOP RABBIT SITTING	888	2.00
 LOP RABBIT STAND	881	2.00
 MAMA CHIPMUNK	333	1.00
 BABY CHIPMUNK	334	1.00
 BABY CHIPMUNK RUNNING	859	1.00
 RACCOON	818	3.00
 BABY RACCOON	819	1.00
 PAPA DEER	189	4.00
 MAMA DEER	282	4.00
 BABY DEER	180	1.00
 BABY DEER STANDING	874	3.00
 BEAR	328	2.00
 BROTHER BEAR CUB	387	1.00
 SISTER BEAR CUB	481	1.00
 BROTHER TEDDYBEAR	486	1.00
 BABY TEDDYBEAR	487	.88
 STALLION	451	2.00
 MARE	452	2.00
 COLT	453	1.00
 ROCKING HORSE	990	8.00
 ROCKING HORSE	991	4.00
 BUCKSKIN MARE	233	5.00
 BUCKSKIN COLT	235	3.00
 PEGASUS STANDING	831	7.50
 PEGASUS LYING	832	7.00
 UNICORN HEAD UP	880	5.00
 UNICORN TURNING	882	5.00
 UNICORN BABY	956	4.00
 UNICORN PAPA	841	5.00
 TORTOISE	2880	2.00
 HARE	2881	2.00
 MR. FROGGIE	887	2.00
 FROG PRINCE	344	2.00
 DRAGON w/wings Hd =	882	5.00
 BABY DRAGON Hd =	883	1.00
 PAPA DRAGON	318	2.00
 MAMA DRAGON	389	2.00
 BABY DRAGON	311	1.00
 MAMA TURTLE	419	1.00
 BABY TURTLE	479	1.00
 PAPA FROG	448	1.00
 BABY FROG	477	1.00
 MAMA ALLIGATOR	852	2.00
 BABY ALLIGATOR	853	1.00
 MA CATERPILLAR	251	3.00
 PA CATERPILLAR	252	3.00
 LILY PAD	246	1.00
 TYRANNOSAURUS	887	2.00
 TRICERATOPS	883	2.00
 DIPLODOCUS DINOSAUR	871	2.00
 DIPLODOCUS BABY	878	1.00
 WONDER WAX		88¢ each