

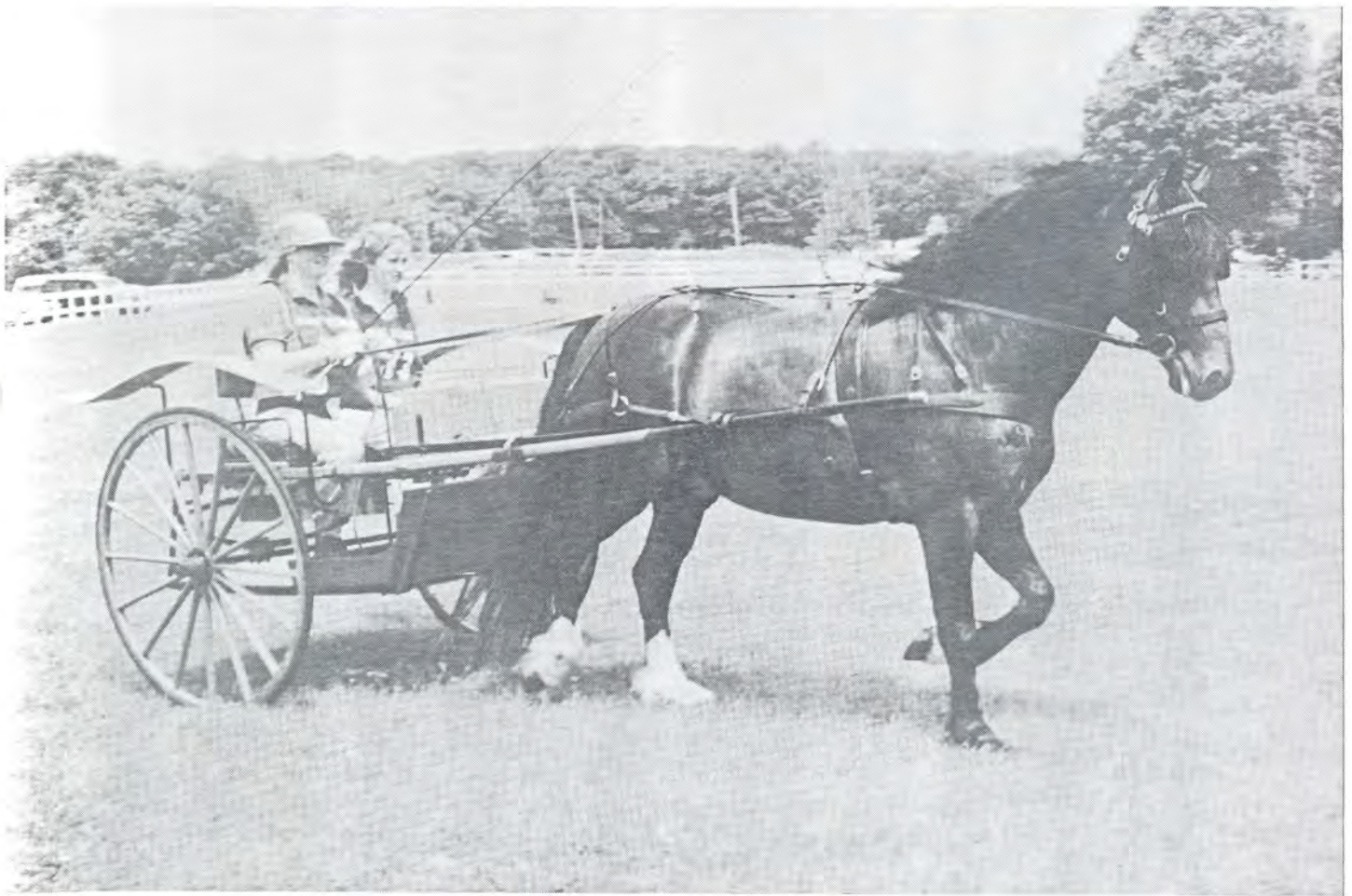


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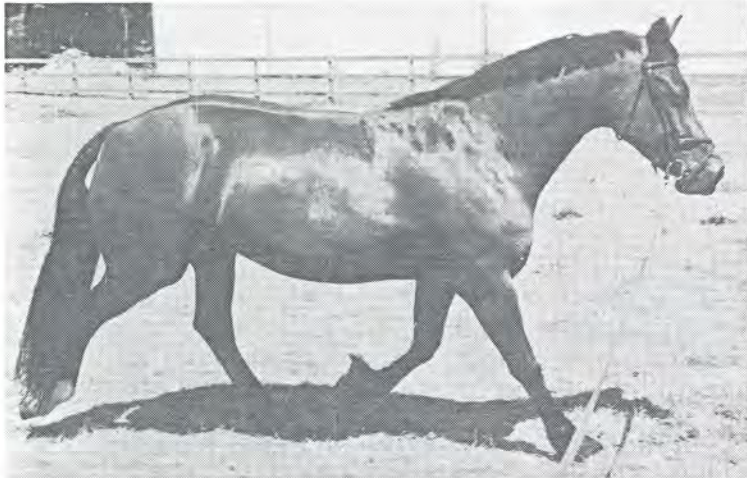


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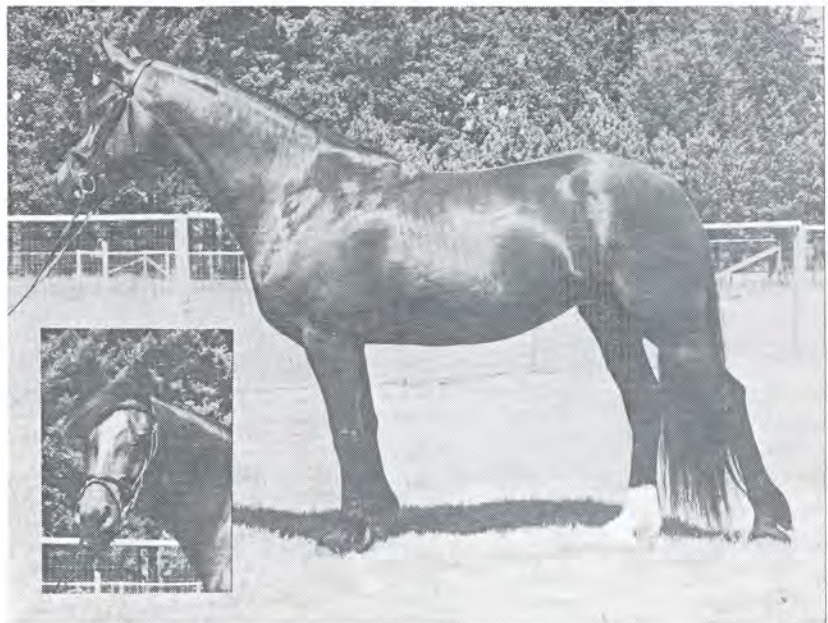
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## On the Cover...

Lockeridge Waterloo, Section D stallion, put to a Meadowbrook cart at the Kent School Driving Clinic, on June 27, 1992 in Kent, Connecticut. Waterloo is driven by owner Ann Fisher, of Royal Cob Farm, Litchfield, Connecticut. Ann's daughter is riding as groom on this fine summer day.

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

*We Asked for Help and WE GOT IT!!*

Since running the 'Help Needed' article in the last issue, we have been humbled by your responses. Thanks to many of you who called to let us know of your support for NACC. Special thanks go out to those who are willing to volunteer time, energy and expertise to the project of producing the newsletter:

Randy Bullard, Missouri  
Pat Didier, Wisconsin  
Patricia Ferris  
Cynthia Lawrence, Michigan  
Afiena Kamminga, New Brunswick  
Elise Robocker, Montana  
Maureen Skomerza, Washington

We will be somewhat reorganized by the time the Fall issue is printed. At that time we plan to explain what changes will take place effective January 1. We have decided to try to establish correspondents around the continent to be regular communicators of news. See the 'New Positions' notice elsewhere in the newsletter.

Anyone may help at any time by simply sending news, articles—yours or others you think might be interesting—and of course advertisements. We are very appreciative of everyone's contributions towards making NACC an important voice in the cob community.

Yours Truly,



(and Kristen, and Ann!!)

5/16 Dear NACC

Just sending a note to renew our NACC subscription as we'd be lost without it. We think it's great the way you keep us up to date with everything that is happening. (Keep up the great work!)

We also want to announce the arrival of our half cob colt, COB HILL'S WINTER BAY BOY, R-320, born February 21, 1992 by our stallion BRYNARIAN BLEDDYN out of our Standardbred mare, Maple Winnie. Already he is looking like his sire with lots of bone and presence. He will be for sale as a gelded weanling. An Arab mare, who visited Bleddyn in March '91 produced a beautiful bay filly foal on April 26th. She also is showing all of her sire's best qualities of excellent shoulder and hip, straight legs and of course, lots of cob bone. Her owners have named her Mymryn, meaning little bit. Llanarth Dilys, Bleddyn's dam, is due to foal any day now. She is in foal to Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint.

Bleddyn is doing well under saddle and we look forward to riding him at the Western Nationals in Oregon in June. Hope to see lots of cobs there.

*Yours truly,*

*Sandra Evans, Cob Hill Farm, B.C.*

Dear NACC

I guess I need to bring you up to date with new address and horse status. I do not own Crossroads Prince Henry. I was only his agent while being sold. You should have a new owner registered by now. I do own the Sec. D stallion COBLYNAU CARMARTHEN as of February '91. I have changed Canadian papers to my name but haven't done U.S. yet. I bought him to mainly cross onto TB [Thoroughbred] and crossbred mares. At the moment and probably through '93, he is leased to Douglas Stetson in

West Virginia. I am in between farms and that was a good solution. I have also been breeding Sec. B (Tamarack Quill)/TB foals and I am very pleased. Two of them are probably going to be 15.2 with lots of bone. Every foal Quill sires is gray so I have sold two sets of pairs. I am looking forward to my Cob cross foal next year. I commend you on your energy and good job bringing us together. Thanks, and I will try not to forget to renew next time.

*Cornelia Weathers, Quillane Welsh Ponies  
& Cobs, Johnson, Vermont*

PS: I almost forgot I did own PENRHYN BLUE MOON but unfortunately she died in April '91.

6./1 Dear NACC

Neil and I had an opportunity lately to try to track down some of the warmbloods sired by CWMFELEN GOLDEN ECLIPSE in 87/88.

THORNBECK GOLDEN DAWN is out of Nancie, was sold by Donny Breau and has just been purchased by a woman in Bass River, NB (name not available). QUEEN'S GOLDEN CHANCE out of Queen, was sold to Elmer Patterson, Loggieville, NB. IMPERIAL GOLDEN CHAMP out of Stardust, was sold to a man in Nova Scotia (name unavailable). DAFYDD out of Shauna, has been trained to ride. THORNBECK GOLDEN GEORDIE out of Nancie, is going well under saddle and jumping 3 ft. fences and doing competitive trail riding. THORNBECK GOLDEN COMET out of Punkie has been boarded at Fredericton Equestrian Center while his owner uses him for her riding lessons. FIERRO out of Cindy has been trained for saddle and driving single and in a pair with his dam.



The following are Welsh Cobs sired by CWMFELEN GOLDEN ECLIPSE.

CYFAENAD CYMRO out of Whitegate Abbigail has been trained for saddle. TROLLBERG BLODWEN is out of Ashton Blodeuwedd and has been trained for saddle. TROLLBERG MEGWEN is out of Ashton Gwenda and has been trained for saddle.

Our own Eclipse youngsters are also doing well. THORNBECK LACHLAN out of Belle has completed several judged pleasure rides last season and will be doing more this year in addition to at least one competitive trail ride. He has also been doing quite a bit of driving and will be participating in a clinic this month. THORNBECK CARREG LLWYD also out of Belle has just been started under saddle and driving and will be joining his brother to make a driving pair in the near future. THORNBECK GOLDEN DEILEN is out of Cen-Y-Cerrig Y Penrhyn has been started under saddle and went on her first trail ride last month.



Neil Ferguson riding Cen-y-Cerrig y Penrhyn at the Allison Silbert Clinic in Woodstock, New Brunswick, June 16, 1992.

Other Welsh cobs in New Brunswick include our CEN-Y-CERRIG Y PENRHYN, who is on a breeding lease to Dania Leyson to foal in July by her stallion FRONARTH TYWYSOG DU and who will be returned to us rebred this fall.

Last fall we sold our Sec. B mare, Findeln Cinderella to Margaret Rial of Northstar Farm in Pennsylvania. Margaret has bred Cinderella to her Sec. D stallion LLANARTH WARWICK and the foal is due late this summer.

CENTURION AP CADFARCH (Ashton Cadfarch ap Math x Lady Stardust II of Penrhyn) has been sold to Elmer Patterson of Loggieville, NB. NIKKA (Thornbeck Lachlan x Thornbeck Golden Dawn) has been sold to Elmer Patterson. TROLLBERG MORVA'S MERLIN (Crossroads Replica x Windsmore

Pocket Model) is back at Trollberg and is being ridden until sold. CWMFELEN GOLDEN ECLIPSE (Hafael Brenin x Penlon Iris) is being ridden and driven. ASHTON GWENDA (Ashton Aelwyn ap Math x Westrum's Mayfair) is being ridden and qualified for the 19 Provincial Atlantic Coast Summer



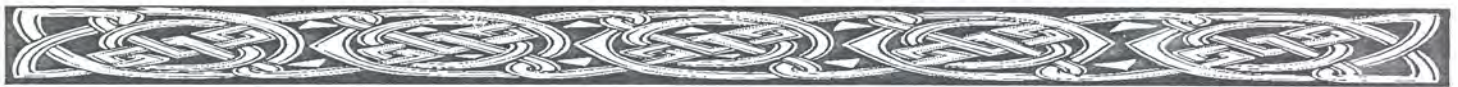
Thornbeck Golden Geordie ridden by Denese Derrah at Woodstock, New Brunswick.

Games Competitive Trail Riding Team. So, despite these hard times, all of the NB Cobs and Welsh Warmbloods are fully employed and enjoyed! All the best,

Barb Brown, Thornbeck, Woodstock, New Brunswick

7/10/92 Dear NACC

Enclosed is \$35 check for the tapes 1 & 2 by Richard Miller. I talked with Richard just days before he left. I couldn't find out where the Glanusk Show was held—thought it would be at Glanusk until my friend at Tenby wrote to ask where it was! Sure enough my map didn't show it either. There is no such place! A call to the WPCSA office and then to Gail Morris and several other members, including Ann, failed to locate the show. But a call to Richard gave me the answer—all very close to departure time! But for the record, the Glanusk show used to be held on the Glanusk Estate, near Builth Wells. When the show became too large to be accommodated at the estate, it moved to the Royal Welsh Show grounds at Builth Wells! The show kept its name.



Will write about the show later. A windy and partly rainy day meant the pictures are not so good, but I am having some of the slides printed.

I guess the extra burdens this winter blurred my vision, as I did not know the Western National Show was held in McMinnville in June until Kalinski's stopped by on their way home. What a pleasure it was to meet them and show them our cob mares and filly. I knew the WPCSA was holding a board meeting in Portland vicinity in June, and I loosely planned to attend, but never learned the place or date! Had I known of the show, I think I'd have attended. I received entry forms for many Welsh Shows country wide, but did not receive any for this show! Looked back in the Welsh Newsletter, and did find the dates under the Show Dates, but would expect the Western National to have a display ad. Perhaps when Elise is moved down from Canada, I will be able to keep up with things!

As usual, the NACC is good reading. And since starting my note, it has become a letter—and Elise has offered to help with the typing of the NACC and help with the writing. She is good at this and has all the equipment to do it, as well.

By the way, I had a fantastic trip to Wales, England and Holland to visit Dutch Bantam breeders and may go over again this November. Best wishes,

*Jean Robocker*

PS: Appreciated the note about Eugene's passing. A true horseman all his life, he loved the cobs and ponies and felt that Scole Mai was his favorite of 79 years of horses! Glad we had her for 10 years of his enjoyment!

Dear NACC

I was thinking this week it seemed a long time since I received a copy of the Cob Connection, but it never occurred to me that I mightn't have renewed my subscription. Could you back-date my renewal and send me the missing issues, please? (The last one I have is Vol. 5 - No. 4, Autumn 1991.) I'm enclosing a cheque for \$20 to cover two years, as otherwise, I'm afraid it will happen again!

Did you know a magazine called "The Welsh Cob Review" was launched in Britain last year? It's produced by Black Horse Publications, Llwynmalus, Ystrad Meung, Dyfed SY25 6AJ. Best wishes to all.

*Tricia Gammon, Ashton Stud Farm,  
Ashton, Ontario*

*Renewing for two years is a great idea, Tricia. Also, thanks for the tip about the 'Cob Review'. Have any NACC subscribers received this publication? If so, let us hear about it. Thanks, Tricia! The Editor.*

8/5 Dear NACC

Thank you for getting the Cob Connection out to me so quickly. It is a wonderful newsletter. I never realized there were so many cobs out there. Your newsletter has more information on the Welsh Cob than any other Welsh newsletters I get. You all do a wonderful job!!

I am sorry again for calling you so early in the morning. I had no idea you were so far away. You were very helpful and I thoroughly enjoyed talking with you. Some day I will get my second cob (with Cob Connection's help!).

Enclosed is my check to subscribe to Cob Connection and a photo of my 7-year old mare PENRHYN FAIR STAR ("Seren") and my attempt to ride hunt seat. She is by Okeden Sensation out of Nebo Fair Lady. Thank you again. Yours truly,

*Linda Caporizzo,  
Blandford, Massachusetts.*

PS: My husband Steve would also like to be a member.



*Penrhyn Fair Star ridden by owner Linda Caporizzo.*

8/92 Dear NACC

What a busy year we are having! BRAINT (BRYNARIAN BRAINT AP MALDWYN) has been a lucky boy this year. He's bred four mares for me and is expecting a fifth later this month!

I started with three mares of my own: Quarter pony "Foxbrush Blaze", reg. cob WYNSOM MAGNIFICENT IMPRESSION (Maggie) and Sec. B broodmare "May Blossom." Then Braint got a beautiful outside mare, reg. half-Welsh Osprey daughter, "Chelsey Morning." I couldn't stand to see someone else get that baby and bought Chelsey! Now Braint is awaiting a grade Welsh/Arab/Morgan mare expected later this month. There are going to be several fun reg. Half-Cob babies galloping around next spring and summer. We are excited.

We have been giving "farm tours" to people who have answered my ads and come out to see ponies. We gave 6 farm tours in August alone. Find enclosed addresses of some of those nice people. They are already enthusiastic about cobs and don't even own one yet! Braint and Magnum and Maggie are great ambassadors for cobs. I can take everyone right into Braint's pen with him and they can admire his huge hocks and mile-long hip and put their hands on his broad forehead and experience a cob stallion up-close and personal, he's such a big sweetums. That really impresses folks. And Maggie and Magnum, of course, are in our way, supervising the tour. The men really like Magnum. This year's foal out of "Blaze: and by my Sec. B stallion, E. L. Fudge is my great "Baby Ambassador". Not only is she "some kinda looker" but she is an in-your-face, in-your-pocket, camera-lense-fogging pest! Everyone wants to know how they can get a baby that friendly and tame and I say "Breed Welsh!" She was sold at 1 1/2 months to the very first farm-tour folks and I could have sold her many times since.

We are expecting great things out of the "Blaze"/Braint union next year.

We are expecting two more farm-tour groups in September. Folks coming from Ellensburg, WA and Maple Valley, WA. I don't have anything left to sell these folks (haven't had anything since the second farm tour) and have been loading them up with my farm brochure, Braint tapes, A.W.E. (All Welsh Enthusiasts club) directories and so forth. Some of you may have gotten calls from these people already. If you've got cobs or B's for sale you may send me some laser-prints and info if you'd like me to pass them on. I've gotten at least 6 more calls from folks who haven't come for the tour and have been referring them to 3-4 month old ads in back issues of A.W.E. and NACC.

Braint's tape has gone to Warmblood breeders in California and Washington and driving horse breeders in Idaho and Oregon. A very interesting fellow from Idaho called and requested

Braint's tape and after viewing it "12-13 times!" called me back to say how excited he was by what he saw.

Well, we're exhausted here, but very gratified by the response. Sad to say, we have decided we must return Braint after his lease due to other financial obligations but are very grateful to have had the opportunity to experience all the excitement he has brought us in this breeding season. Sure hope Ann doesn't sell him to anyone far, far away. We would hate to lose such a fine stallion from our area.

The plan, at present, is to breed "Blaze" and "May" to Fudgey, Sec. B, again next year and send Maggie up to Canada to meet "The Big Guy" (Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint). Well, that's the plan. We'll see what transpires in the next 6 months or so. I reserve my womanly right to change my mind about everything at any time!

*Kathleen Fangsrud, Foxbrush Farm  
Ponies, Woodburn, Oregon*

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Submitted by Cathy Reid

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# NEW NACC POSITIONS AVAILABLE!

In an effort to create a voice through which regional news from around Canada the U.K. and the U.S. may be shared, we are proposing the idea of creating correspondents who will communicate cob happenings. Correspondents would have a regular column in each issue to share news or, depending upon the time of year and activities, report in at least two issues a year. Many of you are already doing a terrific job sharing news of births, transfers, show results, training ideas. We would like to build on that and ask those folks who know what's happening with cobs to consider volunteering to be a regular contributor to the newsletter. This job would involve sending a report from your region between two and four times a year. It could involve contacting the show secretary following an event to ask that results be forwarded to the newsletter. It could include writing stories about how cobs are being used or clinics and events in which they participate.

Thus far, we've identified the following regions in which we need volunteers:

- Southcentral—Texas and surrounding states
- Northeast—New England, New York, Penn, and surrounding states
- Southeast—Virginia and states to the south
- New Brunswick
- Quebec and Ontario
- Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta
- British Columbia
- UK—all areas

*The Northwest, Southwest and Northcentral areas are already covered.*

If you would like to consider being a correspondent, please complete, clip and mail the form below. Enthusiasm for the breed is the only prerequisite. Also, if you would like to suggest a different division of regions, please do so. New ideas are always welcome!

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Region \_\_\_\_\_

Suggestions/Ideas \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please mail to NACC, 35807 Willama Vista, Pleasant Hill, OR 97455



### WHEN DOES YOUR SUBSCRIPTION EXPIRE?

If you're wondering when your NACC subscription expires, check the mailing label on your newsletter. At the end of your address line you will see the date of the last issue you will receive: Summer 92 or Fall 92, for example. A year's subscription will deliver four issues plus the Directory, which comes out with the Winter issue. If a subscriber submits only \$8—the old rate—three issues will be sent. Because of the costs of printing and mailing the newsletter (\$1.50 for photocopying + .75 for postage) we are no longer able to send out copies beyond your expiration date. (We gladly accept two-year renewals.) Our goal is to reach at least 200 subscribers which would allow us to mail using bulk rates. This would be a significant savings.

THANKS to so many of you who have shared the newsletter with others and helped our base of subscribers to grow. We are pleased to see a regular increase in the number of new subscribers as more people acquire their first cob and learn about NACC.

### WANTED: THE *ULTIMATE* DRIVING COB!

**100% Sec. D gelding**, mature (7-10 years, possibly older), trained, trustworthy, and otherwise completely road/traffic safe for an adult novice. Since *most* of my interest lies in pleasure and/or combined driving, this cob must have good solid training and experience in this (these) discipline(s). If he was trained to ride and loved the trails, that would definitely be a plus! (I also like to trail ride (English or Western) and show English Pleasure). *Most important* is a wonderful attitude: a cob who's happy, friendly, likes his job and is willing to try anything. *Confident*, sensible, well-mannered, easily handled, but with enough get-up-and-go. A cob with whom I can gain *positive* experiences. Sound, with conformation suitable for driving/riding. No vices. Color not important, but prefer dark colors (bays, black, brown, chestnuts). *I guarantee a knowledgeable, loving, and permanent home!!* I'm not in a hurry, it's more important to find just the *right* cob, at the right price (I won't be ready to bring one home until Summer 1993, so I have plenty of time). Drop a note with photos, or a video to: Kristen Barndt, NACC Art/Design Editor, 1800 Penfield Road, Suite 107, Penfield, NY 14526. I'll send photos/videos back on request.

## FOR SALE: Two 100% Section D Welsh Cobs

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### 1992 Colt Foal (out of above mare)

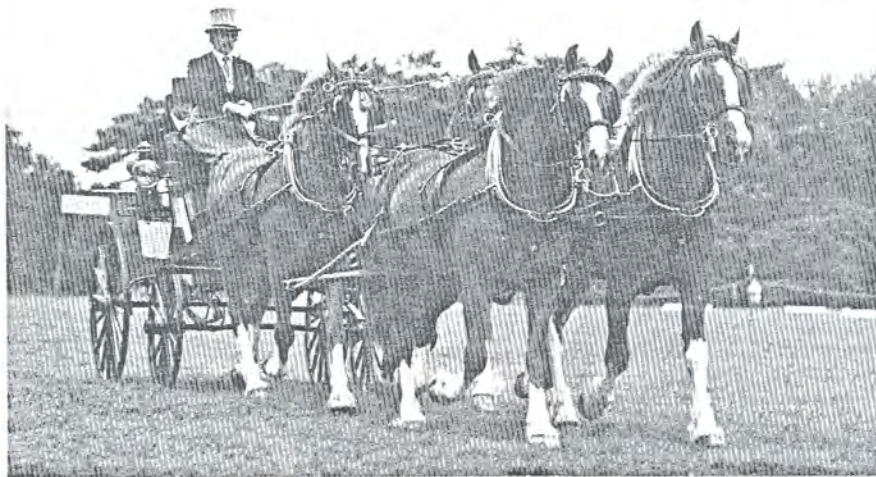
Definite Stallion Prospect • Exquisite Head with Big Eye • Very Well-Bred  
**Eye-Catching with Lots of Presence!**

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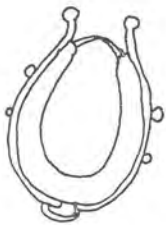
**Please call 604-748-6476**



## THE VERSATILE WELSH COB



Mr. A. Bristow's Welsh Cobs; Nebo Tywysog, Cathedine Welsh King, Courtneys Tawney Boy and Madeni Spitfire driven by Mr. J. Collinson.



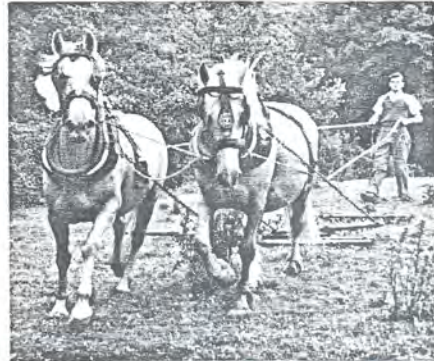
Llanarth Meredith ap Braint [Llanarth Braint x Rhosfarch Morwenna]



Nebo Black Magic pulling a baker's van in London.



Gschwendt Roving Fellow [Coxwold Redstart x Pink Pickle]



Llanarth Biscuit and Llanarth Oriol harrowing.



# Llwynog-y-Garth

By Tricia Gammon, Ashton Stud

Llwynog-y-Garth was the first Welsh Cob I knew well, as his owner, Dil Thomas, owned the Grange Stud Farm, next door to where I boarded my horse when I was a teenager in Wales. The last time I saw the old horse was in 1963 at the Royal Windsor Horse Show, when Dil brought him out of retirement at the age of nineteen to top the Welsh Cobs and then become champion Mountain and Moorland at the show. I remember when Dil ran him in front of the member's stand before the judging was completed. The members all stood and applauded, something not at all common in England, though not unusual in Wales! In those days, horse trailers weren't too common in our part of the world, and Dil often used to give us (me and my horse) a ride to meets of the West Glamorgan Hunt when they were too far for backing (our usual means of transport). Dil was a wonderful friend to us who sadly died a few years ago. His daughter, Joan,

is now very successful in the private driving scene in Britain (she is now Joan Isaac) as is her daughter Allison. The last I heard they were driving Welsh Cobs still, but also Hackneys and other breeds.

I was never able to own a Welsh Cob before we emigrated to Canada in 1968, but when I at last achieved my ambition and bought Merch Euraid o'r Penrhyn from Hope Ingersoll eighteen years ago, I was delighted to become the owner of one of Llwynog's great grand-daughters.

*Remember "Can You Name This Cob?" from this year's NACC Directory? The photo is of Llwynog-y-Garth. The stallion, foaled in 1944 and sired by Mathrafal, was a 1949, 1950 and 1960 Royal Welsh Champion.*

## OVER HILL & DALE

### COB NEWS FROM HOME & ABROAD

#### UNITED STATES

Defeated Creek Farm, Carthage, Tennessee, specializes in Welsh Mt. Ponies and Welsh Cobs. This year Monty and Sabra Schiller welcomed four lovely foals—three As and one C. Their young Sec. D stallion, Applegate American Eagle (Brynarian Briton x Brynarian Gwenno) has been gelded.

David and Linda Ford of Bettendorf, Iowa are proud owners of a new cob filly, Dav-lyn Sparkling Tuppence. Tuppence was born to Brynarian Cerys by the cob stallion Okeden Taffy. She is a chestnut with flaxen mane and tail—just what the Fords ordered!

Billie Stark writing for the Stark Family Farm in W. Brattleboro, Vermont announces two new foals so far this year—a beautiful fawn-colored colt out of Lockeridge Wendy, born May 14, and a more recent addition on June 22, another gorgeous colt out of Rhystad Fancy. Both are by their stallion "Dak" (Windcrest Dakkar). "Tania" (Okeden Britannia) who was due on June 27th appears to have decided to hold out for a

little longer. The Starks are anxious for an end to their sleepless nights with the result being another healthy foal in the barn.

The Winkelman Farm hosted a Wagon Train Camp Meeting with the handicapped June 27 at their farm in Lohrville, Iowa. Residents from Opportunity Living of Lake and City and Lutheran Family Services of Storm Lake came to the farm for an enjoyable and learning experience in self-reliant living. They took home memories and new ideas as well as photos of the Farm Environmental Therapy activities. The activities included pony working, homestead animal handling, cow and goat milking, comfrey salve making, pony camping demonstration, travois construction, natural food preparation and Share-time.

A breathless Suzanne Glenn, Glenhaven Stud, California called August 4 asking for Gordon Heard's phone number. As I fumbled through the pages of NACC to find it, Suzanne said she had already tried that number and it was incorrect! While I continued to search the American directory, Suzanne let on she was calling from England! She had been to the Royal Welsh and began describing Ifor Lloyd's win of the Prince of Wales

# OVER HILL & DALE

## COB NEWS FROM HOME & ABROAD

Trophy with cob Derwen Groten Goch, the photos she had taken, the people she had met (including Richard Miller that day) and promised to write an article and send photos for NACC when she returned. She was talking at warp speed—so full of excitement and enthusiasm (plus the accent)—I was catching only about every 4th word. Suzanne owns a mare in England, HENGWM HETTIE, who is stabled at the Hardwick's Tuscani Stud. Hetti delivered a smashing solid black filly this season by DERWEN ROSINA'S LAST. The filly, dubbed GLENHAVEN HOLLYWOOD, has been shown once and will go to another show later in August. (And YES, she is for sale—£2000—price does not include transportation!) Hollywood has been "seen" by a number of distinguished cob breeders and everyone has been quite high on her. So we will wait for her results, and more news when Suzanne returns. Unfortunately, there is an error in Gordon Heard's telephone number in NACC. The number SHOULD BE 703-955-2393. My apologies, Mr. Heard. And we'll expect to hear more from you, Suzanne! —CD

Cob news from Oregon includes the sale of MAID MARION, a yearling filly by Brynarian Black Magic and out of Mary's Megan. "Marnie" as she is known was sold by P.K. Winburn to Mark Ferris, Lochinvar Farm. Her show debut took place August 1 at the Washington County Fair in Hillsboro, Oregon, where Mark 'n Marni trotted off with first place honors. Mark's future plans include competitive trail riding.

Jocelyn Wright and her cob gelding, CROSSROADS FLYER have been hitting the hunter circuit this year. Jocelyn, Flyer and mom Janet Heard have been competing locally and as far away as Hood River. Those of you who windsurf have heard of Hood River—it's on the Columbia River Gorge and is a mecca for the sport. Janet, just how hard does the wind blow in Hood River? (She could tell you!)

Heather Fowler and her leased cob mare BRYNARIAN MORWENA are meeting the challenges of Eventing. Under the instruction of Karen Scholler, this team recently attended their third show where Karen and Morwena captured second place over a field of 19.

Another Northwest cob filly will soon change owners. Carol Holcombe's NORTH FORK AEMMA, a very cobby bay filly out of Llanarth Nansi and by Balsuma's Highflyer has been spoken for by Karen Kennedy of Waldport, Oregon. Aemma will be Karen's first (but we hope not last) cob.

Cob mare WINDCREST CHLOE' (Dafydd y Brenin Cymraeg x Okeden Honeysuckle) foaled a beautiful chestnut colt by Bristol Sun God. He has a blaze and white on all legs. The new arrival as well as mom and dad are owned by Janet Gaffer, WindSong Welsh.

MARY'S CADI (Sinton Sultan x Kathy H.) is now in Marysville, California to be bred to Mrs. Polly Swinerton's two year old cob stallion (Cyffylliog Pendefig x Scole Sarah). This will be Cadi's first foal and owner Cathy Reid is very excited about the upcoming '93 model.



*Above: Kathy H owned by Jean Terry.*

*Below: 2 year-old colt by Cyffylliog Pendefig, out of Scole Sarah. Owned by Polly Swinerton, Mary's Farm.*



OKEDEN JOLLY owned by Cindy Dishman, has been started in driving by trainer Genevieve Mickenham. Jolly is home now and her training is continuing. Their goal, although Jolly doesn't know it yet, is to attend a combined driving clinic and then, if they like it, to compete.

A group of All Welsh Enthusiast (Northwest based) club members combined resources to place an advertisement in the coming October issue of Western Horse magazine. That issue will focus on Welsh and include an article, photos and ads from a variety of areas in North America. Watch for it.

Did you notice the article about Welsh in the current Horse Illustrated magazine? A grey Welsh pony has the cover, but there is a fairly lengthy article including photos of Welsh Cobs from the UK.

The recent American National Welsh Pony & Cob Show held in McMinnville, Oregon had a large showing of cobs—Sections C and D—with eight fillies and mares and four colts and stallions. Cobs traveling the farthest to attend were Windcrest Marieka and Okeden Taffy, both from California and brought to the show by Rhoda Verkuyl.

Becky Smith of Middleton, Idaho has started her cob mare CARREG CINNEBAR and reports she is doing well under saddle.

## CANADA

Keith and Jenny Parsons, Coblynau Stud have welcomed guests from Britain. Victor and Alison Lutey of the Trevarth Stud in Cornwall. The Luteys stand three supreme champion stallions: Turkdean Idris, Sec. C, Parc Cardi, Sec. D, and Cathedine Danny Boy, Sec. D.

Afiena Kamminga of Trollberg Farm will be going abroad in 1993 for a year. Afiena, more details, please. Where will you be situated and will cobs be involved in any of your endeavors?

Prue and Peter Mason who had four Llanarth Cobs for their circus act are still involved with Cobs. They are standing their Section C Velveterra Excalibur (Silverstone Rebel (A) x Ashton Blodeuwedd (D) at their new facilities in Tomahawk, Alberta. Excalibur is an iron-grey and stands 13 hands.

Beaverwood Farm (Kristen Brunner) of Ontario is now standing the Section C stallion Merioneth Merlyn, on lease from the Lawrences in Buzzards Bay, Massachusetts. They will be crossing him on their own hunter pony mares and Beaverwood's Bracken, Section C.

The Welsh Pony and Cob Society of Canada is proud to announce that their stud books are up to date. As a matter of fact, WPCSC is extra proud, because they are the only Welsh society worldwide which can make that claim. Their clever solution to covering the cost of printing the studbooks was to invite various studs to underwrite the production of each volume.

The 13th Annual General Meeting of the Society was hosted by Alberta Welsh owners in Alberta on April 25 this year. Highlights of the weekend (in addition to the meetings) included an Artificial Insemination Clinic by Lee Burwash of the Alberta Horse Industry Branch, a presentation of Welsh Ponies and Cobs, a banquet with an entertaining auction and, of course, lots of fun. For those who could stay a day or two more, on Monday two vanloads had a tour of Banff and an ascent to the top of the chair lift for a magnificent view of the Rockies and on Tuesday visited Drumheller where dinosaur bones are found among the amazing rock formations and a museum displays the beginnings of life.

The address of the WPCSC is Box 252, Beeton, ON L0G 1A0 (416) 857-2405

## UNITED KINGDOM

Volumes 67 and 68 of the Stud Book has been published during the year. Volumes 69 and 70 should be available by the summer.

Registrations during the 1991 increased by 6% to almost 6,200. Welsh Cobs, 2,025; Welsh Mountain ponies, 1,880; Welsh Ponies, 850; Welsh ponies of Cob type, 550; and Welsh part-bred, 900.

Since the introduction of mandatory blood typing of stallions in January 1990, 2,779 stallions have been issued with licenses, including 350 stallions during 1991.

Exports during 1991 increased 40% to 270 with 65 going to Germany, 56 to Holland, 26 to Sweden, 25 to Finland, 21 to Belgium, 9 to Australia, 12 to Canada and 6 to the US. For the first time ever, 2 Section A ponies had been exported to Czechoslovakia.

Membership of the Society stands at 6,834 (1,994 Life members and 4,890 annual members.

Honorary Life-Presidency of the Society upon the following members: Mrs. D. L. Gadsden (Bengad), Mr. William Davies (Eppynt), Mr. W. L. Lloyd Davies (Tyhen), Mr. W. D. Reynolds (Springbourne) and the late Mr. D. P. Meredith (Vaynor).

Welsh Christmas cards will be available from the society for 1992, 6 Chalybeate Street, Aberystwyth, Dyfed SY23 1HS.

# Welsh Ponies & Cobs, Identified!

**M**any of you may have the green 'Welsh Ponies of Cob Type and Cobs' brochure from the Welsh Society. There are many lovely photographs of Section C and D cobs, however none are identified. Perhaps you've found some of the them in Wynne Davies book, WELSH PONIES AND COBS. A Welsh friend who knew them put names with faces. There are still some cobs who are unidentified. If you know, tell us. The Section Ds will be pictured in the Autumn issue. The brochure is available from the Welsh Pony and Cob Society for a fee of 65p.

*And now for your viewing pleasure...*

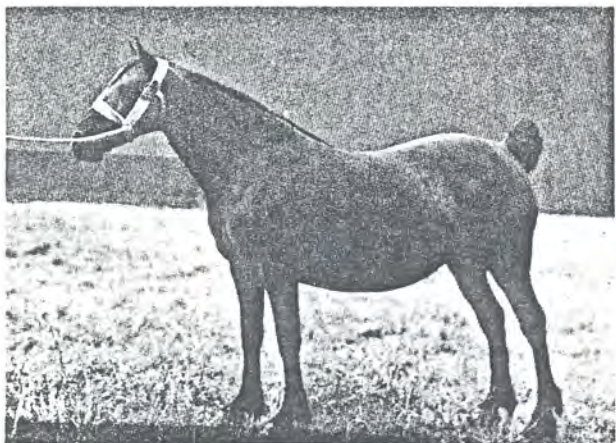
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*The inside cover of the brochure features Derwen Rosina's Last. His photo is reproduced on the back cover of this issue.*

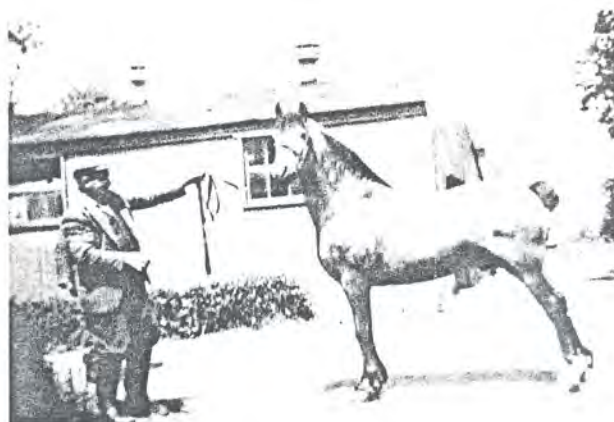


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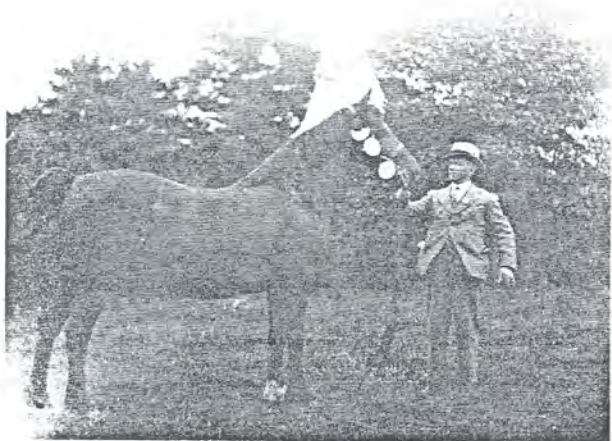
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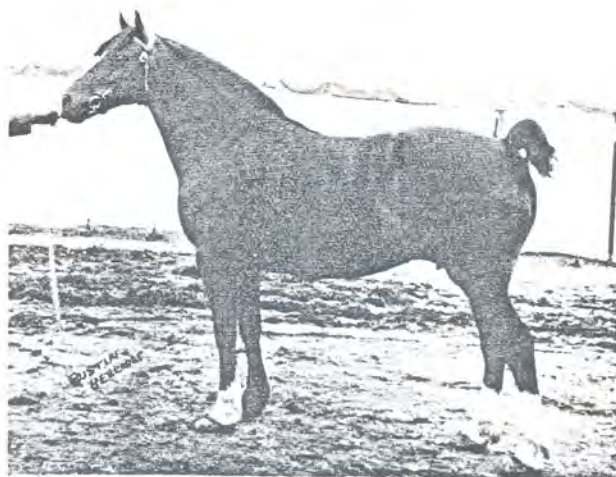
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*Dewi Rosina with Mr. Roscoe Lloyd*



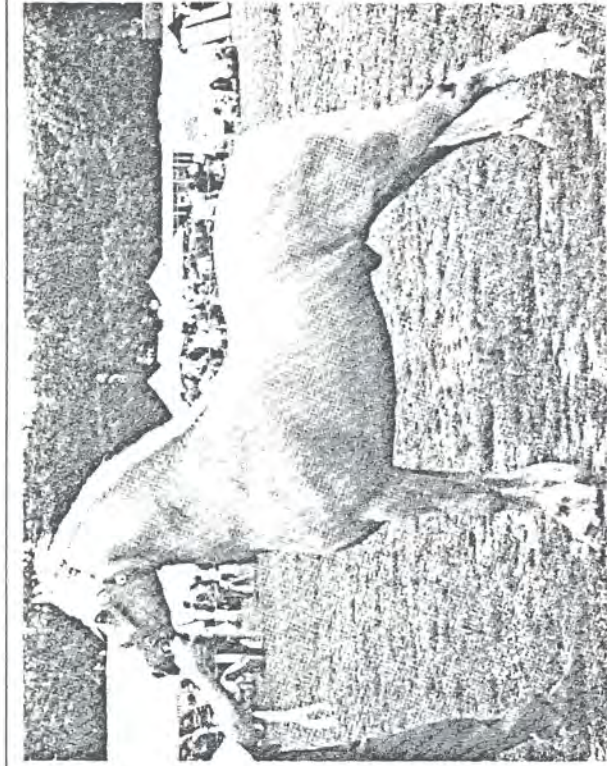
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# WELSH PONY (Cob Type)

Section C of the Welsh Stud Book  
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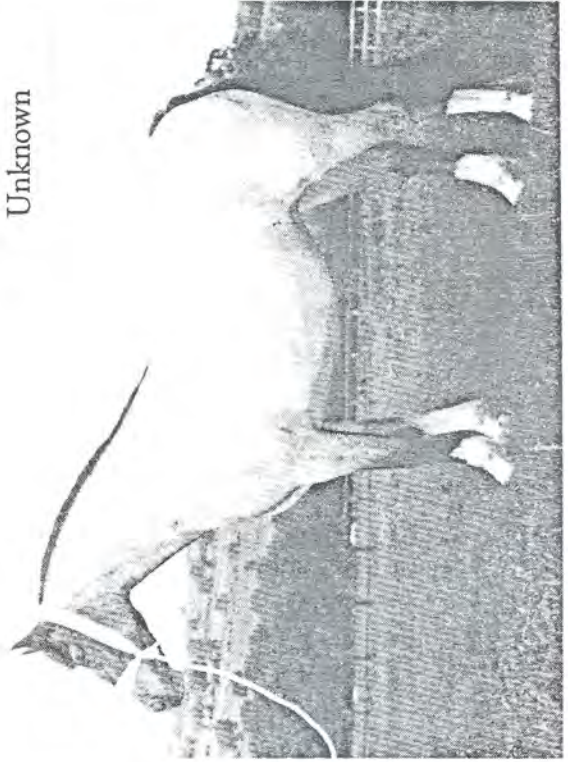


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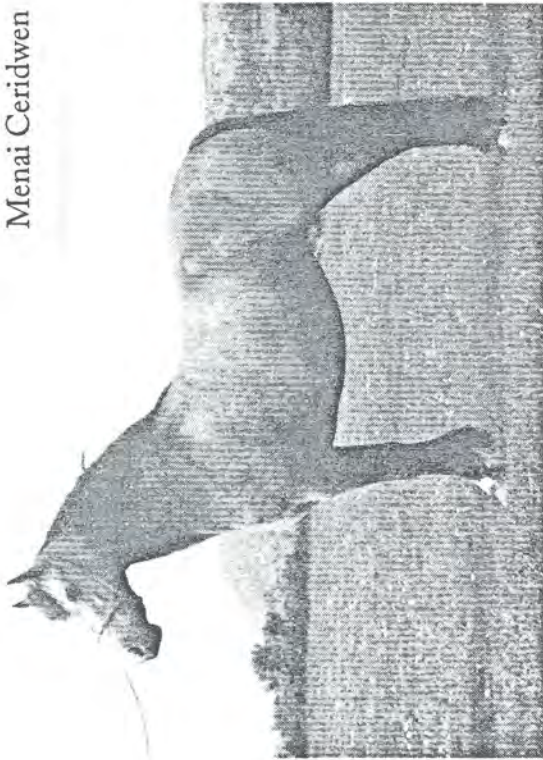


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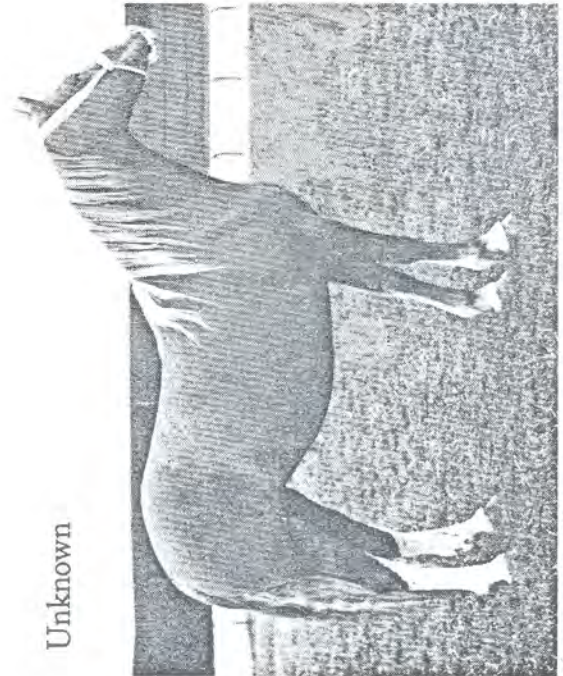
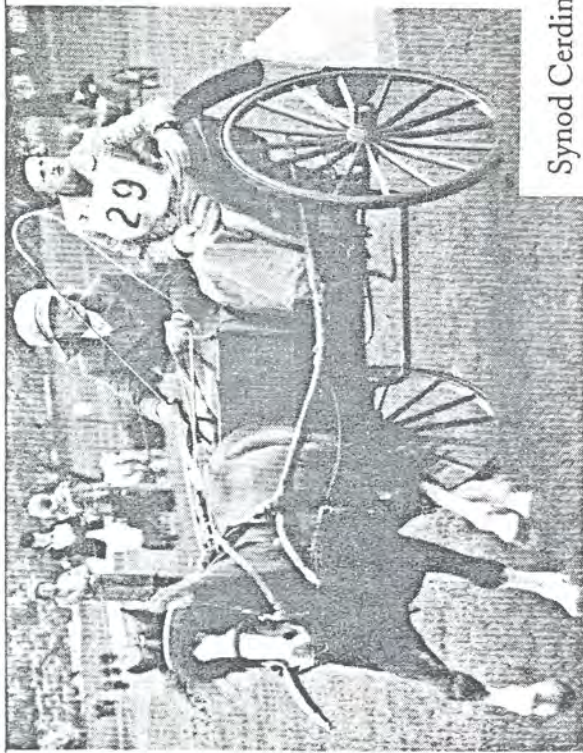


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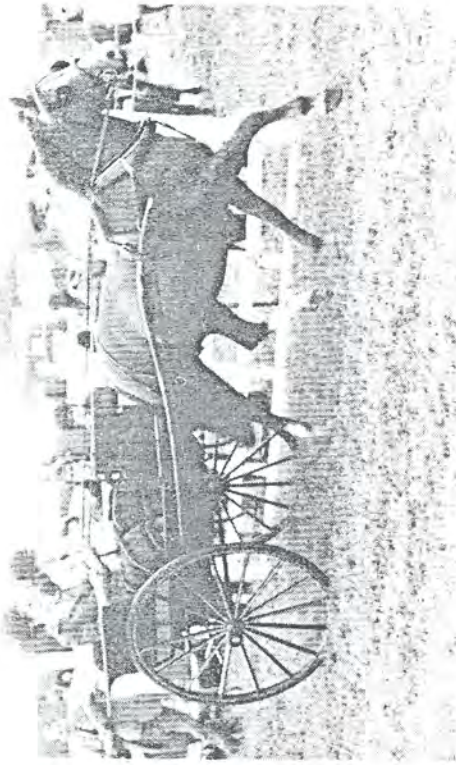
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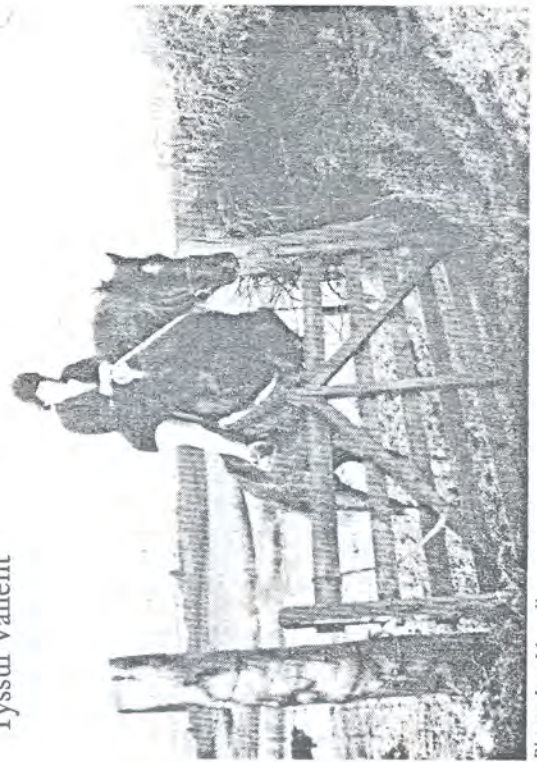
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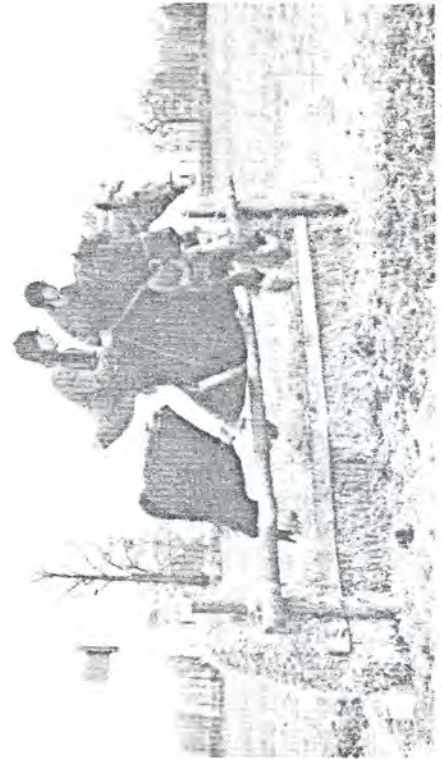
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## An Advertisement RIGHTS TO GUARD AND CHERISH

*Submitted by Mrs. Stephanie Abronson*

One of the most wonderful things we have in this country is our right to vote. It is something to be cherished and carefully guarded. In the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America, we have the right to vote by Proxy. This right also is something to be cherished and carefully guarded.

Our By-Laws guarantee us this right. It is extremely important that as members, we use our voting privilege to guard the By-Laws and make certain that any changes do not take away rights we already possess.

We want to add to our rights. Voting by mail is different from voting by Proxy. While maintaining the Proxy vote, we need to empower the members of our Society by adding unrestricted voting by mail for Directors AND for any changes to our By-Laws.

A second issue of equal importance is: Who is qualified to become a Director of our Society? To be a Director of our Society, you must be an "... individual Life Active Member..." (ARTICLE V, By-Laws Revised October 1986, page 5), and "...own and are breeding two or more pure-bred registered Welsh Pony or Cob mares." (ARTICLE II, page 3).

To improve our Society's organization and operation, it is crucial to encourage members to become Directors who can bring our Society good business qualifications and expertise. Our membership is small, and it is vital to be able to tap those qualified people for this extraordinary service.

Changes in our By-Laws that would limit our choice by adding more stringent qualifications for Directors would penalize all of us. This too, is a right we currently have and must guard and cherish. We must remain free and communicative. We must enable our Society to operate with efficiency and cooperation.

Approximately half the membership voted by Proxy at the March 1992 Special Meeting in Kansas City. That vote was history in the making for the health of our Society. I hope you will continue to help the WP&CSA improve. Your vote was important. It will be again at the next AGM. Let's continue the good work—KEEP THE RIGHT TO VOTE BY PROXY!

For more information or a copy of my article, "The WP&CSA—My View" as published in *Welsh Roundabout*, January/February 1992 issue, and *Welshmania*, May 1992, write or telephone:

Stephanie Abronson, 543 Cold Canyon Rd., Monte Nido, CA 91302-2206, 818-222-PONY

F E A T U R E A R T I C L E

## *A Four-Day Scurry Through New England*

*By Cindy Dishman*

I arrived in Providence, Rhode Island a full day prior to the workshop I would be attending—the "professional" reason for going back to the East Coast. However the "real" reason has been a secret... until now. I went back to see cobs. It was easy to squeek in a driving clinic and also visit a carriage house! First stop: Grazing Fields Farm. I had been to the farm six years ago, but many things have changed since then. There is a beautiful new barn with adjoining enclosed arena for boarders—27 of them. Horse hotels are pretty spendy in the East, just like people hotels—around \$400 full care, if I remember correctly. A herd of students at the farm keeps the stalls clean, the aisles swept, the tack polished and in correct place and get a 4-star rating, as far as I'm concerned. Although I went to GFF to see the cobs, not the barnsthey were just so clean and there were no

flies and everything was so darn tidy. It was the antithesis of walking into my barn, which I now realize would be condemned, if scrutinized.

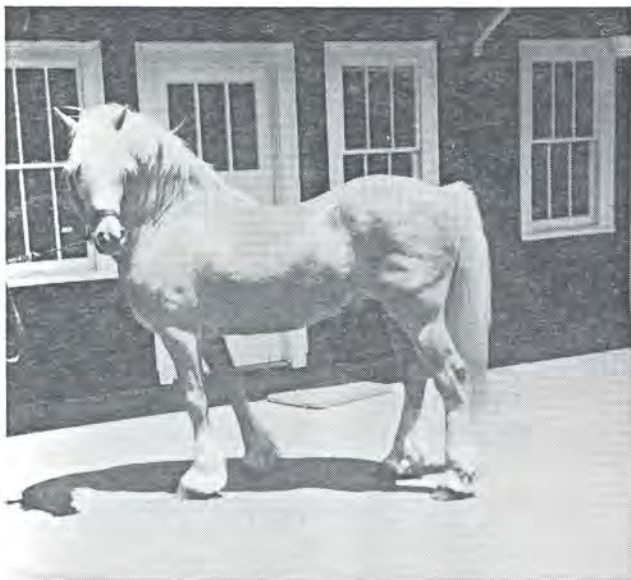
We first visited Gweneth Pres y Penrhyn, the only cob in foal for next year. A dark chestnut, Pres was covered by Swordy this year. She is such a lovely girl with ample bone, a body full of substance and a sweet eye and expression. Every time she was framed in the camera, she was so friendly she would walk toward me. I threatened to snap the picture and make her head look four feet long, but she wasn't concerned and that is why there is no photo of Pres. In the field beyond, we found Sec. D cob mare Parc Ceridwen and her '92 handsome bay colt by Merioneth Merlyn. Named Prydferth Diwrnod of Penrhyn by Mrs. Ingersoll, one could tell he thinks very highly of himself.

## Scurry Through New England, *con't*

On to the stallion yard. The farm has this great C-shaped barn where all the stallions are housed—all four sections are represented here. The inside part of the C-shape is quite large; the stalls all face inward and the stallions can see each other but view to the outside is limited. It appears to be the perfect setup for housing the all-male population. Lisa Leland, who was kind enough to give us the tour, brought out Section D Llanarth Trustful. Lisa and Trustful have been training and showing together; it was apparent they share a very good working relationship. My all time favorite cob in the world, of those I've ever met, is Turkdean Sword Dance. He is looking in excellent health—cobbier than ever—and as usual, as sweet as ever. An overgrown Section C, Swordy sports an exaggerated pony look. He's got tremendous bone and substance. I've seen him move—in fact rode him six years ago—and know this guy is no slouch in the trotting department. It was great to see him looking so contented.

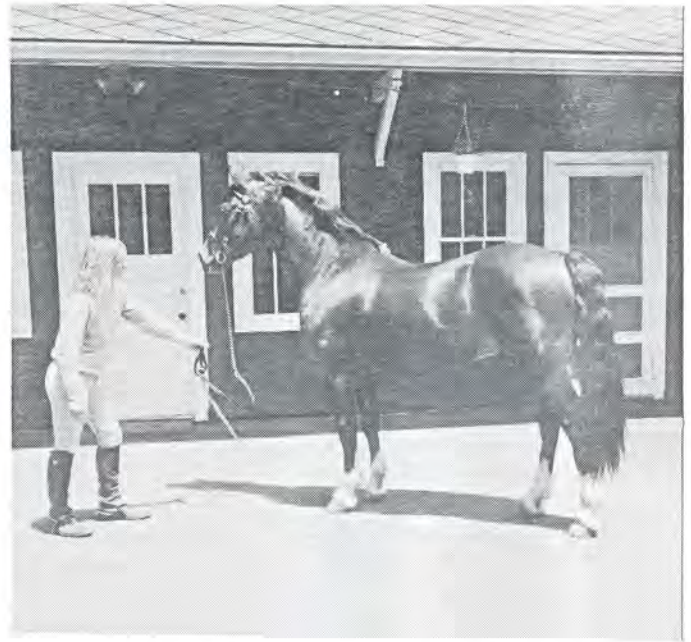
We next hiked to a pasture of almost all chestnut “open” mares. Ten-year old Fair Tegolin of Penrhyn (Dafydd y Brenin Cymraeg x Nebo Fair Lady), Synod Rosie-o-Grady (bay) by Brynmore Welsh Magic, Pennal Mattie and Gweneth aur y Penrhyn comprise the Sec. D herd. It was a fun surprise to see Sec. C yearling North Forks Tickle Your Fancy (Synod Gladstone x Penrhyn Nutcracker), maturing nicely. I had seen Fancy as a foal at Carol Holcombe's farm, just 90 minutes from my home. She moved to GFF last year.

My cob hit at Grazing Fields Farm and a stolen hour on the Cape gave me the perfect perspective to survive the workshop that followed. Once my professional commitment was fulfilled, I headed west across the state of Connecticut to the Kent School and a driving clinic featuring some of New England's top clinicians. The school is located on the summit of one of the



*Turkdean Sword Dancer, Grazing Fields Farm*

many hills in the Berkshires—a scenic and spacious setting. Five driving areas were designated from which the 19 participants rotated. Long lining was the only indoor session, Frank Kinsella supervised driving, one judge checked presentation, another had set out a training level cones course, and a fifth person handled the dressage driving. Participants appeared to be novice to intermediate level. Each clinician spent about 45 minutes with a



*Llanarth Trustful, Grazing Fields Farm*

small group of hitches. A variety of breeds, vehicles and all aged drivers participated. Most turnouts were singles although two pairs were included. What a wonderful surprise to saunter into the indoor arena and spy what I knew immediately was a Welsh Cob. It turned out to be Anne Fisher, her daughter Chandra and Anne's stallion, Lockeridge Waterloo. He looked stunning—very cobby, very typey. I've seen many photos of Waterloo, but seeing him in the flesh was a real treat. Having not driven Waterloo for quite a while prior to the clinic, Ann was a bit concerned about how he would do. He did GREAT! I even managed to snap a few photos as he trotted through his paces under the tutelage of Frank Kinsella (see cover). Other than swatting at the two dozen pet gnats that adopted me and swarmed about 6" away from my face the entire day, I would judge the clinic a great success. Even the sudden onset of a tremendous thunderstorm and downpour was short lived and the sun arrived to allow everyone to continue as before.

Another goal was to visit the farm of Frank and Jean Kinsella who sell Bennington carriages. It was quite a surprise and an honor to learn that this couple were founders of the American Driving Society. Although Frank has had a number of rather serious health problems over the past four years—two brain aneurysms, heart disease, Parkinson's disease and most recently, a shoulder joint replacement surgery—he may be slowed, but his “collected trot” is faster than my “working trot”. He is a

remarkable man who continues to drive his 4-in hand Lipizzaner team and he and Jean continue to dedicate their time to improving driving in the U.S. My cousin accompanied me to their farm in Roxbury, Connecticut where we were invited to join Ann and Chandra Fisher, Jill, who works at the farm, Jean and Frank for lunch. The Kinsellas one-story home is a beautiful blend of antiques, slate floors, rock fireplace and barn siding interior walls tastefully decorated with driving memorabilia—designed and partially built by themselves. But it was a tour of the carriage house and barn that impressed me the most. Frank has several Bennington four-wheeled vehicles—a duel purpose and wagonette. He designed and had built a huge coach for his four-in-hand. I swear the seat is 7 feet in the air—and with nothing but a low footpiece in front, it felt as though I was going to tip forward and fall out. Not a comfortable height for me. Frank also has two antique two-



*Fair Tegolin of Penrhyn, Grazing Fields Farm*

wheeled carts he is restoring. Enroute to the horse barn we passed a stack of driving cones that had a unique shape. They were vertical on what would be the side the pony or cob would pass, and the rest of the cone splayed out in a circle.. They were extra tall, heavy and well weighted and I could see it would give the driver a better idea of the true size of the opening than those that taper from a wide base at the bottom giving the impression the cones are further apart than they really are. Jean noticed my interest and mentioned sets are available—\$1,000—and come from Europe. (Drat, no wonder they're so nice—they're imported AND expensive.) These people truly love their Lipizzaner horses. We met each one, and despite a rather large bold head, should we say, they really were very handsome and sweet horses.

The Bennington carriages for sale are situated in a showroom about 15 minutes from the farm. A variety of sizes, colors and

sizes are available. Business is brisk and on the day we visited, one four-wheeled vehicle and a buggy were being shipped out. The 2-wheeled vehicles, available in small, medium, large pony and horse sizes range in price from \$2975 to \$5900. There are features on the Benningtons I've not seen on other vehicles. For example, the Buggy series has adjustable shelves, a crank adjustment to move the seat forward or back, depending upon the number of people in the vehicle to achieve perfect balance and one of their most popular features, a rubber mounted torsion axel to make the ride as comfortable as possible. No wonder these vehicles are so desired—imported AND expensive. Catalogs are available from the Kinsellas by writing in care of The Karst, 94 Juds Bridge Road, Roxbury, CT 96783 at 203-354-4947.

My last stop was just 20 miles away—at Royal Cob Farm. Anne Fisher has a beautiful old colonial-styled home rooted around huge trees and abundant flower beds. A boy barn and girl barn house her cobs, half cobs and Arabian. It was a pleasure to meet Lockeridge Victoria, Anne's mature chestnut cob mare as well as Victoria's now-grown daughter, Annabelle, who came over in utero from Britain. Both have much substance and are very cobby and sweet-dispositioned mares. Actually, all of Anne's animals are very sweet—pets, almost. Her two half-cob, have Thoroughbreds were very quiet and I could see some very nice cob characteristics passed on to them by herdsire Lockeridge Waterloo. The boy barn is full—Royal Cob Boromir and his full brother occupy a stall just down the aisle from dad. I would say Waterloo is a prepotent sire and stamps his type, his very mild disposition and bone onto his get.

After almost 800 miles on the rental car, I would have to say I did as much as I could in the time allowed. Next year when I return to Providence for another seminar, I plan to visit cob farms in Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

## S A L U T E S



Oregon Welsh Pony Society Show, , American National gold sanctioned, June 27-28, McMinnville, Oregon. Judge: Mr. Norman Kalinski

*Unless indicated otherwise, the owner's name follows the cob's name.*

Sec. C & D Stallions, all ages (4): 1. Brynarian Bleddyn, Norman Evans, shown by Tina Knott; 2. Okeden Taffy, Rhoda Verkuyl; 3. Winterlake Barclay, Bill & Cindy Dishman, shown by Patricia Ferris; 4. Brynarian Brait Ap Maldwyn, Ann Lamb, shown by Gerald Fangsrud

Ch Sec. C & D Stallion: Brynarian Bleddyn

Reserve Sec. C & D Stallion: Okeden Taffy

# SALUTES



Sec. C & D Mares, all ages (8): 1. Lidgett Lady Rachel, David & Jacquie Moore; 2. Windcrest Marieka, Rhoda & Ruth Verkuyl; 3. Brynarian Morwena, Ann Lamb, shown by Heather Fowler; 4. Llanarth Nansi, Carol Holcombe, shown by Ralph O'Connor; 5. Madoc Princess Ann, Catherine & Susan Reid, shown by Patricia Ferris

Ch. Sec. C & D Mare: Lidgett Lady Rachel

Reserve Sec. C & D Mare: Windcrest Marieka

Grand Champion Cob: Brynarian Bleddyn

Reserve Grand Champion Cob: Lidgett Lady Rachel

Sec. C & D Geldings, all ages (3): Crossroads Flyer, Janet Heard & Jocelyn Wright, shown by Patricia Ferris; N.P.F. O'Henery, Kathleen Fangsrud & Glenna Nickelson; 3. Wynsom Magnificent Obsession, Gerald Fangsrud

Sec. C & D English Pl., all ages (6): 1. Lidgett Lady Rachel, ridden by Corey Warren; 2. Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler; 3. Wynsom Magnificent Obsession, ridden by M. Marcott; 4. Crossroads Flyer, ridden by Lei Broadstone; 5. Mary's Megan, P.K. Winburn, ridden by Jennifer Winburn

Sec. C & D English Pleasure, all ages (6): 1. Crossroads Flyer, ridden by Lei Broadstone; 2. Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler; 3. Lidgett Lady Rachel, ridden by Corey Warren; 4. Mary's Megan, ridden by Jennifer Winburn

English Pleasure, Open, all ages (16): 4. Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler

Hunt Seat Equitation, Open, all ages (13): Crossroads Flyer, ridden by Lei Broadstone

Sec. C & D English Pleasure Stake, all ages (5): Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler; 2. Lidgett Lady Rachel, ridden by Corey Warren; 3. Crossroads Flyer, ridden by Lei Broadstone; 4. Mary's Megan, ridden by Jennifer Winburn

English Pleasure Stake, Open, all ages, (18): 2. Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler

Hunter Hack, Open, all ages (15): 2. Brynarian Morwena, ridden by Heather Fowler

Costume, Open, all ages (11): Lidgett Lady Rachel, ridden by Bridget Clarke

High Point Cob Performance: Brynarian Morwena, owned by Ann Lamb, ridden and shown by Heather Fowler

Champion English Pleasure C & D, any age: Brynarian

Morwena, Ann Lamb, Heather Fowler

Reserve English Pleasure C & D, any age: Lidgett Lady Rachel, Corey Warren, David & Jacquie Moore

A group of All Welsh Enthusiasts club members showed at the Clark County Fair at Ridgeview, Washington on August 16 to show in hand classes.. Classes had been sent up to group all mares, all sections by age. Since three cob mares were at the show a request to offer a cob mare class was met. No cob geldings or stallions were shown.

Cob Mares, all ages (3): 1. Okeden Jolly, Cindy Dishman; 2. Madoc Princess Anne, Cathy Reid; 3. Maid Marion, Patricia Ferris

Ch. Mare, all sections: Okeden Jolly

## PLEASE SEND SALUTES!

NACC would like to print results of any kind of accomplishment involving a cob. This could be any kind of competitive event. If you attend a breed show, for example, where cobs are shown, please ask the secretary or your regional high point person to forward results to us. (We await the results from cob classes at the W.O.W. show, the Ozark Empire Fair, the New England Welsh Pony & Cob Society Show, the Southwest Welsh Pony & Cob Show and any others not listed.) Of course, news of any accomplishment—no matter how great or small—is always welcome! *(SALUTES would also like to include announcements of new foals, tributes, and any kinds of congratulatory messages to your cob-owning friends!)*

## NEW MEMBERS



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Sigrid Harrison, 120 Reedy Meadow Rd., Groton, MA 01450

Anne Morrison, 1487 Stellys Cross Rd., RR 2, Saanichton, B.C. V0S 1M0

Rinda Pullen, 6512 - 123rd Ave. NE, Lake Stevens, WA 98258

James Mighells, 8064 Union Corners Rd., Mt. Morris, NY 14510

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Linda Caporizzo, Star Rt. 73, Blandford, MA 01008

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Cornelia Weathers, Ross Brook Farm, RD 2 Box 1205, Johnson, VT 05656

JoAnn Brown, Cyfaenad Farm Inc., RR #3, Dalkeith, Ontario K0B 1E0

Rebecca Smith, 22139 Eel Lane Rt. 1 Box 540 B, Middleton, ID 83644 (2 years)

Margaret Rial, P.O. Box 37, Stahlstown, PA 15687

The Interior Merchandising Group, Ltd., 10920 Beckman Way, Great Falls, VA 22066

Kate Shields, Hastening Farm, P.O. Box 1235, Middleburg, VA 22117

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Jack & Patricia Gammon, Ashton Stud Farm, RR #2, Ashton, Ontario K0A 1B0 (2 years)

Bill Winkelman, Winkelman Farm, RR 1, Box 233, Lohrville, IA 51453

Ruth Burns, Box 264, Carmen, ID 83462

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Cornelia Weathers, RD 2 Box 1205, Johnson, VT 05656

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Gordon A. Gaskill, Songor Welsh Cobs, HC 74 Box 112B, Sugar Grove, WV 26815

## CORRECTIONS



Add the following sire and dam for D-380, bay CAIRNGAN ELUNED, 5/24/88 to the Directory: Sire, D-205, Crossroads y Rhayader; Dam, D-50, Scole Mai. Owner, Ruth Burns, TreeBox Farm, Box 264, Carmen, ID 83462

Add the following sire and dam for TWIN GATES GOLDEN DELIGHT: Sire: Nescliffe Sunrise, Dam: Penny Dance of Penrhyn. Golden Delight is a palomino with dapples.

Please note the correction of Gordon Heard's telephone number, Crossroads Farm as 703-955-2393.

### DIRECTORY OMISSIONS

The Winter and Spring issues were sent to everyone listed in the 1992 Directory owning a cob who are not subscribers to NACC. Several were returned with incorrect addresses. If you know any of the people listed below and could supply a current address for us to update the Directory, we would appreciate your efforts. Please note new addresses:

Lawrence Rubin and Timothy Hill, Armenia, NY

Clara Sharp, Whitehorse, VT? or UT?

Louis Dean Westcott, Keyport, WA



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Charlotte Hull, Edgartown, MA  
 Sandra Keese, Wareham, MA  
 Susan Ambros, Milwaukee, WI  
 Ghislaine Reno, Dartmouth, NB  
 Laurie Anne Siegfried, RR 1 Box 367, Altamont, NY 12009

AUGUST 22-23 - 9th International Show, East of England Showground, Peterborough. Judge for Sections C & D In Hand, Mrs. K. Lehtonen, Finland. Judge for all sections Ridden, Mrs. A. Rolinson

DECEMBER 5 - Winkelman Farm 51st Annual Working Pony & Homesteading Auction, 12:30. Drive 3 miles West, 3 1/2 Miles south of Lohrville

## F E A T U R E A R T I C L E

# WHEN DID ENGLAND GAIN WALES?

*As printed in the Eugene Register-Guard, 1990*

**W**ales is one of the four countries that today make up the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. England, Northern Ireland and Scotland are the other three countries.

Wales was united with England more than 400 years ago, in the 16th century. People were living in what is now Wales as far back as 6000 B.C. They were called Iberians. Then about 2000 B.C. the Beaker folk were living there, making small clay pots. And in 600 B.C. the Celts invaded and conquered the country.

Roman armies arrived about A.D. 60, conquered Wales, and controlled the country for 400 years. Later, Wales was able to remain independent for hundreds of years. William the Conqueror put an end to that in 1071 when he declared himself lord of Wales.

To speed through history, English troops killed Llewelyn Griffith, Prince of Wales, in a battle that crushed a Welsh revolt in 1282. And in 1301 King Edward I gave the Prince of Wales title to his son. Henry Tudor, a Welsh prince, became King Henry VII of England in 1485. And Henry VII's son, Henry VIII, united Wales and England in 1536.

Wales is about the size of the state of New Jersey. It is on the western coast of the island of Great Britain and it fills a wide peninsula. Wales makes up about one-tenth of the island.

Wales has two official languages: English and Welsh. In rural areas, about three-fourths of the people speak Welsh. Welsh is a form of the ancient Celtic language. Wales is a country of singers and poets. The traditions of Welsh literature and music go back more than 1,000 years. Most Welsh love to sing. When two Welsh get together, an old saying goes, they almost immediately form a chorus. Welsh songs have a hymnlike quality.

Mining and manufacturing today support the economy of Wales. Since the Industrial Revolution started in the 1700s, coal mining and metal processing have been the country's most important industries. Coal is the most important natural resource. Large deposits can be found in southern Wales.

Plentiful water is another important resource. There are many large reservoirs that are used to produce hydroelectric power.

About a third of the population is employed in manufacturing. The country's main manufactured products are aluminum, iron, iron and copper tubing, steel, steel rails, tin plate and metal products.

Welsh farms do not produce enough food for all the people in the country, so much of the food has to be imported. The chief crops include barley, hay, oats, potatoes and turnips.



## NEW REGISTRATIONS TRANSFERS - WINTER 1991

Cob name	Sold by	Owner	Address	City, state	Col Zip
AKERS SANDDANCER	Barbara J. Akers	Joyce, Deborah L.	56901 Eleven Mile Rd.	New Hudson, MI	USA 48165
ASHTON ESCAROLE	new	Gammon, Patricia			
COBLYNAU CWMBRAN	new reg.	Parsons, Jennifer	RR. 4	Tottenham, ON	CAN LOG 1W0
CROSSROADS PRINCE HENRY	Howard I. & Carol L. Bacon	Marinner, Sheila	5 Bayridge Rd.	Rockland, ME	USA 04841
CROSSROADS SUPERIOR	Kelli Yordy	Heard, Gordon T.	RR 2 Box 352	Berryville, VA	USA 22611
CWMFADOG DAFYDD	new reg	Wilding-Davies, Peter	6164 226th St. RR 8	Langley, BC	CAN V3A 6HA
CWMFADOG MATH	new reg	Wilding-Davies, Peter	6164 226th St. RR 8	Langley, BC	CAN V3A 6HA
CWMFELEN STREET LEGAL	new	Tolhurst, Hilary	RR #1	Kemble, ON	CAN NOH 150
CZARINA	new reg.	Wilson, Nita		Harris, Sask	CAN
FALLON'S BLACK BEAUTY	Amanda Williams	Flock, Ellen	73 Burnt Hill Rd.	Hope, RI	USA 02831
GLENDOWER GUINEVERE	Joan Lawrence	Parsons, Keith & Jenni	RR #4	Tottenham, ONT	CAN LOG 1W0
HASTENING CYGNET	Kate Shields	Peterson, Polly	Box 35	Pawlet, VT	USA 05761
HEATHER HILL ALLY	Nancy Meehan	Holmes, Patricia	4040 Woodside Rd.	Woodside, CA	USA 94062
HEATHER HILL CARI	Katy Farquarson	Davis, Linda A.	30 Stadler Drive	Woodside, CA	USA 94062
HOLLY HILL LADY IN RED	Jacquie Moore	Westbrook, Harold L.	518 S. Wheatland	Medical Lake, WA	USA 99022
LLANARTH MARY ALICE	leased by Mary Alice William	Stryfeler-Crosser, Ju	36359 Keich Rd.	Lisbon, OH	USA 44432-94
LLANARTH MORWEN	Grazing Fields Farm	Holcombe, Carol	05832 North Fork Road	Florence, OR	USA 97439
LYNTON TRUE BRITON	new reg	Morrison, Raymond L.	120 Eglinton Ave E	Toronto, ON	CAN M4P 1E2
MACHETE	new	Wilson, Nita		Harris, Sask	CAN
MADOC BRILLIANT	Ronald F. Mustain	Solomon, Joanna	P.O. Box 2777	Duxbury, MA	023 78074
MARY'S ROSALYN	Patricia Holmes	Tucjer, Terri	1887 Keystone Dr.	Evergreen, CO	USA 80439
ME HAMLET	Shirley A. Bellfield	Sayre, Mary	82 Lansing	Aurora, CO	USA 80010
ME LANCELOT	Candy Henderson	Bullock, Valerie	Box 425, 900 E. Gordon	Holyoke, CO	USA 80734
MISS ANNIE	Jane Buyny	Phillips, Carol	1835 Camino Estrada	Concord, CA	USA 94521
OKEDEN MERRY MAID	John Neeman	Stark, Doug, Billie & Ea	RFD 4 Box 75	W. Brattleboro, VT	USA 05301
OKEDEN TAFFY	Carlene Sharples	Verkuy, Rhoda	P.O. Box 594	Elk Grove, CA	USA 95624
PENRRHYN FASCINATION	Carl L. Devental	Devental, Mrs. Ceil	RFD #2 Box 139 Old New Ipsw	Rindge, NH	USA 03461
SAMBUCA	new	Wilson, Nita		Harris, Sask	CAN
SHILOH TIGER BAY	Deanne Esmaeel	Pierik, Kathi	13048 Rancho Vista Ct.	Camarillo, CA	USA 93012
SHY MELINDA	new reg.	Thomas I. Davies		Vernon, BC	CAN
SIR TELYNOR	John Neeman	Becker, Robert	Box 713	Stillwater, NY	USA 12170
STAR'S PARADE	Earl Stark	Stark, Douglas & Earl	RFD 4 Box 75	W. Brattleboro, VT	USA 05301
SYDENHAM MORWYDDYN	John Neeman	Lilly, Dr. Pamela M.	12424 Oak Grove Rd.	Burleson, TX	USA 76028
TANGO 'N' CASH	new reg.	Wilson, Nita		Harris, Sask	CAN
WATERFORD DEMOCRAT	India B. Haynes	Hilgendorff	Box 175	Round Top, NY	USA 12473
WINKS GOLDEN STAR	Wm. P. Winkelman	Strunk, Gay	RR 1 Box 127	Callender, IA	USA 50523
WINTERLAKE CATRIN	Cindy Dishman	Gomes, Richard & Sylvi	99 Knutson Way	Coos Bay, OR	USA 97420

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AKERS SANDDANCER	mare	C00376	4/1/92	Turkdean Sword Dance C-91	Knockbridge Kizzy
ASHTON ESCAROLE	mare	[R299]		Ashton Cadfarch ap Math	Gadelle (TB)
COBLYNAU CWMBRAN	stallion	[D6895]		Derwen Reality	Penlon Iris
CROSSROADS PRINCE HENRY	gelding	D00257	3/6/92	Cascob Flying Colours (D)	Menai Ceris (D)(ba
CROSSROADS SUPERIOR	gelding	3-1-92	12/15/90	Cascob Flying Colours	Menai Mighty Mode
CWMFADOG DAFYDD	stallion	[D6907]		Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint	Llanarth DILYS
CWMFADOG MATH	stallion	[D6896]		Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint	Llanarth Math
CWMFELEN STREET LEGAL	gelding	[R311]		Hafael Brenin	Amazin Amanda (TB)
CZARINA	mare	[R316]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Becky's Luck (TB)
FALLON'S BLACK BEAUTY	mare	D33845	5/30/92	Sydenham Nocturne	Brenig Fallon
GLENDOWER GUINEVERE	MARE	C34031	11/11/91	?	?
HASTENING CYGNET	mare	H2429	11/10/91	Bayford True Patriot	Betsy (TB)
HEATHER HILL ALLY	mare	D00310	4/9/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig D-71	Heather Hill Tegwy
HEATHER HILL CARI	mare	H3015	5/27/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig	Melut Tiger
HOLLY HILL LADY IN RED	mare	H3075	2/18/92	Spartacus (SwedWB)	Lidgett Lady Rachel
LLANARTH MARY ALICE	mare	D00048	5/11/92	Llanarth True Briton (ches)	Llanarth Flying Roc
LLANARTH MORWEN	mare	D00002	4/15/92	LLanarth True Briton (ches)	Llanarth Mair
LYNTON TRUE BRITON	gelding	[D6964]		Parc Dilwyn	Synod Rhuban Coch
MACHETE	stallion	[R313]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Shawny Sham (TB)
MADOC BRILLIANT	gelding	D00258	3/16/92	Kentchurch Chime (cream) D-	Trevallian Welsh Je
MARY'S ROSALYN	mare	D00361	3/23/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig	Llanarth Rhonwen
ME HAMLET	stallion	D33947	2/3/92	?	?
ME LANCELOT	stallion	D33423	3/23/92	Crossroads Dafydd D00303	Dixie Silk
MISS ANNIE	mare	D00342	12/31/91	?	?
OKEDEN MERRY MAID	mare	D00203	11/18/91	Paith Magical Meredith	Arth Maid of Honou
OKEDEN TAFFY	stallion	D00167	8/1/91	Scole Morhys (liv. ches)	Scole Sapphire (liv.
PENRHYN FASCINATION	stallion	D00365	5/5/92	Okeden Sensation	Llanarth Meleri
SAMBUCA	stallion	[R314]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Bam Bam Sham (TB)
SHILOH TIGER BAY	gelding	D00060	10/26/88	Crossroads Rebounds Image (t	Shiloh Butterfly by
SHY MELINDA	mare	[R317]		Senor Pajaro (TB)	Llanarth Lady Vale
SIR TELYNOR	stallion	d00400	11/18/91	Okeden Telynor	Okeden Megan
STARK'S PARADE	mare	D34071	5/8/91		
SYDENHAM MORWYDDYN	mare	D00204	11/18/91	Derwen Supreme	Little Arietta
TANGO 'N' CASH	stallion	[R315]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Tender Spirit (TB)
WATERFORD DEMOCRAT	stallion	D33536	5/11/92	?	?
WINKS GOLDEN STAR	stallion	C33558	5/30/92	?	?
WINTERLAKE CATRIN	mare	D-3386	4/18/92	Brynarian Black Magic	Madoc Princess Ann

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AKERS SANDDANCER	mare	C00376	4/1/92	Turkdean Sword Dance C-91	Knockbridge Kizzy C-272	Palo
ASHTON ESCAROLE	mare	[R299]		Ashton Cadfarch ap Math	Gabelle (TB)	1991 chestnut
COBLYNAU CWMBRAN	stallion	[D6895]		Derwen Reality	Penlon Iris	1991 black
CROSSROADS PRINCE HENRY	gelding	D00257	3/6/92	Cascob Flying Colours (D)	Menai Ceris (D)(bay) by Trefaes Dolphi	1986 bay
CROSSROADS SUPERIOR	gelding	3-1-92	12/15/90	Cascob Flying Colours	Menai Mighty Model	1990 chestnut
CWMFADOG DAFYDD	stallion	[D6907]		Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint	Llanarth DILYS	1991 chestnut
CWMFADOG MATH	stallion	[D6896]		Llanarth Maldwyn ap Braint	Llanarth Math	1991 dk. bay
CWMFELEN STREET LEGAL	gelding	[R311]		Hafael Brenin	Amazin Amanda (TB)	1990 brown
CZARINA	mare	[R316]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Becky's Luck (TB)	1991 dk. bay
FALLON'S BLACK BEAUTY	mare	D33845	5/30/92	Sydenham Nocturne	Brenig Fallon	1990 black
GLENDOWER GUINEVERE	MARE	C34031	11/11/91	?	?	?
HASTENING CYGNET	mare	H2429	11/10/91	Bayford True Patriot	Betsy (TB)	1984 bay, Cob/ TB
HEATHER HILL ALLY	mare	D00310	4/9/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig D-71	Heather Hill Tegwyn B-28756 bay by F	1987 chestnut
HEATHER HILL CARI	mare	H3015	5/27/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig	Melut Tiger	1990 bay
HOLLY HILL LADY IN RED	mare	H3075	2/18/92	Spartacus (SwedWB)	Lidgett Lady Rachel	1990 bay
LLANARTH MARY ALICE	mare	D00048	5/11/92	Llanarth True Briton (ches)	Llanarth Flying Rocket by Pentre Eiddw	1981 chestnut
LLANARTH MORWEN	mare	D00002	4/15/92	Llanarth True Briton (ches)	Llanarth Mair	1979 chestnut
LYNTON TRUE BRITON	gelding	[D6964]		Parc Dilwyn	Synod Rhuban Coch	1989 chestnut
MACHETE	stallion	[R313]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Shawny Sham (TB)	1991 bay
MADOC BRILLIANT	gelding	D00258	3/16/92	Kentchurch Chime (cream) D-	Trevallian Welsh Jewel (bay) by Tyhen	1986 dun
MARY'S ROSALYN	mare	D00361	3/23/92	Cyffylliog Pendefig	Llanarth Rhonwen	
ME HAMLET	stallion	D33947	2/3/92	?	?	?
ME LANCELOT	stallion	D33423	3/23/92	Crossroads Dafydd D00303	Dixie Silk	1990
MISS ANNIE	mare	D00342	12/31/91	?	?	?
OKEDEN MERRY MAID	mare	D00203	11/18/91	Paith Magical Meredith	Arth Maid of Honour	1983 bay
OKEDEN TAFFY	stallion	D00167	8/1/91	Scole Morhys (liv. ches)	Scole Sapphire (liv.ches) by Sarnau Suj	1983 ches.
PENRRHYN FASCINATION	stallion	D00365	5/5/92	Okeden Sensation	Llanarth Meleri	?
SAMBUCA	stallion	[R314]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Bam Bam Sham (TB)	1991 bay
SHILOH TIGER BAY	gelding	D00060	10/26/88	Crossroads Rebounds Image (t	Shiloh Butterfly by Wickenden Osprey	1982 bay 13.2
SHY MELINDA	mare	[R317]		Senor Pajaro (TB)	Llanarth Lady Valerie	1991 bay
SIR TELYNOR	stallion	d00400	11/18/91	Okeden Telynor	Okeden Megan	1988 bay
STARK'S PARADE	mare	D34071	5/8/91			
SYDENHAM MORWYDDYN	mare	D00204	11/18/91	Derwen Supreme	Liddle Arietta	1983 bay
TANGO 'N' CASH	stallion	[R315]		Brynarian Eiddwen Comet	Tender Spirit (TB)	1991 bay
WATERFORD DEMOCRAT	stallion	D33536	5/11/92	?	?	?
WINKS GOLDEN STAR	stallion	C33558	5/30/92	?	?	?
WINTERLAKE CATRIN	mare	D-3386	4/18/92	Brynarian Black Magic	Madoc Princess Anne	1991 chestnut

# LLANARTH STUD

Dr. Wynne Davies

One wonders whether, when the Misses Pauline Taylor and Barbara Saunders Davies joined the Welsh Pony and Cob Society in 1943, they had any suspicion that they were laying the foundations of a world-famous breeding establishment.

It might not have seemed so surprising if these two ladies had had an agricultural background, but Pauline Taylor came to Llanarth from the Music Department of a Welsh University College, where she was cellist and lecturer, and Barbara Saunders Davies from Paris, where she studied music with Nadia Boulanger.

It was around this time that I first saw Miss Taylor with some of the Llanarth Welsh Cobs in the Cardiganshire show rings. Imagine my surprise, on entering the Aberystwyth Grammar School a few years later and settling down to an afternoon's musical entertainment, at perceiving Miss Taylor in her other role, in charge of the cello. She was accompanied by Miss Enid Lewis, a Professor of Music at Guildhall who was born at Blaenwern, home of the Llanarth Stud, near the Cardiganshire coast in Mid-Wales.

Cardiganshire has always been regarded the "Land of my Fathers" as far as Welsh Cobs are concerned. In the mid-forties their numbers were dangerously depleted, almost to the point of extinction, but a few faithful breeders battled through to keep the breed alive.

Notable amongst the Cardiganshire cob stallions at that time were Messrs. David Rees and Son's Brenin Gwallia (foaled in 1934) and Mr. John Evans's Cardi Liwyd, three years his senior.

David Rees was the third or fourth generation of a family whose whole lives centered on Wales's largest native horse breed; without them there probably would not be a cob in Wales today. The Rees families never parted with their stallions, they were always buried on the smallholdings and Brenin Gwallia, without doubt, was David Rees's pride and joy.

John Evans and Cardi Liwyd lived together "crofter-fashion" on the edge of rough moorland, listening to one another's movements all day long and thinking of nothing else. One can well imagine the rivalry that existed amongst these owners and their followers; followers of the camp of one stallion had, of necessity, to be at war with the camp of the other!

Such was the situation in Welsh Cob land into which the Misses Taylor and Saunders Davies were entering. Certainly not the place for a faint heart!

With the wisdom of Solomon these ladies acquired Llanarth Kilda (a daughter of Cardi Liwyd and later to become the dam of the famous Llanarth Braint), bred by John Evans, and their first Welsh Cob breeding venture was the mating in 1943 of



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**RHOSFARCH MORWENNA**  
[Pentre Eiddwen Comet x Rhosfarch Maid by Mathrafal]

Dam of numerous champions including Llanarth Meredith, ap Braint. Morwenna has two sons in North America, both full brothers to Meredith; Llanarth Maidwyn ap Braint owned by Tom Davies, B.C. Can. and Llanarth Math ap Braint owned by Joe Nuth.



Photo: Davidson

**LLANARTH MEREDITH ap BRAINT** [Llanarth Braint x Rhosfarch Morwenna]  
Champion Stallion

their original mare, Llanarth Firefly, to Brenin Gwallia and consequently, from that day, they were welcomed in both camps.

In the fifties the Cardiganshire breeders looked on the Llanarth Cobs with bewilderment and, without doubt, a little scorn. Cardiganshire Cobs were noted for their trotting qualities: such names as Trotting Jack, Trotting Comet and High Stepping Gambler were by-words in Mid-Wales.

The cobs were bred for harness work, the higher their action the better. The fact that the Llanarth Cobs were asked to canter, gallop and jump was regarded as sacrilege by the older enthusiasts. Also until docking of tails became illegal in the U.K. in 1951, only Llanarth Cobs were kept un-docked.

In medieval Welsh literature the Welsh Cob is described as an animal "fleet of foot, a good jumper, good swimmer and able to carry substantial weight, on its back." Therefore there was nothing new in what the Llanarth Cobs were asked to do. It was merely a reversal of fashion, and time has proved that the Welsh Cob owes its present-day popularity to its versatility.

It is equally at home and valuable in the hunting field as it is between the shafts of a smart gig in a private driving competition, or harnessed to a tradesman's vehicle in London.

Llanarth Welsh Cobs have proved that they are equally adaptable to both saddle and harness. At the 1972 Royal Welsh Show the champion stallion shown in hand was Llanarth Flying Comet, with Llanarth Meredith ap Braint as reserve champion. The harness champion over all breeds was Llanarth Meteor, while the three awards for ridden Welsh Cobs went to Llanarth Darnel, Llanarth Rhodri and Llanarth Rhys - quite a record.



Photo: Idris Aeron

**LLANARTH MARINA** [Llanarth Flying Comet x Rhosfarch Morwenna] at age 2.



**LLANARTH FLYING COMET** [Pentre Eiddwen Comet x Llanarth Flying Saucer]  
 Five times Supreme Champion of the Royal Welsh and Lloyds Bank in Hand  
 Champion. Flying Comet was chosen by Royal Worcester as their model for a limited  
 edition porcelain depicting the Welsh Cob. Photos: Idris Aeron

Llanarth Braint, born in 1948 and the progenitor of this dynasty, very nearly missed being at Llanarth at all. As already mentioned, his dam was Llanarth Kilda by Cardi Liwyd (Welsh for "dun Cardiganshire dweller") and in 1947, while in foal to Llanarth Goldcrest, she was offered for sale at the West Wales Horse Sale at Llanbyther. Luckily for Llanarth, she failed to reach her modest reserve of £30 and so returned home in due course to produce a creamy coloured colt that was later to be named Llanarth Braint (Welsh for "honour" or "privilege").

Braint was a mixture of the big, rangy "Breconshire" type of cob on his sire's side, through Pistyll Gold Flake and Paith Flyer, and of the "Cardiganshire," more compact and fiery sort, on his maternal side, going back in three generations to the noted Ceitho Welsh Flyer (Lluestybrog), foaled in 1917.

Whilst Llanarth Braint has been the stallion to have the greatest influence on the stud, the mare (amongst many which deserve it) to which this honour goes is little Llanarth Fortress.

### Chance find

Driving along a lovely stretch of road by the River Wye near Builth Wells in 1945, the Misses Taylor and Saunders Davies saw a little roan two-year-old filly being ridden by some small children. They immediately took a liking to her and bought her.

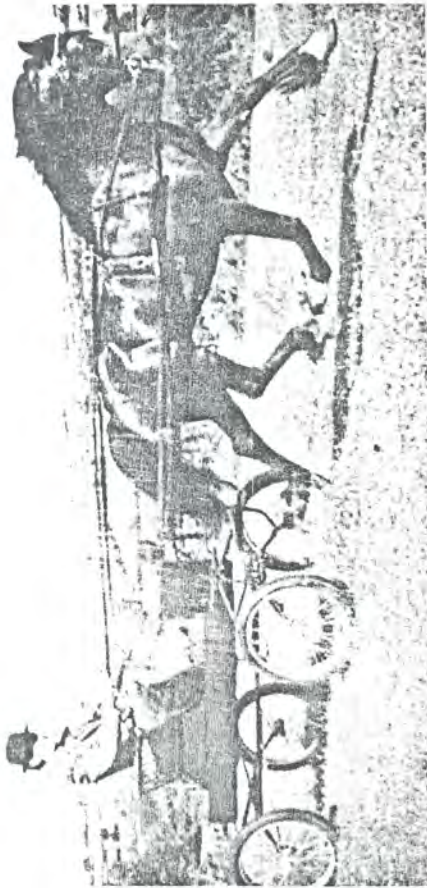
Having no pedigree, she was duly entered in the appendix of the Welsh Stud Book as "Foundation stock." From a study of her conformation and from the evidence of her progeny, Fortress was very obviously absolutely Welsh withal, a typical Welsh pony of cob type.

The result of the first cob mating at Llanarth, that of Firefly to Brenin Gwalia already referred to, was a liver chestnut colt called Llanarth Prince Roland. He, in turn, mated to Fortress, produced Llanarth Rocket (now enjoying life at 26 years of age in the Isle of Man).

To everyone's great regret (and now it is too late) Rocket was only ever bred from on one occasion and that filly, by Llanarth Braint (incidentally Braint's first ever foal), was named Llanarth Flying Saucer.

Llanarth Flying Saucer needs no introduction to Welsh Cob enthusiasts. A champion herself, she is also dam of the champions Flying Comet, Meteor, Jack Flyer, the smaller but beautifully proportioned Llanarth Sentinel, and many others of note.

One will never forget the entry of Miss Taylor riding Fortress into the main ring of the Royal Welsh Show during her year of presidency in 1971. It was my duty to introduce the display that afternoon, and the biggest applause of all was obtained when she announced that the combined ages of Miss Taylor and Fortress exceed 300 years.



**LLANARTH METEOR** [Mena] Llanarth Flying Saucer by Llanarth Braint] winner in hand and in harness.



**LLANARTH SIAN** [Tyhen Comet x Llanarth Flying Saucer] Sian is dam of the young Champion mare Llanarth Sally, persistent rumors of whose sale have been one of the many mysteries of 1981.

Another lucky strike was the buying of Rhosfarch Morwena from the late Richard Tudor - again at Llanbybyther Sales.

Whilst in Cardiganshire, we shared some rented grazing with Mr. Tudor and often admired Morwena for her beautiful head and long reach of neck. Little did I think at the time that, mated to Braint, she was going to produce Llanarth Morwena (the ambassador of the breed in Scotland), the outstanding Meredith ap Braint, retained in the stud, the striking dun Math ap Braint, now in Canada, Marc ap Braint, exported to France after a very successful career in Britain, and lastly Llanarth Mari, the filly foal who had us all spellbound as she sold for 1,000 guineas at the Llanarth Sale last October.

Whilst on the subject of the offspring of Llanarth Braint, one must also mention Mr. Mostyn Isaac's Honyton Michael ap Braint, a very popular sire in South Wales and the first Welsh representative to win the Frederick's Championship; also Miss Wheatcroft's great winner Llanarth Brummel, champion under saddle.

## Cattle

The Misses Taylor and Saunders Davies did not confine their agricultural activities to the breeding of Welsh Cobs - far from it. There is also a fine herd of pedigree Welsh Black cattle that did very well at the London Dairy Shows, Royal Welsh Shows, etc., pedigree Welsh pigs that were carefully recorded and valuable as breeding stock, also Cardiganshire (long-tailed) Corgis, as well as chickens, ducks, geese and bantams.

One must also not forget the Welsh ponies of cob type, section C of the Welsh Stud Book, the breed which the Llanarth Stud has done so much to popularize and the breed which was even nearer to extinction than the Welsh Cob - at one time almost down to single figures in total.

The section C is surely Europe's most useful family animal, ideal for mum, dad and all the kids and in great demand as a trekking animal.

Senior sire at Llanarth in this department is the blue-eyed cream Llanarth Cerdin, now with Mrs. Garrick, who has proved his worth at stud. I have two daughters of his of which I am very fond, of one of them so much so that, having sold her to go to Yorkshire last year, I pestered the buyer so much that she eventually gave in and I was able to buy her back.

Miss Taylor very sportingly took some Welsh Cobs to the Essen exhibition in 1972 with the result that the top-priced C pony at the Llanarth Sale a few months later, Dwyfor Peter Pan, a grandson of Llanarth Cerdin from the Dwyfor Riding Centre in Carnarvonshire, was bought by a German buyer who had never heard of Welsh Cobs or Section C ponies until he saw them at Essen.

In 1961 Miss Saunders Davies left Blaenwern, but her services are often called upon to officiate as judge at major shows, for the Welsh breeds and also for Palominos, for which the Llanarth Stud again deserve great credit for pioneering amongst the Welsh breeds.

In 1964 the annual Llanarth Sale was inaugurated at Blaenwern for Welsh Cobs, section D of the Welsh Stud Book, and section C ponies of cob type. This sale is for animals from Llanarth Stud and, with Miss Taylor's permission, for the same breeds of animals from other breeders nationwide.

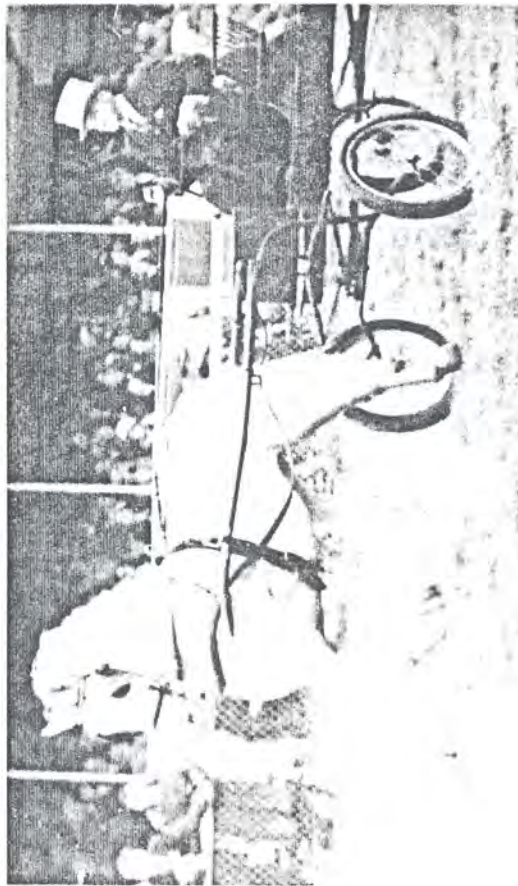
I well remember selling some cob colt-foals at the first Llanarth Sale for around 20 guineas, well below their cost of production, and wondering whether there was going to be any future in breeding Welsh Cobs.

The person who has been responsible for producing the animals at Llanarth since 1965 has been Leonard Bigley (born, strangely enough, the same year as Llanarth Braint) and one never ceases to wonder how he can turn out champion after champion and each one in absolute top form.

In 1975 Miss Taylor and Miss Enid Lewis gave the Welsh Cobs of the Llanarth Stud and the Blaenwern Farm of 400 acres to the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth. The Llanarth Stud helps the College in the "public relations" aspect and publicity by such events as Llanarth Flying Comet qualifying for the Lloyds Bank

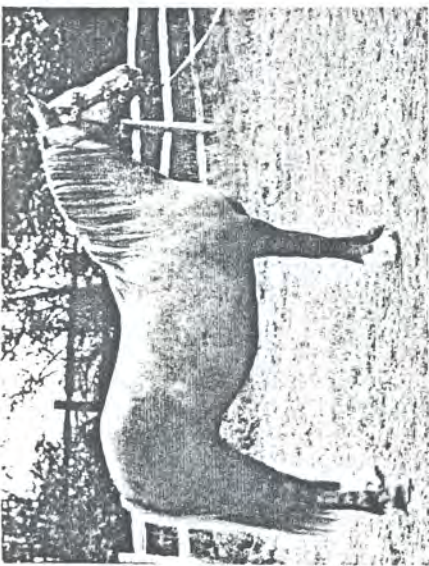


LLANARTH CERDIN (Llanarth Marvel x Menai Ceridwen) Section C, now owned by the Newhouse Stud.

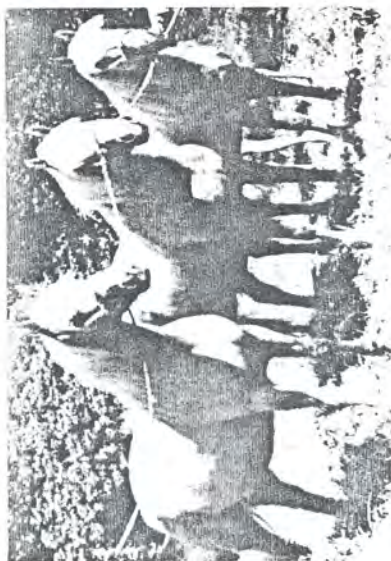


MENAI CERIDWEN (Cardog Llwyd x Menai Queen Bee)

Photo Courtesy WPCS Stud-book



**LLANARTH RHUDEL** (Llanarth Meteor x Llanarth Rachel)  
 Dam of Champions, in Hand and Performance. Owned by Mrs. P.E. Vestey, Kentchurch Stud.



**LLANARTH MIRABELL**, Hafrena Queen and Llanarth Rachel.

Championship at the Horse of the Year Show six times and winning the Championship twice (1979 and 1980) and thereby appearing on National Television and in return, the future of the Llanarth Welsh Cobs will be safeguarded for posterity.

The University has a thriving Agriculture Department concentrating on cattle and sheep (Aberystwyth) is world-famous for its Plant Breeding Station) and Miss Taylor feared that Blaenwern would be used primarily as another cattle and sheep farm and not, as was intended by the gift, to preserve the Welsh Cob. A compromise was achieved by the setting up of six-member Llanarth Stud Advisory Committee (of which Principal Gareth Owen is Chairman) consisting of two members of the Welsh Pony and Cob Society, Mr. Ewald Weide from Austria and myself and this Committee first met on March 6, 1981. It is the intention of the Committee to forge closer links between the College and the Stud, e.g., by holding Stud Management Courses at Aberystwyth, visiting the Stud and concentrating on aspects for which the Llanarth Stud is particularly famous, i.e., Cobs with extended movement suitable for riding and dressage (Breconshire-type rather than Cardiganshire-type) and strains noted for their long-living and hardiness.

Llanarth Welsh Cobs are particularly suited (on account of over 40 years of breeding along particular blood-lines) to cross with Thoroughbreds to produce exceptional Part-bred Welsh Cobs. Examples of outstanding animals in this sphere are: Okeden Yeoman (by Llanarth Rhys) who was Phillips Dressage Horse of the Year 1981, Everest Jet Lag (by Thoroughbred Flying Bee out of Heather, daughter of Hafrena Queen by Llanarth Braint) ridden by Liz Edgar to be winner of the Country Life Jumping competition at the 1981 Horse of the Year Show, Sea Horse



**LLANARTH TRUE BRITON** (Nebo Black Magic x Llanarth Lady Valiant)  
 With his third foal crop on the ground in 1981, True Briton is already 6th on Britain's Sire Ratings for Sec. D. True Briton is the sire of a number of recent imports: Madoc's "Llanarth Mary Alice, Ann Kitchel's "Llanarth Warwick, Brynarian's "Llanarth Dilys and Smoke Tree's "Llanarth Morwen, "Llanarth Bunty, "Llanarth Mabel and Llanarth Meleri.

Llanarth Brummel) and Maritme (out of Llanarth Nerissa) winners of many ridden and in-hand hunter Championship awards.

Miss Enid Lewis died in 1980 followed by Miss Taylor on June 17, 1981. It is hoped that the formation of the Stud Committee three months prior to her death gave Miss Taylor hope for the successful continuation of the Llanarth Stud of Welsh Cobs.

Currently at Llanarth there are 4 Cob stallions, 19 mares, four fillies of two or three years and 3 yearling fillies. During 1981 the exceptional four-year-old stallion Llanarth Rhun (Llanarth Meredith ap Braint x Llanarth Rhiangel by Llanarth Meteor) was sold for a Welsh Cob record price to Hugh and Annie Evans, now residing in Gloucester. Rhun was already over 15 hands and had most tremendous natural extended movement. Four filly foals and one colt foal were sold to the U.S.A.: Llanarth Mary Alice to Mrs. Williams of Texas, Llanarth Bunty, Llanarth Mabel to Kathy Huber and Llanarth Warwick to Ann Kitchel. Two foals which sold well on the 1981 Llanarth Sale were Llanarth Dolly (Parc Dadydd x Llanarth larlies) and Llanarth Justice (Llanarth True Briton x Llanarth Jenny Jones by Llanarth Flying Comet).

It is hoped that the Llanarth Stud, under the guidance of manager Len Bigley and his wife, Ann, and assistant manager, Mark Northam, will continue to flourish and be a worthy memorial to Miss Taylor.

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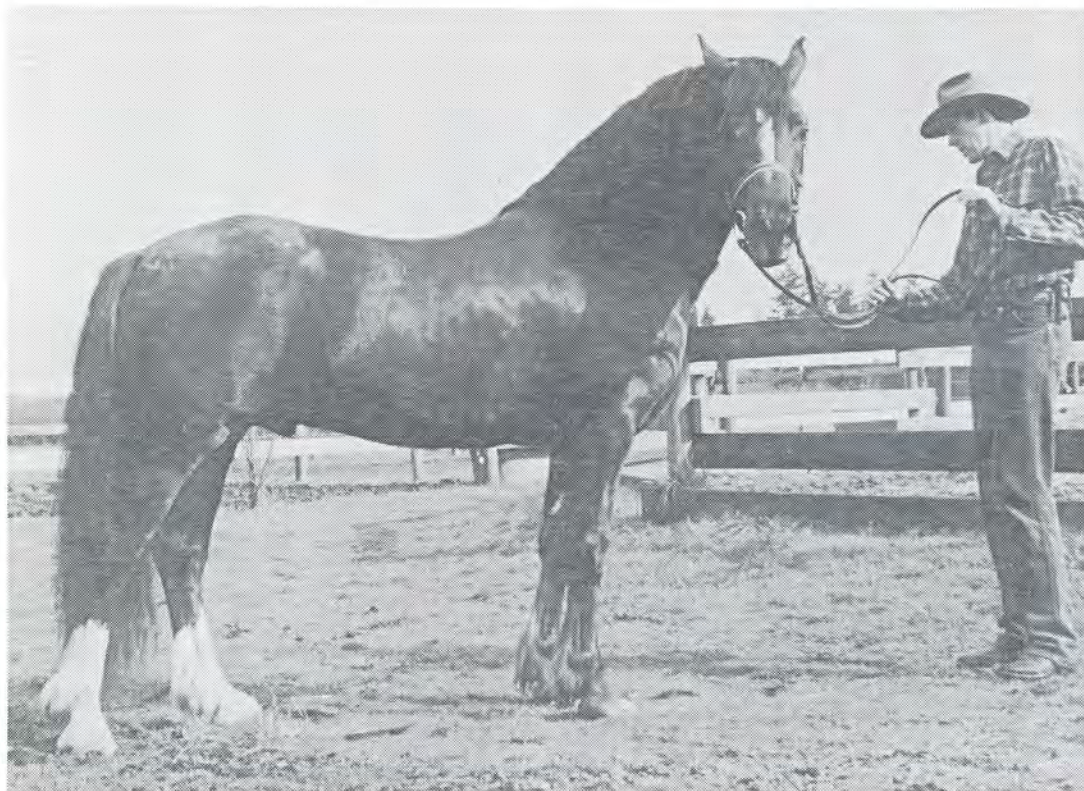
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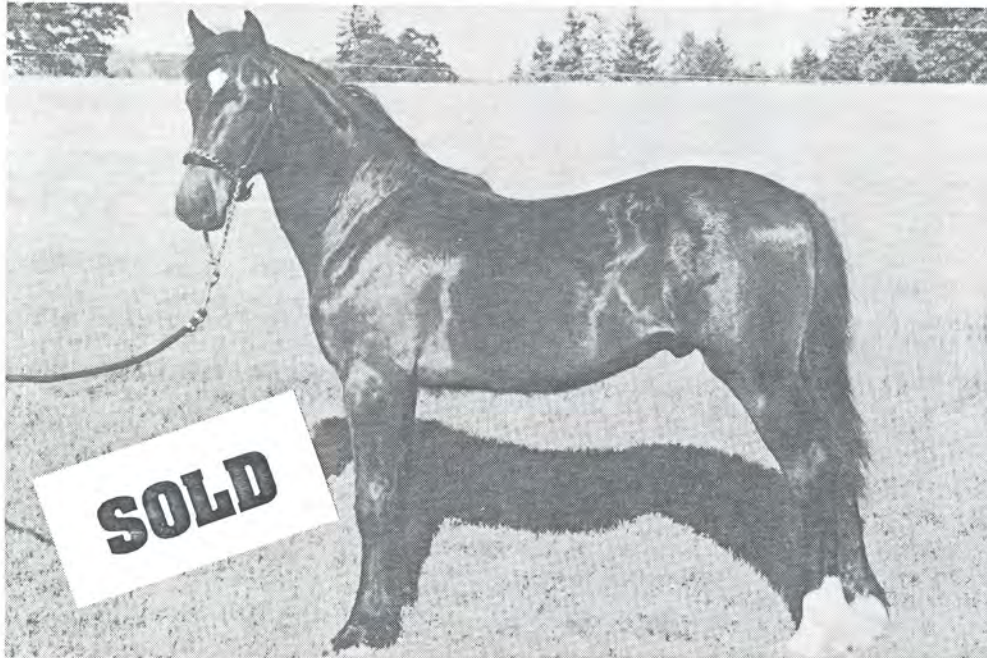
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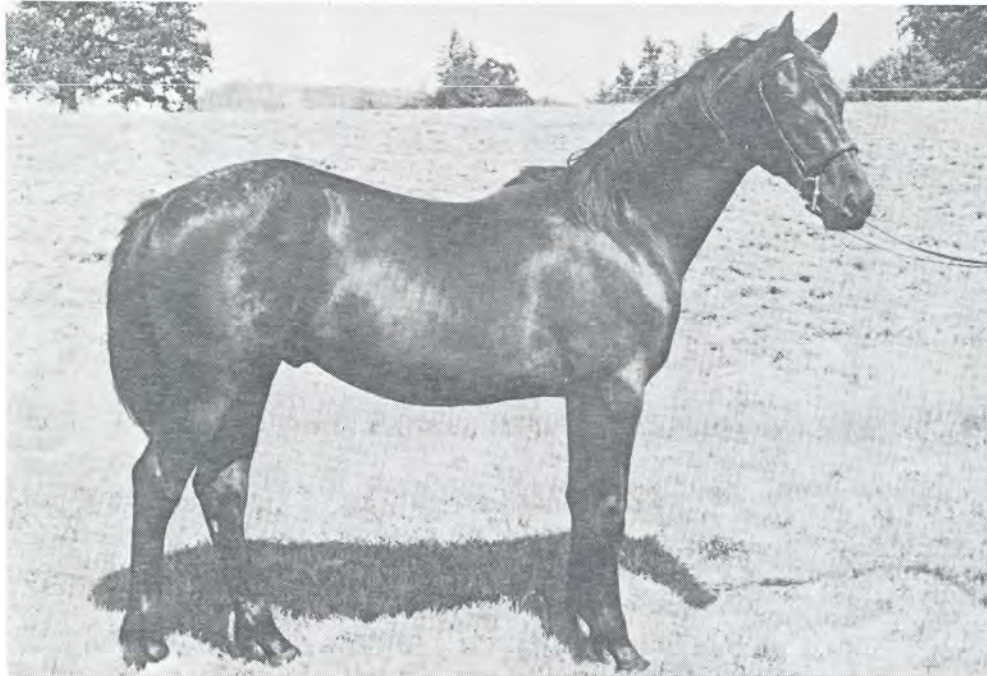
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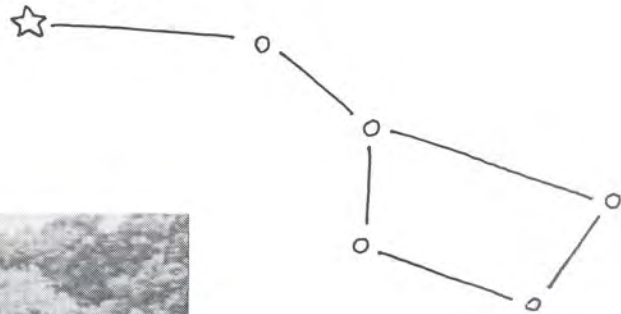
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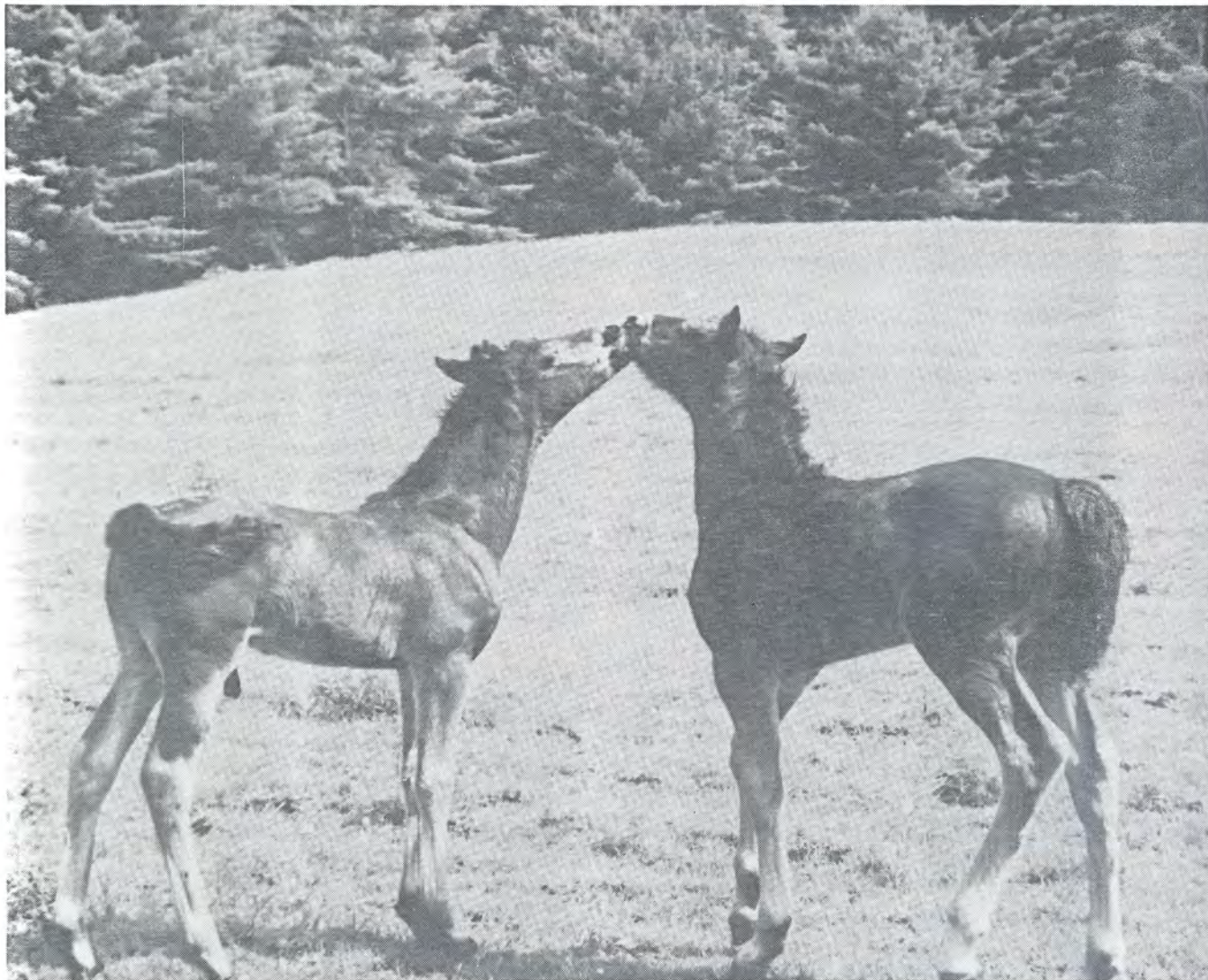
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Tapes 2 and 4 are not yet available, however I expect to be able to offer them with the Autumn issue.

For those of you who missed the opportunity to order, we have a few extras. Footage was filmed by Richard Miller in 1987 as he visited Welsh studs.

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