



**STARBURN**  
Stallion Starburn  
a picture of power

By HELEN BROOKS  
He's a perfect picture of power this bronzed bay with his mighty muscles surging under the sheen of his satin skin. The ivory-white of the great star on his broad forehead seems to accentuate intelligence, quality, and a long line of illustrious ancestors. Such is "Starburn" — the living legend of the Maritimes, the fastest Maritime-bred pacing stallion on Maritime harness tracks in the hundreds of years of harness racing in an area famed for its fast horses and great horsemen.

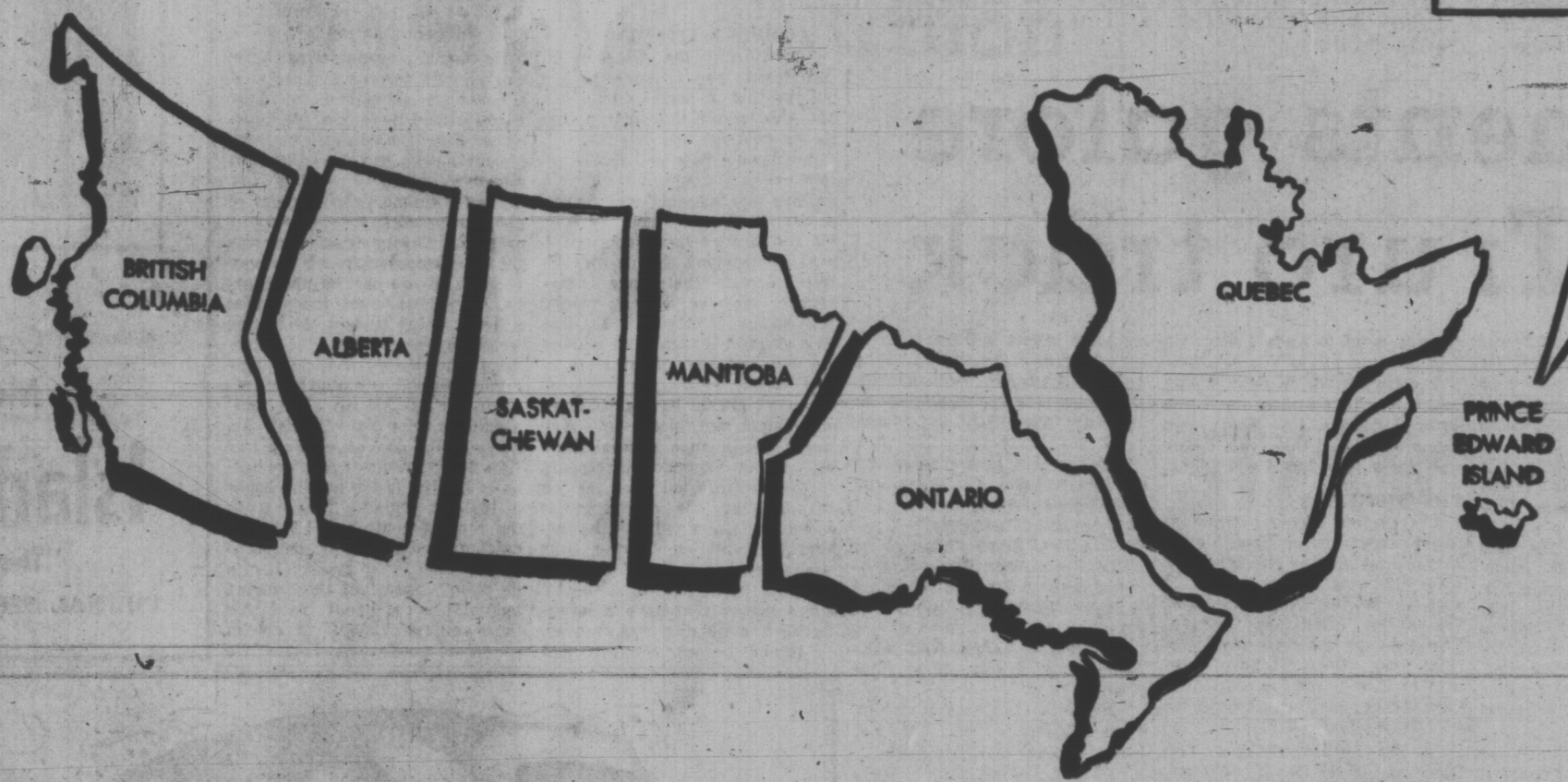
It is hard to describe the hidden power in Eliza Williamson's dynamic young stallion as he has never seemed to reach his peak yet and appears to have an uncontrollable, and as yet uncalled on, reserve of super speed such as he displayed at Moncton's Brunswick Downs midway through the racing season when, from a dead stop at the half, he not only caught the field of Free For All pacing stars, but beat them in a last half quoted by Race Secretary Ingraham Palmer to have been individually timed in 55 seconds.

"Such raw speed we have never before seen in these parts" "Starburn's mark of 2:04 3/8 taken at the Charlottetown Driving Park during Old Home Week this season seems to indicate only his great surface speed and leaves to one's imagination his true potential should this electric burst of super speed ever appear for the entire mile.

**HERE'S THE ANSWER**  
In searching for an answer as to the potential of this young horse, I had only to go to the pedigree of his sire, "Lakeburn," to find the equation for speed. "Lakeburn" himself is a Maritime-bred stallion "Federal" — "Leah Guy" thus making "Starburn" the only two generation Maritime-bred 2:08 speedster in history. My immediate reaction to "Lakeburn's pedigree may be summed up in the words of the famous American colt man Ben White, "In every great sire's lineage there must be one of the 4 great foundation dams; without this, speed will not reproduce. The closer the maternal line — the better the sire." "Lakeburn," through

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per 100 lbs. of grain or concentrate ration and that in addition salt be always available free choice.

**TRACE MINERALS**  
There are quite a number of trace minerals that are essential for the horse but they are only needed in small amounts and if a good mineral mix is used it should contain sufficient amounts. With respect to all minerals horses should be fed minerals free choice as well as mixed in the ration.

**CONCLUSION**  
This paper is written to stimulate your thinking about the proper nutrition of horses. I have not laid down many specific items, I have charts available that suggest the requirements for horses and if there is any demand for them these can be reproduced for your use. I feel very strongly that the reason we do not breed and raise more consistent good performing horses can be related to the nutrition up to the time of racing and if we in this area are going to raise Standardbred horses we have to be more careful in our choice of nutrients and feed activities while these animals are growing and their demands are greatest.

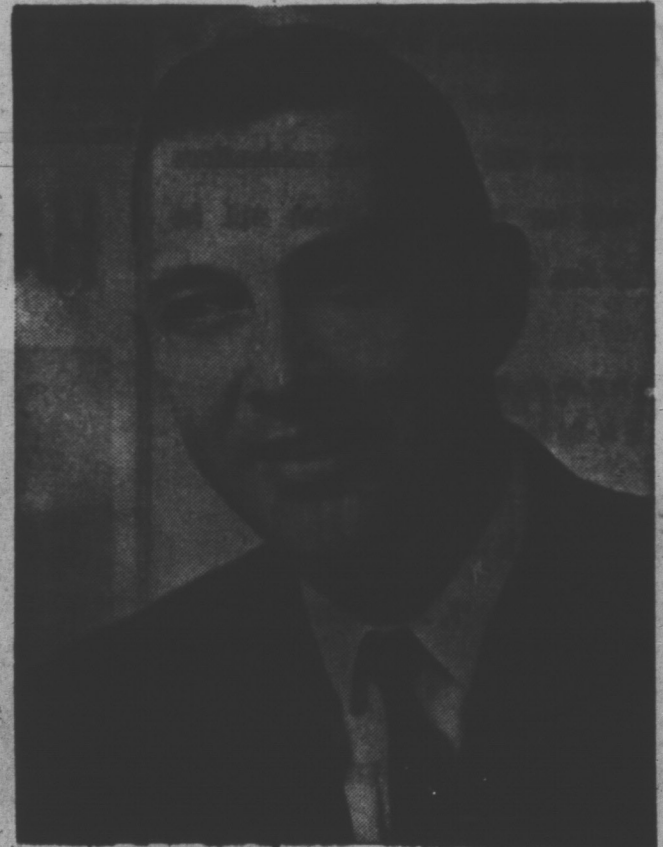
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