

RECORDS

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oval a 2:09.4 mark for two-year-old pacers and his stablemate, Borderview Bob Lee dropped ally at every track, gave the McSamson's three-year-old pacer standard of 2:08.3 to 2:07.2. Among the Maritime-bred performers, the Billie Eden two-year-old Rhapsody Lee hung a 2:14 mark on the oval for his type. In the next age group, Speedy Con established a standard of 2:08.2, while winning The Ambietonian. West River Boy, with a glib trip in 2:07.1, gave the oval a new job for Maritime-bred four-year-old geldings. He was teamed by Phil Pinkney, who also had the track mark for Maritime-bred horses with Miss Betty M. He teamed the mare to a 2:06.1 trip, erasing the 2:06.4 set up by Ann's Dream in the late 50s. The record however, was lowered about a week later by Miramichi Carla's 2:04.

HORSE OF YEAR
Honors for "Horse Of The Year" went to Chaldale Comet, a 14-year-old pacer turned trotter for his final year. Purchased as a "fun horse" in the winter by newcomer Stan Wilson of Moncton, the "old horse" trotted to 10 wins and a mark of 2:09.3. He also won in 2:06.4 and 2:10. Wilson figured his horse cost him about \$30. "I got him, a sleigh and the harness, all for \$100 he remarked many times. His 10 wins gave him the dash winning honors for the season. Spanish Way and Squawking Squaw were next in this department with nine wins while success Fay, Double Win and Wayne D. Henley scored for eight. Rounding out "the top 10" with seven wins were Betsy Truax, Lady Tipton, Mi Sota and Nellie J.

Frankie Daniels' 26-year-old son Gary picked up the beautiful Schooner Trophy as the track's leading dash winning driver. He had 47 wins for the campaign, good enough for a 10 win edge on runner-up Danny Pellerin. Blair Bernard, the 39-year-old Moncton car salesman was third with 30.

The trophy, placed into competition by Oland's Brewery of Saint John, was won last year by Joe Goguen with 49 wins. This past year, Goguen was fifth in dashes won, with 34, two behind fourth-place finisher Guy Gaudet with 26.

The battle for top money winning honors among the teamsters was much closer: Pellerin, a 26-year-old resident of Lakeburn, pulled in \$4,736 from his

drives, edging young Daniels by a scant \$72. Daniels' total was \$4,664 giving him just a \$44 edge on third finisher Blair Bernard's \$4,620. Goguen was fourth with \$4,231 and Hazen Fletcher fifth with \$3,356.

Reverting to speed statistics, the 2:04.2 by Miramichi Fred, was the fastest pacing mile of the season compared to 1965's swiftest of 2:06 by Landy. During the '66 campaign, Landy's 2:06 was bettered on seven occasions. Aside from Miramichi Fred's 2:04.2, there was Dudley H., 2:05.3; Comte Richelieu, 2:04.4; Borderview Roy 2:05;

Rhythm Time, 2:06.4; Miramichi Carla, 2:05.4 and Miramichi Fred again, with a trip in 2:05.2. The track's record mutual handle for single night was established during The Monctonian, when patrons played a total of \$32,694 through the wickets, easing the previous high of \$31,628, set on Monctonian night in 1965.

A total of 200 different owners from all over the Maritimes, and one from Maine, were represented by the 285 different horses that paraded posthurdle during the season. Regarded as another accom-

plishment by The Downs' management was the successful presentation of several events for Maritime-bred horses. The Downs inaugurated The McSamson, The Maritime Pacing Derby, The McCherie and The Happy L., in 1965. These events were continued in '66, along with The Atlantic, The Budlong and The Westmorland, all for Maritime-bred performers.

"We were well pleased with their acceptance by horsemen and fans, and plan them again for 1967", Palmer said. "We're also pleased to be participating

in the Maritime Colt Stakes Association, which will give us a Maritime-bred event for two-year-olds", he added. The Moncton track will also have three "legs" of the Maritime-Free for all circuit in 1967. It's dates are June 17, July 15 (The Monctonian) and Sept. 15 (The N.E. Pacing Derby).

An earlier opening is also contemplated for the Moncton oval, "At least by the middle of May" according to Palmer.

DATE WAS CHANGED
Dec. 25 is not Cigale's historical birthday but was chosen for the observation of Christmas by Bishop Liberious of Rome.

IN HOSPITAL
Mrs. Stanley Dawson, 36 Bodys Street, Summerside, is a patient in Prince County Hospital undergoing treatment.



HIS GREATEST THRILL

Former Prince Edward Islanders, Glydon Willis, proudly holds Clearview Stables' Carbon Copy, bh, 4, 2:00. This four-year-old by Bill Gallon, dam Ideal Queen, gave

Glydon his greatest racing thrill, winning in 2:00. It was Glydon's first two-minute mile. Clearview Stables are in Pinehurst, North Carolina.

SPECIALIST

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improve our standard bred industry.

Our stallions and mares are comparable to the best in North America and we should not try to sell them short. Too often the boys, and I use the word advisedly, on the knockers benches have derided certain stallions and mares without checking blood lines and the old adage "breeding will show" can be demonstrated again and again in our Maritime breeding programs.

An increased program for Maritime bred and trained colts used not interfere with the plans of buyers who prefer colts purchased at United States sales. Statistics are not available to meet at the moment to prove or disprove the superiority of American purchased colts over our native bred stock. We should be making a strong bid to prove that we can produce good stout horses to race and even to export if our quality improves.

Colt stakes for Maritime tracks provided the colts were qualified

at speeds specified to fill a class. Colts lying over the field would move up to classes where their performances meet the conditions in overnight events.

The development of Maritime colts starts with the selection of sire and dam, and care of the brood mare following conception, and foaling, the nutrition of the brood mare and foal at pasture, and the nutrition of the foal following weaning.

Brood mares should be freed of internal parasites a month before birth of the foal, the mare and foal should not be placed on pastures where parasite infested horses are grazing, and the colts should be treated for worms in the fall of their weaning year.

Brood mares should be vaccinated against the equine influenza complexes and colts should be vaccinated when stabled for winter.

Pasture should be improved by a careful analysis of the soil, and treatment of the pasture with minerals which are lacking should be an annual event.

An important item is often overlooked by breeders and new owners of colts; that is the care

of the feet. Neglect of the feet of foals, yearlings and two year olds can lead to foot problems and a faulty way of travelling. Tendons and points cannot develop in normal positions and function is abnormally influenced by faulty foot conformation.

SOLDIER SHOT AT HOME

AMMAN (AP)—A three-man Syrian Army patrol armed with sub-machine-guns crossed into Jordan early Wednesday and shot a Jordanian soldier, Cpl. Issi Muraif, about 500 yards from the frontier.

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SEASON'S GREETINGS

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FRISCO HANOVER
p. s. 2:10-3/5h — 2:07h
Bay horse — Foaled April 22, 1967
Bred by: Hanover Shoe Farms, Hanover Pennsylvania

By Tar Heel p. 1:57, sire of 7 in 2:00, 26 in 2:05, including Thorne Hanover p. 2, 1:58-3/4, Chipman's Heel p. 3, 1:59 (in 1960), Tar Boy p. 1:59-1/5h (in 1960), etc.

Frisco Hanover p. 3, 2:10-3/5h is a half brother to Lana Direct p. 2:01-3/5 (dam of Lana's Byrd p. 2, 2:04-2/5), Forbes Hanover p. 2:02-4/5, Future Hanover p. 3, 2:05-3/5h, Fidells Hanover p. 2:05-3/5h (dam of Andy Byrd p. 2:01-3/5h, Fabian Hanover p. 2:06 etc.)

TAR HEEL p. 1:57 Billy Direct p. 1:55
Leta Long p. 2:05-3/4

FAITH HANOVER Sandy Flash 3, 2:14-3/4
Isotta 3, 2:09-3/4

NAPOLEON DIRECT p. 1:58-3/4
GAY FORBES p. 2:07-3/4
VOLOMITE 3, 2:05-3/4
ROSETTE 2, 2:08
PETER VOLO 2:08
MISS BERTHA DILLON 2:06-3/4
THE ZOMBRO BELLE 2:06-3/4 by Zombro 2:11

FAITH HANOVER p. 3, 2:12h (1958)
1944 Fabian Hanover p. 2:06 brg (Billy Direct)
1945 Lana Direct p. 2:01-3/5 hm (Billy Direct)
1946 Forbes Hanover p. 2:02-4/5 brh (Billy Direct)
1948 Fidells Hanover p. 2:05-3/5 brm (Billy Direct)
1954 Future Hanover p. 3, 2:05-3/5 chh (Nibble Hanover)
1957 Frisco Hanover p. 3, 2:10-3/5h bh (Tar Heel) 2:07
1958 Fox Hanover p. 3, 2:09m bg (Tar Heel)

ISOTTA 3, 2:09-3/4 (1917)
1927 Zombro Hanover p. 2:00 bh (Dillon Asworthy)
1928 Isabel Hanover 2:04 hm (Dillon Asworthy)
1930 Irene Hanover 2:01 hm (Dillon Asworthy)
1937 Melba Hanover 2, 2:03-3/4 hm (Calumet Chuck)
1938 Faith Hanover p. 3, 2:12m hm (Sandy Flash)
1943 DeSota Hanover p. 3, 2:04-3/4 brh (Dean Hanover)

This horse raced from 1959 to 1966. In 239 starts, he was 42-1st, 45-2nd, 21 3rd and average 50% of his races was placed 1-2-3. His breeding represents 3 of the top leading families in the United States. Leta Long traces to Jennie Pepper No. 1, leading maternal families of 2:00 performers. Through Sandy Flash, he traces to Miss Bertha C. family 3rd in leading families of 2:00 performers and is the 4th dam of the famous Bret Hanover. On the bottom line, the Isotta family ranks 11th in the nation for maternal families of 2:00 performers.

Money wise, Miss Bertha C. is the top mare of \$300,000 producing mares, Jennie Pepper 2nd and Isotta is the 10th. He won his last 2 starts 2:07.1 taking a new mark and a next dash 2:00.2.

This is the maternal family of Sampson Hanover 1:56; Impish 2, 1:57; Duke Hanover 1:59; Painter 2:01; Hillsota 1:58.

From a limited crop of four racing colts, Frisco Hanover is already the sire of Mona's Dream, 2:09; Miramichi Frisco 3, 2:12 (race timed in 2:08 at Truro); Countess Frisco, 2:14 (race timed in 2:10) and Miramichi Jill 3, 2:12.

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Contact Helen Brooks Phone: Ch'town 892-1064
Due to Frisco's commitments all mares must be booked at least one month in advance.

— from the staff and management at **ST. JOHN EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION**
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IN P.E.I. FOR 1967

CONVAIR p. 2, 2.04.1, 3, 2.01 by Dean Hanover - Elizabeth Hudson - Volomite 2nd dam Elizabeth by Peter The Great.

A great FFA start and winner of over \$40,000, Convaire is by a world champion and sire of 10 in 2.00. His dam produced 5 in 2.05 and is a full sister to Yankee Maid 3, 2.01, Hambletonian winner and dam of a world champion at 3 in 1.58. Second dam produced Greyhound 1.55 1/4. From the maternal family of Molly J. which has produced 7 in 2.00, including 4 2 year olds in 2.00.

From 3 limited crops, Convaire sired these outstanding stake calibre colts: Speedy Con 3, 2.08.2 (15 wins—\$6,100) Lucy's Convaire 3, 2.10.1; Chaleur 3, 2.12.

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