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The COVER PICTURE

We are proud to present on our cover for this 1948 Stallion Edition Gold King Bailey #9941, Grand Champion Palomino Stock Horse at the 1948 National Western Stock Show, Denver, Colorado, and the 1948 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth, Texas.

Gold King Bailey has been called by a number of competent horsemen who saw him at the two shows, one of the best, if not the best, living Palomino stock horse. He has that combination of desired qualities; color, conformation, pedigree, and ability, that Palomino people are looking for and that is so hard to breed into one horse. He has the perfect Palomino color with the golden sheen that would perfectly match a new gold piece. He has the white markings and a beautiful white mane and tail. In conformation he has what the stock horse man is looking for: plenty of bone with short cannon, long smooth muscled forearm

and gaskin, plenty of length in the croup, a short well coupled horse set up nice at the withers with good slope of shoulder, and a beautiful head and neck. His development through his forearm and breast is striking. Coupled with his conformation is the style and quality that one expects to find in a champion.

His breeding will suit the most discriminating horseman. He is sired by Hank H who is by King 234. Hank H is a double AA rated horse and has run with the best of them on recognized tracks. He is out of Beauty Bailey, a Palomino mare by Old Joe Bailey.

As a two year old colt Gold King Bailey was matched around Pawhuska, Oklahoma, several times last fall and held his own with some of Northern Oklahoma's top colts.

Gold King Bailey is owned by Guy Ray Rutland of Pawhuska, Oklahoma. Mr. Rutland purchased him as a weanling colt from Jack and Paul Smith, Indianola, Oklahoma. Mr. Rutland has a ranch on the Caney River on highway 99 about twenty-three miles northeast of Pawhuska. The horse will be standing at service there this season along with another top Joe Hancock colt. Mr. Rutland's Ranch consists of around 1,300 acres of some of the Osage's best bottom and grass land. His ranch is devoted primarily to the production of commercial cattle. He has always produced his own using horses and keeps a few Quarter mares on the ranch now.

Gold King Bailey had plenty of backing from the sidelines, when the championship was being decided, from the Rutland family, Mrs. Mildred Evelyn Rutland, Clifford Ray

Rutland, the eight year old son who is developing into quite a horseman in his own right, and Rebecca Jane Rutland, age ten months. Russell Nash of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, assisted with the fitting and showing of Gold King Bailey and now has him in training at Pawhuska.

Oklahoma Horses Top The Nation's Best

In the past two weeks Oklahoma horses have demonstrated that they are the nation's best on the halter, in bloodlines, and on the race track.

Guy Ray Rutland started off the parade with Gold King Bailey when he won the Palomino Stock Horse Championship at the Denver Show and repeated the performance again at the Ft. Worth Exposition and Livestock Show. Two grand championships in a row has very seldom been won by anyone. Gold King Bailey is that rare combination of perfect Palomino coloring, Quarter Horse conformation, and as good a pedigree as can be written on a Quarter Horse. He has all this and proven speed on the race track. Gold King Bailey is by Hank H 2154, a double AA rated horse owned by Jack and Paul Smith, Indianola, Okla. He is out of Beauty

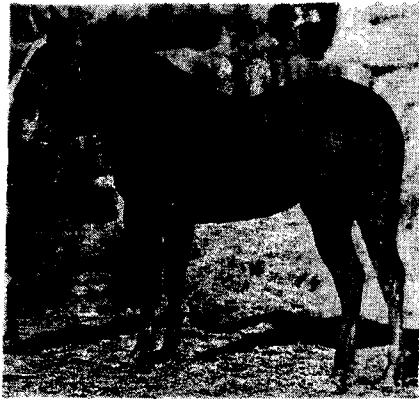


GOLD KING BAILEY
Grand Champion Palomino Stock Horse Stallion, Ft. Worth and Denver, 1948. Owned by Guy Ray Rutland, Pawhuska, Oklahoma.

Bailey, AQHA 696. She is by Old Joe Bailey. Gold King Bailey was bred by Jack and Paul Smith, Indianola, Okla.

Howard J. and Mabel Martin performed the biggest feat of the season when they won the Champion of Champion honors in the mare division at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. As a result of that show the best halter type mare in the nation today is their M's Duchess, a beautiful headed, heavy muscled mare with style and quality to burn. M's Duchess is sired by Chico No. 226 and out of Westmorland 1249, a Bert 227 mare. She was bred by Bob Weimer, formerly of Council Hill, now Ingersoll Ranch, Claremore, Okla.

Reserve Champion Mare at the Ft. Worth Halter Show and a very close contender for the Champion of Champion honors was Beauty Joe AQHA 2695, owned by Bill and



M's DUCHESS
Champion of Champions Mare, Ft. Worth, 1948. Owned by Howard J. and Mabel Martin, Drumright, Oklahoma.

Jeanne Moore, and sired by Little Jodie, owned by R. W. Vierson, Okmulgee, and out of Beauty W.

No little honor came to Oklahoma when Quentin Semotan, Clark Colo., won the Champion of Champion's class on his stallion Star Duster. Star Duster was bred by Fred Lowry of Lenapah, Okla., and was sold to Semotan by L. G. Milligan of Nash, Okla. Star Duster is by Nowata Star, who is owned by John Janzen of Enid, Okla., and is out of the mare, Mabel, who was owned by the Lowrys at the time of her death.

Bud Warren of Perry, Okla., capped the climax for Oklahoma horses when Leota W lowered the 330-yard track record at Tucson last week. She was running against a field of six fast horses and won handily. Leota W was bred by Art Beall, and Mr. Warren now owns her sire and

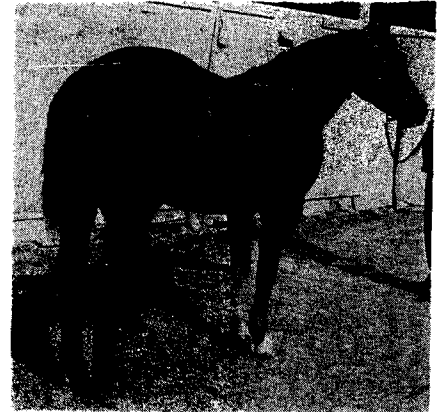


BEAUTY JOE
Reserve Champion Mare, Ft. Worth, 1948. Owned by Bill and Jeanne Moore, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

dam, having recently purchased her sire, Leo, from Gene Moore of Fairfax, Okla. Her dam is Angel, by Grano d'Oro.

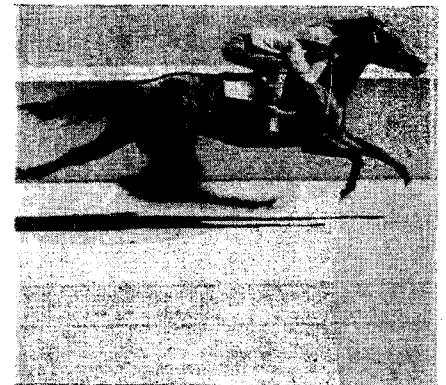
Oklahoma horses are also handling

horses. Blue Midnight 11,245 recently won the Dallas Reining Contest and changed hands for \$2,500. Blue Midnight was sold by Bud Warren, Perry, Okla., to the Bar Naught



STAR DUSTER
Champion of Champions Stallion, Ft. Worth. Owned by Quentin Semotan, Clark, Colorado.

Ranch owned by C. E. Fauntleroy, Cannersburg, Miss. Blue Midnight was bred by Art Beall, Bartlesville, Okla., and his sire is Little King, owned by C. E. Mullendore, Cross Bell Ranch, Hulah, Okla., and his



LEOTA W
Setting the 300 yard track record at Tucson. Owned by Bud Warren, Perry, Oklahoma.

dam, Blue by Old Midnight is owned by Mr. Warren.

It is probably the first time in the history of the Quarter Horse that so many outstanding winnings in so many different fields have been won by horses bred or owned by breeders in one state!

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DESERT SILVER CLOUD 351 (Albino)

Sire—Desert Chief 348

Dam—Rosie May (Albino)

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