

FILLIES AND REUNION WITH MA ENGLAND

HUMPHREY Horse is very much put out because he was not invited to the International Tea held recently by the Soroptimists.

Our Humphrey is very much world-minded, especially when it comes to mares and fillies.

He would like to get acquainted with the mares who foaled the Lipizzan stallions that performed at the Coliseum not long ago.

And if those stallions have any sisters, Humph would enjoy getting acquainted with them, too. The thing Humph would like to do is to visit St. Martin's in upper Austria where the famed Lipizzans were kept by Col. Alois Podhajsky during World War II.

Hump also is interested in Arabian mares, Shire mares in Scotland — in fact he's interested in any female horse that is willing to rub noses with him.

He has been toying with the idea of a pen pal club which would give him an opportunity to communicate with female horses all over the world.

Just how horses could operate a pen pal club is very difficult to imagine, but Humph will find a way, of that we are sure.

Getting back to the International Tea,



MONTANI HOOTNANI

(Latin for a Hillbilly Hoedown)

GEORGE A. CRAGO

AND HUMPHREY HORSE

Humphrey is carried away over the possibility of having a horse blanket made from an Indian sari.

The saris made of hand-woven blue and silver cloth are the kind that appeal to Humphrey. He says the blue would match his (tired) blue eyes.

Wrapping yards and yards of material around the female figure to make a sari is a work of art — and much practice, as Mrs. Trish Taly of India demonstrated at the tea.

But, a male horse wearing a sari? How ridiculous can you get, Humphrey? And, no, we will not ask Mrs. Taly to demonstrate sari wrapping at the Opekiska Riding Academy. No, not on any of your filly friends, either.

Saris for horses! Utterly ridiculous, as we said before.

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ON ANOTHER theme, we understand that Norm Julian and Humph are trying to get Tawny Elaine Godin (Miss America) to come to Monongalia County during Bicentennial Year '76.

Make it May 31, fellas, and we will consider it the perfect birthday gift for yours truly.

Tawny Elaine in Monongalia County! Woweeeeeee!

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WE BELIEVE the Committee for Reunion With England is on the right track. This organization with the support of 151 U.S. citizens (including the Hoot-

nani scribe) wants to return prodigal America to the forgiving arms of Mother England.

All that is necessary is to convince the remaining 200 million or so Americans that reunion with England would be to America's benefit, before Queen Elizabeth II visits the U.S. next year.

John T. Ambrose, one of the founders of the committee, feels that if a petition were submitted to the queen next year, the U.S. might be accepted again as a colony without reprisals.

Ambrose, obviously enjoying the satire of the whole thing, feels the Bicentennial is just our way of covering up for the "mistake" we made back in 1776. George Washington and the men who suffered at Valley Forge hardly would agree with that.

Of course, we have a selfish motive in wanting to return to the Mother Country. Queen Elizabeth has long been our No. 1 pinup girl. She even outranks Tawny Elaine.

Just imagine with how much gusto we could join in singing "God Save the Queen!"

And you will have to agree that Queen Elizabeth is prettier than Gerald Ford.

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