

Group Four: CHIEF CHELSEA F-2154

(Heinz 57 Varieties x Minnie Pearl)

... chestnut, dun and black spots; Texas/Oklahoma—1948



Group Four: CHIEF CHELSEA F-2154 shown here at the "younger age" of 13 years. He is a bloodline within himself. Picture courtesy of the owner, Dun-Roven Farm, Mrs. Betty Woodling, Medina, Ohio.

Chief Chelsea was born in Texas and his name originates from where he was raised in Chelsea, Okla. He was used for match racing and dogging before coming to Indiana in 1953 as a five-year-old. Shortly thereafter rumors said that he had died, but pictures prove beyond any doubt that he did not.

This unusually marked tri-colored leopard with a heavy, wavy mane and tail immediately began to make a name for himself with his winning get in the show ring. He is a "true" leopard and a sire of "true" leopards.

The Chelsea line of Appaloosas is best known in the middle west and eastern portions of the country, however, his get are distributed throughout the entire United States.

Without a doubt one of the strongest blooded Chelsea mares would be Bryant's Apache Queen F-3435 (near leopard, bay & blk-1950). She was the dam of Arapahoe Princess B F-3658 (ch-1960), dam of Little Rainy Man 45,555 (ch-1964). Apache Queen was also the dam of Bryant's Apache Lad F-3552 (1959) who



Group Four: DUN ROVEN'S CHELSEA IMAGE (br & blk-1968), a son of Chief Chelsea as 20 days old. A "true" leopard is born with the exact pattern it will retain throughout life. Owned by Timberline Stock Ranch, Ralph & Helen Brown, Broadview, Montana.

sired Springer's Country Lad 40,043 (near leopard, bay & blk-1963). Another son, Apache Boy 3551 (bay-1958), sired Stevie Boy T-18,793 (ch-1961) and Crickett's Pow Wow T-29,094 (ch-1962).

Chief Chelsea's list of leopard show winners can be highlighted with: National Champion Pateeka T-6971 (ch-1959) and her full sister, Cinteeka T-14,560 (ch-1961), Attila 2658 (dun & ch-1956), Princess Ginya T-3758 (blk & ch-1958) the "Big 'Un" Appaloosa, Dun-Roven's Dusty Fox T-35,544 (near leopard, ch-1963), Dun-Roven's Phantasy 55,459 (ch-1965), Barchelo T-70,100 (near leopard, sor-1966), and the promising Dun-Roven's Chelsea Umquah (near leopard, blk-1968) to name a few.

Of the groups covered in this study, only Chief Chelsea is still living. He is now 21 years young and in perfect health.

Considerable research is being done into Chief Chelsea's background, however much more work is left to do before it can be released. With seven or eight generations tracing back to him, Chief Chelsea certainly should be considered the foundation of a strong leopard line of Appaloosas.

Group Five: ARAB TOSWIRAH ALKHAR F-2417

(Desert King x Sudan said to be "imported")

... black spots—1941

According to Mrs. Evelyn Weber, Houston, Minn., Arab Toswirah Alkhar and his son, Siri Sheik, were not

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