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**Nation's Champion Horses To Compete in February**



Nancy Highland, horse shown in the above picture which last year gained the title of the best three gaited saddle horse in the United States is to be shown again this year with the severest competition imaginable at the Los Angeles Horse show, February 5 to 11. Nancy Highland won the national championship at the New York Show last year dethroning Bohemian Actress which had held the title for six years. The horse is owned by Maud Fawn Banks of Coevia, California, and is trained and ridden by Roy Davis, shown riding.

The Los Angeles show is to have 110 classes with a total of \$45,000 in prize money. This is more than ever awarded before in any show. It is to bring out the liveliest contest of them all when Edna May's King owned by Bevel Lindsay English, and Easter Star owned by Marco Hellman, meet in the five gaited championship.

Easter Star won last year after the judges were obliged to keep the horses in the ring for twenty extra minutes to determine which was the better. Since that time Edna May's King has won the \$10,000 stake at the Kentucky state fair. One of the horses will gain the distinction of being the best five gaited horse in the United States.

The 110 classes, which include \$75,000 stakes, will show a total of about 400 horses. More than 100 of these are from East of the Rocky Mountains.

**MY BABY GIRL**

(By Rev. Roy Scarlette, Ogden High School, Dec. 7, 1926.)

Her eyes are as blue as the touch-not,  
 Her cheeks like the dawn of day;  
 Her hair glistens like the foxes' fur,  
 That change on Christmas Day.  
 Her hands are as white as the driven snow,  
 Her voice is soft and low;  
 People watch with eagerness and gasp  
 and say,  
 "What makes it so?"  
 Some cannot understand who do not know,  
 But to me it is easy to understand  
 When she says: "I'm daddy's little man."

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After a long and enjoyable swim the inspector chaffed the boys for not coming in, and said, "I suppose you are afraid to bathe with an inspector?"

"No, sir," said one of the boys, "but we saw a crocodile in this lagoon yesterday."

**OUT OF THE MOUTH OF FATHER**  
 Teacher: "What is the meaning of the word 'matrimony,' Robert?"  
 Robert: "Please, miss, my father says it isn't a word; it's a sentence."

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