

TRADER JOE'S HORSES & TACK

JOE BARKSHIRE ESTATE AUCTION

Saturday, October 29th, 2016
9:00 A.M. • Family Living Center • Mt Expo Park
400 3rd Street North • Great Falls, MT



James Morris 16.5" Longhorn 15.5" Thomas 15.5"



Simco 15" Longhorn 15.5" Buck Steiner 14.5"



Brass Sleigh Bells Longhorn, 42"



Rawhide Reins Rawhide Romal



Kelly



Longhorn, 79"



Crockett Renalde



Buermann



Don Ricardo



Sante Fe 13" Morris 13" Morris 12"



Blue River 15.5" Morris 15" Morris 12"



Horsehair Lap Robe



Ft. Shaw Mailboxes



Buermann



Spanish Style



Mexican



Buermann



Kelly



Don Ricardo



Sliester



US Cavalry



W. T. Gilmer



Silver Mtd.



Spur Straps



Ario Invoice

SADDLES

Morris Saddlery, Caballo, NM, 15", association, flat plate double rig, rough out, rawhide bound cantle & horn, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 13", association, double rig, rough out, rawhide bound cantle & horn, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 14.5", association, flat plate double rig, rough out, rawhide bound cantle & horn, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 14", barrel saddle, rough out fenders, padded seat, silver conchos, rawhide horn, rope roll cantle, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 15", association, double rig, rough out, rawhide bound cantle & horn, *brand new*
James Morris Saddlery, 16.5", Wade tree, flat plate rig, 6" bell stirrups, stamped & tooled, rough out seat & fenders, post horn, rawhide wrapped cantle & horn, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 12", junior association, double rig, rough out, rawhide wrapped cantle & horn, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 12", junior roper, double rig, *brand new*
Sante Fe, 13", junior roper, double rig, rawhide wrapped cantle, basket stamp, rough out seat & fenders, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 10", junior barrel saddle, rough out seat & fender, padded green seat, carved & stamped, rawhide horn, rope roll cantle binding, rhinestone silver conchos, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 10", junior barrel saddle, rough out seat & fender, padded purple seat, stamped, rawhide horn, rope roll cantle binding, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 10", junior barrel saddle, rough out seat & fender, padded turquoise seat, carved & stamped, rawhide horn, rope roll cantle binding, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 12", junior barrel saddle, stamped & carved, arrow stamp border, rough out fenders, padded seat, *brand new*

Morris Saddlery, 12", junior barrel saddle, stamped & carved, rawhide horn, padded green seat, rhinestone silver conchos, *brand new*
Morris Saddlery, 16", roping saddle, 15.5", double rig
Morris Saddlery, 16", Roping saddle, 15.5", double rig
Circle P, 16", trail saddle, double rig, basket stamp, *brand new*
Blue River Saddlery cutting saddle, double rig, square skirts, basket stamp
Bob Long trophy saddle, 15", double rig roper
Bona Allen, 16", stock saddle, rawhide wrapped horn w/ concho
Buck Steiner, Austin, TX, 14.5", stock saddle, double rig, low cantle
Circle Y, 14.5" stock saddle, in-skirt double rig
Circle Y, 14", roping saddle, double rig
Circle Y, 15", roping saddle, double rig
Helena Saddlery, Helena, Mont., 13" ranch saddle, double rig
Hereford, 15.5" roping saddle, double rig
Hereford, 17", roping saddle, double rig, basket stamp, bell stirrups, lightly used
Heydt & Streib, Portland, OR, 13.5", stock saddle
J.G. Read & Bros, 14" stock saddle, flat plate 3/4 rig
Jordan & Sons, 14.5", stock saddle, double rig, rough out
Longhorn, 15.5" roping saddle, double rig
Longhorn, 15.5" roping saddle, double rig
MacPherson, Los Angeles, 15", stock saddle, 3/4 rig
Price McLaughlin, 14", bear trap, double rig, buck stitch
Price McLaughlin, 16" roping saddle, double rig

Rancho Grande Magdalena & Son, 13.5", watusi swells, tapaderos
Rex Newell, Coleman, TX, 13", bear trap
S.D. Myres, El Paso, 14", stock saddle, double rig
Sante Fe, 13.5" barrel saddle, rawhide horn
Shepler Wichita, 15", stock saddle, flat plate rig, low cantle, round skirts
Simco, 15.5", roping saddle, double rig
Simco, 15" stock saddle, early Simco
SRS Saddlery, Pilot Point, TX, 13", junior cutter, double rig, buckstitch, basket stamp
 Stock saddle, 13", cast iron tree, rawhide bound cantle

TRAILERS

1991 Turnbow 16' gn stock trailer, matted floor
 16' flatbed trailer, needs a few new boards, otherwise good condition

COWBOY COLLECTIBLES

Vintage U.S. postal mail boxes, from Ft. Shaw, MT Post Office, 3 sections, 33"w, 25"w & 7"w, all 47"h x 11"d, all metal
 Custom made spurs, made for Bill Parker, Huntley, MT, BP on band, RO Brooks straps
Victor Ario original invoice, dated, framed
 Longhorn steer skull and horns, 42" w
 (2) American trotter photos, 1936, framed
 Texas longhorn steer horns, 49" wide
 Geronimo vintage photo
 Covered wagon wooden model
 Hitched horsehair belt, prison made
 Braided horsehair hatbands, stampede strings & beaded bracelet
 Rabbit fur beaded moccasins
 (22) **Hesston NFR** belt buckles, 1978 - 1983
 Mexican style silver mounted bit in slide ear headstall
 Braided leather lariat, light weight
 Silver mtd bit, El Vaquero, Tijuana, Mexico & new silver mtd bit
 (2) **North & Judd** iron bits
McChesney silver mtd bit
Buermann silver mtd spade bit
Buermann unmarked silver mtd curb bit
 Iron bit with war bonnets mtd on sides in new headstall
 Fancy California style silver mtd bit w/rein chains
McChesney silver mtd bit, pat. Jan., 1900, unusual style
Kelly silver mtd curb bit, older
Don Ricardo silver mtd bit in headstall

Rawhide reins with romal, Santa Inez type, *excellent!*
 Rawhide roping reins with romal, four strand braid
 Mexican silver /copper inlaid curb bit in braided leather headstall and silver mtd bit
Buermann silver mtd spade bit w/ braided leather headstall & reins
 Iron ring bit, Spanish style
 Mexican silver inlaid bit w/original chain
W.T. Gilmer iron curb bit
 Several **Crockett Renalde** bits
Oxford iron bit and rare style stainless bit
 Longhorn steer horns, mtd. 79" spread, *nice*
 Brass sleigh bells and unusual curb bit
 Early day iron hackamore with silver hearts
Crockett Renalde silver mtd spurs
 (2) vintage hoof knives, iron handles, 1903
 Cheyenne rolls and pair stainless stirrups, open sided
 CSC silver mtd. Snaffle bit w/headstall
 Jackalope mount
 Work horse / training headstall w/brass and leather nose band
Hobbs snaffle bit
RAG silver mtd bit in new sliding ear headstall
Anchor iron bit in headstall
 Rawhide romal, 8 strand braid
 Railroad iron sign, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific RR
 Equipment Trust
 Horsehair lap robe & mittens, appx. 5' x 6', wool underside, good condition
 Large assortment of silver conchos, (300 +/-)
 (2) bear carved totem poles
 Leather cartridge cases, C.H. Hay, Missoula, MT & El Paso Saddlery
 50 +/- Movie and country singer posters & photos

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PREVIEW: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28TH • 1- 8 P.M.



Jordan & Sons 14.5" MacPherson 15" Australian 12" Morris 10" Morris 13" Morris 12"



Crockett Iron Silver Mtd. Silver Mtd. Dunit Bombay



Silver Mtd. Silver Mtd. Rutledge Silver Mtd.



Vintage Hoof Knives Iron RR Sign Longhorn, 49" Crockett Renalde



Hesston Buckles 16' Flatbed 1991 Turnbow, 16' Beck Tail Set Co.

NEW BITS

200 +/- NEW BITS including the following...

- Garren brass mtd spade bit
- Keith Wellington silver inlaid and mtd new bit w/braided headstall
- Owens silver and brass newer bit w/ braided headstall
- Savage silver and brass mtd bit in new sliding ear headstall
- Fancy Mexican silver mtd bit, complete w/rein chains
- Keith Wellington silver inlaid and mtd new bit w/braided headstall
- Todd made silver and copper mtd bit in flat braided headstall
- Fancy, "I mean fancy" snake bit, lots of chains, copper curb
- Tongue lollering bit, Dexter
- Result's silver mtd bit in newer fancy headstall
- Dunit Bombay Never Rust bit
- Chased iron bit in newer headstall, possibly Buermann
- Nickeled iron bit in older headstall, possible Buermann
- Ornate iron bit, possibly Argentine, in headstall
- (6) Tramel bits, copper curbs
- Sliester silver mtd bit
- Vintage iron silver mtd curb bit
- (3) Crockett Renalde silver mtd leaf and acorn bits
- (2) Crockett bits, 1 stainless
- Savage brand silver mtd bit

NEW AND USED TACK & EQUIPMENT

- 30 +/- pairs newer spurs
- 200 +/- new bits of all styles
- Fancy flat braided headstall with full rd. braided romal, ornate knots
- Fancy German silver mtd sliding ear headstall, new
- DD marked silver mtd iron bit w/sliding ear headstall
- (3) Small roping dummy head, new
- 8' braided leather reins, horsehair ends, fancy
- Center gate for aluminum stock trailer
- Mound Tool Co. file blanks, in original wood box
- 50 +/- new headstalls • 20 +/- pony & standard saddle pads • Cinches • Stable sheets • Tapaderos • Stirrups • Lunge lines • Cotton, nylon & leather halters • Splint, hock & bell boots • Rosin bags • Bull ropes • New & used chaps • Bull riding gloves • New saddle bags • Rope bags • Tie downs • Hobbles • Bridles • Breast collars • Reins, including split leather, roping, nylon, braided, flat leather • Display cases, desks, saddle racks and saddle stands • Buggy & stock whips • New driving & buggy harness, incl. pony

Terms: 10% Buyers Premium. Cash, Check or Credit Card Day of Auction. Photo ID required for registration.

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Trader Joe's - The Man, The Store and His Legacy

Joseph W. Barkshire, also known as "Trader Joe", was born in Lawton, OK in 1933. His horse trading and cowboy days started early in life. He joined the Navy when he was 17, and when he was in the service he met Kenneth Kane from Sheridan, Wyoming. Joe worked on the Kane ranch and later came to Montana and worked as a cowboy on the Hodson Ranch near Cascade, Montana. He competed in rodeos as a bull rider and a bareback rider.

One day at a rodeo in Chinook, MT he met Jeanette Norris. They were married in 1958, and they were blessed with 2 children, Wade and Jolene. They traveled around Montana and Joe worked as a dry waller in Havre & Whitefish. In 1963, the family moved to Oklahoma, where Joe worked construction, and traded horses and tack until 1970, when they moved back to Montana. They settled in Fort Shaw and bought the Fort Shaw Mercantile. Joe continued to trade horses and tack. Later they purchased property closer to Great Falls, and established Trader Joe's Tack, in its current location.

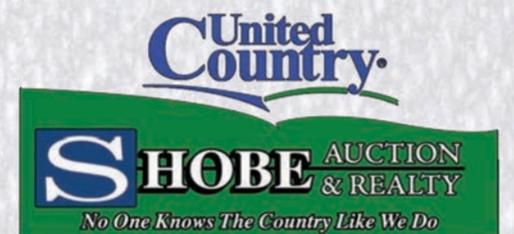
Trader Joe's became a stop that many customers looked forward to making. Sometimes to rest a horse in the pens and sometimes just to hear whatever Trader Joe had to say, and of course always to see his treasures that he had collected up and was willing to sell or trade. He was truly a unique individual, and together with his wife Jeanne they created a wonderful business. The legacy that Trader Joe leaves is one of true western heritage and an old-school way of life. His lives on in his children today. It has been a really hard decision for all of us to decide to sell this business, and let go of the legacy that been our way of life as well, but it is time for Jeanne to relax and enjoy life as they worked so hard for so long. As Trader Joe would say, "Just remember we are living in the best times we've ever had!" and "I thank you...my wife thanks you... and my children thank you...have a good one!" ~The Barkshire Family



California Style Silver Mtd. Tramel Braided Leather Reins New Headstalls



Roy Roger Posters Rodeo Chaps Rabbit Fur



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