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On the cover:

The Oldenburg colt San Heinrich RF (Sandro Hit/Furst Heinrich/Werther). He was a Premium Foal, Foal of Distinction, Stallion Prospect. Bred by Debra MacMillan of Ridgefield Farm and now owned by Lisa Cieri-Welch.
Photo: Debra Macmillan

