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Twin Peaks Gather Facility Inspection

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This is a regularly scheduled facility inspection. The dun gelding #828 was rechecked today and found to have the swelling on the left lateral abdomen gone and appears to have opened up. The swelling in the stifle is down, the left leg is still edematous. He is however moving better on this leg. This may have been a kick to the stifle or this also may have been an abscess from pigeon fever which does occur this time of year. Cleaned the wound and administered antibiotics and banamine, he will be kept up for observation. The young sorrel foal with the swollen L hock is improving, the swelling is down and is eating hay. The mare with the sutured wound left rear is doing fine, the sutures have come apart but the wound should heal with granulation tissue, we will monitor her. The two buckskin mares up front are about the same, continue to monitor.

All the other pens of horses were checked and there are no new injuries or lameness to report. All appear to be settling down nicely and going to food and water very well.

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