

Marsh Tacky Facts



500 years in state

Unique to South Carolina

Rare Colonial Spanish horse breed

Significant to South Carolina history

Horse of choice for General Francis Marion

Ridden by Southern Confederate Cavalry in Civil War

Essential to Gullah and agricultural communities of the Lowcountry

Able to travel long distances with little fatigue

Able to survive on forage and marsh grass

Sure-footed in wooded and swampy areas

Adapt easily to human companions

Have a unique gait

Small and agile

