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(including film and cast background info, salaries paid, working titles, etc) -- comments from Gene and many other cast members on each film -- theater exhibitors comments at the time of the films release -- this tribute was written from the heart and it shows. Hats off and thanks to Les Adams (collector/guidelines for character identification), Chuck Anderson (Webmaster: The Old Corral/B-Westerns.Com), Boyd Magers (Western Clippings), Bobby J. Copeland (author of "Trail Talk"), Rhonda Lemons (Empire Publishing Inc) and Bob Nareau (author of "The Real Bob Steele") as they have rekindled my interest once again for B-Westerns and Serials --- If you're into the memories of Early B-Westerns, this is the one you've been anxiously waiting for --- Mario DeMarco has captured the past in the retelling of our favorite western stars, sidekicks, villains and heroines, please stand up and take a bow --- all my heroes have been cowboys! Total Pages: 100 ~ Mario DeMarco Unknown Binding ~ (1986)