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Deep blue denim and a lot of fire power! This is the gorgeous, "American West" inspired, work of Wyoming based artist June Glasson. These gouache & pencil pieces can be seen right now at Kenise Barnes Fine Art in New York. Here is their description of her work:

In her multidisciplinary practice of drawing, painting, and installation art, Glasson explores and questions iconic "Western" imagery. Depicting women juxtaposed with buffalo, beaver pelts or pistols, for example, sets up a visual investigation into dominant narratives about the region and narratives that often ignore its complicated and violent history. Glasson's figurative work depicts semi-realistic representations of the women in her life, a personalized way of expressing concern for the treatment of the female figure in art and popular culture while challenging historic and contemporary notions of gender roles.

From the artist's statement: "Simultaneously, the work reflects my personal relationship with the landscape, the people, and culture of Wyoming – a place that is both exotic and home to me."

ps. This gorgeous show will run until October 28th, 2017.

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