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### HISTORICAL CHARACTERS AS PORTRAYED AT NEW YORK'S CONSTITUTION DAY PAGEANT.



Historical scenes and characters were faithfully portrayed at the pageant given by the Constitutional League of America at Carnegie Hall, New York, on the 133rd anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. In this photograph, from left to right, are seen Ralph Ince as Abraham Lincoln; Brandon Tynan as "History"; Riley Hatch as Benjamin Franklin, and De Wolf Hopper as George Washington.

### The Overcoat Meet

WOODSTOCK, Oct. 8.—Between five and six thousand people attended the closing races of the "Overcoat" meet Saturday. Hundreds of automobiles came in from all along the border in spite of the fact that it is a busy time gathering the immense potato crop both in Maine and New Brunswick. The attractions put on by the Woodstock Driving Club were of superior merit and worthy of the big attendance. Every event was full of thrills but the free-for-all was, of course, the premier number on the card. It was all Bill Sharon from the start of the first heat with Lady Grattan in second place. The old reliable, Fern Hal, made some desperate efforts to come up in front but Cameron was clearly outclassed. Zom Q. was apparently content to follow along leisurely when it was seen it was no use to try and come out in the front rank. The Alcorn outfit was much in evidence today and its winnings from all sources will figure in the thousands.

In the 216 trot and pace what looked like a bad accident fortunately turned out without damage. In the second heat Jeffrey and his driver on the upper turn were seen to make a complete somersault. Both horse and driver were soon on their feet and to the surprise of the grandstand resumed the race. The judges in announcing their decision ruled out Little Peter and his driver, Douse, whom they blamed for the spill. Jeffrey who had won the first heat came back and won the next two and it was a popular victory.

It was announced that the meeting to be held at Houlton next week was called off.

The judges today were: Charles Thompson, North Sydney; Thomas Doyle, Fort Fairfield (Me.); Robert Hamilton, Woodstock. Frank Powers officiated as starter and as usual gave satisfaction. The horse Onward Wilkes, 214, was lotteried at the close of the races and Stanley Dewitt held the lucky ticket. Summary:

- 2.20 Trot, Purse \$500.
  - Sommersworth Boy, T. V., Halloway, Houlton ..... 1
  - Miss Peter Spine, P. H. & G. W. Reed, Fort Fairfield ..... 2
  - The Manor, G. H. Kitchen, Fredericton ..... 3
  - Myrtle Rysdyk, J. W. Gallagher, Houlton ..... 4
  - Time—2:21 1-2, 2:21 1-2, 2:17 1-4.
  - Free-for-all—Purse \$1,000.
- Bill Sharon, A. Alcorn, Blackville ..... 1
- Lady Grattan, A. Alcorn, Blackville ..... 2
- Fern Hal, Dr. McAllister, Sussex ..... 3

- 2.16 Trot and Pace—Purse \$500.
  - Jeffrey, C. J. Hanson, Presque Isle ..... 1
  - Baton, A. M. Nason, Monticello (Me.) ..... 2
  - Tommy Cotter, H. G. Kitchen, Fredericton ..... 3
  - Delsa Patch, P. Doherty, Houlton ..... 4
  - Little Peter, H. V. Douse, Caribou ..... 5
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### REASON WHY

WHO'S WILD AND WHY?

By John Breck

"Tame?" said the enthusiastic camper who had burst in on me to relate his experiences applying my Social Rules for Woodland Friends. "They all tame. At least they're willing to be. Put an end to hunting and they'll be back feeding around our very doors. Like these—" and he waved an incautious arm at the quail, the wood-doves and the cottontails which had assembled with my chickens at the feeding call. The wild thing never stirred save to cock an ear for the fall of more grain. Bit a growing cat leaped from the tangle of grapevines along the fence. There was his answer in a nutshell.

Tame, yes—but not domesticated. We settled that question by patient experiment a long ago. Those results still stand; the bit of open lawn before our houses is still the sign and seal of their continuance. Our wild creatures will still be mere transitory acquaintances long after our peace treaty is passed because our ways are not their ways.

We are creatures of the open spaces. We first learned to sleep in thickets far from the forest's edge, like the grazing cows, away from tree-prowling snakes and hungry hawks. We learned to tear up the cover around our haunts to keep off the lesser phagocytes of the ground. We tramped the earth bare before our caves. We built our first rude huts in some natural clearing, not because of the sun, until we widened the space between us and the wild to make room for our planted grain, but for safety. Our awakening minds called for a sounder sleep than the nerve-tense doze of fear.

We found it. The man who tamed the wolf and the wild bull was bold indeed. He had no choice among the creatures he sought to share his life with him. But only those who found it to their liking still remain, the open-loving grazers, the big slow-sighted ground-birds, and such few as we are clever enough to hold in less stable bondage. Aye, and the rat whom we do not desire but who outwits us, and our help-meet, the cat, to deal with him.

But just as long as we clear our spaces for the birds to cross between the shadowy safety of the trees, harbor our beasts of prey, those who crouch in cover, who ground of cover, make desperate ation showed that the one next fit the air, who rove the earth on restless foot where the changing seasons drive them, will never share our Eden. But a mere difference in taste, not temper, should not stand between friends.

Som Q. Harry Nevers, Houlton ..... 3
- Benall, Houlton Driving Club ..... 4
- Time by quarters—31, 1:03 1-2, 1:36 1-2, 2:11 1-4, 3:32 1-2, 1:07, 1:40, 2:12 1-2, 3:32 1-2, 1:07, 1:40, 2:12 1-4.

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Every woman who wishes to possess health, strength and beauty, should carefully read the statement of Miss McKinley who, after her personal use of Nuxated Iron, tells of the results obtained. "While I had often heard of Nuxated Iron I must admit that prior to using it myself I had no idea of its remarkable value for building up the health and strength. Following the strain imposed by months of the most exacting work singing for the soldiers in the various army encampments, together with my social engagements and charitable pursuits, I found myself in such a weakened, run-down condition that I feared a complete collapse. It seemed utterly impossible for me to drop everything and go away for a complete rest, but I realized that as my condition was serious I must either do this or find something that would actually rebuild my waning strength and enable me to continue my activities. "I had always been prejudiced against tonic preparations which, for the most part, I found only left one worse off than ever. However, when my own family physician insistently recommended that I give a fair trial to Nuxated Iron, I consented to begin its use, with the result that after a few days the weakness and exhaustion from which I suffered began to be replaced by a feeling of renewed strength and vitality. In less than three weeks' time my whole system was tingling with energy and power and I was overjoyed to find that I was once more in superb physical condition. "Nuxated Iron has accomplished so much for me that I regard it as the ideal tonic for all weak, run-down women. As a strength, health and blood-builder, I am convinced that Nuxated Iron has no equal. In commending on Miss McKinley's statement regarding the efficacy of Nuxated Iron, Dr. George H. Baker, New York Physician and Medical Author, says: "It is my opinion that in practically nine times out of ten, unstrung nerves and failing strength and vitality are due to deficiency of iron in the blood. Many a woman who is run-down, nervous and who quickly tires out, suffers from iron deficiency and does not know it. I am convinced that there are thousands of such women who, simply by taking Nuxated Iron, might readily build up their red blood corpuscles, increase their physical energy, and get themselves back to vibrant and vigorous health. By enriching the blood and increasing its oxygen carrying power, Nuxated Iron will often transform the flabby flesh, toneless tissues, and pallid cheeks of nervous, run-down women into a glow of health, and make them look younger within a surprisingly short time."

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