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Back Stretch

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ledge or consent. They also admitted using hypno on Scotch Harbor and Dutch Dandy, two other Castleton horses, during the recent Hazel Park, Mich. meeting. Both were consistent winners. Inglis ordered the purse won by Abbassong be forfeited and redistributed to the second, third and fourth horses in the race. He also said he was turning the record of the Abbassong case over to Wayne County (Detroit) prosecutor's office for possible violation of statutes other than the racing act.

On Wednesday three horses from the Letcher stable, A. G. Scot 2:09 4/5, Direct Mite 2:06 3/5 and Jennie Kalmuck 2:10 3/5, together with Rajah Hanover 2:13 3/5, owned by Myron Bell, Charlottetown, and Miss Knox 4:09 3/5, owned by Cmdr. G. H. Buntain, left by truck for Blue Bon-

nets Raceway, Montreal. Accompanying them was Lorne Letcher and Ike Moreside, and caretakers. These, together with the eight that went up previously, will be a good representation of speed from the Garden of the Gulf. We wish them, and we are sure our readers will also wish them, the best of success but we know the competition will be keen. Some of the best stables in Ontario and Quebec are racing there.

A good three-year-old trotter changed hands last week when R. L. MacMillan, Calgary, bought Play Safe by Playdale, dam, Lady Bird, by Colonel Aubrey 2:10 1/4. With limited training which started in May, Play Safe rapidly improved and was one of the most admired young trotters at the Charlottetown track. She won the Three Year Old Trot Futurity at Summerside, September 17, and will no doubt go on to make her last record eventually. All her training this season has been given by Blair Andrew, New Glasgow, who also has in his stable You'll See, Forever Yours Guy and Paladate, all owned by Mr. MacMillan, who it will be remembered, paid a nice long visit here this summer.

Our Woodstock correspondent gives us the news that Dominion D. 2:09 4/5, formerly owned by Herb Lindsay, Woodstock, has won his first start for his new owners, Quebec. The Jim Smith stable, the largest at Woodstock, has gone to Quebec, also Bob Brown, while Lorne Britton's stable has moved to Saint John where Al Langille is now racing. The two horses stable of Charlie Rose is at Blue Bonnets, Montreal. It includes Hedge-wood H., that won for driver Killam at Fredericton in 2:13 2/5. Woodstock horses were very prominent there. Betty's Princess won the first race of the day at that meet in 2:16 3/5, a new record. She was driven by owner J. Henry DeWitt, and Mr. DeWitt also won the 3rd dash with Just Lucky in 2:13 1/5, last fall in 1:05 3/5. As mentioned last week he has been sold. Henry faintly made a good job of this pace. A lot of other events were won at Fredericton by Woodstock horses, summaries of which we had in our notes last week.

Len O'Meara, well known driver of this city, leaves today by air for Lexington, Kentucky, where he will join the Joe O'Brien stable. Len has been one of the leading drivers in the Maritimes for years and won the

Macdonald Briar Trophy last year and this year. He had the largest stable at the Charlottetown track all season and gave careful and faithful attention to every one of his horses and several of them took new records. Perhaps his greatest success was with the free-legged pacing mare, Babe Britton, that he has successively given new records to and her present tab is 2:08 1/5, the fastest time made here by a locally bred mare for quite a long time. Others that he has made good with include Royal Scot, owned by Gregory and MacLean, that he gave a new trotting record of 2:13 3/5 at Charlottetown, improving on the work of a good trainer that raced him at Yorkers, and he gave the green pacer Buddy O'Connor, owned by Winston Taylor, a mark of 2:15. Besides the above he raced such well known performers as Rosalie Hooper 2:11 2/5, Billy McVey 2:09 3/5, owned by Dr. Temple Hooper, and Esso, owned by Mrs. James Foulton, that he has a new record of 2:11 1/5. Len has an infinite capacity for taking pains and watches the shoeing of his horses very carefully and improvement in their records has resulted from this and his training methods. He is, like top and man, a few words and we feel confident that given the opportunity he will make good.

From S. Thane Belyea, Fredericton, we have the following: John E. Forbes, owner of Yankee Girl, came in the office this afternoon and told me that Yankee Girl died about a week ago at Barribeau's farm. He sent her over this spring to be bred to Federal. She was all right the night before when they fed her, but was dead the next morning. I asked him if they were going anywhere with Shamrock Thoughts, and he said they were through for the year. He has brought Bevo's Orphan Annie and her foal home from the pasture and the filly certainly has done well this year and is a beauty. This colt is by Federal and is called Bonnie Federal. Henry Bishop has sold Dot Cash to Joseph Hughes of Fredericton, N. B. Thanks, Thane, glad to hear from you.

Some of the best horses in Cape Breton left during the past week to join the Maritime contingent already stabled at Blue Bonnets Raceway, Montreal. In the Worrell Lewis stable are Crusader, time 2:09 4/5, Jenny Lynn 2:08 3/5, Miss Judy Hal 3:20 and Shining Hour 2:10 1/5. Rannie Macdonald will have Trotter Flaxcott 2:08 1/5, owned by P. J. Cadegan and June Bee 2:10 1/5 belonging to Munroe & Lavette. Joandale Clansman 2:09, Cobblestone 2:11 1/5, Futuramic 2:09 2/5, Ohio Hal 2:09 3/5 and Colonel Hansford 2:10 1/5, will be raced by Joe Macdonald. Weldy Carroll has Prince Maplecroft 2:08, owned by Dick Logue and also Duncan MacDonald's anguared 2:08 3/5, and D. Batchford will handle Volon 2:11 2/5 and Hand-book 2:03 2/5, owned by Richard Jabalee.

One of the fastest miles of the season at the Sydney Sports Centre was paced by Richard Jabalee's Hand-book (D. Batchford) last Friday night when he won the first dash of the featured Free For All in 2:08 4/5. Lucky Chief (MacDonald) was 2 and June Bee 3. In the 7th Race with the same field three horses crossed the wire abreast with Vanguard (D. MacDonald) winning by a nose from Prince Maplecroft (Carroll), Lucky Chief just back a head. Time, 2:10 4/5. Vanguard is owned by Duncan MacDonald. The trotter Flaxcott won Races 4 and 5 for owner-driven P. J. Cadegan. Volon (D. Batchford) 2:22, best time 2:13 1/5. Bud's Boy, owned by William Young, and driven by D. Ratch-

ford) won Race 2 and took a new record of 2:17 3/5, and in Races 5 and 8 Maudine Reamore, owned and driven by N. Macdonald, was 1-2. Mack Stout was 3-1. Ohio Hal 2:3, time, 2:21 4/5, 2:20 4/5. Mack Stout is owned by Rudy Klinger, New Waterford.

Truro's 32nd race program for the year was marred by a bad accident which happened on the back stretch in the third dash. The closely bunched field had just rounded the first turn when Jimmie Clegg's rein broke and he hit the rail, driver Connors and horses falling. The horse trailing piled in a heap and Jerry Nelson, driver of Phil Vitale, had several horses pass over him, also driver George Turner, driver of Dade, and driver Carroll with Royal Tell also went down. Drivers Nelson and Turner were hospitalized but were released when it was known that their injuries were not serious. The race was stopped and rescheduled, then raced between the 5th and 6th ends, with all the original horses coming to the wire. Mr. Haley took driver Turner's place. Phil Vitale, like his namesake, came on strong in the stretch to beat the favorite, Fraser Scott, driven by Clayton MacLeod. Time, 2:21 4/5. The owner is Bert Steele, Truro, former noted hockey player.

Double dash winners for the night were, Single Streak, (Conroy) in Races 4 and 7 with Freddie Scott (O'Brien) 2-3, Nova G. (O'Meara), 2-12 3/5, 2-14 4/5. Single Streak is owned by Alfred MacNeill, Charlottetown. Races 5 and 8 were won by Seven-Up Direct, owned and driven by Lloyd Walker of Halifax, Resourceful (MacLeod) 2-2, Time, 2:12 3/5, 2:14 2/5. Races 2 and 6—Shelby Vic (McAlduff) 1-1, Miss Cherry Valley (McAlduff) 2-6, Lahey's Dream (Conroy) 3-2, Time, 2:12 2/5, 2:13 3/5. Shelby Vic is owned by H. M. Sweeney, Bridgewater, N. S., and his mile in 2:12 2/5 was the fastest performance of the night and the Maritimes brought to the Maritimes from the Harrisburg Sale last November. He was catalogued with a record of 2:10 2/5 taken as a three-year-old over a half-mile track last season and the con-signor stated that he was sound had the best of matters, the horse used quarters in 29 1/5 second ends and was eligible to the 222 Pace. In Race No. 1 Junior Hal and another old timer Doctor L. B. were 1 and 2 respectively. Time, 2:15 3/5. Junior Hal was driven by Clayton MacLeod, his owner is the well known E. Whalen of Amherst. Doctor L. B. raced as a three-year-old in 1942, and had winning brackets in five of his seven starts, taking a record of 2:12 on the trot. He was bought by James Power in 1943. Mr. Power sold him to parties in Cape Breton where he was raced for several years and then turned over to the pace. He has certainly proved a hardy and game race horse.

Despite the low temperature there was a good attendance at the Charlottetown Raceway Saturday night and the performances were good. In the 1st and 3rd dashes Mighty Deb, owned and driven by Lorne Letcher, was 1-2, driven by Lorne Letcher, was 1-2, Billy Bunting with driver Collins substituting for injured owner Rannie MacDonald, was 3-1. Driver Collins tried to make it in the first dash but could not and had to take back to third position. Mighty Deb overcame Abernethy (Shaw) lead in the stretch. In the 5th dash with the same field Billy Budlong paced right around the whole field and was leading by two open lengths when Jimmie A. Letcher was 1-2. The finish in a new record of 2:13 3/5. In the 2nd dash, eight good horses came together in one of the nicest contests of the season. Rajah Hanover as usual went away on top and finished that way with Joandale (Cudmore) well up in second place and Jimmie A. Letcher 3. In the 6th dash Chet Lyn Clever (E. Shaw) took the outside route, caught up with Rajah Hanover shortly after the half and continued in the lead to the wire. Rajah Hanover 2, Winnie's Last (Shaw) that went a ready excellent race, 3, Joandale 4. Time 2:13 2/5—a new record for Chet Lyn Clever. His former record was 2:14 2/5 taken as a three-

Hunters Corner

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The season had opened on October 1st, as formerly birds from some coveys would make for disappointing trophies. Pheasants are not so much in evidence of late but there are a lot of them in some sections nevertheless. Methinks wet weather cut into the pheasant crop somewhat but we have enough of them as it is. Huns nest later, July generally before the young show up, and thus escape the cold rains of May and early June. Many readers of this column have inquired as to how the beaver and I have fared. He left the Ring for keeps about two weeks ago after I had scored three technical knockdowns. The last one pinched

year-old in 1951.

In the 3rd dash Miss Donna Mae, owned by H. Macintosh, Saint John, and driven by Emmett Bernard lived up to her reputation of the week before by winning from a good field in 2:14 2/5. Esso (O'Meara) 2, Miss Knox (Moreside) 3. In the 7th dash with the same field, Miss Knox made the top and held it over Esso 2, Prince Budlong (Cudmore) 3, Time, 2:14. Miss Knox is owned by Cmdr. G. H. Buntain and was driven by Ike Moreside. The 4th and 8th dashes were battles between two favorite Island pacers, Johnnie Lemmuck (Kelly) and Babe Britton (O'Meara). Babe, that had won the honors at Summerside on Thursday night had the tables turned by Johnnie Saturday night. A. G. Scott (Moreside) 3-3, Direct Mite (Letcher) 4-4, Time, 2:09 4/5, 2:12 1/5. Johnnie Lemmuck is owned and driven by Walter Kelly, Southport.

At Saint John, N. B., Wednesday night Laurie O'Brien's 14-year-old brown gelding Lou Single G., showed his heels to Abbeland (Gougoun), Thelma Lou (Downey), Royal Jr., (Langille, Sr.) and R. H. Byrne (Horseman) when he won the Free For All in 2:11 3/5, the fastest time of the night. The racing card comprised eight single dashes and other winners were Harvest Dale, owned and driven by M. Downey, Saint John, time, 2:21; Jean Aubrey (Hayes), owned by Harold Cooper, Saint John, time, 2:19 2/5; Agnes Hal, owned and driven by W. Keyes, St. Stephen, time, 2:16 2/5; Just Lucky (Langille, Jr.) owned by Tom Stewart, Milltown, time, 2:16 3/5; Pure Gold, owned and driven by Al Langille, Sr., time, 2:14; Silver Hanover (Stead), owned by J. D. Mehan, St. Stephen, time, 2:16 3/5, and Dixie Belle B. (Gallant), owned by L. Allain, Buctouche, time, 2:16 1/5.

him pretty bad. The live trap was a joke so I resorted to small spring traps and finally had to switch to the heavy No. 2s. . . one that would hold him if fairly caught. It was set quite a distance from where he was repairing the break in the barrier he had constructed across the by-pass. He must have swam into it and got his chest pinched quite solidly. He figured enough was enough and called it quits.

On Thursday evening I went looking for him as I wanted to find out whether he left the country or was still hanging around by a long shot. He had he hadn't left the country gone to the head of my dam and built not one but two dams, on the same stream. It's a toss up which of us has the most land under water. How he did it in two weeks I do not know. He didn't have a bulldozer of that I am sure. I hope he stays where he is and if he does we can shake hands and make up. However I have a hunch he's not through with me yet.

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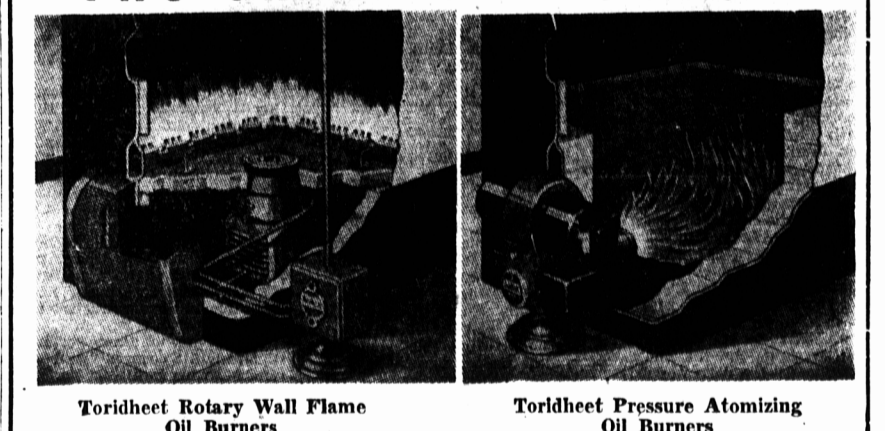
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