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AT STANLEY BRIDGE

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Climax gas washer, Dominion organ and a lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

If weather unfavorable sale will be held Thursday 7th. TERMS CASH.

ESTATE OF THE LATE JOSEPH BOLGER.

THOMAS BOLGER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

AT GLEN VALLEY

I am instructed by the undersigned to sell at public auction on his premises on August 4th at 1 p.m. the following: 4 milk cows; 4 spring calves; 1 2-year-old colt; 1 mare; 1 sow; 7 pigs 7 weeks old; one Massey Harris tractor No. 30, used one season; tractor harrows new; 1 tractor trailer complete with rack, new; 1 grain drill, McCormick; 1 10-foot hay rake, McCormick; 1 McCormick hay mower, 5 ft. cut, oil bath; 1 McCormick binder; 1 rubber tire driving wagon; 1 wood sleigh; 1 driving sleigh; 1 turnip pulper; 1 ton platform scales; 1 McCormick cream separator, hay fork, rope and blocks. A quantity of harness including set of team harness, and other articles too numerous to mention. If day unfit, first fine day following.

TERMS CASH.

ALEX MacRAE, Auctioneer.

WHITFIELD ABBOTT, Owner.

AUCTION SALE

AT WHEATLEY RIVER,

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1 P.M.

I am instructed by the undersigned to sell at public auction a farm consisting of 150 acres, all farm machinery in good condition—1 horse, 5 milk cows, 2 beef cattle, 8 young cattle and 3 calves, 8 young pigs, 1 brood sow to farrow November 26th, 1 hay mower, 1 hay rake, 1 seed drill M.H., 1 Broadcast seeder, 1 weighing beam, 1 set lever harrows, 1 set of smoothing harrows, 1 potato hiller, 1 manure spreader (new), 1 binder M.H. (new), 1 cream separator, 1 circular saw, 1 rip-saw, 1 Halls thresher and gas engine, 1 scuffer, 1 gang plow, 1 team wagon, 1 cart, 1 land roller, 1 track sulky, 1 road-cart, endless chain, blower piling, hardwood planks, harness, forks, shovels, hoes and other articles too numerous to mention. If weather unfavorable sale will be held Thursday, August 7.

TERMS CASH.

WILLIAM ROSS, Wheatley River, Owner.

ALEXANDER MacRAE, Auctioneer.

Back Stretch

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outstanding sire. Last season the following two-year-olds sired by him, took records: Bob Herbert 2:10 4/5, Guy Herbert 2:12, Richard Hal 2:15, and at recent colt race stakes in Ontario his get were the winners. It would be hard to find a better bred sire for pacing than Alpha Hal. During his connection with racing Mr. Stewart bought the best and Alpha Hal is but one of the several that are no doubt helping to make harness horse history in the United States and Canada.

At Monday night's races in Woodstock, Sally-Jo by Abner T. Clegg, owned by Arthur McGee and driven by Myron MacArthur, won the 1st race in 2:19 and was second to Toddiewyn in the 5th race in 2:21 3/5. In the 2nd race Bonnie H., owned by W.M. Stiles, Woodstock, and driven by Moredy, won in 2:18 1/5 and was second to Anchors Aweigh, owned and driven by George Walker, St. Stephen, in the 6th race in 2:19 3/5. Domlinion D., owned by Herb Lindsay of Woodstock, and driven by Myron MacArthur, won the 3rd race from a fast field in 2:15 3/5. The trotter Card Shark, owned by W.M. Stiles, Woodstock, won the 4th race in 2:18 3/5 with Morris Direct (Langille) 2nd, and the 8th race with the same field was won by Pure Gold (Langille) in 2:14 2/5.

Bonnie Spruce 2:14, a chestnut mare by King Spruce 2:08 3/5, which was bred in this province, won the Classified A Pace at Quebec race track recently in 2:17 1/5. The feature event there was the Derby Race, pursued \$1,500, which was won by Seattle Hanover 4. 2:03 in 2:07 4/5, 2:07 1/5. 2:08. The track record at Quebec is held by Simcoe Harvester — 2:04 1/4.

Aubrey Keltzer in his sports column in the Sydney Post Record, has the following: "The best harness racing I have ever seen — that was the statement of a veteran harness racing follower who has attended races in many parts of the United States and Canada. Presiding Judge Ken MacDowall, enthusiastic audience that it was the best racing he had witnessed in thirty years. There wasn't a fan in the crowd who disagreed with either of these remarks. The races were something you hope for but never expect to get. Friday night July 15 the racing fans got everything and to top it off they had a \$440.50 daily double, which might have mushroomed to over \$1,300 if other combinations had won. There were three ticket holders on the \$440 winning."

The racing that Aubrey and Ken were so enthusiastic about was highlighted by the match race between Lucky Chief 2:04 1/5 and Vella La Vella 2:08 1/5, the former owned by P.J. Cadejan and the latter by Arthur Lipton of Sydney. Both heats of the race were won by Lucky Chief, the first in 2:08 3/5 and the second in 2:07 1/5, which is a new track record and better than the former mark of 2:07 1/2, made by Chuck Worthy 2:07 1/2 (Campbell) Oct. 14, 1946. In the first race the Lucky Chief had a lead of a length but in the second the fans really saw a contest. They stepped to the quarter with Lucky Chief in the lead in 30 seconds, the half in 1:02, the three-quarters in 1:34 4/5 and the mile in 2:07 1/5. Vella made a bid on the home stretch and finished half a length back and finished. Both drivers received a great ovation from the fans.

One of the biggest upsets of the year was in the \$25,000 American Trotting Championship at Roosevelt Raceway last week when Clint Hodgins of Clandeboye, Ont. drove the 7-year-old bay gelding Silver Riddle to a half-length victory over the hitherto unbeatable Pronto Don in the world's record time of 2:37 1/5 for a mile and a half trotting over a half-mile track. Pulling off upsets is nothing new to Clint Hodgins, who is classed as one of the best drivers in the United States or Canada. Since taking over Silver Riddle he has made a remarkable change in him and now challenges the greatest

money winning trotter of all time. Pronto Don — for future honors.

Last week-end races at Buctouche had one of the largest attendances of the season. Victor in the Free For All was the 11-year-old trotter, Norman Frisco 2:10, owned by Glen Jenkins of Chatham, N.B. In the second event on the card the pacer Honan Cormier, owned and driven by H. Cormier, Moncton, won the first heat and was second in the second heat sharing honors with Freddie Scott, owned by Dr. J. A. Donahoe of Truro, who also had first and second. Ramsay Craigmyle, owned by H. T. Ramsay, Fort Elgin, N.B. was first in Class B, and Just Nellie C. from the MacArthur Stables, Shediac, N.B. was first in both heats of the Class C event. Senator Craigmyle took a new record of 2:16 2/5. He is a much improved trotter this season.

Last Friday and Saturday night's racing at the Charlottetown track was featured by splendid finishes, sometimes with four horses almost abreast, and large audiences of spectators. All through the season the racing has been good but probably these two nights were the best of the series. Standouts in Friday night's events were Vernita Pearl, that won the 1st dash of the 3-year-old pace from Money Royal in 2:15 — a new record, Lassie Lucille 3, two other Montague pacers, Pink and Ranida were 4th and 5th in this race. In the 6th race for the same 3-year-olds, Money Royal finished on top in 2:17 with the Alabama bred Lassie Lucille 2. Vernita Pearl 3. The trainer and driver of Money Royal, Archie Llewellyn, and the trainer and driver of Vernita Pearl, Alfred Lowery, came in for congratulations on the splendid way they have developed these youngsters. Roy Bevan's Pet Hanover was unbeatable in the 3rd and 7th races with Winnie's Last, owned and driven by R. C. Shea 2nd in the third race and Joandale, owned by L. D. McPhee and driven by Harold Cudmore, second in the 7th.

Best time 2:16 1/5. The 5th and 9th races were actually free-for-alls, the 5th being won by Dick Eria 2:04 3/5 in 2:11, with Argot Pointer 2:07 second, Miss Knox third. Dick Eria is owned by Norman Acker, St. Stephen, and was driven by W. Burt. In the 9th race Time Table, driven by Willard Kelly, went to the front and was never headed. Dick Eria second, Miss Knox third and Primbo Budlong fourth, time 2:12. Willard certainly drove a masterful race. In the 4th and 8th races that tidy little pacer, Campbell's Buddy 2:13, had too much whizz for the others, winning both, best time 2:15 2/5. Esop 2:12 2-5 was second both trips.

Saturday night's card was featured by the 2:25 pace early closing event. The 1st race was won by Ann's Dream, owned and driven by George Callbeck, in 2:17, with Frankie Budlong (Lower) second. In the 6th race Ann's Dream was again a winner but was forced to go in 2:15 to head off Frankie Budlong. In the 2nd race Nell Budlong (E. Moreside), owned by Will McNeill, with a few little kinks that he had straightened out, was easily the best of the field, winning in 2:15 with Bessie Budlong (Collins) 2. Carl Aubrey (Kennedy) 3. The 3rd and 7th races were the 2nd division of the 2:25 pace. In the 3rd the four-year-old pacer Mac's Best, owned by A. B. Cupillife and driven by Blair Andrew, surprised everyone by winning from a good field in 2:19. This chap showed the best of manners and a great sprint and is marked for great things in the future. In the 7th race with the same field, Lou Kalmuck, owned by E. Bryenton and driven by R. Craig, was first to the wire in 2:18, with Marion E. 2. Mac's Best 3. The 4th and 8th races were both won by Babe Britton 2:09 4/5, owned by George Thompson, and driven by Len O'Meara. Babe has been a consistent winner for Len this season and is a very popular mare with the spectators. The best time 2:12. Second in the 4th race was Ann's Boy 2:14 1/5, owned by Do's Baker of Summerside, and driven by G. B. Sheen. He was also second in the 8th race, and is a pacer that 2:10 is expected of later. The 5th race brought the much heralded Jo-Jo Spencer 2:10 in competition with a good field. Driver Burt

got him away flying and made every post a winning one in 2:12. Josedale Clipper 2, Dale B. 3. In the 9th race with the same field Billy McVay (O'Meara) stepped the last quarter in 31 seconds to lead the field to the wire with that consistent pacer Dale B. (C. O'Brien) 2. Josedale Clipper 3. It was a wonderful finish, the four horses almost in line, time, 2:12. Len O'Meara was top driver of the night with three winners.

Great credit is due Andrew Perry, Charlie Willis and the proprietor, of the track, Harold Gaudet, for keeping the races going in Summerville. The drivers said the track was never better and the racing was high class in every respect. The winner of the No. 1 Classified was Ann's Boy, owned by Don Baker and driven by Envor Bowness, with 1-2-1, Calumet Onward (Stead) 3-1-2, Amtico (Sobey) 2-5-3, three other starters. Ann's Boy lowered his record in the 3rd heat to 2:12 3/5, an excellent performance. In the No. 2 Classified the trotter Wrennie's Last, owned and driven by R. C. Shea, won the 1st dash in 2:15 3/5 — a new record for her — and the trotter Guy Hargrester, owned and driven by Fred Reeves, Freetown, won the 2nd dash in 2:16 2/5, Lou Kalmuck (Coles) 6-2. Propane (Bowness) 3-3, three other starters. Both heats of the No. 3 Classified were won by Face Cloth, owned by Clayton Green of Emerald and driven by George Sobey. Face Cloth has made great improvement in George's hands and took a record of 2:18 3/5 in the first heat. Bonnie Frisco, owned and driven by Don McNeill, was 2-2. Bonna Boy (Jewell) 3-4, seven other starters. The Junior Free For All brought together four fast pacers that put up a wonderful contest. Jo-Jo Spencer 2:10, owned by Norman Acker, St. Stephen, and driven by W. Burt, won the first two heats and was second in the third, which was won by Babe Britton, owned by George Thompson, Summerside, and driven by Len O'Meara. The first heat was the fastest of the afternoon — 2:11 3/5.

Interest in racing at Exhibition Park, St. John, N.B. is steadily growing. This week classes and races were probably the best of the season, largely because of the presence of new horses brought in. The 5th race and 9th race which would correspond to a Junior Free For All, was won by the former Charlottetown owned pacer New Look showing his heels to such good performers as Junior Hal, Adagio, Monty Budlong and Billy Whistler. His 2:16 2/5 in the 9th dash was the fastest of the night and fastest of the season. Congratulations to driver Devlin and owner Clarence Smith of French Village, N.B. Other winners were Stanford Peter (Devlin) the 1st race, in 2:30, Bonus Abbe (L. McKinney) the 2nd race in 2:25 4/5 and the 8th race in 2:25, the ex-Halifax pacer Mason's 2:25, owned and driven by Laurie O'Brien, Lower Sackville N.S., won the 4th and 8th races, the fastest being in 2:19. Second was Piney Boy 2:11 2/5, a recent import, in the 4th race, and Flaxey Pointer 2:06, second in the 8th race. Good Luck, owned by Howard Johnston, St. John, and driven by W. Mahar, won the 3rd race in 2:23 and the 7th race was won by Dr. Bunter (Wood), owned by P. Pineo, Fredericton, in 2:33, with Norah Dale (Halfpenny) second.

A lot of new records featured this week's racing at Truro. In the first event Iris Abbe (Gould) won in 2:14 — a new mark — Rusty Miller (Haley) second. In the 2nd race Postman (Conroy) headed Lusty's Queen (Walker) in 2:14 4/5 — a new record, and Todd McKay, driven by Frank Daniels, won the 3rd race from Raymond Brewer (Kennedy) in 2:20 3/5 — another record. In the 5th race Freddie Scott (R. O'Brien) owned by Dr. J. A. Donahoe, Truro, nosed out Royal Bank (Harrison) in 2:13 3/5 — a new record for Freddie. In the 8th race with the same field, Royal Bank (Harrison) owned by J. A. Ryder, Moncton, and driven by Harley Harrison, was first to the wire in 2:13 4/5 — a new record for this handsome 3-year-old, Freddie Scott 2, Postman (Conroy) won the 7th race from Texas Girl (Haley) in 2:16 4/5 and the 13-year-old Doctor L. B. (L. Walker) in winning the 9th race came within

Hunters Corner

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summer prospects are brighter than usual.

I have just received a clipping from Pennsylvania regarding results of a survey conducted in respect to mortality among pheasants in this particular State and the various factors contributing to this loss of game. Quote: "Hay harvesting operations caused 73.7 per cent of all mortality among Ring-necked pheasants. Predators destroyed only 4.9 per cent of all nests. unquote.

This province is not expected to experience the usual annual loss from this cause. Farmers have reported the odd nest destroyed or nesting hun or pheasant killed by mowers but to date the percentage is far below the average season. The birds began nesting earlier than normally and hay harvesting was later than usual getting under way. Furthermore the stands of clover and timothy are exceptionally heavy and there is a lot of work entailed to clean off even a medium sized field. Methinks that a large percentage of the hatch were out before hay commenced. Farmers have reported finding nest sites from which the chicks had hatched and moved away before the hay was cut. This is welcome news to all who love to tramp afield in quest of the sporty Hun or elusive Ring-necked Cock.

EASTBOURNE, England — (CP) — From the time Agnes Taitred reached her 90th birthday she celebrated each anniversary with champagne and went to bed with a box of candy. She died at the age of 104.

three-fifths of equalling his paying record, Protestor's Boy (Craig). Time 2:13 1/5.

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