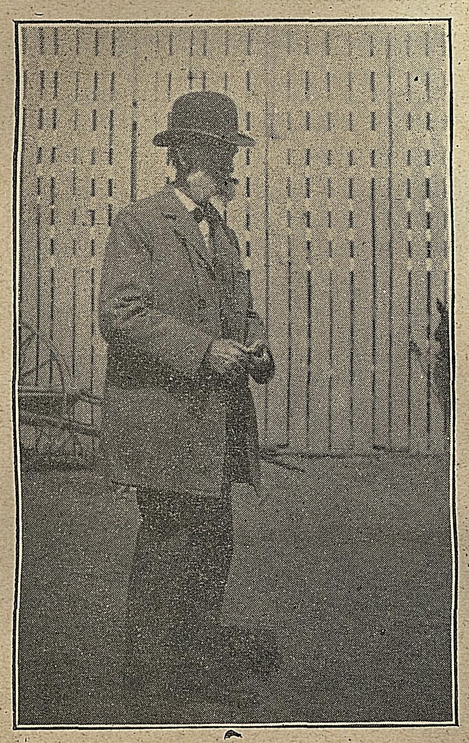
ton taking advantage of a break on the part of Much Ado early in the mile, sent Kendall to the front and kept him hustling lively for the rest of the mile. Much Ado was inclined to go skylarking at critical moments, and Kennedy had his hands full to keep him level. Turning into the stretch the last time around, Much Ado was still three lengths behind Kendall, and he did not seem to have his usual brush of speed, for in spite of a determined drive on Kennedy's part, Much Ado was a length short as Kendall swept up to the wire, winner of the heat and race.



Mr. Whittaker, "I Own Refina."

Moth Miller, the Maplehurst Farm entry in the 2 19 pace, had the field at his mercy after the first heat. *Lucky Boy* showed the way the opening heat to the stretch, with *Sarah Jane* up second at his wheel and *Moth Miller* close to him. Here *Moth Miller* broke, and Trout was content to let him step easy for the rest of the mile, and *Lucky Boy* won the heat.

The second heat *Moth Miller* forced the pace, carrying *Lucky Boy* to the half in 1.07¼, where Trout gave him his head and he stepped to the pole, and the race was over right there. Trout sat still during the rest of the race, just rating him along to the speed of his field. The second heat, which was *Moth Miller's*, was in 2.15¾, which is 5½ seconds below his record made two years ago as a two year old.

Little Girl was a factor in the contest of sufficient importance to deserve notice. In the final heat she hung at *Moth Miller's* flank, carrying him to the half in 1.08¾, and stayed with him up to the three-quarter pole, where *Moth Miller* drew away. She finished second that heat, dividing third and fourth moneys with *Sarah Jane*.

Moth Miller is by Alcantara (2 23), out of Col. Thayer's famous old race mare Dusty Miller (2.20½), by Triceps. He showed a trial mile of 2.16¼ as a two year old, and if he stays right he will knock several points off his present record.

Estella Marshall, announced from the stand as a 17-year-old girl, drove the sweet little mare *Zanita* (2 14¼) an exhibition mile in 2 17¼.

SUMMARIES.

COMBINATION PARK, MEDFORD, MASS., June 17, 1898—2.17 trot. Purse, $400.

Kendall, b h, by Kent; dam by Daniel Lambert (Moulton) 5 1 1 2 1
Much Ado, b g, by Judge Salisbury (Kennedy) 3 2 4 1 2
Tennahinch, b g, by Gail Hamilton (Collins) 2 5 2 3 3
Irene, b m, by Idolater (McDonald) 4 4 3 4 4
Nick, ch g, by West Wilkes (Bulman) ..... 1 3 dis
Time, 2.21¼, 2.19½, 2.20¼, 2.20¾, 2 22¾.

Same day—2.19 pace. Purse, $400.

Moth Miller, rn g, by Alcantara; dam, Dusty Miller, by Triceps (Trout) 3 1 1 1
Lucky Boy, b g, by Jim Wilson (Palmer) 1 2 2 3
Little Girl, rn m, by Alcantara (Porter) 4 4 3 2
Sarah Jane, b m, by Edgar Wilkes (Kervick) 2 3 4 4
Time, 2.19, 2.15¾, 2.17½, 2.18½.

Same day—To beat 2.20.

Zanita, blk m, by Onawa; dam, Midnight (2.32½) (Miss Marshall) ..... won
Time, 2.17¼.

Saturday.

The meeting was brought to a close on Saturday with two events, the 2.22 trot and free-for-all pace. The weather was favorable, with the exception of a high wind which prevailed, and there was a fair attendance of spectators. The principal attraction, of course, was the free-for-all pace, in which *Woodshed* and *Refina* were to meet for the first time this season. Both had shown up well in their work recently, and opinion was about evenly divided as to which would win the race. *Refina* disappointed her admirers, however, as she was not herself, and she would not stick to the pace. *Woodshed* virtually had a cake walk for three straight heats. The only time that the gray mare made it look at all dangerous for *Woodshed* was in the opening heat, when she got to his wheel at the three-quarter pole, but rounding the upper turn she jumped from her stride and that settled her chances. *Woodshed* won the heat handily in 2.18½.

The pace in the next two heats was a faster one, *Woodshed* having to step in 2 14¾ and 2 14 to win. *Jimmy B.*, that is looking big and strong this season, and acts very racy, finished second to *Woodshed* in all three heats, driven by his owner, Mr. Lawrence, who is not a professional driver, although he handles the ribbons like a veteran.

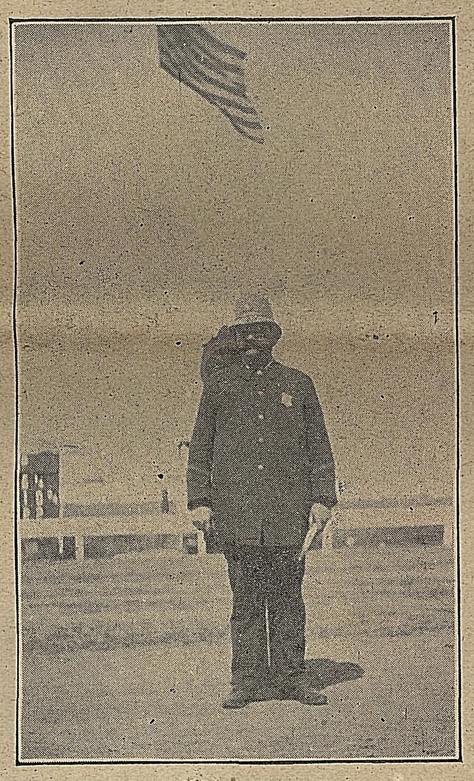
Walter J. landed the 2 22 trot in straight heats. After he got his nose to the front in the opening heat there was nothing in the race that could head him off. Stella, John Moulton's entry, was up second to him in the opening heat, and Doctor, a bay gelding by Pure Wilkes, driven by Shannon, second trainer for the Bowen stable, stepped up second in the next two heats, and got second money.

The work of starter A. H. Merrill and the judges who assisted him in the stand, Messrs. George W. Leavitt and George A. Graves, was satisfactory to ho[illegible] a mile, [illegible] middle half in [illegible] of a previou[illegible] the public.

SUMMARIES.

COMBINATION PARK, MEDFORD, MA[illegible] June 18, 1898—2.22 trot. Purse, $400.

Walter J., ch g, by Kenmore; dam, Aristena, by Aristos (Clark) 1 1 1
Doctor, b g, by Pure Wilkes (Shannon) 3 2 2
Stella, ch m, by Valdameer (Moulton) 2 6 5
Miss Barbee, blk m, by Wilton (Gardner) 4 3 4
Ben H., ch g, by George O. (McDonald) 5 5 3
Florida B., b m, by Oreide (Houghton) 6 4 6
Susie F., b m, by Emperor Wilkes (Folsom) 7 7 7
Time, 2.21¾, 2.21¾ 2.22½.



One of the Finest, "My Word is Law."

Same day—Free-for-all pace. Purse, $400.

Woodshed, ch h, by J. R. Shedd; dam, Triumph, by McGregor Chief (Sterling) 1 1 1
Jimmy B, b g, by Cromwell (Mr. Lawrence) 2 2 2
Refina, gr m, by Re-election (Bowen) 4 3 3
George G., gr g, by Roscoe Jr (Fitzgerald) 3 4 4
Alvan Swift, br h, by Alvan (Horton) ..... 5 dis
Fleetfoot, ch m, by Clear Grit (Folsom) ..... dis
Time, 2.18, 2.14¾, 2.14.

LEE.

Bar Harbor Horse Notes.

The good stallion Dawn R. (2.20) has just been purchased of Ellsworth parties, and brought back to Bar Harbor, his old home. He is by Alcantara, and out of Dainty (2.26¾), by Dictator; second dam, Vic, by Mambrino Chief; quite good breeding, and he is what this breeding would indicate, a game, fast race horse. He has never sired a colt that could not trot or pace fast.

Dawn was unfortunate, in that his colts became of age to be handled at the time of the greatest depression in the horse business, and for this reason have not had the attention that they should have received; nevertheless, quite a number of his colts have taken records.

A proof that Dawn R. is well thought of at home is the fact that he has had more mares booked to him within the last two weeks than he can attend to.

Dawn is now owned by ex-County Atty. E. S. Clark, and we look for him to reduce his record in his new hands.

Mr. J. E. Clark has a very fast pacer that is an own brother to the very fast mare Linnie G.

Mr. D. A. Bunker is working his fast pacer by Dawn R., and will start her this fall in the races.

Mary G., a bay mare, said to have a record of 2.17, and to be by Almonarch, has appeared here this spring.

Mr. Weaver, one of our leading blacksmiths, has a stable full of speed, a pacer by Dawn R., and a four-year-old stallion by the very fast *Ellsworth*. This fellow is a trotter.

Horses are much higher in price here this year, and people are breeding more this year than they have for the la[illegible] five years put together.

Messrs. Fields Bros. have a fast trotter and a very handsome big stallion here by All So (2 20¼).

REX.

Notes from Butler, Pa.

EDITOR AMERICAN HORSE BREEDER:

This has been a backward season here among our horsemen, owing to the track being damaged by the flood in the early spring, and the [illegible]eather in May was against the men who's cit[illegible]e at work repairing the track, but at [illegible]y B. w[illegible]y have got it completed, and the hors[illegible] was no[illegible] begun to let go of some of their spe[illegible] Pay[illegible]

H. A. [illegible]out a link has got 11 head in his string and Stanton [illegible] to have some good ones [illegible] pace and jo[illegible] with later on.

Frank G. Smit[illegible] Mary B[illegible] (2.09¾), by [illegible]errin, W[illegible] Rich[illegible] mile in 2 21, last quar[illegible] SUMM[illegible] indicates that she [illegible]

ERIE, June 18, class.

[illegible] m, by Merry [illegible] one of his string, [illegible] in [illegible] pretty [illegible] by Fred Keyes ([illegible]rters and halves, [illegible] Befor[illegible], b m, by Egbert [illegible]hat this colt will [illegible]re, *Star Pointer*, w[illegible] Time, 2.22, 2.19¼, [illegible]d.

Mr. J. S[illegible]nt was allowed [illegible]vy Bean (2.24¼) and the two Sta[illegible]-all pa[illegible]lts are showing up well in their work. Supe[illegible]

Ben Masseth, our popular horseman, and owner of Minnie McGregor (2 14¼), Bonnatella (2.21¼) and other good ones, purchased a good three year old at the late Cleveland sale. He is sired by Whips (2.27½). Charles Jamison, who trains for Mr. Masseth, stepped this colt a quarter in 36 seconds with ease.

Fred Jamison's horses all look well, and he has shipped to Bradford, Pa., where he will make his first start.

F. C. Goddard starts Billy Chimes at McKee's Rocks, Pa., this week, and he ought to give a good account of himself, for it is claimed that he can beat 2.20. *Sir Alcantara* (2.10¾) is looking good and stepping fast for this time of the year.

W. H. H. Riddle had his fine saddle horse, Chester, which won first prize at the Pittsburg Horse Show, down at the track, where he showed the boys his different gaits. He is a beauty, and does his work in such manner that he pleases them all.

Fred Leidecker is driving his pacer by Butler Chief (2.25) on the road, and he makes a fine roadster.

Mr. M. Davis has sent his mare by Golden to H. Moorhead's and she has proven to be a good one for a green mare, as she stepped a mile recently in 2.29¼.

R. S. Pringle has a yearling filly by Fight, by Amboy, which is a very nice one.

Mr. Douthett, our clothier, is driving a nice mare, by Butler Chief.

Mr. Abe Flick, proprietor of Hotel Butler, is driving a nice team that he purchased recently in Ohio.

B.

Racing at Kingfield, Me.

EDITOR AMERICAN HORSE BREEDER:

Enclosed please find summaries of the races held here on June 15.

The judges and timers were: Messrs. Asher Horn, Ed. Mosher, W. B. Clark and H. E. Skidmore.

SUMMARIES.

KINGFIELD DRIVING PARK, KINGFIELD ME., June 15, 1898—2.37 trot and pace. Purse, $100.

Little Belle, br m, by Mountain Ledo (Vose) 1 1 1
Dick, br g (Page) 3 2 2
Hattie S., ch m, by Appleton (Simpson) 2 3 3
Harry Boone, b g, by Redwood Boone (Thompson) ..... 4 dis
Time, 2.35¼, 2.35¾, 2 35¼.

Same day—2 32 class. Purse, $100.

Philip A., br g, by Noddie (Pottle) 1 1 1
Sadie H., ch m, by Appleton (Horn) 2 2 2
Charlie Wilkes, br g, by Wilkes (Pollard) 3 3 3
T. T., b g, by Detective (Robins) 4 4 4
Time, 2 34¼, 2.32½, 2.35½.

W. W. MORES.

An Historical Wagon.

EDITOR AMERICAN HORSE BREEDER:

At the recent auction sale of horses and carriages of the late ex-Mayor Pratt, held in Worcester June 13, 1898, there was sold a skeleton wagon with a history. Hitched to this wagon Flora Temple trotted her fastest mile to wagon, making the champion record for those days, 2.24½. This occurred in 1856. The wagon was bought by F. J. Nodine, of whom the late Mayor Pratt pur[illegible] 5 [illegible] Bab[illegible], as built by the late Peter Dubois of New York city, who was then considered the best builder of skeleton wagons in the world.

E. S. Pierce, the well-known wine dealer, purchased the wagon, and the next morning hitched his two pacers, *Major Wonder* (2.09¾) and *Uncle Tom* (2 14¾), to it, and gave them a mile over the Agricultural Park at Worcester in 2 35¼ and 2 28¼. The venerable wagon is now nearly as good as when new, and Mr. Pierce says it sits as easy as any he has ever used. This relic should call to mind the deeds done in the olden times, whe[illegible] Hiram Woodruff was a conspicuous figure on the trotting turf.

C. T. P.

Worcester, Mass., June 17, 1898

June Races at North Anson, Me.

EDITOR AMERICAN HORSE BREEDER:

I take pleasure in sending you report of races held here June 11. The judges and timers were: Messrs. W. E. Cobb, starter; A. D. Harris, S. E. Nay and L. D. King; secretary, F. S. Parsons; clerk, W. C. Emery.

SUMMARIES.

NORTH ANSON, ME., June 11, 1898—2 50 trot and pace. Purse, $100.

Little Belle, br m, by Mountain Ledo (Vose) 1 1 5 1
Hattie S., ch m, by Appleton (Simpson) 3 3 1 7
Maggie Horsford, b m, by Brown Rolfe (Richardson) 4 2 2 2
Net M., b m, by Daniel Boone (Jewell) 2 6 4 4
Bess Imaus, br m, by Imaus (Harville) 7 4 7 3
Annie B., ch m, by Alclayone (French) 5 5 3 5
Moxie T., ch g, by Sylex (Merry) 6 7 6 6
Time, 2.40½, 2.39½, 2.37¼, 2.40

Same day—2 32 trot and pace. Purse, $100.

Philip A., br g, by Noddie (Pottle) 1 1 1
Sadie H., ch m, by Fearnaught (Simpson) 3 2 2
Charlie Wilkes, br g, by Wilkes (Pollard) 2 3 4
Pilot Morrill, by Black Pilot (Meader) 4 4 3
Time, 2.37½, 2 38¼, 2.35½.

F. S. PARSONS.

Races at Newport, Vt.

The grand barbecue and races held at the Memphremagog Driving Park, Newport, Vt., June 16, were well attended and much enjoyed. The races resulted as follows:

SUMMARIES.

NEWPORT, VT., June 16, 1898—2.4[illegible] trot and pace. Purse, $150.

Little Annie Rooney, blk m (McShane) 5
Young Villager, br g (Labeare) 1
Mack V., b g (Carpenter) 3
Jessica D, b m (Bennett) 4
Roscoe, b g (Carter) 2
Robert L., b g (McAuley) 6
Coco B., b m (Bennett) 7 7 6
Henry J, b g (Mosher) ..... dis
Time, 2.35¼, 2.33¼, 2.29½, 2.29¼, 2.30¼.

Same day—2.26 class, trot and pace. Purse, $150.

Diamond F., blk g (Labeau) 1 1 5 5 4 1
Tom Thumb, b g (Wheeler) 2 4 1 2 1 3
Tramp, b g (Carpenter) 5 5 2 1 2 2
Henry's Girl, br m (Lang) 3 2 6 6 5ro
Belle W., b m (Robinson) 6 6 4 3 3ro
Transvaal, b g (McShane) ..... 4 3 3 4 dis
Time, 2 25¼, 2.25¼, 2 25½, 2.27¼, 2.27¼, 2 25½.

Same day—2.19 class, trot and pace. Purse, $150.

Alice G., b m (Gingras) 2 1 1 1
Sailor Boy, ch h (McShane) 1 4 3 2
Eleanor W., ch m (Gritcomb) 4 2 4 4
Rear Guard, b g (Robinson and Ball) 5 5 2 5
Doctor L., rn g (Carter) 3 3 5 3
Time, 2.25¼, 2.22, 2 22¾, 2.23.

A. R. T.

Big Meetings at Windsor and Detroit.

The sum of $20,000 in purses is to be disbursed among the trotters and pacers at the two meetings to be held at Windsor, Ont., July 4-8, and Highland Park, Detroit, Mich., which is just across the river, July 11-15.

The purses at both places are for $600 and $800 each. There are five days racing at each place, with three classes each day. The classes at Windsor are: Trotters, 2.17, 2.24, 2.11, 2.35, 2.20, 2.28 and 2.14; pacing, 2.22, 2.15, 2.35, 2.09, 2 18, 2.12, 2.27. There is also a special event on the programme. The classes at Highland Park are: Trotting, 2.15, 2.17, 2.20, 2.12, 2 24, 2 40 for Michigan horses, 2.23 and 2.35; pacing, 2.09, 2 20, 2 35 for Michigan horses, 2.25, 2.15, 2.12. There is also a special event on the programme.

Following the meeting at Highland Park comes the Grand Circuit meeting at Grove's Point, Detroit.

Entries to both these meetings close on Tuesday of next week, June 28, at Windsor, Ont., with W. A. Hanrahan, secretary, at Detroit, Mich., with J. W. Russwurm, manager, 315 Hammond Building, Detroit, Mich.

On July 1, and each Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the season, sleeping cars will leave Boston on 3 P. M. train of Boston & Albany R. R. for Lake Placid, via Saranac Lake.

Car will return from Lake Placid each Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday.

Wickliffe 2520.

Wickliffe is one of the best bred sons of George Wilkes, and for a sire of his merit his fee of $25 is very low. He is the sire of 11 with records from 2 13¼ to 2 30, and he represents the golden cross, the Wilkes-Mambrino Chief cross, as his dam is Patchen Maid (dam of two performers and three producing sons), by Mambrino Patchen; second dam by Mambrino Chief. Write H. N. Bain, Nelson House, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.