

# SPORTING NEWS

## COX HORSES LOOK GOOD AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME

Big String Training at Dover, N. H.—Sixty-Six Actually Working—Great Things Expected of Mabel Trask—Mary Putney the Futurity Star.

(Frank G. Trott in Boston Globe.) These are busy days at the tracks where the trotters and pacers that are to furnish the turf sport of the year are being prepared, and to many admirers of the speed horse the slow training miles of May are fully as interesting as the fast ones of later in the season.

A visit to Granite State Park, Dover, N.H., where Walter Cox makes his headquarters, is well worth making. The Cox stable is probably the largest in the country, there being sixty-six head in actual training at present and they appear to be the best lot that the clever Yankee pacesman has ever had. Cox would not admit that this was so on a bet but his assistants, Bert Yeaton, Frank Monahan and Ted Hosan, who have been with him for years, are enthusiastic over the prospects of the stable.

Walter is not a pessimist, but the visitor at Dover who speaks in praise of the stable will be here. "Do you see any like Mary Putney, Margaret Druen, Peter Scott, Judson Gill, George Gano or Earl Jr. kicking around here?" Such a question is well answered by a remark to the effect that Mary Putney was not often led out for exhibition a year ago this spring. The fact is, the stable shapes up as unusually promising.

Mabel Trask, on her mile in 2:04 at Hartford and her race against Peter Scott at Columbus stands next to Peter Mac, 2:03, among the stake candidates of the Grand Circuit. She wintered well and is taking her work nicely. Worthy Prince, who holds the record for purse money earned without winning a race, looks better than ever. Director Todd, who won at Brockton in 1:10 1/2, is carrying a lot of flesh and is being named along with Worthy Prince and Mabel Trask.

Mary Putney Shows Up Well.

The Futurity star of 1915, Mary Putney, 2:05 1/2, has not changed much

over winter except to show that maturity is going to bring more grace and beauty. Peter Johnson, 2:03 1/2, the trotter that Cox believes to be the fastest he ever drove, will not be raced. If he starts training he will be given a faster record and retired to the stud. Walter has always insisted that this grandson of Peter the Great is capable of a mile that would put him in the list of champions.

The war horse, Earl Jr., 2:01 1/2, shows little of the wear of his many battles and is training better than last spring. Del Rey, 2:03 1/2, now a gelding, acts like the pacer of three years ago, when he was the topnotcher until sickness retired him.

Billy Dale, 2:03 1/2, who, on his single mile at Montreal, where he was splitting hairs with Yedno in 2:02 1/2, is picked to be the best of the year's stake pacers. Young Todd, 2:17 1/2, a son of Director Todd, is being named with Billy and Del Rey. He worked in 2:03 last fall as a three-year-old and goes free legged.

Cox is working a nice lot of colts, many of them by San Francisco. Sister Susan, 2:19 1/2, a half sister to Peter Johnson, 2:03 1/2, by Moko, is the best liked of the three-year-olds just now. The two-year-olds that seem likely to get to the races are The Prattler by Cochato, 2:14 1/2; Merlyn, by San Francisco, 2:07 1/2; and Peter the Great, 2:07 1/2.

Other Trainers.

The other trainers at Dover are Charles Soule of Hartford, John Willard of Presque Isle, Franz Simmons of Rockland, Me.; Burt Rogers of Somersworth, Arthur Morrison and Tom Marsh of Dover. The last named has Prize Cochato, 2:15 1/2, and a slick-moving two-year-old half brother sired by Prince McKinstry. Rogers has Young Mac, 2:17 1/2, and Philington, 2:22 1/2. Morrison is working his fun horse, the trotter Guyhurst, 2:22 1/2. Willard has five head, Del Patch, 2:14 1/2; Texarkana, 2:16 1/2; a

## FRIDIE WELSH SUSPENDED FOR VIOLATING RULES

Cannot Box in Wisconsin For the Period of Four Months—One Charge Was Not Sustained.

Milwaukee, May 15.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, today was suspended by the State Athletic Commission from engaging in boxing contests in Wisconsin for a period of four months for delaying his recent contest with Ever Hammer of Chicago, half an hour and for violating the rule which provides for the filing of contracts with the commission. The charge that he had used an intoxicant during the bout was not sustained.

## NEW WALKING RECORD FOR FIFTEEN MILES

New York, May 11.—A new American record for the fifteen-mile walk—two hours, six minutes, six and three-fifths seconds—was made today by Edward Ritz of the Mohawk Athletic Club at Celtic Park. The former record of two hours, fourteen minutes, forty-five seconds, made by W. J. Keefe, has stood since December 1, 1880.

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Mr. A. L. Guy of Edmundston, is stopping at the Queen.

three-year-old by Cochato, a green pacer by Commodore Bingen and an unmarked trotter by Columbo.

The Connecticut man has two green trotters of his own by Cochato out of Silver Ring, 2:14 1/2, and a couple of San Francisco yearlings. One of these, San Ramon, out of Bister Hin, by Moko, is a real trotter.

## ALPINE CLUB TO HOLD ANNUAL CAMP

Montreal, May 15.—Although many of its members are at the front the Alpine Club of Canada will hold its annual camp from July 13th to July 31st in the Bow Valley, at the foot of the massive range of mountains about 12 miles west of Banff, in the Canadian Pacific Rockies.

Preparations are being made for the accommodation of a hundred visitors, and the peak selected for graduation climbs are Mount Pilot, Mount Brett, Mount Borgon and the unnamed central peak of the Massena range.

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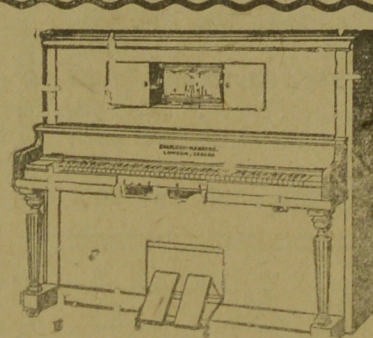
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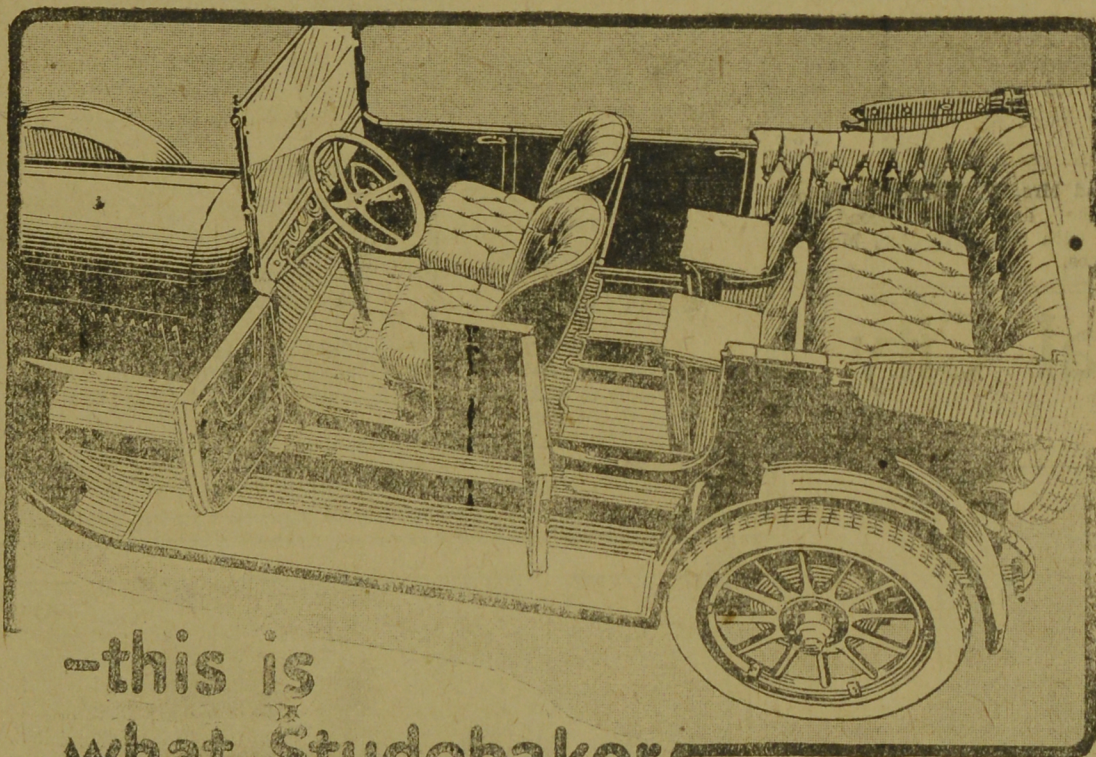
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