



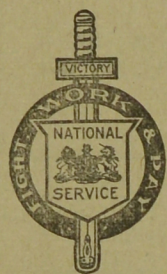
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## Sporting News

### ST. FRISCO MADE NEW STALLION RECORD 2.01 3-4

Talent Surprised as Mabel Trask was Thought to be the Faster—Entirely Geers-Made.

One of the major records was bettered while the Grand Circuit horses were at Poughkeepsie, for when St. Frisco won that second heat from Mabel Trask in 2.01 3/4, he took from The Harvester and Peter Volo the honor of having raced the fastest heat to the credit of a trotting stallion.

Frisko and Mabel Trask have raced four times this season, but in their previous races had not touched 2.04 1/2, so the mile in 2.01 3/4 was a real surprise. They have shown very fast in spots, but the continued flight of 1916 up to last Friday had been lacking.

That the stallion should be the first of the pair to beat 2.02 is also a surprise, as most circuit followers have thought the mare was a mite faster.

St. Frisco was bred at Walnut Hill and was foaled in 1911. He has started in 36 races and in 29 of them has been first or second, and has won right at \$35,000.

He is absolutely a Geers-made trotter, and when he showed 2.12 as a 3-year-old no one along the circuit picked him as being even a fair trotter.

He is owned by Mrs. Lulu Davidson, a daughter of Frank G. Jones, of Memphis.

### SIX HEAT RACE AT HARTFORD

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 4. — The second day of the Grand Circuit meeting over the Charter Oak Park race track today was marked by racing on the half-mile track, and there was nothing exceptional in the three events, except that it required six heats to decide a winner in the 2.24 trot. Bobby C. had an easy time in the 2.14 trot, taking the lead at the start and never being headed in any of the three heats.

In the 2.18 pace, John A. P., owned by John A. Pilgard, acted badly after winning the first heat, and was easily beaten by Dr. Gordon.

Suldlene acted badly for Driver Murray in the first two heats of the 2.24 trot, which were won by On the Rhine, but in the third heat he trotted in form and duplicated the performance in the fourth heat. The bay stallion apparently had the race won in the fifth heat, when another break set him back and Crozier slipped into first place with Dan Dix and clinched third money. In the sixth and deciding heat between the two horses Suldlene lay in back of On the Rhine until the stretch, and then passed Tallman as he pleased.

### AZOT AND GARRY WON AT BORDER

St. Stephen, N. B., Sept. 4. — The horse races at the Calais fair this afternoon were witnessed by a good crowd. The 2.21 trot and 2.24 pace was won by Azot, owned by C. L. Jackson, Bangor, Me., in 2.23 1/2; Black Bess, T. McBride, St. Stephen, 2nd; Mark Grattan, Chas. Cone, Calais, 3rd; Little Kitty, J. B. Gilchrist, Norton, N. B., 4th.

The 2.12 trot and 2.15 pace was won by Garry, owned by B. D. Tingley, Houlton, Me. Best time, 2.17 1/4. Little Gillig, T. B. McBride, St. Stephen, 2nd; Mattie Marsh, J. B. Gilchrist, Norton, N. B., 3rd; Senonta C., J. W. Metcalf, Presque Isle, 4th.

### WOMAN MAKES SWIM RECORD

New York, Sept. 2. — Miss Lucy Freeman of the National Women's Life-Saving League, champion A.A.U. long-distance swimmer, performed a sensational feat today in accomplishing the 15-mile trip between Spuyten Duyvil and the Battery in the Hudson River.

She swam the distance in 3h. 59m. 22 s., beating by more than half an hour the former record for the course, set in 1915 by Robert Dowling of this city in circling Manhattan Island. The swim had never before been accomplished by a woman.

### BOB MAC WON FREE-FOR-ALL AT CHATHAM

Leila Burns was Second—Five Heats in the 2.35—Epeus Won After Lake-Be-Sure Took Two.

Chatham, N. B., Sept. 4. — A heavy rain storm just after noon today made the track very heavy and delayed the start of the races here this afternoon until 4 o'clock. Notwithstanding this the fairly large number present enjoyed two very good races, particularly the 2.35 trot and pace, which took five heats to decide the winner between Lake-Be-Sure and Epeus.

Bob Mac was an easy winner in the free-for-all, taking straight heats.

The summary is as follows:

2.35 Trot and Pace.

Epeus, John Glen, St. John, 3 5 1-1 1  
Lake-Be-Sure, G. M. Finney, Sackville, 1 1 2 2 2  
Claudia C., Cogger and Carvell, St. John, 2 2 3 3 3  
Border Prince, T. Hayes, St. John, 5 3 4 4 4  
Euella H., A. Hinton, Bathurst, 4 4 5 5 d  
Time—2.24 1/2, 2.24, 2.20 1/4, 2.23 1/4, 2.24 1/4.

Free-for-All.

Bob Mac, L. A. Simpson, Amherst, 1 1 1  
Lacopia, P. A. Bellevue, Moncton, 2 2 2  
Leila Burns, T. V. Monahan, Fredericton, 3 3 3  
Walter J., E. Dalton, Newcastle, 6 5 4  
Alec E., Fred Duncanson, St. John, 4 6 5  
Nelda Snell, E. Dalton, Newcastle, 5 4 dr  
Time—2.16 1/4, 2.16 1/4, 2.16.

### U. S. SAILORS ATTACKED

London, Sept. 4. — Attacks on American sailors on Sunday night are reported in a despatch from Cork to the Chronicle. It is said that gangs of young men paraded the streets and set upon the Americans, who were accompanied by their sweethearts.

### THE EVACUATION OF RIGA.

Riga was evacuated by the civilian population and French consul three weeks ago. This was the news contained in the official despatches surrounded with so much mystery at the time, and over which so much uneasiness was felt.

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