

She looks just as well as any horse possibly could look at the season of the year. Lady Stout, who a touch of the world in her three-year-old form, can't be rightly as a future around her public. Last winter her coat has a saken in the and was found to be the contrary, you could pick her out for a footed horse. Herma, the black mare, four years old, by Wood for Mambino, out of Hermosa, by Edwin Fox, has spread a good deal in the last year, and there is every indication that she will make a fine race-trainer. Zuber the same age, by Wood for Mambino, out of Falip, by Alexander's Adaptor, reminds you of Goldsmith's Mack. Fata Manning, four years old, and by Edward Everett, out of Lady Palmer, looks like a race-horse by the side of the two Kentucky bred mares, but she can't trot either in the lot she will make a capital race-horse. Joe Godwin became quite prophetic during the inspection. He discoursed to D. B. as follows: "By Jove, they come in all shapes. There is one with his hocks up under his tail, another with them down close to the ground, one with straight hind legs, another with legs as crooked as those of a mouse, and yet they all trot faster than lightning. I wish some of you smart fellows would tell me which is the correct model. The more I look, the more I am puzzled." D. B. did not help Joe out of the fog. He simply smiled, and turned his back upon the anxious inquirer after truth. The question is well calculated to bother the wisest heads. In driving to the farm we saw two horses harnessed to a farm wagon, toiling up the hill with a load of ashes. We asked what they were, and were a little surprised to learn that one of them had a record of 2:39, and that the other had trotted in 2:35. A pretty good work team, that. But as they are not fast enough for Mr. Bonner to drive on the road, he converted them into draft animals. There are any number of horses on Jerome avenue every afternoon which are classed as wonders by their enthusiastic owners which cannot trot anything like as fast as the two we saw toiling up the hill with a farm wagon at their heels. This little incident speaks volumes. It shows the kind of mettle which Mr. Bonner has got together for driving purposes.—*Turf, Field and Farm.*

**FAST DOUBLE TEAMS.**

Ever since Wm. H. Vanderbilt's justly celebrated team, Small Hopes and Lady Mac, trotted their mile over Fleetwood track in 2:23, there has existed a desire on the part of very many gentlemen, all over the country, to get together a team which could equal or beat their time. Among others, we understand that James C. Flood of San Francisco has secured a very fast team (Oakland Maid and Queen), which we may expect to hear from early in the Spring. It is predicted that they will trot together close to 2:20. We have also been informed that Mr. John Crooks, the trainer, is working Oakland Maid and Queen together. Mr. Wm. Belden, of New York, not being perfectly satisfied with the speed of his team, Lady White and mate, has bought the roan gelding Honest Harry, with a record of 2:22, to go with Lady White. He proposes to challenge the fastest in our midst. Mr. Frank Work has a very fast team, Hall and Bell Thunder, but we have not heard much of them lately. They have been one of the crack teams of the road. Last, though not least, Mr. Robert Bonner, the best amateur driver in the country, so universally acknowledged, has a team, Music and Mate, which will be heard from in the Spring, they having already trotted over his track in 2:23½, which is two or three seconds slower than a good mile track. It is confidently expected that this team will beat 2:20. There are a number of other teams being put together, of which we will keep our readers informed from time to time.—*N.Y. Sportsman.*

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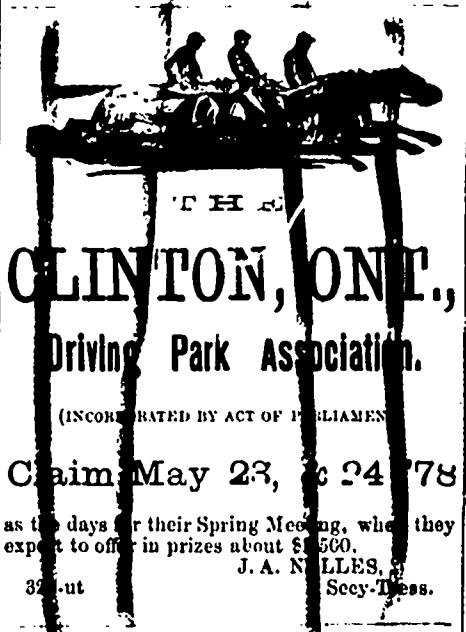
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