

... ready to trot, they should have judge on hand, trot Gilt around the track and claim the money. This he says is what he shall do if Mambrino Gilt does not put in an appearance. And thus the matter rests.

VIGIL.

Vigil was bred by Mr. M. H. Sanford, at his Peckness Stud Farm, in Kentucky. He is by Vigil (son of Vandal and Hymenia, by imp. Yorkshire), dam Regan, by Lexington; second dam Lorette, by imp. Sovereign; third dam Mary Ogden, by Thornhill (son of imp. Glencoe and imp. Pickle, by Emilius); fourth dam Mary Thomas, by imp. Consul; fifth dam Parrot, by Randolph's Ronoke; sixth dam Paroquet by imp. Merryfield, seventh dam John Randolph's imp. mare, by Popjay, out of Bourbon's dam, by Precipitate, etc. He was purchased at Mr. Sanford's sale in 1874 by Mr. James A. Grinstead, for \$210. He subsequently sold him in 1875 for \$600 to Colonel D. McDaniel, who sold him, together with the Brother to Bassett, to Messrs. F. Dwyer & Brother for \$25,000. Vigil began his winning career at Saratoga, in a mile and a quarter dash, for mules, when he beat Courier, Paladin and Jose C., in 2:13, which he followed up by winning the Sumner Handicap, a mile and three-quarters, when, with 91 lbs., he beat Mattie A., 4 years old, at 107 lbs.; Invoice, 4 years old, at 104 lbs., and Warlock, 3 years old, at 94 lbs. He was next beaten twice, once by Burgoe and once by Ithadamanthus, when he had the worst of the weights, after which he won a mile and three-quarters in 3:01, when, with 102 pounds, he beat Athlete, 6 years old, at 100 lbs.; Lolaps, 4 years old, at 111 lbs., and the Grey Nun, 4 years old, at 106 lbs. At the recent Jerome Park meeting he won a mile and a half from Invoice and Preston at weights for age, in 2:46, which he followed up by winning the Grand National, two miles and a quarter, in 4:11, when, with 100 lbs up, he beat James A., 4 years old, at 108 lbs.; Big Sandy, 4 years old, at 109 lbs.; Shylcock, aged, at 112 lbs.; Fecok, five years old, at 118 lbs., and Sunburst, 6 years old, at 95 lbs. This established his ability to go a distance, and as he lacked that performance up by winning a two mile dash at weight for age, from Athlete, Iddisack and Preston, in 3:40, he at once became the favorite for the Breckenridge Stake at Baltimore, the presumption being that Brother to Bassett would win the Dixie Stake. How Vigil won that event is well known. Vigil has won for his owners since last season, over \$15,000.

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