

BONNER TO BEAT IT.

He Is Bound to Lower the Record Made by Nancy Hanks Either

WITH MAUDS OR ANOTHER ANIMAL

Daystar is the Latest Candidate for Renown in That Line.

VIEWS OF THE NOTED CONNOISSEUR

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—"While I do not in any way wish to disparage the performance of Nancy Hanks in obtaining her unparalleled record of 2:04," said Mr. Robert Bonner, at his home, No. 8 West Fifth street, to me last evening, "I believe Maud S, to a bicycle sulky, upon the most even kite-shaped track, would be the fastest trotter the world has ever seen, and in order to test this I have determined to put Maud S in training, and see if she cannot lower the record of Nancy Hanks.

"A year ago, as you remember," continued Mr. Bonner, "I made an offer of \$5,000 to the owner of a horse who trotted a mile in 2:35 within two years on any of the grand circuit tracks from Cleveland to Hartford. That offer was included in a letter which I wrote to General B. E. Tracy just a year ago. I further said," reading from the letter, "one gentleman has stated that I will undoubtedly have to pay it, to which I replied, I do not believe General Tracy himself thinks so.

"In his reply," said Mr. Bonner, "General Tracy says, 'I have long believed that a horse would yet appear that would set a mile in two minutes, but I have never set any time within which I thought that per-

formance would be made. It is not likely that you or I will live to see it, although I hope we may. The interviewer, when she beat Maud S, in 1884, was a young girl, and I have never said it would be better in five years. I have never said it would be better in five years, and notwithstanding Arión's great performance, I doubt whether he can reach that figure, while I am obliged to admit that he may. I do not believe that he will trot in 2:05 in the next two years.

"When I made the offer of \$5,000 I did not intend it as an inducement to an improvement in mechanical devices. I intended it simply as an incentive to produce a finer stock. I do not believe that Nancy Hanks ever saw the day that on a grand circuit track before a regulation sulky, like that used to July last, she could trot in 2:05. I may be mistaken, but that is my belief. I believe now that we are much more likely to see two minutes on a kite-shaped track, before a bicycle sulky, than we were at the time I made my offer to see 2:05 before the sulky used, as I said, to July last.

"The bicycle sulky is acknowledged to be at least four seconds faster than the old regulation sulky, and the kite-shaped track is known to be from 1 1/2 to 3 seconds faster than the regulation or grand circuit tracks. This is the fastest mile ever trotted before a bicycle sulky, and it is unparalleled in the history of the turf. Even

with a bicycle sulky Sunol could have gone that half mile in 33 seconds." "A New Candidate for Renown." Maud S is at present at Mr. Bonner's farm, Tarrytown, N. Y., and has been twice driven to Auel, by Electioneer, out of Annetta. There is no promise of any foal of the dam of that trotting mare, Jay-Eye-See. Startle is by Hambletonian, out of a mare by American Star, that famous cross that has given us so many trotters of renown.

Daystar is a beautiful bay with white hind legs, and has the bulldog courage and wonderful endurance of his sire, with all the trotting instincts of the Harolds. The best that Daystar had ever done until last Saturday was a quarter in 37 1/2 seconds, but he was a quarter in 31 1/2 seconds, and on a heavy track he went a quarter in 31 seconds, which is at a 2:04 gait. Daystar is just coming to his speed, and will evidently, from all appearances, prove a tremendous trotter. Mr. Bonner will have him jogged along during the winter under his covered track.

ALBERT T. RIDDICK.

A Use for the Motors. Philadelphia Record.

"The motors that have cooled off will be used in the beautiful paper mills for Christmas presents."

NO FORTUNE NEEDED.

A Young Couple Can Still Begin Housekeeping on \$1,200 a Year.

HOW TO GO ABOUT THE SHOPPING.

Figures Which Make Two People Practically Millionaires.

SOMETHING ABOUT COUNTRY AUCTIONS

[WRITTEN FOR THE DISPATCH.]

It is not a matter of daughter or daughter; it is, however, a question of Hymen versus dollars and cents. A number of economists have been spreading heretical beliefs with their hard-headed arguments over the impossibility of getting married and keeping married on less than a \$3,000 income. They assert that the young man of the period can't possibly maintain an establishment at home here is a young woman of this fin de siècle on an amount whose initial digit indicates something below the \$3,000 limit. That may be very true for the exotics which we class under the genus fin de siècle, but there are large numbers of us who are not included in that classification. A certain sturdy strain, not mentioned by those luxurious economists, can thrive very well on an income represented by very few dollars, sked out with a large amount of common sense.

It is a tenable assertion that two people so much in love that they are not over proud can live together neatly on \$1,200 a year. The young man of the period, if the spendthrift groom has not saved more than \$200 toward the great event.

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practically millionaires. As incomes mount toward the \$5,000 limit, what is theoretically practically millionaires, decorators take matters in hand and furnish a room with that evil "simplicity" which costs \$2,000. It is almost a certainty that they will purchase old furniture for you at rates which are exorbitant having been fixed by dealers who know the full value of Chippendale or Sheraton. But there is a method of purchase which outdoes anything published in "Gargasia." It is the New England auction sale of household goods, where claw-footed tables and mahogany dressers are sold for \$5. Cape Cod, and, in fact, the Southern and New England States have been swept of their "old colonial," but New Hampshire and Southern Vermont still possess their ancient treasures.

If you would be bidders at one of these forced sales cannot personally attend, it is a good idea to write to friends in the vicinity and ask them to purchase for you. It was only a few months ago that in Central New Hampshire a New York woman bought a solid mahogany four-post colonial bed for \$6. A magnificent eight-day clock, bought in Hartford during the last century, went for \$7 on the auctioneer's confession that it did not keep "very good time." An old dresser, whose oval mirror seemed to reflect the face of the purchaser, was bought for \$8. A pair of mahogany chairs, bought for \$6 a dozen, while the cups and saucers were valued at \$8.

Now and then one comes across a genuine Sheraton or a Chippendale, but they are becoming extremely rare. The ball and claw and Windsor chairs are, perhaps, the most common of the old make, but they are by no means easy to prove genuine.

It is possible to judge of the period to which furniture belongs by its wood. In Massachusetts black walnut, in Connecticut wild cherry were used in cabinet work until 1765, after which time the maple and the cherry were used. In New York the cherry was used for the best furniture, but now its value is not greater than the rich old cherry or sturdy oak of an earlier period.

It pays to buy your holiday goods in diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc., where you can get the best selection and lowest prices, and that is at M. G. Cohen's, 39 Fifth Avenue. No trouble to show goods. Store open evenings until Christmas.

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