who was finishing strongly, came from further back, and was bacely a length behalf of Signalman. Borton under a good cur control of Signalman, Borton under a good cur control of Signalman, so that is evidently not a stayer, while Stronghold, Abberation, and Sir Percivale were well beaten before the end of six farfonga was reached. Signalman can like a stayer, and would have wen without his penalty, and may prove the best of the lot for Derty booms. but it is question-side whether any one of the starters regressed decent Derty form. Submarine is perturned to several the stay can be a sea Signalman were beaten off in the King Edward may cause trouble. Both he and Signalman were beaten off in the King Edward finadicap, in which good three-year-olds with their weights should baye carried thou sucre prominently. The time was 1.21-3, and the dividends £2 127 and 2.10. The weight stopped both Catherine Gordon and Cavairy in the Te Mahanga Living and the Archite inst beat Tanaigna. Thus a which Archite inst beat Tanaigna. Thus sucred on the transition of the Possible, were always in front, and the Hun. J. P. (Demond's goiding won, Boomerang, who gailoped on Probable's treels, being a close third. Moral, by The Possible from Fair Netl, began green, but finished better than suything in the race. Time, 49 4-6, Dividends, £8 11/ and £1 13/.

At the end of a mile, when The Stake had run bimself out, in the Spring Fandicap, Armistice went to the front, and won with something to spare, Louisa beating The Siske on the post for second place. The Siske carried files are weight. The chart of the Armistice went to the front, and won with something to spare, Louisa beating the Siske on the post for second place. The wall £1 11. The Aockiand-tred files are weight atters. Time, 4.45 and 12 16 for the Siske on the Post for second place, and £1 14 The Aockiand-tred files are such the siske on the post for second place. T

classy the meeting will come out

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TURF TALK FROM THE SOUTH.

(By Telegraph.-Own Correspondent.).

CHRISTCHT/RCH, Saturday

I hear very good accounts from Dunedla of Red Guuntlet. St. Denis is siss said to be coming back to form, and the unperformed Multiform coil Outdaform is making satisfactory progress. I understand also that Assa has wintered satisfactority.

ing satisfactory progress. I understand also that Adisa has wintered satisfactorily. Mr Henrys seems to have made an excellent handleap for the Stewards' Stakes. Without pitchforking snything in, he has given most of the caudidates a capital chance, with the result that he has complicated the task of picking the winner. Brilliant horse as Achilles is, he may find it a difficult matter to concede the enormous weights he is asked to give some of the horses further down the list. Probably he will be startful in the New Zealand Cup instead. Machine Gun is reported to be extremely well, and this being the case he stands a capital chance of repeating his best and a capital chance of repeating his best and a capital chance of repeating his best and a capital chance of repeating his best districted for the Cup, but I presume that Well in the Cup, but I presume that the Ginden Lity, Rubla, Nightfall, Zethand, Crichton, and Alisa. Mr Stend bolds a very strong hand. He has no less than seven engaged, and any one of the number may be capable of winning.

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very strong hand. He has no less than ever energed, and any one of the number may be capable of winning.

Although the calpyinent of the Ohoka and Eyreton Jockey Club's annual race asceting on Thursday was marred by a botherons north-east gale, the attendance, which included a strong contingent from fown, was large, the racing was interesting, and the totalisator turnover exceeded last year's by £250. Speculate was the hero of the meeting. He won the Ohoka and Eyreton Handleap confortably from Source, and with a pensity of 5th approver to a strong control of the meeting. He won the Ohoka and Eyreton Handleap confortably from Source, and with a pensity of 5th approver long deliariet, Welter Handleap. A word long deliariet whether thanken of some race of the competitors, but changes of some race, but Obliviou' 11, who finished the welghts. Sainly should benefit from the race, but Obliviou' 11, who finished third, cannot be improved materially. None of the others ran particularly well, but probably Magnificent and Cerise and Hine suffect from their vagaries at the post. The pony Manless was made favourite for the bying Handleap, and the daughter of Manulicher showed what a good bit of atter which the post of the strong the suffer his mount passed the winning post, which is showed what a good bit of atter his mount passed the winning post, after his mount passed the winning post, fire Eurocylous gelding Eurus heaf Oys, for literature ducking the Afternoon; his second was in the Manderville Welter Handleap, in which is shubed unplaced, and the care call to his co-favourite, who is a promising the house of 250. It will had its annual race and a cold its annual race.

Welleck.

The Amuri Turt Club has a credit bal-bace of £29. It will hold its gamual race meeting on January 5.

The committee of the Canterbury Jac-key Club has rejected the appeal of Mr Jeffa against the decision of the stewards disqualifying Fetroyug in the Criterion Handican.

Insident.

Inquiries having hear received by the Cauterbury Jockey Club from owners as to whether the nominations of certain other owners were in order, the club has decided to decline to supply information of Asia kind.

Racing men in all parts of the colony will be secry to learn that Mr J. B. Reid has decided to break up his stud, and that the stalling St. Hards and all Mr Reid's choice selections of marcs will be offered for sale

None Shield has returned from Ashbur-ton, where she has been on a visit to Figrins Progress.

It is remoured here, with what founda-tion I cannot say, that Buluways has brok-en a blood-yeasel.

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OTAKI MAGRI HACK MRETING.

The following acceptances have been re-relyed for the Otaki Maeri Hack Mect-

Tebiwi Memoriai Handicap, 1 mile.— Tomstrangi 8.9, Bonbeur 8.0, Catragorm 7.11, Rapida 7.8, Languid 7.0, Scaguit 6.7, St. Winifred 6.12, Guelder Rose 6.12

Hurdle Handton, 11 mile,—Defoe 11.8, Te Kohau 19.8, Miss King 19.7, Marchi J.S. Jennhe d'Altert 9.8, Hokhi 9.6, Peru-vian 9.4, De Wet 9.0, Locked 9.0.

Demonstration Handicap, t mile and distance. Sea Lion 8.12, Tomalrangi 8 Fosition 7.9, Aureole 6.7.

Flying Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Tomaira-ngl 8-10, Ngutarus 8-3, Watkakaho 7-13, Hortins 7-19, Hippodrome 7-10, Cosawata 7-8, Fresent 7-3, Amelia (late Banzi) 6-10.

Welter Handicap, 7 furlorgs.—Ronheur 9. Cairngorm B.T. Rapido J., Hippodrome B. L. Furnesux S.J. Feror S.J. Guedler Rose S.J. Spur S.T. Swop 3.7, Fistals S.T. Lock Tay S.T.

Stewards' Handleap, five furlongs.—St. Albert 3.5, Wulkakahe 8.3, Coxawaln 7.13, Reeftss 7.13, Qunitz 7.4, Duchess 7.4, Rutauka 7.0, Ceche 7.0, Beknpal 7.0,

Maideu Plate, six furlongs. -Cecile, Windless, Quartz, Malosi, Olaf, Swop. Pla-tols, Reabird, Miss Terlin, Caravel, Sea-guil, St. Wioifred, Olivia, and Spur.

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NAPIER PARK BACING CLUB'S SPRING MEETING.

NAPIER, Saturday:

The following acceptances have been re-ceived for the Napter Park Racing Club's spring meeting:

Trial Hack Handicap, six furlougs.— ennir S.7, Tonderghie 8.0, Bunzai 7.7, arca 7.7

Trial Hack Handicap, six furiougs.— Bennts S.7, Tonderglie 8.9, Bauxal 7.7, Barca 7.7, Taradale Handicap Hurdle Race, one ulle and three-quarters.—Cavniry 11.3, Arola 11.2, Comfort 10.13, Westquard 10.2, Repuise 2.3, Taniwha 0.3, Rhyi 9.0.

County Hack Hamilesp, one mile.—Band-naster 8.10, Petuna 8.8, Pushful 8.3, guche 8.3, Admirat Cerveras 7.2, Kohatu

4.7.

Park Stakes Handicap, one mile and a quarter. - Mahutonga 9.3. Ficka 8.9. Madrigal 8.4. Armistice 8.4. Submarine 7.3. Sir Fercivale 6.7.

Spring Wester Handleap, seven furlongs,

—Blazer H.O., Hinerauca 19.11, Tyrone 18,
Hardwork 92, Puris 92, Turks 92, Tuknpa 8.2, Tattle 8.5, Jewei Gun 8.0, Athol Maid 8.0, Galeinad 8.0.

.9, Gaiseau 8.9.
Aburici Hack Handleap, üve furlongs.—
Atuna 8.11, Calapaw 8.10, Merry Kate
.8, Perdita 7.13, Masoriban 7.12, Horatio
.9, Polyanthus 7.9, Barca 9.10, Anadeja
.8, Melba 6.7, Cadeau 6.7.

Railway Handicap, six furlongs.—Hine-taura 8.5. Wet Reef 7.13, Forest Ranger 7.9, Assayer 7.9, Governess 7.0, Rose Mad-der 7.0, Mystication 6.7.

Napler Stakes, five forlongs.—Signalman 9.0. Benu Scalon 8.7, The Stake 8.4, Sir Percivale 7.11, King Billy 7.3, Hormona 6.7. White Star 6.4, Whakawehi 6.4, Mar-

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DUNEDIN JOCKEY CLUB'S SPRING MEETING.

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For the D.J.C. Spring Meeting, the following acceptances have been received:—
Spring Hurdle Handicap, one mile and a
said.—Hiku 114. The Mobican 10.15, The
Guesser 10.12, Victor II. 10.4.
Taloma Huck, 5 furlongs.—Bluestone 8.9,
Onfinform 8.5, Kaputal 8.9, Stepchild 7.7,
Witch Whinle 7.5, Ken 7.2, Navarre 6.12,
Far Niente 6.19, Heirloom 6.10, Rubette
6.10.

Witch Windle 7.5, 8-sn 1.7, 2010.
For Niente 6.16, Helricom 6.10, Rubette 6.10.
Mosgiel Handicap, one mile.—Pallas 9.6, Flower o' Clutha 8.2, Juniper 7.9, Delarcy 7.7, Blackstone 7.0, Crown Imperial 6.7, Electric Handicap, 6 furbangs.— Red Gaunille 9.11, Vialulating 9.1, 82, Denits 8.13, Flower o' Clutha 8.12, Petrovia 8.12, Frighton 7.7, Doma Rosa 6.10, Casque 6.7, Crown Imperial 6.7, Barewood Welter, 9 furbangs.—Quagga 9.11, Onldaform 9.7, Lilystone 9.2, Wes Medical Composition of the Composition of

ceived:—total commands have been se-Truin, Stakes of Sosava, 7 furlongs.— Trump, Helricom, Riepchild, Kuputal, Quagga, Cavatina, Mariposa, Lecside, Ru-bello.

Farewell Handlesp of 50sovs, one mile.— Donun Rosn, Blackstone, Strius, Mobican, Joniper, Mariposa, Crown Impecial, Ropu, Koputal.

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AUCKLAND TROUTING CLUB'S SPRING MEETING.

The following acceptances have been re-ceived for the first day's events of the Auckland Trotting Club's Spring Meeting, which takes place on Saturday acut:

Spring Trot Handicap, two miles.—? Ros secutch, Rebui Boy Go, Thorndean

Belladonna Sa, Redieaf Ifa, Duchess of Rothschild Isz, Miss Huen IVs.

Stewards' Handicap Trut, one mile and n-half. Ballot scratch, Harold Abdallak 68, Waitehaurt Ss, Typewriter Ss, Le Rosler 12s, K.D. 12s, Colonso 19s, Empress 19s.

126. K.D. Lie, Colema 198. Empress 198. Electric Handicap, see mile.—Bartre scratch, Juliette 4s, Duchess of Rothschild 7s, Colema 8s, Donnierti 10s, Laig Florence 10s, The Mooress 11s, Miss Munros 12s, Rell Car 13s, Bert 13s, George 11s, K.S. 13s, St. John 13s, Pleasanton 17s.

Pony Hundlery Trot, one mile.—Isabel scratch, Rushlight scratch, Svic 7s, Miss bituroe 9s, Lauce 12s, Nut 10s, Little Paul

Allotte Class Handicup Trot, one mile and a-balf.—Redical scratch, Duchess of Rothschild accatch, Empress 28, Kitometea & Lady Florence 48, Nat Gooid 48, Albertorious 28, Co. 38, George 28, Iditle Bea 89, Bert D8, Editte Paul 28, Pleasanton 133, Maiden Trot, one mile and a-balf.—Beya cratch, Albertorious 48, Bell Cac 48, Red Wilkes 48, Maugonul 188, Huon Clair 188, Miss Dimmore 188, Pleasanton 198, Albertorious 48, Political Cac 48, Politic

October, wnawnas U.H.
October Handless, five furloags. Orange and Bise D.4. Manaeuvre S.7. Fashlomble S.0. Mataura S.0. Gladys Rose T.12. Neutined 7.9. Solitary 7.0. Shrowsbury C.H. Winyshat 6.11, Mosquitto G.7.

VICTORIA A.T.C. SPRING MEETING.

FIRST DAY,

GLADSOME WINS THE CAULFIELD STAKES,

MELBOTHNE, October 8,

The V.A.T.C. opened their Spring Meeting at Cauffeld to-day in beautiful were ther. There was a splendid attendance, A field of a dozen was saddted up to contest the Cauffield Stakes, and with "Uni-talent" largely represented great interest was centred in the contest at weight for age. The Auckland-bred mare Gladsome was made a warm favourite, and the conwas made a warm favourite, and the confidence reposed in the daughter of Seatop, fleatwal proved to be extremely well placed, for she won her race in britishing space, besuite the fact that the A.L.C. prity winner, Sylvanite, was called apon to put up a 7th penalty in the Canifield Guineau, he was made a strong odds-on favourite, He had, however, to strike bis colours to his stable-mate, Deman, who wan by half a length. The following are the details of the racing:—

Iolo Welter Handleap of 15080va, T fur-longs.—Conservat 1, Herriedate 2, Fabric 3, Stonarput won' by a length and a half, Time, 1.322.

Generate won by a length and a half, Time, 1.329.

Delutante Siskes of 1150aovs; 4 furlougs, —Scothand J, Murillo 2, King o' Scots 3, Won by a head. Time, 514.

The Cantifeld Siskes of 400sovs, second horse to receive 40sovs and the third 20sovs from the strike. For three-year-olds and the third 20sovs from the strike. For three-year-olds and the furly strike with the strike of the strike of the mile and furly. We strike the strike of the mile and furly strike the strike of the strike of

The Coulled Guineas of Solows, the owner of the second horse to receive 100 sovs and the owner of the third Solows out of the stake. For three-year olds, Special weights, with penaltics. One mile.—Mr J.

Catic's Denns, 8.8, including 31b penalty, 8; Mr R. J. Casey's Nylranite, 8.12, tocluseing 7th penalty, 2; Mrn. A. Wynne's Kosepan, 8.5, 3. Settling: 6 to 4 on Sylvanite, 5 to 1 against Denns, 8 to 1 Kopan, Denns had command to the turn, where Lord Filmory joined him. Denns, however, drew out again and won by baif a length. Time, 3.442.

3.44.
The Toorak Handicap of Gabours, I mile,
—Obsiati, 7.2, 1; Bullerk, 7.5, 2; Daugal,
7.13, 3. Twenty-two horses started, Retilag: 7 to 2 against Pangal, 8 to 1 Purser,
7 to 1 Corrobuce, 25 to 1 Osslar and the
others. Osslar and Rallark come out at
the distance, and the last-named pair sighting out a great finish, Osslar gained the
judge's verdict by a head. Time, 4.44,

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ENGLISH RÁCING.

LONDON, October 7. IMPERIAL PRODUCE STAKES of 2000 2003. For two-year-olds. Six furlougs. Mr Leopold de Rothschild's & C Kham-

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