On the strength of his track work Maz-nil was made a occaming het favourite a field of twenty that contested the classes Handkeap, but the good thing came addue, the race resulting in a dead heat tween Kanewara and Spectre, with Flying

Sonic third.

Salute and Golden Loop monopolised the betting in the concluding event, the Flying Handleap, and, after the latter had flattered his admirers to the home turn, Salute took charge, and, stalling off challenges by Sir Artegal and Santa Hosa, won comfortably.

***** * * C.J.C. SPRING MEETING,

BRIDGE WINS THE CUP.

CHRISTCHURCH, Saturday.

The Canterbury Jockey Club's Spring Meeting opened in glorious weather, and the attendance is a record. The Governor and Lady is lington are present, with the Hon. J. Carroll, Ministor in attendance, as the rate had head off so onny, one continued me weather, and the day proved sleaf for the opening of the Canterbury J.C. Metropolitan Meeting. Thanks to the care of the Jockey Club's staff, the Riccarton rececourse has seldow tooked better than it did to-day, and the crowd that assembled to watch the New Zealand Cup of 1919 was one of the largest seen as Riccarton. CHRISTCHURCH, Saturday.

Cup of 1919 was one of the largest seen at Riccarbon.

Bacing epened suspicionaly with the Spring Hurdles, all the ten ecceptors going to the post. The tote proved interestage, Avanual, Lecumac, and Kavier being weil supported in that order, while there was a very big drop to the next of the public fancies. Account had no chance after a mile and a-half had been covered, but Reumac was in front puscically all the way, and had a comfortable win tour Coy. Hydrant, who had been doing good track work, ran rather disappointingly, W. Kenng, who put up such a remarkable reword at the National Meeting, sode the

track work, ran rather disappointingly. W. Young, who put up such a remarkable record at the National Meeting, rode the winner.

Scratchings were numerous for the Spring Plate, but a dozen were left to be saddled up, and they made a good-looking field. The public would have nothing but the Makitform cost Vice Admiral, now raced in the interests of the Siesa Brognessed of the Makitform cost Vice Admiral, now raced in the interests of the Siesa Brognessed of the Makitform cost Vice Admiral, now raced in the interests of the Siesa Brognessed of the Makitform cost Vice Admiral, now raced in the interests of the Siesa Brognessed of the Makitform cost Vice Admiral, now raced in the Makitform cost of the Siesa Brognessed of the William Committee of the William Committee of the Siesa Brognessed of the Siesa Brognessed

three-year-old trumphed. Swimming Bett and Chief Lochiet showed the way, but a great finish ended in the Hon. J. D. Ormond's representative just getting up. Lady Reima and John fluished close up. Lady Reima and Lady Reima and Chere was a rush for the pandeck rails to watch the pande. As was expected, Culdiann was withdrawn, and Str Anritm she itea was not a knorse in the field that flui not look fit for acc for a kingdom, and they elicited great admiration. Bridge was made a good favourite, with Diabolo next, and Ingoda. Los Angelos, Sandstream, Merriwa, and Ontlander foilowing in that order.

The race was one of the best we have seen for the Cup, and was run at a ter-rife pares all though. Cronstadt went remarkably well for three-quarters of a mile, when Los Angelos, who had been pulling hard Diabolo fluish who had been up. Lady and Gray rode a great race or the favourite, reaching Los Angelos at the distance. The whip was avere drawn on Mr Watt's gelding, and he won in treat style, while Diabolo fushed gamely in front of Kopu, who ran a good race. Raskmater, Merriwa, and Outlander all fluished well. Cronstadt, who appeared to the luterfered with near the half mile post, and dropped back suddenly, ran a surrelished, good race. Bridge's time beat Tarian's Australasian revord of 3.27 by You see the prominence.

WINNERS OF THE N.Z. CUP.

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1907-Mr F. Preston's Friace, 7.2.	8.23
1908-Mr T. H. Lewry's Downtall, 7.8	8.28
1909-Mr F. Tilley's Lady Lucy, 7.1	0.25
1910-Mr E. J. Wutt's Bridge, 7.10	0.23

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Bottle and Bronse were scratched for the Welcome Sutkes, and seven two-years went out. Orton and Rose Red were the only ones that had not raced, and the former, of course, was bracketed with feirence. On the strength of Peirenc's greak successes at Hastings and Weilington, the bracket was made a very hot favourite, Culprit and Miscomnt being the next fancies. Culprit and made no bases about her task, the daughter of Culroy Junning her race out well enough to bear young her race out well enough to bear Junning her race out well enough to bear Junning her race out well enough to bear Junning her race out well enough to bear work of the course of the seventeer of the same of the first of two faster.

Only three of the seventeen refused to wetch out for the Laddes' Purse, which was a good betting race. Mr. Greenwood provided auother favourite—Acrostic, a half-brother to Solution. Kilts, who has been doing remarkably good track work, Martine, Claumena, and Basyland were the next fancies. Acrostic was never dangerous, but Kilts led all the way, beating Martine, a well-bred filly, by Martian—Gipsy Maki, handsomely.

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All the twenty acceptors went out for the big sprint race—the Stewards' Handicap—and they made a reunricably fine field. As was capetically be stable, was made a hot as the second carrying stable, was made a hot as the second couries. Boults, and next in order came Formby, Bliss, My Lavyer, Perle d'Or, and Maori King. The race was by no means assentional, Equitas and Obsono, one of the outsiders of the field, being in front all the way, and flushing in that order. Bliss was well clear of Maori King and Gipsy Belle, while Kohlnoor just beat the Auckland representative, Wauchope, who has a decent race. The time was fast, and the winner carried just the same weight as Penates when he put up a Peccord for the race two years ago. The favourite was never prominent.

* * * AUSTRALIAN RACING.

V.R.C. SPRING MEETING.

MELBOURNE, November 1.

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This year's Melbourne Cup meeting will long remain memorable in the annals of the Victoria Racing Cibb. It was fitting the office victoria Racing Cibb. It was fitting the notion of the club; the week of the victoria Racing Cibb. It was fitting the notion of the club; Jubilee Cup the control of the club; Jubilee Racing and Tasmania, and thousands upon thousands came by train to the metropolis. Early in the morning it looked as if there was going to be some rain, but by 10 o'clock the threatening clouds had all passed away, and in their place was a perfectly blue sky, a gentle breeze helping to make things pleasant. It is difficult to say exactly how many people were present in the grandstand and saddling paddock there was hardly room to move about, while to make one's way through the hetting ring was a task that took some patience. The hill was, perhaps, the most crowded part of the ground, and, looking up at it from the lawn, one wondered how the people managed to move about. On the lawns were to be seen representatives from every part of Australasia, New Zealand adding its quota to the assemblage.

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In the vice-regal box were Lord and Lady Budley, the Governor of Victoria and Lady Budley, the Governor of Your Australia and Lady Bosanquet, and admiral and Lady Poore and their staffs. More than usual interest was taken in the racing. The extraordinary reversals of form and perversity among the three-year-olds at Randwick and Cautfield left even the best judges haffed. The performances of Comedy King, Tenanni, Alawa, Parsee, and especially the New Zealand mare Artilletic's extraordinary run in the thurseld Cup, left the public in a state of perpendictly. The only really consistent performer was Trafaight, who held a firm place in public favour, while another New Zealander, Lady Lucy, had bosts of admirers.

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When the horses went to the post for the big event every point of vantage was occupied, and thousands saw nothing until the horses were diabling. Comedy King slways had a good place, and put in fast work at the right line. Alawa galloped better than on any previous occasion, and at one time was proclaimed the winner. There was intense excitement when Tralight came at Comedy King, who, contesting stride for stride along the straight, just managed to was. Artillerie was again disappointing, running all the way in the rock in company with Lady Lucy.

The following are the details of the rading:—

THE CUP HURDLE RACE, of 300sovs.

Two miles. J. S. Collins' b g Kahibinokka. aged, by
Booroomooka—Nirvana, 10.12

D. O'Brien and T. J. Loughiu's King's
Ransom, 10.9

Z. Wilson's Black Native, 9.7

Sixteen started,
Won by a head. Hencymoon fell. Time,
8.432.

THE NURSERY HANDICAP, of 800sors.
Five furboage and a-half.
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THE MRLBOURNE CUP, of 5000-ors and a trophy value 100sovs, second horse 1200sovs, and the third 600sovs out of the stake. Two miles.

6. Green's bik or br b Comedy King, 4yrs, by Persimmon—Tragedy Queen, 7.11 (W. H. McLachian).

THE CUP STEEPLECHASE, of 300sors.

Degree.
Won easily by three lengths. Time, 4.13.

THE YAN YEAN STAKES, of 300sovs.

F. C. Capel's br m Houx, 5yrs, by Grafton-Vanliy, 8.5
T. Hannan's Lager, 7.13
J. Whitworth's Chauvella, 6.9
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Sixteen started. Won by a length and a guarter.

THIRD DAY'S RACING.

MELBOURNE, November 3,
The V.R.C, spring reunion was advanced enother stage this afternoon, and interest in the sport was fully sustained, though the racing was characterised by small fields.
The withdrawal of Comedy King and Atawa from the Limithgow Stakes sapped that event of a large amount of interest. The Derby winner, Beverage, asserted his superiority over the field.
Details of the racing are as follows:—

THE LINLIPTHOOW STAKES of 1000sovs.

One mile.

Smith's br c Beverage, 3yrs, by fallster—Wild Rose, 8.10 (including

he eventually ran home a length and a half in advance of Aborigine, who in turn was three-quarters of a length in front of Flavinius, Time, 1.443.

THE CARNIVAL HANDICAP of 5008018.

J. Lynch's h Dhobl, 5yrs, by Hanfurly—Laundress, 7.13.

F. Poy's gr h Rewarra Ellys, 7.12.

John S. Brunton's ch m Maltins, 61.

Also ran: Conge d'Eelire, Kycadgerie, Carl Pone Chauselle. Also Pau: Couge & State Dour, Chauvella.

Won by three lengths. Time, 2.94.

THE OAKS STAKES of 500sovs. One mile and a half.

J. Siely's br f Siyria, by Hassi Brion—Trieste 1

T. Hannab's ch f Lagor 2

J. Moore's b or br f Moorilla 2

Also ran: Sine Gem.

Won by two and 2-half lengths. Time, 2-434.

print, Won easily by one and a quarter lengths. Time, 2.303.

CONCLUDING DAY'S RACING.

MELBOURNII, Nevember 5.

MELBOURNE, Nevember 5.
The V.R.C. brought their Spring Meeting to a conclusion at Flemington to-day. Continuous rain had fullen for several days, but the weather cleared up, and the concluding day's racing of the carnival was got through in bright sunshine. There was a spiendid attendance.

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through in bright sunshine. There was no spiendid attendance.

The Cup winner, Comedy King, was withdrawn from the C. B. Fisher Plate, which brought out a field of fire. Victory rested with Alawa, and as it marked the third successive who of the son of Mainter in the weight-for-age race, there was a display of enthusiasm when the horse came back to the enclosure.

SPRING HANDICAP of 300sovs, for three-year-olds. 14 wiles.

J. Selly's br fl Styris, by Hant Braiss—Treate

T. Wilson's b c Panaus

2. C. La McDonald's b c Golden Point. 8

FLEMINGTON STAKES of 300 ors, for two year-olds live furlongs.

J. Turnbull's br f St. Abbs, by Challenger—Fishery

J. V. Smith's cb f Orvieto (late Orsova) 2
F. Merton's b f Venera 3

C. B. FISHER PLATE of 500sovs, weightfor-age, One mile and a haif.
Mr Gordon's b or br b Almay, 5yrs, by
Mulster — Crossfire, 8.4

1 and W. Mitchell's ch b Trafelgar,
5yrs, 8.4

W. Kelso's ch b Sou of the Marsh, aged,
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VICTORIA STEEPLECHASE of 500savs.
About thre emiles.

E. Manifold's ch g Squtrm, by Coil—
Cretoane 1
P. F. Clements' Seymour 2
A. Skirving's Nigel 3

AUCKLAND RACING CLUB.

SPRING MEETING

To be held at Ellerslie, November 5, 9, 12,

Second Day, Wednesday 9th-KING EDWARD MEMORIAL HANDI-CAP, 500sovs. ONEHUNGA STEEPLECHASE, 200 ETC.

Third Day, Saturday 12th-HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE, 100hovs. ASCOT HANDICAP, 32580vs.

ADMISSION TO COURSE, ONE SHILLING To Grandstand: Gentlemen, 10/; Ladles, 5/.

Ladies' Tickets will be on sale at . Messrs. Wildman and Arey's.

Unificensed Beckmakers and Clerks, Disqualised Persons, and Undesirables will not be admitted, and are warned accordingly. Disqualised Persons are reminded that by entering the Course their term of disqualification is increased by one third of the original term, and they form a fine of not less than 25 for every such entry (Rule 8, Part xaxiki, Rules of Rucing).

Children under 12 will not be admitted to the Grandstand Enclosure.

J. F. HARTLAND.