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### RACING PROGRAMMES



#### AUCKLAND RACING CLUB.

SUMMER MEETING, 1895-96.

#### THE ROYAL STAKES

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Should there not be twenty-five horses left in on first Friday in September, 1895, the committee reserve the right to reduce the stake.


All horses remaining in after the first Friday in December, 1895, must pay their total entrance of 10 sovs by 12 noon the day before the race.

Should there be any surplus arising from the subscriptions it will be given to the race.

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By HURDLER.

#### FOOTBALL CONTESTS.

June 23.

SENIORS.  
Parnell v. North Shore  
City v. Grafton  
Ponsonby v. Newton

FIRST JUNIORS.  
Same as SENIORS

SECOND JUNIORS.  
Parnell v. Grafton B.  
City v. Newton  
Grafton A. v. Ponsonby

OTHER MATCHES.  
Rosebery v. Britomart (Surrey Hills)  
Terrace v. Beachcombers (Domain)

### Football.

THE all-absorbing topic of conversation with footballers during the whole of last week was the probable result of the Grafton-Parnell contest, which was confidently expected to furnish the most even and exciting district contest of the season. In this expectancy by far the greatest number of football enthusiasts who have so far this season attended Potter's found their way thither on Saturday last, and secured places on the grandstand or around the enclosure to witness the coming match. Everything indicated a keen struggle between the representatives of the two districts, and the absence of one of the present champion club's most prominent players (W. Elliot) caused the equality of the competing teams to appear still greater.

Thanks to the Referee's Association, little or no delay was experienced on Saturday in starting the various contests, for the appointed officers of the above institution were prepared to have gone on with the fixtures long even before several players from some of the teams had arrived on the ground. Now that the difficulty of the referee question has been apparently overcome no excuse remains for not starting the fixtures at the appointed time, and no team should imagine that its action will be viewed with disfavour either by footballers or the public in compelling the opposing team to kick off at three o'clock, even though the latter should not have its full team on the field. If players are given to understand that their team will incur a penalty by having to start play without the services of those who come late the latter will make it their duty to be at Epsom by three o'clock; but if it becomes a recognised system for one team to wait until the other has its full team the same want of punctuality which marked the opening matches of the season will continue. On Saturday several matches were delayed owing to the late arrival of different players.

Shortly after the official time for starting the oval was set in motion in the Parnell-Grafton match, which was played in front of the stand. The play during the first few minutes of the game was exceedingly fast, and certainly suggested that the expectations of all present were about to be realised. From a throw in the Parnell backs obtained possession of the ball, and by good passing got within a few yards of the Grafton line. The Grafton forwards almost immediately turned the tables by a combined rush which carried the oval well into Parnell territory, and ended in the latter team being compelled to force.

For the next twenty minutes the play was of a most uninteresting character, being chiefly confined to scrums and line-out work. Not even the semblance of a passing run, a rush, nor decent exchange of kicks between the backs occurred to relieve the monotony of the play. The patience of the spectators was being severely taxed, and their attention was gradually drawn to the fixture on No. 2