

Exhibition Cup Handicap (saddle or harness) of 200 sovs; second horse to receive 20 sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 6min 40sec or better. Winners after the declaration of handicaps may be re-handicapped. Nomination of 1 sov, owners' name only, to be made on or before the 30th September at 10 p.m.; a further payment of 1 sov each nomination to be made on the 25th November, when the name, sex, breeding, and performance must be given. Handicaps declared on the 3rd December, acceptance, 2 sovs, on the 16th December, and a final payment of 2 sovs at the post. Distance, two miles.

Pony Cup Handicap of 60 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile.

Electric Trot Handicap (saddle) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of any race, other than the Maiden Trot, after the declaration of the handicaps to receive a penalty of 5sec. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile.

Handicap Hurdles of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, one mile and a quarter, over five flights of hurdles.

Juvenile Stakes Trot (saddle or harness) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For three-year-olds. Winners at time of entry to receive a penalty of 5sec for each race won. Nomination, 1 sov, and a payment of 1 sov at the post. Distance, one mile.

Telephone Handicap of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. The winner of the Pony Cup to carry a penalty of 7lb extra. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, five furlongs.

December Handicap Trot (saddle) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of the Exhibition Cup or Electric Trot to carry a penalty of 7sec, or of both 10sec behind original start. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile and a half.

SECOND DAY—TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1898.

Glasgow Trot Handicap (harness) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptances, 1 sov. Distance, one and a half miles.

Second Handicap Hurdles of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one and a quarter miles.

Auckland Trotting Cup (saddle or harness) of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs; third horse 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2.53 or better to the mile. The winner of the Glasgow Trot to receive a penalty of 7 seconds behind its original start. Nomination, 2 sovs; acceptances, 2 sovs. Distance, two miles.

Christmas Handicap of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 4 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, six and a half furlongs.

Lightning Handicap (harness) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of the A.T. Cup or Glasgow Trot to receive a penalty of 7 seconds, or both 7 seconds behind its original start. Nominations 15s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile.

Handicap Steeplechase of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, about two and a half miles.

Class Trot Handicap (saddle or harness) of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2.50 or better to the mile. Winners may be re-handicapped. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 20s. Distance, one mile.

Epsom Handicap of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. The winner of the Christmas Handicap to carry a penalty of 7lbs extra. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, five furlongs.

Dash Handicap Trot (saddle) of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of any trotting race in saddle to receive a penalty of 5 seconds for each race won. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, 1 mile.

THIRD DAY—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Trial Trot Handicap (saddle or harness) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won an advertised trotting race exceeding 15 sovs in value at time of entry. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one and a half miles.

Second Maiden Pony Handicap of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 3 sovs from the stake. For all ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under, that have never won an advertised race exceeding 15 sovs in value at time of entry. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, five furlongs.

President's Handicap Trot (saddle or harness) of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, third horse 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2.53, or better to the mile. Nomination, 2 sovs; acceptance, 2 sovs. Distance, two miles.

New Year Handicap of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 in and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, six furlongs and a half.

Flying Harness Trot of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of the President's to receive a penalty of 5sec behind original start. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile.

Second Steeplechase Handicap of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 in and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, about two and a half miles.

Second Class Trot Handicap (saddle or harness) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2.50 or better to the mile. Winners after declaration of handicaps may be re-handicapped. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one and a half miles.

Grandstand Handicap of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. The winner of the New Year Handicap to carry a penalty of 7lbs extra. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, five furlongs.

Telegraph Trot Handicap (saddle) of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. The winner of any race, other than the Trial, to receive a penalty of 5 seconds for each race won. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile.

NOMINATIONS HANDICAPS, AND ACCEPTANCES FIRST PAYMENT Exhibition Cup, 1 sov, on FRIDAY, 30th September, at 10 p.m.

SECOND PAYMENT Exhibition Cup, 1 sov, on 25th NOVEMBER, at 10 p.m.

THIRD PAYMENT Exhibition Cup, 2 sovs, on 16th DECEMBER, at 10 p.m.

FINAL PAYMENT Exhibition Cup, 2 sovs, AT POST, 24th December.

GENERAL ENTRIES close on FRIDAY, 9th December, at 10 p.m.

HANDICAPS for Exhibition Cup to appear on 3rd DECEMBER.

HANDICAPS for the First Day's Races to appear on 12th DECEMBER.

HANDICAPS for the Second Day to appear on the 25th DECEMBER.

HANDICAPS for the Third Day to appear on the 28th DECEMBER.

ACCEPTANCES for the First Day's Races close on FRIDAY, 16th December, at 10 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for the Second Day's Races close on MONDAY, 28th December, at 10 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for the Third Day's Races close on THURSDAY, 29th December at 10 p.m.

Stakes paid less 5 per cent for expenses of course.

C. F. MARK, Secretary.

ROTORUA JOCKEY CLUB. ANNUAL RACE MEETING.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18TH, 1899.

Patron: W. H. Herries, Esq., M.H.R. President: R. D. Dansey, Esq. Vice-Presidents: R. H. Reaney, Esq., and Dr. Ginders. Judge: W. H. Herries, Esq., M.H.R. Starter: Mr. A. Munro. Clerk of Course: Mr. W. Dansey. Handicapper: Mr. W. Knight. Timekeeper: Mr. J. T. Winters. Hon. Treasurer: Mr. W. A. Boulton. Clerk of the Scales: Mr. James Stanley. Stewards: Messrs C. A. Clark, G. Steel, W. Henshaw, Joe Munro, A. Munro, J. T. Winters, John Falloon, W. Rogers, F. Samson, F. F. Watt, and H. Stewart. Hon. Secretary: Mr. Alfred Warbrick.

PROGRAMME.

Handicap Hurdles of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Over eight flights of hurdles 3ft 6in in height. Nomination, 12s 6d; acceptance, 15s. Distance, two miles.

Maiden Plate of 15 sovs; second horse to receive £2 10s out of stakes. For horses that have never won an advertised race exceeding £15 in value. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 7s 6d. Distance, one mile.

Pony Handicap of 15 sovs; second horse to receive £2 10s out of stakes. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches or under. Nomination, 6s; acceptance, 6s. Distance, six furlongs.

Rotorua Cup, a handicap of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Nomination, 20s; acceptance, 25s. Distance, one mile and a half.

Maori Hack Race of 6 sovs; second horse to receive 30s out of stakes. Horses to be the bona fide property of Maoris, and to be ridden by Maoris. Catch weights. Post entries. Entries, 6s. Distance, one mile.

District Hack Race of 12 sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs out of stakes. Horses must be the bona fide property of residents in the Thermal Springs district. Distance, one mile and a distance.

Flying Stakes of 15 sovs; second horse to receive 80s out of stakes. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 5s. Distance, seven furlongs.

Forced Handicap of 10 sovs; second horse to receive 30s out of stakes. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 5s. Distance, one mile.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS, AND ACCEPTANCES.

NOMINATIONS for all events—excepting Maori Hack and Forced Handicap, which are post entries—must be in the hands of the Secretary on THURSDAY, 5th January, at 10 p.m.

WEIGHTS will be declared on or about MONDAY, 9th January.

ACCEPTANCES, accompanied by the necessary fees, to be in the hands of the Secretary, at Rotorua, by SATURDAY, 14th January.

CONDITIONS.

In the event of a walk-over only half of the stakes will be paid.

No Nomination or Acceptance will be received on any pretence whatever after the day named, or without being accompanied by the necessary amount of cash. Attention is particularly called to this regulation.

All pedigrees and performances of horses, and colors of riders, to be sent with all entries.

Any jockey riding in other than the colors entered shall be fined 2 sovs.

All protests must be made in writing to the Secretary within 15 minutes after the race, accompanied by 2 sovs, which will be forfeited to the club should the protest be dismissed.

Should any dispute arise in any way connected with these races, the decision of the Stewards shall be accepted as final and conclusive, and every owner nominates subject to the above conditions.

Order of running subject to alteration.

ALFRED WARBRICK, Hon. Secretary.

[Passed this 4th day of December, 1898.—W. PERCIVAL, Secretary Auckland Racing Club.]



NORTHERN Wairoa RACING CLUB (Under N.A.R.A.)

SUMMER MEETING,

TO BE HELD AT

MANGAWHARE,

ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY, DECEMBER

26 AND 27, 1898, AND

HACK DAY, JANUARY 2, 1899.

NOMINATIONS for all races close with the Secretary at Dargaville, on MONDAY, 21st November, at 9 p.m. For programme see SPORTING REVIEW, October 13.

F. L. BEART, Secretary.

Dargaville.



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30TH, 1898.

AT SYLVIA PARK,

ANNUAL SALE OF THOROUGHBRED YEARLINGS.

THE undersigned have received instructions from MESSRS L. D. & N. A. NATHAN to sell at Sylvia Park on Friday, December 30th, at 3 o'clock, the following Yearlings:—

LOT 1.

CHESTNUT YEARLING FILLY, by St. Leger (imp.) out of Charente, by Nordenfeldt from La Dauphine, by The Dauphin from Brassolis, by Panic from Josephine, by Boiardo. This is a well grown Filly.

LOT 2.

CHESTNUT YEARLING COLT, by St. Hippo out of Maratea, by Nordenfeldt from Fishgirl, by Yattendon from Fanny Fisher, by Fisherman from Coquette. Fishgirl is the dam of Swordfish. This Colt is very stoutly bred, St Leger, Robinson Crusoe, Musket, Yattendon, and Fisherman running through his pedigree.

LOT 3.

CHESTNUT YEARLING FILLY, by St. Leger out of Bellona, by Nelson from Muskerina, by Musket from Hippona, by Hippocampus from Yatterina, by Yattendon. Bellona is full-brother to Man of War, a winner of several races on the West Coast of New Zealand. This Filly is well grown and on breeding lines is difficult to beat.

LOT 4.

BAY YEARLING FILLY, by St. Hippo out of Waitemata, by Firdispord from Aore, by Chester from Kaipara, by Goldsbrough from Maritana, by New Warrior from Menuaro, by Fisherman. Eiridale, a full-brother to Waitemata, a winner in Victoria. This is a well grown Filly, and should command the attention of breeders.

LOT 5.

BROWN YEARLING COLT, by St. Leger out of Sunbeam, by Ingomar from Amohia, by Towton out of Anticipation, by Ravensworth out of Coronaria. Amohia is dam of Tigrida, a Derby winner. Tigrida is dam of Tigress, the Wanganui Guineas winner. Sunbeam was herself a good performer. This Colt is very nicely bred, and should gallop fast, as all the family are racers.

LOT 6.

BROWN YEARLING FILLY, by St. Hippo out of Innisfail, by Nordenfeldt out of Innisthona, by Leonidas from Moilena, by Patriarch from Rosabella, by Panic. Fabulist is half-brother to Innisfail. St. Innis, the half-sister to the above yearling, is a winner of races. This Filly is well grown, and is sure to come to hand early.

LOT 7.

BAY YEARLING FILLY, by St. Hippo out of Elleralie, by Trenton out of a daughter of First King—Lady Grenville, by Chandos from Lady Chester (imp.) by Stockwell. The breeding of this Filly cannot be surpassed: Trenton mares are eagerly sought after. This Filly is well grown and shows good paddock form.

LOT 8.

BAY YEARLING COLT, by Seaton Delaval out of Leocante, by Leolinus out of Cantiniere, by Musket from Queen Bee, by Nutwith out of the daughter of Riddlesworth. Woodstock, the half-brother to Leocante, won the March Handicap at Hawke's Bay, and the Napier Cup and City Stakes at Napier Park. All this family are gallopers. Seaton Delaval is the sire of Miss Delaval, Hastings, Rosella, all good gallopers. This is a very fine upstanding Colt, and is very difficult to fault.

LOT 9.

BROWN YEARLING FILLY, by St. Hippo out of Stepfeldt, by Nordenfeldt out of Steppe, by Saunterer from Seclusion, by Tadmor out of Miss Mellon, by Cow. Steppe is half-sister to Hermit, winner of the Derby. Stepfeldt herself won the Auckland Derby. Derby, full-brother to Stepfeldt, won the Canterbury Derby. She, the full-sister to Stepfeldt, is the dam of Bohadil. The breeding of this Filly cannot be surpassed in any part of the world. This yearling is brim full of quality and should come to hand early.

LOT 10.

CHESTNUT YEARLING COLT, by Seaton Delaval from Sybil, by Leolinus from Atlantis (imp.) by Thormanby out of Hurricane, by Wild Dayrell out of Media, by Sautari out of Marinella, by Southsayer, out of Bess. Sybil is full-sister to Fabulist and Leolinus, and half-sister to Happy Land, the dam of Hova. Fabulous is sire of Fabulist, winner of Auckland Guineas and Derby. This yearling Colt is well grown and shows a lot of quality. As all the Seaton Delavals have shown that they can gallop, there is every reason to believe that this yearling will follow suit. He is very fast in the paddock.

LOT 11.

BROWN YEARLING FILLY, by St. Hippo out of Liquidation, by King Cole out of Realisation, by Vespasian out of Hopeful Duchess, by The Flying Dutchman. Liquidation performed well. Wapiti, her full-brother held the record for N.Z. for one and a half miles for some years. Maxim, half-brother to Liquidation, was one of the best performers in Australasia. Hastings, half-brother to the yearling under offer, has proved that he can gallop fast. This yearling Filly is bred on very stout lines, and being well grown should command the attention of buyers.

LOT 12.

CHESTNUT YEARLING COLT, by St. Hippo out of Campania, by Robinson Crusoe out of Campanilla, by Marbyning from Silver Bell (sister to Chester), by Yattendon from Lady Chester (imp.) by Stockwell. Robinson Crusoe mares are noted for throwing winners. Notably, Hippona, dam of St Hippo, Miss Delaval, the half-sister to the above yearling, has an unbeaten record, having won the three principal two-year-old races up to date, against good fields. This Colt is well grown and should win races, as he is bred to go fast and stay.

HUNTER & NOLAN, Auctioneers.



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1899.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL SALE

OF THE

WELLINGTON PARK Thoroughbred Yearlings.

BRED BY AND THE PROPERTY OF MR THOMAS MORRIN, WELLINGTON PARK, AUCKLAND.

AT HALF-PAST ONE P.M., WITHOUT RESERVE,

BY

MESSRS HUNTER & NOLAN.

ON

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1899.

LOT 1.

CHESTNUT FILLY,

By Hotchkiss, dam St Mary, by imported St Leger from Weasel, by Anteros (imp.) This filly is descended from the great Musket and St Leger or Stockwell strains.

LOT 2.

BROWN FILLY,

By Cuirassier (full brother to Trenton), dam Yattaghan, by Nordenfeldt out of Yattacy, by Yattendon. This filly is very well grown, and has the double cross of Musket and Stockwell.

LOT 3.

BROWN COLT,

By Castor (imp.), dam Sunrise, by Ramarama from Awatea, by imported Ravensworth from imported Skybird, by Teddington. Awatea is the dam of Grip, winner of the Canterbury Cup and C.J.C. Handicap.

LOT 4.

BAY COLT,

By St Leger (imp.), dam Ladybird, by Carbineer (by Musket) from Winnie, the dam of St Simon and

Record Reign (both great winners). Ladybird was a winner of many races. This colt is nicely proportioned, and should keep up the family record.

LOT 5.

BAY FILLY,

By Cuirassier (own brother to Trenton), dam Valentina, by imported Leolinus from Lyra, by Patriarch (son of Yattendon) from imported Lyra, by Thormanby. This is an immense filly, and Musket on Yattendon and Stockwell blood should be winning blood.

LOT 6.

CHESTNUT FILLY,

By St Leger (imp.) out of Lady Evelyn, dam of St Evelyn and Hermosa. This filly is as perfect as she can be in conformation—a size larger than her celebrated sister, and an undoubted good one.

LOT 7.

CHESTNUT COLT,

By St Leger (imp.) out of Lady Emily, by Castor out of Lady Wellington, by Musket out of Cartridge's and Derringer's dam. This is a big, strong colt, with excellent feet and bone.

LOT 8.

CHESTNUT FILLY,

By Hotchkiss out of Wessel, by imported Anteros out of Zealandia, out of Tot Tot, by St Aubyn from the celebrated Waimea.

LOT 9.

BROWN COLT,

By St Leger (imp.), dam Bianca, by Black Eagle from Bessie, by Angler from Scraps, by Lord of the Hills out of Raggicker (sister to Sylvia), by Fisherman. Bianca's daughters—Lady Whitford, The Shrew, and Waiorongomai—have all won, and are all first-class performers.

LOT 10.

BAY FILLY,

By St Leger (imp.), dam Bangle, by Musket from imported Locket—dam of Necklace, Thunderbolt, Necklet, and Medallion. Bangle has produced Casket and Orion's Belt, who both proved themselves winners; the former won the Dunedin Cup, and finished second in the C.J.C. Derby and second in the Canterbury Cup. This filly is well grown, and has a great constitution.

LOT 11.

BAY COLT,

By Cuirassier, dam Ganza, by Castor from Gannet, by Anteros from Albatross. This is the first cross of Musket and Castor. This colt shows every indication of being fast.

LOT 12.

CHESTNUT FILLY,

By Hotchkiss, dam Rose of Wellington, by imported St Leger from Fleurette, by Robinson Crusoe from Rose of Denmark, by Stockwell. This filly is beautifully bred, and is own sister to those brilliant colts True Blue and Screw Gun (winner of Juvenile Stakes, beating a large field of two and three-year-olds).

LOT 13.

BROWN COLT,

By Hotchkiss, dam Queen Cole, by King Cole out of Rosalie, by Patriarch. This colt's dam is half-sister to Derringer, and the colt above-mentioned is own brother to Battleaxe, the quadruple winner at Waitara and Watley.

LOT 14.

GREY FILLY,

By Castor, dam Vivandiere, by Musket, and dam of Son of a Gun, Gallant, The Dancer, Three Star, Heavenly Twin, Tauhei, and Daytree—all winners.

LOT 15.

BAY COLT,

By St Leger, dam Hilda, by Musket out of Ouida, by Yattendon, and dam of Antares, winner of the Takapuna Cup, Sylvia Handicap, Victoria Handicap, Auckland Cup, Jockey Club Stakes, and numerous races over hurdles and on the flat. Fulmen, another of Hilda's sons, won the Kensington Stakes at Dunedin, and finished second, in the New Zealand Cup, to Trant d'Eau in record time. This is a beautiful colt, and well grown.

LOT 16.

BAY FILLY,

By St Leger, dam Brown Alice, by Nordenfeldt from Ouida, by Yattendon, and dam of Hilda, Balista, Strathmore, and Artillery—all winners. This filly is compact, has good legs and feet, and should race early.

LOT 17.

BAY COLT,

By St Leger, dam that sterling mare Eve, by Brigadier out of The Jilt, by Traducer out of imported Fleurance, by Consul. This is Eve's first foal, and he is promising and good-looking.

LOT 18.

CHESTNUT COLT,

By St Leger, dam Forme, by Nordenfeldt from Formo, by Sterlingworth out of imported Pulchra, by Rosicrucian out of the great English Formosa. Forme, the dam of this colt, was a great performer at all weights and distances. He is well grown, beautifully turned quarters, with sound, good legs and feet. Will not only race early, but will make a good three-year-old. Also, his granddam, Formo, is the dam of Uniform, Forma, and Multiform, all great performers.

LOT 19.

BAY FILLY,

By St Leger, dam Sapphire, by the Drummer (imp.) out of Amethyst, by Ambrose from Heroine of Lucknow, by Nutwith from Pochontas. This is a lovely filly, with perfect action. Her dam has produced Bluefire, Mannlicher, and St Conon, all winners.

LOT 20.

BAY COLT,

By St Leger, dam Ouida, by Yattendon, and dam of those good performers, Artillery, Hilda, Balista, Strath