

SECOND DAY.

THE AUSTRALIAN CUP, a handicap sweepstakes of 25sovs each, with 1000sovs added. The owner of the second horse to receive 200sovs, and the owner of the third 100sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Two miles and a-quarter.

Hon. A. Wynne's blk c Peru, 3yrs, by Grafton-Silvercoin, 7.10 (Hickey) 1 Mr. J. McLaurin's br h Tulkeroo, 3yrs, by Simmer-Myall Queen, 8.2 (Lewis) 2 Mr. G. G. Cumming's b g Enchanted States, aged, by Malvolio-The Enchantress, 6.9 (Butters) 3 Won by a length, with Enchanted States a length away third. Time, 4m, 0 3/4s.

THE BOURKE HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10sovs each, with 500sovs added. Seven furlongs.

Mr. J. E. Stanley's br h Bright Steel, 4yrs, by St. Simon-Glare, 7.7 1 Messrs. J. Lynch and S. Green's b f Verence, 3yrs, by Simmer-Meddalia, 10 2 Mr. J. Turnbull's blk h Ebullition, 4yrs, by Simmer-Carbelle 8.10 3 Also started: Scotland, Munjeet, Coroboree, Banzai, North Head, True Scot, Grenadier, Red Streak, Little Toy, Decollette, Knox, Master Foote, Akim Foo, Duskay Morn, Curtain Lecture. Won by a head, with Verence a neck in advance of Ebullition. Time, 1m, 27 3/4s.

THE PAKAPURA B.C. ANNUAL MEETING.

This popular function was held in fine weather, the attendance being good. The results were:-

MAIDEN PLATE of 15 sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs from the stake. Six furlongs.

Mr. Wm. Scott's b g Explosive, 4yrs, by Explosion-Nellie, 8st (Gray) 1 Mr. F. Stenning's b f Epsom Lass, 3yrs, 8st 7lb (Greenwood) 2 Mr. R. Ash's br g Three Kings, 6yrs, (Deeley) 3 Also started: Sir Rupert, 9st (Buchanan); Lady Dot, 8st 11lb (Griffin); Ngapuka, 6st 6lb (Whittaker); Wairuhe, 8st 5lb (Barr); St. Louis, 8st 3lb (Seats); Putaruru, 8st (McLeod); Waitangi, 8st (Killick); Armagh, 8st (Ryan).

Won by three-quarters of a length. Time, 1m 20s.

FLYING HANDICAP of 20sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs from the stake. Five furlongs.

Mr. W. G. Irwin's b g Lochbuhie, 4yrs, by Cyrenian-Sappho, 9st (Deeley) 1 Mr. P. J. Peterson's br m Waihou, 5yrs, 8st (Ackroyd) 2 Mr. F. D. Parson's b g San Paulo, 7st 8lb (Scott) 3 Won by a length. Time, 1m 4s.

PAPAKURA CUP HANDICAP of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. One mile.

Mr. R. McMiken's b g Le Beau, aged, by Leolantis-Belle, 7st 12lb, (Ryan) 1 Mr. Clifford Hendry's b g Landlock, aged, 8st 3lb (Hickton) 2 Mr. T. Cunningham's br m Lucrece, 6yrs, 8st 12lb (Gray) 3 Also started: Lord Seaton, 8st 7lb (Pell); Cyretus, 6st 12lb (Deeley). Won by a length. Time, 1m 4 1/2s.

HACK RACE of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs from the stake. Four furlongs.

Mr. C. Wallace's br g Ngapuka, 3yrs, by Soult-Paulina, 7st 2lb (Whittaker) 1 Mr. A. Townsend's b g Flint Island, 4yrs, 7st (Conquest) 2 Mr. F. P. Selby's b g Tui Kitua, aged, 7st 2lb (Greenwood) 3 Also started: Lucio, 9st 5lb (Gray); Engraver, 8st 3lb (Ryan); Confide, 8st (Barr); San Paulo, 7st 11lb (Scott). Won by half a length. Time, 50 1/2s.

RAILWAY HANDICAP of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs from the stake. Six furlongs.

Mr. W. G. Irwin's b g Lochbuhie, 4yrs, by Cyrenian-Sappho, 8st 9lb, including 7lb penalty (Deeley) 1 Mr. F. Stenning's b f Epsom Lass, 3yrs, 6st 10lb (Greenwood) 2 Mr. Clifford Hendry's b g Landlock, aged, 8st 4lb (Hickton) 3 Won by half a length. Time, 1m 18 1/2s.

WELTER HANDICAP of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 2sovs from the stake. Seven furlongs.

Mr. R. Thorpe's ch m Sonoma, aged, by Seaton Delaiv-Maratea, 8st (Ryan) 1 Mr. J. Townsend's br h Philosopher, 5yrs, 9st (Griffin) 2 Mr. J. H. Howe's blk g Cyrettus, 5yrs, 8st 2lb (Buchanan) 3 Also started: Kapakapa, 8st (Gray). Won by a length. Time, 1m 34 1/2s.

OHAUPO RACES.

The Ohaupo Meeting took place on Wednesday, when the attendance was good. The following were the results:-

HANDICAP HURDLES.—Mr. S. Darragh's Tarakihī 1, Good Faith 2, Hillflower 3. Also started: Reckless and Myra. Won by two lengths.

GLENGARIFF HANDICAP.—Mr. S. Williams' Manapouri 1, Tui 2, Rotoiti 3. Also started: Tera. Won by half a length.

FIRST HANDICAP TROT.—Mr. E. E. Gooseman's Plaintiff 1, Bogy 2, Mark Scott 3. Also started: Kirikiriroa, Rogue, Carboic, and Major Election. Won easily.

OHAUPO CUP.—Mr. W. Gall's Lord Seaton 1, Sweet Alice 2, Le Beau 3. These were the only starters. Won easily by two lengths.

MAIDEN HANDICAP.—Mr. F. P. Selby's Tui Kitua 1, Nulla Nulla 2, Goldsmith 3. Also started: Pukekohe. Won by a length.

SECOND HANDICAP TROT.—Mr. H. Gladding's Robex 1, Plaintiff 2, Bogy 3. Also started: Kirikiriroa, Agnes B., Major Election, Verbeen, and Orakei. Robex won easily.

FLYING HANDICAP.—Mr. P. J. Peterson's Waihou 1, Rotoiti 2, Memo 3. Also started: Lady French. Won easily.

HACK RACE.—Mr. J. Gadge's King 1, Explosion-Nellie gelding 2, Liberty 3. Also started: Derringer. Won by a length.

MAUKU RACING CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING Will be held on the MAUKU RACECOURSE SATURDAY, MARCH 21st, 1908.

Patron: Mr. W. F. Massey, M.P. President: Mr. A. B. Barter, Vice-presidents: Messrs. J. Marshall, T. Watson, T. B. Bailey, J. Molloy, J. Graham, W. Howard, L. Zinzan, S. E. Pilgram, J. Finlay, J. McFayden. Judge: Mr. A. Robinson. Starter: Mr. C. O'Connor. Handicapper: Mr. F. W. Edwards. Clerk of Scales: Mr. W. T. Cotter. Clerk of Course: Mr. F. W. Kavanagh. Stewards: Messrs. T. A. Kemp, J. Muir, H. Irwin, W. Finlay, W. Howard, T. Watson, D. Pirani, E. C. Cuff. Committee Messrs. A. B. Barter, W. Howard, W. T. Cotter, T. Watson, T. A. Kemp, W. Finlay, F. W. Kavanagh. Treasurer: Mr. J. Boden.

PROGRAMME

(Approved by the A.R.C.)

- 1. HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 8 sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Over six flights of hurdles. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 4s. Distance, 1 1/2 miles.
2. MAIDEN HANDICAP of 6sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 2s. Distance, 6 furlongs.
3. MAUKU CUP HANDICAP of 15sovs; second horse to receive 2sovs out of stake. Nomination, 8s; acceptance, 7s. Distance, 1 mile.
4. FLYING HANDICAP of 8sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 4s. Distance, 4 furlongs.
5. HACK RACE HANDICAP of 8sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 4s. Distance, 6 furlongs.
6. PATUMAHOE HANDICAP of 9sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 4s. Distance, 5 furlongs.
7. WELTER HANDICAP of 6sovs; second horse to receive 1sov out of stake. Nomination, 8s; acceptance, 3s. Distance, 7 furlongs.

NOMINATIONS, ACCEPTANCES, ETC.

Nominations will close with the Secretary, and with Mr. F. D. Yonge, Durham-street East, at 9 p.m. on THURSDAY, March 5th, and must be accompanied by nomination fee, age, and pedigree of horses, and colours of riders.

Weights will appear in "Herald" about March 12th. Acceptances close with the Secretary, and with Mr. F. D. Yonge, Durham-street East, at 9 p.m. on FRIDAY, March 13th.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Winners after declaration of weights subject to be re-handicapped. All horses to be ridden in colours as entered. The decision of the Stewards to be final in all cases, and jockeys will be required to produce their certificate if necessary on weighing out. Bookmakers' Fee: One Guinea.

Coaches meet Trains, Course, 3 miles from Pukekohe Station. A Competent Farrier in Attendance.

F. E. SIMPSON, Secretary.

THAMES JOCKEY CLUB.

Registered under Auckland Racing Club and New Zealand Racing Conference.

AUTUMN MEETING, 1908.

SATURDAY, MARCH 21st.

PROGRAMME.

Officers.—President: Hon. Jas. McGowan, Vice-president: Mr. A. Burns. Treasurer: Mr. C. J. Winder. Judge: Dr. Barclay. Handicapper: Mr. R. Wynyard. Starter: Mr. E. Hankins. Clerk of Scales: Mr. W. Taylor. Clerk of Course: Mr. A. Bateman. Timekeeper: Mr. D. Twohill. Committee.—Chairman of Committee: Mr. A. Bruce, Mr. C. J. Winder, Mr. E. J. Milnes, Mr. A. Burns, Mr. W. Taylor, Mr. J. Loughlin, Mr. J. S. Hope, Mr. J. Inglis, Mr. G. E. Buckland, Mr. D. Stewart, Mr. J. Connolly, Mr. D. Twohill.

- 1. MAIDEN PLATE of 25sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Distance, six furlongs. For three-year-olds and upwards who have never won a race of the value of 25 sovs at the time of starting. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.
2. HURDLE RACE of 40sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Distance, one mile and three-quarters, over seven flights of hurdles. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 20s.
3. AUTUMN STAKES of 60sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs out of stakes. Distance, one mile and about 80 yards. Winner of Maiden Handicap to carry 5lb penalty. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 25s.
4. SHORTS HANDICAP of 30sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Distance, four furlongs. Winner of Maiden Handicap to carry 5lb penalty. Autumn Stakes 7lb. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
5. STEEPLECHASE of 50sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs out of stakes. Distance, about two miles and a-half. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 25s.
6. RAILWAY HANDICAP of 35sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Winner of Maiden Handicap and Shorts Handicap to carry 5lb penalty. Autumn Stakes 7lb. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
7. HACK RACE of 25sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Confined to horses from the districts of

Waikato, Piako, Ohinemuri, Bay of Plenty, Thames, and Coromandel, and that have been the bona-fide property of nominators two months previous to the day of nomination. Distance, five furlongs. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.

- 8. WELTER HANDICAP of 30sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stakes. Minimum weight, 8s 7lb. Distance, seven furlongs. Winner of Maiden Handicap, Shorts Handicap, and Railway Handicap to carry 5lb penalty. Autumn Stakes, 7lb penalty. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS, AND ACCEPTANCES.

Nominations will be received up to FRIDAY, 6th March, at 8 p.m. Weights will be declared on WEDNESDAY, 18th March, at 8 p.m. Acceptances will be received up to THURSDAY, 19th March, up to 8 p.m.

REGULATIONS.

All Stakes paid in full. Owners responsible for all penalties. Penalties not cumulative unless otherwise stated.

All entries to be sealed and addressed to the Secretary, P.O. Box No. 7, Thames, or to Mr. H. B. Massey, 10, High-street, Auckland. Entrance money must be enclosed with name, age, pedigree, name of owner, and colour of rider. Any jockey riding except in the colours entered will be fined one guinea.

All disputes, claims, protests, and objections arising out of the racing shall be decided by a majority of the stewards, or whoever they may appoint, and such decision on all points shall be final. In no case will tickets of admission be issued to trainers or jockeys unless on production of licenses to the Secretary.

The Rules of the Thames Jockey Club will be strictly adhered to.

WILLIAM H. POTTS, Secretary, Box 7, G.P.O.

OHINEMURI JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING.

To be held on the PAEROA RACECOURSE, On MONDAY AND TUESDAY, MARCH 16 AND 17, 1908.

PROGRAMME.

FIRST DAY.

- 1. SHORTS HANDICAP of 30sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Nomination, 7s, 6d.; acceptance, 12s, 6d. Distance, four furlongs.
2. HANDICAP HURDLES of 40 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Over eight flights of hurdles. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 11s. Distance, two miles.
3. NETHERTON WELTER of 30 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Nomination, 7s, 6d.; acceptance, 12s, 6d. Distance, seven furlongs.
4. KARANGAHAKE HANDICAP of 30 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Nomination, 7s, 6d.; acceptance, 12s, 6d. Distance, five furlongs.
5. OHINEMURI CUP of 125 sovs.; second horse to receive 20 sovs. out of the stakes; third horse 5 sovs. Winner of any race of the value of 40 sovs, after weights have been declared to carry 7lb extra; of 100 sovs, 10lb extra. Nomination, 11s; acceptance, 12 10s. Distance, one and a-quarter miles.
6. KOMATA HANDICAP of 25 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. For all horses that have not won an advertised race of the value of 10 sovs. at the time of entry. Nomination, 7s, 6d.; acceptance, 10s. Distance, seven furlongs.
7. PAEROA STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs.; second horse to receive 10 sovs. out of the stakes. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 30s. Distance, about two and a-half miles.
8. ST. PATRICK'S HANDICAP of 40 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Winner of the Karangahake Handicap, Shorts Handicap, or Ohinemuri Cup to carry a penalty of 7lb; or of two, 10lb extra. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 11s. Distance, six furlongs.

SECOND DAY.

- 1. WAITEKAURI PLATE of 35 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 15s. Distance, five furlongs.
2. WAIKINO WELTER of 35 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. Winner of any flat race after the weights are declared to carry a penalty of 5lb. Lowest weight, 7st 7lb. Distance, seven furlongs.

3. DISTRICT HANDICAP HURDLES of 40 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 11s. Distance, one and three-quarter miles.

4. FLYING HANDICAP of 30 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 10s. Distance, four furlongs.

5. PAEROA HANDICAP of 80 sovs.; second horse to receive 10 sovs. out of the stakes. Winner of Waitekauri Plate to carry a penalty of 7lb. Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 30s. Distance, one mile.

6. HIKUTAIA HANDICAP of 25 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. For all horses that have not won an advertised race of the value of 10 sovs. at time of entry. Nomination, 7s, 6d.; acceptance, 10s. Distance, six furlongs.

7. TALLY-HO STEEPLECHASE of 55 sovs.; second horse to receive 10 sovs. out of the stakes. Nomination, 15s.; acceptance, 25s. Distance, about three miles.

8. FINAL HANDICAP of 40 sovs.; second horse to receive 5 sovs. out of the stakes. Winner of the Waitekauri Plate or Paeroa Handicap to carry a penalty of 7lb extra (or both, 10lb. extra). Nomination, 10s.; acceptance, 20s. Distance, six furlongs.

NOMINATION, WEIGHTS, AND ACCEPTANCES.

1. Nominations for all events close at 9 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 21st day of February, 1908.

2. Weights will appear for First Day's Races on or about MONDAY, the 9th day of March, 1908.

3. Acceptances for all events First Day's Races close at 9 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 12th day of March, 1908.

4. Weights for all events of Second Day's Races will be declared at 8 p.m. on the evening of First Day's Races. Acceptances close at 9 p.m. on the same evening.

H. POLAND, Secretary, Paeroa.

AVONDALE JOCKEY CLUB.

President: John Bolland, Esq., M.H.R. Vice-president: A. M. Myers, Esq. Judge: John Bolland, Esq., M.H.R. Stewards: Messrs. M. Foley (chairman), John Bolland, M.H.R., Robert Duder, Donald McLeod, Chas. Grey, Jos. May, J. W. Russell, A. Davis, C. S. H. McKinney, Dr. Sharman. Starter: Mr. C. O'Connor. Handicapper: Mr. Robt. Wynyard. Treasurer: Mr. A. Davis. Clerk of Course: Mr. A. Selby. Clerk of Scales: Mr. F. W. Marks. Hon. Vets: Messrs E. D. Halstead and Chas. Halstead. Secretary: Mr. H. H. Hayr.

AUTUMN MEETING.

(Passed by the Metropolitan Club).

FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1908.

MAIDEN PLATE HANDICAP of 60 sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stake. For all horses that have not won an advertised flat race exceeding 50sovs in value, or races of the collective value of 200sovs at time of starting. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, six furlongs.

HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 80sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs out of stake. Over eight flights of hurdles. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, two miles.

OAKLEY HANDICAP of 60sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, five furlongs.

JUVENILE HANDICAP of 70sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs out of stake. For two-year-olds. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, five furlongs.

AVONDALE HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of stake. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 5lb extra. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 3sovs. Distance, one mile and a-quarter.

FIRST PONY HANDICAP of 50sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of stake. For all ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, five furlongs.

CHEVALIER HANDICAP of 60sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs out of the stake. For all horses that have not won an advertised flat race exceeding 50sovs in value, or races of the collective value of 200sovs at time of starting. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, four furlongs.

RAILWAY HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5sovs out of stake. Win-

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A. E. EAGLETON Secretary.