

C.J.C. SPRING MEETING.

NOVEMBER 3, 5, 7, AND 10.

SPRING HURDLE RACE; two miles.

	at lb	st lb
Record Baign	13 13	10 10
Cavaliero	12 11	9 13
Torpina	11 10	8 10
Hex	11 4	9 9
Roller	10 11	9 2

RICCARTON WELTER HANDICAP, six furlongs.

	at lb	st lb
Ben Farley	10 4	9 0
Cora Lian	10 8	9 0
Ostak	10 2	9 0
The Spinner	9 18	9 0
Spider	9 13	9 0
Cannie Chiel	9 11	9 0
Proposal	9 9	8 8
Vanilla	9 8	8 7
Hermosa	9 6	8 6
Donovan	9 7	8 6
Cherrystone	9 5	8 5
Susannah	9 5	8 0
Lumene	9 8	8 0
First Blood	9 2	8 0
Faphos	9 2	8 0

LADIES' PURSE; one and a-half miles.

	at lb	st lb
Straithnairn	13 7	10 9
Cavaliero	13 5	10 9
Camco	12 7	10 7
Haria	12 0	10 7
Cadet	11 7	10 7
Ether	11 3	10 7
Khaki	11 0	10 0
Long Tom	10 12	10 0



Photo by A. L. Cleave, Ellerslie.

FAR FROM THE MADDING CROWD.
ADAM BYERS and PETER CHAFFE in the Early Morning at Ellerslie.

Turf Records.

POVERTY BAY TURF CLUB'S SPRING MEETING.

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25.

Fine weather was experienced, and there was a very good attendance. The results are as follows:—

TRIAL HANDICAP; six furlongs.

18 Mr A. B. Newman's Llangollan, aged, 8.0, Griffiths	1
Mr F. Keating's Perseverance, 9.7, Mitchell	2
Mr F. Jones' Miss Shot, 8.5, Jones	3
Other starters: Ngapoti, 8.0; Rena, 8.0.	
Won easily. Time, 1min 22 1-5th sec. Dividend, £12 3s.	

FIRST HURDLES HANDICAP; one mile and three-quarters.

70 Mr W. A. Hood's Evening Wonder, 11.13, Williams	1
Mr F. Rhodes' Cronje, 9.7, Mitchell	2

Mr W. Currie's Hairtrigger, 10.13, Maher	3
Only starters.	
Won comfortably by half a length. Time, 3min 36 1-2 sec. Dividend, £2 9s.	

GRANDSTAND HANDICAP, of 20 sovs; five furlongs.	
Mr B. Steggall's Ahititi, 8.7, Ready	1
Mr J. H. Ma tin's Killarney, 8.7, Cudd	2
Mr C. Sutt's Ormonde, 7.0, Satman	3
Only starters.	
Won in a canter. Dividend, £1 6s.	

SPRING HANDICAP, of 60 sovs; one mile and a-quarter.	
38 Mr W. Gault's Argyll, 5yrs, 7.8, Satman	1
51 Mr G. Smith's Canopus, 6yrs, 7.10, Cudd	2
139 Mr R. Te Hianga's Whitiara, aged, 9.4, Donovan	3
Other starters: 88 Wilson, 8.7; 76 En Hakkore, 7.13.	
Won by a length. Time, 2min 19 1-5th sec. Dividend, £9 5s.	

FIRST WELTER HANDICAP, of 20 sovs; seven furlongs.	
Mr A. B. Newman's Llangollan, aged, 7.12, Griffiths	1
Mr D. Hepburn's Lady Raven, 5yrs, 8.7, Ready	2
Mr F. Keating's Perseverance, 9.5, Mitchell	3
Only starters.	
Won easily by three lengths. Time, 1min 36sec. Dividend £5 5s.	

MAIDEN SCURRY.

Mr F. Jones' Miss Shot	1
Mr B. H. Skipwith's Prattle	2
Mr F. Loombe's Rosina	3
Dividend, £5 10s.	

FLYING HANDICAP; six furlongs.

41 Mr G. Smith's Canopus, 6yrs, 7.10, Cudd	1
50 Mr Simpson's Wilson, 6yrs, 8.7, Wright	2
117 Mr R. T. Hianga's Whitiara, aged, 9.7, Donovan	3
Other starter: 184 Argyll, 7.12. En Hakkore, Telephone, and Miss Shot were scratched.	

FLAT HANDICAP; one mile.

Mr D. Thompson's Pinepinetekura	1
Recruit	2
Time, 1min 52sec. Dividend, £1 13s.	

SECOND DAY, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26.

The weather was fine for the concluding day of the Poverty Bay Turf Club's Spring Meeting, and the attendance good. The sum of £2145 passed through the machine, making a total of £3806 for the Meeting. The following are the results:—

SECOND WELTER HANDICAP; one mile.

Mr D. Hepburn's Lady Raven, 5yrs, 8.7, Ready	1
Mr F. Keating's Perseverance, 5yrs, 7.11, Mitchell	2
Only starters.	
Won easily by three lengths. Time, 1min 55 2-5th sec. Dividend, £1 17s.	

SECOND HURDLES HANDICAP; one mile and a-half.

Mr A. Hood's Evening Wonder, 12.5, Williams	1
Mr F. Rhodes' Cronje, Mitchell	2
Mr W. Currie's Hairtrigger, 9.13, Maher	3
Only starters.	
Won comfortably by a length. Time, 3min 5 1-2 sec. Dividend, £1 18s.	

SELLING RACE HANDICAP; seven furlongs.

Mr J. H. Martin's Killarney, by Kalo, 7.8, Cudd	1
Mr B. Steggall's Ahititi, 9.2, Banks	2
Only starters.	
Won by a neck. Time, 1min 38 4-5th sec. Dividend, £1 19s.	

MAKARAKA HANDICAP; one mile.

Mr T. T. Hianga's Whitiara, aged, 9.4, Donovan	1
Mr G. Smith's Canopus, 6yrs, 8.4, Banks	2
Mr W. Gault's Argyll, 5yrs, 8.7, Griffiths	3
Other starters:—Wilson, 8.4; En Hakkore, 7.3; and Recruit	
Won by half a length. Time, 1min 49 4-5th sec. Dividend, £4 8s	

SECOND FLAT RACE HANDICAP; six furlongs.

Mr F. Jones' Miss Shot, 6.12, Jones	1
Mr D. Hepburn's Lady Raven, 7.6, Ready	2
Mr B. Steggall's Ahititi, 8.0, Banks	3
Only starters.	
Won by a nose. Time, 1min 22sec. Dividend, £1 13s.	

HURRY SCURRY; six furlongs.

Mr A. B. Newman's Vathek, 8.5, Griffiths	1
Mr D. Gaivey's Ivan, 7.7, Jones	2
Mr F. Loombe's Rosina, Cudd	3
Only starters.	
Won by ten lengths. Dividend, £2.	

WAIKANAE HANDICAP.

Mr Te Hianga's Whitiara, aged, 9.5, Donovan	1
Mr W. Gault's Argyll, 8.8, Griffiths	2
Mr Watson's Strowan, 8.7, Jones	3
Other starters: Prattle, 6.7; Miss Shot, 6.7.	
Won by half a length. Time, 1min 6sec. Dividend, £1 17s.	

FAREWELL HANDICAP; seven furlongs.

Mr D. Thompson's Pinepinetekura, 7.8, Lindsay	1
Mr A. B. Newman's Vathek, 6.7, Satman	2
Other starters: Whitiara, 10.9; Wilson, 8.5; En Hakkore, 7.3; Recruit, 6.7.	
Won easily by three lengths. Time, 1min 33sec. Dividend, £2.	



TROTTING CALENDAR.

FIXTURES.

Nov 3, 7—Auckland Trotting Club's Spring Meeting
Nov 6, 9—New Zealand Metropolitan Trotting Club's Spring Meeting
Nov 2, 8—Plumpton Park Trotting Club's Spring Meeting
Nov 21, 23—Wellington Trotting Club's Spring Meeting
Dec 8, Wed; Sat 12—Otahuhu Trotting Club's Spring Meeting

NOMINATIONS.

Nov 16, Fri—Otahuhu T.C. Spring

HANDICAPS.

Nov 5, Mon—A.T.C. Spring Meeting
Nov 23, Fri—Otahuhu T.C. Spring
Dec 10, Mon—Otahuhu T.C. Spring

ACCEPTANCES.

Oct 27—Plumpton Park Trotting Club's Spring Meeting
Nov 5, Mon—A.T.C. Spring Meeting
Nov 30, Fri—Otahuhu T.C. Spring
Dec 11, Tues—Otahuhu T.C. Spring

The game sportsmen, N. W. Hubinger, who retired from the trotting horse business a year or two ago, is getting together some racing material that will undoubtedly carry his colors to the front again. He recently purchased for 10,000dol. Maury Pointer a full brother to Star Pointer, that is said to be a wonderful pacer. He has also become the owner of the green trotter Willard, by Dexter Prince, dam by Electioneer, second dam May, by Wildidle, son of imported Australian. Willard was bought by M. B. Smith at the Fagig Tipton Sale at Madison Square Garden last November for 270dol. Mr Smith sent the horse to trainer Dave McClary, who, after handling him six weeks pronounced him one of the fastest green trotters in the world. He has shown a mile in 2:19, last quarter in 31 1/2 seconds, and they say that is not the limit of his speed. Mr Smith recently priced Willard to Mr Hubinger at 2500dol., who completed the deal without a moment's delay (says the Breeder and Sportsman).

Axtell, the noted stallion that was sold several years ago to a syndicate composed of W. J. Gaus of Terre Haute, John W. Couley of Chicago, Bu id Doble, then of Chicago, and Fred Moran of Detroit for 105,000dol. is to be sold at the Madison Square Garden Horse Show sale in November. He was bred by O W. Williams at Independence, Ia., and foaled in 1886. He was sired by Williams L., dam Lou, by Mambrino Boy; grandam, Bird Mitchell, by Mambrino Royal, son of Mambrino Pilot. He made his record, 2:12, at Terre Haute in October, 1889, when he was a three year old.

Those connected with E. H. Harriman's stable of light harness horses at Goshen, emphatically deny the report that John R. Gentry, the great pacer, is permanently injured. The little red horse is now in his quarters at the Goshen track, and is being carefully nursed.

Messrs John Churton and Co. sold the privileges in connection with the Auckland Trotting Club's Spring Meeting, which will be held next Saturday and Wednesday. Mr J. Donovan, of the Aurora Hotel, Auckland, purchased the right to dispense liquor for £55, the cards were bought by Mr J. McCullough for £30, and the gates realised £50.



Photo by the Edwards Studio, Auckland.

MR HARRY LEGGETT,
Comedian and End Man, now at the City Hall.