DUNEDIN JOCKEY CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING. BEE WINS THE CUP.

The Dunedin Jockey Club's autumn meeting was opened on Wednesday in showery weather, the attendance being satisfactory, and some interesting racing was witnessed. The Cup field numbered a dozen, of which Rorke's Drift was favourite, with the Martian mare Bee better fancied than John Barley-corn and Snub. The race resulted in a decisive victory for Bee, who, capably handled, defeated Ringform, who was one of the outsiders, by three lengths, with Snub two lengths and a half away third. The totalisator returns showed a falling off of £3785 as compared with the opening day of the 1916 autumn fixture, the amount put through on Wednesday being £18,137, as against £21,922 last year.

AUTUMN HURDLE HANDICAP of

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ers.
2—F. Rutherford's b g Cast Iron,
by Castashore—Filint, aged, 11.8
(E. Redmond)
5—J. Thistleton's Peerless, 9.13 (F.

Randle).

Won by two lengths and a-half, four lengths between second and third.

Kilmeny was fourth. Time, 3min 22

GLADBROOK HANDICAP of 140sovs.
One mile.

2-D. H. Roberts' ch f Partisan, by
Glenapp -- Kriss. 3yrs, 8.4 (f.
Gray) Gray) W. T. Hazlett's Dorian, 8.5 (A.

ful. Time, 2min 365ec.

APPRENTICES' PLATE of 100sovs.
Six furlongs.
5—J. B. Reid's br g Kilkee, by Kilbroney—Latchet, 3yrs, 7.13 (G. T. Weller)
2—J. Shepherd's Lochella, 8.1 (T. Mussen)
3—H. G. Taylor's Sir Tarka, 8.1 (F. Gray)
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8 Polonius 8.1 (J. Lockett), 1 Pall Mall 8.1 (H. Were), 10 Lady Kyle 8.1 (H. C. Henwood), 9 Lady Superior 7.13 (A. E. Horn), 4 Swale 7.13 (R. C. Reed).
Won by a length, a similar distance between second and third. Time, 1min 18sec.

ald).
Won by half a length, a length between second and third. Golden King was fourth. Time, 1min 17 1-5sec.

STEWARDS' WELTER of 175sovs.
One mile.

1—J. Jackson's b m Briar Patch, by
Treadmill—Bonnie Brae, 6yrs,
9.3 (J. McClusky)

4—H. A. Knight's Comely, 9.8 (F.
H. Ellis)

—Mr. Ashmead's Jeannt, 89 (P.

H. Ellis)

7—Mr. Ashmead's Jeannot, 8.9 (P. J. Pine)

Also started: 6 Sedd-el-Bahr 10.5 (H. Lowe), 9 All Ready 9.8 (W. O'Hallooran), 2 Mohawk 8.11 (A. McKay), 3 Yes 8.9 (A. Oliver), 3 Ogier 8.5 (Hewitt, 5 Thaddeus 8.4 (A. H. Wilson), 10 Vocation 8.0 (N. Shore).

Won by a nose, a dead heat for second place, Sedd-el-Bahr was fourth. Time, 1min 45sec.

BERWICK HANDICAP of 130sovs.

Seven furlongs.

J. Ellis' b h Benefit, by Boniform—Invicta, 5yrs, 8.1 (R. H. Ellis)

Olsen)

2—J. A. White's Placid, 8.9 (A. Mc-Kay)

Also started: 7 Kilbrogan 8.12 (W. O'Halloran), 6 Bore 8.7 (F. Ellis), 10 Highfield 8.5 (N. Shore), 5 Ian Hamilton 8.3 (L. Wilson) 2 Hot Air 8.3 (H. Lowe) 8 Sylva 8.0 (H. Donovan).

Kilbrogan was left at the barrier.

Won by three lengths, half a length between second and third. Time, Imin 32 3-5sec.

SECOND DAY.

MARSA WINS BIG HANDICAP.

The meeting was continued on Friday in fine weather, and in the presence of a splendid attendance. The racing was of a high standard, some excellent finishes being witnessed. The totalisator returns amounted to £15,920 los., as against £14,717 on the second day of last year. The results were:—

fourth. Time, 1min 30 2-5sec.

ANNIVERSARY HANDICAP of 350 sovs. One mile.

5—D. P. Wilson's (junr.) br m Marsa, by Martian—Nantes, 5 yrs, 6.13 (A. H. Wilson) 1 2—Margerine, 7.12 (A. Ruthven) 2 7—Comely, 7.1 (F. Gray) 3 Also started: 1 Oxenhope 9.8 (F. E. Jones), 6 Rorke's Drift 9.1 (W. Robinson), 3 Miss Deval 8.6 (J. Olsen), 4 Ardenvhor 8.5 (H. Young), and Sedd-el-Bahr 7.9 (F. Anderton) bracketed, 8 Honesty 6.7 (R. C. Reed).

Won by a head, a similar distance between second and third. Miss Deval was fourth. Time, 1min 41 4-5sec.

HAZLETT MEMORIAL PLATE of 300

Woore).
Won by a length, a head between second and third. Ascalaphus was fourth. Time, 1min 17sec.

DOMAIN HANDICAP of 200sovs. Six furlongs.
W. Rutherford's b m Samisen,
y Birkenhead—Guitar, 4yrs (J.

Won by three-quarters of a length, a similar distance between second and third. Plymouth was fourth. Time, 1min 43sec.

CONCLUDING DAY.

ADJUTANT WINS JOCKEY CLUB HANDICAP.

The meeting was brought to a close on Saturday in showery weather, but, nevertheless, the attendance was well up to apticipations. The totalisator handled £22.472 10s., as against £24,049 10s. last year making a total for the meeting of £56,530, as compared with £60,688 10s. for the 1916 autumn meet-

ing, a decrease of £4157 10s. The re-

FLYING HANDICAP of 250sovs.

15 4-5sec.

Won by three lengths, two lengths between second and third. Time, 2min, 2-5sec.

ABBOTSFORD WELTER of 175sovs.

7.7.
The third horse was three lengths behind the dead-heaters. Time, 1min

WAIHOLA HANDICAP of 120sovs. Six furlongs, 5-W. Crossan's The White Knight,

WINGATUI HANDICAP of 200sovs.

One mile, 1—Sir Geo. Clifford's Brambletye, 7.9

HAMILTON RACING CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

This meeting opened in warm and bright weather. There was a large attendance, and £20,680 was handled at the totalisator, as against £14,948 last year. The results were:—

arrieu allow., 14 71.5lb dington Green 7.8, 12 Ditto carried 7.11, 11 Lady Winsome, 7.1, 8lb allow., 14 Kidderminster 7.6, 5 Sleepy Jack 7.1, 5lb allow., 19 Lady Iona carried 8.1, 16 Firespark carried 8.0, 17 Picador carried 7.11, 5 Marble Rose 7.6, 13 Opposition 7.6.

Won by a length and a-half, a length between second and third. Time, 1min 29 2-5sec.

CLAUDELANDS HANDICAP of 150

Won by two lengths, a length and a-half between second and third. Time, 1min 3sec. TAMAHERE STAKES of 130sovs.

Also started: 3 Empire 8.7, 8 Stradelia 7.9, 5 Pearl d'Mont 7.0, 6 Woody Glen 7.0, 7 Bellpeen 7.0.

Won by two lengths and a-half, six lengths separating second and third.

Time, 1min 16 1-5sec.

Gluepot fell at the last hurdle, Won by two lengths, same between second and third. Time, 2min 53sec.

6.7.

Won by a nose, three lengths between second and third. Time, 1min 15sec.

CONCLUDING DAY.

Fine weather was again experienced on Saturday for the concluding day of the gathering, and the attendance reached high proportions. The sum of £26, 157 was handled on the machine,

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