

AUCKLAND RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

The following weights have been declared by Mr. F. J. Macmanemin for events to be run on the opening day of the Auckland Racing Club's autumn meeting, which is to be held on March 30 and April 1:—

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP of 350sovs. One mile and a-quarter.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Polydemon, Rebel, Seadown, Royal Irish, Glenopal, Cynic, Paraoa, Lady Penury, Melchikoff, Potentiality, Waiauta, Hendra, Glenspire.

ONSLOW HANDICAP of 200sovs. Five furlongs.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Hineamaru, Canzonet, Karo, Te Oro, Philomela, Miss Ellice, Taiaimai, Princ'pl Lady, King Abbey, Comedy Prince.

NELSON HANDICAP of 200sovs. One mile.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Cynic, Paddington, Green, Garryowen, Robur, Demotic, Mangahaoe, Blue Cross, Pierrot, Lady Energy, Step, Poi, Caballero, Pink Tie, Sleepy Jack, Wyeona, Woody Glen, Ali Talk, Master Regal, Revenue, Marble Star.

EDEN HANDICAP of 350sovs. Seven furlongs.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Bisogne, Glenroy, Cardrona, Kauri King, Rekanui, Colonel Soult, Stilts, Loyal Arch, Tressida, Lightning, Waiauta, Sir Ralph, Sheila, Glenspire, Fabriquette.

Acceptances for the above four handicaps, together with final payments for the Easter Handicap, Great Northern Champagne Stakes, Great Northern Oaks, Great Northern St. Leger Stakes close on Friday next (March 22) at 9 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES.

EASTER HANDICAP of 1000sovs. One mile.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Mullingar, Fionnuala, Impediment, Red Ribbon, Seadown, Uncle Ned, Gazique, Royal Irish, Colonel Soult, Vagabond.

BRIGHTON HURDLES of 350sovs. Two miles.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Arlington, Otter, Waimai, Gluetanus, Te Onga, Marconi, Styrax, Glendalough, Fisher.

AUTUMN STEEPLECHASE of 400sovs. Three miles.

Table with columns for horse names, st, lb, and jockey names. Includes Gluepot, Arlington, Otter, Te Onga, Marconi, Styrax.

HANDICAPS.

WAIPUKURAU JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Mr. J. E. Henrys has declared his handicaps for the Waipukurau Jockey Club's annual meeting, which is to be held on Easter Monday, and there is every prospect of the gathering proving the most successful in the club's history. All net profits of the meeting are to be donated to patriotic funds, so that the while-hearted efforts of the club's officials are deserving of the greatest encouragement. Acceptances for all events are due with the secretary, Mr. W. G. Nightingale, P.O. Box No. 118, Waipukurau, on Monday next (March 25) at 8 p.m. The handicaps are as follows:—

EASTER HANDICAP, once round.—Indigo 9.5, Perfidy 8.10, Tavistock 8.6, Bon Reve 7.12, Blackall 7.11, Pursefiller 7.11, Antwerp 7.10, Raumanuwhiri 7.9, Haumakaka 7.9, Vermillion 7.8, Maraetotara 7.7, Hylami 7.5, Mysteriarch 7.0, Whakahoki 6.11, Retard 6.7, Jem 6.7.

HACK HANDICAP, one mile and a-quarter.—Blackall 9.1, Wapping 8.9, Kahumanga 8.8, Whakahoki 8.3, Retard 7.13, Master Iney 7.13, Powder King 7.11, Torchlight 7.10, Sensitive 7.2, Te Araroa 7.0, Mania 7.0, True Gun 7.0, Imposter 7.0.

WAIPUKURAU HANDICAP, one mile and a-quarter.—Trials 9.4, Cleft 8.13,

Perfidy 8.11, Potentiality 8.4, Silver Tongue 8.3, Sarah Grand 7.13, Bon Reve 7.13, Pursefiller 7.12, Zeus 7.8, Antwerp 7.7, Mysteriarch 7.1, Whakahoki 6.12.

ORINGI HANDICAP, five furlongs.—Palm Oil 9.3, Chantry 8.10, Asterol 7.11, The Speaker 7.9, Pavilion 7.9, Bargorelle 7.9, Marula 7.9, Tigritiya 7.9, Lady Nina 7.9, Brown Aster 7.3, Doric 7.2.

LADIES' HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Zeus 12.3, Antwerp 12.3, Haumakaka 12.1, Mysteriarch 11.10, Jem 11.7, Idealism 11.6, Hurakia 11.5, Kirkby 10.12, Sabrenui 10.11, Sensitive 10.9, Te Araroa 10.8, True Gun 10.8, Belgian Girl 10.8, Fornick 10.7, Tarn 10.7.

HATUMA HANDICAP, five furlongs.—Humorist 9.0, Birkenetta 8.11, Queen Lizzie 8.11, Wapping 8.10, Kahumanga 8.8, Marenga 8.6, Gold Shot 8.4, Powder King 7.13, Crosswords 7.12, Pao 7.11, Janitor 7.10, Orawia 7.9, Formline 7.9, Contand 7.0, Remote 7.0, Copyright 7.0, Murutchaka 7.0.

FLYING HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Crowhurst 9.9, Teka 9.6, Trials 9.3, Cleft 8.11, Tavistock 8.8, Sheila 8.3, Vermillion 7.13, Mazara 7.13, Raumanuwhiri 7.11, Pursefiller 7.11, Carlatour 7.8, Queen Lizzie 7.8, Golden Glade 7.7, Colonnade 7.3, Marenga 7.3, Formline 6.7, Perrier 6.7.

ACCEPTANCES.

RANGITIKEI RACING CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Rangitikei Racing Club's annual meeting will be opened at Bulls to-day (Wednesday) and will be concluded on Thursday. The gathering promises to be widely patronised by North Island sportsmen, the fact of excellent fields being engaged in the various events enhancing the prospects of some high-class racing. Both Nobleman and Gang Awa have been paid up for in the Rangitikei Cup, and the recent form displayed by Henry Clay and Gold Soult will also cause the latter pair to be heavily supported on the machine. The acceptances for the opening day are as follows:—

TRIAL PLATE of 110sovs, five furlongs.—Whiro, Gold Problem, Maniahera, Papanui, Queen Carnival, Sir Musketry, Kaimanawanui, Ixex, Sweet Flake, Sail Home, Toddy, Sea Foam, Otanga, Crystal Palace, Broad Arrow, Anitra, Orizon, Mick, Bayberry, Talitha, Awarua, Katmandu, Wairino, Samarang, all 9.0.

SCOTT MEMORIAL, six furlongs.—Parisian Diamond 9.5, Moutoa Queen 8.12, Ohiwia 8.4, Rawakore 8.3, Astor 7.11, Starengo 7.10, Interlude 7.4, Colonnade 6.8, Heather 6.8.

OHAKEA HURDLES, one mile and three-quarters.—Want 10.9, Mattock 10.9, Toki 10.9, Calais 10.4, Lady Amal 9.13, Paparess 9.12, Dasher Boy 9.0, Holyhead 9.0, Vacuum 9.0, Martinello 9.0.

CARNARVON HACK, six furlongs.—Turangapito 9.0, Polynesian 8.9, All Over 8.9, Namur 7.13, Engari 7.13, Endure 7.13, Lady Edith 7.12, Zela 7.11, Marenga 7.11, Piano 7.10, Beaufort 7.8, Blighty 7.2, Goldbearing 7.1, Self Alliance 6.10, Crescent Moon 6.9.

RANGITIKEI CUP, one mile and a-half.—Nobleman 9.3, Gang Awa 8.6, Gold Soult 7.13, Henry Clay 7.8, Kiltess 6.13, Midnight Star 6.11, Hastie 6.9.

PUKENUI WELTER, seven furlongs.—Sardinia 10.1, Colorado 9.9, Quinn's Post 9.8, Signorella 9.1, Fore 8.11, Con 8.9, Compel 8.8, Reparation 8.7, Warmth 8.1, Manu 8.1, Half Blue 8.1, Skedaddle 8.0, Hush Lad 8.0, Royal Reign 8.0, Transmission 8.0, Moutoa Camp 8.0.

PAREWANUI WELTER, one mile and a furlong.—Henry Clay 9.9, George 9.5, Ladyf 8.13, Sir Wallace 8.13, Haumakaka 8.9, Merrie Gain 8.9, Cello 8.8, Bradamante 8.11, Combustion 8.0, Victoris 8.0.

NGATIAPA HACK, five furlongs.—Staccato 9.4, King's Armour 8.13, Rajput 8.5, Tenukohe 8.5, Mystified 8.4, Marenga 8.3, Warmaid 8.0, Mahzoltov 8.0, Zela 8.0, Piano 7.13, Orawia 7.7, General Madero 7.0, Maniahera 7.0, Rora 7.0, Queen Carnival 7.0.

CANTERBURY JOCKEY CLUB.

EASTER MEETING.

GREAT EASTER HANDICAP of 1300 sovs, seven furlongs.—Fiery Cross 9.4, Croesus 9.3, Menelaus 9.2, Hymestra 9.1, Sweet Corn 8.13, Koesian 8.11, Adjutant 8.8, Margerine 8.3, Nanna 8.1, Nystad 7.13, Disdainful 7.11, Daytime 7.11, Wrestler 7.11, Vagabond 7.11, Rorke's Drift 7.9, Kiljoy 7.9, Parisian Diamond 7.11, Mohawk 7.5, Kilboyne 7.5, Ascalaphus 7.3, Hyttus 7.2, Comely 6.13, Rose Pink 6.9, Redshire 6.7, Glorify 6.7.

GREAT AUTUMN HANDICAP of 1300sovs, one mile and a-half.—Fiery Cross 9.5, Menelaus 9.3, Wishful 8.11, Adjutant 8.8, Margerine 8.8, Rorke's Drift 7.11, Croesus 7.11, Johnny Walker 7.10, Almo 7.2, Glendower 6.13, Killard 6.13, Ascalaphus 6.13, Rose Pink 6.7, Mascot 6.7, Don Francisco 6.7.

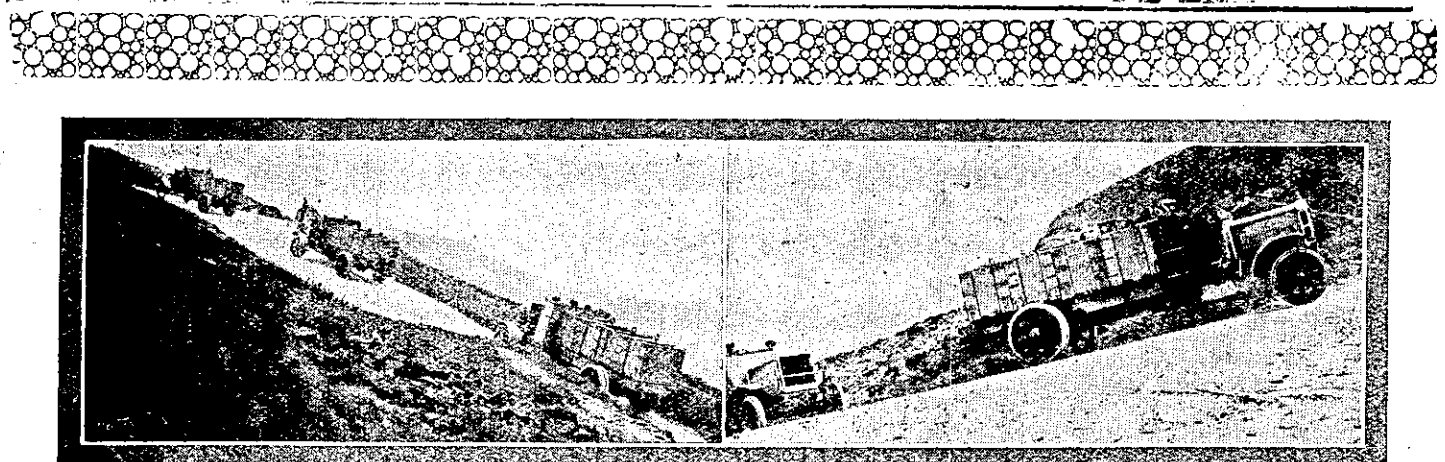
After forfeits the following remain in the

CHAMPAGNE STAKES of 1000sovs, six furlongs.—Almoner, Long Range, Heathcote, Eleus, Lisp, Stirrup Cup, Demos, Punks, Karo, Torfreda, b g King, Mark—Selene, Kawhau, Royal Academy.

TWENTY - SIXTH CHALLENGE STAKES of 1000sovs, seven furlongs.—Rock Salt, Talitha, Rockbound, Rajput, Biplane, Staccato, Koesian, Cambridge, Claverhouse, Wrestler, Primato, Mania, Malancourt, Metallum, Hyttus, Mount Joy, Hymestra, Marquette, Eloquence, Tinkler, Ohoreka, Master Iney, Long Range, Almoner, Heathcote, Eleus, Lisp, Stirrup Cup, Karo.

Arran had not won a race for just on three years when he scored in the five-furlong race at Paeroa on Saturday. His last previous win was when he beat Desert Gold in the A.R.C. Champagne Stakes at two years old.

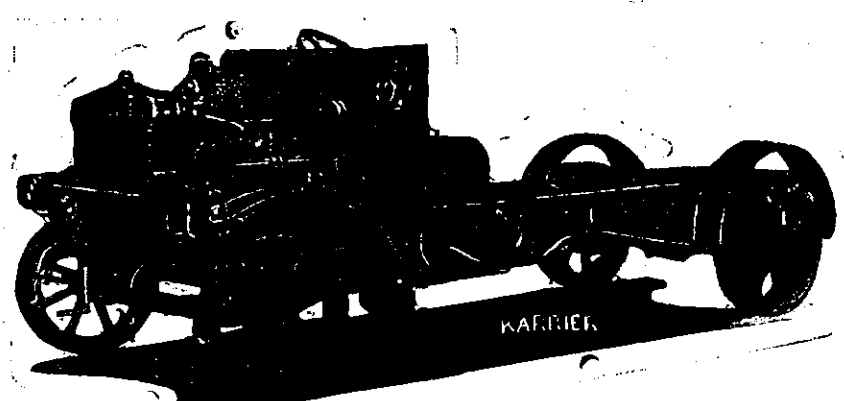
The contest for the light harness horsemen's premiership has been a close one for some time past, with V. Alborn 11 wins and J. Bryce and A. Pringle equal at 10 successes each, but the Timaru Trotting Club's fixture put another complexion on the situation. Commencing with the square-gaited gelding Succory (Marvin Wilkes—Success), A. Pringle won the Waimate Handicap in 3.56, and followed this up with two other victories in succession. He drove the winner of the Timaru Handicap, Harold Devon, in 4.44, and captured the Seadown Handicap with Mr. J. Grice's Lady Willings (Rothschild—Prince Imperial mare), in 3.33 3-5th. Pringle thus heads the winning list with 13 firsts to his credit. Succory, it may be mentioned, is on the limit of the Waverley Trot (class 3.48) on the first day of the Southland Racing Club's autumn meeting. In the Waimate Handicap, Succory led all the way and won pulling up by four lengths.



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Every vehicle before leaving the Karrier works is subjected to a severe and practical road test. This includes the climbing of a test hill of abnormal severity. At the foot is a right-angle bend from the main road, so that it is impossible to obtain a run, and it starts right off with an abrupt rise of 1 in 4. Near the summit is a second right-angle bend, and the gradient here is equally severe, gradually becoming more so as the climb proceeds. The road surface is very bad, and at several points deep, paved drain gutters, calculated to knock the life out of an engine, are set diagonally across the way. It is safe to assume that no commercial vehicle is likely to be confronted with a climb of such freakish severity in ordinary use. Each machine was taken up with a load exceeding its specified capacity by one ton. It is stopped and started on the worst parts of the climb, so that should any weakness exist, a skilled tester is not likely to overlook it. The long grind up on low gear, with engine so heavily loaded, would certainly have the effect of betraying any weakness in the cooling system, but this, we specially noticed, was ample in effect. The vehicles, indeed, appeared to make light work of the climb, and picked up from a standing start on the 1-in-4 patches with remarkable ease.

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