

son of Autumnus and Kirriemuir, trained from Chokebore. He can muster up a fine turn of speed, and is more forward than most of the other Riccarton juveniles.

Marjery, the runner-up to Royal Stag, is a promising daughter of Bezonian and Margarethe, trained at Wingatui for Mr. H. Friedlander.

LATER.

Serious Accident on Riccarton Tracks—H. Gray's Success at Wingatui—Rose Pink Shapes Well—Linden Changes Hands.

(Telegraph—Christchurch Correspondent)

When being exercised at Riccarton on Saturday afternoon the two-year-olds Nantville and Favorita collided with disastrous results. Both horses and their riders came to grief, while the lads, B. Lansdown and J. Patterson, were removed to the hospital in an unconscious condition. According to latest accounts their condition is still dangerous, especially in regard to Lansdown, who remains unconscious. Both horses were badly knocked about, and it will be some time before they are fit to work again.

Most of the Riccarton horses that raced at Wingatui are back home again. From now till Cup time there will be plenty of interesting work at headquarters.

The North Island horseman Hector Gray was in good form at the Dunedin meeting, where four successes came his way.

Of all the New Zealand Cup horses seen out at Wingatui, Rose Pink shaped best. In the Ranfurly Handicap on Saturday she met with considerable interference half a mile from home, and then only suffered defeat by half a length. As she will have 26lb. less to carry in the Cup, everything points to the Kilbroney mare putting up a great race.

Though Nocturnal accounted for both hurdle races at the Dunedin meeting, the weakness of the opposition discounted his performances. The half-brother to Nocturnal has been given a nomination in the Auckland Cup, but there is little chance of his going to the post.

During the progress of the Dunedin meeting Linden was purchased by Mr. Hugo Friedlander, and will in future form one of C. Giesler's team at Wingatui.

Though Margerine and Killard failed rather badly at Wingatui, both can be expected to strip in greatly improved form when saddled up for the New Zealand Cup.

Rorke's Drift had every chance in the Ranfurly Handicap, but failed to put much heart into his finish. No doubt the two races he had at Wingatui will improve the gelding's prospects, as he always requires a good deal of sharpening up.

HAWKE'S BAY.

Teka on Invalid List—Local Nominations for 1919 Avondale Stakes—Latest Additions to R. Gooseman's Team—Fiat Changes Hands—H.B. Trainers' Association's Annual Meeting.

NAPIER, Monday.

Indigo is now being used as a shepherd's hack on his owner's (Mr. G. Hunter) station at Porangahau, and the chestnut gelding is giving every satisfaction in his new sphere.

Teka is on the invalid list at present, and there is every indication that the game son of Mystification will require a lengthened spell, which is hard luck for his owner, as he had up till quite lately been doing real good work on the test-out at Napier Park. Teka figures amongst the nominations for the Avondale Cup.

The three-year-old son of Merry Moment out of a full-sister to Evring, who was being got ready for business by R. Gooseman at Hastings, has been sold to a patron of J. McLaughlin's stable at Trentham. He was the property of Mr. H. Hassall, of Clive, and has been illustrating on the get-ready at Hastings that he has good prospects ahead of him.

For next year's Avondale Stakes Mrs. M. A. Perry has nominated full-sisters to Impediment and Simonides, and a brother to Sweet Tipperary and half-brother by Demosthenes to Plastic. Mr. T. H. Lowry has engaged the full-brother to Estland and Finmark, the full-brother to Communique, the full-sister to Chimera, and a colt by Merry Moment out of En Parole. Other local owners who are represented in the nomination list for the event are Messrs. W. Desha, with a half-sister by Demosthenes to Lady

Kilworth, and W. G. Stead, whose contributions consist of a couple of fillies by Demosthenes out of Lily White and Sunlight; while the executors of the late Mr. W. J. Douglas have entered a colt by Demosthenes out of Te Puia.

R. Gooseman has lately added to his band of workers by the arrival of a two-year-old full-brother to Indigo, who is a promising sort; and a three-year-old gelding by Mystification out of a mare by Torpedo—Lady Heart, who will race under the appellation of Tari.

Mr. W. G. Stead has sold his property at Greenmeadows which has of late been in the occupation of trainer G. Jones, Mr. Stead's private trainer, and the new tenant takes possession to-morrow (Tuesday). On the following day Jones leaves for Masterton en route to Trentham and Riccarton, and after seeing the Cup meeting through with his team will afterwards take up his residence at Hastings, but so far his exact quarters there have not yet been definitely decided upon.

Sasanof is standing up really well to his work on the test-out at Napier Park and his prospects in the near future wear a favourable aspect.

Fiat, the few-weeks-old colt foal by Wolawa—La Notte, has been purchased by Mrs. M. A. Perry from T. Quinlivan. It took some money to effect the change of ownership, but if the baby turns out as well as he looks he should certainly prove a remunerative proposition even at the figure that was paid for him.

J. Walker, who up to quite recently had Impediment under his control, has got, in addition to Wawata, a younger half-sister to The Summit by Tribulation in work.

Lalla Rookh, the half-sister by Feraorz to Bon Ton, Eligible and The Toff, is making good in her essays on the hurry-up at Napier Park, and it would appear as if she is going to be the best of the fillies that Class has so far produced.

The annual general meeting of the Hawke's Bay Trainers' Association, which was held in the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's rooms at Hastings, was well attended, Mr. T. F. Quinlivan being in the chair. In placing the report before the members, Mr. Quinlivan referred to the pleasant relationship existing between the association and the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club, who in every instance have generously acted upon the suggestions offered by the association in regard to affording trainers every proper facility for the performance of their duties concerning their charges, and he trusted that in the future the same cordial feeling would exist between them. Feeling reference was made to the demise of the late Hon. J. D. Ormond, Messrs. G. P. Donnelly and W. J. Douglas, all of whom had been patrons of the association, and also to the loss sustained by the death of one of the members of the association in trainer J. S. O'Neill. The efforts of the association in assisting financially to the success of the Baby Carnival in aid of the French War Orphans, promulgated by the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club, had been of an extremely satisfactory nature. The annual ball yielded a profit of £54 3s. 7d., which sum had been donated to the fund, and there was not the slightest doubt that the individual and collective energies of the members of the association had been in great measure responsible for the leading position occupied by the baby nominee of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club.

The balance-sheet showed the association to be in a sound financial position, reflecting credit on the executive of the association, whose careful administration had placed the association in the flourishing position that it at present occupied, and the chairman trusted that in the future members would still continue by their energy to further the interests of the association. Mr. R. Gooseman, who for the past eighteen months had filled the position of hon. secretary, but who was now relinquishing the office, was heartily accorded a vote of thanks for the capable manner in which he had performed the many duties appertaining to the post. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:—Chairman, Mr. A. J. Ellingham; committee, Messrs. P. Smith, A. White, A. Dixon, J. B. Ware, V. H. Collelo, W. Donovan, and R. Gooseman; hon. secretary, Mr. W. J. Michaelsen.

Gargle, Sniff up or Swallow.

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DUNEDIN JOCKEY CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

LONG RANGE WINS GUINEAS.

Perfect weather prevailed for the opening day of the Dunedin Jockey Club's spring meeting on Friday last, and with the track in splendid condition the racing was productive of some excellent sport. The sum of £16,414 10s. was handled on the totalisator, as against £10,776 for last year, being an increase of £5638 10s. The results were:—

SPRING HURDLE HANDICAP of 130 sovs. One mile and three-quarters.

- 1—R. Acton Adams' ch g Nocturnal, by All Black—La Notte, 6yrs, 9.9 (S. Reid) 1
- 4—W. Kelly's Glenthorpe 10.6 (W. Griffiths) 2
- 3—J. J. Corry's Good Hope, 9.11 (R. McSeveney) 3

Also started: 2 Silver Shield 10.9, 5 Graftella carried 9.2½. Graftella won by half a length, but an inquiry was held into the ownership of the winner, resulting in Graftella's disqualification, Nocturnal being placed first and Glenthorpe second. Time, 3 min 23 4-5sec.

MAUNGATUA HANDICAP of 100sovs. Seven furlongs.

- 2—H. Friedlander's b g Royal Star, by Martini—Lady Victoria, 4yrs, 8.11 (F. Anderton) 1
- 4—Sir Geo. Clifford's Sir Fanciful, 7.11 (H. Young) 2
- 3—H. Whitney's Arihia, 7.11 (A. Reed) 3

Also started: 9 Burrangong 9.9, 1 Warform 9.6, 10 Marianne 8.4, 6 Night Alarm, 7 Talitha 7.11, 5 Placid 7.9, 8 All Pink 7.8, 12 Fabianus 7.8, 11 Red Tape 7.7. Won by a length, half a length between second and third. Time, 1min 31sec.

McLEAN STAKES of 300sovs. Four furlongs.

- 1—Sir Geo. Clifford's br c Royal Stag, by Autumnus—Kirriemuir, 8.0 (H. Young) 1
- 2—H. Friedlander's Marjery, 7.9 (F. Anderton) 2
- 5—G. B. Starkey's Mustard Pot, 7.11½ (S. Walls) 3

Also started: 4 Russel 8.0, 6 Anton 8.0, 2 Poo Chow 7.11, 7 Miss Fanna 7.9, 3 Link Up 7.9. Anton was left at the post. Won by a neck, two lengths between second and third. Time, 51 1-5sec.

MOSGIEL HANDICAP of 250sovs. One mile and a-quarter.

- 2—D. H. Roberts' b m Killjoy, by Kilbroney—Sober-side, 5yrs, 8.7 (J. Campbell) 1
- 6—H. Friedlander's Sedd-el-Bahr, 7.9 (F. Anderton) 2
- 4—H. Whitney's Rose Pink, 8.7 (A. Reed) 3

Also started: 3 Rorke's Drift 9.9, 9 Margerine 8.4, 1 Killard 8.4, 7 Thaddeus 8.1, 5 Cynic 7.13, 8 Achilles 7.0. Won by half a length, a length and a-half between second and third. Time, 2min 10 3-5sec.

DUNEDIN GUINEAS of 400sovs. One mile.

- 1—Sir Geo. Clifford's b c Long Range, by Antagonist—Telescope, 8.10 (H. Young) 1
- 4—W. A. Nicholl's Braid, 8.5 (C. Emerson) 2
- 3—C. G. Dalgety's Scornful, 8.5 (H. Gray) 3

Also started: 2 Punka 8.5, 5 Stirrup Cup 8.5. Won by a head, two lengths between second and third. Time, 1min 42sec.

ELECTRIC HANDICAP of 150sovs. Six furlongs.

- 2—J. Todd's b m Michaela, by Rorkeby—Jessie Lewars, 4yrs, 8.11 (C. Emerson) 1
- 9—J. Hymers' Kilbrogan, 7.1 (H. Vorrath) 2
- 1—A. W. Rutherford's (junr) Daytime, 8.9 (H. Gray) 3

Also started: 7 Kilboyne 9.5, 8 Mohawk 9.5, 6 Buller 9.5, 4 Marsa 8.0, 3 Palamon 7.10, 5 Lisp 7.1. Won by a neck, three lengths between second and third. Time, 1min 16sec.

TAIOMA HANDICAP of 100sovs. Six furlongs.

- 5—H. Friedlander's b f Sleepy Head, by Birkenhead—Somniform, 3yrs (F. Anderton) 1
- 3—A. S. Orbell's Red River, 8.9 (H. Young) 2
- 1—Mr. Helencourt's Black Mountain, 8.1 (G. Young) 3

Also started: 2 Rokelaine 9.1, 6 This-tledown 8.10, 4 Lady Superior car. 8.6½, 8 Pax 8.2, 7 Staff Officer car. 8.6½. Won by two lengths, three lengths between second and the pair who dead-heated for third. Time, 1min 17sec.

OCTOBER WELTER HANDICAP of 130sovs. One mile.

- 1—A. Chisholm's ch g Samiel, by Downshire—Hamattan, aged, 8.12 (G. Young) 1
- 3—T. Russell's Leaping Burn, 8.8 (F. C. Porter) 2
- 4—J. Boyd's Awahou, 8.11 (Emerson) 3

Also started: 11 Gunrest 9.7, 8 Heil-con 9.4, 7 Don Pacifico 9.2, 5 Borodino 8.9, 2 Hiero 8.9, 6 Tin Soldier 8.0, 10 Roumania 8.0, 9 Take Down car. 7.12½. Won by a length and a-quarter. Time, 1min 43sec.

CONCLUDING DAY.

SAMIEL WINS BIG EVENT.

The meeting was concluded on Saturday in fine weather and in the presence of a good attendance. The sum of £19,647 was invested on the totalisator, as against £14,319 for the concluding day of last year, making a total of £36,061, as compared with £25,095 for the 1917 fixture, an increase of £10,966. The results were:—

WAKARI HURDLES of 120sovs. One mile and a-half.

- 1—R. Acton Adams' ch g Nocturnal, by All Black—La Notte, 6yrs, 10.9 (S. Reid) 1
- 3—W. Kelly's Glenthorpe, 10.2 (W. Griffiths) 2
- 2—J. J. Corry's Good Hope, 9.2 (P. Ellis) 3

Also started: 4 Silver Shield 10.5, 5 The Flat 9.0.

Won by a neck. Time, 2min 51sec.

TRIAL PLATE. Six furlongs.

- G. Murray Aynsley's b g Algedius, 3 yrs, by Rokeby—Rosella, 7.13 (H. Gray) 1
- 3—W. Gardiner's (junr) Lady Superior, 8.0 (H. Young) 2
- 2—D. Windle's Moneymusk, 8.2 (R. C. Reed) 3

Also started: 5 Pax 8.0, 4 Aderina 7.11.

Won all the way by six lengths. Time, 1min 17 2-5sec.

RANFURLY HANDICAP of 200sovs. One mile.

- 6—A. Chisholm's ch g Samiel, aged, by Downshire—Hamattan, 7.8 (G. Young) 1
- 4—H. Whitney's Rose Pink, 8.9 (A. Reed) 2
- 3—H. Friedlander's Sedd-el-Bahr, 8.1 (F. Anderton) 3

Also started: 9 Rorke's Drift 9.9, 5 Margerine 9.5, 1 Glendower 9.2, 2 Killard 8.3, 7 Thaddeus 7.12, 10 Cynic 7.12, 8 Marsa 7.0. Won by half a length, a similar distance between second and third. Time, 1min 41 4-5sec.

DOMINION HANDICAP of 130sovs. Four furlongs.

- 4—D. J. Stockwell's Link Up, 2yrs, by Birkenhead—Secret Link, 7.13 (C. Emerson) 1
- 2—G. B. Starkey's Mustard Pot, 2yrs, 8.2 (H. Young) 2
- J. D. Rutherford's (junr) Some Kid, 2yrs, 7.13 (H. Gray) 3

Also started: 5 Printemps 8.2, 6 Anton 7.13, 3 Calauria and Foo Chow 7.13 (bracketed). Won by four lengths. Time, 50 4-5 sec.

KAIKORAI HANDICAP of 100sovs. Seven furlongs.

- 1—O. R. Wise's b g Ardmore, 6yrs, by Varco—Nithsevo, 9.5 (Gray) 1
- 2—H. Friedlander's Linden, 9.13 (F. Anderton) 2
- 4—P. A. Price's Tin Soldier, 8.3 (H. Reed) 3

Also started: 5 Burrangong 9.7, 8 Marianne 8.12, 3 Arihia 7.13, 7 Placid car. 7.10, 6 Red Tape 7.7, 9 Talitha car. 7.12, 10 All Pink car. 7.2, 11 Fabianus car. 9.7.

Won by half a length, a dead-heat for second place. Time, 1min 30 1-5sec.

SHORTS HANDICAP of 150sovs. Six furlongs.

- 4—J. McCombe's Pyjama, 6yrs, by Martini—Bloomer, car. 6.9 (T. L. Reed) 1
- 3—J. Hymers' Kilbrogan, car. 7.2 (H. Vorrath) 2
- 2—A. Murdoch's Kilboyne, 9.4 (A. H. Wilson) 3

Also started: 6 Buller 9.4, 1 Daytime 8.11, 5 Benefit car. 7.2. Won by two lengths. Time, 1min 17sec.

TELEGRAPH WELTER HANDICAP of 150sovs. One mile.

- 1—J. McCombe's b f Subterfuge, 4 yrs, by Annie Chiel—Counterfeit, 7.13 (H. Gray) 1
- 10—H. Whitney's Roumania, 7.7 (A. Reed) 2
- 8—L. C. Hazlett's Take Down, car. 7.2 (T. Reed) 3

Also started: 9 Gunrest 9.3, 12 Don Pacifico car. 8.8, 5 Leaping Burn 8.11, 3 Awahou 8.9, 2 Warform 8.2, 7 Hiero 8.1, 4 Achilles 7.13, 11 Night Alarm 7.11, 6 Kazan 7.7.

Won by half a length, five lengths between second and third. Time, 1min 22½sec.

CLARENDON HANDICAP of 100sovs. Six furlongs.

- 2—O. R. Wise's b f Killiney, 4yrs, by Kilbroney—Nithsevo, 8.0 (H. Gray) 1
- 1—R. McKay's Zephland, 9.4 (F. E. Jones) 2
- 4—A. S. Orbell's Red River, 8.13 (H. Young) 3

Also started: 8 Rokelaine 9.1, 5 Black Mountain 8.12, 3 Plastic 8.12, 7 Stirrup Cup 8.12, 6 Red Eagle 8.1, 10 Call Bird 8.0, 9 Staff Officer 8.0.

Won by two lengths. Time, 1min 16 1-5sec.

NEW ZEALAND CUP.

NEW ZEALAND CUP of 2000sovs. Two miles.

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Menelaus	8 11	Mangamahoe 6 12
Sasanof	8 9	Killard 6 13
Margarine	8 2	Rose Pink 6 11
Volo	7 13	Tressida 6 11
Snub	7 11	Risingham 6 7
Depredation	7 9	Bronk Delaval 6 7
Rorke's Drift	7 8	Killrush 6 7
Cynic	7 2	Battle Song 6 7
Devotion	7 2	Mazama 6 7
Mascot	7 2	Dusky Eve 6 7
J. Barleycorn	7 1	

The death has to be recorded this week of the well-known Ellerslie trainer, P. Jones, who had a paralytic seizure on Sunday week and succumbed on Tuesday at 7.30 a.m. The deceased was one of the long-time trainers in the province, and was quite an institution at Ellerslie. He first became prominent in his profession as the trainer of those great ponies Moment and Antic, and had such horses as Highlander and Romeo through his hands later on, and prepared El Gallo for Mr. W. J. Ralph when that horse won the Great Northern Hurdle and Steeplechase double two years in succession. Indeed, many useful horses were turned out of his stables, and at the time of his death he had a fairly large team under his care, including Colonel Soul and Bedford (winner of the last C.J.C. Winter Cup). The genial "Paddy" will be missed at the meetings about Auckland, but nowhere more so than at the racecourse side and where brother trainers and sports were accustomed to congregate. His funeral was announced to take place on Wednesday. His parents were buried in the Hamilton cemetery and there the remains of their son were to be interred.