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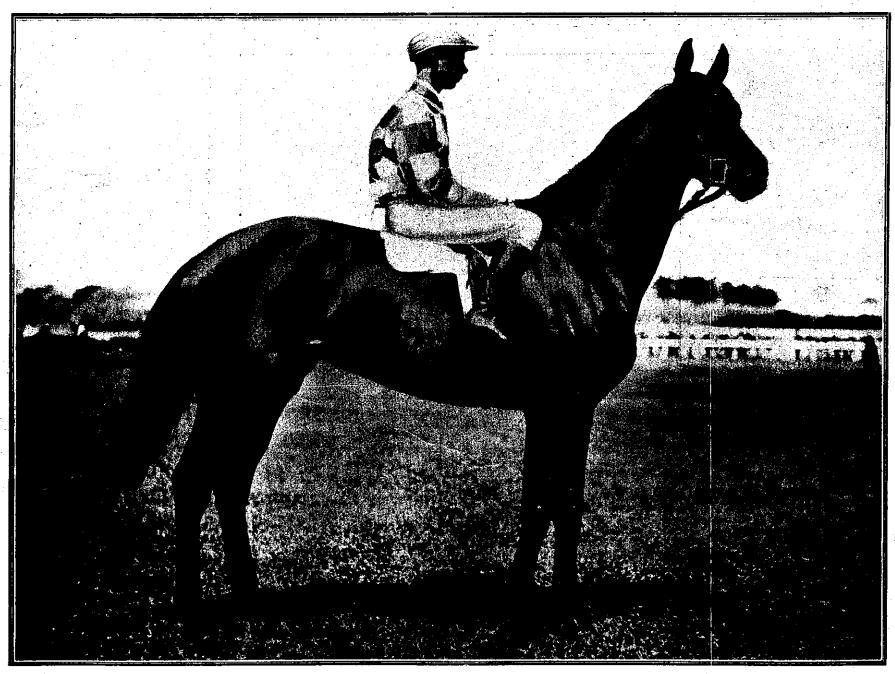
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PRICE-EIGHTPENCE.

AUCKLAND CUP DAY AT ELLERSLIE.



AN ANIMATED SCENE ON THE LAWN AND TERRACES IN FRONT OF THE MAIN STAND AT ELLERSLIE ON AUCKLAND CUP DAY.



THE 1918 AUCKLAND CUP WINNER.—MESSRS. V. AND E. RIDDIFORD'S B M MASCOT, 5YRS., BY MARTIAN — MARY OF ARGYLE, WHO ACCOUNTED FOR THE AUCKLAND CUP, OF 2750SOVS, TWO MILES, AT ELLERSLIE ON BOXING DAY. L. MORRIS IN SADDLE. TRAINED BY J. W. LOWE. MASCOT ALSO ANNEXED THE SUMMER CUP (11/4 MILES) ON SATURDAY LAST.