

the field undergoing little change, excepting that Bobrikoff moved up into second place. Entering the straight the field closed up. Bobrikoff, on the inside, dashed to the front at the distance, and the brilliant New Zealand gelding, fighting out a fine race with Maltine and Trafalgar, drew away, and won nicely by three-quarters of a length from Maltine, who was half a length in advance of Trafalgar. Time, 2m. 33s.

**THE A.J.C. SIRE'S PRODUCE STAKES**, a sweepstakes of 10sovs each, added to a 10sovs subscription by owners of certain sires, and 1000sovs from the A.J.C. Club. The owner of the sire of the winner to receive 10sovs, the owner of the second horse 200sovs, and the owner of the third 100sovs from the stake. For two-year-olds, the produce of sires whose owners are subscribers to this stake. Colts and geldings, 8st 10lb; fillies, 8st 7lb. Seven furlongs.

Mr. Collin Smith's br c Beverage, by Malster-Wild Rose ..... 1  
Mr. E. Eastern's ch f Desert Rose, by Malster-Mangosteen ..... 2  
Mr. J. Siely's b f Styria, by Haut Brion-Trieste ..... 3  
Six horses started.

In a great finish, Beverage won by a head from Desert Rose, who was a length in advance of Styria. Time, 1m. 28s.

**THE DONCASTER HANDICAP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 20sovs each, with 1500sovs added. For all horses. The owner of the second horse to receive 300sovs, and the owner of the third 150sovs from the prize. One mile.

Mr. E. E. A. Oatley's br g Storey, 4yrs, by Dorchester-Edna Lyall, 7.2 (Brown) ..... 1  
Mr. A. Foley's b g Beau Vive, 4yrs, by Fucile-Glen Vive, 7.8 (Foley) ..... 2  
Mr. Agar Wynne's br f Apple Pie, 3yrs, by Ayr Laddie-Prælen, 7.0 (Dillon) ..... 3  
Nadir showed the way into the straight, with Parsee his nearest attendant, Storey and Mala being close handy. Once fairly on the way for home Storey shot out, and, going strongly, won by three lengths, the same distance separating second and third horses. Britain was fourth, and then followed Flavinius, Vavasour, with Duke of Clarence and Glyde last. Time, 1m. 38½s.

**THE A.J.C. ST. LEGER**, a sweepstakes of 10sovs each, with 750sovs added. For three-year-olds. Colts 8st 10lb; fillies, 8st 7lb; no allowance to geldings. One mile and three-quarters.

Mr. J. Baron's b c Prince Foote, by Sir Foote-Petruschka ..... 1  
Mr. J. C. Williamson's blk c Danilo, by True Blue-Lady Robinson ..... 2  
Mr. J. Wilson's br c Diabolo, by Bobadil-Adrea ..... 3  
The placed horses were the only starters.  
Prince Foote was first on his feet, and, holding the lead throughout, romped home an easy winner by nearly a dozen lengths. Time, 3m. 5½s.

**THE HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 6sovs each, with 300sovs added. Six furlongs.

Mr. J. McDonald's br f Poi Dance, 3yrs, by Pistol-Thora, 9.0 ..... 1  
Mr. G. P. Donnelly's ch m Gold Thread, 5yrs, 10.3 ..... 2  
Mr. G. Clark's b g Veronite, 6yrs, 9.10 ..... 3  
Twenty-one horses started.  
The placed horses got together opposite the distance, and in a splendid finish Poi Dance won by a neck from Gold Thread. Time, 1m. 13s.

## SECOND DAY.

### VAVASOR WINS THE SYDNEY CUP.

### STEEPLECHASE WON BY KIATERE.

The Australian Jockey Club continued their meeting at Randwick, and it drew a large attendance. In the steeplechase the New Zealand-bred horses Kiatere and Bullworth fought out the finish, the first-named scoring an easy victory.  
The following are the details of the racing:—

**THE FLYING HANDICAP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 10sovs each, with 500sovs added. Six furlongs.

Mr. J. Wilson's br m Mindful, aged, by Bobadil-Reminder, 7.4 ..... 1  
Mr. E. A. Shiel's ch f Miss Corelli, 3yrs, by Holbrook-Marie Corelli, 6.7 ..... 2  
Mr. N. Brusso's b g Brilliant Boy, 4yrs, by Hautboy-Brilliant, 8.0 ..... 3  
Seventeen horses started.  
In a good race Mindful won by a neck from Miss Corelli. Gold Thread finished fifth. Time, 1m. 15½s.

**THE CHAMPAGNE STAKES**, a sweepstakes of 10sovs each, with 1000sovs added. For two-year-olds. Colts, 8st 10lb; fillies, 8st 8lb; geldings allowed 8lb. Six furlongs.

Mr. E. Eastern's ch f Desert Rose, by Malster-Mangosteen, 9.4 (including 10lb penalty) ..... 1  
Mr. J. Wilson's jun., b c Bobodea, by Bobadil-Ardea, 8.10 ..... 2  
Mr. Wm. H. Mate's b c Gigandra, by Ibex-Mira, 9.6 (including 10lb penalty) ..... 3  
Thirteen horses started.  
Precious made the running well into the straight, where Desert Rose shot out, and eventually won by three lengths from Bobodea, who beat Gigandra a length. Time, 1m. 15½s.

**THE SYDNEY CUP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 20sovs each, with a gold cup, value 100 guineas, presented by Francis Foy Esq., and 3000sovs added. The owner of the second horse to receive 500sovs, and the owner of the third 250sovs from the prize. Two miles.

Mr. A. Knox's br h Vavasor, 4yrs, by Grafton (imp.)-Wahine, 7.9 (W. H. McLachlan) ..... 1  
Messrs. Marton and Osborne's b m Daisy Chain, 5yrs, by Florizel II.-Chatelaine, 7.2 (Smith) ..... 2  
Mr. Hunter White's b h Jinnee, 4yrs, by Skopos-Djin Djin, 6.10 (Brown) ..... 3  
Also ran: Trafalgar 9.5, Maltine 9.1, Penfall 9.0, Barallan 8.9, Lord Nolan 8.4, Downfall 8.1, Kerlie 8.0, Ungarie 8.0, Olivaster 8.0, Hoax 7.12, Danilo 7.8, Lady Wilde 7.6.

Beau Vive 7.4, Didus 7.3, Britain 6.10, Footpad 6.10, Black Range 6.7.

Olivaster was first into the straight, from Daisy Chain, Jinnee, and Vavasor. Once fairly on the way for home Vavasor came through, and, drawing away, won by two lengths, a similar distance separating the second and third horses. Didus was fourth, and then followed Danilo, Ungarie, Barallan, Beau Vive, while Downfall finished in the ruck. Time, 3m. 29½s.

**THE FIRST STEEPLECHASE**, a handicap sweepstakes of 6sovs each, with 300sovs added. About two miles and a-half.

Mr. J. M. Cameron's b g Kiatere, aged, by Castor-Victoria, 11.4 ..... 1  
Mr. A. F. Douglass' ch g Bullworth, aged, by Bulldog-Badsworth mare, 9.9 ..... 2  
Mr. R. Morton's br g Kuala Lumpur, aged, by Mikado II.-Honey, 12.7 ..... 3  
Seven horses started.

Kiatere, fencing well, held a leading position throughout. He was first over the concluding obstacle, and ran home an easy winner by 10 lengths. Time, 5m. 34½s.

**THE FIRST NURSERY HANDICAP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 6sovs each, with 300sovs added. For two-year-olds. One mile.

Messrs. A. Mansfield and J. C. Williamson's br c Cadonia, by Prudent King -Enooma ..... 1  
Mr. J. Moore's br f Moorilla, by St. Alwyne-Diploma ..... 2  
Mr. J. Wilson, jun.'s, b f Pendulous, by Bobadil-Vibrate ..... 2  
Sixteen horses started.

After an exciting finish, Cadonia won by half-a-length from Moorilla, who in turn was a head in advance of Pendulous. Time, 1m. 42½s.

**THE TOTAL HANDICAP**, a handicap sweepstakes of 6sovs each, with 300sovs added. One mile and a-quarter.

Mr. A. G. White's b g Safrano, 4yrs, by Flavus-Velox, 6.7 ..... 1  
Sir Rupert Clarke's b m Pretty Peg, 4yrs, 7.11 ..... 2  
Mr. Wm. Brown's b h Baw Bee, 4yrs, by Smille-Chand Bee Bee, 7.6 ..... 3  
Fifteen horses started.

The placed horses battled out a great finish, heads separating the first and second, with Baw Bee a neck away, third. Time, 2m. 10s.

## AUCKLAND RACING CLUB.

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## GREAT NORTHERN STEEPLECHASE MEETING.

### FIRST DAY.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3rd, 1910

(Prince of Wales' Birthday).

**MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE (HANDICAP)** of 200sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 15sovs out of the stake. For all horses that have never won a steeplechase of the value of 100sovs, or steeplechases of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Winner of any steeplechase after declaration of weights to carry 7lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. About two miles and a-half.

**JERVOIS HANDICAP** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a flat race of the value of 100sovs, or flat races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 5lb penalty. Minimum weight, 8st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Five furlongs.

**MAIDEN HURDLE RACE (HANDICAP)** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For all horses that have never won a hurdle race of the value of 100sovs, or hurdle races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Over seven flights of hurdles. Winner of any hurdle race after declaration of weights to carry 7lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. One mile and three-quarters.

**GREAT NORTHERN HURDLE RACE (HANDICAP)** of 750sovs; second horse to receive 125sovs, and third horse 75sovs out of the stake. Over ten flights of hurdles. Winner of any hurdle race or hurdle races after declaration of weights of the value of 100sovs to carry 5lb; of 200sovs, 7lb; of 300sovs, 10lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs, with a final payment of 4sovs each. Two miles and a-half.

**CORNWALL HANDICAP** of 400sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and third horse 25sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Minimum weight, 8st. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 5lb penalty. Winner of Jervois Handicap to carry not less than 8st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs each. One mile and a-quarter.

**HUNT CLUB HURDLES (HANDICAP)** of 100sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of

the stake. For horses the bona-fide property of members of any recognised Hunt Club, and which have been duly qualified during the season of 1909-1910 by a lady member of any such Hunt Club, or by a gentleman member of any such Hunt Club who is eligible as a gentleman rider under the Rules of Racing. No horse will be eligible which has won a race of any description of the value of more than 25sovs (Hunters' races excepted). Horses to be ridden by members of Hunt Clubs, who hold certificates as gentlemen riders under the Rules of Racing, and who must hand to the Clerk of the Scales a certificate from the Master of the Hunt Club that they have hunted during the current year (1910). Owners must hand to the Secretary a certificate of qualification of their horses at time of nomination. Over eight flights of hurdles. Minimum weight, 10st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Two miles.

**MEMBERS' HANDICAP** of 175sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Minimum weight, 8st. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 5lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Five furlongs.

## SECOND DAY.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4th, 1910.

**ORAKEI HURDLE RACE (HANDICAP)** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For all horses that have never won a hurdle race of the value of 100sovs, or hurdle races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Over seven flights of hurdles. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. One mile and three-quarters.

**RANFURLY WELTER HANDICAP** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a flat race of the value of 100sovs, or flat races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Minimum weight, 9st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. One mile.

**GREAT NORTHERN STEEPLECHASE (HANDICAP)** of 1000sovs; second horse to receive 200sovs, and third horse 100sovs out of the stake. Winner of any steeplechase or steeplechases after declaration of weights of the value of 100sovs to carry 5lb; of 200sovs, 7lb; of 300sovs, 10lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs, with a final payment of 6sovs each. About three miles and a-half.

**REMUERA HURDLE RACE (HANDICAP)** of 250sovs; second horse to receive 50sovs, and third horse 25sovs out of the stake. Over eight flights of hurdles. Winner of any hurdle race after declaration of weights to carry 7lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 2sovs each. Two miles.

**PRINCE OF WALES' HANDICAP** of 400sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and third horse 25sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Winner of the Ranfurly Welter Handicap to carry not less than 10st. Minimum weight, 8st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs each. Seven furlongs.

**THE JUMPERS' FLAT RACE (HANDICAP)** of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For hurdle and steeplechase horses that have started at least three times in hurdle races or steeplechases in New Zealand, and completed the course each time to the satisfaction of the Stewards. To be ridden by professional hurdle race or steeplechase riders to be approved of by the Stewards. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 7lb penalty. Minimum weight, 9st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. One mile and a-half.

**LADIES' BRACELET** of 65sovs. A Bracelet of the value of 50sovs for the first horse, and a Bracelet of the value of 15sovs for the second horse. For horses that have never won a flat race of the value of 100sovs, or flat races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Three-year-olds, 10st 10lb; four-year-olds and upwards 11st. No other allowances. All horses to be nominated by ladies. Gentleman riders. A trophy value 5sovs to the rider of the winner. Entrance 1sov each. One mile.

## THIRD DAY.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8th, 1910.

**HUNT CLUB CUP (HANDICAP STEEPLE)** of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs out of the stake. For horses the bona-fide property of members of any recognised Hunt Club, and which have been duly qualified during the season of 1909-1910 by a lady member of any such Hunt Club, or by a gentleman member of any such Hunt Club who is eligible as a gentleman rider under the Rules of Racing. No horse will be eligible which has won a race of any description of the value of more than 25sovs (Hunters' races excepted). Horses to be ridden by members of Hunt Clubs, who hold certificates as gentlemen riders under the Rules of Racing, and who must hand to the Clerk of the Scales a certificate from the Master of the Hunt Club that they have hunted during the current year (1910). Owners must hand to the Secretary a certificate of qualification of their horses at time of nomination. Minimum weight, 10st 7lb. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. About three miles and a-half.

**TAMAKI STEEPLECHASE (HANDICAP)** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For all horses that have never won a steeplechase of the value of 100sovs, or steeplechases of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. About two miles and a-half.

**YORK WELTER HANDICAP** of 400sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and third horse 25sovs out of the stake.

For three-year-olds and upwards. Minimum weight, 9st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs each. One mile.

**WINTER STEEPLECHASE (HANDICAP)** of 350sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and third horse 25sovs out of the stake. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 3sovs each. About three miles.

**CAMPBELL HURDLE RACE (HANDICAP)** of 200sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 15sovs out of the stake. Over eight flights of hurdles. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Two miles.

**FITZROY WELTER HANDICAP** of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a flat race of the value of 100sovs, or flat races of the collective value of 250sovs at time of starting. Minimum weight, 9st. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Six furlongs.

**FAREWELL HANDICAP** of 200sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 15sovs out of the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards. Minimum weight, 9st. Winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 5lb penalty. Entrance 1sov, and acceptance 1sov each. Five furlongs.

## DATES OF NOMINATIONS, ACCEPTANCES, ETC.

### GREAT NORTHERN STEEPLECHASE MEETING, 1910.

With amounts to be transmitted to Secretary A.R.C.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29th, by 9 p.m.

**NOMINATIONS**.—Great Northern Hurdles Handicap 1sov, Great Northern Steeplechase Handicap 1sov, Winter Steeplechase 1sov, Cornwall Handicap 1sov, Prince of Wales' Handicap 1sov, York Welter Handicap 1sov.

FRIDAY, MAY 13th, General Entry, by 9 p.m.

**ACCEPTANCES**.—Great Northern Hurdles Handicap 3sovs, Great Northern Steeplechase Handicap 3sovs.

**NOMINATIONS**.—Maiden Steeplechase Handicap 1sov, Jervois Handicap 1sov, Maiden Hurdle Handicap 1sov, Hunt Club Hurdles 1sov, Members' Handicap 1sov, Orakei Hurdle Handicap 1sov, Ranfurly Welter Handicap 1sov, Remuera Hurdle Handicap 1sov, The Jumpers' Flat Race Handicap 1sov, Ladies' Bracelet 1sov, Hunt Club Cup 1sov, Tamaki Steeplechase Handicap 1sov, Fitzroy Welter Handicap 1sov, Farewell Handicap 1sov.

FRIDAY, MAY 27th, by 9 p.m.

**ACCEPTANCES**.—Maiden Steeplechase Handicap 1sov, Jervois Handicap 1sov, Maiden Hurdle Handicap 1sov, Cornwall Handicap 3sovs, Members' Handicap 1sov, Hunt Club Hurdles 1sov, Hunt Club Cup 1sov.

**FINAL PAYMENT**.—Great Northern Hurdles 4sovs.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3rd, by 9 p.m.

**ACCEPTANCES**.—Orakei Hurdle Handicap 1sov, Ranfurly Welter Handicap 1sov, Remuera Hurdle Handicap 2sovs, Prince of Wales' Handicap 3sovs, The Jumpers' Flat Race Handicap 1sov.

**FINAL PAYMENT**.—Great Northern Steeplechase 6sovs.

MONDAY, JUNE 6th, by 12 noon.

**ACCEPTANCES**.—Tamaki Steeplechase Handicap 1sov, York Welter Handicap 3sovs, Winter Steeplechase Handicap 3sovs, Campbell Hurdle Handicap 1sov, Fitzroy Welter Handicap 1sov, Farewell Handicap 1sov.

## DATES ON WHICH HANDICAPS APPEAR.

On or about MAY 9th, 1910.

Great Northern Hurdles, Great Northern Steeplechase.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25th.

Maiden Steeplechase, Jervois Handicap, Maiden Hurdle Handicap, Cornwall Handicap, Hunt Club Hurdles, Hunt Club Cup, Members' Handicap.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3rd, by 8 p.m.

Orakei Hurdles, Ranfurly Welter Handicap, Remuera Hurdles, Prince of Wales' Handicap, Jumpers' Flat Handicap.

MONDAY, JUNE 6th, in Morning Paper.

Tamaki Steeplechase, York Welter Handicap, Winter Steeplechase, Campbell Hurdle Handicap, Fitzroy Welter, Farewell Handicap.

J. F. HARTLAND, Secretary.

## PAPAKURA RACING CLUB.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 1910.

1. MAIDEN PLATE of 15sovs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, six furlongs.
2. FLYING STAKES of 20sovs; second horse 2sovs from stake. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, five furlongs.
3. PAPAKURA CUP of 40sovs; second horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination, 1sov; acceptance, 1sov. Distance, one mile.
4. HACK HANDICAP of 20sovs; second horse 2sovs from stake. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, four furlongs.
5. RAILWAY HANDICAP of 25sovs; second horse 2sovs from stake. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, six furlongs.
6. WELTER HANDICAP of 20sovs; second horse 2sovs from stake. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s. Distance, seven furlongs.

**NOMINATIONS for ALL EVENTS** close on THURSDAY, MARCH 24, with the Secretary at his Office, Durham-street East, Auckland.

F. D. YONGE,  
Secretary.