

FIFTH FEILDING STAKES. Five furlongs.

2-W. E. Bidwill's Provocation, by Birkenhead-Stepfeldt, 9.0 (Hatch) 1
1-J. Monk's Gipsy Belle, 8.13 (W. Young) 2
6-Mr. Highden's Polymorphous, 9.3 (Oliver) 3
Also ran: 6 Hermia 8.13 (R. McDonald), 4 Madam Madcap 8.7 (F. E. Jones), 3 Formby 3.7 (F. D. Jones), 7 Excel 7.4 (Deeley).

Time, 1min. 1 2-5sec.

KIWITEA WELTER, One mile.

10-Mrs. Miscal's First Mate, by Blue-jacket-Jenny, 8.0 (Coleman) 1
8-A. Alexander's Goodwin Park, 8.13 (W. Young) 2
5-Lethan, 9.1 (Oliver) 3
Also ran-1 Sharpshooter 10.9 (Jones), 3 Koran 9.13 (Ryan), 7 Marton 9.1 (C. Price) 4 Tina Toa 9.12 (Griffiths), 2 Miss Advance 8.10 (Gray), 9 Shannon Lass 8.8 (W. Price), 6 Waipuni 8.2 (Langston).

Time, 1min 44sec.

FITZROY HACK. Six furlongs.

3-W. Smart's Merrie Frank, by Merri-wee-Valors, 9 (W. Price) 1
5-D. Bulck's Vibration, 8.6 (Meagher) 2
2-H. Pharaayn's Bunkum, 8.6 (Oliver) 3
Also started: 8 Lady Doris 8.13, 7 Dervish 8.2, 6 Prancer 8.2, 7 Singer 8.1, 1 Ngatiruanui 7.7, 4 Gladole 7.7, 11 St. Lumsden 7.2, 9 Tetikura 7.2, 11 Avaunt 6.9.

Time, 11.1n 15 2-5sec.

SECOND DAY.

MENDIP SCORES.

Weather fine; attendance good; totalisator receipts £2020; for meeting £17,139. Results:-

YORK STAKES. Six furlongs.

2-Full Rate, 9.13 (S. Reid) 1
1-Equitas, 9.9 2
9-Tanekaha, 7.2 3
Also started: 6 Irish Rifle 8.1, 2 Tenterhook 7.11, 7 Emblem 7.11, 5 Mon Ami 7.8, 8 Lady Menschikoff 7.3, 4 Mulga Bill 6.13 1/4, 9 Gold Battery 7.1.

Time, 1min 14 2-5sec.

NIKAU HACK HANDICAP. Six furlongs.

1-Vibration, 8.13 (A. Oliver) 1
2-Merry Frank, 9.10 2
3-Ngatiruanui, 7.8 3
Also started: 4 Singer 7.13, 5 Julian 6.10.

Time, 1min 15 3-5sec.

MANCHESTER HANDICAP. One mile and a-quarter.

2-Mr. H. Spratt's b g Mendip, by St. Paul-Sou-wester mare, 5yrs, 8.1 (H. Gray) 1
5-John, 8.3 2
9-Teotane, 7.3 3
Also started: 1 Sandstream 9.3 7 Koran 8.5, 3 Clemora 8.2, 6 First Mate 7.9, 4 Countermeine 7.9, 8 Strathmoira 6.7, 11 Uhando 6.13 1/4, 10 Sir Solo 6.7.

Time, 2min 10 2-5sec.

CHELTHENHAM HURDLES. One mile and three-quarters.

1-The Native, 10.13 E. Murtagh) 1
4-Hydrant, 10.4 2
6-Rosegrove, 9.0 3
Also started: 3 Maggie Paul 10.12, 2 Waterworks 10.5, 5 Waiakara 9.3.

Time, 3min 16sec.

RONGOTEA HACK HURDLES. One mile and a-half.

4-Merry Lawn, 10.5 (C. Cross) 1
2-Canadian, 10.3 2
3-Claremont, 9.9 3
Also started: 1 Himitangi 11.0, 5 Moonhall 9.0.

Time, 2min 51 2-5sec.

MAIDEN HACK SCURRY. Five furlongs and a-half.

4-Jackpin 1
5-San Pluie 2
3-The Rover 3
Also started: 11 Belle Amie, 8 Meologue, 2 Egotist, 12 Retreat, 1 Allurement, 12 Codex, 13 Waiputere, 10 Hahau, 9 Harrington, 6 Te Tikura, 7 Tamakoa.

Time, 1min 15sec.

WELTER HACK FLAT HANDICAP. One mile and a distance.

6-Patrobus, 8.9 (H. Tate) 1
3-Mallet, 8.7 2
1-True Knight, 9.9 3
Also started: 5 Notorious 9.13, 8 Midian 8.13, 4 Master Laddo 8.12, 7 Floater 8.2, 2 Kauroa 8.1, 9 Howler 7.10, 10 Eva 7.10.

Time, 1min 59 2-5sec.

RAILWAY WELTER HANDICAP. Seven furlongs.

9-Lady Menschikoff, 8.9 (H. Gray) 1
8-Bunkum, 7.9 2
7-Marton, 8.6 3
Also started: 1 Sharpshooter 10.5, 5 Lethan 8.13, 2 Thetis 8.9, 12 Miss Advance 8.3, 6 Flingot 8.6, 10 Shannon Lass 8.3, 4 Kilosteri 7.9, 11 Captain Bell 7.7, 3 Waipuni 7.7.

Time, 1min 30sec.

WAIPA RACING CLUB'S MEETING.

The Waipawa Racing Club held their meeting on Saturday before a good attendance. The results are as follow:-

HURDLE RACE.-Seldom 1. The winner was the only one to finish. Blue Rocket and Maketu fell.

MAIDEN HANDICAP.-Miss Ada 1. Miss Grizzle 2, Miss Wairiki 3. Also started: Lady Cuirassier, Tainu, Panama, Paeroa, Lowgarth. Won comfortably.

FIRST HANDICAP TROT.-Dan O'Connell 1, Lady Meldon 2, Maureen 3. Also started: Bob G., Verbeen, Spy, Kohinoia, Livonia, Doris Salisbury, Lord John. The winner led practically all the way and won easily.

TE AWAMUTU CUP.-Montpeller 1. Fraulein 2, Caruso 3. Scratched: Waio-tahi, Mildura, Trepoff. Miss Livonia got home first, but a protest against her for going inside a post was upheld and the race awarded to Montpeller.

HACK HANDICAP.-Rutter 1. Lady Matiere 2, Maroon and Black 3. Also started: Ruffy, Liquidation, Crispiner, Gay Bird, St. Wood, Fluke, Datchet, Lis-mire.

SECOND HANDICAP TROT.-Syren 1.

Lady Meldon 2, Mark Scott 3. Also started: Spy and Livonia.

FLYING HANDICAP.-Arawa 1, Miss Livonia 2, Romantic 3. Also started: Caruso, Fraulein, Montpeller, Hikaka, Mildura.

NOMINATIONS, HANDICAPS AND ACCEPTANCES.

NOMINATIONS.

AUCKLAND RACING CLUB'S SUMMER MEETING.

TRIAL HANDICAP.-Domino, Antoinette, Sharpshooter, Ballyheigh, Tetekura, Miss Mischief, Tanekaha, Morecambe, First Wairiki, Swimming Belt, Sir Artegal, Santa Rosa, Lady Medallist, Tattoo, Iney, Admiral Sout, Kakama, Lady Frances.

ROBINSON HANDICAP.-Blue Mountain, Captain Sout, Walotahi, Presently, Domino, Monoplane, Muskewal, True Knight, Kowaru, Erin, Morecambe, Hamadryad, Thrave, Tipua, Maxwell, Soutoria, Master Wairiki, Goodwin Sands, Lady Betty, Lloyds, Master Jack, Maykoff, Flying Sout, Duma, La Reina, Wee Olga, Mary Ann, Scotch, Gloy, Kanewara, Rangiora, Strathrose, Bonnie Fishwife, Elegance, Cullinan.

NURSERY HANDICAP.-Hemisphere, Orton, Bootle, Tranquil, Kaween, Solitudo, Worcester, Master Baber, Master Rambler, Sylverlyte, Condamine, Royal Irish, Allegation, Cloudy Dawn, Gold Size, Traize, Lady Gluten, Malwa.

CHRISTMAS HANDICAP.-Wauchope, Antoinette, Miss Advance, Miss Mischief, Tanekaha, Bollin, Woodhey, Swimming Belt, Sir Artegal, Santa Rosa, Lady Medallist, Lady Reina, Sea Elf, Tattoo, Iney, Master Wairiki, Coromandel, Master Theory, Dazzling, Tamainupo, Manapouri, Uranium.

BOWEN HANDICAP.-Lucille, Presently, Urukehu, Minstrel, True Knight, Kowaru, Morecambe, Thrave, Hamadryad, St. Toney, Poictiers, Tipua, Maxwell, Master Jack, Maykoff, Flying Sout, Vivace, La Reina, Mary Ann, Scotch, Gloy, Wee Olga, Elegance, Aristos, Arawa, Hesperian, Bogey, Rangiora, Kanewara.

PONSONBY HURDLES.-Royal Day, Sabre, Swagsman, Freevata, Lady Patricia, Seldom, Taura, Delegate, Continuance, Reservoir, Tui Cakobau, Prophet, Black Northern, Bully, Spectre, Miss Explosion, Omati, Hoanga.

VISITORS' HANDICAP.-Merrigee, Salute, Hohungatahi, Antoinette, Muskewal, Tenterhook, Ballyheigh, Miss Advance, Perle d'Or, Formby, Birkdale, Gipsy Belle, Sunburnt, Theodore, Winning Post, Turbine, St. Toney, Avauance, Provocation, Dearest, Apellon, Blue Garmet, Hyperion, Lady Frances, Strathrose, Kanewara.

ALEXANDRA HANDICAP.-Domino, Antoinette, Sharpshooter, Tanekaha, Sir Artegal, Woodhey, Birkdale, Gipsy Belle, Santa Rosa, Lady Medallist, Lady Reina, Admiral Sout, Kakama.

CRITERION HANDICAP.-Our Queen, Hemisphere, Orton, Pelrene, Bootle, Miscount, Culprit, Midnight Sun, Tranquil, Worcester, Master Baber, Sylverlyte, Condamine, Sea Pink, Miss Winsome, Malwa, Traize.

WAITEMATA HANDICAP.-Wajotahi, Blue Mountain, Monoplane, Epsom Lass, Lady Patricia, Regain, True Knight, Tetekura, Erin, Hamadryad, Tipua, Wenonah, Maxwell, Soutoria, Master Wairiki, Lloyds, Duma, Prophet, Scotch, Cullinan, Elegance, Bonnie Fishwife, Escamillo, Michaeloff.

SALISBURY WELTER.-True Knight, Dawn, Tanekaha, Morecambe, Bollin, Swimming Belt, Waimangu, Maxwell, Paisano, Iney, Master Theory, Dazzling, Wee Olga, Cullinan, Tamainupo, Explosive, Uranium.

FERGUSON HANDICAP.-Captain Sout, Lucille, Presently, Urukehu, Minstrel, Firelock, Morecambe, Thrave, Winning Post, Hamadryad, St. Toney, Avauance, Luperin, Poictiers, Tipua, Maxwell, Haku, Miss Polly, Master Jack, Maykoff, Flying Sout, Vivace, La Reina, Taka, Mary Ann, Scotch, Gloy, Wee Olga, Elegance, Impulsive, Kowaru, Kanewara, Bogey, Hesperian, Strathrose, Arawa, Sphinx, Bonnie Fishwife, Aristos.

NEW YEAR HURDLES.-Royal Day, Swagsman, Lady Patricia, Seldom, Delegate, Taura, Continuance, Reservoir, Tui Cakobau, Prophet, Black Northern, Bully, Spectre, Hoanga, Ranghaeta.

COUNTY HANDICAP.-Miss Winnie, Salute, Hohungatahi, Antoinette, Tenterhook, Countermeine, Ballyheigh, Miss Advance, Perle d'Or, Tanekaha, Morecambe, Woodhey, Formby, Gipsy Belle, Theodore, Winning Post, Maori King, Turbine, St. Toney, Provocation, Lady Medallist, Apellon, Iney, Kakama, Lady Frances.

MIDSUMMER HANDICAP.-Miscount, Hemisphere, Orton, Bronze, Pelrene, Culprit, Bootle, Tranquil, Worcester, Sylverlyte, Condamine, Royal Irish, Sea Pink, Cloudy Dawn, Miss Winsome, Glad Tidings, Lady Gluten, Malwa.

MAIDEN HANDICAP.-Royal Day, Columbia, Blue Mountain, Wajotahi, Epsom Lass, Monoplane, Lady Patricia, Regain, True Knight, Erin, Tetekura, First Wairiki, Hamadryad, Wenonah, Maxwell, Soutoria, Master Wairiki, Goodwin Sands, Lloyds, Duma, Prophet, Scotch, Napenape, Cullinan, Elegance, Bonnie Fishwife, Escamillo, Michaeloff, Rangiora.

GLASGOW HANDICAP.-Antoinette, Sharpshooter, True Knight, Erin, Polymorphous, Miss Advance, Miss Mischief, Tanekaha, Bollin, Woodhey, Gipsy Belle, Swimming Belt, Sir Artegal, Waimangu, Santa Rosa, Lady Medallist, Dogger Bank, Tattoo, Iney, Admiral Sout, Dazzling, Tamainupo, Explosive, Jena.

GOODWOOD HANDICAP.-Wauchope, Antoinette, Sharpshooter, True Knight, Erin, Miss Advance, Miss Mischief, Bollin, Tanekaha, Woodhey, Swimming Belt, Sir Artegal, Caruso, Waimangu, Santa Rosa, Lady Medallist, Sea Elf, Dogger Bank, Soutoria, Paisano, Iney, Master Wairiki, Coromandel, Admiral Sout, Duma, Zinnia, Dazzling, Mary Ann, Cullinan, Scotch, Tamainupo, Explosive, Manapouri, Uranium, Jena.

SYLVIA HANDICAP.-Hemisphere, Orton, Pelrene, Bootle, Miscount, Tranquil, Kaween, Worcester, Master Baber, Sylverlyte, Condamine, Sea Pink, Allegation, Miss Winsome, Gold Size, Bronze.

AUCKLAND HURDLES.-Royal Day, Swagsman, Freevata, Lady Patricia, Seldom, Taura, Delegate, Continuance, Re-

servoir, Tui Cakobau, Prophet, Black Northern, Bully, Spectre, Hoanga, Ranghaeta.

NEWMARKET HANDICAP.-Miss Winnie, Salute, Hohungatahi, Urukehu, Antoinette, Sharpshooter, Tenterhook, Countermeine, Ballyheigh, Miss Advance, Perle d'Or, Tanekaha, Morecambe, Woodhey, Formby, Birkdale, Gipsy Belle, Theodore, Winning Post, Maori King, Turbine, St. Toney, Provocation, Lady Medallist, Apellon, Tattoo, Iney, Hyperion, Tamainupo, Kanewara, Lady Frances, Kakama.

AUCKLAND PLATE.-Salute, King Sout, Domino, Danube, Formby, Birkdale, Diabolo, Kopu, Bridge, Waimangu, Sir Prize, Lady Medallist, Lady Reina, Paisano, Master Theory, Gold-finder.

GREY HANDICAP.-Lucille, Merrigee, Presently, Urukehu, Minstrel, Firelock, Muskewal, True Knight, Kowaru, Tetekura, Thrave, Caruso, Hamadryad, St. Toney, Avauance, Poictiers, Tipua, Sir Walter, Haku, Goodwin Sands, Lady Betty, Morahi, Master Jack, Maykoff, Flying Sout, Vivace, Propheied, Goodwin, Lady Thorn, La Reina, Taka, Gloy, Scotch, Wee Olga, Elegance, Aristos, Puhl, Bonnie Fishwife, Miss Wairiki, Arawa, Countree, Strathrose, Hesperian, Bogey, Caedmon, Kanewara, Impulsive, Fremantle.

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TROTTING.

FIXTURES.

Dec. 26 and 27-Westport T.C. Summer Dec. 26 and 27-Hutt Valley T.C. Annual Dec. 26, Jan. 2 and 3-Canterbury Park T.C. Summer Dec. 27, 31 and Jan. 7-Auckland T.C. Summer Dec. 30, Jan. 3 and 4-Greymouth T.C. Summer

NOMINATIONS.

Dec. 9-Auckland T.C. Summer

HANDICAPS.

Dec. 12-Hutt Valley T.C. Annual Dec. 13-Auckland T.C. Summer Dec. 13-Greymouth T.C. Summer Dec. 19-Canterbury Park T.C. Summer

ACCEPTANCES.

Dec. 16-Auckland T.C. Summer Dec. 16-Westport T.C. Summer Dec. 19-Hutt Valley T.C. Annual Dec. 20-Greymouth T.C. Summer Dec. 22-Canterbury Park T.C. Summer

IN BRIEF.

(By "HAVOC.")

Maplewood, who established a mile and a-half record, at the Otahuhu Trotting Club's Spring Meeting, is going along satisfactory, and if not asked to conceive enormous starts, should pick up a stake at Xmas.

Annoyed is reported to be showing plenty of pace, and she should make amends for her two failures at no distant date. She is still in R. Hamilton's stable, which shelters some decidedly useful ones. If rumour is correct, Hamilton has a "dark" maiden in the stable.

W. Orange is getting a big team together at Kohimarama, and this capable educator of trotters may be expected to do his clients a good turn at the A.T.C. Summer Meeting. Orange is now training Mistime, and the stable may pull off both Trotting and Pony Cups.

Trotting enthusiasts will, in all probability, have to journey to Manurewa to witness the favourite pastime, next season. It will be remembered that some few months ago Alexandra Park, which consists of 27 acres, was sold to a syndicate for £20,000. Later the property was on offer at an increase of £4,000, and there appeared to be a prospect of the Auckland Rugby Union, Auckland Trotting Club, and Agricultural Society purchasing the property, but negotiations are now declared off. It is understood that the Auckland Trotting Club's lease will expire in May next. A fine property close to the railway line at Manurewa is held by the Club and it is understood that no time will be lost in commencing the work of fencing the track and erecting the necessary buildings.

"The Forbury Park stewards would find something to interest them if they got the betting figures attached to the different races on last week's programme, (says a writer in the Otago "Witness,") and compared the manner in which some horses were supported for their different starts. It seems strange, to say the least, that a comparatively slight alteration in a handicap should be followed by a vast alteration in the betting."

Rothschild was writ large over the Forbury Park programme, and the crack sire continues to assert himself as a speed-producer. On the first day Lohead, a grandson of Rothschild, opened up a winner in the first event, and then came Ravenschild, Lady Baron (a grand-daughter of Rothschild) and Flowerchild, a grandson of the son of Childs Harold. On the second day Miriam B, Lord Chancellor, Lady Baron, Flowerchild, and Embrace kept the line in evidence, so that nine out of 16 races stand to his credit as a sire, either in the first or second generation.

The bookmakers decline to take up the positions allotted to them by the Forbury Park Club, and "struck." The club refunded the fees in preference to allowing the fielders to operate at their old position, and the latter pooled their risk, and took out three pad-dock licenses each day. The book-makers who declined to take up the allotted positions were promptly ordered off the course. The fielders were not without reason behind their complaint, as those unfortunate enough to draw the position farthest away from the totalisator would have received very little business compared to those who were more advantageously placed. The club, however, possessed the whip hand and did not hesitate to use it, although their action was not quite within the spirit of the act.