

## MANAWATU RACING CLUB.

## SUMMER MEETING.

Splendid nominations have been received for the Manawatu Racing Club's summer meeting, which takes place on December 27, 28, and 30. Mr. J. E. Henrys will declare the weights for the first day on Friday, December 10. The nominations are as follows:—

## FIRST DAY.

**TRIAL PLATE**, seven furlongs.—Gamboula, Malincourt, Whiriwata, Rangitoto, Lord Usk, Lord Ashlea, Lady Ima, Sunbath, Festivity, La Paloma, Minsk, Te Kaha, Corola, Melting Moments, Blissfulness, Prudent Lad, Released, Kuia, Mead, Pupil, Sagacity, Merry Tiff, Merry Queen, Merville, Interest, Absurdity, Rimutaka, Glenmai, Sprinkle, Springtide, Whai, Karere, Hallowroz, Bonnbrook, Niu Tiren, Top Dog.

**TOKOMARU HURDLES**, one and three-quarter miles.—Falstaff, Multive, Old Gold, Manihera, Better Luck, Kohu, Coroglen, Buckeye, Goldstream, Dick, Hyttus, Pokanekane, Merri Poto, Master Boris, Grange, Cross Words, Powder King, Pauerewere, Hautawa, Sweet Tipperary.

**GILLES HACK HANDICAP**, six furlongs.—Shamrock, Waimahoe, Beloved, Earthshine, Barleycorn, Prince Hal, Lord Usk, Asterina, Sunbath, Miss Love, Canyon, Early Dawn, Rangitata, Handy, Swift Flight, Militaire, Vindictive, Elcullus, Melting Moment, Elxir, Valley Rose, Prudent Lad, Kildee, Strategy, Warmaid, Automana, Kuia, Samarang, Yankee Dan, Magistrate, Fortune Teller, War Baby, Siberian, Princess Marion, Birkie, Absurdity, Namur, Bacchante, Verbosity, Stutter, Gallia, Top Dog, American Beauty.

**MANAWATU CUP**, one mile and a-half.—Dusky Eve, Moutoa Ivanova, Bonnie Maid, Imaribbon, Crucelle, Sunart, Kilgour, Lovematch, Demagogue, Red Ribbon, Esperance, Maioha, Kipling, Sycorax, Uncle Ned, Athens II, Hurry Up, Nobleman, Rose Pink, Cleft, Client, Isabel, Marquetteur, Warrawee, Volo, Molyneux, First Salute.

**NURSERY HANDICAP**, five furlongs.—Pantler, Scion, Pam, Piffle, Armored, Anomaly, Roset, Capping Day, Princess Pat, Kildred, First Born, The Hawk, Toa Taua, Taipairu, War Path, Sleeping Beauty, Creme de Menthe, Panache, Panopy, Bonny Rose, Dissertation, Tommy Rot, Lord Martian, D'Aubepines, Edendale, Backsheesh, Mockery, Roman, Southerina.

**TARARUA HACK WELTER**, one mile 55 yards.—Gamboula, All Cerise, White Hope, Happy Days, Lord Usk, Lord Ashlea, Misslove, Manihera, Festivity, La Paloma, Lady Flash, Flight Commander, Transmission, Goolwa, Convention Potomea, Prince Martian, Royal Gift, Pupil, Pavilion, Sweet Song, Olynthus, Passenger, Admiration, Sling Camp, Ohiti, Pente, Achilleon, Stutter, Marziale, American Beauty.

**FITZHERBERT HANDICAP**, six furlongs.—Wake, Gold Problem, Woden, Astinome, Crucelle, Parisian Diamond, Statuette, Chimera, Early Dawn, Nursing Sister, Handy, Solfanello, Blackmail, Waimatao, Affectation, Strategy, Sweet Memory, Trentham Rose, Bonny Briar, Acre, Inah, Income, Rouen.

**GRANDSTAND HANDICAP**, one mile 55 yards.—Insurrection, All Cerise, Multive, White Hope, Kilgour, Te Oro, Parisian Diamond, Potentiality, Demagogue, Esperance, Rose Queen, Punka, Maioha, Sycorax, Ben Bolt, Waimatao, Sir Fanciful, Hurry Up, Elcullus, Paoanui, Rose Pink, Borealis, Sweet Corn, Amberine, Isabel, Idle Talk, Ralland, Arch Salute, Printemps, Hyttus, Jutland, Kipling.

## SECOND DAY.

**KELVIN HACK**, one mile 55 yards.—Vasilkov, All Cerise, White Hope, Lord Usk, Misslove, Festivity, La Paloma, Lady Flash, Ben Bolt, Transmission, Potomea, Royal Gift, Yankee Dan, War Baby, Pupil, Sweet Song, Olynthus, Passenger, Sprinkle, Ohiti, Namur, Silver Tongue, Pente, Niu Tiren.

**TE MATAI HURDLES**, one mile and three-quarters.—Falstaff, Explorer, Old Gold Multive, Manihera, Better Luck, Kohu, Coroglen, Buckeye, Goldstream, Goolwa, Hyttus, Dick, Trentham Rose, Sail Home, Pavilion, Pokanekane, Viglio, Diamond Nap, Merrie Poto, Grange, Master Boris, Crosswords, Powder King, Pauerewere, Alert, Manhattan, Hautawa.

**HIGHDEN HACK**, six furlongs.—Shamrock, Melting Moments, Waimahoe, Martian Miss, Earthshine, Barleycorn, Whiriwata, Prince Hal, Lord Usk, Lady Ima, Sunbath, Misslove, Canyon, Early Dawn, Rangitata, Militaire, Vindictive, Conziska, Valley Rose, Prudent Lad, Kildee, Strategy, War Maid, Automana, Kuia, Samarang, Yankee Dan, Magistrate, Pupil, Spare Moment, Fortune Teller, Princess Marion, Absurdity, Rimutaka, Bacchante, Verbosity, Hallowroz, Gallia, Top Dog, Lord Desmond.

**PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP**, one mile and a-quarter.—Dusky Eve, Insurrection, Moutoa Ivanova, Missmaid, Bonnie Maid, Imaribbon, Crucelle, Sunart, Kilgour, Te Oro, Lovematch, Demagogue, Red Ribbon, Esperance, Maioha, Sycorax, Hurry Up, Sir Fanciful, Affectation, Nobleman, Rose Pink, Cleft, Client, Isabel, Marquetteur, Warrawee, Volo, Molyneux, First Salute, Hyttus.

**TERRACE HACK**, seven furlongs.—Gamboula, Beloved, Hymarty, Barleycorn, Happy Days, Rangitoto, Prince Hal, Lord Usk, Lord Ashlea, Misslove, La Paloma, Minsk, Rangitata, Rebuff, Lady Flash, Flight Commander, Goolwa, Malincourt, Convention, Blissfulness, Willys Knight, Prudent Lad, Prince Martian, Automana, Sagacity, Merry Tiff, Borealis, War Baby, Sweet Song, Siberian, Merville, Interest, Admiration, Sling Camp, Fashion—Glory filly, Namur, Springtide, Signysian, Whai Karere, Achilleon, Stutter, Silver Tongue, Glentour, American Beauty.

**HIMITANGI WELTER**, one mile 55 yards.—Insurrection, Rebuff, Imaribbon, White Hope, Omahu, Te Oro, Asterina, Potentiality, Esperance, Rose Queen, Punka, Maioha, Sycorax, Missmaid, Sir Fanciful, Hurry Up, Elcullus, Paoanui, Prince Martian, Nobleman, Borealis, Amberine, Idle Talk, Income, Ralland, Olynthus, Arch Salute, Jutland, Croesus, Kipling.

**AWAPUNI HANDICAP**, six furlongs.—Wake, Gold Problem, Woden, Astinome, Crucelle, Ruddy, Parisian Diamond, Chimera, Canyon, Early Dawn, Nursing Sister, Handy, Solfanello, Blackmail, Waimatao, Affectation, Strategy, Sweet Memory, Yankee Dan, Bonny Briar, Sweet Corn, Acre, Inah, Income, Rouen, Printemps, Croesus.

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## THIRD DAY.

**WHITMORE HACK HANDICAP**, one mile one furlong.—Rebuff, Barleycorn, Misslove, Minsk, Lady Flash, Vasilkov, Transmission, Prince Martian, Royal Gift, Sagacity, Pupil, War Baby, Sweet Song, Interest, Passenger, Ohiti, Niu Tiren, American Beauty.

**TIRITEA HURDLES**, one mile and a-half.—Falstaff, Explorer, Multive, Old Gold, Lord Ashlea, Manihera, Better Luck, Kohu, Coroglen, Buckeye, Goldstream, Goolwa, Tipperary Lass, Hyttus, Dick, Trentham Rose, Sail Home, Pavilion, Pokanekane, Viglio, Diamond Nap, Merrie Poto, Grange, Master Boris, Signysian, Crosswords, Powder King, Whetoke, Pauerewere, Achilleon, Marziale, Alert, Manhattan, Hautawa, Sweet Tipperary.

**JUVENILE HANDICAP**, five furlongs.—Pantler, Scion, Pam, f Fera-morz—Baronia, Dunedin, Piffle, Earthshine, Armored, Roset, Maritza, Capping Day, Princess Pat, Sunbath, Sunnyvale, First Born, Canyon, The Hawk, Toa Taua, Taipairu, War Path, Bonmark, Sleeping Beauty, Creme de Menthe, Panache, Panopy, Kildee, Bonny Rose, Tommy Rot, Dissertation, Lord Martian, D'Aubepines, Merry Queen, Edendale, Backsheesh, Siberian, Penalty, Mockery, Roman, Southerina, Bonnbrook, Martulla, Demosthenes—Rose Shield filly.

**LIVERPOOL HANDICAP**, one mile one furlong.—Dusky Eve, Moutoa Ivanova, Missmaid, All Cerise, Bonnie Maid, Imaribbon, White Hope, Astinome, Crucelle, Sunart, Kilgour, Te Oro, Parisian Diamond, Demagogue, Red Ribbon, Esperance, Rose Queen, Punka, Maioha, Sycorax, Uncle Ned, Ben Bolt, Sir Fanciful, Hurry Up, Affectation, Nobleman, Rose Pink, Cleft, Borealis, Client, Isabel, Sweet Song, Idle Talk, Marquetteur, Warrawee, Volo, Molyneux, Rouen, Olynthus, First Salute, Hyttus, Jutland, Croesus, Kipling.

**WESTBURY HACK HANDICAP**, five furlongs.—Waimahoe, Chant Royal, Barleycorn, Maritza, Whiriwata, Lord Usk, Asterina, Lady Ima, Sunbath, Canyon, Early Dawn, Rangitata, Handy, Militaire, Vindictive, Conziska, Melting Moments, Elxir, Valley Rose, Prudent Lad, Kildee, Warmaid, Released, Automana, Kuia, Samarang, Yankee Dan, Magistrate, Pupil, Spare Moment, Fortune Teller, Birkie, Absurdity, Zephland, Sprinkle, Bacchante, Gallia, Top Dog.

**CLANDEBOYE HANDICAP**, one mile 55 yards.—Vasilkov, All Cerise, Multive, Imaribbon, White Hope, Kilgour, Te Oro, Asterina, Potentiality, Esperance, Rose Queen, Maioha, Missmaid, Ben Bolt, Waimatao, Sir Fanciful, Elcullus, Hurry Up, Paoanui, Rose Pink, Bonny Briar, Demand, Ralland, Olynthus, Arch Salute, Jutland, Pente, Kipling.

**CHRISTMAS HACK HANDICAP**, seven furlongs.—Gamboula, Beloved, Martian Miss, Rebuff, White Hope, Happy Days, Prince Hal, Lord Ashlea, Misslove, Festivity, La Paloma, Minsk, Lady Flash, Flight Commander, Militaire, Transmission, Goolwa, Malincourt.

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## STRATFORD RACING CLUB

## ANNUAL MEETING.

To be held on the Stratford Racecourse.

SATURDAY AND MONDAY, JANUARY 1 AND 3, 1921.

## PROGRAMME:

## FIRST DAY.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 1921. First Race starts at 11.45 a.m.

1. MAIDEN PLATE of 150sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stakes. Open to all horses that have never won a race of any description at the time of start. Weight for two-year-olds 8.0, three-year-olds and upwards 8.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Five furlongs.
2. TARIKI WELTER HACK HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 17 sovs from the stakes. Minimum weight 8.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Seven furlongs.
3. STRATFORD CUP HANDICAP of 700sovs; second horse to receive 140sovs, and third horse 70sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 120s. One mile and a-quarter.
4. OHURA HACK HURDLE HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20 sovs from stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. One mile and three-quarters, over seven flights of 3ft. 6in. batten hurdles.
5. DOUGLAS HANDICAP of 350sovs; second horse to receive 70sovs, and third horse 35sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 50s. Six furlongs.
6. MIDHIRST HACK HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Eight furlongs and a-half.
7. MAHOE WELTER HANDICAP of 275 sovs; second horse to receive 55sovs, and third horse 27sovs from the stakes. Minimum weight, 8.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. Eight furlongs and a-half.
8. RAILWAY HACK HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 35 sovs, and third horse 17sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Six furlongs.

## SECOND DAY.

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 1921.

First Race starts at 11.45 a.m.

1. CARDIFF HACK HANDICAP of 150 sovs; second horse to receive 30 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stakes. Horses starting in this race to be ridden by apprentice jockeys only. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Seven furlongs.
2. TOKO WELTER HACK HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 17sovs from the stakes. Minimum weight, 8.0. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Eight furlongs and a-half.
3. THE MALONE MEMORIAL HANDICAP of 500sovs; second horse to receive 100sovs, and third horse 50 sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 80s. Eight furlongs and a-half.
4. MAKURI HACK HURDLE HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 17 sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. One mile and a-half, over six flights of 3ft. 6in. batten hurdles.
5. NGAERE HANDICAP of 300sovs; second horse to receive 60sovs, and third horse 30sovs from the stakes. Nomination 20s., acceptance 50s. Six furlongs.
6. STRATHMORE HACK HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 17sovs from the stakes. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Five furlongs.
7. LOWGARTH WELTER HANDICAP of 225sovs; second horse to receive 45sovs, and third horse 22sovs from the stakes. Minimum weight, 8.0. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Eight furlongs and a-half.
8. COUNTY HACK HANDICAP of 175 sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 17sovs from the stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Six furlongs.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, ACCEPTANCES, ETC.

NOMINATIONS for all events close on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1920, at 9 p.m.

WEIGHTS for First Day's events declared on or about FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1920, and for Second Day's events on SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 1921, at 8 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for First Day's events close on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1920, at 9 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for Second Day's events close at 9 p.m. on SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 1921.

Stratford Telegraph Office closes at 8 p.m.

ALFRED COLEMAN, Secretary.

Approved by the Taranaki District Committee in accordance with the Rules of Racing, this 21st day of October, 1920.—E. P. Webster, Secretary.

## THE CLUBMAN.

(Continued.)

The Auckland horse, Glen Canny, was in the bloom in the early spring as the result of his winter form, and he was much fancied for the New Zealand Cup before and after he won at Avondale. He may come back to favour, but he has not raced well in the interval, and at no time does he show anything much on the tracks. Lovematch races like a stayer, and she has had plenty of time to recoup, and we may find her capable of running the race of her life. Gasbag has been treated as though he is a pretty useful three-year-old. Presumably, Duo, his superior, would have had a few pounds more had he been engaged. Bonnie Maid stays better than her appearance would suggest, and perhaps recent racing may be beneficial in seasoning her. Naturally, a horse like Prince Willonyx, whose three starts in the last few weeks have ended in wins and who has confounded some of his critics, who accepted him on his Australian want of form, has come in for a lot of notice, and despite the fact that this imported horse was a few months eating the oats of idleness awaiting a passage to New Zealand and may be on the unready side, there are plenty of people and some keen judges who will not look much further for the winner on the day if he trains on satisfactorily. Royal Abbey jumped into prominence every bit as quick as Prince Willonyx has done, but will he stand up to the necessary work and stay? Tigritiya may stay now she has age, but sprinting in previous seasons has been all she has been asked to accomplish. Humbug is not a stayer, and though assessed 7lb. below Gasbag (in the same stable) is not likely to start, but may be reserved for the Railway Handicap. There are a few likely stayers amongst those lower down, but riders are hard to get at the weight. Woody Glen is one that should be kept on the right side, and before coming to the 6.7 division Nightraider and Starland are a pair that come to mind. Walton is sometimes suggested as a likely one to win a big race. Most people will be content to discard Lord Kenilworth, who the handicapper has now practically written out as past praying for.

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