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CALEDONIAN GROUNDS, DUNEDIN.

Saturday, March 18, 1899.

Under Distinguished Patronage.

£150 GIVEN AWAY IN PRIZES.

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Superintendent: A. Harris, Esq. Consul: A. J. Sullivan, Esq.

Referee: H. B. Courtis, Esq.

Judges: Hurling—J. Liston, Molloy, and O'Connor. Wrestling—J. Liston, C. F. Greenslade (to select Referee). Running, Walking, Cycling—Rev. Fathers Cleary and Coffey, J. S. McKenzie, M.H.R., and J. Marlow. Umpires—W. Bell, R. Crow, W. Begg, W. Hooper, W. Low. Clerks of Course—G. Magnus, F. Jago, W. Carr, D. Falkner. Timekeepers—O. Moller, A. Hunter, P. Millar. Lap Scorers—W. McKinlay, J. Connor, Junr. Press Steward—R. Jay. Telegraph Stewards—J. Kirby, J. J. Dunne. Dancing Judges—J. Blaney, and to select another. Judges of Other Events—L. Clancy, J. Laffey, J. Liston. Handicappers: Cycling—W. Begg, R. Crow. Running and Walking—D. Duncan. Amateur Running—W. Low. Starter—A. Cowie.

Chairman of Committee, W. A. Shields; Treasurer, P. Carolin; Secretary, H. McCormack.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS:

- 1 Obstacle Race. Twice round the ring. Conditions—Same as at Caledonian Meeting. Entry 2s. ... £2 £1 10s
- 2 Wrestling—Cumberland Style. Entry 2s. ... £5 £2 £1
- 3 Half-Mile Bicycle Handicap (cash). Entry 2s. ... 2 1 0
- 4 Handicap Flat Race (100yds). Trophies. Entry 6d. For Catholic School boys under 16 years only ... 15s 5s 0
- 5 Hop, Step and Jump (open). Trophy. Entry 1s. ... 1 0 0
- 6 One Mile Bicycle Race (amateur). Trophies. Entry 2s. ... 2 1 0
- 7 Irish Jig. Entry 2s. ... 2 1 0
- 8 HIBERNIAN WHEEL RACE. HANDICAP. Two Miles. Entry, 10s; Acceptance, 2s 6d. Winners of Heats, 10s. ... 20 5 2 1
- 9 Putting the 16lb. Ball. Entry 2s. ... 2 1 0
- 10 One Mile Handicap Walk (open). Entry 2s. ... 3 2 1
- 11 One and a Half Miles Ladies' Bracelet Bicycle Race. Entry, 2s 6d; Acceptance, 1s. Winners of Heats, 10s. ... 4 2 1
- 12 Best Puck—Confined to Competitors in Hurling Teams. Post Entry 1s. Trophy. ... 1 0 0
- 13 220yds Amateur Race. Entry 2s. Trophies value ... 2 1 0
- 14 ST. PATRICK'S HANDICAP of Three Distances—100yds, 220yds, 440yds. Entry 3s. First and Second in each event receive £3 and £1 respectively. Points to be given to First, Second and Third in each distance. Winner of highest aggregate points to receive a Trophy, value £5 5s. ... £17 5s
- 15 Wrestling—Irish Style, Collar and Elbow. Entry 2s. ... 7 2 1
- 16 One Mile Bicycle Handicap (open). Entry, 2s; Acceptance, 1s; Winners of Heats, 10s. ... 3 2 1
- 17 Dancing Highland Fling (in costume). Entry 2s. ... 1 0
- 18 Youths' Handicap Flat Race, under 16 (220yds). Entry 6d. Trophies. ... 1 10s 5s
- 19 Three Mile Scratch Bicycle Race. Entry 2s 6d; Acceptance, 2s. Pacing will be permitted in this event. No lap prizes. ... 5 2 1
- 20 Hurling Match. Entry 1s a man. To be the last item on the programme. Conditions—If two bona fide teams do not enter, the Hurling Match will not take place. Teams to consist of not over 15 men each. ... £5 5s 0 0
- 21 440yds Amateur Flat Race. Trophies. Entry 2s ... 2 1 0
- 22 Multicycle Handicap Race. Entry, 2s 6d per man ... 3 2 0
- 23 Hammer Throwing—16lb Hammer (open). Post Entry, 2s. ... 2 1 0

All Cycling Races to be run under League of New Zealand Wheelmen Rules.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.—

Entries by Post received by the Secretary, Mr. Harry McCormack, George street, Dunedin, or personally at the Society's Rooms, Tablet Office, between the hours of 3 and 10 on the 12th of March.

Entries for the Hibernian Wheel Race and St. Patrick's Handicap close on Tuesday, March 7, at 10 o'clock, at Tablet Office, Dunedin.

Four competitors or no Event; Six or no Second Prize; Eight or no Third.

The above is not necessarily the order in which the events will take place.

The Committee reserve the right to refuse any entry.

Entries for cycling races, accompanied with fees, must be made on the League official forms, together with the particulars of last six performances and colours of riders, otherwise they will not be recognised.

All entry forms must be signed by competitors.

Winners of Finals in Races are not entitled to Heat Prizes.

The Term 'Known to Handicapper' will not be accepted on any Entry Form.

Events Nos. 13 and 21 to be Run under the N.Z.A.A.A. Rules.

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