



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Counties Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 19 November 2016
<b>Weather:</b>	Drizzling		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead (5)		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J Oatham (Chairman), M Williamson, A Coles, M Davidson		
<b>Typist:</b>	Stewards		

### SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	EL LUCHADOR, MAID OF STEEL, TALARIA, OSCAR EIGHT, PRINCE OF PASSION, LASARLA, SOMETHINGVAIN, BANROCK, CHOCANTE, EL PISTOLA, SHEZHARDCATCH, SNOWDROP, BUY ME A ROCK		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	3	<b>M Du Plessis</b> TALARIA Careless riding after start [(638(1)(d))] Suspended 24-30/11 inclusive, 4 days.
		9	<b>S McKay</b> BARNABY Careless riding 75 metres [(638(1)(d))] Suspended 27/11 - 4/12 inclusive, 4 days.
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	7	<b>L Innes</b> SNOW SECRET \$350 [(330(3)(c))] Unable to make contracted weight
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	9	<b>V Colgan</b> BRAKBAR Shifting ground after start [Rule 638(1)(d)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	5	<b>GIRL OF MY DREAMS</b> – Cardiac Arrhythmia, appropriate veterinary certificate of fitness required <b>GET THAT JIVE</b> – Veterinary certificate of fitness required
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Race	1	<b>WHITE DIAMOND</b>
		5	<b>FRANCALETTA</b>
		7	<b>GET THAT JIVE</b>
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race	7	<b>SNOW SECRET</b> – M Coleman for L Innes (overweight)
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

### GENERAL:

No issues to report.
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### SUPPLEMENTARY:

<b>Canterbury Jockey Club – Wednesday 9 November 2016</b>
<b>Race 9 - COUPLANDS BAKERIES MILE</b>
<b>SEIZE THE MOMENT</b> - Trainer S Marsh advised that he was satisfied with the recovery of SEIZE THE MOMENT following its performance in this race, adding that the gelding did not handle the firm nature of the track. Mr Marsh also advised that SEIZE THE MOMENT has now been sent for a brief freshen up.
<b>SEVENTH UP</b> - Trainer S Hale advised SEVENTH UP was very jarred up following the race, has had chiropractic treatment and will have at least a week off with possibly a longer spell being required.

**Canterbury Jockey Club – Saturday 12 November 2016**

**Race 7 – GAVELHOUSE.COM 44<sup>TH</sup> NZ 1000 GUINEAS**

**MYSTERY SHOW** - Trainer J Bridge advised that MYSTERY SHOW has recovered well following this race adding that in his opinion the filly was not suited to the prevailing track conditions on the inside part of the track.

**GLASS SLIPPER** - Co-Trainer A Scott advised that GLASS SLIPPER has recovered well following this race and has now been sent for a brief spell.

**Race 9 CHRISTCHURCH CASINO NZ CUP (3200 metres)**

**GENTIL TONTON** - Co-Trainer A Scott advised that GENTIL TONTON pulled up sore following this race and has now been sent for a spell.

**RACE COMMENTS:**

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>MOUNT SHOP 2400</b>
<p><b>LATE DECISION</b> (S Spratt) – Slow to begin. Firmly restrained when improving onto heels near the 800 metres then having to be further restrained on a number of occasions to avoid heels being held up until shifting outwards across heels near the 200 metres to obtain clear running. Inconvenienced passing 50 metres when PENTIRE BABE shifted outwards under pressure.</p> <p><b>PENTIRE BABE</b> (V Gatu) – Inclined to lay out under pressure in the final straight.</p> <p><b>HEEZA DREIMER</b> (R Elliot) – Apprentice rider R Elliot was reminded of his obligations with regard to whip use prior to the 200 metres.</p> <p><b>BATTLEFIELD</b> (Z Nor Azman) - Apprentice rider Z Nor Azman was reminded of his obligations with regard to whip use prior to the 200 metres.</p> <p><b>WHITE DIAMOND</b> (D Johnson) - When questioned regarding performance rider D Johnson was unable to offer any excuses.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>H.R.FISKEN &amp; SONS LTD 1600</b>
<p><b>PROMISES</b> (S Collett) – Slow to begin. When questioned, rider was unable to offer any tangible excuses.</p> <p><b>BLIZZARD</b> (A Collett) – Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>ASTON PARK</b> (D Prastiyou) – Commenced to over-race badly near the 1200 metres continuing to do so into the middle stages.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>MURDOCH NEWELL STAKES (Listed Race)</b>
<p>Co-Trainer <b>P Williams</b> was issued with a warning after presenting TALARIA without notified gear (Side Winkers).</p> <p><b>MIDNIGHT RUNNER</b> (K McCulloch) – Crowded start before being further hampered. Crowded and checked shortly after the start. Hampered 1000 metres and forced wider hampering HASAHALO. Shifted outwards across heels 500 metres to obtain clear running, forcing HASAHALO wider on the track.</p> <p><b>NOTHIN' ON ME</b> (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly, crowding GLOBAL THINKING onto MIDNIGHT RUNNER then continued to lay out for a distance further crowding GLOBAL THINKING and MIDNIGHT RUNNER.</p> <p><b>GLOBAL THINKING</b> (S Weatherley) – Crowded start. Made the turn near the 1000 metres awkwardly, hampering MIDNIGHT RUNNER. Apprentice S Weatherley was questioned regarding poor performance, advising that the filly may not have been entirely comfortable in today's track conditions.</p>	

**HASAHALO** (S Spratt) – Crowded and checked shortly after the start. Hampered and forced wider 1000 metres then raced wide throughout. Forced wider 500 metres.

**M Du Plessis** - admitted a charge of careless riding in that shortly after the start he permitted TALARIA to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of HASAHALO which was forced inwards and checked, resulting in crowding to MIDNIGHT RUNNER which was also checked with the Judicial Committee suspending his license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> of November, up to and including the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> of November, 4 riding days.

**Race 4** | **FASTRACK INSURANCE 1400**

**SKYWEKA** (M McNab) – Began awkwardly, losing ground. When questioned regarding performance M McNab advised the mare had not been suited by the slow tempo of today's race.

**VINCENT STREET** (C Dell) – Over-raced in the middle stages getting its head up.

**ELUSIVE GOLD** (E Farr) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Rider dropped whip near the 350 metres.

**Race 5** | **NRM AUCKLAND THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS STAKES (Group 2)**

**TRIACTION** (M Du Plessis) – Began awkwardly making contact with NEALA, with ROCKNROLLA being crowded as a result.

**NEALA** (M Hills) – bumped start.

**ROCKNROLLA** (T Thornton) – Crowded start.

**HOTSHOT LASS** (S Wynne) – Raced wide without cover.

**GIRL OF MY DREAMS** (L Innes) – Gave ground quickly from the 500 metres, and was not persevered with from near the 300 metres with rider L Innes advising something had felt amiss with the mare. A post-race veterinary examination found the mare to have suffered from Cardiac Arrhythmia with the appropriate veterinary clearance now required prior to racing next.

**RED TSUNAMI** (V Colgan) – Made contact with the weakening GIRLOFMYDREAMS approaching the 400 metres.

**AOTEAROWER** (M McNab) – was hampered by the weakening GIRLOFMYDREAMS near the 400 metres. Then had some difficulty obtaining clear running for the remainder of the race also having a tendency to lay out.

**BIG DREAMER** (S Collett) – Held up early in the final straight and did not obtain clear running until near the 200 metres with rider then dropping her whip near the 100 metres.

**FRANCALETTA** (M Coleman) – Raced keenly when being restrained for a distance approaching the 1000 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuses. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**Race 6** | **LONE STAR PUKEKOHE 1600**

**DOUBTLESS PRINCESS** (R Elliot) – Crowded start between ALAMER and OUR DAISY which both began awkwardly and shifted ground.

**ALAMER** (D Johnson) – Jumped away awkwardly.

**OUR DAISY** (A Jones) – Jumped away awkwardly. Raced wide without cover. Returned to the enclosure with a sprung right front plate. Subsequent veterinary examination confirmed the mare to have sprung the right front plate with the toe clip penetrating the toe of the hoof.

**NELSON PARK** (V Colgan) – Over-raced when being restrained near the 1100 metres continuing to race keenly through the middle stages.

**PALACE ROCK** (M Du Plessis) – Made contact with BLUE WAGON when looking to obtain clear running near the 400 metres, with those two runners continuing to come together for a distance when PALACE ROCK was taken out by NAUGHTY KNUCKLES.

**BLUE WAGON** (M Cameron) – Bumped with PALACE ROCK on a number of occasions passing the 400 metres.

**BANROCK** (T Wenn) – Shifted outwards under pressure over the final 150 metres.

**Race 7** | **SSANGYONG COUNTIES CUP (Group 3)**

**L Innes** – Fined \$350 by the Judicial Committee after being unable to make the contracted weight for SNOW SECRET being replaced by M Coleman.

**CANDLE IN THE WIND** (C Lammas) – Began awkwardly.

**CHOCANTE** (C Grylls) – Began awkwardly. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**CHENILLE** (D Johnson) – Got its head up when being steadied near the 1900 metres then being inclined to over-race for a distance. Rider D Johnson advised that the mare may not have been entirely comfortable in today's track conditions.

**GET THAT JIVE** (M Cameron) - Rider advised the gelding had felt sore pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination found the gelding to be lame in the left foreleg with a veterinary certificate of fitness being required prior to racing next.

**Race 8** | **HAUNUI FARM COUNTIES BOWL (Listed Race)**

**SHEZHARDTOCATCH** (G Cooksley) – Slow to begin.

**RED STRIKER** (S Collett) – Began awkwardly, losing ground.

**FIRE JET** (D Prastiyou) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**BIGGIN HILL** (A Collett) – Held up near the 400 metres before attempting a marginal run to the inside of AAJA NACHLE eventually obtaining clear running near the 150 metres.

**Race 9** | **FRANKLIN LONG ROOFING 1400**

**FIERTE** (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly. Placed in restricted room when weakening near the 250 metres to the inside of WILDFLOWER which shifted inwards abruptly.

**WILDFLOWER** (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

**FLORENCE HILL** (A Collett) – Slow to begin.

**SACRED SURFER** (C Grylls) – Began awkwardly. Raced three wide without cover. Inconvenienced 50 metres.

**WAIPIPI LAD** (D Prastiyou) – Crowded start. Raced wide without cover.

**FIXATION** (M Coleman) – Crowded start.

**BRILLEAUX** (T Wenn) – Began awkwardly.

**ROYAL MAJITO** (K McCulloch) – Began awkwardly then shifted outwards abruptly, making contact with **CHANCERY** and being hampered as a result. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early and middle stages.

**CHANCERY** (C Lammas) – Bumped on two occasions shortly after leaving the barriers by **ROYAL MAJITO** then having to be checked after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **BRAKBAR** (V Colgan) which shifted inwards. **V Colgan** was issued with a warning.

**BAMURRU** (D Johnson) – Held up passing the 400 metres and was unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the race.

**ONLY IF** (M Cameron) – Lay out soon after leaving the barriers. Crowded and checked near the 75 metres.

Apprentice Rider **S McKay** - admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount to shift out near the 75 metres when insufficiently clear crowding **ONLY IF** which was checked with the Judicial Committee suspending his license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November, up to and including the conclusion of racing on the Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December, 4 riding days.

**BARNABY** (S McKay) – Held up early in the final straight and did not obtain clear running until near the 200 metres.

**BUY ME A ROCK** (L Innes) – Shifted inwards under pressure inconveniencing **SACRED SURFER** near the 50 metres.

**MONEY TRAIL** (S Weatherley) – When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had failed to see out the 1400 metres of today's race.