

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

CALCUTTA RACES

SPRING MEETING, FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, 2nd FEBRUARY, 2023

False rails were in position from about 1200 metres to about 400 metres.

Penetrometer Reading 1.4 cms

1st RACE (80) THE CAVALRY CUP – For Horses Rated 1-26 – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (About) 1100 Metres (1.30/1.30) : 9 runners

Jockey Nikhil Naidu (LIGHTINTHESKY) was fined a sum of Rs. 2,000/- for allowing his mount to shift out soon after jump out causing tightening of the field on the outside.

Jockey Suraj Narredu, the rider of BEAUTIFUL, reported that his mount was lacking initial speed as such he was unable to keep up with the field in spite of his best efforts during the initial and middle stages of the race. He further stated that the filly was finishing on and in his opinion needs a longer trip which he has shared with his Trainer, was noted.

The Veterinary Officer was requested to examine FOOTPRINTS and BEAUTIFUL and submit his reports.

The Veterinary Officer reported that :-

- a) FOOTPRINTS returned lame on right fore.
- b) LIGHTNING BLAZE returned bleeding from its nostrils.

Trs. Ms. Arti Doctor and Narendra Lagad were informed not to accept with their respective charges until certified fit by the Veterinary Officer.

Following the race day morning BEAUTIFUL was examined by the Veterinary Officer and found to be trotting sound.

2nd RACE (81) THE EASTERN COMMAND CUP – For Horses Rated 81 & above, Rated 61-86 eligible (About) 1200 Metres (2.00/2.00) : 10 runners

NEW LOOK which was difficult to load jumped awkwardly from the gates.

Jockey Sujit Kr. Paswan, the rider of TACTICAL COMMAND, was fined a sum of Rs. 2,000/- for allowing his mount to drift outwards from about the 300 metres, more so under the use of the whip, taking DANDI SATYAGRAHA out with him.

3rd RACE (82) THE LT GEN JAMEEL MAHMOOD MEMORIAL CUP – For Horses Rated 41-66, Rated 21-46 eligible (About) 2000 Metres (2.30/2.30) : 6 runners

GHOST finished the race detached from the field. Tr. B Mahesh was advised not to accept with his charge until it was capable of a better performance.

4th RACE (83) THE BENGAL SUB AREA CUP – For Horses Rated 21-46, Rated 1-26 eligible – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (NO WHIP RACE) (About) 1200 Metres (3.00/3.03) : 9 runners

ISLAND LASS which was fractious, reared up and turned around in its stall . The filly was pulled out, checked by the Veterinary Officer and passed fit to race.

MOUNT RENO fly jumped.

The Veterinary Officer reported that EMBER GLOW and YUVI returned lame on their right fore. Trs. Aashay Doctor and Vikash Jaiswal were informed not to accept with their respective charges until certified fit by the Veterinary Officer.

5th RACE (84) THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB CUP – For Horses 3 years old only (About) 1100 Metres (3.30/3.34) : 4 runners

GAEL was fractious in its stall, tried to duck out, eventually flipped over and fell, in the process the bridle used on the colt came off. As there was insufficient time to refit the equipment, get the colt examined by the Vet, GAEL was permitted to be withdrawn before coming under Starter's orders. Tr. Vijay Singh was advised to give his charge adequate gate practice before accepting with it again.

SWEET LEGACY was slow to begin.

Jockey Suraj Narredu, the rider of KIND OF MAGIC, reported that his mount veered outwards as the start was effected.

Jockey Md Islam, the rider of CHARMING PRINCE, was reprimanded for shifting course towards the inside rails passing the 600 metres causing inconvenience to SWEET LEGACY (Vinay Jaiswal).

The Veterinary Officer reported that CHARMING PRINCE returned lame on right hind. Tr. Patrick Quinn was informed not to accept with his charge until certified fit by the Veterinary Officer.

6th RACE (85) THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS (ASC) CUP – For Horses Rated 21-46, Rated 1-26 eligible – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (About) 1400 Metres (4.00/4.01) : 7 runners

THAR, DUBAI STAR and SPORTING TRAINER were slow to begin.

GENERAL

1. Urine samples from the following horses were taken for clinical analysis :-

LA DOMINATE	-	5 th Race
TYCOONIST	-	6 th Race.

Stipendiary Steward
Royal Calcutta Turf Club

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