

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

CALCUTTA RACES

WINTER MEETING, THIRD DAY, WEDNESDAY, 13th JANUARY, 2021

Penetrometer Reading 1.8 Cms

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

1st RACE (58) THE BURNING FIRE PLATE – For Maiden Horses 3 years old only – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (About) 1100 Metres (1.30/1.30) : 5 runners

ANNE'S BOY (Afzal Khan) was fractious in its stall.

XFITE (Md Islam) fly jumped out from the gates.

2nd RACE (59) THE AREONATIVE HANDICAP – For Horses Rated 1-26 – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (About) 1100 Metres (2.00/2.03) : 8 runners

HUNTSMAN (App Hasib Alam) was difficult to load, jumped awkwardly from the gates and continuously scraped the false rails for some distance passing the 800 metres.

STELVIO PASS (A Sandesh) was fractious while being stalled.

App Rupal Singh, the rider of SCARLET WITCH, was once again reprimanded for failing to maintain a straight course during the concluding stages of the race. The apprentice was further cautioned to refrain from unnecessary use of whip on his mounts failing which his whip will be withdrawn.

3rd RACE (60) THE LONG TOM HANDICAP – For Horses Rated 21-46, Rated 1-26 eligible, which were in station in Kolkata as on 31st March, 2020 – To be ridden by Jockeys of Indian Nationality (About) 1200 Metres (2.30/2.31) : 12 runners

b c LAKMOS, an acceptor in the above race, was examined by the Veterinary Officer on 11th January, 2021 and found to be lame on left hind. Under the circumstances the colt was permitted to be withdrawn on veterinary grounds. Tr. Aashay Doctor was informed not to accept with his charge until certified fit by the Veterinary Officer.

SCRIPT (Dashrath Singh) missed the jump.

Jockey Dashrath Singh, the rider of SCRIPT, when afforded an opportunity to explain his riding on his mount stated that being an outside draw (dr. 10) he was instructed to place his mount wherever possible after jump out and to do his best thereafter. However, as his mount fly jumped out from the gates he could not place his mount well up with the field during the initial stages of the race and passing the 700 metres he was inconvenienced by the runners on the inside. The Stipendiary Steward after viewing the CCTV replay of the race, while taking the explanation tendered by Jockey Dashrath Singh into consideration, reprimanded the Jockey for failing to infuse adequate vigour on his mount in the straight and advised him to be more judicious in placing of his mounts in future, more so in sprints.

Jockey Hindu Singh, the rider of LITTLE FINGER, was reprimanded for repeatedly changing course passing the 700 metres, having no regard to runners travelling on his either side.

The Veterinary Officer reported that :-

(a) MYSTIC STAR returned bleeding from its nostrils. Tr. Manvendra Singh was informed not to accept with his charge until certified fit by the Veterinary Officer.

(b) ICONIA returned with cut injury on right stifle.

4th RACE (61) THE ICELANDIC HANDICAP – For Horses Rated 21-46, Rated 1-26 eligible (About) 1400 Metres (3.00/3.03) : 14 runners

STAROFHOLLYWOOD (App Rupal Singh) fly jumped out from the gates.

Jockey K Sai Kiran, the rider of ADORNICA, was reprimanded for letting his mount drift 'out' in the concluding stages of the race.

PEOPLES PRIDE was repeatedly 'restrained' by Jockey Dashrath Singh from about the 1200 metres to about the 700 metres to avoid running into OM SHANTI (Hindu Singh) travelling in front of him with the rider having considerable difficulty in settling his mount.

The Veterinary Officer reported that PEOPLES PRIDE returned with cut injury on right fore.

5th RACE (62) THE EXCLUSIVE VIRTUE HANDICAP – For Horses Rated 41-66, Rated 21-46 eligible (About) 1600 Metres (3.30/3.34) : 5 runners

LOUBOUTIN (B Mahesh) was difficult to load and was fractious in its stall.

KIMAYA (Neeraj Rawal) was fractious while being stalled.

6th RACE (63) THE ADELITA HANDICAP – For Horses Rated 61-86, Rated 41-66 eligible (About) 2400 Metres (4.00/4.01) : 5 runners

ROSINA (P S Chouhan) was slow to begin losing approximately four lengths at the start.

G E N E R A L

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

SCARLET WITCH	-	2 nd Race.
ESTRELLA STAR	-	4 th Race.

Stipendiary Steward
Royal Calcutta Turf Club

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