

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 28 April 2012

Stewards: G. Loch (Chairman), J. Petzer (HT), M. Santoro (F), A. Hayles (M) & S. Callanan (Stewards), N. Castle, D. Southgate, M. Featherston & I. Daly (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P Horridge & Dr. B Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Dead 4

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	COUNTCOOL	B. Rawiller	P. Mertens	Indisposed
3	MY EX MATE	S. Cahill	D. Tourneur	Overweight
5	GIOE	B. Rawiller	D. Moor	Indisposed
6	SCELTO (NZ)	C. A Robertson	M. Pegus	Doubly engaged
6	PENTIMENTO	B. Rawiller	D. Browne	Indisposed
6	SOUTHERN INVASION	S. Cahill	J. Lyon	Injured
8	CONSERVATORIUM	S. Cahill	M. Zahra	Injured

RACE 1 : SCHWEPPE AGRUM HANDICAP - 1600 metres

Mr. D. O'Brien, the Trainer of ERASET, advised Stewards that as he considered the gelding had conceded too much ground in recent starts he would today instruct the rider J. Winks, to attempt to ride ERASET more forward, if possible.

Near the 1200 metres as the pace eased YARTERBERY (M. Pegus) shifted outside the heels of PRINCE OF CAPERS and thereafter was obliged to race three-wide without cover.

From the 400 metres, until inside the 300 metres, COSMIC CAUSEWAY (L. Nolen) became held up when racing behind ERASET (J. Winks) and inside PRINCE OF CAPERS (M. Neilson).

J. Winks, the rider of ERASET, stated that he was disappointed at the gelding's effort and could offer no explanation for the performance. He explained that the gelding had improved comfortably between horses into the straight but thereafter had not responded to his riding. ERASET was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

PRINCE OF CAPERS lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 2 : EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING DEQUETTEVILLE STAKES - 1100 metres

On leaving the mounting yard, ALEZAN THUNDER dislodged its rider G. Boss and galloped riderless for almost a circuit of the course prior to being captured. ALEZAN THUNDER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew ALEZAN THUNDER at 12.41pm.

RACE 2 : EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING DEQUETTEVILLE STAKES - 1100 metres
(Cont'd)

GOWANA (D. Moor) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out, and brushed ALZORA (P. Gatt).

BARELY A BEAT (S. Cahill) jumped away awkwardly and shortly after was contacted by STELLA LANTE (T. Baker), which shifted out.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres STELLA LANTE (T. Baker) raced greenly for a short distance.

A. Herrmann, the rider of DASHITUDE, was questioned regarding a celebratory gesture adjacent to the winning post. Having considered her explanation and acknowledging that A. Herrmann had not previously been spoken to in relation to a celebratory gesture Stewards issued a reprimand under ARR.137(c).

RACE 3 : SCHWEPPE COCKTAIL REVOLUTION HANDICAP - 2000 metres

On jumping away DAYDREAM CHARLIE (J. Potter) shifted out onto MY EX MATE (D. Tourneur), which was inconvenienced.

DUMOSA (T. Pannell) was obliged to race wide without cover throughout the event.

From the 400 metres MY EX MATE (D. Tourneur) had difficulty in obtaining clear ground and approaching the 300 metres was disappointed, when attempting to improve between HASTEIN (NZ) (L. Stojakovic) and COUNTCOOL (P. Mertens), which was taken in by KEEP COOL (NZ) (M. Payne), which shifted in.

Near the 300 metres ROWLAND (C. Robertson) was hampered when taken in onto DUMOSA (T. Pannell) by TEXAN WARNEY (H. McKechnie), which shifted in.

Near the 200 metres, when attempting to improve MY EX MATE (D. Tourneur) shifted out onto COUNTCOOL (P. Mertens) taking that gelding out onto ROWLAND (C. Robertson), which was inconvenienced and obliged to slightly alter course.

KEEP COOL (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : TATSBET QUEEN OF THE SOUTH STAKES - 1600 metres

After being loaded LITTLE HOUSE (S. Cahill) became fractious and was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who passed the mare fit to race. Subsequent to the event LITTLE HOUSE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Mr. C. Little, the Trainer of BLUE RIBBON, which proved difficult to load, was advised the filly was suspended until it could load satisfactorily in an Official Trial prior to accepting for a future event.

ELSEWHERE (C. Lindop) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

After entering the straight ZUBBAYA (V. Duric), when attempting to improve, rolled out and brushed ELSEWHERE (C. Lindop) as that mare commenced to give ground.

RACE 4 : TATSBET QUEEN OF THE SOUTH STAKES - 1600 metres (continued)

Inside the 300 metres, when attempting to improve outside the heels of TUREEN (A. Herrmann), ZUBBAYA (V. Duric) brushed the hindquarters of SENSATIONAL REPORT (S. Wynne) as that mare rolled in and away from BLUE RIBBON (M. Pegus) resulting in the hindquarters of SENSATIONAL REPORT being turned out. In consequence SENSATIONAL REPORT continued to shift in severely hampering ZUBBAYA as that mare was taken in onto TUREEN tightening that mare onto BOOKLET (G. Boss), which was inconvenienced. Stewards determined that no rider was culpable.

Subsequent to this event S. Cahill requested to be examined by the Club doctor. Following an examination S. Cahill left the course to obtain precautionary x-rays.

RACE 5 : SCHWEPPE OAKS (REGISTERED AS AUSTRALIAN OAKS) - 2000 metres

In the early stages EMPRESS ROCK (S. Arnold) was inclined to race keenly.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres, when racing keenly, CRUCIAL (V. Duric) was obliged to shift away from the heels of ROCK CULTURE (M. Pegus) and shifted out onto GIOE (D. Moor). In consequence SECRET LIAISON (M. Zahra) and RAHVEEL (J. Winks) were momentarily inconvenienced.

Near the 700 metres CRUCIAL (V. Duric) shifted out and contacted RAHVEEL (J. Winks), which became unbalanced.

After entering the straight INVEST (P. Mertens) became held up for some distance, when racing between the heels of RAHVEEL (J. Winks) and EMPRESS ROCK (S. Arnold).

In the vicinity of the 300 metres CRIMSON LADY (NZ) (J. Lyon) and RED TYPHOON (G. Boss) had difficulty in obtaining clear ground.

Near the 300 metres CRIMSON LADY (NZ) (J. Lyon) rolled out onto ROCK CULTURE (M. Pegus) which was inconvenienced.

Near the 200 metres INVEST (P. Mertens) rolled in onto CRIMSON LADY (NZ) (J. Lyon) which was inconvenienced.

Approaching the finish RED TYPHOON (G. Boss) was forced to steady off the heels of KASUMI (NZ) (D. Browne).

RACE 6 : CHAIRMAN'S STAKES - 2000 metres

Mr. R. Laing the Trainer of SCHELTO (NZ) advised Stewards that he would advise the rider, C. Robertson, to attempt to take the gelding back mid-field to take cover in order to finish off the race strongly. Mr. Laing added that when ridden in this manner previously SCHELTO (NZ) had performed well, when placed at Moonee Valley behind MANAWANUI.

QUICK RETORT (C. Robertson) was slow to jump.

In the early stages CRYSTALISED (NZ) (D. Moor) was inclined to get its head up and race ungenerously.

In the middle stages CORNELL (V. Duric) was inclined to race keenly and near the 800 metres was obliged to shift outside the heels of CRYSTALISED (NZ) (D. Moor).

V. Duric the Rider of CORNELL explained although three deep he had cover for most of the race and in his opinion the gelding went up to win the race in the straight but had not run the 2000 metres as strongly as he had expected.

RACE 7 : SPORTINGBET CLASSIC - 1200 metres

ALL FRIARED UP (S. Arnold) jumped away awkwardly.

Near the 1100 metres, as LONE ROCK (M. Zahra) improved inside the heels of TABULATED (N. Rose) that mare was momentarily taken in onto VALENTINE MISS (M. Pegasus), which was inconvenienced.

Near the 800 metres BLACK CAVIAR (L. Nolen) shifted out and inconvenienced POWER PRINCESS (P. Gatt)

Stewards will interview Mr. J. O'Connor, the Trainer of TABULATED, regarding the circumstances in which that mare was not available to be examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon having left the course prior to the required time.

RACE 8 : EVRIGHT.COM DC MCKAY STAKES - 1100 metres

On jumping away CONSERVATORIUM (M. Zahra) and MAGICAL PEARL (J. Rule) brushed and were hampered when simultaneously tightened for room by FIRST COMMAND (V. Duric), which shifted in onto MAGICAL PEARL and CATAPULTED (M Pegasus), which shifted out onto CONSERVATORIUM. As a consequence of being unbalanced FIRST COMMAND (V. Duric) shifted in and contacted CONSERVATORIUM which was further inconvenienced.

READY STEADY VETTI (T. Pannell) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

Near the 300 metres, when attempting to improve, WE'RE GONNA ROCK (C. Lever) rolled out and brushed READY STEADY VETTI (T. Pannell).

Approaching the 100 metres BASIL DA MAN (D. Moor) was disappointed and obliged to steady when attempting to improve between FIRST COMMAND (V. Duric), which shifted in onto CATAPULTED (M. Pegasus), as that gelding shifted away from STREETCAR MAGIC (J. Potter), which shifted out.

WE'RE GONNA ROCK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

BASIL DA MAN suffered a laceration to the near hind tendon. First aid was provided.

GENERAL:

RACE 4 : TATSBET QUEEN OF THE SOUTH STAKES - 1600 metres

Subsequent to this event, the Stewards considered a report from the Official Starter recommending that LITTLE HOUSE, through its consistent fractious behaviour after being loaded in the barrier stalls, in future be regarded as a 'risk horse'. The Stewards accepted the Official Starter's recommendation and in future races in South Australia LITTLE HOUSE shall be loaded last.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (33):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

- Race 1 - ERASET, YARTERBERY.
- Race 3 - COUNTCOOL, HASTEIN (NZ).
- Race 5 - EMPRESS ROCK, CRUCIAL, RAHVEEL, SECRET LIAISON, SHARNEE ROSE, TEMPER TANTRUM, ROCK CULTURE, INVEST, RED TYPHOON, OUR MISS JONES (NZ), KASUMI (NZ), SPELLDANCER, GIOE, PRINCESS ROCK, CRIMSON LADY (NZ), ESSENCE.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (CONT'D)

- Race 6 - CORNELL, MESHMAKER, BANNER.
- Race 7 - BLACK CAVIAR, LONE ROCK, POWER PRINCESS, JUST SYBIL, SISTINE ANGEL, VALENTINE MISS, ALL FRIARED UP, SHEKINAAR, SPURCIFIC, TABULATED.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (14):

- Race 1 COSMIC CAUSEWAY (winner)
- Race 1 ERASET (beaten favourite)
- Race 2 DASHITUDE (winner)
- Race 3 MY EX MATE (winner)
- Race 3 KEEP COOL (NZ) (2nd place getter)
- Race 4 SO PRISTINE (winner)
- Race 4 LITTLE HOUSE (2nd placegetter)
- Race 5 INVEST (winner)
- Race 5 OUR MISS JONES (NZ) (2nd placegetter)
- Race 6 HEAVEN'S RICHES (winner)
- Race 6 ALCOHOL (2nd placegetter)
- Race 7 BLACK CAVIAR (winner)
- Race 7 SISTINE ANGEL (2nd placegetter)
- Race 8 OUTLANDISH LAD (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 3 – S Cahill – Fined \$100 – Overweight – Rule ARR. 120(b)
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – A Herrmann (DASHITUDE) – ARR.137(c) – Celebratory gesture.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – BLUE RIBBON - Suspended – Must load without delay in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for future race – Difficult to load.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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