

FANCIED CANDIDATES FOR THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE

Poisoned Arrow's Chance for Next Week's Race. TO-DAY'S RACING.

Bright Sport Promised at Newcastle and Gatwick.

Yesterday was a very quiet day so far as sport was concerned, but for the rest of the week there will be plenty of racing, beginning with the meetings at Newcastle and Gatwick to-day.

Lawn Tennis.—Hon. F. M. B. Fisher, after losing the first set to G. H. Sherwell, won his match in the covered courts championship by 3 sets to 1.

Football.—Fulham and Chelsea drew in their Professional Charity Fund match. Queen's Park Rangers and Charlton also drew in their London Challenge Cup fixture.

THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

Prospects of the Leading Horses for Newmarket's Big Race.

Everything points to an extremely interesting contest for the Cambridgeshire next week. And it is certainly a change that sportsmen can support their Cambridgeshire fancies up to the last without fear of the market being flooded with covering orders from double event operators.

At the Victoria Club last night Stratford was favourite, but easy a 9 to 1 Lady Juror, Poisoned Arrow, Condover and Rock Fire all came in for sound support.

After his success in the Select Stakes at Newmarket last Wednesday Stratford is generally

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

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DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

*BUZZ ON and HOUDALE.

accepted as being Taylor's best. I am inclined to think that Stratford is a horse of moods. Joe Childs knows him well, however, and he will be in the saddle next week.

Poisoned Arrow has a very fine chance. He had an excellent trial in the Duke of York Handicap at Kempton Park, where he played second fiddle to Soubriquet. But, if Major Cayzer's colt is to win next week he will have to leave himself less ground to make up in the final stages than he did at Kempton.

Without her penalty, Soubriquet would have required a deal of beating in the Cambridgeshire. It was generally understood that she was not to run, for, in the words of her trainer, Dawson Waugh, "Her weight is now too big."

EAGLEHAWK'S RUNNING.

There is a quiet tip for Eaglehawk, and I must confess that his Liverpool Cup running will take a deal of pulling to pieces. He was in receipt of 3lb. from Stratford, and beat the Manton representative by a length and a half.

Another horse that cannot be left out of calculations is Monarch. Not a deal of importance is attached to his third in the Rivermead Handicap over six furlongs at Kempton, and it may be that his chance has arrived at last.

HINTS FOR TO-DAY.

At Gatwick this afternoon the Stayers' Handicap is the leading event. North Waltham will carry top-weight and will have the assistance of Donoghue. The Villager will sport the Rothschild colours, but my choice falls on Lady Diana.

Ingham, who steered The Villager into second place in the Cesarewitch, rides Houdale in the Redhill Handicap, and this golding may open his winning account for the reason. Fred Power will not be saddled for the October Stakes, and Bucks Hussar has an excellent chance of success.

Lines has a fine chance of scoring a double event at Newcastle with Buzz On and Ascham. Tremola, who is engaged in the Cambridgeshire, will be saddled for the Newcastle Autumn Handicap, a fact which seems to restrict possibilities in the majority of the others.

BOUVERIE.



M. J. G. Ritchie, who met with success in covered courts championships at Queen's



Carslake, who may meet Evans in boxing contest at end of flat racing season.

MIDNIGHT SELECTIONS BY WHITE KNIGHT.

Likely Winners for This Afternoon at Newcastle and Gatwick.

Full selections for to-day are—

Table with columns for Newcastle and Gatwick selections, including names like Royal Hussar, Buzz On, Ascham, Tremola, Russian Sable, Astronomical, Desert Rose, Lady of the Rose, etc.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

DESERT ROSE and LADY OF THE ROSE.

BILLIARDS DEADLOCK.

Professionals Meet the Control Committee—Smith and the Press.

At Soho-square yesterday the Billiards Control Committee met the professionals and discussed various matters connected with the conditions of the season's championship.

After a long discussion it was decided to leave the details in the hands of the professionals, pending a further meeting on October 27.

UNIVERSITY RUGBY.

Interesting Trial Games at Oxford and Cambridge Yesterday.

In the Seniors trial at Oxford Colours beat Whites by two goals and two tries to a try (16 points to 3). It was quite a good game, the outstanding player being H. J. Murton (University).

Teams for the Colours were obtained by F. J. Bradley (Brasenose) and F. W. Layman (Wadham) during the first half, while Kittermaster got over twice subsequently. A. D. Grant (Brasenose) kicked both goals, while the only try for the losers came from D. P. Jeppe (Trinity).

In a ten-round game at Cambridge weakness in defence was shown by both sides. Colours won by 31 points to 19.

BOXING AT THE N.S.C.

George Garrard Beats Johnny Murton After Fine Contest.

Boxing in beautiful style last night at the National Sporting Club, George Garrard, of Acton, beat Johnny Murton, of Plymouth, on points in a fifteen rounds contest.

From start to finish Garrard always displayed the better form, standing in the old English style—upright and using his left with effect.

He severely punished Murton, who, however, fought back right to the bitter end and was a splendid loser.

It was a capital fight to watch, and Garrard has never boxed better in his many matches at the club. In a ten-round contest George Carney, of Bermondsey, beat Albert Riches, of Dulwich, and in a six-round bout Bill Webb, of Acton, defeated Curley White, of Clapham.

CARPENTIER'S OUTBURST.

Will Meet Siki Again Not Later Than January.

"I'll fight Siki again—that is certain. I'll meet the Senegalese in the ring again, even if I thought I'd not come out alive. But I'll come out, not only living, but victorious. I am far from being finished as a boxer, and my fighting pluck is stronger now than at any time in my career."

This declaration was made by Georges Carpentier before returning to France yesterday. He had come to London to witness the match between Frank Moran and Joe Beckett, and also to see for the first time the film "A Gipsy Cavalier," in which he played the leading role. Francois Descomps, his manager, stated that the return match with Siki would take place not later than January.

BANTAM'S RUBBER BOUT.

A "rubber" match has been fixed up, and will take place at the Greenwich Police boxing tournament on November 9, between W. Goulding, the amateur bantamweight champion of the year, and A. E. Barber, who was runner-up for the title. The championship verdict has been reversed once.

LATEST CAMBRIDGESHIRE PRICES

9 Stratford (t. o.), 100-7 Lady Juror, Poisoned Arrow and Condover (t. o.), 17 Rock Fire (t. o.), 25 Express Delivery, Coplense and Ro-Echo (t. o.), 25 Tremola (t. o.), 33 Poundland and Eaglehawk (t. o.), 40 Tremola (t. o.).

Roland Todd defeated Bert O'Neil at Grimsby last night on points.

HOW TO TRAIN.

Jack Goodwin Tells How He Prepares Professional Boxers.

The latest book on boxing is valuable to the novice if only from the fact that it contains several common sense chapters by that clever trainer Jack Goodwin, who, in clear and straightforward English, tells the young boxer how to get fit and keep well.

In this respect the book, which is the joint work of Goodwin and B. J. Evans, is valuable to all sorts and conditions of athletes for the training methods set out for boxers care in a more or less modified form be taken as sound advice for all other sports, or even for a course of physical culture.

If I had the time I would like to put myself in Jack's capable hands for a course, and so once again experience the delight of that exquisite feeling which absolute fitness gives the athlete.

No one ever saw Jack put a boxer in the ring in a condition other than the best possible. His men, when he has finished with them, glow with health, and as you read his book you realise how it is done. I have refereed many contests in which his men have been principals, and have always been struck with their powers of recuperation and stamina.

When it is mentioned that Goodwin has prepared Kid Lewis, Dick Smith, Joe Fox, Mike Honeyman, Jim Higgins, Walter Ross and many other champions for their biggest championship battles enough has been said as to his ability. That he tells you how he does the trick is sufficient to make "Boxing," published by Arrowsmith's at 2s., a valuable book to the novice.

Mr. B. J. Evans writes the boxing side. Some of his deductions and assertions are open to argument, but they are well written and interesting. He certainly touches the real note as to true sportsmanship.

There is a foreword by Lord Londsdale, a chapter on scientific boxing by Joe Fox, and some good character sketches by John Pisani. P. J. M.

LAST EIGHT AT QUEEN'S.

The Hon. F. M. B. Fisher's Recovery in Men's Singles.

After Saturday's sensational defeat of F. G. Lowe by Dr. A. H. Fyze yesterday's play in the London covered court championships at Queen's Club seemed somewhat tame.

In the men's singles W. C. Crawley gave E. G. Bisseker little quarter. F. M. B. Fisher dropped the first set 6-2, 6-2, and J. B. Gilbert defeated A. W. Dawson in five sets, while qualifying to join "Philathlete," Dr. A. H. Fyze, the Hon. Cecil Campbell, D. M. Greig and M. T. G. Ritchie in the last eight.

P. M. Dawson and T. M. Mavrogordato and F. M. B. Fisher and M. J. G. Ritchie won their first round ties in the men's doubles with little effort. Although G. Stoddart and S. J. Watts achieved a score of 6-4, 6-4, 9-7, it was always apparent that Fisher was treating the match with levity. Ritchie on the other hand, was taking no risks. Watts still surprises newcomers with the height at which he throws up the ball when serving.

CHARLTON'S RECOVERY.

Two Goals Down Against the Rangers, They Force a Draw.

Queen's Park Rangers and Charlton Athletic drew 2 goals each in the London Challenge Cup yesterday at Shepherd's Bush.

Owing to other fixtures it was impossible to arrange a date for the re-play. About 3,000 people saw the Rangers gain a two goals lead in the first half, Birch scoring in capital style, and Parker adding a goal after a lot of pressure.

Charlton played with great dash after the interval, and the forwards shot finely. Hill making some splendid saves in the home goal. Rees headed through from a centre by Smith, and Steele equalised.

Many good attacks by both sides, just failed during the last twenty minutes, the visitors doing specially well.

Clapton Beat Hampstead.—In a hard game at Upton, Clapton qualified for the next round by beating Hampstead by a goal to 0.

DRAW AT FULHAM.

Cottagers and Chelsea Fail to Score in Charity Match.

Fulham and Chelsea played a goalless draw in a London Professional Charity Fund match at Craven Cottage yesterday.

The home side had the better of the play, and their forwards were the more clever, save that when in front of goal they could not shoot with anything like accuracy.

Bymes twice tested Hampton with beautiful curling shots in the first half, but only Bell could trouble Reynolds on Chelsea's behalf.

Ford tried hard to make openings for his colleagues, but the other forwards were unable to take advantage of their opportunities.

Reynolds made a splendid clearance towards the end, when Bell had the goal at his mercy, while Chaplin headed out from under the bar from Finlayson.

Still, though Chelsea did a lot of pressing at this stage, the best chances of scoring came to Fulham. Darvill got through the backs and worked his way to within a few yards of the goal before shooting outside, while Shea missed another grand opportunity provided by Papworth.

JOCKEY BOXERS.

Carslake and Evans May Meet at End of Flat Racing Season.

Some time ago a boxing match was suggested between Brownie Carslake and Jack Evans, the well-known jockeys, but nothing came of it.

Rumours are now current that the match is likely to take place at the end of the flat racing season. Both these jockeys are boxers above the ordinary, and are agreeable to put their skill to the test in a contest of six rounds, the proceeds being for the benefit of St. Dunstan's.

ENGLAND'S TEAM.

General Satisfaction with Selection Committee's Work.

HARROW'S FIRST CAP.

Not since the war have the International Selection Committee judged current form so well as in picking the team to play Ireland at West Bromwich next Saturday. Indeed, on several occasions they have made a sorry mess of things, but now they have chosen a side that is really first-class.

It could be further improved at right back, and one hopes that Clay has only been sacrificed in order to give the match a direct local interest, otherwise there is no reason for the picking of the West Bromwich Albion man, Smith. Harrow has at last had justice done to him. He is the best left back in English football. What a superb pair the Tottenham and Chelsea men would make!

With regard to the halves, Moss selected himself. As a right-winger he stands out above all his fellows. Wilson, too, can be trusted, though as an attacking player he does not reach the McCall standard. Grimsdoll, of course, should never have been dropped last year. How the Scottish selectors chuckled when they heard he had been left out of the match at Birmingham! But the mistake has been put right, and his inclusion will mean much to the team.

THE CENTRE FORWARD.

The forward line chosen is a fine one. I think Elliott is still the best centre forward we have got, but the committee were wise in picking Osborne. My reason for saying this is twofold. First, Elliott no longer likes the position, and his innings must be drawing to a close; and, second, it is high time England discovered a centre forward and stuck to him. Osborne is not as good in his second season as he is likely to become, but he has great possibilities, and I think he will be a success.

The dropping of Kelly is no reflection on him as a footballer, but, like such players as Buchan and Harold Fleming, his partners have always found it very difficult to get on with him. Seed is just as clever, and he plays in more orthodox style, and Carr and he should form a great right wing.

Chambers, as the only representative of Liverpool, the best team of the year, commanded the inside left position, though Walker would not have been lightly passed over. Williams, his wing partner, would no doubt be a surprise selection to many, but this Orient player is likely to astonish all who see him for the first time. Sunderland have been trying to arrange for his transfer, but after all their extravagance of last back-end the fee of £5,000 which was asked probably frightened them.

As I have said, it is an excellent team, and whatever may be the experience against Ireland it ought to be persevered with. F. M. C.

OTHER SPORT IN BRIEF.

News Items and Gossip About Men and Matters of the Moment.

The Arsenal defeated Southampton by 6 goals to 3 in a friendly match yesterday at the Dell.

Millwall Win.—In a London Combination match yesterday Millwall beat West Ham by 2-0.

Bromford defeated a representative Royal Air Force team at Griffin Park yesterday by 4 goals to nil.

Yesterday's Rugby.—Alnchilly, 5 pts.; Treherbert 3 pts.; Oxford Seniors: Colours 6 pts., Whites 3 pts.

The scratching of Service Kit from all published handicaps at 9 a.m. yesterday includes the Cambridgeshire.

F.A. Cup Replay.—Custom House beat Chelmsford in their replayed F.A. Cup tie by 3 goals to 1. It was the third meeting of the teams.

Boxing at the Ring.—At the Ring last night Jack Blackburn (Newport) beat Frank Williams (Tylorstown) in fifteen rounds, the referee intervening.

Last Night's Billiards.—Closing scores last night were: At Leicester-square: Smith, 1,333; Falkiner, 664. At Piccadilly: Tophill, 5,509; Newman, 1,334.

Women's Golf Tournament.—In the inter-club tournament Romford beat Honor Oak by four matches to one, and Wimbledon defeated Rothampton by four to one.

Lancashire Cup Replay.—In the Lancashire Cup first round replay at Oldham yesterday Oldham beat Wigan Highfield by 20 points to 5. It was a well-contested game.

Varsity Rugby.—Oxford University's Rugby programme consists of twenty-seven matches. The most important game of the series is with Major Stanley's XV, on November 25.

Numbers for Cambridge Players.—An innovation at Cambridge is the numbering of University Rugby players, old Blues being further distinguished by a red lion on their jerseys.

Orient's Injured.—Of Clapton Orient players injured early in the season, Smith and Osmond are progressing favourably and, together with Duffus (J.), have resumed light training.

Jack Cook's Injury.—Jack Cook, the Chelsea centre-forward, has on medical advice been sent to Broadstairs for a complete rest. He will be out of the Chelsea team for at least three more weeks.

World's Trotting Records.—Mr. Irving Gleason's horse Peter Manning has lowered the world's mile record for trotters to 1m. 56.2s. at Lexington, Kentucky, beating his own record of 1m. 57s. at the recent Columbus meeting. Reuter adds that Mr. W. B. Dickerson's Nedda lowered the record for trotting mares to 1m. 58.3s.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Our City Editor.

THE CITY, Monday. Features in markets to-day were the rise in base metal shares on the improvement in tin and lead, further good support for rubber shares and the continued firm tone of Kaffirs.

The 5 per cent. War Loan was firm at 100. In foreign bonds several Chinese and Russian issues rose a point. Home Rails were rather dull, Metropolitan being 1 down 55, but Foreign Rails continued good. In Industrials Huxley were erratic. Constantinias eased to 54s. 9d., but others were good 28s. 3d. Dunlops improved to 9s. 1 1/2d.