"Ann" may prove best of Butters's 5

By THE SCOUT *(Cyril Luckman)*

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

FIRST "One Thousand" problem is to try to find the best of Frank Butters's full-hand tomorrow.

The Aga Khan has La-Li as well as my mai nhope, Ann of Austria, each of the other three being separately owned.

Many regarded Prince Aly's Stafaralla as the pick, but I know he fears his father's fast filly.

Juvenile form of Miss Paget's Radiant also bears close inspection.

Sir Alfred Butt's Solar Flower made a successful début at the last meeting, but I doubt if she can emulate Pasch in her second venture.

Gordon rides Radiant, who was fretful and a little behind Stafaralla in Pasch's race at Kempton. She is, however, greatly fancied to complete Richards's double.

I took a chance on Mirza II. just lasting out the Rowley mile. It did not quite come off, but Harry Wragg does not share the general view that the Derby is now out of the question.

Speed and not stamina is Ann of Austria's forte, but the stable view is that she may just last home under *present firm conditions.*

I was further impressed by her speed when trying to give Knight's Armour 9lbs. here in a sprint at the last meeting, and must forgive her one violent swerve when she won here last year.

GUINEAS DOUBLE?

SIR V. SASSOON'S Scotia's Glen may turn Free Handicap placings on the fancied Rockfel—a winner since at Epsom—and go near to emulating Exhibitionnist, who won for Sir Victor last year. He would complete a remarkable Guineas double for owners who have big interests in Shanghai.

Nadine won well at Newbury. Night Bird has won both her races, and Miss Miracle and the speedy Laughing Water have also obliged this season. Sweet Corn will reappear, also Gainly, but I am interested in another of Boyd-Rochfort's fillies, Clever Sarah, despite her Sandown failure.

By the way Pasch does not run again before the Derby, but Portmarnock's owner hopes to run him next in the Newmarket Stakes, and also at York. He bumped Pactolus yesterday. This is a good northern colt who would otherwise have finished close up.

PASCH'S half-brother Pascal may also be "in the news" again tomorrow, when I think he will give the weight in the Brinkley Handicap to the Lincoln Handicap hope, Galsonia, and also La Courcelle, who may turn the tables on last year's winner, Boozer's Gloom.

Pascal's breastplate slipped up in the Newbury Cup and seemed likely to choke him so suddenly he fell back last. He was obviously fancied then. Another obvious danger is Rime Tout, who was second to Carlisle last Friday.

Lowrey was apparently kicked by Mim when they came down at the first turn in the first race today, but I was glad to hear later that an arm was not broken. He was taken to hospital for an X-ray and hardly seemed aware himself how the mishap occurred.

Another sequel to the race was the claiming by Miss Paget of the narrowly beaten Prince Achille—a recent hurdle winner, but not over generous.

TWO new Newmarket "records": the clerk of the course gave me a racecard, and Gil Bennett saddled his first winner on the course!

Full Sail picked up a Jubilee penalty of 10lbs. when he upset the slight odds on the waiting Faroe in the March Stakes. The three-year-old is not in trim yet, and has his sire's Sansovino's objection to hard ground. Weston's final effort was unavailing.

Only three runners again in the Botesdale Handicap. Gordon was in no hurry on Cotrill's smart French bred Barbadeche, but he justified favouritism with a nice bit in hand. Another Liverpool winner in Antecedent also advertised the value of current form. Streamstown is still a maiden and did not run enthusiastically.

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NEWMARKET
4.15—PASCAL
Double:
Ann of Austria and Pascal
April 29, 1938. THE SCOUT.

Jockey Club plans for course watering

THE stewards of the Jockey Club are examining the question of the watering of racecourses during drought periods.

They have already taken steps to ensure a more uniform method of maintaining courses in a fit state to provide good going.

No difficulties have been experienced at Chester, where the course is situated beside the tidal portion of the River Dee. The whole of the course up to the stands has been affected by the high tides which began this week.

Training hints

NEWMARKET.—Frank Butters seems to hold the key to the One Thousand Guineas, wires the Daily Express resident correspondent, and of his five runners I take Stafaralla as the pick. She has made good headway since finishing fourth to Pasch at Kempton.

Portobello should experience little difficulty in winning the May Stakes, and R. J. Colling may also take the Culford Stakes with Bulawayo, who is a better animal than his last running suggests.

Selections.—NEWMARKET.—2.0, Forecasting. 2.30, Portobello (nap). 3.10, Stafaralla. 3.45, Mandy II. 4.15, La Courcelle. 4.45, Bulawayo.

THIRSK.—2.0 Peaceful Light. 2.30, Fourth of June. 3.0, Otero. 4.0, Poina Rosa. 4.30, Oliver.

Double.—Portobello and Peaceful Light.

Reports from Daily Express correspondents at provincial centres are summarised below:—

NEWMARKET

3.10.—Laughing Water (Royston) fair each-way chance. Rockfel (Lambourn) fancied. Miss Miracle (Michel Grove) should at least get a place. Nadine (Whatcombe) each way. Scotia's Glen (Manton) nap.

4.15.—Boozer's Gloom (Epsom) well fancied. Royal Salute (Sparshott) fancied.

4.45.—Meddlesome (Upper Lambourn) go close.

THIRSK.

2.0.—Barland (Richmond) each way. Fascinated (Druid's Lodge) fancied.

2.30.—Ellwand (Richmond) each way. Colonel's Lady (Malton) fancied. Black Cloak (Wetherby) go close.

3.0.—Buckland (Chilton) fancied.

3.30.—Broadcaster (Middleham) fancied. Summary (Chilton) fancied.

4.0.—Monica (Melton) go close. Saint Andrews II. (Middleham) fancied.

The stewards of the Derby April meeting cautioned the trainer, J. Russell, "as to what horses he put his boys on in future," when they inquired into the delay at the start of the Chatsworth Maiden Plate. Handman bolted twice round the course and did not come under the starter's orders.

HEXHAM RESULTS

2.15.—Rosechafer (5—4), 1; Filantane (6—5), 2; Harkenfield (6—1), 3. Three ran. Tote.—Win, 8s 4d.

2.45.—Old Edinburgh (7—4), 1; Haradan (6—1), 2; Damask Steel (3—1), 3. Six ran. Tote.—Win, 4s 11d; places, 4s 8d, 9s 8d.

3.15.—Young Louis (5—1), 1; Zenny's Pride (7—2), 2; Mint Twig (4—1), 3. Nine ran. Tote.—Win, 8s 7d; places, 3s 3d, 3s 4d, 3s 3d.

3.45.—Milton Abbey (9—4), 1; Carlore (5—2), 2; Westminster (4—1), 3. Five ran. Tote.—Win, 6s 3d; places 3s 5d, 3s 4d.

4.15.—Houndwood (4—5), 1; Constant Brother (100—8), 2; Silver Fog (10—1), 3. Nine ran. Tote.—Win, 4s 1d; places, 3s 4d, 5s 10d, 6s 1d.

4.45.—Benelmes (6—5), 1; Announcer (7—4), 2; Ballydoon (8—1), 3. Four ran. Tote.—Win, 4s 9d. Objection to winner was overruled.

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SAFETY BET. 4.15.—Pascal.

	2.0. 5f.	2.30. 5f.	3.10. 1m.	3.45. 2m.	4.15. 1m.	4.45. 6f.
THE SCOUT	T.T. (If ab Forecasting)	Portobello	Ann of Austria (n.b.)	Giovanni	Pascal (nap)	Miss Valentine
WHAT THE BOOK SAYS	—	—	Scotia's Glen	Holne Chase	Boozer's Gloom	Meddlesome (nap)
TATTENHAM (S. Express)	Cheer Boys Cheer	Portobello (nap) (If ab J. Jarvis's sel)	Stafaralla 1. Ann of Austria 2. Radiant 3.	Fresco (If ab Tote Investor)	Royal Salute (If ab Pascal)	Meddlesome (e.w.)

THE SCOUT'S TOTE DOUBLE.—Ann of Austria and Pascal.

1,000 guineas probables

THE One Thousand Guineas will be run at 3.10 this afternoon over the Rowley Mile at Newmarket. Following are the probable starters with pedigrees, this season's form, owners, colours, trainers, and jockeys:—

00 SLY ABBESS, ch f by Foxlaw—Abbots Toll (Sir A Bailey) (black and gold hoops, gold cap (J Lawson) 9 ..... T Weston
11 NIGHT BIRD, ch f by Knight of the Garter—Fly Maid (Mr T Blackwell) (maroon, white striped sleeves, quartered cap) (G Barling), 9 ..... E. Smith
SWEET CORN, b f by Manna—Grande Vitesse (Sir G Bullough) (cerise, purple sleeves) (J Jarvis) 9 ..... Carslake
1 SOLAR FLOWER, br f by Solario—Serena (Sir A Butt) (yellow, graduated blue hoops, blue cap) (F Butters) 9 ..... R Perryman
0 CLEVER SARAH, br f by Blenheim—Madawaska (Mr J Corrigan) (dark blue, red sash and cap) (Boyd-Rochfort) 9 ..... Sirett
01 LAUGHING WATER, b f by Walter Gay—Duchess of Mars (Mr D Crossman) (light blue, plum star back and front, green sleeves and cap) (Briscoe) 9 ..... W Stephenson
31 ROCKFEL, b f by Felstead—Rockliffe (Sir (H Cunliffe-Owen) (grass green, white hooped sleeves, quartered cap) (O Bell), 9 ..... S Wragg
1 MISS MIRACLE, b f by Miracle—Imp (Duke of Norfolk) (sky blue, sky blue and scarlet quartered cap) (Gilpin), 9 ..... J Marshall
1 NADINE, b f by Manna—Lladin (Vicomte de Fontarce) (green, red sleeves, white cap) (R Dawson) 9 ..... T Bartlam
40 OCEAN BASE, br f by Singapore—Ocean Wide (Ld Glanely) (black red, white and blue belt and cap) (T Hogg) 9 ..... M Beary
HIGH TIDE, ch f by Fairway—Bachelora (Mr E Hormsworth) (orange, purple hoop on body and sleeves, purple cap) (W Jarvis) 9 ..... J Crouch
KALISAVINA, br f by Sansovino—Cercanet (Ld H de Walden) (apricot) (D Waugh) 9 ..... H Blackshaw
3 LA-LI, gr f by Blenheim—La Boni (Aga Khan) (green and chocolate hoops, chocolate cap) (F Butters) 9 ..... E C Elliott
2 ANN OF AUSTRIA, b f by Fairway—Ann Gridman (Aga Khan) (green and chocolate hoops, chocolate cap) (F Butters) 9 ..... C Smirke
4 STAFARALLA, b f by Solario—Mirawala (Prince Aly Khan) (green, red sash (F Butters) 9 ..... H Wragg
0 RADIANT, b f by Blandford—Resplendant (Miss D Paget) (blue, yellow hoop on body and sleeves, yellow cap with blue hoop) (F Butters) 9 ..... Gilu Richards
0 MISS PARASOL, br f by Soldennis—Sweet Wall (Mr. A Sainsbury) (violet, orange sleeves, quartered cap) (Barling) 9 ..... ——
4 SCOTIA'S GLEN, b f by Beresford—Queen Scotia (Sir V Sassoon) (peacock blue and old gold hoops, old gold sleeves, peacock blue cap) (J Lawson) 9 ..... R Jones
LOVENTOR, b f by Orwell-Leighon Tor (Mr G N Singer) (myrtle green, white striped sleeves, hooped cap) (M Marsh) 9 ..... Brennan
DIALECTIC, b f by Sansovino—Dulce (Mr S Viasto) (white, blue sleeves, white cap with blue spots) (Boyd-Rochfort) 9 ..... P Beasley
0 BALACH, b f by Fairway—Belle Star (Capt A S Wills) (emerald green, red sleeves, quartered cap) (P Bell) 9 ..... Vergette
GAINLY, b f by Gainsborough—Flying Gal II (Mr W Woodward) (white, red spots, black cap) (Boyd-Rochfort) 9 ..... Beasley.

Also engaged: Calibre (Lord Derby), (C Leader); Lapel (Maj McCalmont) (Lambton), Mrs Tickell (Mr Erlegh) (Russell). Miss Parasol is a doubtful runner.

Betting: Last night's call-over prices are in Column Five. Forecast of betting against other runners:—100—8 Laughing Water. 100—7 Gainly. 100—6 Clever Sarah, 20 Sweet Corn, Nadine, 25 Night Bird, Solar Flower, 33 others.

WHAT THE BOOK SAYS

Gave the following winners yesterday:—

BARBADECHE (NAP)—EVENS

ANTECEDENT—5-1

Last night's call-over

THE Derby is run on June 1. Last night, when the card on the race was called over at the Victoria Club, London, Pasch, easy winner of the Two Thousand Guineas on Wednesday, was installed a firm favourite for the Epsom classic, only 5 to 2 being offered.

A few bets were struck on the One Thousand Guineas, and the following prices were marked up:—

THE DERBY

5 (o 2 agst Pasch (o).
8 — 1 — Scottish Union (t and o).
9 — 1 — Portmarnock (t and o).
14 — 1 — Glen Loan (o).
14 — 1 — Khan Bahadur (o, 100—6 t)
100 — 6 — Itantapa (o).
100 — 6 — Pound Foolish (o).
20 — 1 — Berwick (o).
20 — 1 — Greenwich (o).

ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS

Run today. One mile.

11 to 4 agst Stafaralla (t and o).
5 — 1 — Scotia's Glen (o, 6—1 t).
100 —15 — Ann of Austria (o, 7—1 t).
8 — 1 — Radiant (t and o).
100 — 9 — Rockfel (o, 100—8 t).

REST OF THE NEWMARKET CARD

Stewards: The Stewards of the Jockey Club.

TOTE DOUBLE: 3.10 and 4.15.

* Denotes entitled to apprentice allowance.

2.0—DENSTON (S) PLATE (2-Y.O.), £200. Five furlongs.

Enarchus (Mr H Leader), H Leader, 8 12 ..... Cunnifle
Rampant (Mr H Waite), G Allden, 8 12 ..... Watson
Nile Star (Mrs D Cundell), Jellins, 8 9 ..... ——
0 Philippa Roet g (Mr R J Colling), R J Colling, 8 9 ..... Hashim*
Rampant (Mr S H Darling), S Darling, 8 9 ..... Gdn Richards
0 Forecasting (Mr J C Gaskell), Gaskell, 8 9 ..... Crouch
0 Spearfish (Mrs E J Goodman), T Hall, 8 9 ..... Fawdon
3 T.T. (Mr F Hartigan), F Hartigan, 8 9 ..... Smirke
00 Shellspark (Capt C C Herbert), Sidebottom, 8 9 ..... Stephenson
000 Doucerr f (Mr J L Jarvis), J Jarvis, 8 9 ..... E Smith

or

04 Sandal (Lord Rosebery), J Jarvis, 8 9 ..... E Smith
0 Glorious f (Mr H Cuttler), H Leader, 8 9 ..... Lacey*
Brenimar (Mr D G Marshall), Laurence, 8 9 ..... Gethin
0 P.A. (Mr F Pratt), P Allden, 8 9 ..... Bexant
0 Distinguished (Mr H J Sadler), H Sadler, 8 9 ..... Vergette*

Also engaged: Atropos, Cheer Boys Cheer, Diamalt f.

Betting Forecast.—2 Doucerr f (or Sandal), 4 T.T., 11—2 Rampart, 8 Spearfish f, 10 Philippa Roet g, Forecasting, 100—8 Distinguished, Glorious f, 100—6 others.

1937: Saigon (Perryman 8st 9lbs), 8—1. H Leader.

2.30—MAY STAKES (2-Y.O.), £200 added. Five furlongs.

1 Lavinia May (Mr L Corbett), Kirk, 8 12 ..... ——
1 Portobello (Mr P Dunne), R J Colling, 8 7 ..... Beasley
04 Sandal (Lord Rosebery), J Jarvis, 8 6 ..... E Smith
Young Spark (Mr J A de Rothschild), F Pratt, 8 5 ..... Bexant
Senna (Miss C S Ramsden), H Leader, 8 5 ..... Cunnifle
New Money c (Mr R Jarvis), B Jarvis, 8 5 ..... ——
Sweet Valley f (Mr G Digby), Digby, 8 2 ..... Rickaby
0 Royal Step (Lord Glanelyt), Hogg, 8 2 ..... Beary
0 Rose of Wales (Mrs Glorney), R J Colling, 8 2 ..... S Wragg
0 Shirin (H.H. Aga Khan), Pk Butters, 8 2 ..... B Smith
0 Doctrine (Mr S A Schreiber), Digby, 8 2 ..... Mitchell
0 Natty (Mr F W Wilmot), Gaskell, 8 2 ..... Crouch

Also engaged: Osman Pasha, Bosque, Clemora f, Arch Lover, Syphide, The Beak, Mealtime, Control, Stratford Place, Diamalt f, Magic Pool.

Betting Forecast.—7—4 Portobello, 3 Lavinia May, 6 Sandal, 7 Rose of Wales, 10 Shirin, New Money c, 100—8 others.

1937: Dark Tolly (Weston, 8 9), 25—1. R Day.

3.10—THOUSAND GUINEAS STAKES (3-Y.O FILLIES). 1,000 guineas added. One mile.

FOR PROBABLE STARTERS SEE ABOVE.

1937: Exhibitionnist (Donoghue, 9), 10—1. Lawson.

3.45—MILDENHALL STAKES £300. Two miles.

Valentine (Mr E Robson), C Pratt 5, 9 4 ..... Gdn Richards
Stolen Goods (Mr G Digby), Digby, 6, 9 4 ..... Rickaby
Giovanni (Mr Kenyon), Laurence, 5, 9 4 ..... Gethin
Tote Investor (Mr P Haldin), T E Leader, 4, 8 4 ..... ——
555 Holne Chase (Mr H Lesier), C Todd, 4, 8 4 ..... ——
0 Mandy II (Mr G Wildenstein), D Waugh, 4, 8 1 ..... ——
4 Burate (Sir Abe Bailey), Cotrill, 4, 8 1 ..... Weston
12 Fresco (Lord Rosebery), J Jarvis, 3, 7 8 ..... E Smith

Also engaged: Gyppo, Medoc II, Ski, Belle Parvenue, Plaster Cast, Faris II, Foxchase, Sandspite, Flowing Tide, Sir Peter, Ambuscade, Great Barton, Luxborough, Wike Whin, Double Almond.

Betting Forecast.—11—4 Fresco, 7—2 Valentine, 11—2 Holne Chase, 6 Burate, 10 Giovanni, Tote Investor, 100—6 others.

1937: Farsi (Carslake, 4, 8 13), 4—1. Wellesley.

4.15—BRINKLEY H'CAP. £300 added. One mile.

0 Pascal (Mr H E Morris), P Darling, 4, 9 7 ..... Gdn Richards
41 Monesano (10lb ex) (Mr E T Williams), B Jarvis, 5, 9 5
Galliane (Mr T F Blackwell), Darling, 4, 8 12 ..... E Smith
1 Boozer's Gloom (Mr A S Chapman), G Langlands, 7, 8 8 Sharples*
0 Galsonia (Mr C Jarvis), J Russell, 5, 8 5 ..... Gill*
La Courcelle (Mrs H Leader), H Leader, 6, 8 1 ..... Cunnifle
0 Royal Salute (Sir H Lyons), Sneyd, 6, 7 13 ..... Spearce*
2 Guinea (Mr J S Austen), C Waugh, 4, 7 12 ..... Robertson
0 Kuan Yin (Mr H E Morriss), Kirk, 4, 7 10 ..... Hishon
Ravner (Lady Ludlow), Cole, 7 8 ..... L Smith*
2 Rime Tout (Miss H Cowley), Whitaker, 4, 7 7 ..... Maher
Chelsea Reach (Miss Keyser), J Davis, 7, 7 2 ..... Gilbert*
Main Mast (Mr H O Leader), T R Leader, 3, 7 0 ..... Lacey*

Also engaged: Kind Kitty, Fredo.

Betting Forecast.—5 Guinea, 11—2 Galsonia, La Courcelle, 6 Pascal, Rime Tout, 8 Kasser, 10 Boozer's Gloom, Galliane, 100—8 Royal Salute, 100—6 others.

1937: Boozer's Gloom (Blackshaw, 5, 7 6), 9—1. G Langlands.

4.45—CULFORD STAKES (Maiden 3-Y.O), £200 added. Six furlongs.

Tappet (Mrs E A Dodd), Digby, 9 ..... Weston
24 Terrace (Mr E Esmond), J Jarvis, 9 ..... E Smith
0 Bulawayo (Mrs Glorney), R J Colling, 9 ..... Beasley
3 Meddlesome (Mr V Hobbs), V Hobbs, 9 ..... R A Jones
30 Sixteen (Mrs A James), G Colling, 9 ..... Ferryman
Laird of Perth (Lord Queensborough), Lambton, 9 ..... ——
Miss Valentine (His Majesty), W Jarvis 8 11 ..... Crouch
Summer Fallow (Mr L Cotrell), Kirk, 8 11 ..... H Wragg
0 Saudaneze (Mr G Digby), Digby, 8 11 ..... Rickaby
Ashtoreth (Mr W R Lysaght), B Jarvis, 8 11 ..... ——
0 Bersagliere (Mr W A Redden), H Leader, 8 11 ..... Stephenson
0 Jubilee Venture (Mr A Parkinson), R T Waugh, 8 11 Blackshaw
All My Eye (Sir G T Pulley), Jellins, 8 11 ..... ——
0 Harry d'Or (Mr E Robson), G Bennett, 8 11 ..... ——

Also engaged: Flight of Fancy, Carillon II, Debit, Battle Queen, General Kia, Rusie, Apidis, Evening Mist.

Betting Forecast.—2 Terrace, 9—4 Miss Valentine, 11—2 Meddlesome, 10 Harry d'Or, 100—8 Bulawayo, Sixteen, 100—6 others.

1937: Revenderie (Gdn Richards, 8 11), 5—4 (fav). F Darling.

Thirsk programme and form

SELECTIONS

THE SCOUT.—2.0, Peaceful Light (If ab Zingano). 2.30, Colonel's Lady (If ab Black Cloak). 3.0, Angelypta. 3.30, Nothing Daunted (If ab Broadcaster). 4.0, Bone (If ab Proof). 4.30, Oliver.

TOTE DOUBLE.—Angelypta and Bone (alt. Proof).

WHAT THE BOOK SAYS.—2.30, Black Cloak. 3.0, Angelypta. 3.30, Broadcaster. 4.0, Proof. 4.30 Love's Legend.

TATTENHAM (Sunday Express).—2.0, R. J. Colling's sel. (If ab Tarte Chez Soi). 2.30, Colonel's Lady (If ab Thanks). 3.0, Scotch Duke (If ab Steel Grey). 3.30, Nothing Daunted (If ab R. J. Colling's sel.). 4.0, Poina Rosa (If ab Brand). 4.30, Oliver (If ab Love's Legend).

SIR HARRY.—2.0, Fascinated; 2.30, Beautiful Snow; 3.0 Finden (nap); 3.30, Mount Lothian; 4.0, Proof; 4.30, Love's Legend.

Stewards: Mr J Dugdale, Major Foster, Lieut-Colonel Kirby, Mr J Bell.

TOTE DOUBLE 3.0 and 4.0.

* Denotes entitled to apprentice allowance.

2.0—MOWBRAY PLATE (2-Y.O.), £200. Five furlongs.

12 Peaceful Light (R J Colling), 9 2. Evans
0 Bushmaslet II (G Armstrong), 8 12 Carr
Zingano (M Peacock), 8 12 ..... Nevett
0 Gossip's Joe (Easterby), 8 12 ..... Caldwell
Slarder (F Armstrong), 8 9 ..... ——
0 Garland (H Peacock), 8 9 ..... Taylor
Lang Whanz (M Peacock), 8 9 ..... Roberts
Sunny Jay (F Armstrong), 8 9 ..... Foy
0 Fascinated (N Cannon), 8 9 ..... Herbert
Also engaged Mr Know-All, Eight Bells, Lucerne c, Light of the Harem, Tom Cat, Star in the East r, Lost Love, Fusilla, Petticoat, Quartermaster, Deanna, Court Beauty, The Hummer, Tarte Chez Soi, Brettony, Beauty at Bay, Good Words f, Whyna.

Betting Forecast.—4—6 Peaceful Light, 5—2 Fascinated, 6 Zingano, 10 others.

2.30—CLIFTON (S) H'CAP PLATE (3-Y.O.). £200. One mile.

00 Ellwand (R Peacock), 9 7 ..... ——
Bella Bagasra (Houghton), 8 8 ..... ——
04 Sister Maria (Pease), 8 7 ..... ——
1 Colonel's Lady (Binnie), 8 5 ..... ——
Second Pop (Murless), 8 4 ..... ——
012 Black Cloak (T Hall), 8 4 ..... J Doyle
Salon (Pollott), 8 3 ..... G Wells
00 Fourth of June (R J Colling), 8 1 Evans
000 The Sweep's Queen (Reader), 7 11 ——
Inverlaw (F Armstrong), 7 11 G Smith*
Stanley Sunset (A Boyd), 7 11 ——
0 Beautiful Snow (G Armstrong), 7 7 Richardson
0 Artist's Luck (Storie), 7 ..... ——

Also engaged: Purse-Proud, Thanks, School Bell, Anos, Love Token, Caravan Girl.

Betting Forecast.—7—4 Black Cloak, 5—2 Colonel's Lady, 9—2 Fourth of June, 6 Beautiful Snow, 10 others.

3.0—RAMBLETON H'CAP PLATE, £200. Six furlongs.

00 Bold Ben (F Armstrong), 4, 9 9 ..... ——
The Drummer (Carr) 6, 8 8 ..... Nevett
13 Blue Horizon (7lb ex) (L Barker), 6, 8 6 ..... Roberts
3 Mascelotte (G Armstrong), 5, 8 ... W Carr
00 Hazeldean (Cowie), 4, 8 5 ..... Herbert
14 Finden (Burrell), 5, 7 7 ..... Lynch
00 Otero (D Waugh), 4, 7 5 ..... Christie
Burkland (H Hartigan), 7, 7 5 ..... ——
Scotch Duke (F Hartigan), 4, 7 5 ..... ——
0 Sea Fever (Murless), 5, 7 3 ..... ——
0 Will of Wales (Newton), 5, 7 3 ..... ——
Grasse (H Peacock), 5, 7 3 ..... Evans
Bollinger (F Armstrong), 5, 7 2 Richardson
Stainforthdam (Mather), 4, 7 ... ——

Also engaged: Vain Fancy, Chickadee, Obliterated, Anaglypta, Steel Grey, Good Clare, Vallip, Silver Bow, My Birthday, Yale Star, The Abbess, Torlanie.

Betting Forecast.—4 The Drummer, 7—2 Mascelotte, 9—2 Bold Ben, 6 Hazeldean, 7 Finden, Bollinger, 10 Scotch Duke, Grasse, 100—8 others.

3.30—HELMSLEY (S) PLATE, £200. Five furlongs.

13 Mount Lothian (Binnie), 12, 9 4 ..... ——
40 Innovs (Russell), 4, 9 4 ..... G Wells*
1 Broadcaster (F Armstrong), 6, 8 4 ..... Foy
Nothing Daunted (Carr), 8, 9 4 ..... Nevett
0 Cringle Crag (Storie), 4, 9 1 ..... ——
Nakomis (Burn), 5, 9 1 ..... ——
The Tailer (Storie), 7, 9 1 ..... ——
01 Summary (H Hartigan), 10, 9 1 ..... Evans
Sarraguma (Murless), 9, 9 1 ..... Caldwell
0 Shangai Lil II (Pease), 4, 9 1 ..... T Olbson
Market Bar (Bastey), 3, 7 11 ..... Christie

Also engaged: Resenda, Home James, Merci, Sky Pioneer, Rosamonde III, Black Currant, Copyright II, Greyicad, Roy Foy, Shell Burst.

Betting Forecast.—9—4 Nothing Daunted, 7—2 Summary, 9—2 Mount Lothian, 6 Nakomis, The Tailer, 10 others.

4.0—GORMIRE H'CAP PLATE, £200. One mile.

00 Monica (Elsey), 6, 9 1 ..... J Taylor
4 Shrewton (G Armstrong), 6, 8 10 W Carr
0 Saint Andrews II (F Armstrong), 6, 8 8 Jamieson
0 Egyptian Queen (H Hartigan), 4, 8 7 Herbert
Bone (Cowie), 7, 8 6 ..... ——
0 Poina Rosa (D Waugh), 4, 8 5 ... Stinson
3 Proof (M Peacock), 8 3 ..... Nevett
Grand Gift (F Armstrong), 5, 7 6 ..... Richardson
0 Bobby Dazzler (G Armstrong), 4, 7 2 ..... G Wells

Also engaged: Ballyhardup Brand, Charterhouse, Gibbstown, Pahlbarch, Cateen.

Betting Forecast.—11—4 Proof, 7—2 Saint Andrews II, 9—2 Bobby Dazzler, 8 Shrewton, 6 Grand Gift, Egyptian Queen, 10 others.

4.30—FALCON PLATE (3-Y.O.), £200. One mile four furlongs.

1 Oliver (R J Colling), 9 3 ..... Evans
0 Camelhair (F Armstrong), 8 10 Jamieson
1 Cardon Rose (Pk Butters), 8 10 ... Nevett
3 Holy Willie (McGuigan), 8 7 ... Christie
4 Tregany (H Peacock), 8 7 ..... Taylor
22 Love's Legend (Elsey), 8 7 ..... Wells

Also engaged: Fille de Heros, Ellenberg, Bosage, Lothom, Ship Ahoy, Lunch Hour II, Pillory, Next Year, Penny Pie, Artful Sailor, Harmonic, Leona, Invertreen, Platamon, Louis the Great, Penora, Sunnyjuane, Follow Me Leader, Rosenkavalier, Polndon.

Betting Forecast.—Evens Cordon Rose, 2 Oliver, 9—2 Love's Legend, 10 others.

Horses for courses

NEWMARKET

2.30.—Lavinia May (Apl 1938, 5f), 7, 12, H Blackshaw; Portobello (Apl 1938, 5f), 8 4, H Wragg.

3.10.—*Ann of Austria* (Oct 1937, 6f), 9 0, C Smirke. (Oct 1937, 5f), 9 4, C Smirke; Lapel (Apl 1938, 7f), 7 0, G Wells; Laughing Water (Apl 1938, 6f), 9 4, Stephenson; Miss Parasol (Oct 1937, 5f), 8 9, D Smith; Night Bird (Apl 1938, 7f), 8 11, T Lowrey; Radiant (Oct 1937, 6f), 8 12, Gdn Richards; Solar Flower (Apl 1938, 1m), 8 4, D Smith; Stafaralla (Oct 1937, 6f), 8 12, H Wragg.

3.45.—Faris II (Apl 1938, 1m), 8 9, W Rickaby.

4.15.—Boozer's Gloom (Apl 1937, 1m), 7 6, H Blackshaw; Galsonia (Nov 1935, 7f), 7 9, G Richards; La Courcelle (Oct 1935, 1m), 7 2, R Petty; Montesano (Apl 1938, 7f), 9 3, Lowrey.

THIRSK

3.0.—Finden (Oct 1937, 6f), 7 7, P Evans; Mascelotte (Oct 1936, 6f), 7 0, Christie; Sea Fever (Oct 1937, 6f), 7 10, W Carr; Steel Grey (Oct 1937, 6f), 8 0, Stephenson; Torlanie (Nov 1934, 5f), 8 9, Crisp; Yale Star (Oct 1936, 1m), 8 9, J Doyle.

3.30.—Broadcaster (Oct 1937, 1m), 7 9, G Smith. (May 1935, 5f), 7 0, Christie; Cringle Crag (Oct 1937, 5f), 7 9, W Nevett. (Aug 1937, 5f), 9 1, Stephenson; Merci (Oct 1937, 5f), 8 8, G Vergette; Sky Pioneer (Oct 1937, 5f), 8 0, Caldwell.

4.0.—Bone (Oct 1937, 1m), 8 6, W Boulton; Proof (Aug 1937, 1m), 7 10, W Nevett; Shrewton (Aug 1937, 1m), 9 3, W Carr.

HOW FAVOURITES FARE

The following table shows the result of backing favourites and second favourites on a level stake of £1, the best races for favourites, and the most successful trainers and jockeys for the last nine years on the last day at Newmarket and the first day at Thirsk.

NEWMARKET.

Favourites.—Aggregate loss £23 1s.
Second favourites.—Aggregate profit £1 8s 4d.
Best race for favourites.—4.45. 3 winners.
Winning trainer.—J Jarvis 5.
Winning jockeys.—T Weston 6. Gdn Richards 5.

THIRSK.

Favourites.—Aggregate loss £1 10s 2d.
Second favourites.—Aggregate loss £24 15s.
Best races for favourites.—2.0, 6 winners; 3.30, 5 winners.
Winning trainers.—R J Colling 4, Storie 3, Pollock 3.
Winning jockey.—H Gunn 4.

BEATEN LAST TIME OUT.

NEWMARKET.

3.10.—Clever Sarah (Sandown Park, 22/4/38, 1m).
3.45.—Skiff (Sandown Park, 23/4/38, 1m 5½f); Flowing Tide (Liverpool, 26/3/38, 1¼m); Sir Peter (Stockton, 16/4/38, 1m 7f).
4.15.—Pascal (Newbury, 2/4/38, 1m); Montesano (Lincoln, 25/3/38, 7f).
4.45.—Terrace* (Lingfield, 8/4/38, 5f); Apidis (Lingfield, 9/4/38, 1m).

THIRSK.

2.0.—Peaceful Light (Catterick, 23/4/38, 5f).
2.30.—Black Cloak (Derby, 25/4/38, 1½m).
4.0.—Brand (Liverpool, 25/3/38, 1m).
4.30.—Ellanberg† (Catterick 22/4/38, 1¼m); Love's Legend (Catterick, 23/4/38, 1m 3f); Follow Me Leader (Doncaster, 15/4/38, 1¼m).

* Odds on.

Clive Graham's gossip

G. BENNETT'S LAST SIX RUNNERS ARE WINNERS

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

GILBERT BENNETT at long last has been able to dispel the "hoodoo" that the Newmarket course has exercised over his horses. Burytown, which he owns and trains, justified a gamble in the Long Course Selling Plate.

"I really have to thank Gordon," said Gil Bennett, to me afterwards. "He rode a brilliant finish." The Alfriston trainer has now had six runners and six winners since April 16.

It was only by a head that Burytown beat old Burman, who is trained by young Bill Wightman.

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Prince Achille, a short head away, was not far in front of Woodstock. All four have been running under National Hunt Rules this winter.

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Panorama showed that his private reputation had not been exaggerated when slamming Yakimour and others in the Two-Year-Old Stakes. He run the five furlongs in the same time as Dhoti did on Tuesday.

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I like Panorama the better of the two. There is more to him, and he is not yet by any means at his best. Mrs. Corrigan's colt is bred on the same lines as Knighted.

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Place-money run

EARLY this morning it was rumoured that Faroe would have a walk-over for the £1,000 March Stakes. With £100 for the second and £50 for the third that seemed a pity.

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Full Sail and Sweet Content opposed the three-year-old. Sweet Content finished second in last year's Oaks. Sandspritc, second to Mid-day Sun in the Derby, was also walking round the paddock. What a couple! They really ought to be mated. Neither has ever won a race since, and Sweet Content today finished a leg-weary third. Faroe did not seem very happy on the ground—which as Tommy Lowrey will tell you is painfully hard.

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Gordon Sadler fancied First Post considerably for the Littleport Stakes. From where we watched the finish the angle favoured Pentacle, who was running on the far side. "I think I shall be second," said First Post's trainer. His dismay turned to a chuckle when his number was hoisted in the frame—a winner by one and a half lengths. Oh! that Newmarket angle!

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The best bet here tomorrow should be Portobello (nap) (2.30). A likely outsider for the One Thousand Guineas in Laughing Water may be worth an each way bet against Frank Butters's battalion. Meddlesome has an each-way chance (4.45).

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Jottings from the course

By OUR COURSE CORRESPONDENT

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

RIME TOUT was only beaten a length when I tipped him for the Twickenham Stakes at Sandown.

He is in the Brinkley Handicap tomorrow, and now that he appears to be better than he has ever been I shall again support him.

Three times this season Holne Chase has run third in good long-distance handicaps. He deserves to win, and seems to have a capital chance in the Mildenhall Stakes.

Selections for Newmarket.—2.30, Portobello. 3.10, Stafaralla. 3.45, Holne Chase. 4.15, *Rime Tout. 4.45, Meddlesome.

For Thirsk.—2.0, Peaceful Light. 2.30, Black Cloak. 3.30, Nothing Daunted. 4.0 Proof. 4.30, Gordon Rose.

Dog-racing conduct earns full marks

GOOD conduct full marks for eight London greyhound tracks whose licences were renewed yesterday.

Said Sir Cecil Bigwood, chairman of the Standing Joint Committee of the County of London: "We have had no complaints from the police or the public. When we consider that we have eight tracks, and there are 104 racing days at each, it is remarkable."

HARD COURT LAWN TENNIS

FOLLOWING are the results of yesterday's play in the British Hard Court Lawn Tennis championships at Bournemouth:—

Seeded players in capitals.

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holder: H. W. Austin.

FOURTH ROUND.

H W AUSTIN bt H Boleli (France) (6