

To-day's Test Should Clear Up More Derby Problems

By **BOUVERIE**

SEVERAL Derby problems should be cleared up at Newmarket to-day. Chief of them whether Fairford ever really deserved to be favourite for Epsom.

Just as interesting will be the appearance of Cash Book, who has come in for a lot of notice of late.

Cash Book belongs to Lord Astor, and everybody with the slightest interest in the game would be delighted should this son of Cameronian prove a worthy successor to the unfortunate Early School.

In his only race this season Cash Book finished fourth to Mickey the Greek in a sprint race at Newmarket a month ago. I liked the look of him that day, and from all accounts he has "shown them something" at Manton since.

Solfo's First

Solfo, who will be having his first race this season, is another right in the Epsom picture at the moment, and he may still be there even if he just fails to-day.

One of the gamest youngsters that ran last year, he had a slight setback some time ago, but they tell me he is his old self again now. The Hour, fitter now than when beaten in the Guineas, should prove J. Jarvis's best, but

I would not like to hazard whether Sansalvo will come out in front of his stable companion, Santayana.

Taking the Guineas form as it stands, Fair Copy should be the winner.

Still, I feel sure that Fairford will give a much better account of himself than he did in the Guineas, and that even if he does not beat Fair Copy he will not be far away.

Another victory for the King is highly probable with Jubilee, a certain starter for the Spring Stakes, and there should also be another for the Aga Khan with Taj Akbar, although penalised in the Free Handicap for his easy Chester victory.

PAGE BOY'S SYSTEM HORSE

An expensive failure when beaten by Leila Filly at the Newmarket First Spring fixture

HERMADA

has only to repeat the form to win the Duxford Selling Plate to-day. Stake 2 points. **PAGE BOY.**



Captain Boyd-Rochfort

PERIFOX NOW FAVOURITE FOR THE EPSOM CLASSIC

NOT much doubt that the best performance put up by any Derby horse to date was accomplished by Perifox over the full Epsom distance yesterday. It may be argued that he did not beat Derby horses, but believe me, they did fancy Inglefield and Elgar, and that pair were given 17lb. and 20lb. respectively and a good trouncing into the bargain.

What they thought of his performance in the ring can be judged from the fact that the bookmakers at once cut the price of Captain Boyd-Rochfort's charge to 4 to 1 for Epsom.

So instead of a "Frenchman" an all-American is now favourite for the Derby.

As at the previous meeting, Perifox looked like getting excited when Pat Beasley prepared to mount, but he soon quietened down, and went to the post—as he came back—in great style.

Humphrey Foster did the right thing in attempting to make Elgar's big pull in the weights tell, and going down the hill the tactics looked like succeeding. Then Beasley began his run on the outside, and it was soon all over.

Typical of Newmarket was the defeat of President's Putter, whose downfall was the day's "best thing" for the bookmakers.

From the stands it is mere guesswork to anticipate the result of races finishing in the Dip, but most onlookers were surprised that Lady Maderty c was not placed behind Grand Dancer I.

The Aga Khan and several Indian Coronation visitors saw Mirza II, a son of the flying Mumtaz Mahal, make a spectacular debut in the Bedford Stakes.

Just as mother used to do it, Mirza II jumped off in front from the start, and was so far ahead that Smirke looked round to see where the others had got to when they still had a furlong to go. **BOUVERIE.**

FROM THE STABLES

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

There will be a small field for the Newmarket Stakes, but most of the probable runners are fancied.

Solfo was put to the test at the week-end, and he beat his rivals in the style of a very good animal.

Fair Copy met with some bad luck in the Guineas, and as a guide this running can be left out.

Sansalvo has done as well as any three-year-old in the Freemason Lodge team, and after seeing his gallop on Saturday I am satisfied to make him my choice. **HEATHMAN.**

FROM OTHER QUARTERS

Lambourn.—Fairford (3.0) and Tamasha (4.0, each way) are fancied.

Manton.—Hypothesis (2.30) should finish in the first three. Cash Book (3.0) is well fancied.

Malton.—Grand Royal (2.30) will run well.

UTTOXETER WINNERS

2.45, Bagman (100 6, tote 35s. 3d.); 3.15, Greektar (20-1, tote 35s. 6d.); 3.45, Jack (7-1, tote 18s. 6d.); 4.15, Impossible (5-4, tote 5s.); 4.45, Mibreth (9-4, tote 6s. 9d.); 5.15, Final Choice (11-10, tote 3s. 6d.). Tote Double.—£10 12s. (26 tickets).

Racing Selections by Our Experts

NEWMARKET	2.0	2.30	3.0	3.30	4.0	4.30
BOUVERIE	Mrs. Bowcher I.	Taj Akbar*	Fair Copy	Satanic	Jubilee	Terror
Place horses	Fairy Fingers	Magnet	Fairford	Slieve Mish	Ipswich	Lady of Shalott
HEATHMAN (Newmarket)	Hermada	Fairplay	Sansalvo	Slieve Mish*	Ipswich	Grandjo

Bouverie's Double.—*Taj Akbar and Jubilee.

Turf Brieflets

WESTENRA'S RODEO— BUT WESTON SITS TIGHT



T. Weston.

SIR Abe Bailey's Westenra gave a "rodeo" exhibition at Newmarket yesterday. When T. Weston mounted him in readiness for the Payne Stakes, Westenra darted away from the stable lad who was leading him, reared, jumped, kicked, and did everything in his power to dislodge his rider.

Weston was too good for him. Although he had not had time to put his feet in the stirrups, he gripped tightly with his knees and sat his mount well.

Weston soon realised who was master and made no further trouble about cantering to the post and taking part in the race. He finished eighth.

The card on the Derby will be called-over at the Victoria Club to-day at 7.30.

Bravura who won the Apprentice Handicap at Newmarket yesterday, had not raced for nearly two years. She has been to the stud and has had a foal.

Steve Donoghue will ride in Ireland tomorrow. He will have the mount on Phideas in the Irish 2,000 Guineas.

Ruby Red, the easy winner of the Haverhill Stakes at Newmarket yesterday, will run in the Oaks Trial Plate at Lingfield next week.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

2.0.—BRAVURA (T. Clarke), 1; ORONTES (H. Dean), 2; DOZY (S. Clayton), 3. Betting: 5 Inquisitive Miss, 8 Dozy, 10 Kindale, Jupiter, Keynote, Warren Hill, Father Christmas, 100-8 BRAVURA, Orontes, Merula, Satariland, 100-7 Bold Encounter, 25 Royal Star, Bulcol, Memento II, Diosma, Polette, creature, Sedgemoor. Tote: Win, 60s. 9d.; places, 23s. 9d., 9s. 3d., 7s. 3d. Five; one (Beatty).

2.30.—RUBY RED (Sirett), 1; BLACK LASHES (J. Beasley), 2; TUMBREL (G. Richards), 3. Betting: 9-4 Naisborough, 11-4 Tumbrel, 8 Windsor Lady, 10 RUBY RED, 100-3 Lady of Milan, Karam Sultan, 100-7 Black Lashes, 100-8 Pack Ice, 20 Finta Plancha, 33 Marutha, Polonaise, Sunbent, Joyette, Seamask, Sweet Content, Roch foli, Hydra. Tote: Win, 32s. 3d.; places, 8s. 6d., 8s., 3s. 6d. One and a half; same. (V. Smyth).

3.0.—GRAND DANCER F (Richardson), 1; PREST DENT'S PUTTER (C. Richards), 2; MR. PRIM (Maher), 3. Betting: 5-6 President's Putter, 8 Lady Maderty c, 9 Ady Mary, 100-5 Mr. Prim, Van Diemen, Happy Mood I, 100-7 Melain, 20 GRAND DANCER F, Amongos, Pin Hat, Decision, El Obro, Ellanberg, America, Black Kay I, Catreon, Jollette, King's Jubilee. Tote: Win, 28 19s. 6d.; places, 11, 2s. 3d., s. 3d. One and a half; short head. (G. Sadler).

3.30.—PERIFOX (P. Beasley), 1; ELGAR (Humphrey Foster), 2; LAZYBONES (Perryman), 3. Betting: 11-4 PERIFOX, 3 Inglefield, 100-30 Elgar, 6 Lazybones, 100-8 Sautaur, 100-7 Dragonnade, 20 Westenra, Mirano, Tintoretto, Marshwood. Tote: Win, 7s. 3d.; places, 3s., 2s. 9d., 4s., Two; four. (Boyd-Rochfort).

4.0.—MIDSTREAM (Perryman), 1; ALDINE (Richardson), 2; EDGEHILL (E. Smith), 3. Betting: 7-2 Edgehill, Holyrood, 4 MIDSTREAM, Pricket, 7 Night Patrol II, 10 Aldine. Tote: Win, 11s. 6d.; places, 7s., 15s. 9d. Half; two. (T. E. Leader).

4.30.—MIRZA II (Smirke), 1; FOXBRUSH (Crouch), 2. OPEN DOOR (P. Beasley), 3. Betting: 4-6 MIRZA II, 7 Baggit, 8 Foxbrush, 10 Mutiny, Marvel, 100-8 Jersey Tiger, 20 Shifting Sands, Faris II, Dubonnet, Open Door, Miss Freeman, Diomint. Tote: Win, 3s. 6d.; places, 2s. 6d., 5s. 6d., 6s. 3d. Six; three. (Frank Butlers). Tote Double.—£654 6s. (2 tickets).

NEWMARKET CARD

Note double races, 3.0 and 4.0.

2.0—DUXFORD S. PLATE (7-Y-0), £200; 5L

DRUMSTICK (Jelliss), 9-0 Lowrey
0 FALKLAND (R. J. Colling), 9-0 Simpson
0 RENT PAYER (G. Colling), 9-0 P. Evans
0 WASH ME OUT (Jelliss), 9-0 Rickaby
0 FISHER II (W. Jarvis), 9-0 Crouch
0 BRAINSTORM (Cottrill), 9-0
0 ROMAN LAW (N. Cannon), 9-0 R. A. Jones
0 CIRCUUS BOY (Lambton), 8-11 Wells
0 POLANGRIER (Beatty), 8-11 Carslake
0 BLACK FLIER F (H. Leader), 8-11
0 WISLEDE COMFORT F (R. Jarvis), 8-11 Richardson
0 LAVINIA ROSE (Kirk), 8-11 S. Wragg
0 LENT LAMB (S. Darling), 8-11 Southey
0 CELESTRA (Lambton), 8-11
0 OSPOVAT F (H. Leader), 8-11
23 MRS. BOWCHER F (R. J. Colling), 8-11 P. Beasley
SPAGHETTI (R. Adams), 8-11 Hawcroft
0 HILLSIDE (R. Adams), 8-11 Beary
0 PUS IN BOOTS (R. Adams), 8-11 D. Smith
0 SHINING PRINCE (Wellesley), 8-11 Maber
242 TIME MARCHES ON (Private), 8-11 H. Wragg
03 MAMMA F (Higgs), 8-11 Bezzant
00 FAIRY FINGERS (Templeman), 8-11 G. Richards
00 SILVER SALMON (Stedall), 8-11 Perryman

Other Entries.—Rosa Acacia, The Chef, Joyous Star, Drawing Paper, Golden Mantle, Hermada.

Betting Forecast.—11-4 agst Fairy Fingers, 4 Mrs. Bowcher, 1 Hawthorn, 8 Mamma, 10 Time Marches On and Spaghetti, 100-8 Silver Salmon, 100-6 others.

2.30—FREE HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES (4-Y-0), £1,000; 14m.

121 TAJ AKBAR (F. Butlers), 9-2 Smirke
133 MAGNET (Templeman), 8-5 G. Richards
104 ST. MAGNUS (C. Leader), 8-1 Weston
021 BONSPIEL (J. Jarvis), 7-13 E. Smith
021 FAIRPLAY (P. Alden), 7-10
000 HYPOTHESIS (Lawson), 7-12
000 RONDO (F. Pratt), 7-11 Maher
000 PIZARRO (Hogg), 7-8 Vergette
000 HAULFRYN (Lynes), 7-7 C. Richards
000 GRAND ROYAL (Eisey), 7-7
040 DYTCHLEY (Rochfort), 7-3 Sirett

Other Entries.—Monument, Young England, His Grace. Betting Forecast.—9-4 agst Taj Akbar, 7-2 Magnet, 6 Dytchley, 15-2 Bonspiel, 8 St. Magnus, 10 Fairplay and Haulfryn, 100-7 others.

3.0—NEWMARKET STAKES (3-Y-0), £1,000; 14m.

011 SOLFO (B. Jarvis), 9-0 Lowrey
210 FAIR COPY (C. Leader), 9-0 Perryman
320 PHAKOS (J. Jarvis), 9-0 R. A. Jones
4 SANTAYANA (Rochfort), 9-0 Beary
010 THE HOUR (J. Jarvis), 9-0 E. Smith
440 FULL SAIL (J. Jarvis), 9-0 Nevett
414 SAUL (Boyd-Rochfort), 9-0 P. Beasley
04 CASH BOOK (Lawson), 9-0 G. Richards
10 FAIRFORD (Cottrill), 9-0 Weston

Other Entries.—Inglefield, Perifox. Betting Forecast.—2 agst Fair Copy, 7-2 Solfo, 5 The Hour, 13-2 Fairford, 8 Cash Book, 10 Sansalvo and Santayana, 100-8 others.

3.30—MELDRETH HANDICAP, £500; 14m.

112 SLIEVE MISH (T. Leader, jun.), 5-9-0 Rickaby
120 SATANIC (B. Jarvis), 4-8-11 Lowrey
410 KIDDERMINSTER (W. Jarvis), 4-8-9 Richardson
120 CASTEL ST. ANGELO (C. Leader), 4-8-8 Perryman
000 SIGNATURE (Rochfort), 4-8-1 Sirett
300 MOIAR (Digby), 4-7-2 V. Mitchell

Other Entries.—Theodwinster, Dytchley, Cyntrum. Betting Forecast.—2 agst Slieve Mish, 11-4 Satanic, 6 Signature, 8 Kidderminster 10 Castel St. Angelo and Morar.

4.0—SPRING TWO-YEAR-OLD STAKES, £200; 5L

11 JUBILEE (W. Jarvis), 9-5 Crouch
11 IPSWICH (Lambton), 9-5 Carslake
FOURTH OF JUNE (R. J. Colling), 8-10 Simpson
HOREB (Barling), 8-10 R. Jones
0 TERRACE (J. Jarvis), 8-10 E. Smith
0 BANCROFT (Rochfort), 8-10 P. Beasley
0 TRIUMPHANT (Briscoe), 8-10 S. Wragg
0 PACTOLUS (Perris), 8-10 Sirett
0 GARTER KING (Wellesley), 8-7 Maher
0 CADORA (D. Waugh), 8-7 Beary
01 TAMASHA (O. Bell), 8-2 H. Wragg

Other Entries.—Dark Tolly, Mirza II, Love Call, Two Rivers. Betting Forecast.—7-4 agst Ipswich, 5-2 Jubilee, 6 Tamasha, 6 Triumphant, 10 Horeb, 100-6 others.

4.30—CHESTERFORD STAKES, £500; 6L

GIOVINEZZA (F. Pratt), 4-8-10 Bezzant
301 TERROR (Cottrill), 3-8-2 Maher
0 PORTLASS (R. Day), 3-7-9 A. Burns
00 HARLEQUIN (T. Leader, jun.), 3-7-9 Robertson
100 LADY OF SHALOTT (R. Adams), 3-7-9 Hawcroft
MAY WING (R. Dawson), 3-7-9 Weston
03 LOTUS (Gipin), 3-7-9 G. Richards

Other Entries.—Yeuve Clicquot, Achtung, Polette, Master Blondel, Hesperus, Ethiope, Grandjo, Firozapore, Polydor, Reverendie, Vain Fancy, Felibrice.

Betting Forecast.—11-10 agst Terror, 11-4 Lady of Shalott, 8 Lotus, 100-8 others.

