

The 95th annual Show of the Royal Agricultural Society of England was held this year at Bristol and the Duke and Duchess of York were present. The weather varied between rainstorms and brilliant sunshine, but the exhibits were all on a par of excellence. His Majesty the King has taken several prizes this year, and all the beasts are very good-looking --- that is to say, if you like good-looking beasts.

HENLEY.

Henley which depends so much on good weather was favoured by the gods of chance on the first day --- brilliant sunshine smiling down upon a record programme of 41 races. In the Ladies Challenge Plate St Edmunds beat Radley in a good finish by one length. Corpus Christi Oxford met Christ College Cambridge --- and a race fought to a hard finish gave the victory to the Dark Blues --- how odd that sound.

NEGUS BEFORE THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

The Emperor Haile Selassie rose to make his final appeal before the League of Nations at Geneva introduced by an interpreter, and his appearance was the signal for an extraordinary outburst of catcalls and jeering from Italian journalists in the gallery. The Negus asked if the statesmen of the world were going to create the terrible precedent of bowing down to force. What answer could he take back to his people in Abyssinia?