Glorious Goodwood

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No doubt because it's so near South Coast holiday resorts, the Goodwood meeting centres around the picnic hamper and print dresses rather than the grey topper and Paris creations.

But picking the winners has never been child's play. This holiday meeting (with so many Royal associations) has long been noted for top class racing...

Visiting the Paddock, the Queen was accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk. Her Majesty was later to see her filly Almeria score yet another Royal victory in the Bentinck Stakes...

Big race of the day was the Stewards' Cup - that six-furlong lottery that puts the Bookies in smiling mood for the rest of the meeting.

Sixteen runners - and there they go - for a two thousand five hundred pound ppize - with Westmarsh and Roman Vale ~~[illegible]~~ - First to break the line...

But as the cracking pace begins to tell - Arcandy No. 5 -(winner of his last two races) strikes the front...

And at the post - Arcandy, (ridden by Tommy Gosling) is two lengths clear - his third win in succession.

From their vantage-point on Trundle Hill - the punters get a close-up of the also-rans, ~~[illegible]~~ While Tommy Gosling brings in Mrs Linde's Arcandy - the colt that keeps sprinting to victory.

Westmarsh.