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WOMEN'S BOAT RACE

CAMBRIDGE CREW IN TRAINING.

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Another sex war starts. The exclusively male Oxford and Cambridge boat race

is now to have a

rival in the Oxford and Cambridge Women's Boat Race. So there !

And here is the first move in the battle. These girls are the Cambridge pale-blues, specially pale blue about the knees.

It's so cold. They are just off for a training spin on the Cam. Later in the month they will meet the Oxford Women's

crew on a half-mile course, at Oxford. Previous trial spins have revealed the fact that women crews develop extremely well, and they are almost as fast as the men,

if conditions are favourable

and the course is clear. Here is a sample of their style - even, clean, steady, vigorous, stroking, producing a useful turn of speed. Their addition to the annual Putney-Mottlake procession might introduce an extra kick. It often needs it.