

COUNTY CRICKET/ After dismissals and cash crisis . . .

Great stuff from Bass

Mail A and Section B

BASS continued their magnificent start to the Division A season by completing their fourth maximum points win, this time over luckless ALREWAS.

The villagers were put in and made 121-7 off their 45 overs after a partnership of 54 between James Mitchell and Mark Sheasby had been overshadowed by the fine bowling of David Widdowson whose figures were 7-52.

Bass then proceeded to knock off the runs for the loss of only one wicket. Keith Widdows top scoring with an unbeaten 65 and fellow opener Richard Deaville making 44.

Second-placed ROBRICH/HOSPITALS place had a good win over MARSTON'S who batted first and made a useful total of 175-8 thanks to 63 from Alan Markey 63 and 49 from Barry Dawson.

Stuart Harrison, the former Hilton bowler, claimed 6-75 before team-mates Mark Turner (71 not out) and Paul Wood (39) followed up with some fine batting to sweep the home team to a winning total.

TUTBURY enjoyed their first win of the season thanks to two fine partnerships — 63 for the first wicket between Andy Watson (70) and David Lobb (43) and one for the third wicket between Watson and John Lees. IND COOPE'S Gary Broadhurst took 5-27.

In reply the away team reached 153 — 13 in arrears — off 44.4 overs with good all round batting by Gary Broadhurst, Pat Grieve and Simon Rowley helping them to their total.

Last year's Division B champions HARTSHORNE are having a dreadful start to their Division A campaign, only once scoring over 100 in their four games so far.

This time they were dismissed for only 65 off 24.5 overs after some very fine bowling by K Goodwin, who took 8-24 off only 11.5 overs with four maidens.

HAMMERWICH then knocked the runs off easily thanks to the opening partnership by D Foster and Bob Instone 26.

ROLLESTON won the toss and asked BARTON to bat, restricting them to 107-7 with Jim Timmis being the only batsman of note with 30, the home side's Darryl Cockerill taking 6-47.

It then took Rolleston 44.2 overs to overtake the away team's total for the loss of seven wickets, Phil Royall (31) and Adrian Statham (24) making sure of the points.

● DIVISION B leaders WALTON were well beaten at DRAYCOTT & HANBURY after being dismissed for only 112 against the bowling of John Cooper (4-43) and Paul Gregory with a fine 3-12.

The home side then to knocked off the deficit for the loss of only five wickets.

In an exciting tie at WINSHILL, the home side batted first and were all out for just 111 in 44 overs, Mark Elkes bowling his left handed medium pacers taking 6-44.

In reply UTTOXETER struggled and although had the benefit of an extra over they could only manage to finish on 111-9 with David Hunt doing his best with 36 not out.

Second-placed PASTURES HOSPITAL managed the majority of points at PIRELLI after Steve Cattrell cracked a fine unbeaten 85, ably assisted by Phil Shaw.

The home side were restricted to 145-6 despite Dean Bennett unbeaten half century and a fighting 42 from Andy Bevington.

CUP TONIC FOR DERBYS

By Ian Hall

Not that the decision to remove the chief executive was unanimous and those members of the committee who raised objections, should seriously consider their own positions.

Derbyshire Cricket Club should reaffirm its aims and objectives. It seems to me that the reason for its existence is to try to provide the best standard of cricket for the people of Derbyshire and those in surrounding areas who support the club.

Although it is a members' club, it should be part of the whole community of the county and attempt to involve and identify with the people of Derbyshire.

There can be little doubt that in recent years, Derbyshire has presented an increasingly harsh and remote face to the

to the people of the county in the name of "business."

Cricket may be a business, but the business is cricket.

The reversing of the commercial downturn is an absolute priority. Not since Colin Tunnicliffe was commercial manager has the club been on solid foundations in that area.

At least the club can look forward to a major one-day semi-final for the first time since 1988.

The experience of the first disastrous bowling shoot-out at Bishop Stortford was useful in the affair at Taunton.

The 'Famous Five' of Van Drau, Adams, Barnett, Cork and Bowler kept their nerve and bowled a full length, while several Somerset deliveries bounced over the top of the stumps — 6-3 to Derbyshire and huge sighs of relief all round.

Despite that, it is ridiculous that such an important match should be decided in such a bizarre fashion.

There have been dramatic events in Derbyshire cricket in the last week.

First the announcement that Bob Lark, chief executive, and Hiren Bhakta, administrative secretary, had been made redundant and Ian Davies, commercial and marketing manager, had been dismissed.

Then came the drama of the bowling shoot-out at Taunton, with the result that Derbyshire face Northamptonshire at home in the semi-final of the Benson & Hedges Cup.

The clear out of the club's administrative staff is a direct consequence of the club's deteriorating financial position.

"Judge me on results," said Lark, on his appointment in 1989, and now the committee has done so.

With debts of £500,000, commercial income £90,000 below budget, no major sponsor, the lowest membership in county cricket and question marks against the development scheme that was supposed to be the club's salvation, the only surprise is that the committee did not act sooner.



● Day out . . . Nottinghamshire players pictured on a visit to Bass Museum yesterday. Bass, Mitchells and Butlers promotions co-ordinator Graham Bladon greets club captain Tim Robinson and team manager Mike Hendrick.

Positions

Division A

	PW	L	A	B	Pt
Bass	4	4	0	0	48
Rob Hospitals	4	4	0	0	38
Hammerwich	4	2	1	0	30
Rolleston	4	2	0	2	26
Alrewas	4	2	0	2	25
Barton	4	2	0	2	24
Ind Coope	4	1	1	2	20
Marston's	4	1	0	3	16
Tutbury	4	1	0	3	10
Hartshorne	4	0	0	4	3

Division B

	PW	L	A	B	Pt
Walton	4	2	0	2	28
Pastures H	4	3	0	1	26
Uttoxeter	4	2	1	0	26
Draycott & H	3	2	0	1	22
Trentside	2	2	0	2	22
Brackensfield	3	1	0	2	15
Winshall	4	0	1	3	11
Pirelli	2	0	2	0	6

BURTON MAIL SECTIONS A & B SCOREBOARDS

DIVISION A

Rolleston v Barton

Barton 107-7 (7 wickets)

B Keats c Glover b Cockerill... 7

J Timmis run out... 30

I Bennett c Glover b Cockerill... 5

J Hall b Cockerill... 7

N Timmis b Cockerill... 4

J Carleton c Royall b Cockerill... 10

D Cropper not out... 5

I Thompson b Cockerill... 19

K Rockliffe not out... 17

Extras... 10

Total (7 wickets)... 107

Fall: 1-12, 2-19, 3-41, 4-59, 5-68, 6-78, 7-102.

Bowling: D Cockerill

23-6-47-6, N Wadham 22-9-46-0.

ROLLESTON

S Bateman c Hall b Cropper... 11

D Benhour c J Timmis b Kennedy... 12

P Glover c Bennett b Cropper... 0

A Statham c N Timmis b Thompson... 24

M Clay c Thompson b Cropper... 2

P Royall c Carleton b Rockliffe... 31

T Taylor b Rockliffe... 5

D Fennell not out... 11

N Wadham not out... 9

Extras... 16

Total (7 wickets)... 116

Fall: 1-12, 2-20, 3-26, 4-29, 5-67, 6-90, 7-93.

Bowling: D Cropper 22-2-5-50-3, K Rockliffe 12-1-25-2, S Kennedy 5-2-13-1, I Thompson 5-0-19-1.

Rolleston (9pts) beat Barton (3pts) by 4 wickets.

Bass v Alrewas

Alrewas 28 (7 wickets)

B Heathcote b Widdowson... 8

T Aston c Redpath b Widdowson... 4

J Mitchell c Deaville b Widdowson... 28

M Sheasby b Widdowson... 25

I Johnson b Widdowson... 26

J Sutton c Deaville b Widdowson... 0

M Williams c Deaville b Widdowson... 9

M Goodlad not out... 10

Extras... 11

Total (7 wickets)... 121

Fall: 1-11, 2-16, 3-70, 4-75, 5-75, 6-95, 7-121.

Bowling: D Widdowson

23-8-52-7, N Faulkner 14-6-19-0, J Simms 5-0-23-0, J Prescott 3-0-18-0.

BASS

K Widdows not out... 65

R Deaville b Heathcote... 44

A Jacks not out... 11

Extras... 2

Total (1 wicket)... 122

Fall: 1-98.

Bowling: Heathcote 11-3-31-1, Sheasby 6-0-33-0, Sutton 3-0-17-0, D Miller 10-0-39-0.

Bass (12pts) beat Alrewas (0pts) by 9 wickets.

Hammerwich v Hartshorne

Hartshorne 13 (7 wickets)

N Tibby b Goodwin... 1

N Shore c White b Goodwin... 11

D Hale b Goodwin... 15

N Brown b Goodwin... 0

G Weston b Goodwin... 0

T Mawbey b Goodwin... 0

G Smith b Goodwin... 0

P Cowley b Goodwin... 15

P Ellum c Instone b White... 10

D Mawbey not out... 0

D Martin run out... 0

Extras... 65

Total (2 wickets)... 66

Fall: 1-32, 2-32.

Bowling: D Martin 9-6-12-1, P Ellum 2-0-20-0, T Mawbey 5-1-21-1, N Brown 15-0-13-0.

Hammerwich (11pts) beat Hartshorne (0pts) by 8 wickets.

Robb v Marston's

Marston's 26 (7 wickets)

M Emery b Harrison... 26

S Cox c Elkes b Ball... 8

A Markey b Harrison... 63

B Dawson b Harrison... 49

C Reed run out... 6

R Hackett c Smith b Harrison... 5

P Peppercall c Smith b Harrison... 0

S Crocker b Harrison... 2

Extras... 19

Total (7 wickets)... 110

Fall: 1-13, 2-23, 3-27, 4-62, 5-134, 6-174, 7-143.

Bowling: C Reed 7-0-24-2, A Peppercall 11-2-35-2, P Peppercall 15-0-63-2, R Ward 10-1-52-0.

Robb's Hospitals (9pts) beat Marston's (3pts) by 3 wickets.

Tutbury v Ind Coope

Tutbury 19 (8pts) beat Ind Coope (4pts) by 13 runs.

D Lobb c&b Wright... 70

A Watson c Eyley b Fretwell... 19

N Lees b Wright... 4

J Smith c Greave b Eyley... 16

J Grinter b Broadhurst... 24

C Reed run out... 7

S Orton b Broadhurst... 0

M Sharratt lbw b Fretwell... 1

K Sanders c Stanbury b Broadhurst... 18

R Woolley not out... 4

R Ward not out... 1

Extras... 11

Total (8 wickets)... 175

Fall: 1-36, 2-38, 3-151, 4-158, 5-164, 6-166, 7-169, 8-171.

Bowling: S Harrison 23-4-75-6, N Ball 11-2-34-1, M Turner 8-0-35-0, D House 3-0-22-0.

ROBRICH/HOSPITALS

A Bryan c Reed b Tipping... 12

J Elkes c&b Reed... 4

D Hoose c Hackett b Tipping... 21

N Turner not out... 71

P Wood run out... 39

Hafiz b Peppercall... 0

C Smith c Reed b Peppercall... 0

N Ball not out... 15

Extras... 5

Total (7 wickets)... 176

Fall: 1-14, 2-23, 3-27, 4-62, 5-134, 6-174, 7-143.

Bowling: C Reed 7-0-24-2, A Tipping 11-2-35-2, P Peppercall 15-0-63-2, R Ward 10-1-52-0.

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Extras... 19

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Fall: 1-14, 2-23, 3-27, 4-62, 5-134, 6-174, 7-143.

Bowling: C Reed 7-0-24-2, A Tipping 11-2-35-2, P Peppercall 15-0-63-2, R Ward 10-1-52-0.

1 K Allsobrook not out... 0

G Bowley lbw b Broadhurst... 0

Extras... 24

Total... 166

Fall: 1-63, 2-67, 3-110, 4-143, 5-159, 6-159, 7-165, 8-165, 9-166.

Bowling: G Broadhurst 14-4-3-27-5, D Millington 7-1-18-0, S Eyley 9-1-42-1, D Wright 8-0-34-2, N Fretwell 6-0-26-2.

IND COOPE

S Rowley c Lees b Bowley... 27

D Cheate run out... 2

N Fretwell c Lees b Bowley... 0

S Eyley c Lees b Bowley... 6

D Millington c Watson b Allsobrook... 12

P Greave run out... 28

M Taylor b Sharratt... 18

A Gale run out... 18

G Broadhurst b Sanders... 31

D Wright b Allsobrook... 5

L Stanbury not out... 0

Extras... 6

Total... 157

Fall: 1-6, 2-6, 3-28, 4-47, 5-55, 6-94, 7-103, 8-142, 9-153.

Bowling: K Allsobrook 16-4-42-2, G Bowley 18-4-54-3, M Sharratt 6-1-26-1, K Sanders 4-0-25-1.

Tutbury (8pts) beat Ind Coope (4pts) by 13 runs.

DIVISION B

BOXING/ Career setback for Burton pro

Vandrau writes a cheery opening

For the second time in succession, the first day of Derbyshire's championship match was washed out by rain (writes IAN HALL).

Miniature lakes covered the County Ground at Derby and groundstaff worked hard to prevent water seeping under the covers, but there was never the remotest chance of any play against Hampshire and so the match becomes another three-day affair.

So much for the notion of having a programme of 17 matches of four-days each, to make the championship "fairer". Our English weather makes that idea false.

The day's enforced rest was not unwelcome for some Derbyshire players. It provided Matthew Vandrau with a chance to write to the folks back home and tell them how suddenly his cricketing life has changed.

Vandrau arrived in England about a month ago expecting to be on trial in the Second Eleven. Instead he finds himself a match away from possibly playing in a Lord's final, having already distinguished himself in championship and Sunday League matches.

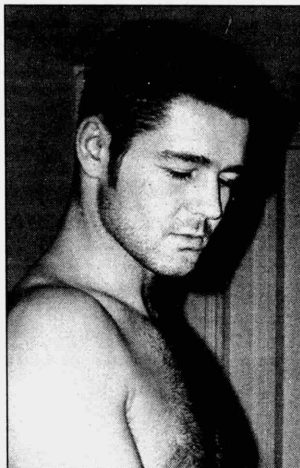
A middle order batsman and off-spin bowler, Vandrau will give Derbyshire valuable alternatives in all competitions. All the signs are that he has an excellent temperament. Not too many newcomers open the bowling in a bowling shoot-out!

Born in Surrey in 1969, Vandrau was brought up in South Africa and is studying at Witwatersrand university. He made his debut for Transvaal B v Natal B in 1991, which, prior to Chelmsford, was his only first-class appearance. Phillip Russell, the Derbyshire coach, spotted him and moved quickly as Essex were interested.

Asked if he had been given any specific bowling instructions on Sunday, Vandrau said that Kim Barnett told him "I'll put the fielders back, aim for two 'dot' balls per over and everything will be fine". And it was — although his Sunday "kit" with his name on, had only arrived that morning.

Dawson disaster

By Mail Sports Staff



● Mark Dawson . . . nasal problems

Burton boxer Mark Dawson could be out of the fight game until the autumn after retiring from his latest fight with a badly blooded nose at the end of the fifth round last night.

Rochdale middleweight Derek Wormald was the man who did the damage at Burnley's Thompson Centre, returning to the ring after a three-year absence with an impressively powerful performance.

It was all too much for Dawson, who put up a gutsy display to last as long as he did for five of the scheduled six rounds.

But after somehow surviving a knockdown two minutes into the third, former British title challenger Wormald had him down again three seconds from the end of round five.

And, although Dawson was saved by the bell, that was enough for his coach Wally Swift to throw in the towel.

Brave Dawson battled hard to stay on his feet after taking a pummeling from clearly the classiest opponent he has had in his 11 contests to date.

But it is still less than a year since he turned pro and he can only have learned from his experience in front of Wormald's hostile Lancastrian following.

It was all made even harder by the fact that the badly broken nose, which has troubled him in his past three fights again caused him problems, Dawson admitting that he was having big trouble breathing from the third round onwards.

And now he has been advised to go for at least a three month lay-off to sort out that nasal problem before stepping back into the ring.

Master strokes

Masters champion Bernhard Langer made his presence felt as the £700,000 Volvo PGA championship started at Wentworth today.

The German star, on his first appearance in Europe since his second Augusta triumph last month, birdied the second and fourth holes before moving on to take the lead from early pacesetter Jim Payne.

It could have been even better for Langer. He hit a glorious 233-yard three-wood to within five

feet of the flag at the tough 471-yard first, but missed the putt.

His tee shot to the short second left him with just a four-foot chance, which this time he accepted. Then, after finding rough at the 501-yard fourth and smothering his second, he floated a superb pitch to three feet. Langer reached the turn in a two-under-33.

Payne was also out in 33 but double bogeyed the 10th to drop to level, while Langer was joined out in front by Mats Lanner.

TEAMS

A Tonkinson c E Wright b Elkes	19
T Moore lbw b Elkes	8
G Fisher c A Wright b Elkes	1
H Mansfield c Boman b Elkes	5
D Joyce st Rhodes Snr b Elkes	5
M Causar run out	13
P Wilson c A Wright b Hunt	0
L Mason not out	7
Extras	12
Total	111

Fall: 1-28, 2-29, 3-60, 4-62, 5-63, 6-71, 7-82, 8-83, 9-84.

Bowling: M Elkes 20-7-44-6, E Wright 10-1-26-1, D Hunt 13-2-28-2, G Douglas 1-0-5-0.

UTTOXETER

G Dixon b Joyce	14
S Cooper c Moore b Joyce	15
E Wright c Joyce b Mason	0
R Rhodes Snr c Causar b Joyce	24
J Woolley c Tonkinson b Joyce	1
G Douglas b Joyce	2
A Wright run out	2
A Boman run out	4
M Elkes not out	2
Extras	10
Total (9 wickets)	111

Fall: 1-29, 2-30, 3-32, 4-38, 5-57, 6-61, 7-69, 8-82, 9-105.

Bowling: D Joyce 23-4-56-6, L Mason 12-6-18-1, P Wilson 11-3-33-0.

Match tied, 6pts each.

Pirelli v Pastures II

PASTURES

I McIntyre b Downs	1
S Wilkins c Edwards b Bennett	23
S Cattrell not out	85
G Harvey c P Beresford-Clarke b Peach	7
T Mason b Edwards	9
P Shaw not out	37
Extras	26
Total (4 wickets)	188

Fall: 1-2, 2-46, 3-81, 4-123.

Bowling: D Bennett 16-0-55-1, R Downs 6-0-24-1, G Peach 16-2-69-1, R Edwards 3-0-9-1, M Baker 4-0-22-0.

PIRELLI

A Bevington b Bonnell	42
I Beresford-Clarke c Harvey b Measures	22
P Beresford-Clarke b Measures	0
R Edwards c Bonnell b Mason	0
D Bennett not out	51
G Caron c Harvey b Bonnell	6
D Moore b Measures	14
G Peach not out	4
Extras	4
Total (6 wickets)	145

Fall: 1-36, 2-42, 3-45, 4-94, 5-114, 6-141.

Bowling: T Mason 13-1-42-1, R Measures 18-4-54-3, P Shaw 7-0-28-0, J Bonnell 7-3-16-2.

Pirelli (3pts) lost to Pastures (9pts) by 4 wickets.

Swadincote v Appleby Magna

PASTURES

A Eureka park, 2.30pm: D Witham, S Hughes, J Staley, J Wild, D Evans, G Earp, D Taylor, A Harrison, Raf, A Amos, M Alderton, 12th man A Dunn/N Bloor. Umpire panel. Scorer I Robey. Meet at 1.30. Problems: Phone Den, 214268.
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Trentside v A I Task at A I Task, 2.30pm: C Wood (C), M Stakes, I Morgan, R Seaborn, R Shaw, A Bendall, R Davenport, M Stubbs, G Brake, K Lakin, M Metcalfe Jr. Umpire Brian Dolman. Scorer Helen Farman. Meet at ground 1.30/A I Task 2pm. Problems: Rign Colin, 33177.

Trentside v Pirelli at home, 2.30pm: J Elson (C), T Kirkland, G Foster, P Bailey, A Petrie, K Bailey, P McLoughlin, M Seaborn, R Benstead, R Matthews, D Elson. Umpire R Mottram. Scorer Mandie Fowkes. Meet at ground 2pm. Problems: Ring John, 216691, or 214799.

Trentside v Aston Unity 4th at home, 2.30pm: M Mitcalfe Snr (C), K Hancock, C Norton, A Cornes, N Rehman, M Redfern, J Benstead, S Dolman, C Williams, T Toth, G Norton, 12th man A Howe. Umpire George Buxton. Scorer David Cornes. Meet at Trentside 2pm. Problems: Ring Mike, 63977.

Hartshorne v Elford at Elford, 2.30pm: M Darby, D Eyre, S Dolman, Matt Beard, R Beard,

Merv Beard, J Wagstaff, M Edwards, N Brown, N Mawbey, A Wood. Umpire Panel. Scorer Miss A Ford. Meet at Elford 2pm. Problems: Mick, 215655.

Hartshorne 2nd v Tutbury 2nd at Hartshorne, 2.30pm: P Ellum, T Mawbey, N Tiley, N Shore, D Hale, J Fox, P Cowley, D Martin, G Smith, D Mawbey, E Carey.

Walton v Tutbury at Tutbury, 2.30pm: S Cooper (C), J Dodwell, D Dodwell, A Wilson, A Hemmingway, N Howard, J Fryatt, N Talbot, P Bottrell, C Boulton, C Kirk, Scorer E A Dodwell. Meet at Shoulder 1.30, transport leaves 1.35. Problems: Ring Steve, 48473.

Drakelow PS v Brackensfield at Drakelow PS, 2.30pm: D Ford, I Bradford, P Green, R Cain, S Perry, B Brown, C Chell, D Bennett Jr, D Liff, D Winfield, G Large. Umpire D Bennett Snr. Scorer T V Ford. Meet at 2pm. Problems: 45606 or 760345.

Woodville v Pirelli at Pirelli, 2.30pm: N Hughes (C), M Adams, D Clamp, Nig Hall, N Adams, P Woodman, D Bourne, K Harper, D Orpwood, D Walter, W Hunt, 12th man A Marsden. Meet at Woodville, 1.15.

Marston's 2nd v Bass away, 2.30pm: N Ayling, C Colley, S Salt, A Barber, R Johnson, T Johnson, S Ayling, D Whiteside, A Kendrick, M Iqbal, D Chiffers. Scorer E E Goodhead. Problems: Nigel, 30314.

Gresley ground storm

From Back Page

The Mail understands that a site for a new ground, to be named The New Moat Ground, has been earmarked between Gresley and Albert Village and that plans have reached an advanced stage.

The site thought to be most favoured by club officials lies behind Church Street close to what was once Gresley Miners' Welfare ground.

A move there would fulfill the majority wish that the club stays within the parish of Gresley.

But Betteridge was

Unfortunately, he went badly lame just as the three-runner minor event began to take shape.

But even ignoring Newbury — as the handicapper appears to have done — a strong case can be made for him at Haydock.

He had looked a colt with a future when ridden with great confidence to beat Rock Symphony narrowly on his Nottingham reappearance, held up and just shaken up to win by a head.

But the fact that Gosden is thinking in terms of Royal Ascot's Cork and Orrery Stakes for Specified, who also holds an entry in the July Cup, will bring out a cold sweat in the handicapper.

You have to win races like this off a mark of 101 if you are going to hold your own in that company.

The Tote Credit Silver Bowl Handicap contains another potential blot on the handicap in the shape of **BARIK**, ante post favourite for the Royal Hunt Cup and the most farcically easy winner on his reappearance.

Willie Carson could have been going down to the start as he eased home by half a length from Umbubuzi.

At Kempton, **PROVENCE** catches the eye in the Crawley Warren Handicap. A real staying type, he will relish this extra quarter-mile and stiff finish.

TOMORROW'S TIPS

HAYDOCK: 2.00 Chief Minister, 2.30 Specified, 3.00 Barik, 3.30 Certificate-X, 4.00 Princess Borghese, 4.30 Florac, 5.00 Flashflet.
KEMPTON: 2.10 Gold Land, 2.40 Black Mischief, 3.10 PROVENCE (NAP), 3.40 Googly, 4.10 Half Term, 4.40 Aughfad.
DOUBLE: PROVENCE and Barik.

Yard's quality control



Norman Lamont should not try looking in John Gosden's yard for a new job.

Exact standards are required at Stanley House Stables, where a complete mastery of figures is essential in the battle to outwit the handicapper.

Even Lamont at his most vague, however, could hardly miss the fact that **SPECIFIED** is extremely well treated at the weights in the Sandy Lane Handicap at Haydock tomorrow.

Admittedly, Specified's seven-length defeat of Chaddelworth at Newbury last month would make even more compelling reading had the runner-up completed the race unscathed.

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PLUS PREVIEW OF ENGLAND'S VITAL WORLD CUP CLASH AGAINST POLAND