

# THE VICTORY AERIAL DERBY

AFTER an interval of five years, the Aerial Derby is to be flown again, on Saturday next, June 21.

For this year's event the following machines have been entered:—

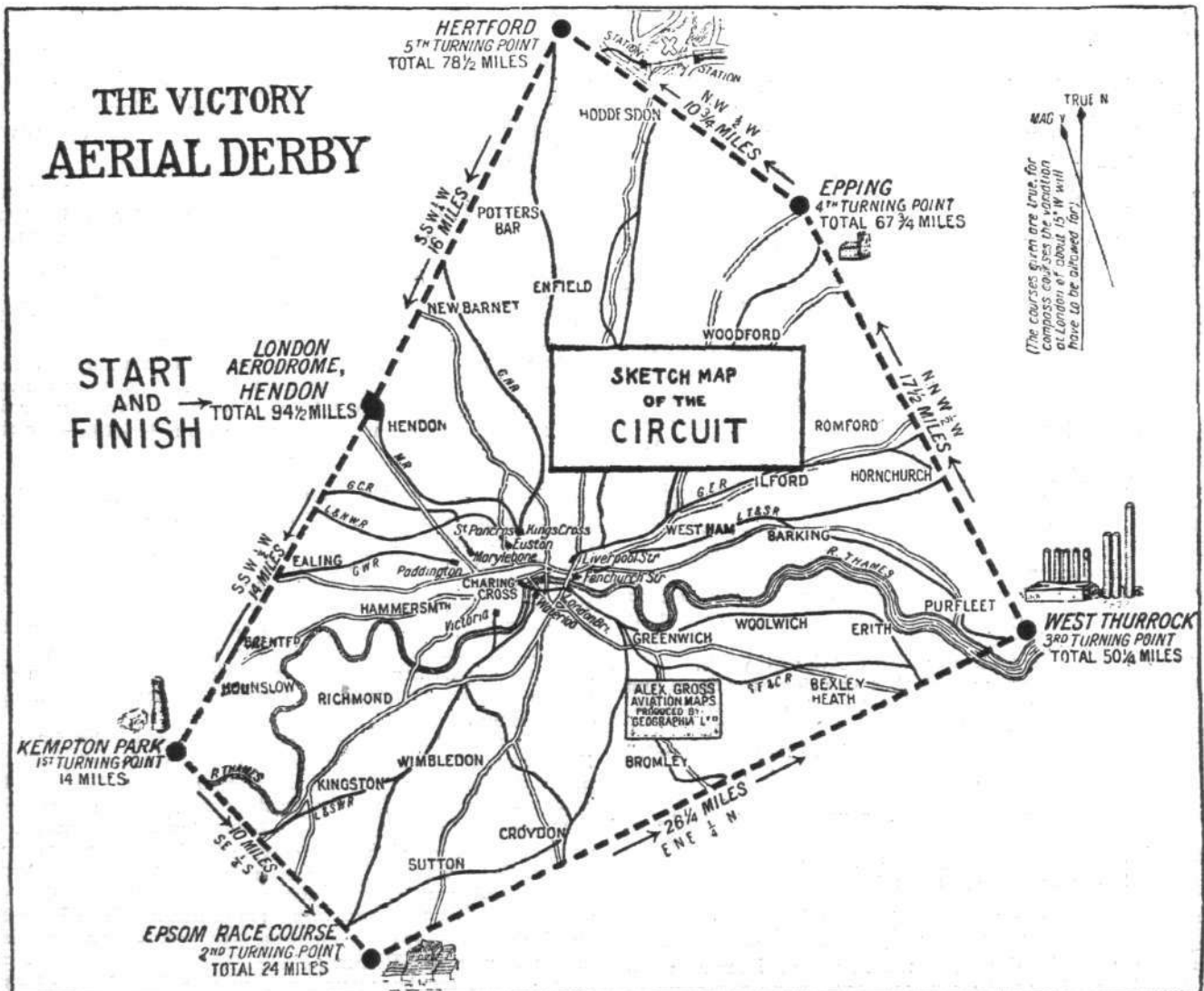
by the Grahame-White Co., Ltd., under the auspices of the Royal Aero Club. The course will be the same as before (see accompanying maps), but in view of the greater speed of modern aeroplanes, the circuit will have to be covered twice.

Official No.	Pilot.	Machine.	Engine.	Approx. Speed m.p.h.
1	Clifford B. Prodger .. ..	B.A.T. Bantam .. ..	170 h.p. A.B.C. Wasp .. ..	120
2	Capt. P. R. T. Chamberlayne ..	Grahame-White Bantam ..	80 h.p. Le Rhone .. ..	90
3	Maj. C. Draper, D.S.O. .. ..	B.A.T. (Sporting Two-seater) ..	200 h.p. A.B.C. Wasp II .. ..	125
4	Lieut.-Col. G. L. P. Henderson, A.F.C., M.C.	Martinsyde F. 4 .. ..	250 h.p. Rolls-Royce Falcon II ..	145
5	Maj. R. H. Carr, A.F.C., D.C.M.	Grahame-White Bantam .. ..	80 h.p. Le Rhone .. ..	90
7	Capt. G. Gathergood, A.F.C. ..	Airco 4 R. .. ..	450 h.p. Napier Lion .. ..	140
8	Marcus D. Manton .. ..	Airco 4 .. ..	375 h.p. Rolls-Royce Eagle VIII ..	130
9	Capt. H. J. Saint, D.S.O. .. ..	Airco 9 (three-seater) .. ..	240 h.p. Siddeley Puma .. ..	111
10	Lieut. Robert Nisbet .. ..	Martinsyde F. 4 .. ..	275 h.p. Rolls-Royce Falcon III ..	144
11	Maj. L. R. Tait-Cox .. ..	Nieuport L.C. 1 .. ..	320 h.p. A.B.C. Dragonfly .. ..	143
12	Maj. C. H. C. Smith, D.S.O. ..	Bristol Monoplane .. ..	110 h.p. Le Rhone .. ..	110
14	Capt. H. A. Hammersley .. ..	Avro Baby .. ..	35 h.p. Green .. ..	70
15	Lieut. C. Turner, A.F.C. .. ..	B.A.T. Commercial Five-seater ..	375 h.p. Rolls-Royce Eagle VIII ..	115
16	Capt. C. R. Vaughan .. ..	B.A.T. Bantam .. ..	170 h.p. A.B.C. Wasp .. ..	120
17	H. G. Hawker .. ..	Sopwith .. ..	To be announced later. .. ..	—
18	Capt. J. Alcock, D.S.O. .. ..	Vickers .. ..	To be announced later .. ..	—

The prizes will be: The *Daily Mail* gold trophy (value 200 guineas) and the "Shell" prize of £500, for the winner. The second man gets a "Shell" trophy and £100. There will also be a sealed handicap with three "Shell" trophies and "Shell" prizes of £100, £50 and £25 for the first, second and third respectively. As in previous years the race will be organised

In regard to the start and finish of the race, the machines will leave the starting line opposite the Paddock Enclosure at the London Aerodrome, Hendon, at half-minute intervals, the slowest machine starting first at 3.30 p.m.

The competitors should, on the first circuit, pass the first turning point at Kempton Park (Waterworks chimney) at



Reduced map available for use by aviators competing in the Victory Aerial Derby, showing each section distinctly. The original of the map is about 5 ft. 6 ins. in length, on which the rivers, streams, lakes and reservoirs are coloured most conspicuously in blue, woods and parks in green. The map is designed by Alexander Gross, F.R.G.S., and published by "Geographia," Ltd., Fleet Street.