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CLYDESDALE HARRIERS.

Rules.

I.—That the Club be called the "CLYDESDALE HARRIERS."

II.—That the object of the Club be the promotion of Amateur Athletics generally, and Cross-Country Running in particular.

III.—That the general management of the Club be vested in a Committee not exceeding Twenty-four Members, of whom Twenty shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Club, including, at least, a President, Vice-President, Two Joint Secretaries, Treasurer, Captain, and Vice-Captain. Five Members to form a quorum.

IV.—That each Candidate for election sends with his application the Subscription for the first year, which will be returned if he is not elected; and the Candidate must also make the declaration that he is an Amateur, according to the following definition:—"An amateur is one who has never competed for a money prize or monetary consideration, or for any declared wager or staked bet; who has never engaged in, assisted in, or taught any athletic exercises as a means of pecuniary gain; and who has never taken part in any competition with any one who is not an amateur";—and that he will abide by the Laws of the Club, shall be proposed by one Member and seconded by another, after which his name will be submitted to the Committee, and, if agreed upon, passed. Any Member of Committee shall have the power of demanding a Ballot in the case of any Candidate. One black ball in four to exclude.

V.—That the Annual Subscription for Ordinary Members be Three Shillings and Sixpence (for Honorary Members, Five Shillings), payable on the 1st of October in each year; and that the Subscription for Life Members be One Guinea.

VI.—That the Treasurer shall place before the Committee the names of all Members one month in Arrears for Subscriptions or other moneys, the Committee then having the power to enforce payment of such by legal proceedings, if necessary, and no one whose Subscription has been allowed to fall in arrears shall be entitled to any of the rights and privileges of Members of the Club.

VII.—That any Member intending to withdraw from the Club shall give written notice to the Secretary before the Annual General Meeting, or be liable for another year's Subscription.

VIII.—That any Member violating the Rules of the Club or of the amateur definition, as per Rule IV., or doing anything prejudicial to the interests of either, may be expelled from the Club by the votes of two-thirds of the full Committee.

IX.—That the uniform of the Club be Black Knickers and White Jersey with Black Facings and the letter "C" in black on front and back. (Members are specially requested to enter under the name of the Club at Athletic Meetings.)

X.—For the purpose of administration the Committee may subdivide the Membership into Headquarters' Districts, and allot the management of those to certain of its members who shall be termed District Conveners, and who shall look after said Districts, and assist the Secretaries and Treasurer as far as these are concerned. The Committee shall appoint any Sub-Committees which they may consider advisable, and have full power to fill up vacancies in the General Committee and act for the Club (except to alter Rules), the majority in all cases to decide, the Chairman or President of the Club, however, having the power to appeal to a full Special General Committee Meeting. That the Meetings of Committees be held on the first Monday of each month, or as near that date as possible, at least two days' notice to be given by the Secretary when, together with other current business, the Minutes of the Sub-Committees, as well as the Treasurer's Financial Statement up to the end of the previous month will be read and considered.

XI.—That the Annual General Meeting be held early in September, and called by Circular. The Reports of the Secretaries and Treasurer shall be submitted, and the Office-bearers and Committee (with

Auditor to act in conjunction with one appointed by the Committee) appointed for the ensuing year. Fifteen members shall form a quorum; a majority to decide. The Chairman shall have the power to appeal to a Special General Meeting on any special business, at which there must be Twenty Members present.

XII.—That a Special General Meeting may be called by the Committee, or by any Ten Members, or (in the above special case) by the Chairman on giving notice to the Secretary, who shall call the meeting in the same manner as the A.G.M.

XIII.—That these Rules be inserted in the Club's "Annual," and that no alteration in, or addition to, the Rules be made except at the Annual General Meeting, or at a Special Meeting called for that purpose. Notice of such alteration to be given to the Secretary, not later than 1st September, or ten days previous to any Special General Meeting.

Cross-Country Regulations.

I.—That Cross-Country Runs be held on Saturdays, from the 1st of October to the end of March, or on such dates as the Committee may fix.

II.—That the Club when out for a run shall be under the management of the Captain or Vice-Captain or Senior Member of Committee present, who shall appoint a Pace-Maker and Whip for the control of each pack.

III.—That no one, when out for a run, shall be allowed to go ahead of the Pace-Maker, unless the run be a racing run, or the signal be given by the Pace-Maker for a race home.

IV.—That every member of the Club is expected to wear the Club Uniform at the Club Runs, and to support the management for the time being.

NOTES FROM THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

UPON reference to the notes from our last Annual Report, you will find that there we expressed ourselves very hopefully with regard to the immediate future of the Club. That our hopes have been more than realized this Report of the past Season's work will show. We might, were not brevity here aimed at, enlarge to some considerable extent upon the great things the Club has done, but, as self-praise is considered no honour, we will allow the facts to speak for themselves.

We opened the Cross-Country season with a run from Clydebank Baths, on 30th September, and continued until 16th March. Inter-Club runs were held with the following Clubs:—Renfrew Y.M.C.A., Paisley, Shettleston, Boghead, Garscube, Paisley Juniors, Maryhill, Bellahouston, and Babcock and Wilcox Harriers. The Runs were very well attended, while the Inter Runs were usually notable for the numerical predominance of Clydesdale members.

The *Club Handicaps* and Races resulted as follows:—

Five Miles Novice Handicap—1st, D. M'Phee; 2nd, Neil Slaven; 3rd, G. Barrie. Handicap prizes were awarded to G. Barrie, N. Slaven, and R. M. Herbison. A good field of 20 took part in the race.

Five Miles Handicap—1st, A. Loch; 2nd, P. M'Gregor; 3rd, A. Mann. Handicap result—1st, P. M'Gregor; 2nd, T. Barrie Erskine; 3rd, W. Henderson.

Club Championship and Team Race—1st, S. S. Watt; 2nd, A. Loch; 3rd, G. Findlay. Winning Team—A. Loch (2); R. Frew (6); W. Henderson (8).

Seven Miles Handicap Confined (East)—1st, S. S. Watt; 2nd, A. Loch; 3rd, R. Frew. Handicap result—1st, J. M. Learmonth; 2nd, A. Loch; 3rd, R. Frew.

Seven Miles Confined Handicap (West)—1st, G. Findlay; 2nd, A. Mann; 3rd, J. Paterson. Handicap result—1st, J. Welsh; 2nd, W. Walker; 3rd, W. B. Thomson.

Two Miles Flat Handicap—1st, G. Brock; 2nd, A. Loch; 3rd, W. Henderson.

Our Annual Team Contest and Handicap at Scotstoun was another great success, and undoubtedly further enhanced the Club's good name. This event is always looked forward to with great keenness by Scottish Clubs. The Team placings in November last were—Monkland (12); Bellahouston (24); Garscube (30). Twenty-five teams competed, and the Individual placings were—1st, A. Kerr, Motherwell Harriers; 2nd, A. Craig, Bellahouston Harriers; 3rd, G. Cummings, Paisley Harriers. Handicap prizes were won by A. Lang, Glenpark Harriers; W. Stirling, Maryhill Harriers; R. Whittet, Glenpark Harriers.

Two members of our Club, S. S. Watt and A. Loch, were chosen to represent Scotland in the Cross-Country International.

We occupied the honourable position of 2nd in both the Western District and National Championships this year. In the former our counting men were—A. Loch (1); G. Findlay (4); D. M'Phee (8); W. Henderson (16); P. M'Gregor (26); G. Barrie (30). Total, 85. It is worthy of note that in any ordinary year we would have won with these low figures.

In the National Championship we were manfully

served by S. S. Watt (2); A. Loch (4); G. Findlay (12); A. Mann (15); A. McPhee (20); R. Frew (28). Total, 81.

To achieve a double first this season we need only advance one place in each case, and that, I feel confident, is quite within our power.

Our track record this season is one of which we may well be proud. Many prizes have been won by members of the Club, a notable feature being the number of sprint successes.

The Annual Sports, at Ibrox Park, on 25th May, were very successful from every point of view. We held a second meeting at Clydebank, and, although the weather was unfavourable, we came out on the right side financially, while athletically we created a record, being the only Club in Scotland to hold two Open Athletic Meetings in one season.

Two special medals have been awarded by the Club, one to Mr. G. Findlay, for the most successful season on the track, and the other to Mr. J. L. Reid, in virtue of his having won the Scottish Championship Broad Jump.

As the Treasurer's Report will show, the Club is in a healthier financial condition than it has been for many years.

In conclusion, gentlemen, we think you will all agree that our star is very clearly in the ascendant. Let each one do his best to maintain it so, by attending the Runs with regularity and by continual effort towards bringing in new members to the fold. Let us still fly far aloft

"The banner with the strange device,
EXCELSIOR."

PAST CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONS.

	INDIVIDUAL.	TEAM.	CLUB CHAMPION.
1885-86	A. P. Findlay S.C.C.A.	E.H.	Jas. Campbell
1886-87	Jas. Campbell "	"	"
1887-88	A. P. Findlay "	C.H.	W. Henderson
1888-89	C. McCall "	"	J. W. McWilliam
	J. W. McWilliam S.H.U.	"	"
1889-90	A. Hannah S.C.C.A.	"	A. Hannah
	C. Pennycook S.H.U.	"	"
1890-91	A. Hannah S.C.C.U.	E.H.	A. Hannah
1891-92	C. Pennycook "	C.H.	"
1892-93	A. Hannah "	"	"
1893-94	" "	"	"
1894-95	B. A. Hay "	E.H.	W. Robertson
1895-96	A. Hannah "	C.H.	A. Hannah
1896-97	S. Duffus "	"	S. Duffus
1897-98	J. Paterson "	"	W. Robertson
1898-99	" "	"	Watsonians. D. W. Mill
1899-1900	" "	"	"
1900-1901	D. W. Mill "	C.H.	"
1901-1902	" "	"	R. Frew.
1902-1903	P. McCafferty A.C.C.F.s.	E.H.	"
1903-1904	J. Ranken, "	E.H.	J. Reston.
1904-1905	" "	W.S.H.	S. Stevenson.
1905-1906	Sam Stevenson, "	C.H.	"
1906-1907	T. Jack, "	C.H.	"
1907-1908	T. Jack, "	M.Y.M.C.A.H.	"
1908-1909	A. McPhee, Jr., "	W.S.H.	A. McPhee, Jr.
1909-1910	" "	C.H. & W.S.H.	S. S. Watt.
1910-1911	Sam S. Watt, C.H.	E.H.	A. McPhee, Jr.
1911-1912	T. Jack, E.S.H.	W.S.H.	Sam S. Watt.

LIST OF SCOTTISH RECORDS.

ALL-COMERS.

EVENT.	HOLDER.	RECORD.	MEETING.
100 yds.	J. M. Cowie	10 secs.	Champ'ship, 1884
120 "	R. E. Walker	11 ¹ / ₂ " "	Rangers F.C., 1909
150 "	Do.	14 ¹ / ₂ " "	Do. 1909
220 "	D. Lippincott	22 ¹ / ₂ " "	Rangers F.C., 1912
300 "	W. Halswell	31 ¹ / ₂ " "	Q.P.F.C., 1908
440 "	Do.	48 ¹ / ₂ " "	St. J.C.S., 1908
600 "	Do.	1m. 11 ¹ / ₂ s.	W.S.H., 1906
880 "	M. W. Sheppard	1m. 56s.	Rangers F.C., 1908
1000 "	H. E. Gissing	2m. 16 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rang. F.C., 1911
1 Mile	F. E. Bacon	4m. 18 ¹ / ₂ s.	E.N.H., 1894
1 ¹ / ₂ Miles	A. J. Robertson	6m. 48 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C. 1909
2 "	A. Shrubbs	9m. 9 ¹ / ₂ s.	W.S.H., 1904
3 "	Do.	14m. 27 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
4 "	Do.	19m. 23 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
5 "	Do.	24m. 55 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
6 "	Do.	29m. 59 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
7 "	Do.	35m. 4 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
8 "	Do.	40m. 16s.	Do. 1904
9 "	Do.	45m. 27 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
10 "	Do.	50m. 40 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
11 "	Do.	56m. 23 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1904
1 Hour's Run	Do.	11 mls. 1136 yds.	Do. 1904
120 yds. H'dle	R. S. Stronach	15 ¹ / ₂ secs.	W.S.H., 1905
High Jump	S. S. Jones	6ft. 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	Ayr F.C., 1902
Broad Jump	P. O'Connor	23ft. 9 ¹ / ₂ in.	Scotland v. Ireland, 1901
Putting Weight	D. Horgan	47ft. 1in.	Celtic F.C., 1899
Throwing Hammer	J. J. Flanagan	173ft. 10in.	Celtic F.C., 1911
Pole Vaulting	E. L. Stones	11ft. 4in.	Champ'ship, 1889
1 Mile Walk	E. J. Webb	6m. 41 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C., 1909
1 ¹ / ₂ Miles Walk	R. Quinn	10m. 21 ¹ / ₂ s.	B.H., 1910
2 "	E. J. Webb	13m. 57 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C., 1909
3 "	A. E. M. Rowland	21m. 39 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1909

SCOTTISH HOLDERS where different from foregoing List.

EVENT.	HOLDER.	TIME.	MEETING AND DATE.
120 yds.	A. R. Downer	11 ¹ / ₂ s.	St. George F.C., 1895
150 "	Do.	15s.	E. Pharmacy, 1895
220 "	Do.	22 ¹ / ₂ s.	Irish International, 1895
880 "	R. Burton	1m. 58 ¹ / ₂ s.	Celtic F.C., 1910
1000 "	D. F. M'Nicol	2m. 17s.	Rangers F.C., 1911
1 Mile	J. M'Gough	4m. 21 ¹ / ₂ s.	Celtic F.C., 1906
1 ¹ / ₂ "	Do.	6m. 52 ¹ / ₂ s.	W.S.H., 1905
2 Miles	Do.	9m. 32 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C., 1904
3 "	Do.	14m. 44 ¹ / ₂ s.	W.S.H., 1904
4 "	A. J. Robertson	19m. 45 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C., 1908
5 "	J. Duffy	25m. 52s.	E.H., 1910
6 "	T. Jack	31m. 18 ¹ / ₂ s.	Champ'ship, 1907
7 "	Do.	36m. 45s.	Do. 1907
8 "	Do.	42m. 14s.	Do. 1907
9 "	Do.	47m. 42 ¹ / ₂ s.	Do. 1907
10 "	Do.	53m. 4s.	Do. 1907
High Jump	B. G. Murray	6ft. 4in.	Champ'ship, 1904
Broad Jump	H. Barr	23ft. 2in.	Scotland v. Ireland, 1899
Putting Weight	T. Kirkwood	45ft. 8 ¹ / ₂ in.	Aberdeen, 1906
Throwing Hammer	T. R. Nicolson	170 ft.	Celtic F.C., 1911
1 Mile Walk	R. Quinn	6m. 45 ¹ / ₂ s.	B.H., 1910
2 Miles Walk	Do.	14m. 21 ¹ / ₂ s.	C.H., 1911
3 "	Do.	21m. 50 ¹ / ₂ s.	Rangers F.C., 1909

MEMORANDA.

MEDALS.—The Committee will give Medals to *Members racing under the Club's Name*, for accomplishing the following performances :—

III. 8.

- (1). 220 yards in $\leq 23\frac{3}{4}$, from 8 yards or under.

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2 miles in	9 48,	..	100
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- (2). For establishing records.
(3). For gaining Championships at A.A. Meetings.
(4). For best attendance at Club Runs.
(5). For greatest number of prizes won at open athletic meetings in any one year. (To be decided by points, *i.e.* first prizes, 3 points; second prizes, 2 points; and third and special prizes, 1 point).

NOTE.—One Medal only to be given for any *one* event. (No Member will receive more than four times medals for any one distance in a season.) Nos. 1 and 2 must be at *Open Meetings*, or at *Meetings held under the auspices of the Club*. Ties in No. 5 to be decided as the Committee

may determine. The above badges are granted only to actual winners of races, and in cases when times are specially taken. Silver Medals to be given for Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, and Gold Medals for records.

Members will please note that the Committee will not recognise any claim for special performance medals where Members enter under the name of any other Harriers' Club.

The handsome Solid Silver Cup presented by Mr. Andrew Hannah will be competed for during the season, in a manner to be decided by the Committee, due intimation of which will be given in the Athletic Press.

The attention of the Members is drawn to the fact that the Club Champion is entitled to hold the Championship Cup for one year.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Members are particularly requested to note that in order to qualify for the Western District Championship Team, four Saturday runs must be put in by 18th January, 1913, and for the National Championship by 15th February, 1913.

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FIXTURES FOR SEASON 1912-1913.

- 1912.
- Sept. 21—Field Day, Erskine Ferry.
- Oct. 5—*Grand Opening Meet. Clydebank Baths.
- „ 12—Stonefield Laundry, Paisley (with Paisley Harriers). *Airdrie.
- „ 19—*Dumbarton (Dumbuck Hotel, with Boghead Harriers). Cambuslang.
- „ 26—*Maryhill Baths (5 Miles Novice Handicap).
- Nov. 2—Clydebank Baths. *Shettleston School (with Shettleston and Bothwell Harriers).
- „ 9—*Scotstoun (Grand Open 7 Miles Handicap and Team Race).
- „ 16—Old Kilpatrick. *Airdrie.
- „ 23—*Anniesland (5 Miles Open Handicap).
- „ 30—*Thornliebank Baths.
- Dec. 7—*Maryhill Baths (Cross-Country Muster). Airdrie.
- „ 14—Clydebank Baths. *Chryston.
- „ 21—*Erskine Ferry (with Bellahouston and Boghead Harriers). Airdrie.
- „ 28—Clydebank Baths (with Paisley Junior Harriers). *Tollcross.

- 1913.
- Jan. 1—Social Outing at Largs.
- „ 4—*Maryhill Baths (with Glenpark and Maryhill Harriers).
- „ 11—Bishopton (with Paisley and Renfrew Y.M.C.A. Harriers). *Airdrie.
- „ 18—*Maryhill Baths (Club Championship and Team Race).†
- „ 25—Clydebank Baths. *Chryston.
- Feb. 1—*Western District Championship and Team Race.
- „ 8—Anniesland (with Garsecube and Shettleston Harriers). *Airdrie.
- „ 15—Hardgate. *Airdrie (7 Miles Confined Handicap).‡
- „ 22—*Stonefield Laundry, Paisley (with Paisley Junior, Johnstone Y.M.C.A., and Olympic Harriers). Airdrie.
- Mar. 1—National Cross-Country Championship of Scotland.
- „ 8—*Renfrew (with Renfrew Y.M.C.A. and Shettleston Harriers). Airdrie.
- „ 15—*Erskine Ferry (7 Miles Confined Handicap).
- „ 22—Two Miles Flat Handicap, Ibrox Park, followed by Social Gathering.

* Qualifying Run. † Last day for qualifying for Western District Championship. ‡ Last day for qualifying for National Championship.
 All Runs take place, wet or dry. Particulars given each week in "Pace" column of Friday's "Referee."