

# TRIUMPH OF DUNDEE LADY HARRIER

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## Miss Nan Robson Wins National Title

Dundee has every reason to be proud of its harriers. Following the success of Suttie Smith at Hamilton Racecourse, Miss Nan Robson, of Hawkhill Harriers, won the second annual cross-country championship at the same course on Saturday.

The Dundee girl ran a magnificent race, and she was fully 70 yards ahead when she broke the tape in front of Miss Connie Johnson, Maryhill Harriers.

Miss Johnson, the half-mile record-holder, is an opponent worthy of the best, and Miss Robson may be justly proud of her performance. Miss B. G. Anderson, Shettleston, was third, 150 yards behind the winner.

The team championship went to Maryhill Harriers with a total of 19 points, Hawkhill being close behind with 26 points.

The Dundonians all finished in the first twelve, their order being:—1 Miss N. Robson, 6 M. Stewart, 7 P. M'Donald, 12 P. Laird.

Shettleston Harriers, the holders, took fourth place.

## WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS AT HAMILTON

In the second of the cross-country championships under the auspices of the Scottish Women's A.A.A., which will be decided at Hamilton Racecourse to-morrow afternoon, the conditions of competition have been radically altered from those that governed the initial race a year ago. Then it was run on the relay system, which, however, proved a severe strain upon the majority of the competitors, and the reversion this year to a team event will be generally commended. Each club will be represented by eight runners, the first four to count, and the distance is almost two miles. The distance is a new one for women's competitions in Scotland, and it will be accordingly difficult to estimate the chances of the nine teams who have entered. If a choice is to be made between the candidates for the individual title it will probably be between Constance Johnson, of Maryhill Harriers, and Nan Robson, of Hawkhill Harriers. The former is the Half mile Scottish Champion, while the Dundee girl has been prominent in distance races during the past season. The teams competing are:--

**CLYDESDALE HARRIERS**—N. Stopani, A. Ritchie, M. Campbell, M. Liddell, N. Stephenson, F. Gillespie, A. Lindsay, and A. M'Pherson.

**DUNDEE HAWKHILL HARRIERS**—N. Robson, M. Stewart, P. Laird, E. Christie, P. M'Donald, J. Cant, L. Farmer, and C. Robertson.

**KILMARNOCK HARRIERS**—R. Young, M. Armour, M. Allan, M. Dempster, M. Higgins, A. Davidson, M. Dickson, and S. Connolly.

**MARYHILL HARRIERS**—C. Johnson, L. Craig, A. Garland, L. Turner, G. Alexander, R. Smythe, M. Herron, and S. M'Crae.

**MONKLAND HARRIERS**—J. Peacock, E. Stewart, M. Richards, M. Black, M. Gray, E. Morrow, J. Ogilvie, and K. Smellie.

**PAISLEY HARRIERS**—M. M'Nab, I. M'Alpine, H. Simpson, M. Farmer, N. Perrie, A. Matthews, J. Lafferty, and J. Matthews.

**SHETTLESTON HARRIERS**—B. J. Anderson, N. R. Hutchison, B. Baird, L. Mair, J. Sargent, B. Boyd, M. Smith, and R. Rummie.

**KILBARCHAN A.A.C.**—M. Campbell, T. Lindsay, M. Johnstone, I. Blair, N. Blair, M. Morris, J. Edgar, and J. Barr.

**WELLPARK HARRIERS**—N. Drummond, C. Moodie, E. Cathcart, E. M'Millan, R. Brownlie, and R. Stewart.

## RACES AND RUNS

**BELLAHOUSTON HARRIERS**—Handicap over seven

# CROSS-COUNTRY

## SCOTTISH WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP

Instituted last year as a relay event, but this year decided on ordinary team lines, the annual championship promoted by the Scottish Women's Amateur Athletic Association was decided at Hamilton Park Race-course. As on the previous Saturday, when the N.C.C.U. Championship was decided at the same venue, a Dundee runner gained the individual honour, while the team championship went to Maryhill Harriers, a Dundee club again being runners-up.

Out of an entry of nine teams (eight to run, four to count) all were forward except Kilbarchan Harriers, who had only three members of their team present, these competing as individuals. The course was laid on the race track, and measured very little short of two miles. Excellent conditions prevailed. Right from the start Nan Robson went to the front. When the runners returned after having traversed the loop at the bottom of the straight the Hawkhill champion was seen to have opened up a lead of several yards. This advantage the Dundee girl steadily increased, finally breasting the tape an easy winner. Constance Johnson (Maryhill), the Scottish half-mile champion and record-holder, finished second almost 100 yards behind, while B. G. Anderson (Shettleston) was fully that distance farther in the rear.

### INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the team event Maryhill gained first place, beating their Dundee rivals by seven points, with Shettleston Harriers, the holders, fourth. Result:—

	Min.	Sec.
1. Nan Robson, Hawkhill Harriers (Dundee)	12	31
2. Constance Johnson, Maryhill Harriers....	12	55
3. B. G. Anderson, Shettleston Harriers....	13	24
4. Lucy Craig, Maryhill Harriers .....	13	34
5. Molly Heron, Maryhill Harriers .....	13	36
6. Mary Stewart, Hawkhill Harriers (Dundee) .....	13	39

### TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP.

	Pts.
1. Maryhill Harriers (Constance Johnson 2, Lucy Craig 4, Molly Heron 5, Rita Smith 8) .....	19
2. Hawkhill Harriers (Dundee) (Nan Robson 1, Mary Stewart 6, Peggy McDonald 7, Peggy Laird 12) .....	26
3. Clydesdale Harriers (Nan Stopani 13, Alison Ritchie 14, Margaret Liddell 17, Mary Campbell 21) .....	65
4. Shettleston Harriers (holders), 81 pts.; 5. Kilmarnock Harriers, 90 pts.; 6. Greenock Wellpark Harriers, 121 pts.; 7. Monkland Harriers, 148 pts.; 8. Paisley Harriers, 149 pts.	