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EDINBURGH TO GLASGOW RELAY RACE

Saturday, November 15th, 1958

STARTING AT 11.30 A.M.

FROM

ST. ANDREW'S SQUARE, EDINBURGH

(Under S.A.A.A. and S.N.C.C.U. Rules)



(Full report in Sunday's News of the World)

RELAYS AND EXCHANGE STATIONS

The runners, totalling 160, will be divided into eight relays of 20.
Each competitor must wear, BACK AND FRONT, the number
and the letter shown in this programme.

News of the World arrow signs will be shown throughout the Course at all turns,
and banners show each take-over.

FIRST RELAY.

(5½ miles)
(approx. time of
arrival 11.55 a.m.)

Starting from St. Andrew's Square, North David Street, Queen Street, Albyn Place, St. Colne Street, Ainslie Place, Great Stuart Street, Randolph Crescent, Melville Street, Manor Place, Coates Place, West Maitland Street, Haymarket Station, Clifton Terrace, Haymarket Terrace, under Railway Arch, Roseburn Terrace, Corstorphine Road to Maybury Cross. First take-over. Distance: 5½ miles.

SECOND RELAY.

(6 miles)
(12.25 p.m.)

Main Glasgow Road, left fork to Newbridge, over stone bridge, under viaduct, right fork by Broxburn A.A. box to Broxburn East U.F. Church. Distance: 11½ miles.

THIRD RELAY.

(4 miles)
(12.45 p.m.)

Main Road to Uphall, right fork, sharp rise to Dechmont (switchback going) to Wester Dechmont Farm. Distance: 15½ miles.

FOURTH RELAY.

(5½ miles)
(1.15 p.m.)

Main Road right fork, then fork left for Bathgate, over level crossing to Armadale (Clock Tower). Distance 21½ miles.

FIFTH RELAY.

(5½ miles)
(1.45 p.m.)

Main Road, Blackbridge, over railway bridge, Forestfield Station to Forestfield Hotel. Distance: 26½ miles.

SIXTH RELAY.

(7 miles)
(2.20 p.m.)

Main Road, Hillend, Caldercruix, under railway bridge, Plains, Clarkstone, Airdrie, Alexandra Street, Airdrie War Memorial. Distance: 33½ miles.

SEVENTH RELAY.

(5½ miles)
(2.50 p.m.)

Main Road, under railway bridge, Coatbridge Greyhound-Enclosure, Bank Street, Coatbridge, Bargeddie P.O., Ballyleiston, Spring Hill Cross, Barrachnie, Telephone Box. Distance: 39½ miles.

EIGHTH RELAY.

(5 miles)
(3.15 p.m.)

Main Shettleston Road, Shettleston, right fork, under railway bridge, Duke Street, turn left into High Street, turn right into Ingram Street to the Stirling Library (formerly Royal Exchange) Queen Street. Full Distance: 44½ miles.

SPECIAL NOTE FOR THE SAFETY OF RUNNERS

All competitors must keep to the left-hand side of the road whilst running. Cutting corners is not allowed. Any competitor indulging in this dangerous practice will render his team liable to disqualification.

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Starter: BAILIE MAGNUS J. WILLIAMSON of Edinburgh.

Referee: T. D. MCKIE (S.N.C.C.U.).

Relays 1-8:

Timekeepers: D. MCSWEIN (Chief) (S.A.A.A.); J. W. MILLER (S.A.A.A.).
Recorders: W. C. ARMOUR (S.N.C.C.U.); D. MCSWEIN (Jnr.) (Greenock Wellpark H.).

Relays 2-5:

Timekeepers: D. CORBET (S.A.A.A.); J. R. ROBERTSON (S.A.A.A.).
Recorders: A. STEVENSON (S.A.A.A.); D. FERGUSON (Shettleston H.).

Relays 3-6:

Timekeepers: T. MCKAY (S.A.A.A.); J. McCLURG (S.A.A.A.).
Recorders: E. TAYLOR (S.N.C.C.U.); A. GORDON (S.A.A.A.).

Relays 4-7:

Timekeepers: W. DEMPSEY (S.A.A.A.); A. NANGLE (S.N.C.C.U.).
Recorders: G. K. AITHIE (S.A.A.A.); R. McDONALD.

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1958 NATIONAL RACE (LONDON TO BRIGHTON)

THAMES VALLEY HIT BACK TO WIN RELAY

Reprinted from the "NEWS OF THE WORLD" April 13th, 1958.

By DOUG WILSON

DEVASTATING—That's Thames Valley Harriers, who yesterday won the "News of the World" London to Brighton National Road Relay in 4 hrs 29min 14sec, to set a new course record for the 55 miles 1,060 yards, run over 12 stages. Valley, who finished well ahead of Derby and County A.C. with South London Harriers, the holders, third, did not have matters all their own way.

It was a tremendous race—probably the best-ever London to Brighton relay. No less than five of the intermediate course records were beaten.

From the start at Westminster, Belgrave Harriers took the lead. But it was a short-lived success. At the end of the second leg the field was headed by Valley's John Cameron.

A magnificent run by Keith Wright over the second stage brought Derby from 16th to second place.

However, South London, who were out for their fifth consecutive victory, took the initiative on the third leg, thanks to Roland Langridge. Yet the fastest time for this stage was credited to Portsmouth's M. Hyman who took his club from 18th to fourth place.

The first intermediate record to go was on the fifth stage between Merstham and Redhill, a distance of 4 miles 912 yards. Hero here was Derby's Alan Taylor, who gave his club a well-deserved lead.

A. J. Sunderland (Shaftesbury) set a record for the sixth stage with 13min 26sec for the two miles 1,584 yards. But Phil Vivian put Valley in the lead, clocking the second fastest time of 13 min 35sec.

Though it was Valley all the way now, South London were not yet finished and international Mick Firth made up considerable ground on leg No. 7, clocking 17 min 58sec, the third man to get among the record breakers.

Then came the most fantastic piece of running throughout the whole race. Over the eighth stage between Lowfield Heath and Handcross (6 miles 264 yards), Eddie Kirkup, the A.A.A. marathon champion, set up new figures of 29min 40sec.

Four other runners, Ian Binnie (Victoria Park, Glasgow), Bert Ingles (T.V.H.), Peter Driver (South London) and Arthur Keily (Derby), were also inside the previous best.

Gordon Pirie in second place had a great chance to pull the race out of the fire for South London on the ninth leg. But it was not Gordon's day. He dropped a place to Derby's Mike Bullivant, who smashed the record for that stage with 28min 22 sec.

With Jackie Haslam in command, followed by Stacey and Ken Norris, Thames Valley consolidated their lead. Over the final leg into Brighton Derek Haith ran home a great winner of a great club.

Medals for the most meritorious performances, were won by Blackheath Harriers.

Final Positions—1, Thames Valley H. (4hrs. 29min 14sec.); 2, Derby and County A. C. (4-31-24); 3, South London H. (4-32-28); 4, Woodford Green A. C. (4-32-39); 5, Sheffield U. (4-34-49); 6, Herne Hill H. (4-35-2); 7, Walton A. C. (4-36-43); 8, Victoria Park A. A. C. (Glasgow) (4-37-44); 9, Blackheath H. (4-37-50); 10, Polytechnic H. (4-37-59); 11, Belgrave H. (4-38-31); 12, Pembroke A. & C. C. (4-39-14); 13, Coventry Godiva H. (4-39-20); 14, Portsmouth A. C. (4-41-07); 15, Birchfield H. (4-41-21); 16, Bellahouston H. (4-42-14); 17, Shaftesbury H. (4-42-56); 18, Rotherham H. & A. C. (4-45-19); 19, Small Heath H. (4-46-57); 20, Manchester and District L. C. H. (4-49-13).

AWARDS

Winning Team to hold the "News of the World" Silver Trophy

The first four teams to finish will receive a set of specially designed medals (gold-fronted for the winners, silver for the runners-up, and bronze for the third and fourth).

An extra set of bronze medals will be awarded to the unplaced team who gave the most meritorious performance.

This question will be decided by the following well known officials: R. Bacchus, J. Gilbert, G. Dallas, D. McSwein, and the Referee, T. D. McKie.

TEAMS and RUNNERS

BEITH HARRIERS

(Colours: Black and White)

A1	I. Harris	A7	J. Sloss	A13	S. H. Maxwell
A2	T. Cochrane	A8	E. Milloy	A14	H. Crawford
A3	A. Napier	A9	G. Napier	A15	T. Shields
A4	K. Philips	A10	C. Paterson	A16	G. Lightbody
A5	J. W. Armstrong	A11	W. Maxwell	A17	H. Maxwell
A6	W. Fowler	A12	C. Elliot	A18	H. Walker

BELLAHOUTON HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 48 mins. 23 secs. 1957
Winners 1936, 1938, Second 1957.

(Colours: Dark Blue with St. Andrew's Cross)

B1	J. Connolly	B8	I. Wilson	B14	N. Wilson
B2	D. Dickson	B9	R. Irving	B15	T. Mercer
B3	H. Fenion	B10	G. Nelson	B16	D. Fraser
B4	R. Penman	B11	F. Cowan	B17	J. McLean
B5	W. Goodwin	B12	M. Roberts	B18	G. Bell
B6	R. Black	B13	S. McLean	B19	R. Wilson
B7	J. Irvine			B20	D. Adam

BRAIDBURN ATHLETIC CLUB

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 4 hrs. 4 mins. 44 secs. 1956
(Colours: Red, Yellow and Green Hoops)

C1	N. Donachie	C8	W. Gray	C14	W. Henderson
C2	D. W. Dunn	C9	A. Mackay	C15	W. Connolly
C3	M. W. Innes	C10	A. Howie	C16	J. W. Brown
C4	R. A. Henderson	C11	J. Boyd	C17	D. B. Nisbet
C5	J. K. Hislop	C12	T. Howie	C18	W. Walker
C6	H. Morrison	C13	C. Napier	C19	D. Hamilton
C7	I. Drever			C20	J. Crawford

CAMBUSLANG HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 4 hrs. 3 mins. 7 secs. 1957
(Colours: Red Vest with White Band)

D1	W. Green	D8	G. Eadie	D14	D. Kerr
D2	W. Kelly	D9	E. Reilly	D15	D. Gourlay
D3	A. Fleming	D10	R. Burt	D16	W. Fleming
D4	J. C. Brown	D11	B. Morton	D17	J. Fleming
D5	J. Mulrooney	D12	J. Colquhoun	D18	P. McKenna
D6	W. Mulrooney	D13	S. Laird	D19	S. Moore
D7	P. Mulrooney			D20	W. Chalmers

CLYDESDALE HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 56 mins. 11 secs. 1957
Fifth 1957.

(Colours: White Singlet with Black "C", Black Shorts)

E1	P. Ballance	E8	J. Hislop	E14	C. O'Boyle
E2	R. Bell	E9	W. Hislop	E15	G. White
E3	R. Boyd	E10	J. McDonald	E16	J. Wright
E4	D. Bowman	E11	J. McLachlan	E17	J. Hume
E5	N. Buchanan	E12	D. McKenzie	E18	P. Younger
E6	I. Cameron	E13	D. Stirrat	E19	J. Young
E7	R. Clark			E20	J. Ross

EDINBURGH EASTERN HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 57 mins. 52 secs. 1956
(Colours: White—Red Facings)

H1	C. Fraser	H7	A. King	H12	E. Clark
H2	G. Mortimer	H8	P. Stewart	H13	J. Gray
H3	A. Jolly	H9	I. Thompson	H14	S. McHenry
H4	W. Ramage	H10	G. Johnstone	H15	R. Cummings
H5	H. Phillip	H11	J. Thomson	H16	T. Chalmers
H6	H. Irvine			H17	I. Murray

EDINBURGH SOUTHERN HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 55 mins. 38 secs. 1957
Fourth 1957.

(Colours: Blue and White)

J1	G. Stark	J8	A. Ross	J14	H. Robertson
J2	J. Foster	J9	W. A. Robertson	J15	R. Mann
J3	W. A. Lyall	J10	R. McAllister	J16	J. Smith
J4	J. White	J11	R. McFall	J17	H. S. Millar
J5	J. Bruce	J12	J. Glen	J18	A. B. Burns
J6	J. E. Clifton	J13	W. F. Lindsay	J19	R. Harris
J7	N. Ross			J20	J. V. Paterson

EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY HARES & HOUNDS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 55 mins. 35 secs. 1955
(Colours: Dark Green Vest, White Shorts)

K1	A. S. Jackson	K8	M. Eastwood	K14	G. G. M. Woods
K2	G. M. Brown	K9	R. Hart	K15	A. Paulin
K3	G. E. Smart	K10	W. H. Hood	K16	W. Atkinson
K4	A. G. Mowat	K11	D. Dingwall	K17	A. Eliot
K5	E. Cuthbertson	K12	A. W. Cameron	K18	W. Mackie
K6	M. G. Elder	K13	A. M. Orr	K19	F. Eunson
K7	R. Sinclair			K20	I. H. Arthurson

FALKIRK VICTORIA HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 4 hrs. 0 mins. 19 secs. 1954
(Colours: Black and Gold)

L1	T. W. Brown	L6	A. J. Crawford	L12	J. Richardson
L2	M. T. Kaney	L7	W. McDermid	L13	G. Jackson
L3	I. Turnbull	L8	D. Shields	L14	D. G. Nicoll
L4	I. Simpson	L9	D. McPherson	L15	C. C. Morrison
L5	D. Clelland	L10	J. K. Miller	L16	J. Welsh
		L11	R. Chalmers		

GARSCUBE HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 53 mins. 26 secs. 1937
(Colours: White with Blue Band)

M1	D. Spencer	M7	D. MacDonald	M14	J. J. Duffy
M2	J. Linn	M8	E. S. Murray	M15	D. MacFadyen
M3	B. Linn	M9	J. Hughes	M16	G. Paris
M4	H. Carson	M10	A. Kidd	M17	F. J. Robertson
M5	J. M. Stewart	M11	A. Warton	M18	D. G. Causon
M6	W. Wilson	M12	J. Backhouse	M19	J. Barrowman
		M13	G. Dickson		

GLASGOW UNIVERSITY HARES & HOUNDS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 4 hrs. 3 mins. 51 secs. 1957
(Colours: Black Vest, Gold "G" on Back)

P1	S. Horn	P7	W. S. Hunter	P14	S. Kerr
P2	J. Gray	P8	P. Maitland	P15	J. Pearson
P3	D. Gifford	P9	N. Rogers	P16	R. Beaton
P4	D. Johnston	P10	D. McGee	P17	J. Hamilton
P5	C. Laing	P11	P. Woodcock	P18	A. W. Fletcher
P6	T. Denstad	P12	B. Habbick	P19	D. Lockie
		P13	T. Kerwin		

GREENOCK WELLPARK HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 54 mins. 3 secs. 1955
(Colours: White with Black Band and Badge)

Q1	P. McConnachie	Q8	C. Aitken	Q14	F. Sinclair
Q2	D. McConnachie	Q9	J. Cairns	Q15	J. Neil
Q3	J. McGregor	Q10	H. McHenry	Q16	F. Whitley
Q4	D. Anderson	Q11	P. Mackay	Q17	M. Gillespie
Q5	G. King	Q12	I. Ross	Q18	J. Orr
Q6	W. Stoddart	Q13	G. Stoddart	Q19	R. Cameron
Q7	T. Stevenson			Q20	W. Cuthbert

IRVINE Y.M.C.A. HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 4 hrs. 2 mins. 4 secs. 1952
(Colours: White, Blue Band, Red Triangle)

R1	W. Thomas	R6	H. Kennedy	R12	R. Allan
R2	W. Kenny	R7	T. Parker	R13	J. Cowan
R3	J. Clark	R8	J. R. Campbell	R14	J. Robertson
R4	M. Young	R9	I. McKenna	R15	D. Andrews
R5	S. Cuthbert	R10	T. McNeish	R16	A. McPhail
		R11	G. Wilkinson		

MARYHILL HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 50 mins. 5 secs. 1938
Winners 1939

S1	J. A. Gibson	S7	F. Bruce	S13	G. Penrice
S2	W. Black	S8	R. A. MacDonald	S14	J. Wilson
S3	W. Kirkwood	S9	G. Porteous	S15	G. B. McLintock
S4	J. E. Farrell	S10	G. S. Wright	S16	R. G. Copeland
S5	T. Harrison	S11	J. MacKay	S17	J. Smith
S6	T. Ruth	S12	R. Wright	S18	G. Grant

MOTHERWELL Y.M.C.A. HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 58 mins. 54 secs. 1957
(Colours: Black—White Facings)

T1	T. I. Scott	T8	M. Mitchell	T14	W. Keyes
T2	J. A. Poulton	T9	R. Lennan	T15	T. Matthews
T3	R. W. McKay	T10	F. Rodgers	T16	J. Smith
T4	B. McRoberts	T11	J. Hoey	T17	D. McFarlane
T5	W. P. Marshall	T12	J. McMillen	T18	J. Laurie
T6	G. Henderson	T13	G. Watson	T19	R. Devon
T7	A. H. Brown			T20	W. Cowan

SHETTLESTON HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 46 mins. 13 secs. 1955
 Winners April and November 1949 and 1955
 Second 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954 and 1956
 Third 1957

(Colours: Royal Blue and Gold Band)

U1	G. Everett	U8	W. Gorman	U14	A. W. Orr
U2	J. McGhee	U9	R. Wotherspoon	U15	T. Malene
U3	A. Wood	U10	J. Turnbull	U16	C. Anderson
U4	G. Govan	U11	H. Summerhill	U17	W. King
U5	H. Fox	U12	I. Donald	U18	H. Mitchell
U6	R. C. Wallace	U13	W. Hendry	U19	W. McGurk
U7	T. Kelly			U20	E. Bannon

SPRINGBURN HARRIERS

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 51 mins. 32 secs. 1955
 (Sixth 1957)

(Colours: Navy Blue Vest with White Diamond, White Shorts)

W1	E. Sinclair	W8	E. Riddell	W14	T. Craig
W2	J. McCormack	W9	D. Wilmott	W15	J. Murphy
W3	P. McParland	W10	M. Logie	W16	J. Donald
W4	P. McNab	W11	J. Jacobs	W17	J. Hamilton
W5	J. Lawless	W12	A. Fulton	W18	A. Gillan
W6	T. Lambert	W13	R. McLean	W19	T. O'Reilly
W7	A. Cowie			W20	P. McCulloch

TEVIOTDALE HARRIERS

(Colours: White with Maroon Chestband)

X1	J. Jack	X7	D. Campbell	X12	W. Yule
X2	R. Renton	X8	R. Wharton	X13	W. O. Ferguson
X3	H. Lawrence	X9	R. G. Crozier	X14	S. Reid
X4	J. M. Hamilton	X10	J. T. Brown	X15	R. Wilkinson
X5	G. Wright	X11	W. Riddell	X16	W. McLeod
X6	R. K. Harley				

VALE OF LEVEN A.A.C.

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 53 mins. 37 secs. 1955
 (Colours: Red and White Hoops)

Y1	P. Moy	Y6	R. Steel	Y11	I. Young
Y2	A. McDougall	Y7	A. Mackay	Y12	Norman Murray
Y3	W. G. Gallacher	Y8	W. Gallacher	Y13	Neil Murray
Y4	R. Campbell	Y9	H. Garvey	Y14	I. Gurr
Y5	J. Garvey	Y10	G. Crichton	Y15	R. McCrimmon

VICTORIA PARK A. A. C.

"News of the World" Relay: Fastest time 3 hrs. 44 mins. 12 secs. 1957
 Winners 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1956 and 1957
 Second 1955

(Colours: Blue and White Hoops.)

Z1	I. Binnie	Z8	C. Forbes	Z14	R. Kane
Z2	J. McLaren	Z9	A. Forbes	Z15	D. Campbell
Z3	W. Kerr	Z10	R. Russell	Z16	J. Stirling
Z4	J. Russell	Z11	R. Lees	Z17	W. Lees
Z5	R. Calderwood	Z12	J. Taylor	Z18	N. Ellis
Z6	G. Dunn	Z13	F. Macpherson	Z19	R. Brown
Z7	A. Small			Z20	W. Sloan

EDINBURGH-GLASGOW RELAY RACE, 1957



(Top Left) Bailie Magnus J. Williamson handing the baton to R. Calderwood (Victoria Park A.A.C.)
 (Top Right) H. Fenlon (Bellahouston H.) handing over to J. Irvine at the 7th Take-over.
 (Centre Left) J. Taylor (Z11) starting the 3rd stage for Victoria Park A.A.C.
 (Centre Right) The 4th Take-over at Armadale.
 (Bottom Left) Bailie John Blackwood presenting the Trophy to the Captain of Victoria Park A.A.C.
 (Bottom Right) First man home—C. Forbes (Victoria Park A.A.C.).



EDINBURGH—GLASGOW RELAY RACE WINNERS AND TIMES

1934	Dundee Thistle H.	4.20.47	Edinburgh N. H.	4.21.46	Maryhill H.	4.22.35
1935	Edinburgh N.H.	4. 3.23	Garscube H.	4. 4.18	Plebeian H.	4. 4.32
1936	Bellahouston H.	3.51.15	Shuttleston H.	3.52.51	Plebeian H.	3.52.57
1937	Dundee Thistle H.	3.50.14	Maryhill H.	3.52.11	Bellahouston H.	3.52.57
1938	Bellahouston H.	3.49.47	Maryhill H.	3.50.5	Dundee Thistle H.	3.56.20
1939	Maryhill H.	4. 6. 3	Bellahouston H.	4. 6.36	Shuttleston H.	4. 8.17

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1949	Shuttleston H.	4.15.25	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	4.20.56	Bellahouston H.	4.21.16
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1949	Shuttleston H.	3.56.57	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.58.7	Bellahouston H.	4. 2.22
1950	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.52.43	Shuttleston H.	3.53.15	Greenock Glenpark H.	3.59. 0
1951	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.56.4	Shuttleston H.	3.59.30	Springburn H.	4. 1. 9
1952	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.48.44	Shuttleston H.	3.55.10	Bellahouston H.	3.58.45
1953	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.52.56	Shuttleston H.	3.54.52	Edinburgh S. H.	4. 1.21
1954	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.46.43	Shuttleston H.	3.47.17	Springburn H.	3.55.25
1955	Shuttleston H.	3.46.13	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.47.58	Springburn H.	3.51.32
1956	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.47.40	Shuttleston H.	3.50.10	Bellahouston H.	3.51. 1
1957	Victoria Pk. A.A.C.	3.44.12	Bellahouston H.	3.48.23	Shuttleston H.	3.48.46

INTERMEDIATE COURSE RECORDS

Relay

1	R. B. McIntosh ..	..	Greenock Glenpark H.	..	26 mins. 5 secs.	(1936)
2	A. Jackson ..	..	Edinburgh University H. & H.	29 ..	48 ..	(1956)
3	P. McNab ..	..	Springburn H.	..	21 .. 56 ..	(1936)
4	J. McLaren ..	..	Victoria Pk. A.A.C. ..	..	29 .. 14 ..	(1957)
5	A. Breckenridge ..	..	Victoria Pk. A.A.C. ..	..	27 .. 28 ..	(1957)
6	I. Binnie ..	..	Victoria Pk. A.A.C. ..	..	32 .. 32 ..	(1954)
7	E. Bannon ..	..	Shuttleston H.	..	28 .. 34 ..	(1956)
8	A. Austin ..	..	Bellahouston H.	..	24 .. 23 ..	(1938)

Note.—In a previous series of races over the same course F. L. Stevenson (Monkland H.) ran the 8th Relay in 24 mins. 22 secs. in 1930.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPETITORS AND OFFICIALS

A letter from the Rt. Hon. Ian A. Johnson-Gilbert, C.B.E., Lord Provost of Edinburgh, addressed to the Rt. Hon. Myer Galpern, Lord Provost of Glasgow, will be handed to the first representative of Victoria Park A.A.C., (last year's winners) at the start by Bailie Magnus J. Williamson of Edinburgh, and will be delivered to the Lord Provost of Glasgow's deputy, Bailie James Bias at the winning post.

All teams will carry a baton throughout the race.

Competitor's coaches, numbered as per relays 1-8, will take runners to their respective starting points, and pick them up again at the end of their relays. All competitors *must* travel in the official coaches.

All competitors, except those running the first relay, must be in their respective coaches, ready to start at 11.0 a.m. No competitor will be waited for. Only competitors and officials with Coach Tickets will be allowed to travel in the coaches.

To avoid congestion, no coaches must stop within 100 yards beyond each Take-over. Coach drivers are asked by the Organisers to observe this request strictly.

Dressing facilities at the start; Edinburgh Y.M.C.A., South St. Andrew Street.

The first ten teams to finish will qualify for next year's race. The remaining teams to be invited will be selected by the Scottish A.A.A. and S.N.C.C.U.

Immediately after the race, competitors and officials with Tea Tickets adjourn to the Trades Hall, Glassford Street, Glasgow, for High Tea, where Bailie James Bias will present the Trophy and Medals to the winners.

NOTE—The police have given instructions that cars and coaches must not park less than half a mile beyond the first take-over at Maybury Cross.

1959 NATIONAL RELAY RACE

The following teams have qualified for the 1959 National Race by their performances in the Regional Races, and this year's National Race—Thames Valley H., Derby & County A.C., South London H., Woodford Green A.C., Sheffield United H. & A.C., Herne Hill H., Birchfield H., Pembroke A. & C.C., Coventry Godiva H., Rotherham H. & A.C., Portsmouth A.C., Walton A.C. and Belgrave H.

The first two teams in this race will also qualify.

The remaining clubs will be chosen by the Selection Committee, taking into consideration their performances in the National and Regional races and their current form as shown in other events. The Selection Committee reserves the right to invite fewer than twenty teams if in the opinion of the committee, the clubs omitted are not up to the requisite standard.