

HARRIERS.

EDINBURGH LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Fresh and to Portobello Baths on Saturday afternoon the Edinburgh Harriers, Edinburgh Northern Harriers, Edinburgh Southern Harriers, and Heriot's Cross-Country Club engaged in the third of four matches for the decision of the Edinburgh League Championship, of which this is the first season. The distance was about seven miles, more or less, with a mixture of road and cross-country work for the 80 runners who were engaged. Mild weather and soft going were the conditions. The first four home from each club counted. The officials were all members of the Edinburgh Southern Harriers, namely—D. Holford, starter; Matthew Dewar, judge; A. McGrover, timekeeper; T. Jack, marksman.

Result:—1, Edinburgh Northern Harriers, 20 points; 2, Edinburgh Harriers, 32 points; 3, Heriot's Cross-Country Club, 35 points; 4, Edinburgh Southern Harriers, 84 points. Though his club was placed last, R. Paterson, Edinburgh Southern, ran well, and was first home, closely followed by T. Glasny, Edinburgh Northern. Paterson's time was 44 mins. 57 secs. The men who counted for the Northern were T. Glasny (2nd), W. Morris (6th), J. A. Sinclair (6th), and J. A. Grant (7th.) The Edinburgh quartette placed were H. Fraser (3rd), R. Sinclair (4th), J. Gardiner (10th), and J. R. P. Smith (15th.) There were nine Northern's men in the first thirteen. The Northern have thus maintained their lead in the series of matches, and Edinburgh Harriers, Heriot's C.C.C., and Edinburgh Southern still second, third, and fourth respectively.