

HARRIERS.

EDINBURGH AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

The first stage in the decision of the Edinburgh and District Cross-Country League (Sandlands Shield) was carried through on a four-mile course at Portobello on Saturday, beginning and finishing at Portobello Baths. G. M. Grant started the 200 competitors, drawn from ten clubs. Six men constituted a team for scoring purposes, but most of the clubs had big representations. The result was as follows:—1, Edinburgh Northern Harriers (holders), 81 points; 2, Edinburgh Southern Harriers, 122 points; 3, Kirkcaldy Y.M.C.A. Harriers, 127 points; 4, 2nd Battalion Cameron Highlanders, 133 points; 5, Edinburgh Harriers, 154 points; 6, Canon A.S. Club, 159 points; 7, George Heriot's C.C. Club, 201 points; 8, Penicook Harriers, 230 points; 9, Ever Scotia, 238 points; 10, Kirkcaldy Boy Scouts, 345 points.

The holders got a fine lift when three of their men came home ahead of any of the rival club runners. The individual leaders were:—1, G. Lethen, Edinburgh Northern—time, 25 mins. 5 secs.; 2, F. Addison, Edinburgh Northern, 25 mins. 20 secs.; 3, A. T. Armstrong, Edinburgh Northern, 25 mins. 25 secs. These three and A. Wyke, P. F. Mulholland, and C. L. McBean secured the points to win.