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400m: 1, Haas (G) 47.6; 2, Huppertz (G) 48.0; 3, Dani (I) 50.3; 4, Sangermano (I) 50.8.

800m: 1, Cleve (G) 1:52.4; 2, Ulzheimer (G) 1:52.6; 3, Lanzi (I) 1:55.8; 4, Partelli (I) 2:0.0.

1,500m: 1, Lamers (G) 3:51.6; 2, Lueg (G) 3:51.6; 3, Maggioni (I) 3:59.2; 4, Tagliapietra (I) 3:59.6.

5,000m: 1, Schade (G) 14:15.4; 2, Muller (G) 15:00.6; 3, Lai (I) 15:51.6; 4, Maggioni (I) 17:23.4.

10,000m: 1, Kruzycki (G) 31:13.6; 2, Eberlein (G) 31:58.0; 3, Peppicelli (I) 32:33.6; 4, Beviacqua (I) 33:26.2.

110mH: 1, Zepernick (G) 14.8; 2, Albanese (I) 14.9; 3, Trosbach (G) 15.2; 4, Ballestra (I) 15.7.

400mH: 1, Filiput (I) 52.8; 2, Sallen (G) 53.2; 3, Scharr (G) 53.8; 4, Bettella (I) 64.5.

Long J: 1, Gleim (G) 23ft. 0½in.; 2,

Druetto (I) 22ft. 9½in.; 3, Ardizzone (I) 22ft. 9½in.; 4, Goebel (G) 22ft. 6½in.

High J: 1, Bahr (G) 6ft. 0½in.; 2, Bernes (I) 6ft. 0½in.; 3, Campagner (I) and Theilmann (G) 6ft. 0½in. Decided on failures.

Pole V: 1, Schneider (G) 13ft. 5½in.; 2, Chiesa (I) 13ft. 5½in.; 3, Balletta (I) 12ft. 9in.; 4, Stuhrk (G) 12ft. 5½in.

Hop, S.J.: 1, Profeti (I) 50ft. 2in.; 2, Theurer (G) 49ft. 7½in.; 3, Hipp (G) 49ft. 6in.; 4, Paolone (I) 45ft. 6in.

Shot: 1, Bertacca (I) 47ft. 4in.; 2, Tosi (I) 46ft. 9½in.; 3, Trozowski (G) 45ft. 4½in.; 4, Gleim (G) 45ft. 3in.

Hammer: 1, Wolf (G) 183ft. 1½in.; 2, Taddia (I) 182ft. 4½in.; 3, Storch (G) 180ft. 3 11/16in.; 4, Tavernari (I) 167ft. 1 3/8in.

Javelin: 1, Koschel (G) 212ft. 7 7/8in.; 2, Keller (G) 204ft. 1½in.; 3, Matteucci (I) 201ft. 5in.; 4, Rossi (I) 185ft. 9 5/16in.

4 x 100 Relay: 1, Italy 41.7. Germany disqualified.

4 x 400 Relay: 1, Germany 3:10.8; 2, Italy 3:17.2.

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EVERY SATURDAY

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IN this issue we give the full list of Olympic "possibles" with qualifying standards. The standards are high, as indeed they should be, for there is no point in sending athletes who are going to be outclassed even though they may be the best we have.

The list is smaller than some expected, and few names are included which are not well known to the average enthusiast. In fact some quite well known athletes are not included, though this does not mean they will not make the team.

Floodlit Meetings.

We also give a full report of the City Charity contest by James Audsley, who so ably covered the S.L.H. "30" last week. This meeting could almost be described as a rehearsal for the London-Gothenburg match sponsored by the "Evening News," which takes place on Wednesday next. There is little doubt that floodlit athletics could have quite a public, but from various comments

heard, it would appear that most spectators would like to see the actual track floodlit more after the style employed for dog-racing, rather than having the lighting diffused over most of the stadium. The problem of field events comes into the picture here, of course.

Forthcoming Features.

Next week Jack Crump reviews the earlier part of the recent Balkans tour and John Disley features in the Questionnaire. Henry Eriksson and Roger Bannister are next on the list and it is hoped to include several of the most prominent athletes from the U.S.A. in the near future.

To-day's Events.

Chief attractions to-day are the Dorking St. Paul's "All Star" meeting at "Burford," Dorking, where many prominent athletes will be taking part, and the St. Dunstan's Hour Walks, sponsored by Highgate Harriers at Parliament Hill.

THE EDITOR.

A.A.A. NATIONAL COACH

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The Amateur Athletic Association invites applications for the appointment of Professional Coach. Service with the A.A.A. in this capacity is recognised for the purposes of the Teachers' Superannuation Acts. Any candidate selected will start at a minimum salary of not less than £650 per annum, but the salary may commence at a higher figure depending upon the selected candidate's qualifications and experience. Details of further salary scales will be sent on application.

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Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and accompanied by two recent testimonials, should be submitted not later than Monday, 15th October, to the Honorary Secretary (National Coaches), Amateur Athletic Association, Crown Chambers, 118 Chancery Lane, London, W.C.2.

THE ENSCHEDE MARATHON 1951

THIS bi-annual race is now more firmly established in the athletic calendar of long distance runners than ever, and if ever confirmation were needed that such events promote international friendship it was provided at this year's prize giving when the winner, Veiko Karvonen of Finland, cut the Dutch "long bread of friendship" which was then eaten with much gusto by Finns, a Dane, French, a Belgian, an Austrian, a Norwegian, British and Dutch.

In 1949 the course proved to be short of the time-honoured marathon distance and I am convinced that this time, despite all the measuring and check-measuring of the Dutch officials, it was over a kilometre long. My reason for thinking so is the time returned at 40 kilometres compared with the 2 hours 29 minutes .02 seconds recorded by Karvonen at the finish. I can leave you to estimate the incredibly fast time which he would have returned had the distance been exact.

This was a new course, flat all the way and although a bit tough here and there and with one very bad stretch of rough cobbles, it was on the whole very good and, of course, very fast.

With Cerou and Josset in the field, the start, as I expected and as Richards, Iden and I had budgeted for, was very fast. The leaders, Karvonen, the two Frenchmen and Zanden, the reigning Dutch champion, covered the first five miles in approximately 26 minutes. Richards led the next batch a minute later and Iden and Scutts were comfortably placed about a minute and a half behind them.

The fast pace soon told and Zanden dropped to be replaced by Richards, who was running very smoothly and powerfully. By half-way, Josset had been forced to say goodbye to Karvonen and Cerou and was being overhauled by Richards. Iden was slowly but surely gaining ground and taking up with him Overdijk of Holland and Systadt of Norway. At twenty miles, Cerou was obliged to let Karvonen go, but wisely had a breather and then got going again very strongly. Josset at this stage looked in very bad shape, but unluckily for us Richards also struck a bad patch just as he got within striking distance. Iden was still going well but was not travelling quite so fast as Overdijk or Systadt,

who were both closing up. Scutts had been running too fast in the early stages and was steadily losing ground though running very pluckily.

The Austrian, Wagner, who ran very well up to half way, as had Sorensen, of Denmark, was out of the race with tummy trouble, but the latter now put

By

SQUIRE YARROW

in some very spirited running to gain several places as also did veteran Felix Meskens, of Belgium.

The last few miles saw Karvonen increase his speed and he finished full of running and looking for all the world as did Jack Holden at his best. Cerou, though obviously tired, also finished very strongly. Richards finally disposed of Josset, who in turn just managed to hold off a very fast finishing Systadt. The latter must have put in a very fine last four miles because he gained over a minute on both Overdijk and Iden. Iden just managed to hold off Overdijk, who won the Dutch championship and put up a best ever Dutch performance.

The organisation was excellent throughout and an enormous crowd witnessed the race at all vantage points.

I have never seen a marathon winner recover so quickly as did Karvonen, and this 25 year old post office clerk of Abo, Finland, will undoubtedly improve on this performance.

It is of interest to note that he had an hour's work-out on the cinder foot-paths of the local park early in the morning of the race under my not uncritical eye. He is not by any means a track runner nor very fast, but is obviously immensely strong and will be a force to be reckoned with next year.

The official result is as follows:—

1. V. Karvonen (Finland) 2:29.02.0
2. C. Cerou (France) 2:35.31.4
3. T. Richards (England)..... 2:39.46.2
4. R. Josset (France) 2:42.12.1
5. J. Systadt (Norway) 2:42.17.0
- 6 G. Iden (England) 2:42.34.4
7. J. Overdijk (Holland)..... 2:43.42.0
8. O. Soerensen (Denmark)..... 2:46.41.0
9. F. Meskens (Belgium)..... 2:48.09.0
10. A.v.d. Zanden (Holland)..... 2:51.39.0

Sgt. G. Scutts also competed and finished 16th, in 3:05.19.

ATHLETIC CLUBS OF BRITAIN

By JAMES AUDSLEY



A group taken on the occasion of the Milocarrians' match against Sandhurst.

MILOCARIAN ATHLETIC CLUB

MAY 10th, 1951, was the 21st birthday of one of Britain's more unusual athletic clubs—the Milocarian AC. Most people know that this is a Services club, but few realise just what it is and how it works in comparison with other clubs.

It grew out of the triangular meeting between the Service Colleges of Sandhurst, Woolwich and Cranwell; and its objects are to encourage Officer Cadets to continue athletics after commissioning and to raise the standard of athletics amongst Officers of the three Services. It shares with Achilles a special application of the first-claim rule, members being free to choose whether they will be first-claim for the Milocarian or for their original club.

The unusual name is mythological, and is a combination of Milo, six times Pentathlon winner in the ancient Olympics, and Icarus, who is supposed to have been the first man to fly and who perished when he flew too near the sun, which melted the wax with which his wings were attached to his body. Many Milocarrians are also flyers, but their athletic speeding is done nearer the ground. As with Icarus, however, much of it is done in the glare of the sun, for the club has sections in the Middle East, Malta, Hong Kong and Singapore, as well as in Germany.

These wide-spread sections with their committees to organise meetings and to advise on training constitute an advantage not enjoyed by other clubs: but there is a counteracting disadvantage in that the Milocarrians can never field their strongest team in any one country. Even those members who are in Britain are widely scattered. The club has no track of its own, but Sandhurst is its headquarters and either that or some other Service track is generally available.

The fact that members are often on manoeuvres in the late summer and the need to avoid clashing with Service meetings restrict club fixtures to the period between April and early July, and this limits the programme. Traditional fixtures include those with the Met. Police, Blackheath Harriers, Oxford Centipedes, the L.A.C., the R.N.A.C., the Kinnaird and Ryder meetings and, most important of all, the meetings with the Service Colleges. The club annual reunion is celebrated with the Sandhurst match, which is acquiring an Inter-Varsity standard, both of rivalry and performance.

Milocarian achievements are more than sufficient to hint how formidable the club could be if it could turn out at

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THE BERLIN FRIENDSHIP MEETING

AN international friendship meeting was held in the Neuen Stadion, Cantianstrasse, Berlin, following the Eleventh World University Games. Nations represented included Bulgaria, Poland, Iceland, Finland, Norway, Czechoslovakia, France, Austria, West Germany, and the German Democratic Republic.

Huseby, Iceland, had a fine double with 52.8 5/8 in the shot and 157.9 3/8 in the discus. Thorwaldson, the Icelandic sprinter, won the B-class 100 metres in 11 seconds, and ran second in the A-class 200 metres in 22.5 seconds. Both times were below his best, but conditions were not suitable for fast running.

The outstanding track performance was Zatopek's 5,000 metres in 14 min. 11.6 sec., a wonderful effort considering that the Czech had not been too well for a week or two and had had to lay off training.

This feat gave the lie to the story circulating in Swedish papers that Zatopek was to retire because of heart strain!

Naturally the bulk of the competitors were German Democratic Republic athletes. These treated an enthusiastic crowd to four new GDR records—steeplechase, pole vault, hammer-throw, and the women's 80 metres hurdles.

The European steeplechase champion, Roudny, Czechoslovakia, was unexpectedly beaten in his own event by a fellow-countryman, Slavicek, but neither produced the brilliant form shown by

the two Soviet stars in the Games steeplechase.

The value of this meeting lay in the fact that it gave one an opportunity of looking at some of the leading athletes of the German Democratic Republic. I hope to say something about their achievements presently.

By

J. ARMOUR MILNE

100m. (A): 1, Kolley, Bulgaria, 10.8; 2, Kiszka, Poland, 10.8; 3, Westphal, GDR, 10.9; (B) 1, Thorwaldson, Iceland, 11.0; 2, Schneider, GDR, 11.2.

200m. (A): 1, Stawczyk, Poland, 22.1; 2, Thorwaldson, Iceland, 22.5; 3, Lacina, GDR, 22.6; (B) 1, Schrut, GDR, 22.7.

400m. (A): 1, Mach, Poland, 49.0; 2, Brauch, GDR, 49.8; 3, Baslack, GDR, 49.8; (B) 1, Heine, GDR, 50.5.

800m: 1, Korban, Poland, 1:54.4; 2, Donath, GDR, 1:55.7; 3, Lewandowski, Norway, 1:56.1.

1,500m.: 1, Koubek, CSR, 3:56.8; 2, Braunschweig, GDR, 4:01.6; 3, Spassow, Bulgaria, 4:02.0.

5,000m: 1, Zatopek, CSR, 14:11.6; 2, Bazigal, CSR, 14:51.6; 3, Lewicki, Poland, 15:24.2.

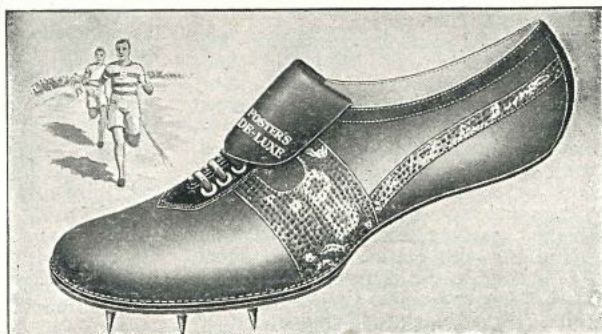
4 x 100m.: 1, Poland (Stawczyk, Lispki, Buhl, Kiszka) 42.7; 2, GDR (A) 42.8; 3, GDR (B) 43.5; 4, Austria 46.3.

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110m. Hdl. (A): 1, Tosnar, CSR, 14.8; 2, Stephan, GDR, 15.2; 3, Schmolinski, GDR, 15.3; (B) 1, Schenk, GDR, 15.6.

400m. Hdl. 1, Stephan, GDR, 55.2; 2, Fischer, GDR, 55.6; 3, Scholz, GDR, 57.0.

3,00m. S'chase: 1, Slavicek, CSR, 9:13.4; 2, Roudny, CSR, 9:21.8; 3, Lupfert, GDR, 9:30.8 (GDR record).

High J: 1, Lansky, CSR, 6.0 7/8 in.; 2, Meier, GDR, 6.0 7/8 in.; 3, Honkonen, Finland, 6.0 7/8 in.

Long J: 1, Ihlenfeld, GDR, 22.11½; 2, Busser, GDR, 22.4 1/8; 3, Kiszka, Poland, 22.3½.

Pole V: 1, Saxa, CSSR, 13.1 3/8; 2, Balzer, GDR, 12.9½ (GDR record); 3, Wazny, Poland, 11.5½.

Shot: 1, Huseby, Iceland, 52.8 5/8; 2, Kalina, CSR, 49.10; 3, Krczyzanowski, Poland, 48.9 3/8.

Hammer: 1, Markus, GDR, 156.4 3/8 (GDR record); 2, Rother, GDR, 140.5; 3, Kraus, GDR, 140.0 3/8.

Discus: 1, Huseby, Iceland, 157.9 3/8; 2, Kormuth, CSR, 156.0 7/8; 3, Vomacka, CSR, 147.1 3/8.

Javelin: 1, Garnarczyk, Poland, 210.0½; 2, Sidlo, Poland, 206.7½; 3, Vahakulmala, Finland, 197.5 3/8.

Women

100m: 1, Illwicka, Poland, 12.5; 2, Weber-Dempe, GDR, 12.8; 3, Schwarzkopf, GDR, 12.9.

200m: 1, Minnicka, Poland, 26.6; 2, Wonneberger, GDR, 26.7; 3, Jurewitz, GDR, 27.0.

4 x 100m: 1, GDR (Preibisch, Kockritz, Piep, Anders), 48.6; 2, Poland, 49.3; 3, GDR Juniors, 51.4.

80m. Hdl. 1, Weber-Dempe, GDR, 11.8 (GDR record); 2, Schreyer, GDR, 11.9; 3, Modrachova, CSR, 12.5.

High J: 1, Modrachova, CSR, 5.1; 2, Preuss, GDR, 4.11; 3, Muhlberg, GDR, 4.9 1/8.

Long J: 1, Junghanns, GDR, 17.10½; 2, Romer, GDR, 17.7; 3, Gburkovna, Poland, 16.8½.

Shot: 1, Jungrova, CSR, 41.6½; 2, Brgulanka, Poland, 39.11 1/8; 3, Weiderhott, GDR, 36.3.

Discus: 1, Wiederholt, GDR, 136.5 7/8; 2, Jungrova, CSR, 132.4 5/8; 3, Klitsch, GDR, 119.3 7/8.

Javelin: 1, Zakova, CSR, 130.10½; 2, Hoffmeister, GDR, 126.7½; 3, Voight, GDR, 123.6½.

MILOCARIAN ATHLETIC CLUB

contd.

full strength. A. Sweeney, G. Rampling, R. Morris, E. Denison, D. Finlay, Lord Burghley, H. Simmons, J. Lockwood, F. Webster, L. Reavell-Carter, C. Reidy and M. Chote are a few Milocarians who have won the highest honours; and that list covers almost every event. The club has been represented in every Olympic Games since its formation, 13 members having been chosen in 1932, 1936 and 1948. 20 A.A.A. titles have been won and the club provides the bulk of the Combined Services team for the European Military Championships.

Great names, too, figure among the officials; and the Presidency has been held by Field Marshals Lord Milne, Lord Gort and Lord Alexander and General Sir Frederick Browning.

The club has played a big part in the encouragement of athletics, both with the pre-war schools Easter coaching meetings and with the 1946 sponsoring of the Milocarian Trophy competition for schools, the cup being a memorial to the hundred Milocarians killed in the war. Though 21 years old, the club has only been active athletically for 13 years, as it was not until 1948 that a post-war fixture list could be started. Officials will be satisfied with gradual progress so long as the club can continue to develop and provide athletics in so many different parts of the world.

The Milocarian colours, with their origins, are: dark blue (Royal Navy), red (Sandhurst), Yellow (Woolwich) and light blue (Cranwell).

C.C. CHAMPIONSHIPS

At the A.G.M. of the English Cross-Country Union last Saturday, Mr. C. G. Austin (Midlands) was elected President. It was announced that the 1952 Championship will be held at Aldridge, Birmingham, on March 8th, and the International Championship at Hamilton Park, Glasgow, on March 22nd.

OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE C.C.

The Oxford v. Cambridge cross-country match will be held on December 8th, from Roehampton. Thames Hare and Hounds will, as usual, be responsible for organising the event.

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OLYMPIC GAMES PREPARATIONS

The British Amateur Athletic Board has set down a standard for each of the athletic events which constitute the Olympic Games programme, as follows:—

MEN'S EVENTS

100M.	9.9 for 100 yards	10,000M. Walk	54m. 30s. for 7mils.
200M.	21.5s. for 220 yds.	High Jump	6ft. 4ins.
400M.	49.2s. for 440 yds.	Long Jump	23ft. 6ins.
800M.	1m. 53s. for 880 yds.	Pole Vault	13ft. 6ins.
1500M.	4m. 12s. for 1 mile	Hop Step & Jump	47ft. 6in.
5000M.	14m. 15s. for 3 mls.	Weight	49ft.
10,000M.	30mins. for 6 miles	Discus	150ft.
3,000M. S'chase	10m. 10s. for 2 mls.	Hammer	170ft.
110M. Hdls.	15s. for 120 yards	Javelin	200ft.
400M. Hdls.	55.5s. for 440 yds.	Decathlon	6,500 pts. on old I.A.A.F. Tab'e

No Standards have been allocated for Marathon and 50 Kilometres Walk.

WOMEN'S EVENTS

100M.	12.5s.	Long Jump	18ft.
200M.	25.5s.	Weight	42ft.
80M. Hdls.	11.8s.	Discus	130ft.
High Jump	5ft. 3in.	Javelin	128ft.

The Board has decided that no one who does not reach the minimum standard set out above, even if he or she is the best performer in that event in the United Kingdom, is likely, save in exceptional circumstances, to be selected to represent Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the 1952 Olympic Games. The list of athletes, nominated by the Board as "Olympic Possibles" includes those who have reached such minimum standard in 1951, or are deemed capable of reaching it in 1952.

Inclusion in this list in no way implies that eventual selection is guaranteed, and consideration for selection will not necessarily be confined to those listed. Special coaching and training for athletes named and for any others who may later justify consideration by the Board's team selectors, will be undertaken by the Coaching Committee of the Constituent Associations of the Board.

The list of athletes constituting Olympic Possibles is as follows:—

MEN

F. E. Aaron (Leeds St. M.)	10,000 Metres.
P. C. Allday (London A.C.)	Hammer.
L. Allen (Sheffield U.H.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
T. D. Anderson (Achilles)	Pole Vault.
J. Ashby (Westbury H.)	1,500 Metres.
E. McD. Bailey (Poly. H.)	100, 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
R. G. Bannister (Achilles)	1500 Metres.
W. R. Beckett (Hythe S.C.)	5,000 Metres.
C. W. Brasher (Achilles)	3,000 Metres Steeplechase.
G. E. Broad (Herne Hill H.)	Long Jump.
S. Brooks (Achilles)	400 Metres Hurdles.

C. J. Chataway (Walton A.C.)	1,500 and 5,000 Metres.
H. G. Churcher (Belgrave H.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
D. McD. Clark (R.U.C.)	Hammer.
G. W. Coleman (Highgate H.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
S. E. W. Cox (Southgate H.)	Marathon.
S. E. Cross (Small Heath H.)	Hop, Step and Jump.
M. J. W. Dalrymple (L.A.C.)	Javelin.
J. Davis (Ealing H.)	400 Metres Hurdles.
M. J. Denley (Thames V.H.)	Javelin.
A. Dick (Achilles)	400 Metres and 4 x 400 Metres Relay.
J. I. Disley (London A.C.)	3,000 Metres Steeplechase.
E. C. K. Douglas (London A.C.)	Hammer.
H. I. Duguid (Edinburgh U.)	Discus.
G. M. Elliott (Woodford Green)	Pole Vault and Decathlon.
G. S. Ellis (Cumberland G.S.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100 M. Relay.
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.)	800 Metres.
L. Eyre (Leeds Harehills)	1,500 Metres.
A. Forbes (Victoria Park A.A.C.)	5,000 Metres.
J. Giles (Southgate H.)	Weight.
P. Goldsmith (Army A.A.A.)	Hop, Step and Jump.
D. K. Gracie (Glasgow Univ.)	400 Metres Hurdles.
C. M. Gray (Small Heath)	10,000 Metres.
F. Green (Birchfield H.)	5,000 Metres.
C. H. Gregory (Belgrave H.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
J. A. Gregory (Bristol A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100 M. Relay.
R. Hardy (Sheffield U.H.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
B. Hawkins (Metropolitan W.C.)	10,000 Metres Walk.
W. Hesketh (Manchester A.C.)	10,000 Metres.
H. J. Hicks (Hampstead H.)	5,000 Metres.
F. P. Higgins (Stockton H.)	400M., 4 x 400 M. Relay.
T. L. Higgins (Herne Hill)	400M., 4 x 400 M. Relay.
A. F. Hignell (Achilles)	Javelin.
P. B. Hildreth (Poly H.)	110 Metres Hurdles.
T. G. Hosking (Essex Beagles)	5,000 Metres.
G. L. Iden (Victoria Park)	Marathon.
W. Jack (Victoria Park A.A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
D. J. N. Johnson (Fairbairn & M.)	400M., 4 x 400 M. Relay.
L. C. Lewis (Walton A.C.)	400M., 4 x 400 M. Relay.
R. W. D. Millar (Trin. C., Dublin)	Javelin.
P. R. Ll. Morgan (South London H.)	5,000 Metres.
R. A. Morley (Blackheath H.)	1,500 Metres.
G. W. Nankeville (Walton A.C.)	1,500 Metres.
H. A. Olney (Thames Valley H.)	5,000 Metres.
A. B. Parker (Barrow A.C.)	1,500 and 5,000 Metres.
F. J. Parker (South London H.)	110 Metres Hurdles.
H. J. Parlett (Dorking St. P.)	800 and 1,500 Metres.
A. S. Paterson (Victoria Park A.A.C.)	High Jump.
R. C. Pavitt (Polytechnic H.)	High Jump.
J. H. Peters (Essex Beagles)	Marathon.
M. Pharaoh (Manchester U.)	Discus and Weight.
A. R. Pinnington (Achilles)	100M., 4 x 100 Metres Relay.
D. A. G. Pirie (South London H.)	5,000 M. and 10,000 Metres.
J. W. Proctor (Sheffield U.H.)	50 Kilometres Walk.
D. C. Pugh (South London H.)	400M., 4 x 400 Metres Relay.
T. Richards (South London H.)	Marathon.
R. F. Robins (Essex Beagles)	5,000M. and 10,000 Metres.
S. J. Q. Robinson (Southampton A.C.)	110 Metres Hurdles.
J. A. Savidge (R.N. and R.M.)	Weight and Discus.
A. W. Scott (Achilles)	400M. Hurdles, 4 x 400 Relay.
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H.)	100M., 200M., 400M., 4 x 100M.
N. D. Stacey (Achilles)	100M., 200M., 400M., 4 x 100 M. and 4 x 400M. Relay.
D. A. Tunbridge (Highgate H.)	50 Kilometres Walk.
I. G. H. Walker (Herne Hill H.)	Long Jump.

A. Webster (Sutton-in-A.)	800M., and 4 x 400 Metres Relay.
P. Wells (London A.C.)	High Jump.
P. A. Whaley (London A.C.)	Long Jump.
H. Whittle (Reading A.C.)	400 Metres Hurdles.
J. C. M. Wilkinson (Herne Hill H.)	100M., 200M., 400M., 4 x 100 M. and 4 x 400 Metres Relay.

WOMEN

H. Armitage (Penistone G.S.)	100M. and 4 x 100M. Relay.
M. Carmichael (Bellahouston H.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
S. Cawley (Spartan L.A.C.)	Long Jump.
S. Cheeseman (Spartan L.A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100 Metres Relay.
D. Coates (Oxford L.A.C.)	Javelin.
J. C. Desforges (Essex L.A.C.)	80M. Hurdles, 4 x 100 Metres Relay.
P. Devine ('Q' A.C.)	100M., 4 x 100M. Relay, Long Jump.
J. Foulds (Spartan L.A.C.)	100M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
G. Goldsborough (Bank End A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
E. M. Greenwood (Bolton United H.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
(Mrs.) D. G. Hall (Essex L.A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
E. Hay ('Q' A.C.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
T. Hopkins (N. Ireland)	High Jump.
U. Hynes (Birchfield H.)	High Jump.
(Mrs.) S. Lerwill (Spartan L.A.C.)	High Jump.
A. Pashley (Gt. Yarmouth A.C.)	100M. and 4 x 100M. Relay.
M. Pletts (Airedale H.)	100M., 200M., 4 x 100M. Relay.
I. Royse (Birchfield H.)	100M. and 4 x 100M. Relay.
(Mrs.) B. A. Shergold (Mitcham A.C.)	Weight and Discus.
(Mrs.) S. Sewell (Orpington A.C.)	80M. Hdls.
Q. Shivas (Aberdeen U.)	100M. and 80M. Hurdles.
(Mrs.) D. B. J. Tyler (Mitcham A.C.)	High Jump and Long Jump.

ATHLETICS IN WALES

By A.E.W.

THE biggest news item in Welsh athletics is the fact that on September 29th a meeting has been convened and will be held in Fenton Street School, Haverfordwest, at 3 p.m. to form a Pembrokeshire County A.A.A.

Mr. Cyril M. Howells, President of the Welsh A.A.A., will preside and will be supported by other senior officials.

The moving spirit of this venture is Mr. B. J. Griffiths, Secretary of the Pembrokeshire County Youth A.A.A.

The Welsh Cross Country Association is to hold its A.G.M. at Newport during the first week in October. All the officials present themselves for re-election.

Port Talbot Y.M.C.A. Harriers hold their 30th Anniversary Dinner on Thursday, September 27th, and intend to celebrate the occasion by a reunion of old members.

John Nash, a member of this club, competed in the S.L.H. "30" earlier this month. His retirement halfway when well set for a good finish, was caused by stepping on a stone and injuring his knee.

He is the holder of the Isaac O'Brien

Memorial Cup and this trophy will again be up for competition when the 6 Miles Road Race is held at Port Talbot on Oct. 20th.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd entries to Gwilym Stevens, Ex-Servicemen's Club, Cwmavon Road, Port Talbot.

AUSTRALIAN RECORDS GO

Les Perry, Australia's ace distance runner, shattered national records on September 8th, when he covered 6 miles in 30min. 30.6sec., and 10,000 metres in 31min. 30.6sec., in a special race at Olympic Park, Melbourne.

Ken Macdonald, in second place, clocked 30:57 and 31:58.6, which also broke the old records (30:59.6 and 32:39.8).

Perry, a little fellow, had only a limited preparation for the race, following a heavy cold, which indicates that he might get inside 30min. for 6 miles once the track season gets well under way. Like John Morgan (winner of the Victorian 10 miles cross-country championship reported here some weeks ago), Perry is trained by Percy Cerutti, who expects him to perform creditably in the Olympic 5,000 and 10,000 metres.

Women's Results

August 20th

Surrey 4 x 100 yds. Relay Championship, Tooting. 1, Selsonia LAC; 2, Mit-cham A.C.; 3, Hercules A.C.

September 1st

Inter-Club Match at Barking 4 x 110: Essex L. 50.0; **4 x 200:** Essex L. 1:44.8; **80MH:** J. Desforges (Essex L) 11.8; **Jav:** J. Hesselwood (Essex L) 9ft. 7in.; **Pts:** Essex L. 24; Selsonia 19; Enfield 16; Ilford 5.

Kent A.C. Women's Championships: **880:** 1, A. Holloway; 2, B. Pritchard; 3, J. Lane, 2:32.4 (record); **LJ:** 1, M. Theakstone 15ft. 8in.; 2, J. Cutting 15 ft. 5in.; 3, M. Hughes 15ft. 0½in.; **220 H'cp:** 1, M. Theakstone 10, 26.8; 2, S. Hampton Scr., 26.9 (equals club rec.).

September 5th

Inter-Club Match, Paddington. 100: J. Foulds (Spartan) 11.3; **220:** X. Stad-de Jong (Olympia '48, Holland) 26.2; **80M. Hds:** S. Cowley (Spartan) 12.6; **HJ:** B. Crowther (Middx. LAC) 4ft. 9in.; **LJ:** B. Crowther (Middx. L) 16ft. 7 2/3in.; **D:** S. Needham (Camb. H) 117ft. 6in.; **Wt:** N. Velden (O. '48, Holl) 33ft. 0½in.; **440 Relay:** Spartan L.A.C. 50.4; **Results:** 1, Spartan LAC 48 pts.; 2, Olympia '48 (Holland) 38; 3, Middx. LAC 36; 4, Cambridge H. 20.

September 8th

EDINBURGH HIGHLAND GAMES

100 Invitation: 1, J. Foulds (Spartan); 2, D. Hall (Essex LAC); 3, E. Hay ("Q" AC) 11.4.

80 M.Hds. Invitation: 1, J. Desforges (Essex LAC); 2, J. Thomson (Dumfries AC); 3, M. Martin (Edinburgh H.), 12.3.

704 Yds. Relay: 1, England; 2, Scotland, 1:19.6.

PENTATHLON CHAMPIONSHIP

At Ilford

1, D. Tyler (Mitcham AC) 3224 pts. (220m: 27.5); **80m. Hds.**, 12.1; **HJ.**: 5ft. 4in.; **LJ.**: 17ft. 9in.; **Wt.** 25ft. 5½in.; 2, B. Crowther Middx. LAC) 2948; 3, M. Bridgeford (Brighton AC) 2877; 4, E. M. Greenwood (Bolton Utd.H) 2875; 5, V. Ball (Spartan LAC) 2773; 6, V. Davies (Lond. Olympiades) 2528.

London C.C. Championships, Tooting. 100: S. M. Masters (SW) 11.7; **220:** S. M. Masters 26.6; **HJ:** S. Lerwill (SW) 5ft. 4in.; **LJ:** C. L. Smith (NW) 16ft. 9in.

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Race Walking

ELECTED President of the Road Walking Association at last week's A.G.M., Mr. A. A. Harley may well be considered the perfect Club man, a "Bel" of the "Bels," for there are few offices appertaining to Belgrave Harriers in which he has not given devoted service, sometimes doubling one with another. Now he is to do the same thing with the R.W.A., for he will continue in the office of Hon. Treasurer which he has held for the past five years, during which the Association has attained financial stability. Indeed, for one who is above all a Club man, Mr. Harley has served athletics widely and generously, as an elected member of A.A.A. Southern Committee, R.W.A. representative on A.A.A. General Committee, and as a former President of Middlesex A.A.A.

By

F. W. BLACKMORE

Under his leadership, the R.W.A. will open its new season of championship events at Cheltenham next week when the inaugural National 5 miles Junior Championship will be held. A most encouraging entry of under 21's has been received, with as many as 10 teams in the list. It is a gratifying reward for the local organisers, who have added generosity to efficiency in the staging of the event; a local donor is to provide the medals, which will be on the same lines as those awarded for the R.W.A.'s major Championships.

With this championship settled, Leicester W.C. will start off the 1951-52 season with their Open 7 miles, closely followed a week later by the Trowbridge A.C.'s 6 miles Open from Chippenham to Calne, entries for which close next Wednesday, 26th September, to H. A. Callow, 12, Haygrove Westwood, Bradford-on-Avon, Wilts. There are many enterprising features about this promotion, now becoming an established annual event, and no doubt someone will have a go for the gold medal — rare specimens these days — offered to the competitor who beats Harry Churcher's course record of 45mins. 19secs.

Talking of records, it will be interesting to see if R. Hardy, Sheffield—or for that matter, his fellow Clubman and

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EDINBURGH HIGHLAND GAMES

September 8th

100: 1, B Shenton (Poly H); 2, A. Stanfield (USA); 3, W. Jack (Victoria Pk. AAC) 9.9.

220: 1, A. Stanfield (USA); 2, B. Shenton (Poly); 3, W. Jack (Victoria Pk) 22.0.

880: 1, A. S. Wint (Poly H); 2, R. Browne (USA); 3, J. Prince (South London H) 1:54.8.

1 Mile: 1, H. J. Parlett (Dorking St. P); 2, A. B. Parker (Barrow A.C.); 3, K. Coutts (Aberdeen Univ) 4:17.8.

2 Miles: 1, T. G. Hosking (Essex Beagles); 2, C. W. Brasher (Achilles); 3, J. Binnie (Victoria Pk) 9:27.3.

1408 Yds. Relay: 1, England (Parker, McWhirter, Shenton, Wint); 2, Scotland; 2:44.5.

1408 Yds. Inter-City Relay: 1, Manchester (Holderness, Myers, Gibson, Evans); 2, Glasgow; 3, Edinburgh; 2:44.5.

High Jump: 1, A. S. Paterson (Victoria Pk) scr., 6ft. 4in.; 2, A. G. Ramsay (Glasgow Univ.); 3, N. G. A. Gregor (Kent C.C.).

Pole Vault: 1, R. Richards (USA) 14 ft. 1in.; 2, E. Kaas (Norway) 13ft. 1½in.; 3, N. G. A. Gregor (Kent C.C.) and G. M. Elliott (Woodford Gn) each 12ft. 6in.

Long Jump: 1, R. Richards (USA) 6 in., 23ft. 5in.; 2, W. H. Chephan (Watsonian A.C.); 3, W. J. Murray ("Q" A.C.).

Hop, Step and J: 1, W. N. Laing (St. Andrew's Univ.) scr., 47ft. 0in.; 2, H. K. Lawson (c. of Art); 3, R. Epton (Edinburgh H).

Shot: 1, J. A. Savidge (R. Marines) 51ft. 9in. (Games record); 2, J. Drummond (Heriot); 3, W. Woods (Lanark Police).

Hammer (Scots Style): 1, J. Drummond (Heriot) 100ft. 6in.; 2, E. N. Gilruth (Edin. Southern); 3, J. D. Gordon (Stirlingshire and C. Police).

CITY OF EDINBURGH MARATHON

September 8th, 1951

The City of Edinburgh Marathon was held in conjunction with the Highland Games on 8th September over the usual course within the city limits, embracing a variety of country roads and cobbled streets and including a considerable climb from 14 to 20 miles.

At 3 miles, the leading group of some 9 runners, including Winfield, C. D. Robertson, Howard, Stone, Paterson and

Thompson had detached themselves from the field, which also included Jackson and Farrell, and the 5 mile mark was passed in 29:55. The pace slowed somewhat, but at 8 miles Stone and Winfield went to the front and forced the pace. The 10 miles was reached in 60:15 when the bunch consisted only of the 6 runners listed above. Thompson (who later retired) had begun to fall away by 12 miles when the battle of Scots versus Sassenachs was on in full force. At 14½ miles the increased pace had caused Paterson to fall back whilst Winfield was in pain from a pulled muscle and was forced to ease up over the remainder of the course.

The 15 miles was passed in 1:29.35 by the leaders—now reduced to Robertson, Howard and Stone. By 17 miles Stone had drawn away into an 80yd. lead which he maintained up the final steep climb to 20 miles which he reached in 1:59.35. However Robertson and Howard came again, and running together at a great pace took over the lead from Stone at the foot of the steep descent (21 miles). They gradually drew away and at 24 miles were 200yds ahead. Robertson went on to put up by far his best performance and win in the new record time of 2:38.15 (easily beating the previous record of 2:40.11 by Howard in 1950). Stone, finishing a marathon for the first time, found a little extra over the last mile or so and passed Howard only ½ mile from the stadium to finish 2nd in 2:38.33 (also well inside the old record).

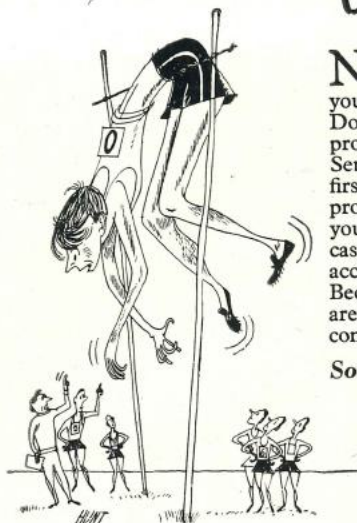
Paterson entered the stadium full of running and caused some amusement amongst the crowd by his effusive encouragement of Howard who was finishing as Paterson commenced his final lap.

Result

1, C. D. Robertson (Dundee Th.) 2:38.15; 2, J. W. Stone (Dorking St. P.) 2:38.33; 3, H. Howard (Shettleston H.) 2:40.50; 4, J. Paterson (Poly H.) 2:41.59; 5, Kidd (Garscube H.) 2:47.39; 6, McGee (St. Modan's) 2:48.19; 7, Bell (Kirkcaldy Y.M.) 2:52.11; 8, E. Farrell (Maryhill H.); 9, J. Winfield (Derby and C.).

(Editor's Note: Robertson might well have been credited with faster time but for the fact that both he and Howard missed the start and joined the field after one lap of 352 yards, making up this distance at the end of the race with the approval of the Referee).

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LONDON SCHOOLS ON TOUR

A TEAM of 12 boys and 8 girls, representing the London Schools' Athletic Association, are at present on a ten days' visit to Germany. They are taking part in an inter-city contest at Frankfurt—a four-sided match including Darmstadt and Wetzlar. Before returning they go down the Rhine to meet Cologne. The invitation came from the Education Authority in Frankfurt and happily has the recognition and goodwill of the educational administration in London. The team is a strong one as all except two represented London at Southampton in July. We shall see how they fare.

The programme has been drawn up by the hosts and will introduce metric standards to the Londoners. Boys and girls do the 100 metres and the High and Long Jumps. Boys also compete in the 80 metres hurdles and the shot, while the girls do the javelin. Between times the boys and girls are to have an opportunity of learning how athletics are taught in the schools in Germany. They are billeted with the families of scholars in two High Schools in Frankfurt—an excellent project. If all goes well this may be the beginning of annual inter-city

matches abroad, Paris, Rome, and Berne being suggested as further partners in a scheme embracing alternate venue.

The effort is an entirely voluntary one on the part of the London Association and as most of the youngsters are paying all their own expenses, it shows athletic enthusiasm which is most deserving. They will no doubt benefit in other ways. Win or lose, the scheme is a welcome innovation and merits our support. Once established, a comprehensive programme of events will no doubt be laid down to afford equal opportunity for all; at the moment such events as the furlong and the quarter don't come within the province of the Frankfurt children. However, I'm sure all readers of these notes will be interested in the experiment, which may have an interesting future. The London secretary, Mr. Steadman Smith, is more than keen on the idea and prepared to work hard to foster it. It will be good for Schools' athletics and a wonderful educational asset for the youngsters who take part. E.C.

These notes were unavoidably held over from last week. Next week Mr. Campion discusses the question of hurdling for girls.

LONDON'S FIRST BIG FLOODLIT MEETING

THE CITY CHARITY CONTEST, White City, September 12th.

By JAMES AUDSLEY

THE City Charity contest having been London's first major floodlit meeting, its chief point of interest must inevitably be the floodlighting, and its possible future effect on athletics.

It can be said at once that floodlit meetings are no direct equivalent of daylight ones. It is harder to identify runners on the far side of the track and the batteries of lights on the tops of the stands are trying to people sitting opposite them. Also the extinction of the stand lights during races means that the programme must be consulted and any notes made in semi-darkness. This, however, is only the same as putting out the light in a theatre to improve the view of the stage; and the difficulty of recognising athletes could probably be remedied by using either more lights or differently placed lights. Anyway, the experiment—for such it was—proved that night meetings are definitely practicable; and the attendance of over 10,000 implies that there is a public for them.

Mention of the public is a reminder that it is always desirable, and especially so in a pre-Olympic year, that newcomers should be attracted to athletics, and, once there, shown enough to bring them back. If this contest is to become a major crowd attraction, therefore, it might be advisable to cut down the heats—perhaps by running them off separately. As it was, the meeting was well over an hour old before spectators had anything to see at all. Also, while I do not question the entertainment value of the R.A.F. P.T. display, I do question its inclusion on this occasion. Most of the spectators left long before the meeting ended. Had the heats and the display been omitted, these could have seen nearly two hours more "star" athletics than they did see.

The special events produced some good, but not sensational, performances. McDonald Bailey won a sprint—in, for him, moderate time—of which the chief feature was how close J. Gregory got to B. Shenton, who was running well, as he proved when winning both contest sprints with yards to spare in good times. The mile saw A. Webster in front at the start and up to the half (2:2.4), when A. Parker, L. Eyre and W. Nankeville took the first three places in that order. With 300 yards to go, it looked as if Nankeville had let Parker

open too big a gap, but he found a fine finish to catch his man on the last bend and win easily. The women's 100 and 80 metres hurdles, run with almost identical fields, provided easy wins for J. Foulds, and J. Desforages, respectively. P. Allday, after threatening to beat the 28-year-old native hammer record all the season, at last did so with just under a foot to spare.

The City Contest—which has been greatly enlarged by turning the Stock Exchange team into "Stock Exchange and Rest of London"—gave us the thrill of the evening with a two-man 880 between A. Wint and J. Parlett. Parlett led at first, but Wint soon took over. Parlett hung on to him all the way round, however, and, in the final straight drew first level and then ahead. Wint came again, and the result was a dead-heat in very fast time. J. Brown ran well to win a mile which had looked safe for G. Ward; and R. Tooby finished strongly to win the 2 miles after H. Hicks, running very confidently after showing terrific improvement this season, had led for most of the way. This was a five-man race, but R. Salmon, who was nowhere at all for 7 laps, produced an amazing last lap to split the leading quintet.

A welcome addition to the stadium's equipment for keeping spectators informed is the large clock-face next to the score-board, which shows the time being taken—unofficial, of course, but near enough—in races above 440 yards. Another welcome innovation was the apparently unrestricted warming-up which took place on the track.

Footnote: The Misses Foulds, Beat and Seaborne have been in athletics long enough to know that not even the desirability of receiving valuable prizes justifies hanging about indefinitely without track suits late on a September evening.

Special Events:

100—1, McDonald Bailey (Poly) 9.8; 2, B. Shenton (Poly) 10.2; 3, J. Gregory (Bristol) 10.3; 4, A. Grieve (S.L.H.); 5, N. McWhirter (Ach.); 6, T. Higgins (H.H.H.).

"City" Mile—1, W. Nankeville (Waltton) 4:9.6; 2, A. Parker (Barrow) 4:11.4; 3, L. Eyre (Leeds Harehills) 4:13; 4, C. Brasher (Ach) 4:18.8; 5, A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield). D. Wilson (Poly) did not finish.

Hammer—1, P. Allday (L.A.C.) 172ft. 11in. (new English native record); 2, C. Reidy (S.L.H.) 158ft. 4in.; 3, D. Cullum (L.A.C.) 156ft. 2½in.

100 Women — 1, J. Foulds (Spartan) 11.3; 2, A. Beats (Reading) 11.8; 3, P. Seaborne (Essex Ladies) 12.2; 4, I. Pond (Middlesex Ladies); 5, S. Pratt (Orpington); 6, D. Harper (High Wycombe).

80M. Hurdles, Women—1, J. Desforges (Essex Ladies); 2, P. Seaborne (Essex Ladies); 3, S. Pratt (Orpington); 4, I. Pond (Middlesex Ladies); 5, D. Harper (High Wycombe); 6, S. Cawley (Spartan), 11.9, 5yds., 1yd.

CITY CHARITY CONTEST

100—1, B. Shenton (I); 2, T. Higgins (S); 3, K. George (T); 4, D. Merrett (T); 5, G. Osborne (S.E.); 6, L. Nottage (P). 9.9 (contest record), 4yds., 1yd.

220—1, B. Shenton (I) 22 (equa's contest record); 2, T. Higgins (S) 22.4; 3, D. Merrett (T); 4, N. McWhirter (S.E.); 5, J. Toal (B); 6, L. Nottage (P). 1yd. between 2nd and 3rd.

440—1, J. Davis (B); 2, C. Smith (C.S.); 3, A. Jeffries (I); 4, R. Smith (I); 5, W. Hagger (C.S.); 6, G. Osborne (S.E.). 50.6, 2yds., 2yds.

880—1, J. Parlett (I) and A. Wint (H) dead heat, 1:51.6 (contest record); 3, D. Allen (B.H.) 1:58.9; 4, P. Stevens (T); 5, A. Sanderson (B.H.); 6, A. McDonald (H).

1 Mile—1, J. Brown (C.S.); 2, G. Ward (I); 3, L. Herbert (B.H.); 4, R. Morley (B); 5, R. Howell (C.S.); 6, W. Coyne (B.H.). 4:18.8 (contest record), 5yds., 10yds.

2 Miles team—1, Insurance 14; 2, Business Houses 19; 3, Banks 24; 4, Civil Service 39; 5, Shipping 45; 6, Police 65. Individual—1, R. Tooby (B); 2, H. Hicks (I); 3, M. Whenman (B.H.); 2, H. Lucas (I); 5, R. Salmon (H); 6, J. Wood (B.H.). 9:17.2, 5yds., 15yds.

120 Yds. Hds.—1, P. Hildreth (S.E.); 2, C. Higham (S.E.); 3, G. Fishwick (T); 4, C. Everitt (T); 5, I. Mair (H); 6, P. Heathcote (B.H.). 15.4 (contest record), 10yds., 1yd.

2 Miles Walk—1, H. Churcher (B.H.); 2, A. Mash (P); 3, K. Smith (B.H.); 4, M. Fisher (B); 5, E. Sharp (I); 6, G. Oliver (C.S.). 14:25.4, 200yds., 15yds.

H.J.—1, A. Orton (C.S.) 5ft. 10in.; 2, E. Button (P) 5ft. 8in.; 3, P. Kirby (B) 5ft. 6in.; 4, M. Moncrieff (T) 5ft. 6in.; 5, C. Pennington (S.E.) and W. Turner (I) tied with 5ft. 2in.

L.J.—1, D. Bearblock (H) 20ft. 10½in.; 2, D. Fleming (P) 20ft. 7in.; 3, N. Kivity (T) 20ft.; 4, G. Mahn (C.S.) 19ft. 5½in.

5, D. Hart (B) 19ft. 5½in.; 6, J. MacCoy (S) 19ft. 1½in.

H.S.J.—1, V. Jones (T) 42ft. 7in.; 2, K. Chambers (S.E.) 41ft. 11½in.; 3, J. Tennuci (C.S.) 41ft. 5½in.; 4, D. Buxcey (P) 41ft. 3in.; 5, G. Christmas (B.H.) 40ft. 9½in.; 6, D. Rumbold (B) 40ft. 5½in.

P.V.—1, G. Elliott (T) 10ft. 6in.; 2, G. Pallett (C.S.) 10ft.; 3, N. East (P) 10ft.; 4, C. Pennington (S.E.) 9ft. 6in.; 5, I. Hudson (H) 9ft.; 6, D. Vanhegan (B.H.) 9ft.

Weight—1, D. Vanhegan (B.H.) 42ft. 9½in.; 2, E. Brewer (T) 41ft. 8½in.; 3, A. Silberry (P) 41ft. 0½in.; 4, B. Edwards (B) 39ft. 4in.; 5, F. Gandy (S.E.) 37ft. 9in.; 6, A. Dean (S) 36ft. 9in.

Javelin—1, M. Denley (S.E.) 187ft. (contest record); 2, W. Wall (C.S.) 173ft. 1in.; 3, R. Lahaye (S) 156ft. 3in.; 4, K. Brookman (T) 153ft. 6in.; 5, K. Jones (I) 147ft. 8in.; 6, A. Silberry (P) 144ft. 1½in.

Discus—1, E. Brewer (T) 137ft.; 2, F. Gandy (S.E.) 123ft. 11in.; 3, O. Feldmanis (B.H.) 123ft. 3½in.; 4, A. Silberry (P) 118ft. 3½in.; 5, E. Birch (H) 114ft. 6in.; 6, A. Dean (S) 111ft. 3½in.

Team Result—1, Tyrian (holders) 59½; 2, Civil Service 42; 3, Business Houses 40; 4, Stock Exchange and Rest of London 39½; 5, Insurance 35½; 6, Police 32; 7, Banks 29; 8, Shipping 19; 9, Hospitals 18½.

WOMEN'S MATCH

100—1, J. Desforges (B.H.) 2, B. Foster (S.E.); 3, E. Wheeler (B); 4, V. Ball (T); 5, M. Osborne (S); 6, D. Batter (S.E.). 11.5, 3yds., 1yd.

4 x 110 relay—1, Stock Exchange (D. Batter, B. Foster, S. Day, V. Bartleman); 2, Insurance (B. Barratt, P. Benson, M. Brooker, S. Timms); 3, Business Houses (S. Smeaton, M. Hillier, J. Desforges, D. Simmonds); 4, Civil Service; 5, Banks; 6, Tyrian. 51.4, 4yds, 3yds.

H.J.—1, L. Line (S.E.) 4ft. 10in.; 2, S. Lowen (B) 4ft. 9in.; 3, S. King (B.H.) 4ft. 9in.; 4, P. Field (C.S.); 4ft 8in; 5, J. Newman (I) 4ft. 8in.; 6, E. Chanin (S) 4ft. 4in.

L.J.—1, S. Cawley (B) 17ft. 4½in.; 2, S. Crawley (C.S.) 16ft. 10½in.; 3, V. Webster (I) 16ft. 8½in.; 4, S. Goodwin (B.H.) 16ft. 7½in.; 5, S. Duddin (S.E.) 14ft. 11in.; 6, G. Fraser (T) 14ft. 10½in.

All these winning performances are contest records.

Team result—1, Stock Exchange and Rest of London 20; 2, Banks and Business Houses tied with 17; 4, Civil Service and Insurance tied with 11; 6, Tyrian 5; 7, Shipping 3; 8, Hospitals and Police each 0.

September 8th

Inter-Club Match at Paddington. 220: Jeffries (Poly) 23.1; **440:** M. Winth (Achilles) 50.5; **880:** P. Stevens (Poly) 1:58.9; **LJ:** H. Askew (Achilles) 21ft. 2½ in.; **D:** M. Sawicki (Camb. H) 30ft. 11½ in.; **Wt:** V. I. Bommel (Olympia '48 Holland) 42ft. 4in.; **Relay:** Poly H. 2:2.7; **Result:** 1, Cambridge H. 27 pts.; 2, Poly H. 23; 3, Achilles 22; 4, Olympia "48" (Holland) 20; 5, Queen's Pk. H. 4.

Sutton H. beat Liverpool Pembroke A.C. by 78 pts. to 36. **Seniors:** 100: A. Tipping (S) 10.6; **440:** A. Tipping (S) 52.0; **880:** K. Bruns (L) 2:01.8; **3M. Team:** Liverpool P. Ind.: Price (LP) 15:21.4; 4 x **440:** Sutton 3:34.2; **LJ:** Hackett (S) 20ft. 2½ in.; **HJ:** K. Friar (S) 5ft. 3in.; **Wt:** W. Elliott (S) 35ft. 5 in.; **D:** W. Elliott (S) 85ft. 9in.; **J:** T. Hackett (S) 143ft. 5in.; **Juniors:** 100: P. Mathewe (LP) 10.9; **Mile Team:** Sutton, Ind.: R. Hendry (S) 4:36.8; **440:** J. Doyle (S) 48.5; **Relay:** Sutton 48.5; **Boys:** 100: J. Clark (S) 12.0; **880 Team:** Sutton, Ind.: Wainwright (S) 2:16.2.

Kent A.C. Pentathlon, Catford: A. G. Darvill, 2,195 pts. Junior: J. W. Turner 1,641 pts.

September 15th

Mr. J. C. G. Crump's Team 40 pts. beat

H. J. Parlett's Surrey County Team, 39 pts. 100: 1, B. Shenton (Crump); 2, D. J. Merrett (Parlett); 3, A. Grieve (P). 10.3; **220:** 1, B. Shenton (C); 2, T. L. Higgins (P); 3, D. J. Merrett (P). 22.9; 4:0; 1, A. S. Wint (C); 2, F. P. Higgins (P); 3, J. B. Duffy (C). 51.1; **880:** 1, H. J. Parlett (P); 2, J. Prince (P); 3, H. Streuli (C) 2:4.4; **Mile:** 1, A. B. Parker (C); 2, H. J. Hicks (P); 3, J. W. Brown (P) 4:28.8; **440 Relay:** 1, Parlett's Surrey County Team (A. Grieve, W. F. Gregory, T. L. Higgins, D. J. Merrett) 46.2; **D:** 1, J. A. Savidge (C) 146ft. 11in.; 2, E. J. Brewer (P) 135ft. 5½ in.; 3, D. F. A. Vanhegan (P); **J:** 1, M. J. Denley (C) 190ft. 9½ in.; 2, D. Tucker (P) 179ft. 5in.; 3, W. F. Wall (C) 168ft. 8in.; **Wt:** 1, J. A. Savidge (C) 50ft. 4in.; 2, D. F. A. Vanhegan (P) 42ft. 3½ in.; 3, E. J. Brewer (P) 39ft. 7in.

Local Clubs Relay (Bentall Cup): Poly H. "A" 3:47.8.

Belgrave H. Meeting. 3M. Club Championship: L. W. Herbert 14:40.8; **H'cps:** 220: J. Benstead (14) 22.8; **880:** A. Murphy (75) 1:53.4; **Mile (U/19):** A. Bird (150) 4:36.4; **2M. Walk:** C. Sutton (440) 14:9.0; **HSJ:** I. Forrester (6ft) 42ft. 0in.; **D:** M. Miska (20ft.) 131ft. 7in.

Shaftesbury H. Meeting: Pentathlon Championship. 1, N. Kivity 2142 pts.; 2, R. Wales 1906; 3, A. Robertson 1768;

H'cps. 100: B. Miller (2); 2, K. Stanbridge (2); 3, L. Stickley (4), 10.4; **Mile:** P. Woodsmith (75); 2, E. Pearce (70); 3, C. French (40), 4:28.8; **Juns.:** 100: 1, A. Michie (5); 2, B. Miller (Scr); 3, J. Bigg (1), 10.8; **880:** 1, G. Kayley (65); 2, E. Coulson (20); 3, J. Bigg (10), 2:3.0; **Wt:** 1, A. Orton (11ft. 0in.); 2, P. Hudson (9ft. 6in.); 3, A. Stone (6ft.) 48ft. 11in.

Surrey A.C. 5M. Road Race: 1, K. Jobson 24:35.0; 2, A. A. Martin 24:53.0; 3, G. Scotting 25:10.0; 4, S. C. Belton 25:16.0.

WOMEN'S RESULTS (contd.)

Kent A.C. Club Championships. Pentathlon: B. Whiffen 3,261 pts.; **Wt:** B. Whiffen 25ft. 2in. (club record); **J:** J. Gray 66ft. 7in.

Sutton H. v. Liverpool Pembroke. 100: R. Almond (S) 11.7; **440:** J. Simpson (S) 67.6; **HJ:** D. Bayliss (L) 4ft. 4in.; **LJ:** D. Ashun (L) 17ft. 0in.; 4 x **110 Relay:** Sutton H. 53.2.

Cambridge H. Championships. 80 MH: S. Bennett 13.4; **880 Yds:** H. Needham 2:31.8; **Shot H'cp:** H. Needham (9ft. 0in.) 34ft. 10in.

RACE WALKING (contd.)

National Champion, L. Allen—can improve upon the former's 5 miles World's record figures at the White City next Wednesday, if they have decided to accept the invitation to attack the record during the course of the London-Gothenburg match. It is somewhat out of season now, but in fair conditions and in his best form, Hardy should be quite capable of lowering the record to a more or less round 35 minutes.

Cambridge Harriers One Hour Open Walk, Charlton Park. 1, F. W. Barrett (Camb. H) 7m., 1017 yds.; 2, B. Shepherd (Walton A.C.) 7m., 910 yds.; 3, K. Smith (Camb. H) 7m., 440 yds.; 4, M. Fisher (Surrey W.C.) 7m. 350 yds.; 5, H. Martineau (Surrey W.C.) 7m. 110 yds.; 6, R. Turner (Walton A.C.) 7m. 15 yds.

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