

SHETTLESTON'S RECORD EDINBURGH-GLASGOW WIN

IN the 21st Edinburgh-Glasgow Relay, sponsored by the *News of the World* last Saturday, Shettleston H. beat the course record by 25 sec. Fog handicapped the runners in the middle stages of the race.

Stage 1. Ian Binnie, after a 3 years absence, soon led for Vic. Pk., but with a mile to go, J. Connolly (Bell'n) went ahead to hand over in 26.26, followed by Brownlee (ESH) 26.30, Binnie 26.52 and Wallace (Shett'n) 26.56.

Stage 2. R. Irving (30.38) kept Bellahouston in front, 50 yds. ahead of J. H. Linaker who, with a record breaking 28.54, brought Motherwell Y.M. from 13th to 2nd, Edin. South were 3rd, Shettleston 4th, Vic. Pk. 5th, and C. Laing (29.50) brought Glasgow Un. from 15th to 6th.

Stage 3. Shettleston took the lead thanks to a record breaking run of 21.33 by newcomer J. Campbell. R. McFall also beat the record by 2 sec. (21.54) in taking Edin. S. up to 2nd, with Bellahouston 3rd and Vic. Pk. 4th.

Stage 4. H. Summerhill (30.10) kept Shettleston in front (1:49.19) 200 yds. ahead of Edin. S. (1:49.44) with Bellahouston holding on to 3rd (1:50.04), with Vic. Pk. 4th, Moth. Y.M. 5th and Teviotdale now 6th.

Stage 5. I. C. Donald (27.44) still led for Shettleston, just ahead of Edin. South, while R. Gordon (28.39) kept Bellahouston 3rd. W. Marshall (28.34) brought Motherwell up to 4th just in front of Vic. Pk.

Stage 6. Despite two record breaking runs by Motherwell and Vic. Pk. Graham Everett (33.39) kept Shettleston in front with 2:50.42, followed by Edin. South (2:51.58), Motherwell Y.M., for whom A. H. Brown ran a sparkling 32.27 stage record, and Vic. Park, with W. Kerr running even faster with 32.25.

Stage 7. Yet another record was broken, T. Malone (28.33) beating Bannon's 1956 record by 1 sec. and putting Shettleston well out in front with 3:19.45. A keen tussle was going on for second place between Motherwell 3:21.26 (McKay 29.27) and Edin. South 3:21.40 (Clegg 29.42).

Stage 8. With a fine run of 24.34 R. Wotherspoon gave Shettleston their third successive victory in 3:43.47, a new course record. Edinburgh South took second place thanks to a record breaking last leg of 24.10 by K. D. Ballantyne, with Motherwell Y. M. (Poulton 24.49) third. R. K.

Harley (Teviotdale) also beat the 1938 record of A Austin.

1, Shettleston H. (record) 3:43.47
 2, Edinburgh South H. 3:45.50
 3, Motherwell Y.M.C.A. 3:46.15
 4, Bellahouston 3:46.40; 5, Victoria Pk. 3:47.20; 6, Teviotdale 3:51.29; 7, Wellpark 3:53.37; 8, Glasgow Univ. 3:54.05; 9, Edinburgh Univ. 3:55.12; 10, Aberdeen 3:56.34; 11, Edinburgh A.C. 3:57.00; 12, Glenpark 3:58.41; 13, Vale of Leven 3:58.57; 14, Springburn 4:00.01; 15, Clydesdale 4:00.40; 16, Hawkhill 4:04.16; 17, Maryhill 4:05.43; 18, St. Modans 4:10.52; 19, St. Andrew's Univ. 4:11.07; 20, Braidburn 4:13.20.

Hawkhill H., newcomers to the race, were awarded the medals for the most meritorious performance.

LEAGUE RACES

NORTH WESTERN COUNTIES LEAGUE At Lancaster, November 18th

1, D. A. Spencer (Barrow) 30.47
 2, P. Hall (Barrow) 31.29
 3, W. J. Hannan (Barrow) 32.19
 4, D. Large (Bar) 32.33; 5, J. Shackley (Bar) 32.38; 6, M. Smith (Lunesdale) 32.45; 7, B. Wellock (Lanc) 32.54; 8, C. Huck (Primrose) 33.05; 9, C. H. Wood (Bar) 33.22; 10, R. Curwen (Prim) 33.57; 11, K. Botham (Lunes) 34.04; 12, F. Reeves (Bar) 34.06; 13, A. Parkinson (Prim) 34.26; 14, T. Sawford (Prim) 34.37; 15, D. Stainton (Kendal) 35.11; 16, B. Dorrington (Prim) 35.30; 17, D. Henderson (Lunes) 35.36; 18, G. Brown (Ken) 35.37; 19, P. Charlton (Lunes) 36.03; 20, R. Lewney (Bar) 36.11.

Teams: **Pts.**
 1, Barrow (1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 9) 24
 2, Primrose (8.10.13.14.16.28) 89
 3, Lunesdale (6.11.17.19.21.32) 106
 4, Kendal 140; 5, Lancaster 156.

Boys
 1, D. Frankland (Kendal) 11.15
 2, P. D. Frankland (Primrose) ... 11.33
 3, S. Granville (Barrow) 11.35
 4, J. Reid (Ken) 11.53; 5, R. Astle (Ken) 12.02; 6, R. Harrop (Ken) 12.07; 7, D. Bell (Ken) 12.13; 8, D. Lathem (Skerton Sch.) 12.42; 9, B. Hodgson (Ken) 13.00; 10, R. Gudgeon (Prim) 13.03.

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