

Great Effort By Farrell Of Maryhill

By GGROE

SHETTLESTON HARRIERS gained a thirty-five yards win over Maryhill in the ten miles Midland Championship at Garseadden on Saturday. Bellahouston did well to fill the third place, about 120 yards behind Maryhill.

After all Maryhill Harriers were compelled to exclude Bobby Graham from their team because of the fact that the two qualifying runs required by rule were not put in prior to the closing date for entries. Graham succeeded in putting in his runs on the two previous Saturdays.

Over the first circuit of the two and a half miles course J. R. Lardy, Garscube, headed the field of 18 runners, followed by Sammy Tombe of "Plebs," with Willie Nelson, Maryhill, and J. Whiteside, Shettleston, filling the third and fourth places.

Fastest Time

Willie Donaldson ran so well during the next round that he took his team right up to first position and incidentally clocked fastest time of 13 mins. 12 secs.

A. T. Peters, Maryhill, also performed splendidly to bring his club into second place at this stage. With 60 to 70 yards advantage at this point Shettleston were placed in an excellent position when Jim Flockhart took over from Donaldson and, bar accident, the race was practically all over.

In the Fife Cross-Country Championship test at Kirkcaldy D. R. Williamson, of the Old Boys' Club, beat W. Riddell, of the Y.M.C.A. Club, by 40 yards and the time for the five miles was 34 mins. 29 secs. The team race resulted in an easy victory for the Y.M.C.A. Club, aggregating 27 points, showing a 24 points margin.

For the *Daily Record* Novices Unattached race, promoted by Edinburgh Northern Harriers, at Portobello Baths, a satisfactory entry was received and a good race ensued, the winner being a young promising lad, C. Pratt, who covered the three miles course in the good time of 17 minutes. He had 40 yards to spare from rival D. Inglis, and only a yard separated him from the third runner, C. Taylor.

Details:—

1. Shettleston—J. Whiteside (13.36), W. Donaldson (13.12), J. C. Flockhart (13.31), W. Sutherland (13.51)—54 mins. 10 secs.
2. Maryhill—W. Nelson (13.34), A. T. Peters (13.26), G. Porteous (14.1), J. E. Farrell (13.16)—54 mins. 17 secs.
3. Bellahouston—J. Gifford (13.41), T. W. Lamb (13.37), T. Hunter (13.51), A. Austin (13.30)—54 mins. 39 secs.
4. Victoria Park—J. Gallagher (13.53), J. Linacre (13.28), F. Dobbie (13.58), R. Rogerson (13.49)—55 mins. 8 secs.
5. Plebeian—S. K. Tombe (13.29), T. Moffat (13.56), J. Wilkie (13.52), P. J. Connolly (13.55)—55 mins. 12 secs.
6. Garscube—J. R. Lardy (13.28), W. Gowans (13.54), T. Daily (14.8), R. D. Phoenix (14.13)—55 mins. 43 secs.
7. Glasgow University—J. N. Lapraik (13.40), J. T. H. Taylor (14.15), J. C. Gray (13.57), J. D. Binning (13.58)—55 mins. 50 secs.
8. Bellahouston "B"—G. Ball (13.42), J. M. Lindsay (13.59), A. Hamilton (14.8), A. Dickie (14.20)—56 mins. 9 secs.
9. Maryhill "B"—A. Coogan (13.52), H. Scoles (14.0), J. Nelson (14.12), A. H. Blair (14.6)—56 mins. 10 secs.
10. Uddingston Welfare—J. Shaw (14.18), W. Cameron (13.27), H. Williamson (14.25), R. Dyer (14.8)—56 mins. 18 secs.
11. Springburn—J. O'Brien (14.34), D. Eyle (14.10), J. Farrell (13.54), W. Thomson (14.23)—57 mins. 1 sec.
12. Motherwell H. "A"—T. McGlynn (14.5), J. Ferguson (14.22), W. Sommerville (14.18), J. Brown (14.22)—57 mins. 7 secs.
13. Monkland H.—J. Stevenson (13.43), F. Kincaid (14.55), A. Craig (14.31), F. L. Stevenson (14.19)—57 mins. 28 secs.
14. Shettleston H. "B"—E. Taylor (14.32), R. Thomson (14.11), J. D. Scott (14.25), A. Hill (14.31)—57 mins. 39 secs.
15. Hamilton H.—W. Brownlie (13.49), T. Hunter (14.2), W. Kane (14.29), T. Symington (15.28)—57 mins. 48 secs.
16. West of Scotland H.—J. Parker (13.45), G. Stott (15.46), W. Erskine (14.8), J. Haddow (14.26)—58 mins. 5 secs.
17. Olympic H.—A. Hutchison (15.5), D. M. Beaton (14.45), R. Hutchison (14.39), A. M'Alpine (14.20)—58 mins. 49 secs.
18. Motherwell H. "B"—J. Connor (14.29), R. Deyon (14.59), F. McGlynn (14.25), A. Ingram (15.4)—58 mins. 57 secs.

FASTEST TIMES

1. W. Donaldson (Shettleston), 13 mins. 12 secs.
2. J. E. Farrell (Maryhill H.), 13 mins. 16 secs.
3. A. T. Peters (Maryhill), 13 mins. 26 secs.
4. W. Cameron (Uddingston), 13 mins. 27 secs.
- 5 (equal), J. R. Lardy (Garscube) and J. Linacre (Victoria Park), 13 mins. 28 secs.