

GARSCUBE HARRIERS' SUCCESS.

Garscube Harriers are shaping very well this season. A month ago, at Bothwell, they won the National Novice Championship, with Shettleston Harriers as runners-up. Saturday's ten-miles relay race at Greenock for the Struthers trophy had a similar ending, the Garscube four scoring a clean-cut victory, with Shettleston second and Wellpark third. The end of each lap—fully $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles of very stiff going—found a Garscube man leading, and finally A. J. T. M'Morran sped home almost a furlong ahead of J. W. Stanley, Shettleston Harriers. There was a fine equality about the performances of the winning quartette, as the following lap times show:—D. B. H. Elliot, 15min. 48sec.; D. Quinn, 16min. 20sec.; J. Girvan, 15min. 55sec.; and A. J. T. M'Morran, 16 min. 10sec., making a total of 64min. 13sec. For such a small club—it has only about 30 regular running members—Garscube Harriers, winners of the Struthers Relay Race at Greenock on Saturday, have had a wonderful run of success within recent years. In season 1920-21 they won the Western District Championship and the N.C.C.U. team race, took second place in the National Championship and Clydesdale open team race, and were third in the Novice Championship. In 1922-23 the club did even better, winning the Western District Championship, the Novice Championship, the Clydesdale open team race, and the Grange Harriers' open ten mile relay. Second place was then gained in the National Championship. Last season Garscube gained second place in the National and Novice Championships. The Struthers Relay Race at Greenock on Saturday was notable for the splendid performance of D. B. H. Elliot, of Garscube Harriers, who beat a strong provincial runner in R. Miller, of Mauchline, over the first two and a half miles. More should be heard of Elliot in the near future. He was the 1922-23 Garscube Novice Champion, and has also won one or two prizes on the track.