

10-MILES SCOTTISH CROSS-COUNTRY SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The eighth race, distance as above, for team and individual honours, was run on Saturday afternoon from the front of the grand stand, Hampden Park, kindly placed at the service of the S.C.C.U. by the Queen's Park F.C. The entries were not large, but all the best long-distance men had their names on the card. Two teams from Edinburgh, and a like number as representing Glasgow, were present. The full teams were as follow:—

Clydesdale Harriers (holders)—A. Hannah, M. Reid, P. T. Lewis, G. Brown, J. M'Gowan, J. Waddell, A. Russell, G. Graham, T. A. Ferguson, J. Marshall, J. W. Campbell, J. Naismith.

Edinburgh Harriers—W. M. Carment, D. I. Mackinlay, W. B. Muir, T. I. S. Hunter, C. F. Smith, W. G. Malcolm, S. J. Cornish, A. R. Muir, G. Hume, T. Jaap.

Edinburgh Northern Harriers—J. Thin, A. Robertson, A. Reid, P. Addison, W. Brackley, J. Hedderwick, J. Elphinstone, R. K. Kininmont, J. Whitelaw, W. Mutrie, H. Girdwood.

West of Scotland Harriers—P. M'Morrow, A. Hamilton, A. M'Candlish, S. Mitchell, S. Noble, A. M. Donaldson.

Judge—D. S. Duncan, president S.C.C.U.

Marksmen—Mr A. Honeyman, C.H.; Mr Pearson Wylie, E.H.; Mr J. Campbell, E.N.H.; Mr W. Finlayson, jun., W.S.A.

Timekeeper—Mr T. Fraser, S.A.A.A.

It will thus be seen that the Edinburgh Harriers were without Loudon and Dickson, the Edinburgh Northern men were minus Moyes, and the West of Scotland had not the services of Scott, Baxter, M'Laren, Haldane, Martin, and Smart, and neither of the teams put in reserves. The course lay over a circuit of fully 5½ miles by way of Aikenhead, Bankhead, Old Cathcart, across fields, returning by New Cathcart, Mount Florida, and the principal entrance to the Park, once round and out again over the same country, finishing in front of the same pavilion. The paper was laid by Messrs John Harper, J. Stewart, and John Stavert, but by reason of the gusty day and dry ground the "scent" was difficult to follow. The 53 runners were ranged in front of the grand stand in four lines, and shortly after four o'clock were sent on their journey. On going round the first time M'Morrow and Lewis were leading, but the West runner dropped behind in the second round, Peter Lewis running ahead, with Matthew Reid, A. Reid, Abraham Russell, close in the rear. After an absence of 32 minutes, the first of the racers re-entered the field, and the order as they ran away again was as follows:—1, Hannah; 2, Hunter; 3, M'Morrow; 4, Lewis; 5, A. Reid; 6, Carment. Hannah was here leading by about 400 yards. Time, 74 mins 43 secs. On entering the park for the second time Hannah was again to the front, ultimately winning by 300 yards. Full results:—

INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

ANDREW HANNAH

(Clydesdale Harriers); 2, Peter T. Lewis (C.H.); 3, W. M. Carment (Edinburgh Harriers); 4, A. Reid (Edinburgh Northern Harriers); 5, Abc. Russell (C.H.); 6, T. J. S. Hunter (E.H.); 7, S. J. Cornish (E.D.); 8, W. Blackley (E.N.H.); 9, J. Marshall (C.H.); 10, A. Robertson (E.N.H.); 11, J. Hedderwick (E.N.H.); 12, W. B. Muir (E.H.); 13, J. Thin (E.N.H.); 14, H. Girdwood (E.N.H.).

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP.

1st team, Clydesdale Harriers—Andrew Hannah, 1; P. T. Lewis, 2; A. Russell, 5; J. Marshall, 9; G. Graham, 15; J. M'Gowan, 16—total, 48 points.

2nd team, Edinburgh Northern Harriers—A. Reid, 4; W. Blackley, 8; A. Robertson, 10; J. Hedderwick, 11; J. Thin, 13; H. Girdwood, 14—total, 60 points.

3rd team, Edinburgh Harriers—W. M. Carment, 3; T. J. S. Hunter, 6; S. J. Cornish, 7; W. B. Muir, 12; T. Japp, 18; J. M'Kinlay, 20—total, 66 points.

W. M. Carment ran the last two miles under somewhat heroic conditions. He lost one of his running shoes, and was also unfortunate to have an ugly gash made in the sole of his right foot. The dirt and sand got in, and the pain must have been severe. He was afterwards attended by a medical man, and had to be assisted to his train in the evening. The prizes won during the day were formally handed to the winners at a supper held in the Bank Restaurant in the evening.

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