

CARDIFF 1930

WHITE CITY STADIUM

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Wednesday, 2nd April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Senior Track Championship

First Round

Ht 1: Ron Baker, Champ Upham 89.8

Ht 2: Jack Luke, Bill Clibbett 89.6

Ht 3: Taffy Williams, David Morgan 92.2

Ht 4: Fred Hampson, Len Parker 90.2

Second Round

Ht 5: Jack Luke, **Ron Baker (f)** 140.9

Ht 6: Bill Clibbett 91.4

Ht 7: Fred Hampson 96.0

Ht 8: Len Parker 97.2

Final: Bill Clibbett, Len Parker, Jack Luke, Fred Hampson 91.6

Senior Consolation Race

Ht 1: Ron Baker, Tom Lougher 89.2

Ht 2: Taffy Williams, Jack Wade 93.6

Final: Ron Baker, Tom Lougher, [Taffy Williams, Jack Wade] 90.2

Junior Handicap

Ht 1: Yank Davies (scr), Phil Watkins (3) 102.6

Ht 2: C Fowler (3), Johnny George (scr) 103.0

Ht 3: Eddie Hopkins (scr), E A Dunlop (3) 101.8

Ht 4: Stan Longney (1), A S Guthrie (2) 103.4

SF1: C Fowler (3), Yank Davies (scr) 102.6

SF2: E A Dunlop (3), A S Guthrie (2) 103.4

Final: A S Guthrie (2), E A Dunlop (3), [C Fowler (3), Yank Davies (scr)] 103.2

Also rode: Glyn John

Friday, 4th April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Speedway Handicap

Ht 1: Ron Baker (scr), C Fowler (rec 6 secs) 92.2

Ht 2: Eddie Hopkins (scr), Fred Hampson (scr) 97.4

Ht 3: Tom Lougher (2), Jack Luke (scr) 92.4

Ht 4: E A Dunlop (6), A S Guthrie (4) 99.2

Ht 5: Jack Wade (2), Yank Davies (5) 96.0

Final: Eddie Hopkins, Tom Lougher, Ron Baker (f) 94.0

Cardiff Scratch Race

Ht 1: E A Dunlop, Ted Bravery	106.2
Ht 2: Champ Upham, C F Longney	101.0
Ht 3: Yank Davies, A S Guthrie	100.0
Ht 4: Jack Luke, Eddie Hopkins	96.6
Ht 5: Tom Lougher, Ivor Hill	95.4
Final: Tom Lougher, E A Dunlop	96.4

Match Races

Jack Luke bt Ron Baler 2-1	
Ht 1: Baker bt Luke	88.4
Ht 2: Luke bt Baker (f)	102.8
Ht 3: not raced, awarded to Luke	

Special Match Races (rolling start)

Eddie Hopkins bt A S Guthrie	95.4
David Morgan bt Billy Price*	98.6
Yank Davies bt G S Haggett	95.8

*Usually programmed as Pip Price

Wednesday, 9th April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff**Match Races**

Bill Clibbett bt Jim Kempster 2-0	
Ht 1: Clibbett bt Kempster	93.4
Ht 2: Clibbett bt Kempster	91.8

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: Fred Hampson (scr), Yank Davies (4)	104.0
Ht 2: Ted Bravery (1), J E Mogford (6)	102.0
Ht 3: Tom Lougher (1), Bill Clibbett (scr)	96.8
Ht 4: Jim Kempster (scr), G S Haggett (5)	101.8
Ht 5: A S Guthrie (4), Champ Upham (1)	105.6
Final: Jim Kempster, Tom Lougher	98.4

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Eddie Hopkins, C Aplin	101.6
Ht 2: Billy Price*, Stan Longney	107.2
Ht 3: Tom Lougher, Ted Bravery	99.2
Ht 4: Taffy Williams, Bill Clibbett	99.4
Ht 5: Jack Luke, Yank Davies	104.8
Final: Jack Luke, Eddie Hopkins	99.4

*Believed to be the same rider as Pip Price

Match Race (rolling start)

Fred Hampson bt Taffy Williams	96.2
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Wednesday, 16th April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff**Match Races (rolling start)**

Ht 1: Bill Clibbett beat Ron Baker	90.8
Ht 2: Baker beat Clibbett	95.4
Ht 3: Baker was unable to ride due to a muscle injury, with the race postponed to 30 th April	

Match Race (rolling start)	
Yank Davies beat A S Guthrie	94.0
Golden Sash (Handicap)	
Ht 1: C Fowler (6), Yank Davies	99.0
Ht 2: Ted Bravery, E A Dunlop	96.4
Ht 3: Ron Baker (scr), Phil Watkins	91.2
Ht 4: Len Parker (scr), Eddie Hopkins (3)	96.6
Ht 5: Fred Hampson, Johnny George	97.4
SF1: C Fowler (6), Len Parker (scr)	100.8
SF2: Eddie Hopkins (3), Yank Davies	98.2
Final: Fowler (6), Hopkins (3)	100.6
Flying Nine (rolling start)	
Ht 1: Len Parker, Fred Hampson	96.2
Ht 2: Ted Bravery, Taffy Williams	93.2
Ht 3: Jack Luke, Bill Clibbett	93.6
Final: Len Parker, Jack Luke, Ted Bravery	89.2
Sloper Road Scratch Race	
Ht 1: Bill Clibbett, Phil Watkins	95.2
Ht 2: Eddie Hopkins, Ted Bravery	96.8
Ht 3: Tom Lougher, Ted Bravery	99.2
Ht 4: Stan Longney, E A Dunlop	106.2
Ht 5: Len Parker, Yank Davies	96.2
Final: Bill Clibbett, Len Parker	92.2

Saturday, 19th April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff
Cardiff 17 Coventry 11 (Challenge)

Cardiff

Tom Lougher	4	2	6
Bill Clibbett	2	0	2
Ron Barker	4	4	8
Jack Luke	0	1	1

Coventry

Wilmot Evans	1	2	3
John Deeley	0	0	0
Tom Farndon	2	1	3
Lew Lancaster	1	4	5

Ht 1: Lougher, Clibbett, Evans, Deeley	91.8	6	1	6	1
Ht 2: Barker, Farndon, Lancaster, Luke	89.2	4	3	10	4
Ht 3: Barker, Evans, Luke, Deeley	91.8	5	2	15	6
Ht 4: Lancaster, Lougher, Farndon, Clibbett	98.4	2	5	17	11

Match Races

Ted Bravery bt Eddie Hopkins	93.6
Tom Farndon bt Ron Baker (f)	93.2

Open Handicap

Ht 1: Ted Bravery, Yank Davies	95.0
Ht 2: Bill Clibbett, Lew Lancaster	95.4
Ht 3: C M Parsons, Billy Price*	104.6
Ht 4: C Fowler, Jack Wade	101.2

Ht 5: Tom Lougher, Taffy Williams	97.6
SF1: C M Parsons, Tom Lougher	104.6
SF2: Yank Davies, Billy Price* (dead heat)	100.8
Final: Tom Lougher, C M Parsons, [Yank Davies, Billy Price*]	95.2
*Believed to be the same rider as Pip Price	

Cardiff City Trophy

Ht 1: Yank.Davies, Len Parker	95.0
Ht 2: Bill Clibbett, C Fowler	95.8
Ht 3: Ron Baker, A S Guthrie	96.4
Ht 4: Tom Lougher, Ted Bravery	99.0
Ht 5: David Morgan, E A Dunlop	100.4
Final: Bill Clibbett, David Morgan	96.0

Monday, 21st April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Golden Gauntlet Handicap

Ht 1: Ted Bravery, Fred Hampson	93.8
Ht 2: Wally Lloyd, Stan Longney	93.4
Ht 3: Tom Lougher, Bill Murphy	99.2
Ht 4: C Fowler, Eddie Hopkins	102.6
Ht 5: Bill Clibbett, Taffy Williams, [David Morgan (f)]	100.0
SF1: Ted Bravery, Tom Lougher	95.6
SF2: Taffy Williams, Stan Longney	99.0
Final: Taffy Williams, Tom Lougher, [Ted Bravery, Stan Longney]	97.2

All Star Contest

Ht 1: Wally bt Bill Clibbett	
Ht 2: Fred Hampson bt Eddie Hopkins	93.0
Ht 3: Ron Baker bt Arthur Johnson	89.6
Ht 4: Jack Luke bt Tom Lougher	91.0
SF1: Wally Lloyd bt Fred Hampson	85.0
SF2: Jack Luke bt Ron Baker	97.0
Final: Jack Luke bt Wally Lloyd	93.6

Western Mail Trophy Scratch Race

Ht 1: Jack Luke, Billy Price*	98.8
Ht 2: Ron Baker, Wally Lloyd	94.8
Ht 3: Phil Watkins, Eddie Hopkins	98.2
Ht 4: Ted Bravery, Tom Lougher	94.4
Ht 5: Bill Clibbett, Fred Hampson	97.0
Final: Ron Baker, Jack Luke, Ted Bravery, [Phil Watkins, Bill Clibbett]	95.0
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Wednesday, 23rd April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

White City Handicap

Ht 1: Ivor Hill (scr), A S Guthrie (4)	102.4
Ht 2: Ted Bravery (scr), Billy Price* (4)	93.2
Ht 3: Johnny George (6), Champ Upham (1)	102.8
Ht 4: Phil Watkins (5), Eddie Hopkins (1)	102.2
Ht 5: Len Parker (scr), Taffy Williams (1)	100.4
SF1: Ted Bravery (scr), Johnny George (6)	93.4
SF2: Billy Price* (4), Eddie Hopkins (2)	100.2
Final: Johnny George, Billy Price*, Eddie Hopkins, Ted Bravery	101.4

Flying Twelve

Ht 1: Fred Hampson	128.8
Ht 2: Tom Lougher	98.4
Ht 3: Jack Luke	95.2
Ht 4: Ron Baker	90.6
Final: Ron Baker, Jack Luke, [Fred Hampson, Tom Lougher]	90.0

Chairman's Scratch Race (standing start)

Ht 1: Billy Price*, C M Parsons	100.4
Ht 2: Fred Hampson, Eddie Hopkins	99.8
Ht 3: Tom Lougher, Harold Lee	104.8
Ht 4: Ted Bravery, Colin Ford	94.6
Ht 5: Ron Baker, Johnny George	97.6
Final: Ted Bravery, Ron Baker, Tom Lougher	92.4 (record)

*Usually programmed as Pip Price

Also rode: Les Blakebrough

Wednesday, 30th April 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Cardiff 23 London 5 (Challenge) (rolling start)

Cardiff

Bill Clibbett	4	4	8
Ron Baker	1	2	3
Len Parker	4	4	8
Ted Bravery	2	2	4

London

Nobby Key	2	1	3
Nick Carter	0	0	0
Ivor Hill	1	0	1
Del Forster	0	1	1

Ht 1: Clibbett, Key, Baker, Carter	89.8	5	2	5	2
Ht 2: Parker, Bravery, Hill, Forster	93.2	6	1	11	3
Ht 3: Parker, Bravery, Key, Carter	89.8	6	1	17	4
Ht 4: Clibbett, Baker, Forster, Hill	90.6	6	1	23	5

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Ron Baker, R Aplin* (6)	95.6
Ht 2: Ted Bravery (scr), C M Parsons (5)	93.6
Ht 3: Bill Clibbett (scr), Ivor Hill (scr)	94.6
Ht 4: Len Parker (scr), Stan Longney (5), Billy Murphy (nf)	97.8
Ht 5: Yank Davies (3), Nobby Key (scr)	93.8
SF1: Ted Bravery (scr), Yank Davies(3), Ron Baker (scr)	92.2
SF2: R Aplin* (6), Ivor Hill (scr), C M Parsons (5)	103.6
Final: Ted Bravery, Ivor Hill, [Yank Davies (3) R Aplin* (6)]	94.2

*Possibly the same rider as C Aplin who appeared in 1929

Challenge Races (rolling start)

Tom Farndon bt Jack Wade 2-0	
Ht 1: Farndon bt Wade	92.4
Ht 2: Farndon bt Wade	90.8

Match Race (rolling start)Postponed from 16th April

Ht 3: Bill Clibbett bt Ron Baker 90.8

Cardiff City Trophy (holder Bill Clibbett)

Ht 1: Nick Carter, C M Parsons 100.0

Ht 2: Ron Baker, Ted Bravery 91.2

Ht 3: Len Parker, Phil Watkins 98.4

Ht 4: Ivor Hill, Jack Wade 98.4

Ht 5: Nobby Key, C Fowler 98.6

Final: Bill Clibbett, Ivor Hill, [Nick Carter, Ron Baker, Len Parker, Nobby Key] 91.8

Wednesday, 30th April 1930, County Ground, Exeter**Exeter 27 Cardiff 27 (Challenge)****Exeter**

Noel Johnson	1	3	0	4
Happy Kirk	0	2'	3	5 1
Charlie Swift	3	3	3	9
Jack Addison	0	1	0	1
Frank Buckland	0	3	3	6
Reg Beer	1	0	1	2

Cardiff

Jack Luke	3	2	2	7
Fred Hampson	2'	0	0	2 1
Champ Upham	1'	2	1'	4 2
John Wade	2	1'	2	5 1
Taffy Williams	2'	1	2	5 1
Eddie Hopkins	3	0	1'	4 1

Ht 1: Luke, Hampson, Johnson, Kirk	83.1	1	5	1	5
Ht 2: Swift, Wade, Upham, Addison	83.3	3	3	4	8
Ht 3: Hopkins, Williams, Beer (f,mtd), Buckland (f)	93.3	1	5	5	13
Ht 4: Swift, Luke, Anderson, Hampson	84.0	4	2	9	15
Ht 5: Buckland, Upham, Wade, Beer (f)	84.3	3	3	12	18
Ht 6: Johnson, Kirk, Williams, Hopkins	82.3	5	1	17	19
Ht 7: Buckland, Luke, Beer, Hampson	90.6	4	2	21	21
Ht 8: Kirk, Wade, Upham, Johnson (mf)	88.2	3	3	24	24
Ht 9: Swift, Williams, Hopkins, Addison (f)	84.7	3	3	27	27

Saturday, 3rd May 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff**Match Races**

Buster Buckland bt Taffy Williams 2-0

Ht 1: Buckland bt Williams 91.0

Ht 2: Buckland bt Williams 92.4

Flying lap Record Attempts (Record 21.4 by R H Baker)

Ted Bravery (f)

Jack Luke 21.4 (= record)

Tom Lougher 22.6

Buster Buckland 22.4

Len Parker 21.4 (= record)

Billy Clibbett 21.8

Ron Baker 21.0 (new record)

White City Handicap

Ht 1: Jack Wade (2), Nick Carter (scr), [Fred Hampson (scr), Johnny George (scr)]	96.4
Ht 2: A S Guthrie (4), Taffy Williams (1), [Ron Baker (scr), Len Parker (scr)]	97.6
Ht 3: Yank Davies (3), Champ Upham (scr), [Buster Buckland (scr), Bill Clibbett (scr)]	100.0
Ht 4: Ted Bravery (scr), Billy Price* (4), [Ivor Hill (scr), Eddie Hopkins (2)]	96.6
Ht 5: Jack Luke (scr), David Morgan (2), [Tom Lougher (scr), C Fowler (4)]	96.0
Final: Yank Davies (3), Jack Wade (2), A S Guthrie (4), [Ted Bravery (scr), Jack Luke (scr)]	96.2

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All-Star Scratch Race (Rolling Start, 3 riders only in heats)

Ht 1: Tom Lougher, Ivor Hill, Frank Buckland	92.4
Ht 2: Len Parker, Bill Clibbett (ret), Ted Bravery (ret)	93.8
Ht 3: Taffy Williams, Nick Carter, Champ Upham	92.8
Ht 4: Jack Luke, Ron Baker, Fred Hampson	101.8
Final: Tom Lougher, Taffy Williams, [Len Parker, Jack Luke]	93.4

Wednesday, 7th May 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff Cardiff 42 Crystal Palace 11 (Challenge)

Cardiff

Ron Baker	3 3 3	9
Tom Lougher	0 2' 2'	4 2
Ted Bravery	3 3 3	9
Fred Hampson	2' 1 2'	5 2
Bill Clibbett	3 3 3	9
Jack Luke	2' 2' 2'	6 3

Crystal Palace

Jack Barrett	1' 2 0	3 1
Walther Ryle	2 0 1	3
Brian Donkin	0 1 0	1
Allen Reeve	0 0 1	1
Kai Andersen	1 0 1	2
Will Nicholls	0 1 0	1

Ht 1: Baker, Ryle, Barrett, Lougher	88.8	3	3	3	3
Ht 2: Bravery, Hampson, Donkin (nf), Reeve (nf)	91.6	5	0	8	3
Ht 3: Clibbett, Luke, Anderson, Nicholls	93.3	5	1	13	4
Ht 4: Bravery, Barrett, Hampson, Ryle	93.0	4	2	17	6
Ht 5: Clibbett, Luke, Donkin, Reeve	92.6	5	1	22	7
Ht 6: Baker, Lougher, Nicholls, Andersen	93.4	5	1	27	8
Ht 7: Clibbett, Luke, Ryle, Barrett	90.6	5	1	32	9
Ht 8: Baker, Lougher, Reeve, Donkin	93.8	5	1	37	10
Ht 9: Bravery, Hampson, Anderson, Nicholls	91.2	5	1	42	11

Match Races (rolling start)

Yank Davies bt A S Guthrie	95.0
Jack Barrett bt Len Parker	91.8
Taffy Williams bt Champ Upham	94.4

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: A S Guthrie (4), Tom Lougher (scr)	100.0
Ht 2: Ron Baker (scr), Glyn John (4)	93.2
Ht 3: C Fowler (4), Bill Clibbett (scr)	102.2
Ht 4: Ted Bravery (scr), Taffy Williams (1)	95.0
Ht 5: Jack Wade (2), Walther Ryle (4)	97.0
SF1: Ted Bravery (scr), Jack Wade (2)	94.0
SF2: Walther Ryle (4), Taffy Williams (1)	98.2
Final: Walther Ryle (4), Jack Wade (2)	94.4

Wednesday, 14th May 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff
Cardiff 25 Preston 24 (Challenge) (rolling starts)

Cardiff

Ron Baker	2 3 2	7
Tom Lougher	0 1'	1 1
Ted Bravery	1 1' 3	5 1
Fred Hampson	0 2	2
Bill Clibbett	2' 0 3	5 1
Jack Luke	3 2 0	5

Preston

Joe Abbott	3 3 2	8
Jack Chiswell	0 0 0	0
Ham Burrill	3 3 3	9
Frank Smith	2' 0 0	2 1
George Reynard	1 2 2	5
Fred Williams	0	0

Ht 1: Abbott, Baker, Lougher (nf), Chiswell (nf)	88.6	2	3	2	3
Ht 2: Burrill, Smith, Bravery, Hampson	91.4	1	5	3	8
Ht 3: Luke, Clibbett, Reynard, Williams	90.6	5	1	8	9
Ht 4: Abbott, Hampson, Bravery, Chiswell	89.4	3	3	11	12
Ht 5: Burrill, Luke, Clibbett (nf), Smith (nf)	88.8	2	3	13	15
Ht 6: Baker, Reynard, Lougher (ns), Williams (ns)	88.6	3	2	16	17
Ht 7: Clibbett, Abbott, Luke (nf), Chiswell (nf)	88.6	3	2	19	19
Ht 8: Burrill, Baker, Lougher, Smith	88.0	3	3	22	22
Ht 9: Bravery, Reynard, Hampson (ns), Williams (ns)	91.2	3	2	25	24

Match Races (rolling start)

Champ Upham bt Tom Lougher	92.2
Ivor Hill bt Jack Wade	90.4

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Ivor Hill (scr), Ted Bravery (scr), [Joe Abbott, Jack Wade, David Morgan]	93.6
Ht 2: Phil Watkins (4), Jack Luke (scr), [Ham Burrill, Fred Williams, Eddie Hopkins]	101.0
Ht 3: A S Guthrie (4), Champ Upham (1), [Frank Smith, Ron Baker, C Fowler]	96.6
Ht 4: Bill Clibbett (scr), Yank Davies (3), [George Reynard, Tom Lougher, Billy Price*]	95.2
Ht 5: Glyn John (4), Taffy Williams (1), [Jack Chiswell, Fred Hampson, Harold Lee]	100.6
SF1: A S Guthrie (4) & Bill Clibbett (scr) dead-heat	99.6
SF2: Yank Davies (3), Jack Luke (scr)	97.6
Final: A S Guthrie (4), Jack Luke (scr), Bill Clibbett (scr)	97.4

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Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Bill Clibbett (scr), Tom Lougher (1)	99.6
Ht 2: Ivor Hill (scr), Pip Price (4)	100.8
Ht 3: Jack Wade (2), Joe Abbott (scr)	95.6
Ht 4: A S Guthrie (3), George Reynard (scr)	100.4
Ht 5: R Aplin* (4), Fred Hampson (scr)	104.0
SF1: Jack Wade (2), Clibbett (scr)	98.0
SF2: Joe Abbott (scr), Tom Lougher (1)	95.4
Final: Joe Abbott (scr), Jack Wade (2), [Bill Clibbett (scr), Tom Lougher (1)]	94.8

*Possibly the same rider as C Aplin who appeared in 1929

Match Races (rolling start)	
Fred Hampson bt George Reynard	91.4
Joe Abbott bt Bill Clibbett	89.6
Yank Davies beat A S Guthrie	97.0

Flying Twelve (lling start)	
Ht 1: Ron Baker	88.4
Ht 2: Joe Abbott	92.4
Ht 3: Jack Luke	94.2
Ht 4: Len Parker	93.0
Final: Joe Abbott, Ron Baker, [Jack Luke, Len Parker]	88.8

Western Mail Trophy	
Ht 1: Ron Baker, Taffy Williams	94.2
Ht 2: Harold Lee, Ivor Hill	108.0
Ht 3: Joe Abbott, Champ Upham	97.2
Ht 4: Len Parker, Tom Lougher	96.4
Ht 5: Jack Wade, Jack Luke	96.4
Final: Len Parker, Joe Abbott, Harold Lee, [Ron Baker, Jack Wade]	93.4

One Lap Flying Start Track Record Attempt

Ron Baker (unsuccessful)

Also rode: Jack Lund

Wednesday, 28th May 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Golden Sash (Handicap)	
Ht 1: Ted Bravery (scr), Johnny George (4)	93.2
Ht 2: E A Dunlop (5), Jack Luke (scr)	103.0
Ht 3: Pip Price (4), Phil Watkins (4)	98.8
Ht 4: Triss Sharp (scr), Stan Longney (5)	95.2
Ht 5: G S Haggett (5), Jack Wade (2)	100.2
SF1: Pip Price (4), Triss Sharp (scr)	97.8
SF2: Yank Davies (3), Jack Luke (scr)	99.0
Final: Jack Luke (scr), Triss Sharp (scr), Yank Davies (3), Pip Price (4)	95.0

Big Six	
Ht 1: Jack Luke bt Stewie St George	94.0
Ht 2: Triss Sharp bt Ron Baker	90.4
Ht 3: Ted Bravery bt Champ Upham	91.4
Final: Bravery, Sharp, Luke	90.0

Cardiff City Trophy	
Ht 1: Jack Luke, Tom Lougher	98.0
Ht 2: Champ Upham, Pip Price	104.4
Ht 3: Stewie St George, Nick Carter	97.8
Ht 4: Ron Baker, Yank Davies	98.0
Ht 5: Triss Sharp, Eddie Hopkins	98.0
Final: Ron Baker, Jack Luke, Triss Sharp	92.4

Wednesday, 4th June 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: E A Dunlop (5), Bill Clibbett (scr)	99.8
Ht 2: Yank Davies (3), Glyn John (4)	98.6
Ht 3: Ron Johnson (scr), Len Parker (scr)	95.4
Ht 4: Jack Wade (2), Pip Price (4)	93.8
Ht 5: Elwyn Phillips (6), Jack Luke (scr)	101.0
SF1: Elwyn Phillips (6), Yank Davies (3)	100.4
SF2: Pip Price (4), Glyn John (4)	95.8
Final: Pip Price (4), Yank Davies (3), [Elwyn Phillips (6), Glyn John (4)]	99.2

Match Races (rolling start)

Ron Johnson bt Jack Luke	91.8
Buster Frogley bt Jack Wade	92.0

Big Six

Ht 1: Declared void	
Ht 2: Buster Frogley	92.0
Ht 3: Jack Luke	91.4
Final: Buster Frogley, Jack Luke	89.8

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Buster Frogley, Jack Luke	96.4
Ht 2: A S Guthrie, Nick Carter	97.0
Ht 3: Taffy Williams, Yank Davies	97.4
Ht 4: Jack Wade, Eddie Hopkins	98.0
Final: Buster Frogley, Jack Wade, [A S Guthrie, Taffy Williams]]	95.4

Monday, 9th June 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Eric Spencer (scr), Ted Bravery (scr)	98.2
Ht 2: Clem Beckett (scr), Jack Luke (scr)	97.8
Ht 3: E A Dunlop (5), Ron Baker (scr)	101.2
Ht 4: Taffy Williams (1), Jack Wade (scr)	102.2
Ht 5: Nick Carter (scr), David Morgan (4)	100.8
SF1: E A Dunlop (5), Taffy Williams (1)	100.0
SF2: Ron Baker (scr), David Morgan (4)	95.6
Final: Ron Baker (scr), David Morgan (4), [E A Dunlop (5), Taffy Williams (1)]	98.2

Flying 12

Ht 1: Jack Luke	91.4
Ht 2: Ted Bravery	91.0
Ht 3: Clem Beckett	91.8
Ht 4: Ron Baker	91.4
Final: Jack Luke, Ron Baker, [Ted Bravery, Clem Beckett]	88.8

Match Race

Ron Baker bt Ted Bravery	93.0
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Cardiff City Trophy

Ht 1: Taffy Williams, Ron Baker	98.8
Ht 2: Nick Carter, Jack Wade	98.0
Ht 3: Eric Spencer, A S Guthrie	98.0
Ht 4: Ted Bravery, Johnny George	94.8
Ht 5: Ivor Hill, Yank Davies	97.0
Final: Eric Spencer, Ivor Hill, Nick Carter, [Taffy Williams, Ted Bravery]	98.8

Wednesday, 11th June 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Rolling Start Four-Lap Record Attempts

(Record 86.6 by Vic Huxley)

Joe Abbott	84.6 (new record)
Ron Baker	84.9

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: E A Dunlop (rec 5 secs), Nick Carter (scr)	102.0
Ht 2: Ivor Hill (scr), Joe Abbott (scr)	94.6
Ht 3: Pip Price (3), Ted Bravery (scr)	99.2
Ht 4: Champ Upham (scr), G S Haggett (5)	95.8
Ht 5: Ron Baker (scr), Yank Davies (3)	95.8
SF1: Pip Price (3), E A Dunlop (5)	99.2
SF2: Joe Abbott (scr), Yank Davies (3)	96.8
Final: Joe Abbott (scr), Yank Davies (3), [Pip Price (3), E A Dunlop (5)]	95.2

Big Six (rolling start)

Ht 1: Len Parker	95.6
Ht 2: Joe Abbott	89.0
Ht 3: Jack Luke	90.0
Final: Joe Abbott, [Len Parker, Jack Luke]	88.8

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Taffy Williams, Johnny George	97.4
Ht 2: Tom Lougher, Bill Murphy	98.2
Ht 3: Ted Bravery, Yank Davies	96.8
Ht 4: Joe Abbott, A S Guthrie	94.8
Final: Taffy Williams, Tom Lougher, Ted Bravery (ret), Joe Abbott (ret)	97.2

Match Race

Pip Price bt Yank Davies (f)

Wednesday, 18th June 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff Cardiff 9 Preston 15 (Challenge)

Cardiff

Ted Bravery	2	2	4		
Ron Baker	0	1'	1	1	
Jack Luke	3	0	3		
Jack Wade	0	1	1		

Preston

Joe Abbott	3	3	6		
Jack Tye	1	2'	3	1	
Ham Burrill	2	3	5		
George Reynard	1'	0	1	1	

Ht 1: Abbott, Bravery, Tye, Baker	89.2	2	4	2	4
Ht 2: Luke, Burrill, Reynard, Wade	90.0	3	3	5	7
Ht 3: Abbott, Tye, Wade, Luke	91.0	1	5	6	12
Ht 4: Burrill, Bravery, Baker, Reynard	94.8	3	3	9	15

Heats 1 to 3 rolling starts, heat 4 standing start

Standing Start Four-Lap Record Attempt

(Record 90.0 by Ron Baker)

Joe Abbott

89.0 (new record)

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Joe Abbott (scr)	91.4
Ht 2: Ham Burrill (scr)	99.6
Ht 3: Jack Wade (scr)	96.2
Ht 4: Harold Lee (5)	102.6
Ht 5: Jack Luke (scr)	91.8
SF1: Joe Abbott (scr), Jack Luke (scr)	100.0
SF2: Phil Watkins (4), Tom Lougher (1)	101.8
Final: Jack Luke (scr), Joe Abbott (scr), [Phil Watkins (4), Tom Lougher (1)]	92.2

Cardiff City Trophy

Ht 1: Jack Luke	99.4
Ht 2: Joe Abbott	95.0
Ht 3: Johnny George	104.4
Ht 4: Pip Price	100.8
Ht 5: Fred Hampson	98.6
Final: Joe Abbott, Johnny George, [Jack Luke, Pip Price, Fred Hampson]	94.2

Saturday, 21st June 1930, Wessex Stadium, Copnor, Portsmouth**Portsmouth 20 Cardiff 33 (Challenge)****Portsmouth**

Jack Douglas	3	3
Eddie Hunt	1 1	2
Art Warren	1 3 3	7
Steve Langton	1 1	2
Phil Hart	3 1	4
Les Cousins	2	2
(reserve)		0

Cardiff

Champ Upham	2 3 2	7
John Wade	1	1
Ted Bravery	3 2' 3	8 1
Jack Luke	2' 3 2'	7 2
Fred Hampson	2 2 3	7
Tom Lougher	1' 2'	3 2

Ht 1: Douglas, Upham	95.6	3	2	3	2
Ht 2: Bravery, Luke, Warren	93.0	1	5	4	7
Ht 3: Hart, Hampson, Lougher	91.6	3	3	7	10
Ht 4: Luke, Bravery, Hunt	95.1	1	5	8	15
Ht 5: Warren, Hampson, Langton	90.2	4	2	12	17
Ht 6: Upham, Cousins, Wade	91.4	2	4	14	21
Ht 7: Hampson, Lougher, Hunt	92.0	1	5	15	26
Ht 8: Warren, Upham, Langton	91.0	4	2	19	28
Ht 9: Bravery, Luke, Hart	89.2	1	5	20	33

Wednesday, 25th June 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff**Cardiff 10 Wembley 13 (Challenge)** (rolling starts)**Cardiff**

Len Parker	3	3	6	
Tom Lougher	2'	0	2	1
Fred Hampson	0	2	2	
	0	0	0	

Wembley

Art Warren	1	3	4	
Wally Kilminster	0	1	1	
Jack Jackson	3	1'	4	1
Norman Evans	2'	2	4	1

Ht 1: Parker, Lougher, Warren, Kilminster	90.0	5	1	5	1
Ht 2: Jackson, Evans, Hampson (ret)	93.4	0	5	5	6
Ht 3: Warren, Hampson, Kilminster	97.6	2	4	7	10
Ht 4: Parker, Evans, Jackson, Lougher	91.0	3	3	10	13

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: Glyn John (4), Fred Hampson (scr)	103.0
Ht 2: Jack Luke (scr), Norman Evans (scr)	96.4
Ht 3: M Elliott (scr), G S Haggett (5)	99.2
Ht 4: Harold Lee (4), Eddie Hopkins (2)	102.0
Ht 5: Billy Price* (3), Elwyn Phillips (5)	99.6
SF1: Billy Price* (3), Glyn John (4)	96.2
SF2: Norman Evans (scr), Elwyn Phillips (5)	97.2
Final: Norman Evans (scr), Billy Price* (3), Elwyn Phillips (5), Glyn John (4)	95.4

*Thought to be the same rider as Pip Price

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Champ Upham, Tom Lougher	96.4
Ht 2: Norman Evans, Eddie Hopkins	96.4
Ht 3: Len Parker, Wally Kilmister	97.4
Ht 4: M Elliott, Fred Hampson	96.0
Ht 5: Ted Bravery, A S Guthrie	97.4
Final: Len Parker, Champ Upham, [Norman Evans, M Elliott, Ted Bravery]	94.0

Match Race (rolling start)

Ivor Hill bt Fred Hampson	90.8
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Wednesday, 2nd July 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff**Cardiff 28 Portsmouth 26 (Challenge)** (rolling starts)**Cardiff**

Jack Luke
 Jack Wade
 Ted Bravery
 Fred Hampson
 Champ Upham
 Tom Lougher

Portsmouth

Bill Clibbett
 Steve Langton
 Tiger Hart
 Cliff Ewens

Ht 1: Clibbett, Luke, Langton	87.8
Ht 2: Hart, Bravery, Hampson	92.2
Ht 3: Upham, Hart, Lougher	91.0
Ht 4: Clibbett, Langton	90.0
Ht 5: Lougher, Upham	94.2
Ht 6: Hart, Wade	95.0
Ht 7: Clibbett, Lougher, Langton	90.4
Ht 8: Luke, Wade, Ewens	92.0
Ht 9: Bravery, Hart, Hampson	92.4

Flying Six

Ht 1: Len Parker	91.8
Ht 2: M Elliott	93.2
Ht 3: Pip Price	100.0
Final: Len Parker, M Elliott, Pip Price	95.2

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Pip Price, Bill Clibbett	97.6
Ht 2: Gordon Spalding, Ron Baker	104.0
Ht 3: Tiger Hart, Ted Bravery	97.4
Ht 4: Len Parker, M Elliott	96.6
Ht 5: Champ Upham, Eddie Hopkins	96.0
SF1: Champ Upham, Gordon Spalding	95.0
SF2: Ted Bravery, M Elliott	97.0
Final: Ted Bravery, Gordon Spalding, M Elliott, Champ Upham	95.2

Miss **Winnie** Pursey from Cardiff gave a demonstration of dirt track riding.

Wednesday, 9th July 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Challenge Races

Ht 1: Eddie Hopkins bt Johnny George	93.0
Ht 2: Eddie Hopkins bt Johnny George	94.0

Golden Gauntlet (Handicap)

Ht 1: A S Guthrie, Joe Abbott	97.4
Ht 2: Harold Lee, C Fowler	101.0
Ht 3: Tom Lougher, Champ Upham	103.8
Ht 4: Bill Murphy, Glyn John	102.0
Ht 5: Johnny George, Ted Bravery	103.4
SF1: Harold Lee, Bill Murphy	100.2
SF2: Glyn John, C Fowler	101.2
Final: C Fowler, Harold Lee, Bill Murphy, Glyn John	99.8

Flying Nine

Ht 1: Joe Abbott	89.2
Ht 2: Allen Kilfoyle	93.4
Ht 3: Ted Bravery	92.0
Final: Joe Abbott, Allen Kilfoyle, Ted Bravery	90.0

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Les Maguire, Jack Luke	97.4
Ht 2: Jack Wade, A S Guthrie	100.0
Ht 3: Joe Abbott, Eddie Hopkins	98.2
Ht 4: Ted Bravery, Bill Murphy	96.0
Ht 5: E A Dunlop, Pip Price	100.0
Final: Joe Abbott, Ted Bravery, Les Maguire, [Jack Wade, E A Dunlop]	94.0

Wednesday, 16th July 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Golden Sash (Handicap)

Ht 1: Jack Luke (scr), Gordon Spalding (scr)	101.4
Ht 2: Roger Frogley (scr), E A Dunlop (6)	99.6
Ht 3: M Elliott (1), Tom Lougher (2)	99.4
Ht 4: Elwyn Phillips (6), Fred Hampson (2)	105.8
Ht 5: C Fowler (4), Johnny George (6)	102.8
SF1: Roger Frogley (scr), M Elliott (1)	95.0
SF2: Johnny George (6), E A Dunlop (6)	100.6
Final: Roger Frogley (scr), Johnny George (6), [M Elliott (1), E A Dunlop (4)]	92.2

Flying Nine

Ht 1: Wally Lloyd	88.0
Ht 2: Roger Frogley	91.2
Ht 3: Triss Sharp	92.0
Final: Roger Frogley, Wally Lloyd, Triss Sharp	89.2

Cardiff City Trophy

Ht 1: Johnny George, Glyn John	101.2
Ht 2: Roger Frogley, Yank Davies	97.0
Ht 3: Eddie Hopkins	101.0
Ht 4: Gordon Spalding, Taffy Williams	99.0
Ht 5: M Elliott, Fred Hampson	98.0
Final: Roger Frogley, Johnny George, [Jack Luke, Pip Price, Fred Hampson]	94.2

Match Race

Tom Lougher bt Jack Wade	96.2
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Wednesday, 23rd July 1930, White City Stadium, Cardiff

Middlesbrough Handicap

Ht 1: Harold Lee (5), M Elliott (scr)	99.0
Ht 2: Fred Hampson (2), Eddie Hopkins (3)	96.8
Ht 3: C Fowler (4), Ted Bravery (scr)	100.2
Ht 4: Pip Price (4), Jack Luke (scr)	99.6
Ht 5: Tom Lougher (6), Elwyn Phillips (6)	99.8
SF1: Buster Frogley (scr), Harold Lee (5)	99.8
SF2: Ted Bravery (scr), M Elliott (scr)	96.4
Final: M Elliott (scr), Harold Lee (5), Ted Bravery (scr), Buster Frogley (scr)	95.2

Western Mail Trophy

Ht 1: Tom Lougher, Jack Luke	99.8
Ht 2: Pip Price, Gordon Spalding	97.8
Ht 3: Ted Bravery, A S Guthrie	97.6
Ht 4: C Fowler, Johnny George	103.6
Ht 5: M Elliott, Fred Hampson	90.0
Final: Ted Bravery, M Elliott, Pip Price, [Tom Lougher, C Fowler]	95.8

Four Mile Relay Race

Winning team: Jack Wade, Fred Hampson, M Elliott and Jack Luke	413.4
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On 28th July it was announced that a meeting of the creditors of Welsh Speedway Limited would take place on 7th August 1930. Voluntary winding up of the company was subsequently announced on 20th August.

ROUND AND ABOUT THE SPEEDWAYS

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appearance "on the dirt," but according to accounts she has learned the art of broadsiding by riding on a ploughed field. She sits her machine well, shows good command, and although as yet she does not take the corners at speed, that will come with a little more experience. At any rate, she made a promising—and incidentally—a winning debut, and the crowd did not forget to give her encouragement.

The match race between Noel Johnson (Exeter) and Geoff Taylor (Halifax) produced a thrilling first round. Taylor riding a well tuned Scott, raced away at the start with Johnson putting up a stern chase. Just before entering the final run-in, Taylor was showing the way by a couple of lengths. Then Johnson made his effort and timing his final burst passed his opponent a few yards from the finishing line and won amidst great excitement. In the second round Taylor made the race a cracker, and when he appeared to have the issue in safe keeping, his chain broke in the third lap and Johnson came home by himself to win the round and also the match. By a strange coincidence Johnson broke his chain just after passing the winning post.

The Scratch Race for the Silver Star was robbed of much of its interest. All expected a grim duel between Jack Bishop and Harold Stevens, but the former's Douglas packed up and Stevens won well from Buckland. The latter, however, made a real "do" of it. Unquestionably he is the most improved rider on the track.

The Exeter Handicap was won by "Baby Cyclone" Bert Spencer, who was followed home by F. Buckland. During the evening a special electrical starting device, introduced by Mr. Glanfield, was used and proved a success.

LEA BRIDGE, OCTOBER 2nd.

Tommy Croombs Makes a Double.

The feature of the meeting was the return match between Jack Ormston and Max Grosskreutz. Jack had won at Wembley and proceeded to do the same thing again by beating Max in two heats, the first in the fast time of 93.2 secs (38.63 m.p.h.) and the second in 95.2 secs.

Another Wembley—Lea Bridge Match was that between the two captains, Buster Frogley and Jimmy Stevens. This time the tables were turned and Jimmy beat Buster in two heats in 94.6 secs. and 96.6 secs.

Max Grosskreutz was unable to concede 5 secs. to H. Mathew in the first heat of the Handicap and had to be content with second place. A similar thing happened in the second heat, Alec Slow beating Stiffy Aston and Buster Frogley. In heat 3, however, Tommy Croombs, on scratch, sailed completely through the field, beating Cook and Foulds without much trouble. The final was one of the best races seen for a long time, Tommy Croombs repeated the first heat performance in passing the whole field. This time, however, it was not so easy, and he won by a wheel from Slow and Cook, breaking the standing start record in 97.2 secs. (37.04 m.p.h.). Another splendid effort was the final of the Essex Scratch race when Tommy Croombs beat Buster Frogley and Stew Fairbairn in 94.6 secs, two lengths covering all three riders.

**COVENTRY (BRANDON),
OCTOBER 3rd.**

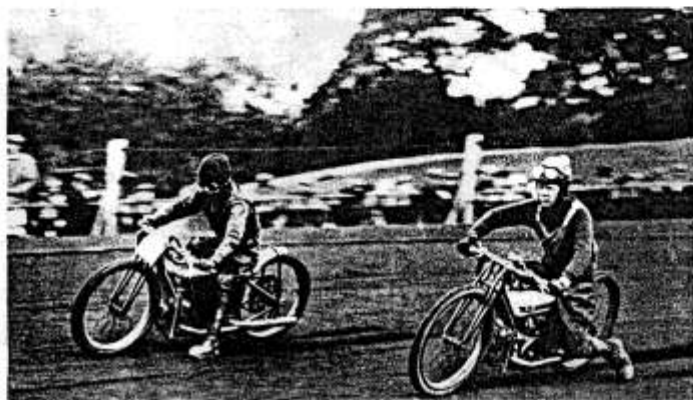
With the track showing much improvement after the rain better times were returned in some keenly contested races. The chief event was the meeting of Jack Parker (Coventry) and Colin Watson (White City, London) in the first stage of the semi-final for the "Star" trophy.

Parker, back in his old form, rode splendidly to win in two straight runs, his time being 76 4/5th secs and 75 3/5th secs., and that of Watson 77 4/5th secs and 76 secs. Tom Farndon (Coventry) and Tommy Croombs (Lea Bridge) put up a splendidly contested special match race, Farndon winning in two straight runs thanks to a very fine piece of acceleration on the last bend in the second round, which enabled him to beat his man on the post after a



Colin Watson (12) and Jack Parker before the start of their match in the semi-final of the "Star" Home Riders' Trophy contest at the White City, London. Jack won by two heats to nil.

thrilling finish. The times were: Farndon 78 1/5th secs and 78 2/5th secs.; Croombs 78 4/5th secs. and 78 3/5th secs., figures which clearly indicate the character of the race. Farndon also won the final of the competition for the Golden Helmet in 78 2/5th secs., J. Deeley being the runner-up; altogether a very nice evening's work for this promising young rider. Coventry's younger aspirants also gave a good account of themselves in an inter-city match with Sheffield, the home team winning by 19 points to nine. Other results were:—Open handicap: 1. J. Deeley (Coventry) 3 secs.;



Jack Parker met Triss Sharp in a three-round match at the Crystal Palace, last Saturday, and beat him in two runs. Rounding the bend for the rolling start.

2. T. Croombs (Lea Bridge) 1 sec.; 3. J. Barber (Sheffield) 3 secs. Time 84 secs. Scratch race: 1. Colin Watson (White City, London); 2. T. Croombs; 3. A. Tims (Coventry). Time: 78 4/5th secs.

**CARDIFF (WHITE CITY),
OCTOBER 4th.**

Charity Meeting.

The special meeting in aid of the Cardiff Royal Infirmary was a huge success, and the racing provided thrills and amusement. The most popular event was the best of three match races between F. Jones and C. Coslett. These riders have the reputation of never completing the four laps without falling off, and their efforts to break the spell were received with gusto. Coslett won the decider in 1 min. 59 secs. The five match races produced excellent riding, and thrills. J. Luke beat L. Parker in 1 min. 35 3/5th secs., G. Gregor disposed of N. Carter in 1 min. 37 secs. W. Hopkins defeated Y. Davies in 1 min. 43 3/5th secs., J. George was successful against S. Longney in 3 mins., and C. F. Upham beat F. Hampson in 1 min. 48 3/5th secs. Six interesting heats were witnessed in the R.O.P. Scratch race, the final being between Baker, Bravery, Gregor, Hampson, Parker and Lougher, final honours going to Parker. The final of the Hospital Handicap Race resulted in numerous thrills. Price and Gregor collided on their first lap, and Upham also came to grief in the same circuit. The event was taken by D. T. Morgan in 1 min. 40 secs. The novelty side of the card was received amid great laughter. The first was a race on donkeys in which the riders wore their complete kit. W. Hopkins just managed to beat J. George in 2 mins. 23 secs. The riders had some difficulty in broadsiding. The novelty dressing race saw F. Hampson score against R. Baker in 2 mins. 9 secs. The prizes, which were presented by Sir William Diamond, K.B.E., on behalf of the Cardiff Royal Infirmary, were given by Messrs. The Auto, R.O.P. Ltd., Auto Services (Cardiff) Ltd., William Hancock & Co., William Frank, J. Parsons & Co., Mrs. J. Parsons and Mr. A. B. Wade.

CRYSTAL PALACE, OCTOBER 5th.

Jack Barrett Breaks Track Record.

Last season, Jack Barrett was quite an ordinary young man, but he has improved so much this season that it was decided to let him try his hand at the standing start records. Although he did not succeed in breaking the lap record, he knocked one-fifth of a second off the mile—the new