

## BRISTOL 1930

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#### Tuesday 29 April 1930

##### **Open Handicap:**

1. Bill Clibbett

SF1: Ted Bravery, Len Parker, 97.8

SF2: Bill Clibbett, L. (Turnip) Owen, 99.2

Final: Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, L. (Turnip) Owen, Len Parker (fell), 95.6

##### **Bristol Scratch Race:**

SF1: Felix Dallimore, L. (Turnip) Owen, 100.2

SF2: Len Parker, George Greenwood, 92.6

Final: Len Parker, George Greenwood, L. (Turnip) Owen, 91.2

##### **Big 8:**

1. Jack Douglas, Charlie Barrett (fell), 95.4

2. Buster Frogley, Mark Sheldon, Ted Bravery (fell), 93.8

Final: Jack Douglas, Mark Sheldon, 99.0

Also Rode: Felix Dallimore

## **Tuesday 6 May 1930**

### **Big 8:**

1. Gus Kuhn, Jack Douglas, Len Parker, Colin Ford, 92.6

2. Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, Les Blakebrough, Nick Nichol (ef), 93.0

Final: Ted Bravery, Bill Clibbett, Gus Kuhn, Jack Douglas (fell), 92.4

### **Stamford Handicap:**

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, 97.4

SF2: W. Spencer, Gus Kuhn, 94.2

Final: W. Spencer, Gus Kuhn, Bill Clibbett, 95.0

### **Stamford Scratch:**

SF1. Gus Kuhn, Elliott, 92.4

SF2. Ted Bravery, W. Spencer, 92.6

Final: Ted Bravery, Gus Kuhn 96.6

## **Tuesday 13 May 1930**

Meeting postponed due to rain.

**Tuesday 20 May 1930**

**Porstmouth Handicap:**

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Ern Edwards 95.0

SF2: Len Parker, Bill Hamblin, 100.4

Final: Len Parker, Bill Clibbett, Ern Edwards, 96.2

**Golden Gauntlet:**

SF1: Felix Dallimore, Reg Clarke, 102.4

SF2: Bill Clibbett, W. Spencer, 94.2

Final: Bill Clibbett, W. Spencer, Felix Dallimore, 97.8

**Big Eight:**

1. Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, (Phil Hart), 95.0

2. Jack Douglas, Reg Clarke, Len Parker, Steve Langton, 102.0

Final: Jack Douglas, Ted Bravery, Reg Clarke, Bill Clibbett (fell), 99.4

**Tuesday 27 May 1930**

Attendance: 5,000

**Bristol Handicap:**

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2. Vic Huxley, 94.0

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SF1: Vic Huxley, Jim Douglas, 93.6

SF2: Len Parker, Jack Luke, 97.0

Final: Jim Douglas, Jack Luke, Vic Huxley, 94.0

**Bristol Scratch:**

SF1: W. Spencer, Bill Clibbett, 93.4

SF2: Ted Bravery, Ivor Hill, 94.8

Final: Bill Clibbett, Ivor Hill, W. Spencer, 90.6

**Big Sixteen:**

1. Felix Dallimore 94.8
2. Bill Latchem 97.2
3. Vic Huxley, Ben 'Cigarette' Player 96.0
4. Lightning Luke 97.8

Final: Vic Huxley, Felix Dallimore, Jack Luke, 96.0

Also Rode:

Champ Upham, Fred Hampson

## Tuesday 3 June 1930

### **Track Record Attempts:**

1. Gordon Spalding (unsuccessful)
2. Gordon Spalding (unsuccessful)
3. Gordon Spalding (unsuccessful)

### **Birmingham Handicap:**

Ht 1: Len Parker

Ht: Bill Clibbett

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Len Parker, (J.K. Lucas fell), 98.0

SF2: Felix Dallimore, Harry Taft, 93.0

Final: Bill Clibbett, Len Parker, Harry Taft, 95.0

### **Birmingham Scratch:**

SF1: Harry Taft, Felix Dallimore, 94.6

SF2: Cyril Taft, Len Parker, 96.0

Final: Len Parker, Harry Taft, Felix Dallimore, Cyril Taft, 95.2

### **Big Sixteen:**

Final: Bill Clibbett, M. Elliott, Billy Dallison, Len Parker, 93.4

## Tuesday 10 June 1930

### **Bristol Handicap:**

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SF1: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, 98.2

SF2: Bill Latchem, M. Elliott, 98.6

Final: Felix Dallimore, M. Elliott, Bill Latchem, Len Parker (ef), 97.8

### **Bristol Golden Gauntlet:**

SF1: Ted Bravery, M. Elliott, 96.0

SF2: Len Parker, Norman Evans, 95.6

Final: Len Parker, Norman Evans, Bill Clibbett, M. Elliott, 92.2

### **Bristol v Visitors Challenge**

1 Ivor Hill 95.0

2 Jack Douglas 94.6

3 Len Parker 93.8

4 Ginger Lees

Final: Len Parker, Ginger Lees, Jack Douglas, 93.4

### **Rolling Start Track Record Attempts:**

Bill Clibbett and Ivor Hill both unsuccessful.

Also Rode: Jack Luke, Tom Lougher, Arthur Warren

## Tuesday 17 June 1930

### **Preston Handicap:**

SF1: Bill Hamblin, H. Bamford, 99.0

SF2: Jack Douglas, Felix Dallimore, 98.0

Final: Bill Hamblin, Felix Dallimore, Jack Douglas, 97.6

### **Preston Scratch:**

SF1: Joe Abbott, Vic King, 94.8

SF2: Len Parker, M. Elliott, 93.0

Final: Len Parker, Joe Abbott, Vic King, 93.4

### **Bristol v Preston Scratch:**

1. Len Parker, Ham Burrill, 91.6

2. Joe Abbott, Ted Bravery, 97.4

Final: Len Parker, Joe Abbott, Ted Bravery, 91.4

### **Reserves Race**

[Harry Bamford, Max Borisoff \(USA\)](#)

Also Rode: Jack Tye, George Reynard

**Tuesday 24 June 1930**

Bristol 42 Exeter 10 (Challenge)

**BRISTOL**

Ted Bravery	2' 3 3	8 1
Bill Clibbett	3 2' 2'	7 2
Len Parker	3 3 3	9
Bill Hamblin	2' 2'	4 2
"Felix" Dallimore	3 3 3	9
Jim Douglas	2' 2'	4 2

**EXETER**

Noel Johnson  
 Charlie Swift  
 Jack Addison  
 Fred Hawken  
 Frank Jarman,  
 Reg Beer

1 B Clibbett, T Bravery	89.6		
2 L Parker, B Hamblin	92.8		
3 F Dallimore, J Douglas	96.2		
4 L Parker, F Jarman	92.2		
5 T Bravery, B Clibbett	93.2		
6 F Dallimore, J Douglas	96.4		
7 L Parker, B Hamblin	92.2		
8 T Bravery, B ClibbettJohnson, Swift	95.0	5	1
9 F Dallimore, F Jarman Beer (f)	96.0		

**Exeter Handicap:**

SF1: Ted Bravery, W. Spencer, 99.6  
 SF2: Bill Clibbett, Bill Latchem, 100.6  
 Final: W. Spencer, Bill Latchem 97.0  
 Also Rode: Harry Bamford, Ben 'Cigarette' Player

**Exeter Scratch:**

1.  
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 4. Jimmy Haines, Reg Beer  
 SF1: W. Spencer, Frank Jarman, 98.0 SF2: Len Parker, M. Elliott, 95.4  
 Final: Len Parker, W. Spencer, Frank Jarman, 96.0

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 1930 County Ground, Exeter**

Exeter 40 Bristol 13 (Challenge)

**Match Race**

Miss Dorothy Bunt bt Miss Sunny Somerset 99.5

**Handicap**

Final Noel Johnson (0), Fred Hawken



## Tuesday 1 July 1930

### **Flying 8:**

1. Ted Bravery, 93.8
  2. Billy Lamont beat Bill Clibbett, 86.8
  3. Jack Douglas beat Ray Tauser, 91.8
  4. Len Parker beat Dick Case, 87.4
- SF1: Ted Bravery beat Billy Lamont (fell), No Time
- SF2: Len Parker beat Jack Douglas, 88.0
- Final: Len Parker beat Ted Bravery, 88.6

### **Golden Gauntlet:**

- SF1: W. Spencer, Ted Bravery, 98.2
- SF2: Bill Clibbett, Ern Edwards, 95.6
- Final: Len Parker, Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, W. Spencer, 91.8

### **Bristol Handicap:**

- SF1: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, 92.8
- SF2: Jimmy Haines, Tommy Webb, 95.0
- Final: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, Jimmy Haines, Tommy Webb, 93.0
- Also Rode: Gordon Spalding

**Tuesday 8 July 1930**

**Golden Helmet:**

SF1: Felix Dallimore, Bill Clibbett, 97.4

SF2: Ern Edwards, Nev Wheeler, Len Parker (ret), 101.0

Final: Felix Dalimore, Ern Edwards, Nev Wheeler, 96.6

**Big 12:**

1. Felix Dallimore, Alec Bowerman, 98.0

2. Len Parker, 93.4

3. Bill Clibbett, 96.6

Final: Len Parker, Nev Wheeler, Felix Dallimore, 95.0

**Bristol Handicap:**

SF1: L. 'Turnip' Owen, Ern Edwards, Bill Hamblin (fell), 95.4

SF2: Gordon Spalding, Bill Latchem, Bill Clibbett (fell), Arthur Sherlock (fell), 94.8

Final: L. 'Turnip' Owen, Gordon Spalding, Bill Latchem, Ern Edwards, 92.8

Also Rode: Fred Wilkinson

**Tuesday 15 July 1930**

**Wembley Scratch:**

SF: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, 95.0

SF: Colin Watson, Bill Clibbett, 98.2

Final: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, Colin Watson (fell), 93.6

**Big 16:**

1. Len Parker, Colin Watson, 92.0

2. Harry Whitfield, 98.6

3. Jack Douglas, 98.0

4. Gordon Spalding, 99.2

Final: Len Parker, Harry Whitfield, 95.4

**Midsummer Handicap:**

1. Bill Clibbett, Vic King, Colin Watson (fell)

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Ernie Edwards, 93.4

SF2: Len Parker, Vic King, 93.8

Final: Len Parker, Bill Clibbett, Vic King, Ernie Edwards, 93.0

**Tuesday 22 July 1930**

**Reserve Riders Event:**

Final: Vic Worlock

**Golden Gauntlet:**

SF1: Harry Shepherd, W. Spencer, 97.2

SF2: Felix Dallimore, Vic Worlock, 93.0

Final: Len Parker, Harry Shepherd, 93.4

**Big 16:**

1. Len Parker, L. 'Turnip' Owen, Triss Sharp 94.0

2. Bill Clibbett, Joe Francis (fell), Bill Latchem (fell), 93.0

3. Jack Douglas, 94.2

4. Harry Shepherd, 97.0

Final: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, Bill Clibbett (fell), 92.0

**Handicap Event:**

SF1: Cliff Bamford, Ern Edwards, Triss Sharp, 94.0

SF2: Len Parker, W. Spencer, 93.8

Final: Len Parker, Ern Edwards, Cliff Bamford, 93.0

**Tuesday 29 July 1930**

**Leicester Handicap:**

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Tommy Webb, 96.0

SF2: Cliff Bamford, E. Taylor, 96.0

Final: Tommy Webb, E. Taylor, Cliff Bamford, Bill Clibbett, 94.2

**Bristol Scratch:**

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Gordon Spalding, 94.2

SF2: Len Parker, Felix Dallimore, 92.6

Final: Len Parker, Gordon Spalding, Felix Dallimore, Bill Clibbett (fell), 94.6

**Match Race:**

W. Spencer beat Ern Edwards, 2-1

1. Spencer, Edwards, 98.0

2. Spencer, Edwards (fell), 100.8

3. Edwards, Spencer, 95.0

**Bristol v Visitors Race:**

1. Gus Kuhn, 93.0

2. Bill Clibbett, Ted Bravery, 91.2

3. Jack Douglas, Nev Wheeler, 91.2

Final: Gus Kuhn, Bill Clibbett, Nev Wheeler, Ted Bravery, 89.0

Also Rode: Alec Bowerman, Bert Spencer, Hal Herbert.

**Tuesday 5 August 1930**

**Handicap Event:**

SF1: Gus Kuhn, Harry Bamford, 97.8

SF2: Ted Bravery, Norman Evans, 96.2

Final: Gus Kuhn, Norman Evans, Harry Bamford, Ted Bravery (fell), 95.0

**Golden Helmet:**

Heat: Gus Kuhn, Ted Bravery

SF1: Bill Clibbett, Jack Jackson, Len Parker (fell), 93.6

SF2: Gus Kuhn, Norman Evans, 94.8

Final: Gus Kuhn, Norman Evans, Felix Dallimore, Jack Jackson (fell), Bill Clibbett (fell), 93.4

**Big 16:**

Final: Gus Kuhn, Norman Evans, Len Parker, Bill Clibbett (fell), 94.4

**Reserves Race:**

Final: Vic Worlock

Also Rode: Jack Ormston, Charlie Barrett, Gordon Spalding

## Tuesday 12 August 1930

### **Match Race:**

Ted Bravery beat Gordon Spalding, 2-1

1. Bravery, Spalding, 91.4

2. Spalding, Bravery

3. Bravery, Spalding

### **Bristol Scratch:**

SF1 Taft, H Bamford 98.4

SF2 Douglas C Bamford 103.8

Final: Harry Taft, Jack Douglas, Cliff Bamford 98.0

### **Big 16:**

Final: Bill Clibbett, Harry Taft 95.0

### **Handicap Event:**

SF1 Taylor, Bamford 97.0

SF2 Dallimore, Latchem 98.2

Final: Harry Bamford, Bill Latchem 94.6

## Tuesday 19 August 1930

### **Match Race:**

Len Parker beat Bill Clibbett, 2-0

1. Parker, Clibbett (fell)
2. Parker, Clibbett (fell), 86.4

### **August Scratch:**

Heat: W. Spencer, Donald Cameron

SF1: Ted Bravery, Wally Hicklin, 95.2

SF2: W. Spencer, Gordon Spalding, 96.0

Final: Ted Bravery, Gordon Spalding, Wally Hicklin. W. Spencer, 96.4

### **Handicap Event:**

Heat: Donald Cameron

SF1: E Taylor, Teddie Douglas, 94.0

SF2: W. Spencer, Bill Clibbett, 95.2

Final: W. Spencer, Felix Dallimore, 85.2

### **Big 16:**

1. Ted Bravery. 96.8
2. Ern Edwards, 95.4
3. Bill Clibbett and M. Elliott, (dead heat), 97.2
4. Len Parker, 93.8

Final: Len Parker, Ted Bravery, 95.0

Also Rode: Del Forster



## Tuesday 26 August 1930

### **Big 16:**

1. Wally Hicklin, Ted Bravery, 91.4
2. Jack Douglas, W. Spencer, 95.2
3. Bill Clibbett, Ron Thompson, 95.2
4. Len Parker, Gordon Spalding, 90.2

Final: Len Parker, Wally Hicklin, Gordon Spalding, Jack Douglas, 89.6 (standing start track record)

### **Golden Gauntlet:**

SF1: Gordon Spalding, E. Taylor, 95.6

SF2: Turnip Owen, Jim Douglas, 98.2

Final: Len Parker, Gordon Spalding, E. Taylor, Jim Douglas, 91.0

### **Match Race:**

Felix Dallimore beat E. Taylor, 2-1

1. Dallimore, Taylor, 90.6
2. Taylor, Dallimore, 93.2
3. Dallimore, Taylor, 94.2

### **Visitors' Handicap:**

SF1. Jack Douglas, W. Spencer, 96.0

SF2. Ted Bravery, Cliff Bamford, 93.4

Final: Ted Bravery, Cliff Bamford, Jack Douglas, W. Spencer, 92.8

Also Rode: Champ Upham, Charlie Barrett, Ron Thompson, J.C. Bamford

## Tuesday 2 September 1930

### **Match Race:**

Art Warren beat Sunny Somerset, 2-0

### **Match Race:**

W. Spencer beat Ern Edwards, 112.6

### **Evening Times Challenge Cup:**

1. Ted Bravery, Turnip Owen 94.0
2. Jack Douglas, Harry Bamford 94.8
3. Ernie Edwards, Stanley Gill 98.0
4. E. Taylor, Cliff Bamford 96.4
5. W. Spencer, Donald Cameron (ns) WO
6. Vic Worlock, Tommy Webb 108.4

### **Somerset Handicap:**

SF1: Jack Douglas, Cliff Bamford, 95.2

SF2: Len Parker, M. Elliott, 92.8

Final: Jack Douglas, Len Parker, Cliff Bamford, M. Elliott, 92.6

### **Bristol Scratch:**

SF1: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, 92.2

SF2: W. Spencer, Bill Latchem, 97.4

Final: Bill Latchem, W. Spencer, 100.4

## Tuesday 9 September 1930

### **Evening Times Challenge Cup:**

7. Jim Douglas, M. Elliott (fell), 95.6
8. Bill Hamblin, Felix Dallimore, 92.4
9. Bill Latchem, J. Bamford (fell), 98.4
10. Bill Clibbett (f,rem twice) Jimmy Haines, 98.2
11. Gordon Spalding beat Vic King, 91.6
12. Len Parker, Ben 'Cigarette' Player, 95.0

### **Bristol Scratch:**

- SF1: Len Parker, W. Spencer, 92.2
- SF2: Jack Douglas, Cliff Bamford, 94.4
- Final: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, W. Spencer, Cliff Bamford, 92.8
- Also Rode: John Deeley, Arthur Tims, Bill Ashcroft, Cyril Taft

### **Handicap Event:**

- SF1: Len Parker, Ern Edwards, 92.0
- SF2: Vic King, Cliff Bamford, 93.2
- Final: Len Parker, Ern Edwards, Vic King, 92.8

### **Best Broadsiders Race**

SF1 ETaylor

SF2 Bravery

Final Taylor

## Tuesday 16 September 1930

### **Evening Times Challenge Cup Second Round:**

1. Gordon Spalding, Jim Douglas, 99.0
2. E. Taylor, Jack Douglas (fell), 92.4
3. Ted Bravery, Bill Clibbett (fell), 93.4
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5. W. Spencer, Bill Hamblin, 92.2
6. Len Parker, Ernie Edwards (fell), 91.8

### **Autumn Handicap:**

- SF1. Len Parker, Vic King, 92.2
- SF2: Ernie Edwards, Stan Gill, 95.4
- Final: Len Parker, Vic King, Ernie Edwards, Stan Gill (fell), 91.8

### **Match Race:**

E. Taylor beat Gordon Spalding, 2-0

1. Taylor, Spalding, 93.0
2. Taylor, Spalding, 92.0

### **Bristol Scratch:**

- SF1: Ted Bravery, W. Spencer, 93.6
- SF2: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, 92.4
- Final: Jack Douglas, Len Parker, W. Spencer, Ted Bravery, 91.4

Also Rode: Wally Hicklin, Ron Thompson, Lew Lancaster, Wilmot Evans

## **Tuesday 23 September 1930**

### **September Handicap:**

SF1: W. Spencer, Jack Douglas, 92.2

SF2: Len Parker, Turnip Owen, 93.0

Final: Len Parker, Turnip Owen, Jack Douglas, 92.2

### **Evening Times Challenge Cup Third Round:**

1. W. Spencer, Vic Worlock 91.4

2. Len Parker, E. Taylor, 90.8

3. Gordon Spalding, (walk over)

Final: Len Parker, Gordon Spalding, W. Spencer, 90.2

### **Bristol Scratch Race:**

SF1: Jack Douglas, Len Parker, 92.8

SF2: Turnip Owen, Vic King, 100.2

Final: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, Vic King, Turnip Owen, 91.0

### **Big 16:**

1. Jack Douglas, 95.2

2. Gordon Spalding, 94.4

3. Vic King, 97.8

4. Len Parker, 92.2

Final: Len Parker, Jack Douglas, Vic King, Gordon Spalding, 93.0

Also Rode: Joe Dallison, Arthur Tims, John Deeley, Arthur Johnson