

WIMBLEDON 1928

PLOUGH LANE

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Monday 28 May 1928

Opening meeting – attendance 11,000.

Jack Parker rode in this meeting - and blew his engine.

Gold Helmet:

SF2: Frank Arthur, Billy Lamont. by ½ a length.

Final: Frank Arthur (345 Harley), Vic Huxley (494 Douglas), Cecil Brown (348 AJS), Billy Lamont. 89.3 40.5mph. After 2 laps, Lamont loss his tyre, but continued to broadside on the rim of the wheel.

Match Race: Vic Huxley beat Roger Frogley 2 races to 1.

Wimbledon Handicap: Frank Arthur, Jim Kempster, Eric Spencer 96.4 37.5mph

Sidecar Scratch: Freddie Brackpool

Friday 1 June 1928

Gold Gauntlet Final: Vic Huxley (494 Douglas), Ben Unwin (345 Harley-Davidson) [Frank Arthur f] 86.8

Wimbledon Handicap Final: Vic Huxley, Jim Kempster (499 Rudge-Whitworth) 93.6

Monday 4 June 1928

Attendance: 20,000.

Frank Arthur fell in his first race, injured a knee, and withdrew from the meeting. In the Silver Sash, Frogley beat Charlie Spinks in the heats, and was leading the semi-final against Vic Huxley until he fell at the start of the final lap.

Wimbledon Handicap:

1:

2: Roger Frogley, Ben Unwin

3: Vic Huxley, Cecil Brown [Frank Pearce f]

4: (6 riders) Billy Lamont, Hilary Buchanan [Frank Arthur, Les Blakebrough]

SF1:

SF2: Hilary Buchanan, Cecil Brown [Vic Huxley ef, Billy Lamont ef]

Final: Cecil Brown (USA) (AJS) (4 sec), Reg Pointer (Ariel) (6 sec), Roger Frogley (Rudge-Whitworth) (3sec), Hilary Buchanan (AJS) f 103.0

Silver Sash Scratch:

1:

2: Roger Frogley

3:

4: [Billy Lamont f, Frank Pearce f]

SF1:

SF2:

Final: Vic Huxley (Douglas), Hilary Buchanan, Jim Kempster (Rudge-Whitworth) 92.4 Charlie Spinks (Aus) set a new lap record of 21.3 sec

Thursday 7 June 1928

Attendance: 30,000 W

Wimbledon Handicap Final: Roger Frogley (Rudge-Whitworth) (1 sec start on Pearce), Frank Pearce (Harley), Cecil Brown, Colin Watson (Rudge-Whitworth) 88.9

Silver Armlet (scratch) Final: Frank Pearce, Roger Frogley [Dickie Smythe f, Hilary Buchanan f] 85.7
(The 2nd lap was completed in 21.0, a new lap record)

Match Race: Colin Watson beat Jim Kempster 2-1 (Ht.1 - 98.4 Kempster; Ht.2 - Kempster would not accept win when Watson fell; Ht.3 - 98.3 Watson)

Monday 11 June 1928

Wimbledon Handicap:

Ht.1: Bill Bragg, Charlie Spinks 100.1

Ht.2: Hilary Buchanan, Frank Arthur 95.3

Ht.3: Dick Bellamy (10 sec start), Vic Huxley 99.5

Ht.4: Billy Lamont, Jim Kempster (7 sec start) 89.0

SF1: Bill Bragg, Frank Arthur [Charlie Spinks f, Hilary Buchanan f] 101.7

SF2: Billy Lamont, Vic Huxley [Jim Kempster] 89.4

Final: Vic Huxley (1 sec start), Frank Arthur (scr) [Billy Lamont] 89.6

Silver Helmet:

Ht.1: Cecil Brown, Eric Spencer 95.3

Ht.2: Dickie Smythe, Frank Arthur ef, pushed 94.3

Ht.3: Vic Huxley, Reg Pointer 92.7

Ht.4: Billy Lamont, Charlie Spinks 91.6

Final: Billy Lamont, Vic Huxley. [Dickie Smythe, Cecil Brown] 84.0

A few yards before the finish of the Silver Helmet Final, the engine of leader Billy Lamont blew. By "paddling", he just edged home ahead of Vic Huxley. On his winners lap wearing the Silver Helmet, he rode Huxley's machine.

Match Race: Jim Kempster (Rudge), George Fletcher (Ariel)

Wimbledon Novices Scratch Race Final: Arthur Maxwell, Bob Bedwin 103.4

Monday 18 June 1928

Steady rain caused the most spectacular rider, Dickie Smythe, to fall in the Silver Pennant final. Billy Lamont out for a week when Frank Arthur rode over his neck!

Silver Pennant:

Ht.1: Frank Pearce, Colin Watson 94.8

Ht.2: Frank Arthur, Ben Unwin [Vic Huxley f] 91.8

Ht.3: Billy Lamont, Jack Parker 93.1

Ht.4: Dickie Smythe, Charlie Spinks 87.3

Final (rerun): Frank Arthur (Harley), Frank Pearce (Harley), Dickie Smythe (Douglas) f, Billy Lamont f,ns 90.3

Wimbledon Handicap:

Ht.1: Mart Seiffert, Dickie Smythe [Billy Lamont ef] 93.2

Ht.2: Charlie Spinks, Reg Pointer 97.4

Ht.3: Bert Perrigo (8 sec start), Cecil Brown [Ben Unwin f] 99.5

Ht.4: Vic Huxley, Hilary Buchanan [Frank Arthur ef] 93.1

SF1: Dickie Smythe, Reg Pointer [Charlie Spinks f] 85.6

SF2: Bert Perrigo (6 sec start), Vic Huxley 98.3

Final: Dickie Smythe, Reg Pointer [Vic Huxley] 94.0

Lap record attempt: Frank Pearce 21.2 (new record)

Inter-Club Match Race - Wimbledon v Harringay

Wimbledon Elimination: Bob Bedwin, Jack Bell 99.4

Harringay Elimination: Curly Morton, Jack Bunting 110.5

Inter-Club Race: Bob Bedwin (Wim), Jack Bell (Wim) 98.7

Sidecars: Dick Newman, Slow Taylor 99.3

Thursday 21 June 1928

Lots of falls on a bumpy track. While broadsiding, Dickie Smythe's rear wheel "bent in two"!

Silver Wheel:

Ht.1: Mart Seiffert, Ben Unwin 96.3

Ht.2: Vic Huxley, Charlie Spinks 89.3

Ht.3: Jack Parker, Jim Kempster 90.2

Ht.4: Eric Spencer, Jack Bishop 92.4

Final: Vic Huxley, Jack Parker. 85.5

Handicap:

Ht.1: Hilary Buchanan, Frank Pearce 93.0

Ht.2: Jack Bishop, Jack Parker 92.4

Ht.3: Mart Seiffert, Eric Spencer 98.3

Ht.4: Jim Kempster, Ben Unwin 99.7

SF1: Hilary Buchanan, Jack Bishop 96.9

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Jim Kempster 97.6

Final: Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert, Hilary Buchanan 94.4

Lap record attempt: Vic Huxley 20.6 (new record)

Monday 25 June 1928

Gold Helmet:

Ht.1: Charlie Spinks, Eric Spencer 93.9

Ht.2: Billy Lamont, Ben Unwin 88.4

Ht.3: Vic Huxley, Stan Spencer 92.5

Ht.4: Frank Arthur, Jack Bishop 93.0

Final: Billy Lamont, Frank Arthur, Vic Huxley, Charlie Spinks 83.8 (record)

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jim Kempster, Dickie Smythe 95.5

Ht.2: Billy Lamont, Mart Seiffert 91.7

Ht.3: Stan Spencer, Reg Pointer 102.4

Ht.4: Charlie Spinks, Colin Watson 97.2

SF1: Mart Seiffert, Jim Kempster 91.5

SF2: Stan Spencer, Charlie Spinks 101.7

Final: Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert 91.7

Thursday 28 June 1928

Gold Gauntlet Final: Billy Lamont, Frank Arthur, Frank Pearce, Colin Watson 83.7 (record)

Handicap Final: Billy Lamont 88.7

Match Race: Ben Unwin beat Jim Kempster.

Unwin only saved himself from a fall by going onto the centre green for a couple of yards, but when he was given the win over Kempster "a certain element in the crowd" were "unsporting enough to shout ribald remarks"

Monday 2 July 1928

Silver Sash:

Ht.1: Billy Lamont, Eric Spencer 84.8

Ht.2: Vic Huxley, Jack Parker 87.7

Ht.3: Frank Arthur, Frank Pearce 87.5

Ht.4: Dickie Smythe, Stan Spencer, Noel Johnson 89.0

Final: Billy Lamont, Vic Huxley, Dickie Smythe f, Frank Arthur f,rm 83.1

Handicap:

Ht.1: Frank Pearce, Jim Kempster 89.2

Ht.2: Jack Parker, Stan Spencer 93.7

Ht.3: Colin Watson, Frank Arthur 93.4

Ht.4: Dickie Smythe, Eric Spencer 90.1

SF1: Jack Parker, Jim Kempster 91.5

SF2: Eric Spencer, Dickie Smythe 91.1

Final: Dickie Smythe, Jack Parker, Jim Kempster, Eric Spencer f 89.5

Match Race: Frank Pearce beat Jim Kempster 2-1

Inter-Club Race: Harringay beat Wimbledon

Thursday 5 July 1928

Silver Armlet:

Ht.1: Jack Parker, Reg Pointer, Frank Pearce chain, Ben Unwin f 88.3

Ht.2: Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert 86.7

Ht.3: Gus Kuhn, Bert Perrigo, Billy Lamont, Dickie Smythe f,ex.88.4

Ht.4: Cecil Brown, Eric Spencer [Frank Arthur ef] 92.7

Final: Jack Parker, Jim Kempster [Cecil Brown, Gus Kuhn] 84.7

Handicap:

Ht.1: Frank Pearce, Eric Spencer 91.7

Ht.2: Jack Parker, Vic Huxley 89.5

Ht.3: Billy Lamont, Jim Kempster 88.5

Ht.4: Bert Perrigo, Reg Pointer 95.5

SF1: Vic Huxley, Eric Spencer 95.0

SF2: Billy Lamont, Jim Kempster 87.4

Final: Billy Lamont (scr), Vic Huxley 89.1

Inter-Club Race: Wimbledon beat White City

Match Race: Jim Kempster beat Frank Pearce

Lap record attempt: Dickie Smythe 19.7 (record)

Monday 9 July 1928

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jim Kempster, Eddie Slade-Jones 99.7

Ht.2: Frank Pearce, Bert Perrigo 94.4

Ht.3: Jack Parker, Billy Lamont 94.8

Ht.4: Gus Kuhn, Hilary Buchanan 97.2

SF1: Bert Perrigo, Jim Kempster 97.2

SF2: Gus Kuhn, Billy Lamont 93.3

Final: Billy Lamont (scr), Bert Perrigo (5 sec start), Gus Kuhn (3 sec) 90.1

Silver Helmet:

Ht.1: Charlie Spinks, Jim Kempster 90.0

Ht.2: Jack Parker, Vic Huxley 87.1

Ht.3: Colin Watson, Gus Kuhn 91.1

Ht.4: Frank Arthur, Cecil Brown 87.9

Final: Charlie Spinks, Jack Parker, Colin Watson, Frank Arthur ef 95.9

Inter-Club Race: Wimbledon beat Harringay

Thursday 12 July 1928

Silver Wings:

Ht.1: Vic Huxley, Ben Unwin 90.8

Ht.2: Frank Pearce, Dickie Smythe, Reg Pointer 87.5

Ht.3: Frank Arthur, Jim Kempster, Cecil Brown, Charlie Spinks f,ns (withdrew from meeting) 83.9

Ht.4: Eric Spencer, Mart Seiffert, Jack Parker f,rm, Colin Watson f,rm 89.0

Final: Frank Arthur, Frank Pearce, Vic Huxley, Eric Spencer 83.7

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jack Parker, Vic Huxley 95.0

Ht.2: Jim Kempster, Colin Watson 92.2

Ht.3: Frank Pearce, Frank Arthur 90.9

Ht.4: Charlie Spinks, Mart Seiffert 91.3

SF1: Vic Huxley, Jim Kempster 94.4

SF2: Frank Arthur, Mart Seiffert, Charlie Spinks, Frank Pearce 88.2

Final: Frank Arthur, Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert, Vic Huxley 90.8

Match Race: Jim Kempster beat Gus Kuhn 2-0

Inter-Club Handicap: Wimbledon (F Bailey 108.2) beat White City London (A V Rye)

Monday 16 July 1928

In the Handicap final, "Billy Lamont's back tyre went flat on the second lap, but he carried on quite unconcerned. On the last lap, however, the cover left the rim and, at every revolution of the wheel, flew up and "belted" Lamont on the stern". Dickie Smythe won all his 7 races.

Silver Pennant:

Ht.1: Ben Unwin, Cecil Brown [Jack Parker ef when leading] 91.1

Ht.2: Dickie Smythe, Frank Pearce

Ht.3: Vic Huxley, Colin Watson 89.1 [Frank Arthur ef on the warm-up lap for the rolling start]

Ht.4: Noel Johnson, Jim Kempster [Billy Lamont ef] 86.2

Final: Dickie Smythe, Ben Unwin 83.8

Match Race: Dickie Smythe beat Frank Pearce 2-0

Handicap:

Ht.1: Dickie Smythe, Stan Spencer, Frank Pearce 92.6

Ht.2: Jack Parker, Mart Seiffert 93.2

Ht.3: Vic Huxley, Gus Kuhn [Frank Arthur ef - throttle jammed] 95.6

Ht.4: Billy Lamont, Del Forster 89.7

SF1: Dickie Smythe, Jack Parker, Mart Seiffert 93.5

SF2: Billy Lamont, Del Forster, Gus Kuhn, Vic Huxley f 88.9

Final: Dickie Smythe, Jack Parker [Billy Lamont ret] 89.9

Inter-Club Handicap: Wimbledon (Arthur Maxwell) beat Harringay 98.7

Solo v Sidecar: Taps Clarke (sidecar) beat Frank Pearce (solo)

Thursday 19 July 1928

Silver Wheel:

Ht.1: Noel Johnson, Ben Unwin, Vic Huxley, Hilary Buchanan f 87.0

Ht.2: Jack Parker, Reg Pointer [Dickie Smythe ef] 84.4

Ht.3: Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert [Jack Parker ef] 89.8

Ht.4: Frank Arthur, Eric Spencer 89.8

Final: Frank Arthur, Noel Johnson, Jack Parker, Jim Kempster 81.4 (record)

Handicap:

Ht.1: Gus Kuhn, Cecil Brown 94.2

Ht.2: Dickie Smythe, Noel Johnson, Charlie Spinks 93.6

Ht.3: Ben Unwin, Jack Parker, Frank Pearce 93.8

Ht.4: Jim Kempster, Reg Pointer, Frank Arthur, Eric Spencer 90.6

SF1: Noel Johnson, Dickie Smythe 92.4

SF2: Ben Unwin, Jack Parker, Jim Kempster, Reg Pointer 92.2

Final: Dickie Smythe, Jack Parker, Noel Johnson, Ben Unwin 89.4

Wimbledon Club Handicap:

Ht.1: Gordon Cobbold, Bill Albert 99.4

Ht.2: Jack Barrett, Jimmie Taylor 102.8

Final: Gordon Cobbold, Jimmie Taylor, Bill Albert 103.0

Monday 23 July 1928

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jim Kempster, Ben Unwin, Frank Arthur 89.7

Ht.2: Gus Kuhn, Cecil Brown 94.4

Ht.3: Reg Pointer, Noel Johnson, Dickie Smythe f, Arthur Maxwell f,ns 97.1

Ht.4: Colin Watson, Frank Pearce, Charlie Spinks 94.9

SF1: Ben Unwin, Jim Kempster, Cecil Brown 95.0

SF2: Frank Pearce, Noel Johnson, Reg Pointer 93.3

Final: Jim Kempster, Frank Pearce, Noel Johnson, Ben Unwin 89.0

Gold Helmet:

Ht.1: Frank Arthur, Eric Spencer 88.1

Ht.2: Charlie Spinks, Colin Watson 87.4

Ht.3: Ben Unwin, Dickie Smythe [Noel Johnson f] 87.9

Ht.4: Jim Kempster, Frank Pearce 84.1

Final: Frank Arthur, Jim Kempster, Ben Unwin, Charlie Spinks 82.3 (record)

Wimbledon Club Handicap:

Ht.1: Gordon Cobbold, Albert Savory 99.2

Ht.2: Bill Albert 99.4

Final: Gordon Cobbold, Bill Albert, Fred Cooper 97.6

Monday 30 July 1928

Attendance: 25,000

Wimbledon Club Handicap: (4 heats + Final)

Final: Del Forster 101.5

Wimbledon Handicap:

Ht.1: Eric Spencer, Frank Arthur, Noel Johnson f, Hilary Buchanan f, Jimmy Stevens f 89.1

Ht.2: Jim Kempster, Reg Pointer, Clem Cort, Colin Watson, Vic Huxley f 89.7

Ht.3: Gordon Cobbold (8sec), Frank Pearce, Mart Seiffert, Dell Forster ef 93.9

Ht.4: Ben Unwin, Cecil Brown, Eddie Slade-Jones, Dickie Smythe f,rm,ef 99.9

SF1: Eric Spencer, Jim Kempster, Reg Pointer, Frank Arthur f,rm.88.3

SF2: Frank Pearce, Ben Unwin, Cecil Brown 91.8

Final: Frank Pearce, E Spencer f,rm, Ben Unwin f,rm, Jim Kempster ef 100.3

Silver Sash Scratch:

Ht.1: Frank Arthur, Colin Watson, Stan Spencer, Jim Kempster f,rm 84.9

Ht.2: Eric Spencer, Vic Huxley 83.5

Ht.3: Cecil Brown, Ben Unwin, Hilary Buchanan f, Frank Pearce f 94.0

Ht.4: Charlie Spinks, Reg Pointer 95.7

Final: Frank Arthur, Charlie Spinks, Cecil Brown, Eric Spencer f 83.3

Inter-Club Race: Wimbledon (Del Forster) beat White City 108.5

Lap Record Attempt: (current: D Smythe 19.7): Eric Spencer 23.2

Monday 6 August 1928

Attendance: 40,000

Handicap:

Ht.1: Frank Pearce, Cecil Brown, Bill Albert 87.2

Ht.2: Jim Kempster, Hilary Buchanan.89.9

Ht.3: Mart Seiffert, Noel Johnson.96.8

Ht.4: Eddy Slade-Jones, Reg Pointer. 100.4

SF1: Frank Pearce, Bill Albert, Jim Kempster f,rm 90.5

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Noel Johnson, Eddy Slade-Jones 92.8

Final: Cecil Brown, Mart Seiffert [Frank Pearce f] 89.7

Match Race:

Ht.1: Frank Arthur. Art Pechar's chain broke, damaged his engine, and he couldn't ride again.

Silver Helmet (scr):

Ht.1: Bill Albert, Alf Medcalf [F Pearce f] 96.1

Ht.2: Jim Kempster, Cecil Brown 85.2

Ht.3: Stan Spencer, Jimmy Stevens 88.6

Ht.4: Frank Arthur, Mart Seiffert, Eddie Slade-Jones, S Glover 87.3

Final: Jim Kempster, Stan Spencer, Frank Arthur, Bill Albert 86.0

Monday 13 August 1928

Two French riders have arrived, Charles Bellisent & Camille Tanton. "Monsieur Tanton is a large man, and sits the 'bus well. Judging by his avoirdupois he shouldn't ever suffer from back wheel spin." !!!!

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jim Kempster, Bill Albert, Vic Huxley f,rm, Hilary Buchanan f 88.2

Ht.2: Cecil Brown, Frank Arthur, Eric Spencer 89.7

Ht.3: Jimmy Stevens, Jack Adams, [Dickie Smythe f, Colin Watson f] 93.7

Ht.4: Allen Kilfoyle, Frank Pearce 94.1

SF1: Cecil Brown, Jim Kempster, Frank Arthur, Bill Albert f 89.7

SF2: Allen Kilfoyle, Frank Pearce, Jimmy Stevens f, Jack Adams f 88.6

Final: Allen Kilfoyle, Jim Kempster, Cecil Brown, [Frank Pearce f] 89.0

Match Race:

1: Sprouts Elder, Eric Spencer 78.2 (record)

2: Sprouts Elder, Eric Spencer 84.2

Silver Wheel:

Ht.1: Vic Huxley, Tommy Croombs 82.5

Ht.2: Sprouts Elder, Frank Arthur 79.8

Ht.3: Dickie Smythe, Alf Medcalf, [Charlie Spinks f, Colin Watson f] 85.1

Ht.4: Frank Pearce, Cecil Brown, [Eric Spencer f,rm] 87.4

Final: Sprouts Elder, Vic Huxley f,rm, Frank Pearce, Dickie Smythe f 79.1

International Match Race: Charles Bellisent (France) beat Mart Seiffert (Eng)

Thursday 16 August 1928

Scratch Final: Jim Kempster 85.5

International Match Race: Vic Huxley (Aus), Charles Bellisent (Fran) f 83.4

Handicap Final: Larry Coffey

Monday 20 August 1928

Attendance: 30,000

Match Race: Frank Arthur beat Art Pechar 2 races to 0 86.8 & 85.7

International Match Race: Sprouts Elder beat Dickie Smythe 2 races to 1:

1: Dickie Smythe, Sprouts Elder f 89.9

2: Sprouts Elder, Dickie Smythe ef (awarded)

3: Sprouts Elder, Dickie Smythe 80.6

Match Race: Sprouts Elder, Jim Kempster 83.2

Golden Helmet:

1: Frank Arthur, Charlie Spinks 84.7

2: Jack Bishop, Dickie Smythe 88.6

3: Jim Kempster, Mart Seiffert, Dickie Smythe, Noel Johnson f 84.3

4: Vic Huxley, Colin Watson [Frank Pearce f] 88.7

Final: Jim Kempster, Frank Arthur, Jack Bishop, Vic Huxley 82.6

Handicap:

1: Bill Albert, Jim Kempster 91.9

2: Jimmy Stevens, Cecil Brown [Frank Pearce f] 92.4

3: Charles Bellisent, Clem Cort 88.5

4: Mart Seiffert, Colin Watson 92.9

SF1: Jimmy Stevens, Jim Kempster [Bill Albert f] 91.2

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Charles Bellisent [Colin Watson ef] 90.8

Final: Mart Seiffert, Charles Bellisent 89.0

Thursday 23 August 1928

All-English Scratch Race evening. "Attendance was very poor indeed". Charles Bellisent unable to appear due the sickness of his wife, which necessitated his return to France.

Scratch Race:

1: Colin Watson, Mart Seiffert 82.1

2: Jim Kempster, Clem Cort 89.2

3: Allen Kilfoyle, Eddie Slade-Jones 90.7

4: Eric Spencer, Arthur Maxwell, Bill Albert f, Hulley Howard f 88.3

Final: Jim Kempster, Allen Kilfoyle, Eric Spencer f, Colin Watson ef 82.2

Match Race: Jim Kempster beat Dicky Smythe by 2 races to 1 (Kempster 82.2, Smythe 83.9, Kempster 81.2(record))

Handicap:

1: Stan Spencer, Bob Bedwin 90.0

2: Bert Bolt, Colin Watson 93.1

3: Allen Kilfoyle, Syd Chambers 93.8

4: Eddie Green, W Cullingham 103.1

SF1: Bert Bolt, Colin Watson 92.0

SF2: Allen Kilfoyle, Syd Chambers 94.0

Final: Colin Watson, Syd Chambers, Allen Kilfoyle f,rm, Bert Bolt f,rm 88.4

Match Race: Clem Cort beat Allen Kilfoyle 85.5

Monday 27 August 1928

Attendance: 40,000 (record crowd).

Reappearance of Billy Lamont after 6 week lay-off due to injury.

£50 Match Race: Jim Kempster beat Sprouts Elder 2 races to 0 (78.9 & 80.4)

Gold Gauntlet:

1: Stan Spencer, J Kempster 81.7

2: Sprouts Elder, Colin Watson 81.0

3: Dickie Smythe, Charlie Spinks, Cecil Brown 87.3

4: Frank Pearce, Ben Unwin f,rm, Billy Lamont f, Noel Johnson f 83.5

Final: Sprouts Elder, Dickie Smythe, Stan Spencer ef 80.2

Handicap:

1: Tommy Croombs, Cecil Brown, Noel Johnson f, Billy Lamont f 87.2

2: Clem Cort, Allen Kilfoyle, Eric Spencer f 91.9

3: Jim Kempster, Hilary Buchanan, Dickie Smythe ef 88.9

4: Bill Bragg, Bob Bedwin, Mart Seiffert, Frank Pearce f, Jack Bishop f 97.6

SF1: Allen Kilfoyle, Clem Cort, Tommy Croombs f 93.3

SF2: Jim Kempster, Bill Bragg, Bob Bedwin, Hilary Buchanan 85.2

Final: Jim Kempster (2 sec start), Allen Kilfoyle

"In the last heat [of the Gauntlet], an arc lamp exploded, and fell onto Lamont's new white crash helmet, upsetting his machine, and causing him to retire from the race."

Monday 3 September 1928

Silver Sash:

1: Jim Kempster, Vic Huxley 81.8

2: Dickie Smythe, Alf Medcalf [Hilary Buchanan f,ns] 85.1

3: Sprouts Elder, Charlie Spinks 81.2

4: Stan Spencer, Billy Lamont [Noel Johnson ef, Mart Seiffert f] 84.2

Final: Sprouts Elder, Stan Spencer, Dickie Smythe, Jim Kempster ef 79.3

Match Race: Sprouts Elder beat Jim Kempster 2-1

1: Elder, Kempster 80.9

2: Kempster, Elder (f)

3: Elder, Kempster 79.7

Handicap:

1: Vic Huxley, Charlie Spinks [Jack Bishop, Gus Kuhn] 84.1

2: Gordon Cobbold, Dickie Smythe [Jim Kempster f,rm, Tommy Croombs ef, Alf Medcalf f] 97.9

3: Bob Bedwin, Cecil Brown [Frank Pearce ef] 94.6

4: Stan Spencer, Del Forster 91.4

SF1: Charlie Spinks, Dickie Smythe [Vic Huxley ef, Gordon Cobbold] 87.2

SF2: Cecil Brown, Stan Spencer [Del Forster ef, Bob Bedwin] 90.6

Final: Stan Spencer, Cecil Brown, Dickie Smythe, Charlie Spinks 88.1

Thursday 6 September 1928

All-English programme

Handicap:

1: Gus Kuhn, Jim Kempster 89.3

2: Alf Medcalf, Les Standish 93.2

3: Colin Watson, Mart Seiffert 90.8

4: Bern Hieatt, Clem Cort 97.2

SF1: Jim Kempster, Gus Kuhn 86.2

SF2: Clem Cort, Colin Watson, Mart Seiffert 90.9

Final: Gus Kuhn, Clem Cort, Colin Watson, Jim Kempster f 88.4

All-English Scratch:

1: Gus Kuhn, Bill Albert 86.4

2: Jim Kempster, Gordon Cobbold 88.8

3: Clem Cort, Colin Watson 86.2

4: Mart Seiffert, Bern Hieatt 90.8

Final: Jim Kempster, Gus Kuhn, Mart Seiffert, Clem Cort f 83.1

Match Race: Jim Kempster beat Colin Watson 2-0 88.3 & 87.5

Monday 10 September 1928

Track very slippery after rain. Triple crash in ht.1 of H/C resulted in Huxley's withdrawal from meeting. "The four new Australian boys [Hore, Stevens, Pratt, Spencer] were present and rode on borrowed machines. They did not make much of a show"

Handicap:

- 1: Jim Kempster, Jack Bishop [Gordon Cobbold f, Vic Huxley f,ns] 88.2
 - 2: Ben Unwin, Dickie Smythe [Bill Albert f, Bert Spencer f, Harold Stevens f, Les Maguire f] 96.4
 - 3: Allen Kilfoyle, Del Forster [Reg Pointer f] 89.8
 - 4: Tommy Croombs, Clem Cort [Billy Lamont ef] 85.6
- SF1: Jim Kempster, Ben Unwin 87.6
- SF2: Tommy Croombs, Del Forster f,rm 87.2
- Final: Tommy Croombs, Ben Unwin 87.0

Silver Armlet:

- 1: Mart Seiffert, Ben Unwin [Harold Stevens f] 86.8
 - 2: Jim Kempster, Alf Medcalf 87.0
 - 3: Billy Lamont, Jack Bishop [Noel Johnson f, Colin Watson f, Reg Pointer f] 90.6
 - 4: Eric Spencer [Sprouts Elder f] 82.6
- Final: Eric Spencer, Mart Seiffert, Billy Lamont f, Jim Kempster f,rm,f 82.0

Match Race: Eric Spencer beat Charles Bellisent (France) "very easily" 2-0 85.0 & 89.5

Match Race: Jim Kempster tied 1-1 with Roger Frogley:

- 1: Jim Kempster, Roger Frogley f 82.4
- 2: Roger Frogley, Jim Kempster 81.0
- 3: not run - Jim Kempster declared unfit by doctor

Thursday 13 September 1928

All-English meeting.

Handicap:

1: Ron Hieatt, Eric Spencer, Del Forster 92.2

2: Bill Webster (8 sec start), Arthur Maxwell [Reg Pointer f] 93.0

3: Colin Watson, Bob Bedwin, Alf Summersby 89.8

4: Mart Seiffert, Freddie Hore 94.3

SF1: Bill Webster, Eric Spencer, Ron Hieatt [Arthur Maxwell f] 93.3

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Bob Bedwin, Freddie Hore [Colin Watson ret] 91.0

Final: Eric Spencer, Mart Seiffert 84.5

All English Scratch:

1: Eric Spencer, Clem Cort [Gordon Cobbold f] 83.8

2: Bert Bolt, Reg Pointer [Bill Albert f] 92.0

3: Mart Seiffert, Ron Hieatt 85.8

4: Colin Watson, Bob Bedwin, Del Forster [Freddie Hore f] 86.0

Final: Eric Spencer, Mart Seiffert [Colin Watson f, Bert Bolt f,rm,f] 82.4

Match Race: Colin Watson beat Charles Bellisent (Fr) 2-0 (83.8 & 85.6)

Monday 17 September 1928

Silver Helmet:

1: Frank Pearce, Hilary Buchanan 82.2

2: Billy Lamont, Jack Bishop 85.2

3: Eric Spencer, Colin Watson 80.0

4: Dicky Smythe, Charles Bellisent 83.8

Final: Billy Lamont, Eric Spencer, Dickie Smythe f, Frank Pearce f 82.0

Handicap:

1: Allen Kilfoyle, Jack Bishop 90.6

2: Hilary Buchanan, Colin Watson 90.2

3: Mart Seiffert, Clem Cort 87.8

4: Tommy Croombs, Ben Unwin 86.7

SF1: Allen Kilfoyle, Jack Bishop 89.2

SF2: Clem Cort, Mart Seiffert 89.2

Final: Jack Bishop, Clem Cort 88.2

Match Race: Sprouts Elder beat Dickie Smythe 2-0 80.0 & 81.4

Thursday 20 September 1928

Silver Wings:

1: Vic Huxley, Tommy Croombs 78.9

2: Charlie Spinks, Boyd Pratt, Alf Medcalf, Allen Kilfoyle f,rm 91.3

3: Jack Parker, Mart Seiffert [Frank Pearce f] 80.8

4: Jack Bishop, Billy Lamont 88.5

Final: Vic Huxley, Jack Parker 76.7 (record)

Handicap:

1: Allen Kilfoyle, Clem Cort, Dicky Smythe [Harold Stevens f] 88.0

2: Mart Seiffert, Charles Bellisent 89.3

3: Tommy Croombs, Frank Pearce 87.8

4: Jack Parker, Eddie Slade-Jones, Billy Lamont 85.6

SF1: Mart Seiffert, Allen Kilfoyle, Clem Cort 89.0

SF2: Tommy Croombs, Eddie Slade-Jones [Frank Pearce f, Jack Parker f] 88.2

Final: Tommy Croombs, Mart Seiffert 88.0

Match Race: Eric Spencer v Charles Bellisent: void - both riders fell; Bellisent damaged his machine and withdrew from the meeting

Match Race: Jack Parker (BSA) beat Dickie Smythe 2-0 88.5 & 80.8

Monday 24 September 1928

Silver Pennant:

1: Sprouts Elder, Reg Pointer, Dicky Smythe f,rm [Noel Johnson ef] 83.0

2: Vic Huxley, Jack Bishop 81.4

3: Eric Spencer, Charles Bellisent [Billy Lamont f when leading] 82.0

4: Charlie Spinks, Hilary Buchanan 92.0

Final: Vic Huxley, Sprouts Elder 77.6

Handicap:

1: Hilary Buchanan, Tommy Croombs [Dickie Smythe f, Charlie Spinks ef] 89.4

2: Vic Huxley, Ben Unwin 85.4

3: Frank Pearce, Jim Kempster [Alf Medcalf f] 87.2

4: Stan Spencer, Charles Bellisent, Noel Johnson f,rm [Colin Watson ef, Billy Lamont ef] 87.7

SF1: Tommy Croombs, Hilary Buchanan 85.0

SF2: Charles Bellisent, Stan Spencer, Jim Kempster [Frank Pearce ef] 89.2

Final: Hilary Buchanan, Tommy Croombs 88.4

Match Race:

Sprouts Elder beat Charlie Spinks 2-0 81.6 & 83.2

Auto 4.10.28 said of this match race: "The worst match race of the season was run (or played about with) last week, between Sprouts Elder and Charlie Spinks. The first round was started no less than three times, and when both the riders fell in the first get-away Sprouts walked his machine off in obvious disgust, and it took a lot of persuasion to get him to start a second time, which he eventually did but not till after reading the riot act to Charlie Spinks. The latter rode rank badly all through the meeting, and although he was the only one able to finish in one of the heats of the Silver Armet, made figure 8's all over the track, and fell over the finishing line after the officials on the track had taken cover."

Thursday 27 September 1928

Match Race: Eric Spencer beat Ivor Creek 2-0 (82.8 & 82.2)

Silver Wheel Final: Vic Huxley, Dickie Smythe 89.0

Handicap Final: Clem Cort 87.8

Monday 1 October 1928

In a heat of the Club Handicap, the machine of Albert Savory caught fire. He rode round for half a lap trying unsuccessfully to kill the flames, then jumped off to avoid being burnt, and escaped injury. In the re-run, Summersby, Forster, and Holder all fell.

Handicap:

1: Tommy Croombs, Charlie Spinks 85.2

2: Jack Bishop, Eddie Slade-Jones 88.2

3: Reg Pointer, Gus Kuhn 88.6

4: Bill Albert, Gordon Cobbold 93.4

SF1: Jack Bishop, Tommy Croombs 87.2

SF2: Gus Kuhn, Reg Pointer, Gordon Cobbold [Bill Albert f] 90.0

Final: Gus Kuhn, Reg Pointer 87.6

Gold Helmet:

1: Jack Bishop, Noel Johnson 85.6

2: Vic Huxley, Charlie Spinks 82.2

3: Sprouts Elder, Eric Spencer 78.8

4: Colin Watson, Billy Lamont 88.0

Final: Sprouts Elder, Jack Bishop, Colin Watson f, Vic Huxley f 77.8

Match Race: Vic Huxley beat Sprouts Elder 2-0 (78.6 & 81.0)

Wimbledon Club Handicap Final: A Pennell, Perry [Cullingham f, Jack Bell f] 94.6

Saturday 6 October 1928

Gold Gauntlet:

1: Dickie Smythe, Reg Pointer 84.0

2: Billy Lamont, Charlie Spinks 84.0

3: Vic Huxley, Stan Spencer 83.2

4: Eric Spencer, Eddie Slade-Jones 88.8

Final: Vic Huxley, Eric Spencer, Billy Lamont 81.6 (35.3mph)

Handicap:

1: Jack Bishop, Dickie Smythe 87.8

2: Bill Albert, Billy Lamont 93.2

3: Alf Medcalf, Colin Watson 89.8

4: Mart Seiffert, Eric Spencer 89.0

SF1: Jack Bishop, Dickie Smythe 87.4

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Eric Spencer 89.6

Final: Mart Seiffert (5 sec start), Dickie Smythe 89.2 (32.2mph)

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Match Race: Vic Huxley beat Billy Lamont 2-1

Monday 8 October 1928

Match Race: Eric Spencer beat Dickie Smythe f 81.4

Silver Sash:

1: Dickie Smythe, Charlie Spinks 83.0

2: Reg Pointer, Alf Medcalf 90.0

3: Vic Huxley, Gus Kuhn 85.0

4: Eric Spencer, Tommy Croombs 84.6

Final: Eric Spencer, Dickie Smythe, Vic Huxley, Reg Pointer f 81.4

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SF1: Tommy Croombs, Stan Spencer 89.6

SF2: Clem Cort, Jack Bishop 88.6

Handicap:

1: Gus Kuhn, Gordon Cobbold 90.2

2: Jim Kempster, Hilary Buchanan 88.8

3: Reg Pointer, Tommy Croombs 88.0

4: Clem Cort, Mart Seiffert 88.4

SF1: Gordon Cobbold, Hilary Buchanan 91.4

SF2: Reg Pointer, Tommy Croombs 88.0

Final: Tommy Croombs, Reg Pointer 88.0

Saturday 13 October 1928

Match Race: Jack Parker beat Vic Huxley 2-0 79.8 & 79.8 (by 10 lengths, & by 2 lengths)

Silver Armlet:

1: Jack Parker, Reg Pointer, Cecil Brown, Eric Spencer 79.6

2: Stan Spencer, Mart Seiffert, Dickie Smythe f, Harold Stevens f 85.2

3: Vic Huxley, Jim Kempster 81.6

4: Gus Kuhn, Hilary Buchanan, Billy Lamont ef 87.0

Final: Jack Parker, Stan Spencer, Gus Kuhn, Vic Huxley f 84.8

Handicap:

1: Jack Parker, Gordon Cobbold, Les Maguire f, Hilary Buchanan f, Jack Bishop ef 85.8

2: Bern Hieatt, Reg Pointer, Dickie Smythe, Charlie Spinks f, Alf Medcalf f 88.6

3: Gus Kuhn, Mart Seiffert, Eric Spencer ef, Vic Huxley ef, Boyd Pratt f 88.8

4: Jim Kempster, Bill Albert, Billy Lamont f, Harold Stevens f, Clem Cort f 88.8

SF1: Jack Parker, Gordon Cobbold, Reg Pointer, Bern Hieatt f 84.8

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Jim Kempster, Gus Kuhn, Bill Albert f 88.0

Final: Mart Seiffert (5 sec), Jim Kempster, Gordon Cobbold f, Jack Parker f 90.6

Wimbledon Club Handicap: Fred Cooper, Deal, Pennell f, Crook

Monday 15 October 1928

Postponed – rain.

Saturday 20 October 1928

Postponed – rain.

Monday 29 October 1928

Match Race: Eric Spencer beat Jim Kempster 83.8 by 4 lengths

Handicap:

Ht.1: Jimmy Stevens f,rm [Fred Bailey f, Jim Kempster f] 94.6

Ht.2: Ernie Perry, Gus Kuhn 95.2

SF1: Gus Kuhn, Jim Kempster 89.4

SF2: Mart Seiffert, Reg Pointer.

Final: Mart Seiffert 90.8

Gold Helmet Final: Eric Spencer, Jim Kempster 81.8