

Keen Interest Shown in Tri-City Relay Race

Keen interest has been shown in last week's announcement of the first annual tri-city relay race to be run from New Liskeard to Cobalt on Saturday afternoon, October 22nd. The race is open to all residents of the north along the route of the T. & N. O. Railway.

Although the first official announcement was made only last week several teams have announced their intention of entering the race. Two or three teams have already donned the "gym" suit and are training for the event.

Although the race will start in New Liskeard, go through Haileybury and end in Cobalt, much enthusiasm has been shown in Kirkland Lake, Timmins, Cochrane, Iroquois Falls, Englehart and Elk Lake, over the proposed race. Training has already started in some of these towns and many entries are assured from all parts of the North.

High schools, churches, scout troops, Tuxis Squares, are all numbered among those who are expected to enter teams. When the runners await the starters' gun on October 22nd it is expected that the cream of the North's youth will be represented.

Additional information concerning the trophies and prizes to be awarded the successful runners is now available. A silver shield, suitably engraved, will be held by the winning team for a year. This shield will be up for annual competition. Silver cups will be presented to each member of the winning team. Silver medals will be awarded each member of the second team to finish. All prizes are donated by The Northern News, Cobalt.

The race is being run under the direction of The Northern News in affiliation with the Cobalt Y.M.C.A. The "Y" have already offered their facilities to teams in the district for training purposes.

From time to time additional information concerning the race will be announced. Any person interested is invited to write the race secretary, Fred P. Failes, The Northern News, Cobalt.

RULES OF THE RACE

1. Race will be over course of eleven miles, starting in New Liskeard and finishing in Cobalt.
2. Entrants must be under 18 years of age on the day of race.
3. Teams will be composed of 6 runners.
4. Entrants must be residents of the North viz., along the route of the T. & N. O. Railway.

way, north of and including Temagami, and south of and including Cochrane.

5. Entrants must have resided at present address six months or over.
6. Teams must represent an organization.
7. In the event of one organization entering two or more teams an identifying name must be applied to each team competing.

8. A captain of each team must be appointed, his name to show on entry form, who will be responsible for conduct of his team.

9. Entries close 6 p.m., October 15th.
10. Any change from original entry must be filed before date set for close of entries.

11. In event of sickness of any runner or any other emergency satisfactory proof must be supplied committee half an hour before start of race.

12. Each team must be certified by executive of organization which is being represented.
13. Proof of age must be supplied if demanded.

14. Three or more teams must be entered.

15. Entrants will assemble at Cobalt "Y" at 1:30 o'clock sharp for final instructions and to be transported to starting and relay posts. Entrants must submit to medical examination.

16. Cars will be provided to transport runners to starting and relay posts. Cars will also pick up runners at relay posts.

17. Race will start at 3 o'clock sharp in front of Speaker Office, New Liskeard.

18. First relay post will be Professor Sharp's residence. (2 mile lap.)

19. Second relay post will be Moore's Cove School (2 mile lap)

20. Third relay post will be Hotel Haileybury (1 1/2 mile lap)

21. Fourth relay post will be Buckle Council Chambers, North Cobalt (2 mile lap)

22. Fifth relay post will be Mileage 10 1/2 School (2 mile lap)

23. Finish will be in front of Cobalt Y.M.C.A., Silver Street, Cobalt (1 1/2 mile lap)

24. Judges will be placed at each relay post

25. Each team will carry a copy of The Northern News, same to be passed to relieving runner at relay post.

26. A thirty-foot getaway will be allowed at each relay post.

27. Runners must adhere to course outlined by committee.

28. Runners must remain in road. No running on sidewalks will be permitted.

29. Runners must not touch or be touched by any person except relieving runner.

30. Runners must not be accompanied by

any car or vehicle, nor can he be paced in any manner.

31. Teams will be given identifying colors to be worn by runners, colors to be later designated by general committee.

32. Starter will be Mayor P. J. Grant, of New Liskeard. Finishing judge will be Mayor Frank Lendrum, of Cobalt.

33. Decision of the general committee will be final.

34. Prizes will be as follows:

(a) A shield for annual competition, to remain property of The Northern News, and held each year by winning team.

(b) Silver cups will be awarded each member of winning team.

(c) Silver medals will be awarded each member of team in second place.

Entrants must be mailed to Frederick P. Failes, Race Secretary, The Northern News, Cobalt, Ont.

History Competition in South Temiskaming

The results of the Special Competition in history relating to Confederation are announced below. The competition, which was held on June 2nd, was open to all public and separate schools and four medals were awarded to each inspectorate. Many schools competed and while only four received recognition the results in many cases were exceedingly close and a number of excellent essays were received. All schools competing are to be congratulated for their enterprise in so doing.

The results:

Silver Medal—Marion McCoy, New Liskeard Separate School.

Bronze Medals—James Keach, Haileybury French Separate School; Margaret McCarthy, Haileybury English Separate School; Leonard Tucker, S. S. No. 1, Harris.



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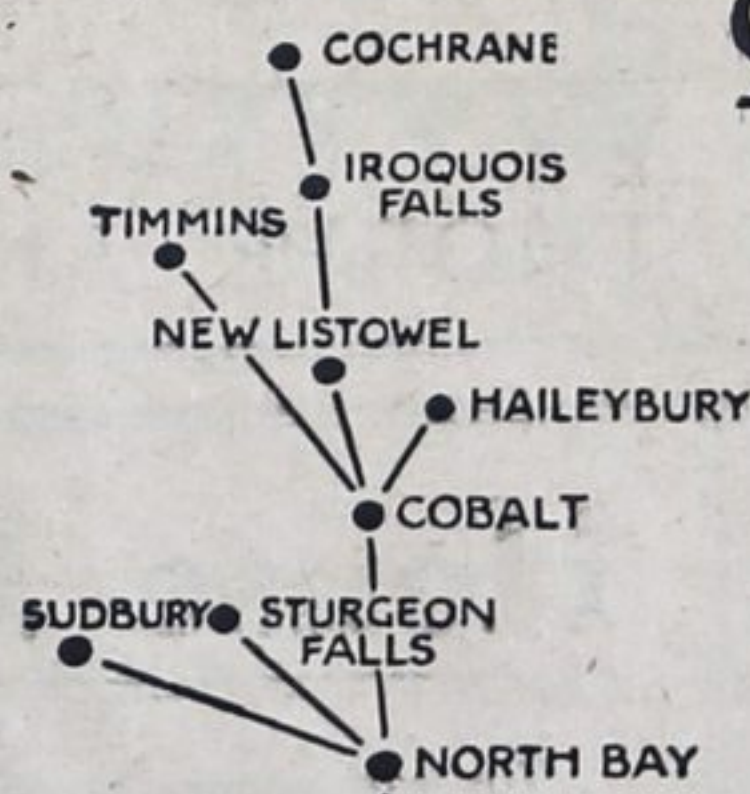


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