

VIENNA REVIVES CYCLE RACE

Fifty racing cyclists revived the famous pre-war ~~man~~ contest, the 120-lap race round Vienna City Hall.

Austria, Hungary, Switzerland and Czechoslovakia were represented.. The lap is less than half a mile, practically without a straight. A test of cornering at speed.

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(sv) Slight rain greased the road. There were lovely tumbles.

Cheers for the winner, the Slovak they couldn't check.

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Bicycle Race, Vienna

New the cycle race - around the Vienna City Hall, Austria's best cyclists as well as competitors from Switzerland, C.S.R. and Hungary were among the starters. 12,000 spectators come to see the spring race. The mass of competitors takes off to run 80 kilometers in 120 rounds.

Goldschmidt, last years winner, leads at the start.

Champions like Phnedahl, Wachold and Ciganek are in the middle of the field.

After the 70 th round, rain. The wet track causes some light crashes.

Goldschmidt stays in the lead. Victory seems certain for him.

Then, in the 97 th round, the young Swebeda from Sport-Union comes out and scores extra points in round after round. He cannot be caught, and wins with 55 points; Goldschmidt is second.

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