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SUBJECT: REG. HARRIS - SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR

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Savoy Hotel ✓
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Personables
Harris, Reg. ✓
Vrazanova, Aja ✓
Compton, Dennis ✓
Carter, Raich ✓
Gardner, Maurice ✓
Blankers, Koen, Langley ✓
Bevan, Aneurin ✓
Wardell, Mike ✓

LOCATION OF STORY Savoy Hotel.

SHOT LIST

- I. M.V. Reg. Harris and friend arriving at the Savoy. 7 Jor.
2. C.U. Reg. Harris. 4 "
3. M.V. Aja Vrazanova arriving. 5 "
4. C.U. Ditto. 4 "
5. S.V. Dennis Compton chatting to Reg. Harris. 5 "
6. C.U. Raich Carter arriving. 4 "
7. C.U. Maureen Gardner. 4 "
8. S.V. Fanny Blankers-Koen, in white hat, with Aja Vrazanova. 5 "
9. C.U. Aneurin Bevan. 5 "
10. M.V. Portrait of Reg. Harris. 4 Rud.
11. C.U. Tag beneath portrait - 'Reg. Harris, Sportsman of the Year, 1949'. 2 Rud.
12. M.V. Bevan on platform. 6 "
13. C.U. Bevan saying:
'We had to wait a long time before we got the world cycling championship, but we've got it at last and we're very grateful to him for that. We've exported plenty of cycles. It's time we won on one of them.' 34 Rud.
14. C.U. The Editor of Sporting Record. Mike Wardell
(Dubbing shot - - - 3ft.) Rud.
15. C.U. Bevan speaking:
'I can assure all those who have taken part in sports that the effort now in the political world know what a close finish feels like'. 24 Rud.
16. M.V. Bevan presenting Cup to Reg. Harris. 9 "
17. C.U. Harris holding Cup. 5 Jor.
18. L.V. Reg. Harris about to speak. 6 "

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19. C.U. Harris saying:
 'We have in this country a lot of very fine athletes, cricketers, footballers and what have you. Some or other, when it comes to international competition, generally speaking we seem to fall just a little bit too short of the mark.'

27 Rud.

20. C.U. Bevan listening.

3 "

21. C.U. Harris saying:

'But I can't help thinking that if our people here in this country of ours were given anything like just 50 percent of the facility that is given to our opponents that come from the Continent, I do feel that the prestige of this nation would be upheld in a very much better manner.'

38 Rud.

22. M.V. Harris sits down pan to audience applauding.

6 Rud.

1	2	C.U.	Reg. Harris.
2	3	M.V.	Aja Vranova arriving.
3	4	U.	Disq.
4	5	S.V.	Dennis Compton chatting to Reg. Harris.
5	6	C.U.	Ralph Carter arriving.
6	7	C.U.	Maurice Gardner.
7	8	S.	Fenny Blenkins-Koen, in white hat, with Aja Vranova.
8	9	C.U.	Alexis Bevan.
9	10	M.	Portrait of Reg. Harris.
10	11	U.	Tag beneath portrait - 'Reg. Harris, Sportsman of the Year, 1949'.
11	12	M.	Bevan on platform.
12	13	C.U.	Bevan saying: 'We had to wait a long time before we got the world cycling championship, but we've got it at last and we're very grateful to him for that. We've expected plenty of cycles. It's time we won one of them.'
13	14	C.U.	The Editor of Sporting Record. (Dipping shot - - -)
14	15	C.U.	Bevan speaking: 'I can assure all those who have taken part in sports that it is now in the political world know what a close finish feels like.'
15	16	M.V.	Bevan presenting Cup to Reg. Harris.
16	17	C.U.	Harris holding cup.
17	18	I.	Reg. Harris about to speak.

Handwritten notes:
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Lee, Sydney ✓
Davis, Fred. ✓
Compton, Dennis ✓
Wardell, Mike ✓
Gardner, Maureen. ✓

LOCATION OF STORY Savoy Hotel.

SHOT LIST

- I. C.U. The Cup awarded to Reg. Harris - sportsman of the year.
2. M.S. Pan over assembly clapping.
3. M.S. Audience.
4. M.S. Reg. Harris standing in front of mike.
5. S.C.U. Aja Vraznova and Fanny Blankers-Koen.
6. C.U. Aneurin Bevan shaking hands with someone off screen.
7. C.U. Bevan.
8. C.U. Ted Kavanagh arriving.
9. C.U. McDonald Bailey arriving.
10. S.C.U. John and Jennifer Nicks, skaters, arriving.
11. C.U. Raich Carter.
12. S.C.U. Unidentified man arriving followed by Arthur Wint.
13. S.C.U. Notice on bicycle, saying it is machine on which Reg. Harris won the world championship.
14. S.C.U. Nye Bevan chatting to Fanny Blankers-Koen.
15. C.U. Bevan.
16. C.U. Sydney Lee and Fred Davis.
17. C.U. The Cup.
18. C.U. Fanny Blankers-Koen and Aja Vraznova.
19. S.C.U. Denis Compton chatting to Fanny Blankers-Koen.
20. M.S. Maureen Gardner (Mrs. Dyson), Fanny Blankers-Koen and others.
21. S.C.U. Bevan and the editor of Sporting Record. (Mike Wardell)
22. C.U. Bevan and Reg. Harris pan to Harris along after presentation of Cup.

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23. C.U. Reg. Harris and girl friend.

24. C.U. Bevan.

25. C.U. Blankers-Koen.

26. S.C.U. Denis Compton chatting to others.

27. C.U. Aja Vraznova.

28. S.C.U. Reg. Harris chatting to girl.

29. M.S. Bevan speaking:

'Ladies and gentlemen, as Mike Wardell has already told you, this is the fourth occasion upon which I've had the honour and privilege of performing this little ceremony. I ought perhaps to say that it is also an occasion upon which I have established a record, that no-one has taken the slightest notice of.....

30 S.C.U. and I'm quite sure Reg. that it won't be accepted with the same universal acclamation as the one that you have achieved. I have just been told by my secretary that I have been Minister of Health longer than any other Minister of Health in the history of Great Britain.

31. C.U. Now, I know that there will be certain quarters in which that will be received with tepid enthusiasm. However I thought perhaps I'd better mention it here today as I'm amongst sportsmen, who will accept it with the credulity it deserves.

Now this has always been a very happy gathering and the climate has always been cordial and that says a great deal for the spirit which is promoted by a keen sportsmanship of a kind that we meet here to celebrate. I have very great honour and pleasure in meeting some most charming people in the sporting world, I wouldn't have met in any other way, a

.... and Reg. has brought it off, among all the other championships which he has achieved. Now cycling is a very, very popular British sport, and knocking down cyclists sometimes seems to be a very popular motorists' sport, but I know that any one of us who motors out of the great cities of Great Britain at any time in the summer will feel a warm thrill at the sight of the fine boys and girls cycling together into the countryside. I think they make a very fine sight indeed and we hope they enjoy themselves.

32. S.C.U. We hope that he has very many more records - I was going to say up his sleeve - but, in his legs rather, and that we shall see him here at our gatherings in other years, when perhaps I shall not have the good fortune of performing this ceremony.