

BRAVO PIRIE.

The 120-yards Hurdles Final, in the 3-A.s championships. After drenching downpours, conditions were terrible.

Svara, of Italy, won in 14-point-4 seconds.

The 100-yards Final. Jerome, of Canada, burst into the lead from the start and stayed there.

Though not a record, the time of 9.6 was a credit to Jerome on a sodden track.

S.R. Porter, Birchfield Harriers, defended the Pole Vault title he won last year. Second, this time: 13 feet. For the technique, watch S.M. Downhill going up, in slow motion.

Ankio, of Finland, won the event with a vault of 14 feet, six. The 3-A.s championship best. This was one of the 12-out-of-20 titles to go abroad. Now for one that remained at home. Running in the 3-Miles Final was that dedicated athlete Gordon Pirie, now 30 years old. B.B. Craig, of Blackpool and the RAF, made the pace, with Pirie now about 5th. They said the track was like porridge made a couple of weeks ago. Martin Hyman, Bruce Tulloh, and Pirie, the order now; but the old Master went ahead at the right time, and was soon out on his own.

Pirie breasted the tape in 13 minutes, 31.2. Gordon, it's Mud in Yor Eye, and all over.