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(2). TITLE.:- CROSS COUNTRY.

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Picture.:- They're Off ! ... Three-hundred-and-sixty of them. ... They're in, or rather out, for a pretty thick time, for winter staged a "come-back" overnight ! ... A big crowd --

--cheered their favourites, many of whom have helped to make running history for the old Country.

Into the "plough" they go, facing one of the toughest courses --

--that could be selected for such a purpose. ... A worse test is in store --

--for them. ... It's a good job they don't all want to cross the brook at once ! ...

It'll be good practice for train-catching in the morning - or tailer-dodging and any other time !

Bailey's best man ! ... He's an easy winner !

Nine miles in 52 minutes 5 2/5 seconds. ... Well done, Bailey !

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