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TITLE.:- A LONG HIKE.

Picture.:- At eight o'clock on a "summer's" morning, seventy-one heroes set out on a big dash from Nottingham to "Brum". It is fifty-five miles - fifty-five sound reasons why only those in good condition can --

--tackle it ! The weather maintains its "summer-like" effect all through the long trek, and those who are not "in it" at the finish can truthfully say that they were beaten by the elements, --

--although "anno domini" might account for the failure of some of them.

T.W. Green, that wonderful Belgrave Harrier who won this race last year, --

--"steps on it" with such success that he comes into Birmingham nearly half an hour ahead of the next best man.

I agree with the Mayor of Birmingham, who greeted the winner. He said "Green had accomplished something he wouldn't care to do himself". O.K. Mister Mayor!