



A Review of the Club's activities in the immediate Past, Present and Future.

BI-MONTHLY BULLETIN

The Chilterns Trial

THE principal event organised by the Club since the last issue of *The M.G. Magazine* was the Chilterns Trial on 13th January. For this 66 entries were received and there were 57 starters.

The start and finish were at The Lambert Arms, near Lewknor, and the two principal hills were Pyrton and Crowell, both of which caused a large number of failures.

The course consisted of two laps of a 26-mile circuit taken in the same direction on each occasion. Thus Pyrton and Crowell had both to be climbed twice.

Two Special Tests were included in order to enable the organisers to find the winner of

the premier award, the C.M.I. Banana.

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The Manchester Centre

The Manchester & District Centre held their A.G.M. on 7th January last, which was preceded by a Hot-pot Supper.

A new Trials Secretary was appointed, and with the addition of a Social Secretary it is hoped to get into closer contact with the other Centres during the coming season. The Trials Secretary is Mr. E. S. Berry and the Social Secretary Mr. A. Berisford.

On 18th January the Centre's first dinner and dance was held at The Queen's Hotel, Manchester, with Mr. John Norris in the chair.

One of the most buoyant of all the Centres of the Club, the Manchester & District Centre,

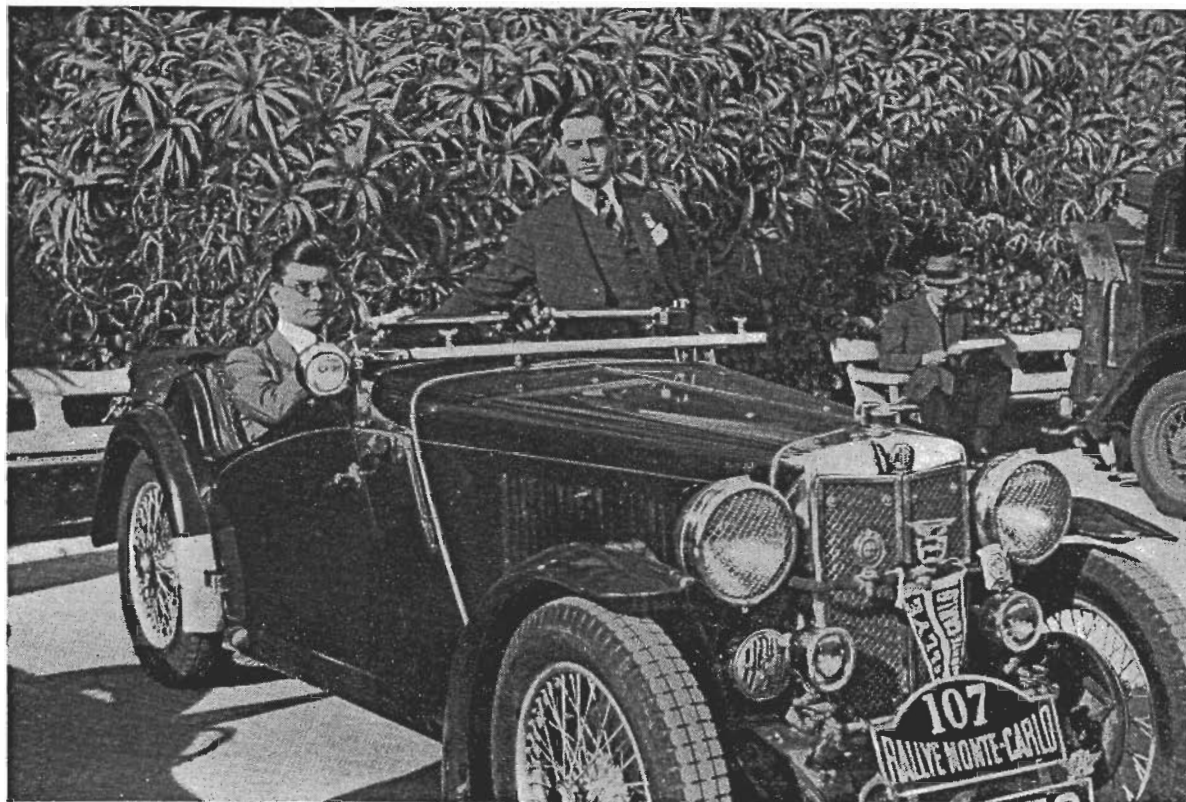
which did not come into being until February, 1934, had achieved a membership of 118 at the time of the dinner.

Not unnaturally Mr. G. B. Hall, the Centre Hon. Secretary, and the committee were complimented by all the speakers on the enthusiasm and hard work which has brought their Centre so rapidly to the fore.

Mr. Cecil Kimber, replying to the toast of Our President, which was delightfully proposed by the Chairman, mentioned that the Manchester & District Centre is now the largest of the M.G. Car Club's children.

He complimented the committee on its excellent organisation of the Cockshoot Trial and described as a fine gesture their invitation to Northern Centre members who "came down and swiped the cup."

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Messrs. Denzil Lee and Lewin, two enthusiastic M.G. Car Club members, with the car they took on this year's Monte Carlo Rally from John o' Groat's.