



That's moving Phil

IN SUNDAY'S snow-covered conditions at Hatherton, Cheshire, the organisers of the Nantwich Club's first-ever time-and-observation trial estimated that at least 30 minutes would be needed to cover the four laps of the one-mile course.

But Phil Anderton (250 Bultaco) shook everyone by flying round in 15m 10s to set up standard time and finish third overall.

Riders were debited one mark per minute above Anderton's time, and overall winner Dave Roland (250 Bultaco) lost two marks on time and six on observation.

Each lap contained observed sections, and because of the

adverse conditions the minimum of tape was used, giving riders the maximum width to tackle the slippery hills.

The notorious Heartbreak Hill was in good form and many riders lost marks there.

Of the entry of 42, 10 failed to appear at the start, and four exhausted riders did not complete the course.

RESULTS

Best Performance and Best on Observation: D. Rowland (250 Bultaco), 8 marks lost.

Best on Time: P. A. Anderton (250 Bultaco), 10.

Best Nantwich Member: R. P. Salt (250 Bultaco), 17.

First-class Awards: R. Armsden (250 Greeves), 9; I. C. Shennan (250 Bultaco), 10; J. B. Sowden (250 Bultaco), 16.

