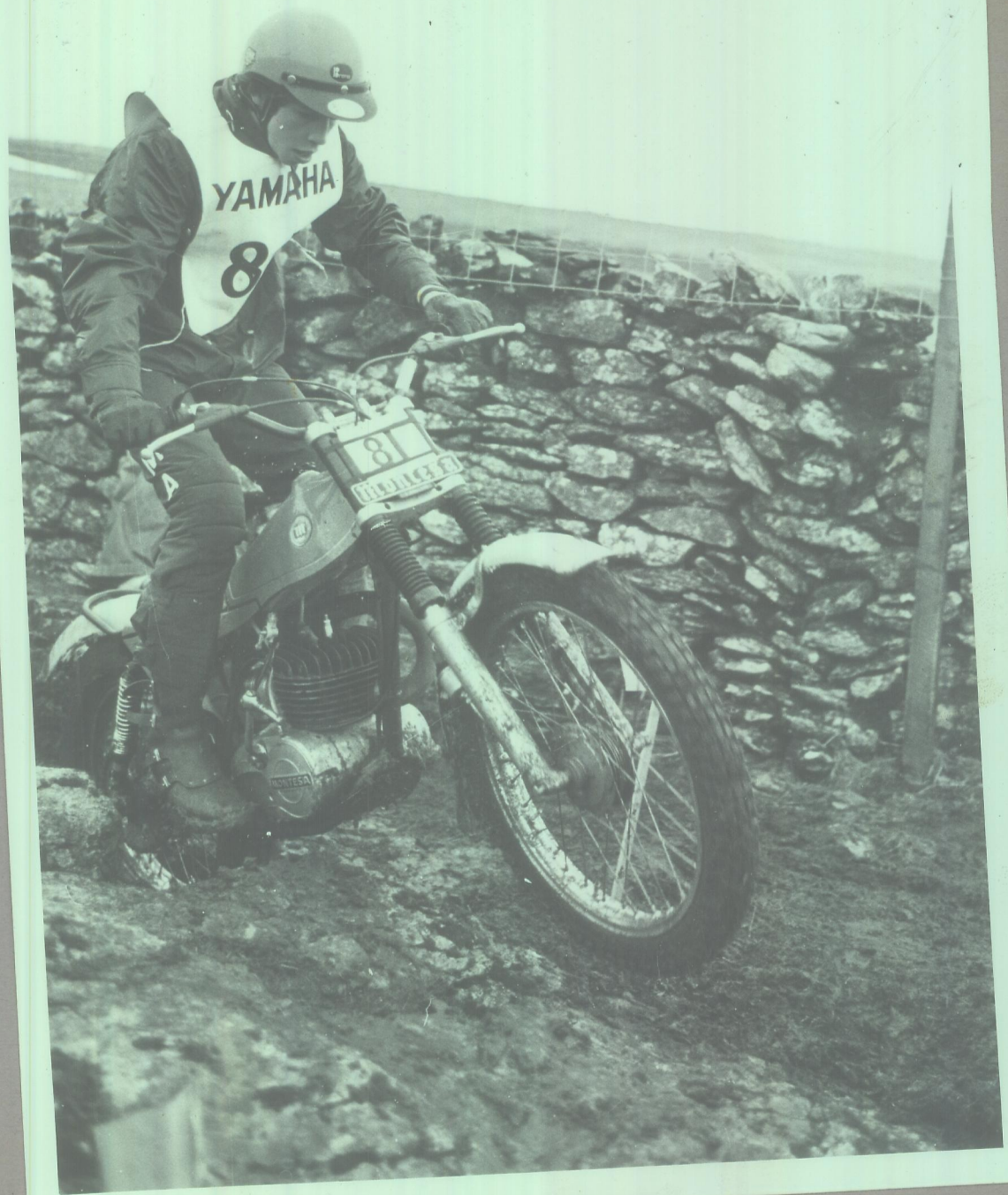




Number ten had been before, a fairly easy trip up over the stream bed but its variation after work to change it had been carried out, made it almost unconquerable. It now included a gigantic three feet high boulder with the choice of either going over the top if it, or to make for a narrow gap.

Seeing it in its altered state caused more than slight alarm by the riders and it was felt that no-one would ever clean it. Chris Pears in fearless fashion made a determined attack to get through the gap and stopped dead with a metallic clang. John Lampkin got over the

boulder as he tried the alternative route and needed just one in so doing

This attempt earned him applause from the many who were in attendance after word had circulated that his was the best section of the course. Scott Rowland, in a wonderful attempt scaled the rock without loss, made the rest of the undulating stream bed and was about to claim the distinction of being the first to clean it, when suddenly a loose stone shot him off course making him miss the ends cards for a five.

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MORE than 100 lads packed the paddock at the Butts, Ashover, Derbyshire, on Sunday for the fourth round of the Sutton Falcons club trials championship.

The weather remained beautiful all day as the A and B lads tackled five laps of 12 sections and the C riders did four laps of nine modified sections.

Section nine was the only real stopper — it was missed out by the C class — and it comprised of a twisty rock path leading to a short, steep climb between two trees with exposed roots, a sharp turn and out through more rocks.

Only five riders managed this on the first lap and the best ride came from David Leather who dropped only one. At the end of the trial it was Scott Rowland who did

best on the section with a total loss of five.

Stephen Brownlee took his 250 Majesty Yam to victory in the A class, dropping only 14 marks as runner-up Andrew Arden (250 Bultaco) logged 18.

David Leather staged a brilliant ride in the B class, dropping just 18 and relegating Tony Scarlett into runner-up position with 26.

Rochdale's Jeremy Cragg was absolutely brilliant in the C class, conceding only 12 marks to win by a mile from Michael Wright on the 50cc Fantic who finished on 32.

RESULTS

A class: Stephen Brownlee (250 Majesty Yamaha) 14 marks lost, Andrew Arden (250 Bultaco) 18, Paul Coles (250 Ossa) 26, Scott Rowland (123 Montesa) 38, Roger Needham (250 Bultaco) 41, Graham Hatton (123 Montesa) 42.

B class: David Leather (200 Yamaha) 19, Tony Scarlett (175 Yamaha) 26, Gary Burdett (175 Bultaco) 37, Ian Bovill (125 Fantic) 40.

C class: Jeremy Cragg (80 Yamaha) 12, Michael Wright (50 Fantic) 32, Teddy Breffitt (80 Yamaha) 47, Martin Craven (80 Yamaha) 50.



Scott Rowland didn't have the best of rides but just managed to take a first class award.

CELEBRATING its Diamond Jubilee, Sheffield and Hallamshire MC held its national youth trial at Stonedge, Derbyshire, on Sunday.

RESULTS

Best class A: Graham Tales (250 Appleyard Bultaco) 25 marks lost.

First class awards: Steve Brownlee (200 Majesty) 27, Mark Holland (250 Majesty) 30, Andrew Arden (250 Bultaco) 31, Paul Doney (250 Bultaco) 53, Peter Law (250 Bultaco) 60, Scott Rowland (250 Montesa) 61, Paul Coles (250 Ossa) 62.

Best class B: David Leather (200 Majesty) 22.

First class awards: Tony Scarlett (175 Yamaha) 35, Robert Faulkner (175 Yamaha) 38, Andy Tales (200 Majesty) 55, Mark Jackson (175 Yamaha) 60, David Higgins (175 Yamaha) 63.

Best class C: Jeremy Cragg (80 Yamaha) 33.

First class awards: Steve Swanson (80 Yamaha) 39, Julian Ingham (80 Yamaha) 45, Teddy Breffitt (80 Yamaha) 53.

Best four stroke (Smyth Trophy): Andrew Green (125 Argon) 215.

Best Sheffield and Hallamshire club member: (Jeff Hall Rosebowl): Ian Rawlins (250 Bultaco).