

Athletics

COACH AND PUPIL Double Success

H. Duncan coached K. Semple to win the State novice cross-country title at Ramsgate on Saturday, and then showed his pupil how it was done by winning the senior scratch race.

Semple, 17-year-old Botany runner, won by 13 seconds from R. Skinner (St. George). He has been competing with Botany since he was 11 years of age.

STATE NOVICE FIVE MILES.—K. Semple (Botany). 27m 46s. 1; R. Skinner (St. George). 27m 59s. 2; F. Slater (St. George). 28m 39s. 3.

TEAMS' RACE.—St. George (Skinner 2, Slater 3, Corkhill 4, S. Randells 5), 14 points; Botany (1, 7, 11, 14), 33; South Sydney (6, 8, 9, 13), 38.

SENIOR FIVE MILES SCRATCH.—H. Duncan (Botany). 27m 12s. 1; J. Hayes (St. George). 27m 25s. 2; S. Millington (St. George). 27m 32s. 3.

TEAMS' RACE.—Botany (Duncan 1, Flanagan 6, Hensley 7, Schwede 11), 25 points; St. George (2, 3, 12, 14, 31), 31; South Sydney (4, 5, 13, 17), 39.

JUNIOR TWO MILES.—O. Summerton (West. Subs.). 10m 13s. 1; J. Weekes (St. George). 2; C. Masteller (St. George). 3.

JUVENILE MILE.—R. McWilliams (South Syd.). 5m 16s. 1; R. Whittham (Botany). 2; K. Sutton (St. Geo.). 3.