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CAR RACING'S NEXT STARS

Motor racing. More popular, every year. But where are the next aces coming from? The injury to Roy Salvadori in Australia puts the question in sharp focus. Who'll be the next Stirling Moss? Or Innes Ireland? It's a great sport, and as Stirling has proved, there's fame and fortune in it. And there's always room at the top; whether it's sports car racing or the big Grand Prix stuff.

Stuttgart, where Innes Ireland covered himself with glory.

Is there another Innes Ireland coming along somewhere? Where's the next Jack Brabham? There are cups to be won and a mint of money. Perhaps the man who today knows the answer is Jim Russell, shown here setting the world six-hour record at Montlhery in 1955.

In 1959 Jim Russell was injured at Le Mans and was out of racing for some time. Now at Snetterton, Merfelk, he runs a school. For 25 shillings a week about 150 pupils get the benefit of his experience, and if the talent is there, the course will bring it out.

On lap tests the timing is in the Grand Prix class. What a chance all this is for young drivers. If a new Brabham, Ireland or Moss is developed here, British motor racing will owe its thanks to Jim Russell.