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Czech Motorcycle Racers at HEDEMORA.

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Four Czech motorcycle racers, HAVEL with a Jawa 500 cc, PARUS, with a CZ 125 cc, KOSTIR, with a Jawa 500 cc, and Frantisek BARTOS with a CZ 125 cc, will take part in the great GRAND PRIX races at HEDEMORA, Sweden. They are accompanied by a group leader, BAKALA, and arrived in STOCKHOLM by plane on Tuesday, July 13. They proceeded immediately to HEDEMORA.

Fifteen nations are participating in the race which is the tenth Sweden has arranged.

Training started officially on Thursday (July 15) on HEDEMORA's circular 7 km long race track. The best-known men who are entering the contest are the South-Rhodesian Ray AMM, the Irishmen Reg ARMSTRONG and COLEMAN (fnu) and the New Zealander Rod COLEMAN.

The Czechs' BARTOS and PARUS who are starting in the 125 cc class have a chance of winning judging from the times they made during training, viz., 3.55.3 and 3.59.8 respectively. Their most dangerous competition is the Italian GENEVIVA who made 3.48.0 on his MV Augusta.

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