

NATIONAL DOES WELL IN WILKESBARRE HILL CLIMB

WINS ONE FIRST, ONE SECOND
AND ONE FIFTH.

BENZ CAR SMASHES RECORD

[By Carbureter.]

Indianapolis as the home of the automobile was again brought into prominence yesterday by the performance of the National in the annual hill climb events of the Wilkes-Barre Automobile Club up Giant's Despair mountain, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

In the presence of 60,000 spectators, who overran the course at times, Charles Merz, in a National six, won the six-cylinder class in 1:48 with an Oldsmobile second.

In the class for cars with a cylinder displacement between 451 and 600 cubic inches, Dennison, in a Knox, carried off the honors in the fast time of 1:40 4-5, while Merz in his National six was second in 1:47 3-5. The sixty Stoddard-Dayton, driven by Miller, was third in 1:48.

Competing against the most famous racing cars in the world, both foreign and American make, the National six finished in fifth place in the big event of the day, the event being won by David Bruce Brown in a 120-horsepower Benz.

Brown Drives Great Race.

Brown smashed all records, covering the

