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- 5) How many planes started the race? **16**
- 6) How many laps did the race consist of and how long were they? **4 laps of 17 miles each making the total racecourse length = 68 miles**
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2nd place- Alfred Paine 3rd place- David Ogilvy
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