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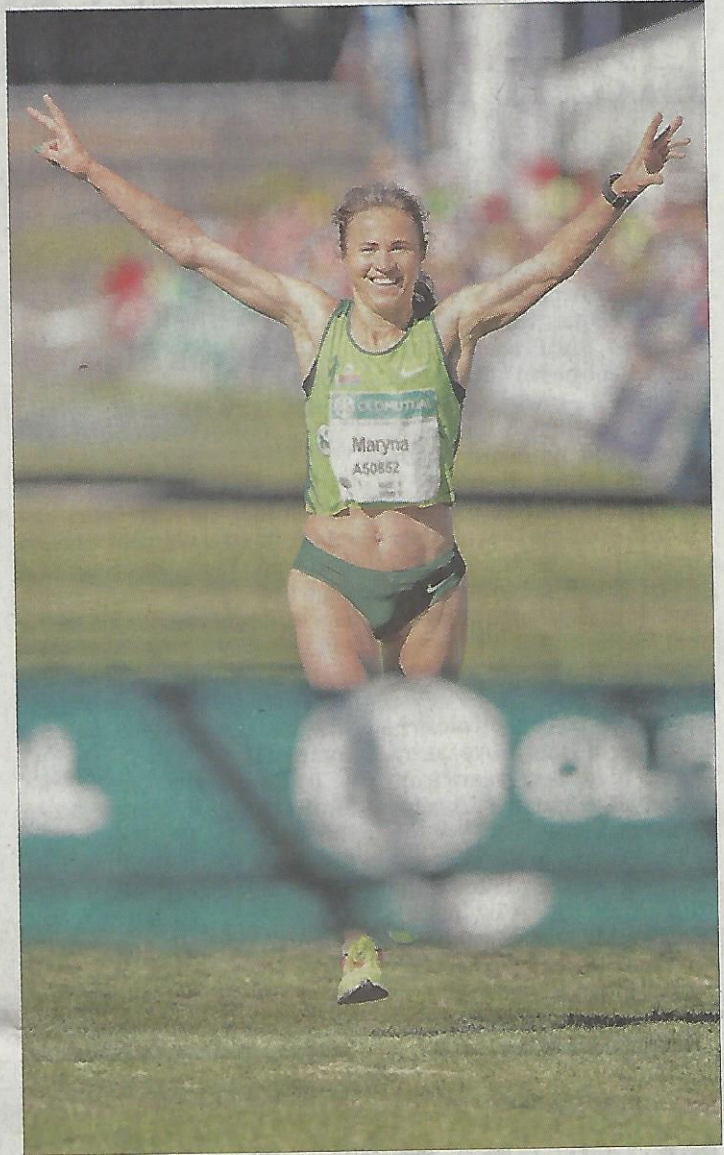
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Two Oceans Marathon results supplement inside today

## Cape victor



Khayelitsha runner Lungile Gongqa turned up the pace in the final stages of yesterday's Old Mutual Two Oceans ultra-marathon to become the first men's winner from the Cape in 44 years. Gongqa, 37, had suffered heartbreak in last year's Olympic Games in Rio, quitting the marathon race before the end due to illness and the humidity. Yesterday he broke the tape in 3 hr 09 min 43 sec, collapsing as he crossed the finish line, due to his all-out effort in the last few kilometres. The



last Cape runner to win the 56km race was artist and poet, Don Hartley, whose second victory came in 1973. Belarussian Maryna Damantsevich won the women's race in an excellent 3:37:13. Although many runners wore black armbands, race organisers said the bands were not against race regulations and no one had been disqualified for making a political statement. Race reports, see page 28

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