

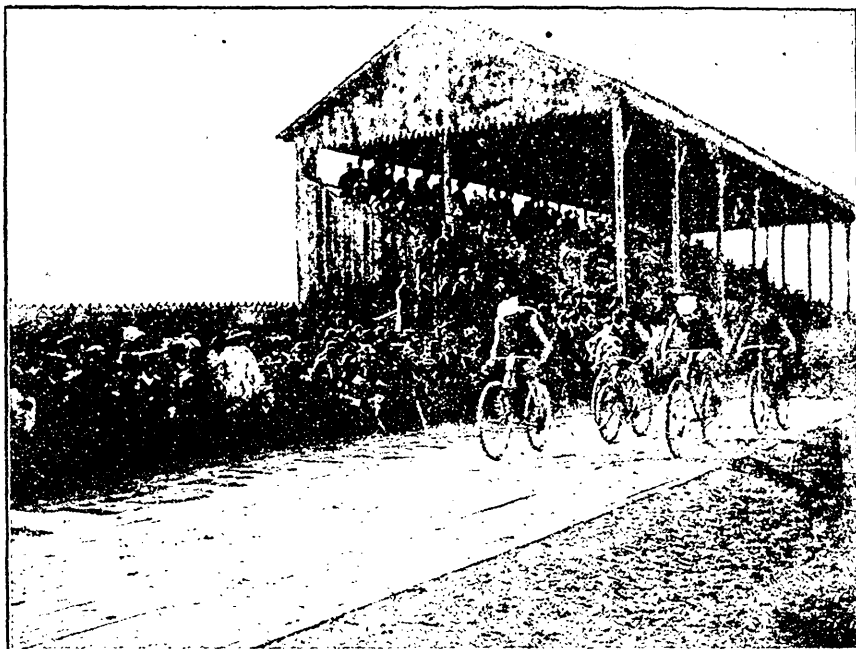
(twenty-four) that six heats were run before the final was called and the competitors had been narrowed down to four, viz.: Sliter, K.B.C., Bendelari, T.B.C., and McQuillan and McGuire, W.B.C.

One-mile championship—1, G. M. Wells. Time (record) 2.32.

The starters in this race were Palmer, H.B.C.; Low and Louson, M.B.C.; Wells, W.B.C.; Smith and Carman, T.B.C. Wells led from the start, closely followed by Palmer and Smith, which order continued until the last quarter, when Smith dropped back,

finished second was given first place, Connolly second, Skerrett third. Smith also won the second heat, Skerrett second and Connolly third. The final heat between Skerrett and Connolly for second place ended in a magnificent spurt, in which the Yankee passed Skerrett a few feet from the finish.

Three-mile championship—1, W. M. Carman, T.B.C.; time (record), 8.08½. The other starters were: Palmer and Griffith, H. B.C.; Low, M.B.C.; Nash, W.B.C.; and Smith, T.B.C. This was a well-contested race, all the men being pretty well bunched,



THIRD LAP IN THE THREE MILE.

Palmer finishing six inches behind Wells and Low third.

Two-mile (6.30 class)—1, F. Doll, W.B.C.; 2, J.G. Gauld, H.B.C.; 3, C. Manville, London Wheelmen. Time 5.50½.

Also started in this race Nugent, of Rochester, and Lyon, of the Athenæums, who dropped out, the others finishing well together.

Quarter-mile (in heats)—1, E. J. P. Smith, T.B.C.; 2, C. J. Connolly, Rochester A. C.; 3, F. H. Skerrett, H.B.C. Best time, 36 seconds, by Hyslop, T.B.C.

In the first heat of this race Hyslop, for crowding, was ruled off, and Smith who

with the exception of Nash and Griffith, who soon dropped out. The second mile (Smith leading) was made in 5.25, breaking the record for that distance. On the last quarter Carman, who was behind, made a magnificent spurt, and crossed the tape a winner by a foot, Smith second, Palmer third. Low broke his saddle in the last lap, but rode to the finish.

One-mile (open)—1, Hyslop, T.B.C.; 2, Smith, T.B.C.; 3, Connolly, R.A.C.; time, 2.33½. Also started, McClelland, T.B.C.; Gibbons, R.C.B.C. Just after the start of this race several of the spectators called "foul," and Hyslop and Smith stopped