

Ye Haughty Cyclist.

At one time to find himself referred to in the columns of the press as a racing man was sufficient to imbue the average rider with conceit sufficient to blister a cheap wall paper, but that, happily, is a thing of the past. What now causes a man to bear himself haughtily, and expand his chest as if on a short mark in a handicap with a pouter pigeon at scratch, is one—the first—successful attempt to repair a punctured pneumatic. He feels himself competent and qualified to lecture, harangue and instruct any miserable cyclist he may come across plunged a hundred fathoms deep in the dead despair of a complicated burst. And he does! Let these same primary puncture-merchants take warning ere some terrible retribution follows all too quickly upon their maddening advices. Should we be called upon the jury, we should do our best to bring about a verdict of justifiable homicide.—*The Cyclist.*

During the L.A.W. meet at Washington the lamp and bell ordinances were suspended.

The total L.A.W. membership on July 15 was 27,090. Verily they are booming things on the other side of the line.

Hamilton and Petrolia are running a close race for second club in the C.W.A. each standing with 100 names on the roll.

The half-mile handicap race of the Toronto meet should bring out some very snappy racing, and the timekeepers will have their hands full, as the finishes are sure to be close.

C.W.A. now has 1,376 members, with forty-four affiliated clubs whose membership runs from Tilsonburg with one to the Torontos with 171, the average being thirty-one. There are quite a number of large clubs in the Province who are as yet unaffiliated, showing that there is still some missionary work to be done.

In looking over the last list of C.W.A. Clubs, corrected to July 17, we find the Wanderers have eighty-three members. No wonder they were able to secure the percentage prize at Kingston, with their ninety-five members present. We will have to spend a few moments in conversation with WANDER'OR who no doubt will be able to satisfy us.

SARNIA BICYCLE CLUB

ANNUAL RACE MEET

Wednesday, August 17

Civic Holiday!

PROGRAMME

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ALL SAFETY EVENTS

1. 1 Mile Novice (open).
1st. Gold Medal, \$20. 2nd. Silver Medal, \$10.
2. $\frac{1}{2}$ Mile Dash (open).
1st. Silver Waiter, \$25. 2nd. Silver Flower Stand, \$14.
3. 2 Mile, 2.45 class (open).
1st. Old Silver Clock, \$27. 2nd. Silver Cup, \$15.
4. 1 Mile (open).
1st. Marble Clock, \$50. 2nd. Five-O'Clock Tea Set, \$15.
5. 1 Mile, 3.00 class (open).
1st. Gold Medal, \$20. 2nd. Silver Medal, \$10.
6. $\frac{1}{4}$ Mile Dash, three heats—flying start—(open).
1st Heat.
2nd Heat.
1st. Silver Epergne, \$20. 2nd. Silver and Gold Vase, \$14.
3rd. Silver Fruit Dish, \$5.
7. 2 Mile (county).
County Gold Medal, \$25.
8. 2 Mile (open).
1st. Silver Tea Service, \$15. 2nd. Silver Cake Basket, \$15.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Mile Dash (final heat).
9. 3 Mile Club Team Lap Race, 3 men (open).
Six-foot Antique Oak Combination Cabinet, beveled plate.

C. W. A. Rules to govern.

Three to finish for second prize.

The right to alter programme reserved.

Position according to priority of entry.

Entry Fee, fifty cents each event. Team Race Fee, two dollars.

Entries positively close Saturday, August 13, to be made to

W. R. PAUL,

Box 353, SARNIA.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18th,

10 O'Clock a. m.,

A Twenty Mile Inter-team Club race (five riders to compose team) open to all C. W. A. clubs in Western Ontario will take place. A valuable club trophy and individual prizes will be offered. Entrance Fee, \$3. Address W. R. PAUL, Secretary S.B.C., for all information.