

RICHMOND SEES CONTESTANTS IN ENDURANCE TEST

Nearly One Hundred Motorcyclists Invaded the City This Afternoon Enroute to Indianapolis.

START AT CLEVELAND YESTERDAY MORNING

D. P. Whitney Riding an Indian Car Was Only One Entering This City With a Perfect Score.

Richmond greeted the one hundred and five motorcyclists who passed through this city this noon and who are contestants for the medal offered for the best record established in the eighth annual motorcycle endurance and reliability run. The motorists started yesterday morning at Cleveland, Ohio and will reach Indianapolis this evening about 5 o'clock. The first man to check in at the Westcott hotel was D. P. Whitney, a well known racer.

The streets were thronged with people who witnessed the contestants arrive and depart. Much interest was taken in the event and more excitement than a little was furnished within the space of an hour by the fast departure of the motorists, a runaway and a narrow escape from serious accident experienced by one of the racers, and a smashup.

A single tree on the couch belonging to the Greene livery barn broke and the horses started up Main street at a fast rate of speed. However, before trouble or accident occurred, the team was stopped.

Racer Gets a Spill.

One of the racers started to cross the street car track at Ninth and Main street when he fell, sliding a distance of fifteen or twenty feet on the brick pavement. Bystanders who a moment before had rushed to get out of his way hurried to his assistance, expecting to find him seriously injured. However he jumped up, picked up his machine and started away to make up the lost time. At Sixteenth and Main streets a horse became frightened but did not cause any serious trouble. A Thor machine was wrecked at Foley's greenhouse on the Liberty pike. It was brought to the city.

Several of the men stated that the roads were bad, being very dusty and rough. This accounts for the number of accidents to machines the men have experienced. D. P. Whitney is the only man who entered this city who continued to have a perfect score. He was riding an Indian.

The worst part of the route was yet to come when the racers left this city. This was the hill country between this city and Liberty, and between Liberty and Connersville. The men were not expecting to get over these roads without suffering some more accidents to their machines.

A Few Accidents.

The trip so far has been made without serious accident to any of the racers. One man went over a ditch not far from Columbus while another ran into a buggy on the way from Cleveland to Columbus and broke his machine and damaged the buggy.

The hospitality accorded the visitors was commented upon by them. All arrangements had been made by the local officials. The Fall Festival association had a man distributing "turn-me-over" tags, advertising the festival.

The Westcott hotel was the headquarters. A stand was placed on the street, at which place the men had to register as they entered and also before they left. The racers had to check in and check out again at Liberty. The last place where they check in at Indianapolis, this evening, at which time the officials will score the cars and probably announce the results tomorrow. According to the rules the only repairs allowable without detracting from a perfect score, are tire repairs.

SHAMROCKS COMING

The Muncie Shamrocks will be the attraction at the Athletic park next Sunday, Aug. 15. They will be pitted against the Giants, an aggregation of colored ball players from this city and a fast game is promised. Seins and Benson will do the twirling for the Giants and Bromwell and Bailey for the Shamrocks.

HUNT MISSING GIRL

The police today were asked to keep a lookout for Berna Stiver, a thirteen-year-old Dayton girl. She was said to have left Dayton on the 8 o'clock car. She was not aboard when the car arrived here. The police will keep watch for her, however, and if she is located she will be arrested and held as a runaway.

JOANNA: Gold Medal Flour is real economy. Expenses

Riders and Motorcycles in The Great Endurance Test

Below is a complete list of the ninety-nine riders who left Cleveland yesterday morning and arrived here today:

John McCarver, Excelsior; A. G. Lyon, Excelsior; Joseph De Salvo, Excelsior; Harold J. Lewis, Excelsior; F. E. Williamson, Indian; B. A. Swenson, Indian; P. B. Whitney, Indian; L. J. Mueller, Indian; R. W. Du Sell, Thor; Harold B. Alderman, Thor; Harry H. Reinholz, Thor; J. G. De Gray, Thor; Wendell White, Merkell; Edward Buffum, Merkell; William Teubner, Merkell; Charles Balke, Merkell; Charles A. Kent, Merkell; Charles D. Fohrt, Merkell; J. A. Turner, Merkell; W. R. Kelham, Merkell; A. D. Cook, Curtiss; Henry J. Wehman, Curtiss; Albert H. Peters, Torpedo; Henry J. Kieffer, Kieffer; George A. Hell, Emblem; H. R. Lock, Emblem; John C. Glass, Emblem; R. E. Undersill, Har-Dav; Frank Allerman, Har-Dav; Walter Davidson, Har-Dav; E. M. Hughes, Indian; A. G. Schmidt, Indian; Lyle Geiger, Indian; Howard H. Ganson, Indian; W. J. Lister, Har-Dav; Andrew H. Davies, Har-Dav; Arthur W. Lees, Har-Dav; Charles W. Van Sickle, Indian; C. W. McDonald, Indian; B. C. Ogden, Indian; Arthur B. Porter, Indian; A. G. Chapple, Indian; Robert S. Gray, N. S. U.; Charles S.

Baseball Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---------------|-----|------|------|
| Pittsburg. | 70 | 27 | .722 |
| Chicago. | 67 | 31 | .684 |
| New York. | 56 | 37 | .602 |
| Cincinnati. | 48 | 50 | .490 |
| Philadelphia. | 45 | 53 | .459 |
| St. Louis. | 40 | 55 | .421 |
| Brooklyn. | 36 | 62 | .367 |
| Boston. | 26 | 73 | .263 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---------------|-----|------|------|
| Detroit. | 62 | 40 | .608 |
| Philadelphia. | 62 | 40 | .608 |
| Boston. | 61 | 44 | .581 |
| Cleveland. | 53 | 50 | .515 |
| New York. | 48 | 53 | .475 |
| Chicago. | 48 | 53 | .475 |
| St. Louis. | 44 | 55 | .444 |
| Washington. | 30 | 73 | .291 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---------------|-----|------|------|
| Minneapolis. | 66 | 49 | .574 |
| Milwaukee. | 64 | 51 | .557 |
| Louisville. | 60 | 55 | .522 |
| Columbus. | 57 | 58 | .496 |
| St. Paul. | 55 | 58 | .487 |
| Toledo. | 53 | 61 | .465 |
| Kansas City. | 61 | 60 | .459 |
| Indianapolis. | 51 | 65 | .440 |

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.

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| Philadelphia 2; Cincinnati 0. |
| New York 6; St. Louis 5. |
| Pittsburg 2; Boston 1 (12 innings). |
| Chicago 8; Brooklyn 1. |

American League.

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| Cleveland 4; New York 1. |
| Boston 3; Chicago 2. |
| Philadelphia 3; Detroit 1. |
| St. Louis 1; Washington 1 (12 inn.). |

American Association.

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| Louisville 3; Milwaukee 2 (12 inn.). |
| Minneapolis 4; Columbus 3. |
| Toledo 4; St. Paul 1. |
| Indianapolis 8; Kansas City 1. |

Cincinnati, Aug. 11.—Muffed flies by Huggins and Bescher, a two-base hit by Bates and Downey's wild throw to the plate gave the Philadelphia's two runs and the game in the eighth inning, 2 to 0. Both Fromme and Moore pitched magnificent ball. Score:

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| R. H. E. |
| Cincinnatti 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 4 |
| Phila'phi'a 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2 4 0 |
| Fromme, Gasper and McLean; Moore and Dool. |

Two-base hit—Grant, Bates, Magee. Sacrifice hits—Paskert, Fromme. Stolen base—Magee. Bases on balls—Off Fromme 2; off Moore 4. Struck out—By Fromme 3; by Moore 7. Hit by pitcher—By Moore 1. Hits—Off Fromme 4 in 8 inn.; off Gasper, none in 1 inn. Time—1:50. Umpire—Rigler.

BEGGARS ARRESTED

Wade Bailey and Frank Turner, two Cincinnati youths, were in city court this afternoon for begging. The boys were arrested on complaint of a Main street merchant. He said a boy had visited his place and became rude when refused money. The merchant said neither of the two boys held was the one who visited his store. The boys said they were stranded and the only thing they did was to go into a saloon and ask for a free lunch. Their defense and straightforward manner impressed the court favorably.

MILLER IS SECURED

Word has been received by Superintendent T. A. Mott from Prof. Guy D. Miller of the commercial department of the Braddock high school that he will accept the position with the Central Business College of Chicago. Mr. Miller comes well recommended.

PETERS IS RELEASED.

Because he agreed to return the property and the injured parties did not care to prosecute, Otto Peters, a young boy, was released from police detention with a lecture. Peters stole a boat belonging to the son of Frank Fox. The Fox boy had left the boat on the river.

GOVERNMENT TUG GOES TO BOTTOM

In Gloucester Harbor, Craft Sinks and Four Were Drowned.

EIGHT ESCAPED IN BOAT

WIFE OF THE CAPTAIN AND HER YOUNG SON WERE RESCUED BY SAILORS AFTER BEING WASHED OVERBOARD.

(American News Service)

Dover, Eng., Aug. 11.—Montague Holbein, the famous long distance swimmer, accompanied by another swimming expert named Stearn, started today to swim across the English channel. This was Holbein's fifth attempt to swim the channel and on some of his previous trips he had narrow escapes from drowning.

Reached the Shore.

The captain's wife and their fourteen year old son and five members of the crew escaped in a boat and after rowing five miles in heavy seas, reached land in an almost exhausted condition. The Nezinscot was driven onto the rocks by a gale. The captain and his wife and son were washed overboard. The captain shouted to the seamen to save his wife and child which Seaman Bitters did by jumping into the sea and dragging them into a small boat. For the time being, Captain Evans, surgeon Cropper and Seaman Taylor were supposed to have gone to the bottom and were reported as drowned. Later they were picked up by a life saving crew three miles from the scene of the wreck. They were found floating on a piece of wreckage and were barely alive.

Samuel C. Whitesell, aged 63, who at one time was one of the best known attorneys in this county, died early this morning at the Eastern Indiana hospital for the insane where he had been a patient for about three years. Death was due to chronic myocarditis which is an affection of the outer wall of the heart. His death has been expected at any time as he has been unconscious for four days.

Mr. Whitesell is survived by his son Frank, of Hagerstown, his wife and several brothers. The funeral will be held at the old family home two miles north east of Greensfork Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in the Riverside cemetery near Cambridge City.

Mr. Whitesell was admitted to the Wayne county bar about 35 years ago. He started by reading law in the office of Judge Henry C. Fox, who was then practicing law at Centerville. Mr. Whitesell located in Cambridge City and afterwards moved his office to this city. At one time he had considerable practice. At one time he was in the newspaper business. It is probable that several members of the local bar will attend the funeral.

They are poor mechanics," the report says, "and always demand high pay. The company paid them two months the wages which the strikers had demanded and, in addition, furnished them with board and lodgings within the company's barrack.

The first batch discharged consisted of about 100 men, who refused to leave the barricade, made themselves a fort within the company's barricade and, producing guns and knives, refused to budge. The company's fighting men after a day or two forced them out of the barricade into a special train, which carried them under guard to Chicago.

After going into details about the incompetency of the strike breakers and the methods used for breaking the strike the report says, "The fighting men have been discharged and the barricades removed."

This is what is called law and order. It is not evidence. It is a gentle, peaceable effort on the part of the employers to protect honorable men seeking work from villainous union thugs who demand higher wages and better conditions of work.

That's what the papers tell us.

The facts are the company refused decent wages, put up barricades, goes over the country and hires ex-convicts, prizefighters and lodging house bums, with guns in their hip pockets and knives in their belts. It employs these men to run their business and to incite war. The police, the militia and the courts, with the aid of ex-convicts, prizefighters and lodging house bums, stand by the company in the interest of property and civil war.

Honest workingmen trying to better the condition of their families are met by this combination of capital, crime and government.

The strike breakers are not there to work, but to fight. They are the Bowery type, readers of dime novels, itching to use a gun. They have no wives and children. They have no interest in honest industry and have no intention of working a day longer than the excitement and warfare continue.

This is the type of man that President Eliot of Harvard university calls the American hero.

These thugs, ex-convicts and prizefighters he imagines are fighting for a great principle. They refuse to abide the tyranny of association with their fellows and stand up, as free American citizens should, to maintain the right to work when, how and where they like.

Isn't it delightful? And the best of it is that the railroads tell the story in their official report.

And what a combination it is of the predatory and the parasite! Think of idle stockholders, a capitalist government and professional criminals joining together in this holy war against the tyranny of unions of decent, hard-working, honorable men who by their labor produce the wealth of the world.

TRIES A LONG SWIM

Montague Holbein Tries to Cross English Channel Again Today.

WEBB IS RECORD HOLDER

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Capt. Matthew Webb who is the only man who ever held the record for swimming the channel, although Holbein has been trying for ten years to make the journey.

The fact that the famous swimmer would make another attempt today was not generally known but the news leaked out at the last moment and a great crowd gathered to see him. His body was greased and his head encased in a queer-shaped helmet designed to keep the water out of his eyes and ears.

JOHN TAYLOR DEAD

John W. Taylor aged 68 years, who was the oldest man in the railway service of the Adams Express company from the standpoint of service, died this morning at 1 o'clock at his home 314 North A street. Mr. Taylor retired from the service last spring. He has been in feeble health for some time. He was prominent in Richmond.

Reacher's Statement.

In his paper Baker attempts to put the stamp of approval on his scheme by asserting Governor Marshall aids the attempt to prevent overbidding and underbidding. He says the Wayne county incident has borne good fruit.

The article is a criticism on the blank forms now being furnished the trustees. These forms are held up for ridicule through the use of satire.