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A Cash Cyclist is one who is the holder of a licence under this League, and ceases to be eligible by—A. Engaging in cycle racing, or training or coaching any person therein, as a means of obtaining a livelihood. B. Or competing against any person who does not hold a licence under the Cash Definition of this League, except where permission is granted by the League. c. Making pace for, or being paced by, a person who does not hold a licence under this League, or for or by a person under suspension.

The Thames Cycling Club hold their inaugural sports gathering on the 24th inst. (Queen's Birth-The club's champion, Tierney, will then endeavor to lower Teddy Reynolds mile record for the Parawai track.

Sutherland, the League champion of New

Zealand, passed through Auckland on Sunday, last en route to Australia, where he will try conclusions against the crack riders of the other side. If Don. Walker's estimate of him proves correct, he should render a good account of himself in the land of the kangaroo.

The ex-New Zealand riders, Body and Hunt, who have for some time past been riding in Australia, are expected to arrive in Wellington in the course of a few days. They will compete at meetings in various parts of the colony.

The annual road race under the auspices of the

Auckland Amateur Athletic and Cycle Club will take place on May 24 (Queen's Birthday).

Speaking of the reciprocity agreement between the Australasian leagues, the Sydney Referee says: — "New Zealand and Queensland will" shortly complete the federation, but ought to hurry up," If I am not mistaken, the New Zealand League has already "chipped in."

A. R. Barker's three mile record for New Zealand of 6min 48sec was last week demolished by J. Grant, whose time for the journey was 6min 43 3-5sec-4 4-5sec better than Barker's

figures.
"Grimaldi," who has charge of the column in the Australian Cyclist devoted to the doings of the amateurs, says it is reported that "many of our best riders are engaged by firms to ride special machines, and that for their services they receive payment in an 'indirect' manner.' It is the old, old story (says the N.Z. Cyclist). The man does not live, nor does the institution exist, that is able to keep amateurism clean in cycling. The open order, and the allowing of a maker's employee to race as an amateur, are the chief causes of the mischief.

The Cyclists' Touring Club of New Zealand has decided to pay a reward of £2 2s to persons, not being the principals, who shall give infor mation leading to the conviction of anybody wilfully or maliciously placing tacks, broken glass,

heaps of road metal, etc., on the public roads. Mdlle. Serpolette, the famous French racing woman, is on her way to Sydney. She is one of the best racing women of France, and has recently won a six days' race in England, besides many races in which she has competed. - Her object in visiting Australia is for the purpose of giving exhibitions and breaking records (if she is so able) upon "Gladiator" wheels, and an effort is to be made to get a race meeting up, at which she is to appear.

Tom Clarkson is said to be going to throw up racing, but will have another shot at the N.Z. mile record recently wrested from him by the Australian rider, Don. Walker, before so doing. Dunedin's amateur champion, J. White, has

been transferred to Canterbury. Two hundred and thirty miles have been ridden on a bicycle without dismounting.

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