

DO YOU SMOKE? If so, you should Smoke only the best Tobacco Cheap Tobacco and Cigarettes will cause cancer of the lip, and various throat diseases.

SMOKERS should, in their own interest, Smoke only Tobacco that is free from poisonous admixture

Messrs J. & F. BELL, LTD, of Glasgow, are the largest and best known manufacturers of PURE AND HIGH-CLASS TOBACCO AND CIGARETTES in the Old Country, and their name is the best guarantee for a good article

The following are some of their leading Brands:—

SCOTIA PLUG TOBACCO FULL FLAVOUR | CATSEYE PLUG TOBACCO LIGHT FLAVOUR

PLUG TOBACCO PRIVATEER AND CORNCOB MEDIUM FLAVOUR

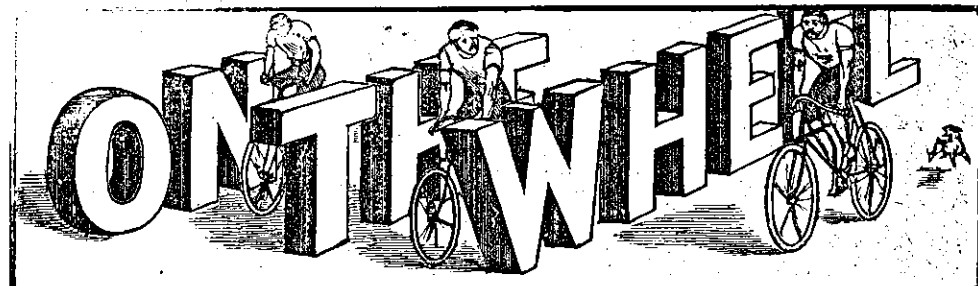
THE FAMOUS THREE BELLS CIGARETTES

Are of the Highest Standard, and compare favourably with any Brand.

A STRIKING NOVELTY GOLD TIP CIGARETTE IS THE

The GOLD TIP renders superfluous the use of holders, as the Cigarette will not stick to the lip. This Cigarette is altogether the most elegant and fashionable smoke, and is universally appreciated.

Wholesale Agents—SEEGNER, LANGGUTH & Co., Fort Street., Auckland, N.Z



OGDEN'S GUINEA GOLD CIGARETTES

Monthly Competitions.

FIFTY CIGARETTE HOLDERS (Real Meerschaum and Amber, in case) will be distributed on the 15th of every month amongst the 50 smokers who shall return to the undersigned the largest number GUINEA GOLD CIGARETTES Front Panels, or Lids of Tins.

Competitors can send their contributions at any time and from any colony; they will rank in the next distribution to take place on the 15th of each month, as long as this advertisement appears.

FROSSARD, LEVIC & Co.

45 YORK STREET, SYDNEY,

Agents for Ogden's Ltd., Liverpool (England).

Telephone 667



Telephone 667

CROWN BREWERY COMPANY

(LIMITED),

ANTIGUA STREET, CHRISTCHURCH.

CELEBRATED SPARKLING ALES & STOUT.

FORTY PRIZE MEDALS.

Bulk and Bottle at all the Principal Hotels and Clubs in New Zealand.

PRIVATE FAMILIES SUPPLIED.

[By Cyclos.]

LEAGUE OF NEW ZEALAND WHEELMEN.

The Governing Body of Cycling in New Zealand, AMATEUR AND CASH.

Federated with National Cyclists Union of England.

The Leagues of Victoria, New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, Queensland, and Western Australia.

AFFILIATED CLUBS.

- CLUB. SECRETARY. Auckland Cycling Club ... G. Peace Carterton Cycling Club ... W. McKenzie Danevirke Cycling Club ... J. Holt Feilding Cycling Club ... M. S. Brunette Foxton Cycling Club ... C. T. Austin Hawera Cycling Club ... A. M. Conroy Huntly Cycling Club ... W. Ellison Manawatu Cycling Club ... J. F. Manning Otaki Cycling Club ... A. Knocks Rangitikei Cycling Club ... J. Robson Wellington Cycling Club ... K. Hood Wanganui & W.C. Cycling Club ... H. E. Wood Waikarapa Cycling Club ... H. C. Reynolds Woodville Rovers Cycling Club ... W. P. Horne Wairarapa Cycling Club ... G. Thompson New Plymouth Cycling Club ... H. E. Mace Petone-Hutt Cycling Club ... F. Packard Ariel Cycling Club ... J. Muller Christchurch Cycling Club ... F. D. Kesteven Hokitika Cycling Club ... E. J. Dorreen Denniston Cycling Club ... J. T. Jaspers Greymouth Cycling Club ... F. W. Keddell Invercargill Cycling Club ... W. E. Gladstone Jubilee Cycling Club ... T. G. Jamieson Kumara Cycling Club ... E. Norton Marlborough Cycling Club ... J. H. Scott North Otago Cycling Club ... J. E. Hood Reefton Cycling Club ... B. P. McMahon Riverton Cycling Club ... D. McKenzie Selwyn Cycling Club ... G. C. Derrott Amberley Rovers ... J. Blain Alexandra Cycling Club ... J. R. Cairns Otago Cycling Club ... D. Duncan Roxburgh Cycling Club ... W. George Invercargill A.C. & A.C. ... T. Beveridge Dunedin Cycling Club ... A. C. McLeod Lawrence Cycling Club ... J. B. Rinley Middlemarch Cycling Club ... J. Robertson Star Cycling Club ... J. W. Manchester Maitua Cycling Club ... T. G. Smith Gore Cycling Club ... G. F. Morison Westport Cycling Club ... J. S. Webb Wyndham Cycling Club ... D. J. McLaughlan Balclutha Cycling Club ... J. W. Mitchell Otago Railway Cycling Club ... L. Barclay Stratford Cycling Club ... G. Pritchard Wanderers Cycling Club ... W. Copeland Nelson Cycling Club ... N. B. Levan Wanganui Cycling Club ... J. T. Muir Thames Cycling Club ... A. Williams Port Nicholson Cycling Club ... A. E. Homer Gisborne Cycling Club ... R. Cole Kaipoi Cycling Club ... J. E. Brookelbank Tapanui Cycling Club ... W. Butcher Pioneer Cycling Club ... R. O. Duncan Waitemata Cycling Club ... E. G. Skeates Oxford Cycling Club ... W. H. Alford Waipi Cycling Club ... E. Joll Bruce Cycling Club ... J. McLeod Geraldine Cycling Club ... F. Boarke Temuka Cycling Club ... C. A. C. Opie

Winton Cycling Club ... F. Moore Leeston Cycling Club ... W. Dent F. D. KESTEVEN, Secretary. 7, Chancery Lane, Christchurch.

League of New Zealand Wheelmen's Definition

AMATEUR SECTION.

A League Amateur is one who is the holder of an amateur license from the League, and who has not since November 4th, 1897:—1. Engaged in, nor assisted in, nor taught any cycling exercise for money or other remuneration. 2. Knowingly competed with or against a person who does not hold a license under the Amateur Definition of this League, or a person under suspension, for a remuneration of any description, or in any cycle contest in public (except where permission is granted by the Executive). 3. Made pace for, or been paced by a person who does not hold a license under this League, or for or by a person under suspension by this League. 4. Sold, realised upon, or otherwise converted into cash any prize won by him. 5. Accepted directly, or indirectly any remuneration, compensation, or expenses whatever from a cycle manufacturer, agent, sport promoter, or person interested in the trade or sport, for cycle riding, except where special permission is granted by the Executive.

CASH SECTION.

Any member of the League outside the Amateur Section is eligible to hold a Cash license, which is forfeited by—1. Competing against any person who does not hold a license under the Cash Section of this League, or against a person under suspension, or at an unauthorised meeting, except where permission is granted by the Executive. 2. Making pace for, or being paced by, a person who does not hold a license under this League, or for or by a person under suspension. 3. Racing for a bet, stake, or gate money, without permission of the Executive.

The New Zealand Cyclists' Alliance was, according to report, disbanded on the casting vote of a chairman who occupied the unique position of delegate for and against the disbandment. No one will envy Mr Haswell—that is, I believe, the gentleman's name—his position.

The Auckland Cycling Club holds a meeting under the auspices of the Auckland Industrial Exhibition, next Tuesday evening, when a programme of six bicycle events, including a pursuit race, will be run off.

The handicaps for the N.Z. Wheel Race caused some astonishment among riders and others in these parts when it was found that Teddy Reynolds had been given a start from A. R. Barker, who, it will be remembered, has been beaten by the Auckland rider again and again.

The committee appointed by the N.Z. A.A.A. has drawn up a report on the question of cycling in connection with amateur running, but the results of its labors will not be made known until the next meeting of the executive of the amateur governing body.

Subject to the approval of the Auckland Exhibition, the A.A.A. and C.C. will run a twenty-mile scratch race on the Exhibition banked track. The suggestion that such an event should be provided comes from Mr S. Thorne George, one of the club's vice-presidents.

The Waikato rider, Innis, who has been in town for some weeks, intends settling here if he can find employment.

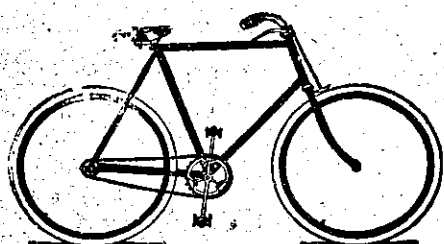
The Auckland Cycling Club will in all probability hold a carnival somewhere about the end of January or early in February, when it is proposed to put on amateur races under League rules. While the cash body has not succeeded in gaining a single rider from the ranks of the A.A.A. and C.C., they should find no difficulty in getting together a few riders, as the League has recently adopted a resolution providing for the reinstatement of professionals who have stood down for twelve months. This system of "manufacturing" amateurs, or rather, I should say, "shamateurs," is hardly likely to popularise the governing body in the eyes of lovers of true amateurism; more particularly after their alleged desire to purify the ranks of amateur cycling.

W. Martin, more popularly known as "Pluggie Bill," is coming back to Australia again.

There is a likelihood of a team of Australian riders visiting New Zealand in February next (says a Melbourne paper). The New Zealand clubs are very anxious that a first-class team of racing men, including Walne, should go across for a racing trip through the Island, and with this object in view several clubs have already guaranteed £150 towards paying the expenses of the tour.

The brightest feature of the St. Kilda Carnival (Melbourne) was the fine exhibition of riding given by R. W. Walne (on Dunlops), the Australian champion accounting for the Three Mile Paced Tournament and the Ten mile International scratch race.

Advertisement for Dunlop Tyres. Includes text: 'THE Ideal Tyre FOR ROAD AND TRACK', 'DUNLOP TYRES', 'GIVE UNEQUALLED SATISFACTION.', 'THE DUNLOP PNEUMATIC TYRE Co., Ltd.', '128 Litchfield St., Christchurch', 'ALSO AT MELBOURNE SYDNEY ADELAIDE PERTH', 'DUNLOP TYRES PERFECTED FOR CARRIAGES OF ALL KINDS', 'THE DUNLOP MIDGET REPAIR OUTFIT'.



Rambler Bicycles

AT £22 10/-

THE HIGHEST HIGH-GRADE PRICE THAT'S FAIR.

DEXTER & CROZIER

VICTORIA STREET EAST, AUCKLAND.

DESCHLER'S FAMILY AND COMMERCIAL HOTEL

ESK STREET, INVERCARGILL.

This well-known Commercial and Family Hotel is now under the proprietorship of

DUNCAN MCFARLANE,

who trusts to receive a continuation of the support so long bestowed upon his predecessors in this favorite hostelry.

ONLY THE VERY BEST OF WINES, SPIRITS, AND ALES KEPT IN STOCK.

No effort will be spared on the part of the new proprietor to keep up the high reputation this House has so long enjoyed among the travelling public and residents of the town and district.

D. MCFARLANE PROPRIETOR.

VICTOR BICYCLES STANDARD FOR QUALITY

VICTOR BICYCLES contain more crucible steel in their construction than any other Bicycle.

CRUCIBLE STEEL IS THE MOST EXPENSIVE MATERIAL TO OBTAIN AND WORK.

VICTOR BICYCLES are built for weight-carrying.

VICTOR BICYCLES stand up.

VICTOR BICYCLES are renowned as hill climbers, they are the easiest coasting machine and consequently are chosen by the best riders.

£25 VICTOR BICYCLES £25

And are worth the money.

D. DAVIES, WANGANUI.

VINCENT & CO.'S

ALES AND STOUT,

In Bulk or Bottle, ARE UNSURPASSED

UNION BREWERY,

BATH STREET, CHRISTCHURCH.

OFFICES TO LET, CITY CHAMBERS

VULCAN LANE.—Apply ARTHUR OLEAVE AND Co., SPORTING REVIEW Office.

For real spicy rickties you must go to Geo. Fowlds