

ON THE WHEEL

George A. Crancer has returned from a visit to Chicago and other eastern points. While absent Mr. Crancer succeeded in making arrangements for the extensive manufacturing of the adjustable handle bar recently patented by him, one firm undertaking the manufacture on a royalty of 50,000 of them.

The parade of cyclists on Merchant's Day developed the presence in the city of a goodly number of "chic" bloomer costumes.

E. R. Guthrie has just disposed of another Rambler tandem, making five in the last six weeks.

Capt. Frank Hoagland and Lieutenant Henry Peters have returned from a long and successful wheeling trip through Nebraska; Colorado and Wyoming. The boys rode more than two thousand miles while away and visited Denver, Colorado Springs, Cheyenne and Lodge Pole, returning via the northern route. They report having had a superb time.

Alva Halley and Frank McCain were among the tourists who returned from a trip awheel last week. They made a trip down through southern Nebraska, Eastern Kansas and Missouri arriving home in time for the races on Merchants' day. They say it is the only way to spend a vacation.

Several touring parties are projected among the wheelmen and wheelwomen of the city during September and October.

The *Journal* of Thursday morning said: "Frank Hoagland and Henry Peters returned yesterday from a cycling trip to Denver. They claim to have ridden 280 miles in the last two days." Is the *Journal* not aware that these distances are not claimed but are recorded by the cyclometers on the wheels? A two days ride of 280 miles, while above the average, is not a phenomenal one. On the return from the L. A. W. meet at Kearney last month several of the boys rode from that city to Lincoln in one day—a distance of 158 miles; and a member of the 4 C's rode 74 miles last Wednesday between 2 and 6:50 P. M. The *Journal's* "Personal" editor should keep better post.

The greater part of Lincoln's Class A men are expecting to put in the next week at the Hastings Reunion. There are four days races. Six events each day with a total prize list of \$15,00. If the boys succeed in riding with the vim they exhibited on the home track on Merchant's day they will probably bring home a number of the prizes.

Joe Sullivan and "Bill" Benson are developing into a phenomenal tandem team. Their half mile in less than one minute and half a second on Merchants day, while pacing Frederickson of Omaha, was a splendid performance. While not officially informed of the fact THE COURIER understands they have since ridden a trial half in a fraction less than the minute. They will do the pacing at the next Fremont meet which ybeurs early in next month.

C. M. Hurd and wife and their little yne between them on their tandem are a familiar sight on South 17th street nowadays.

The Wanderers are rapidly developing their permanent organization as a cycling club. New members are being added meeting and quite a deal of enthusiasm is being worked up.

"Our" Barnett is again on the National circuit and Lincoln wheelmen are closely watching for his first record-breaking performance:

Every lady should have a jacket corresponding to her suit. While the

weather is warm the coolest kind of a shirt waist is permissible.

THE CYCLE GONTEST.

FOR THE LADY'S WHEEL

Miss Nettie M. Snyder	2900
Miss Maude McCain	1900
Miss Lena Brockelmeyer	1100
Miss Ida Herpolsheimer	800

FOR THE GENTLEMAN'S WHEEL

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Prof. George C. Williams has just returned from New York and is busy preparing for the opening term of the school of elocution and college of oratory. which begins Sept. 5. This school has a competent corps of instructors and a large attendance is assured.

BASE BALL

LINCOLN AT HOME.

With Jax—	
Lincoln.....	5 4 0 0 0 0 2 1—12
Jacksonville.....	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Batteries: Gragg and Speer; Sonier and Johnson.	
Lincoln.....	0 1 0 0 3 1 1 1 0—7
Jacksonville.....	3 1 0 0 1 0 3 0 *—8
Batteries: Kimerer and Speer; Cronley and Johnson.	
Lincoln.....	0 4 0 0 0 0 3 1 3—11
Jacksonville.....	0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0—3
Batteries: Barnes and Speer; Schwartz, Dillon and Belt.	
Lincoln.....	1 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 1—6
Springfield.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Batteries: Gragg and Speer; Sonier and Belt.	
With Rockford—	
Lincoln.....	0 0 4 1 1 1 1 0 0—8
Rockford.....	0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—2
Batteries: Gragg and Speer; Thornton and Snyder.	
Lincoln.....	0 0 2 4 2 3 0 0 0—11
Rockford.....	2 1 0 3 2 0 0 3 1—12
Batteries: Kimerer, Barnes and Speer; Underwood and Snyder.	
Lincoln.....	0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1—4
Rockford.....	1 0 0 4 0 1 0 0 *—6
Batteries: Gragg and Speer; Horton and Snyder.	

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**CYCLE CONTEST**

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GENT'S '95 MODEL VICTOR WHEEL, Value \$100.  
LADY'S '95 MODEL SYRAGUSE WHEEL, Value \$100

These wheels are positively High Grade and worth all the effort it will cost to get them.

The Contestants

must be members of some cycling organization in this city.

The Conditions

are as follows: Every yearly subscription to THE COURIER turned in by a contestant will count as one hundred votes, six months fifty votes, three months twenty five votes. No coupon will be counted unless accompanied by an amount to cover at least three months subscription. And to the lady and gentlemen receiving the highest number of votes up to 6 p. m., September 14th, the wheels will be awarded.

WHO WILL BE THE WINNERS?

Go to work a once.