

# MOTORCYCLE PARADE ONE OF WEEK'S FEATURES

FIVE HUNDRED MACHINES EXPECTED TO BE IN LINE.

DECORATIONS PUT UP EARLY

One of the big features of the national convention of motorcyclists this week will be the parade Thursday afternoon, starting at 1:30 from the Circle. Five hundred machines are expected to be in line and every rider in the city, state and nation is invited to participate. The route has not been arranged, but it will lay through all the principal business streets of the city. Disbandment will be at Riverwalk.

Throughout the city and state and middle west the interest in the motorcycle races to be held at the speedway, four miles west of the city, next Friday and Saturday, is at a high pitch and the indications are that great crowds will be in attendance on both days. The stands have been completed and all arrangements have been made for the accommodation of thousands of spectators. Big four rains will be run to the speedway every fifteen minutes Friday and Saturday afternoon. The races will be started at 2 o'clock. The admission will be 50 cents, with 25 cents extra for grand stand seats.

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The "grand old man" of the motor world is Jan. G. Fisher. The 55-year-old professional racer and has ridden a motorcycle there in 12 years ago. He is eligible for the 1000-mile race to be held in the month. He is the holder of the professional endurance-mile record recently made the record for ten...

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A large number of riders who will take part in the two days of racing will put in several hours of practice at the speedway each intervening day.

Seven Indian motorcycles for the Indian riders were received in this city today, to be ridden in the various events. All of the Indian riders are expected to be here by tomorrow. They include DeRuzier, Chapple, Huyck, Derkum, Stubbs and Goerke. The Indianapolis riders of Indian machines are Baker, Hodgins, Green, Crockett, Hollstein, Foster and Gibby.

### Endurance Run Severe Test.

According to Oscar Hedstrom, of Springfield, Mass., the well-known motorcycle rider and designer and builder of the Indian, the riders in the two days endurance run from Cleveland to Indianapolis will not have a bed of roses or a boulevard road on Tuesday morning when they leave the Hollenden house for their 250-mile run. The run is pronounced by all who have been over the road as the hardest that has been pulled off in the eight years of the history of the Federation of American Motorcyclists, and it is very doubtful if over half of the machines remain with a perfect score when Columbus is reached. The run will be a hard test for the single cylinder machines, though one rider has been over it on schedule time on a one-cylinder Indian.

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Philip Brown, of this city, is being boomed as an Indianapolis F. A. M. representative. He is one of the veterans in the motorcycle game and has always been an enthusiast.

### RIDERS READY FOR START.

**Ninety-Five will Leave Cleveland Tomorrow Morning.**

CLEVELAND, August 2.—Ninety-five entrants have arrived here to participate in the annual endurance run of the Federation of American Motorcyclists from Cleveland to Indianapolis. The race will leave the public square at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning and the first day's run will be through Akron to Columbus. After resting in the capital city Tuesday night, the motorcyclists will make the run to Indianapolis Wednesday.

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