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BE OPENED ON OCT. 10

MOTH SWEEPSTAKES FOR ALL LASSES OF CARS TO BE FORMAI

osters were issued by the Vanderbilt

commission last week announcing

CARD WHEN ROAD IS READY FOR THE PUBLIC.

opening of the new Long Island Motor kway Oct, 10 with a mammoth sweeptes for all classes of cars. he entry blanks describe the event the Motor Parkway Sweepstakes, ded into five classes, as follows. otor Park Sweepstakes, Meadow ok Sweepstakes, Garden City Sweeptes, Jericho Sweepstakes and Nassau epstakes. Each class bears a name known on historic Long Island. The nt, which is over the William K. Vanoilt Jr., 1908 Cup circuit, takes the

e of the Vanderbilt Cup elimination e, which was made unnecessary ough the limited number of American ready by Oct.-10.

r. Vanderbilt returned home from ope a few days ago and when he rd that the Parkway was in shape for ig race on the 10th while very few ng cars of the special Vanderbilt had been completed, or could be pleted by that time, he suggested that Vanderbilt Cup-commission-inaugurate. weepstakes and offer \$5,000 in cash or e prizes. This idea has been carried

nce the entry blanks and formal ari-ncements have been issued, the en-ers on the Parkway have reported t the work of construction is ctically completed. The largest bridge he Parkway, which is at Central Park, turned over to the coment workers day 1.st, and it is belived that it be threwn open for use early this k. '\text{Ca'} bridge connects two long lons of the cement highway between tral Park and Bethpage, and Central k and the grand stand.

## Seretch Almost Done.

l of the grand stand stretch is comd and cars have been running over or some days. There is a little more c to be done between the grand stand tie western end of the Parkway, but Pridges over intersecting highways has a tion are open and the finish-toucles can be put on in two or three This practically completes the names of the parkway which forms there boundary of the 1998 Vanderbilt circuit, and the grand stand is about completed. The telephone service been installed around the entire circuit. and racing drivers who have been ted by the various entrants are pre-g to open their headquarters on the way about the first of the month in

to get in a week's practice prior to running of the sweepstakes.

many ways this sweepstakes event be quite as interesting and spectacus the Vanderbilt Cup race on the It is a novel race, in that cars of all es are started together, or within a seconds apart, just as the Vander-Cup cars are started, and they will a cover the VanderDonor of Famous Vanderbilt Cup.



Vanderbilt has just returned from Europe, and it is believed that he is much discouraged at his fallure to obtain one discouraged at his failure to obtain one foreign entry of consequence for the Vanderbilt Cup race. He is therefore, it is said, disposed to consent to the withdrawal of the race. And it is more than probable that if the race takes place this season it will be the last, at least, at which Vanderbilt will act as an official. Vanderbilt, as the done of the Vanderbilt cup and the founder of the race which hears that name—the greatest automobile event of America—has been

looked upon as one of the main supports of automobile racing in this country and abroad. Only a few weeks ago young Winthrop Sands, the son of Mr. Vanderbilt's Rtepmother, was killed at their country place, near Paris, in an automobile accident.

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The vanderbilt cup race at its first running resulted in the death of George Arens, a young millionaire. Foxhall Keene narrowly missed death in another contest, and several spectators were killed and wounded in 1906, one of them by a car driven by Elliott Shepard, a cousin of young Vanderbilt.

Notes of the Autoists.

Settlement of the differences which had existed between the American Automobile FORFIGN SIGGESTIONS Association and the Automobile Club of RAY MCNAMA

**DECORATIONS** 

AUTO EXHIBITIO BUILDING WH BEAUTY A

Announcement

Eastern company

awarded the cont Ninth Internatio which opens in New York, on Ne company decorate shows in Madison plans offered in co ace will transform side and out so th hardly recognize i of deliberation o leading decorators which H. O. Smit

man, has about se as the best, althou Those who hav plans declare it "Great White Sh much that will me

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lined with a unique ment and satin ba inside of the unique floors will be cover padded underneat both accessory an will be supplied winants, within wh the whole mounted

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