

BATTLE IN F. A. M. FOR AMATEURS

Purity Delegates to Convention Insist That Motorcycling Game Depends Upon Simon-pure Amateurs for Life.

Among the visiting motorcyclists, those men who like the sport better than the politics and the making the rules for the government of the F. A. M. were delighted when the sun came out bright this morning, for it meant ideal conditions for the opening of the speed tests for motorcycles at the Speedway this afternoon.

This morning, the politicians of the F. A. M. were in wise confab over the election of the F. A. M. officers, and the settlement of the problem as to the classification of riders. The idea of the classifiers is to make the riders either trade, amateur or professional.

The purity members of the organization are anxious to preserve on a high pinnacle of sweetness the amateurs, and they are upheld in that stand by the officers of the A. A. U., who insist that sport for sport's sake is preserved only by the interest in simon-pure amateurism.

The first accident of the Speedway occurred when Motorcycle Policeman Gibney was so badly injured that he had to be hurried to the hospital. His machine skidded. The program at the Speedway this afternoon consists of eight events.

DICK WILSON DRIVES IN RECORD-BREAKING TIME

HAS LIVINGSTON VALUABLE TO ATHLETICS

Paddy Has Been Most of Backstop

Have you noticed that Paddy Livingston salary the Indianapolis team cut from \$400 a ally sold to Connie Mack, has been doing much for the Athletics while they have been making with the Tigers with indications of the going Detroit.

Can it be that our Paddy, the deep-chested fellow, who caught 129 games for the bunch last year, has been the man that will produce the pennant winner for Connie Mack. Livingston was purchased when Mike Powers gave up the ghost and died from the effects of an injury.

Livingston has been missed far more than all your Marquards and Bushes, and the fact that the team is in last place is a pretty good compliment to the ability of catchers like Livingston.

Many games have been lost this year through bad backstopping, the defective catching being the result of injuries, inability and bad pitching. Livingston was a pippin at receiving wild pitchers. He was sturdy enough that incoming baserunners treated him with far more respect than they handed the frailler Howley.

Last spring, Carr announced that the team would be the better off without Livingston, for Howley was his superior, and the whole crowd chuckled when Paddy was sold to Connie Mack, for then the team was high up, and it did look as if Paddy would not be missed. But a baseball race is a long scramble and it was but a matter of time to see that is the team had Livingston, he would be of more value in a week, than the gold that Mack gave in exchange.

COUNTRY JAY HANGS UP NEW WORLD'S RECORD

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 14.—The feature of the closing day of the Grand Circuit meeting at the North Bendall track

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