LOVELL DIAMONDS STAND THE TEST.

Board of Experts So Decide.

Remarkable Investigation From Which the Lovell Diamond Bicycle Came Out Ahead of All Competitors.

Where there are so many makes of bicycles on the market, all of which at first sight seem to be on an equal footing to the casual observer, it is the fact is well known that there are many points in construction which only an experienced manufacturer is competent to appreciate, and which contribute materially to the comfort of rider and the durability of the bicycle, both in material and workmanship, and which cannot be detected until the machine has been upon a test on the road, such as the "Lovell Diamond" has just been completed by a committee of experts in the country, under the supervision of the Western Review of Commerce is likely to be of great value to the riding public. The honor of producing the best wheel among the thirty-seven well-known makes that were tested fell to the well established house of John P. Lovell Arms Co., of Boston, Mass., manufacturers of the celebrated Lovell Diamond. The investigation was made in a thorough manner by competent experts in the construction of wheels, and before them were placed thirty-seven of the

COLONEL BENJAMIN F. LOVELL
President of the John P. Lovell Arms Co.

leading makes. The machines were all marvels of the most recent ideas of mechanical construction, and were brought together without the knowledge of the makers that such a test was to take place. The practical experts demonstrated their intelligence and gradually weeded the machines down to a small number, and, after several days of severe test, one machine was left standing as the best wheel made for the purpose, and upon further test it held its position as the best wheel for general use on the road, such as the committee has just been completing a tour of observation in the country, under the supervision of the Western Review of Commerce is likely to be of great value to the riding public. The honor of producing the best wheel among the thirty-seven well-known makes that were tested fell to the well established house of John P. Lovell Arms Co., of Boston, Mass., manufacturers of the celebrated Lovell Diamond. The investigation was made in a thorough manner by competent experts in the construction of wheels, and before them were placed thirty-seven of the leading makes. The machines were all marvels of the most recent ideas of mechanical construction, and were brought together without the knowledge of the makers that such a test was to take place. The practical experts demonstrated their intelligence and gradually weeded the machines down to a small number, and, after several days of severe test, one machine was left standing as the best wheel made for the purpose, and upon further test it held its position as the best wheel for general use on the road, such as the committee has just been completing a tour of observation in the country, under the supervision of the Western Review of Commerce is likely to be of great value to the riding public. The honor of producing the best wheel among the thirty-seven well-known makes that were tested fell to the well established house of John P. Lovell Arms Co., of Boston, Mass., manufacturers of the celebrated Lovell Diamond. The investigation was made in a thorough manner by competent experts in the construction of wheels, and before them were placed thirty-seven of the

Japan tries to call attention to the fact that the effort to break China solely for the benefit of Germany, Russia and England.

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HOUSEHOLD MATTERS.

Fish in Cream.

Take a pint of cold boiled fish, remove bones, flake it. Mince a few sprigs of watercress, cover with sweet milk, scald and season with a half-teaspoonful of salt and a saltspoonful of white pepper just before sending to the table. This is a delicate breakfast dish. Finnan haddie and smoked sturgeon served this way, after a thorough cooking, are excellent. They require no salt.

Delicious Peanut Wafers.

Peanut wafers are delicious. To make them, stir to a cream one-half cup of butter and one cupful sugar; add three-quarters of a cup of milk, two scant cups of flour into which one teaspoonful of baking powder has been sifted, and a teaspoonful of vanilla.

Turn a baking pan upside down, wipe the bottom very clean, butter it, and spread the mixture over it, using a knife to make it smooth and even. Sprinkle this thickly with finely chopped or rolled peanuts, and bake in a moderate oven until brown. As soon as the tin is taken from the oven cut the cake in squares, lift carefully from the tin and place on the moulding board to cool. Keep in tin to preserve their crispness.

Ideal Griddle Cakes.

"Wholesome" and "delicious," used in conjunction, have an appetizing sound, that is not belied by the breakfast product thus designated. To make ideal buttermilk griddle cakes, beat into a quart of buttermilk one teaspoonful of soda, a half teaspoonful of salt, and flour to make a rather stiff batter.

When smooth and light, bake a rich brown on the griddle. A common mistake made by many cooks is to add egg to pancake batters; but, as a rule, cakes made with eggs are never so delicate as those thickened with flour alone. Do not have the griddle swimming in grease. If you use the iron griddles, a bit of suet or fat pork, tied in a piece of cheesecloth, and quickly wiped over the griddle without leaving an offensive trail of fat behind, will be quite sufficient to keep the cakes from sticking.

A Plea for Salt Mackerel.

An authority makes a plea for the rather maligned salt mackerel. It is indigestible, and consequently disliked, he asserts, because its preparation and also the method of eating are not understood. The first point to be insisted upon is its thorough freshening. There is no danger of getting it too fresh, because salt can always be added, but there is the necessity of getting all of traces of the curing process. It should then be broiled, and if it is plunged into boiling water for an instant after it is broiled, this operation will plump it to an attractive appearance. It is better for being rubbed with a little olive oil rather than butter before broiling. Serve as it is sent to the table, lemon juice is sprinkled over it and parsley is put on the plate. No liquids should be taken while the fish is being eaten. It is the contrary custom, that of taking coffee, perhaps, after every mouthful or two, that has given it the reputation of an indigestible food. While in reality it is a valuable one, and a useful addition to the breakfast menu.—New York Post.

Household Hints.

Agate ware is not suitable for frying or for the cooking of fats.

Benzoline or ether are much better for the dressing than is lard.

In sweeping a carpet, remember always to sweep with the pile, and not against it.

Too much or too little fresh horse-radish, mustard or onion is spoiled unless used for sauces added to the stock pot.

Table cloths are now being made of silk and have gained considerable popularity among those who can afford them.

For marking table and bed linen one initial is preferred to a monogram or two letters, and a simple design to a more elaborate one.

A jelly bag should belong to every housekeeper who puts up preserves. Only the best granulated sugar should be used. Do not use cans made from tin, but large-mouthed glass jars.

A pumice stone added to the housemaid's stock of requisites in her journey with dust will be found most efficacious for scouring that enemy from mouldings, corners of the window sash and crevices of the baseboards.

One of the simplest and most efficient means of driving away rats is to set saucers of chloride of lime around the places which they frequent. They do not eat the lime, but its fumes are very disagreeable to them and will result in their leaving the neighborhood.

Individual and exclusive tablecloths, hemstitched, and with hemstitched napkins to match, are found in great variety of attractive patterns. For afternoon teas and small tea tables the best sized cloths are thirty-six by thirty-six and fifty-four by fifty-four. They may be had in finest damask as well as in plain hemstitched effects.

An excellent calves' foot jelly may be made from the hind knuckle or hock or plain of the feet. Indeed, many give it the preference, thinking it has a better taste, in making the traditional calves' foot jelly, considered specially palatable for invalids, one set of feet or "shotters" are allowed to one gallon of water. This heated slowly and simmered gently will give two quarts of jelly.

The Barometer and Men's Weight.

A man weighs less when the barometer is high, notwithstanding the fact that the atmospheric pressure on him is more than when the barometer is low. As the pressure of air on an ordinary-sized man is about fifteen tons, the rise of the mercury from twenty-nine inches to thirty-one inches adds about one ton to the load he has to carry.

Firemen's Water Jackets.

In Berlin the firemen wear water jackets, with a double skin, which they are able to fill with water from the hose. If the space between the two layers becomes overfilled the water escapes through a valve at the top of the helmet and flows down over the firemen like a cascade, protecting him jaubly.

Prayer of the Pedestrian.

Keep me this day unharmed, I pray,
From wheelmen scorching up and down
They never look nor care, not they.
They bowl one o'er and ride away,
And who they are there's none can say,
And you with broken ribs and crown.

From reckless driving, I implore,
Guard me this day. I fear the boy
Who drives for some small, petty store,
(Each year their numbers grow the more),
They dash along with wild uproar
And accidents fill them with joy.

But if it be ordained that I
Must meet to-day with lamp'ning dire,
That 'spite of how I strive and try,
In spite of care and warning cry,
Am struck, run o'er and nobodies lie,
Grant me the favor I require.

Let me, while yet I sigh and groan,
Not have at least the irksome chance,
That that which breaks my collar bone,
Be carriage some rich man shall own,
Whose name and number will be known,
Ere I am in the ambulance.

Let me be bruised by cable cars,
Street railroads are the best to suit;
Or some great brewer's wagon bars
Be what shall make me lose my scars
And leave me with the jury dears—
Scars tell with twelve good men and true.

Keep me, I pray, unharmed this day
As I go forth where danger lies;
But if with harm or hurt I meet,
Let it be done, I pray, entreat,
By those responsible complete
For damages and compromised.
—St. Louis Star.

Strange Things Pneumatic.

This is the age of things pneumatic. A St. Louis man has invented a rubber cloak which can be transformed into a mattress by blowing it up. Everything is blown up nowadays. A patent has been granted for a kind of cap which, being blown up, may be made to serve as a pillow at night or as a life preserver in case of shipwreck. This is a most convenient thing to travel with on the ocean. There is also a life preserver corset. Better than any of them, however, is a peculiar bonnet recently devised by a German. It is interwoven with the quills of geese or other birds and is intended for wearing apparel or for bedings. So light is it that a person on a voyage, if clad in a suit or dress of it, may be sure of floating in case of disaster or falling overboard.

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Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
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Woman's Fate.

From the Record, Bushnell, Ill.

No woman is better able to speak to other, regarding "woman's fate" than Mrs. Jacob Weaver, of Bushnell, Ill., wife of ex-City Marshal Weaver. She had entirely recovered from the illness which kept her bedfast much of the time for five or six years past, and says her recovery is due to that well-known remedy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Weaver is fifty-six years old, and has lived in Bushnell nearly thirty years. She is of unquestionable veracity and unblemished reputation. The story of her recovery is interesting. She says:

"I suffered for five or six years with the trouble that comes to women at this time of my life. I was much weakened, was unable to do my own work, and suffered beyond my power to describe. I was discouraged and melancholy.

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"I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and some of my friends commenced taking them highly. I made up my mind to try them. I bought the first six in March, 1897, and was benefited from the start.

Mrs. Jacob Weaver.

"A box and a half cured me completely, and I am now rugged and strong. I have not been bothered with my troubles since I began taking the pills.

"I have recommended the pills to many women who are suffering as I suffered, they are the only thing that helped me to the trial that comes to so many women at my age."

MRS. J. H. WEAVER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1897.

O. C. HOOKS, *Notary Public.*

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Outwitted the Laird.

In the absence of a family, says Spare Moments, the private grounds of a certain Scottish lord were often used by the natives of the two neighboring villages, as thereby a saving of fully a mile was effected.

Occasionally, too, when his lordship was at home, attempts were made to "run the blockade," for, whenever any trespasser was caught by his lordship he had to obey the command to "go back the way he had come."

A local hawker, when cautiously wheeling his barrow along the forbidden path one day, happened to see his lordship before the latter saw him, and readily turning the barrow round sat down with his back to the dreaded laird, who, coming up, gave him a severe reprimand and then ordered him to "wheel about and go back by the road by which he had come."

The wily hawker did as he was bidden, thereby turning his barrow in the direction in which he wished to go, and so effectually outwitting the unsuspecting laird.

The clergyman who, a few Sundays ago, whipped out a cheese knife from behind his pulpit and brandished it before his throat, and another who during his sermon weighted a balloon with a whisky bottle, may have convinced their congregations that drink is both suicidal and debasing, but they seem to have forgotten the rule of rhetoric that such similes burlesque both the subject and the object. Eccentric and "yellow" methods, whether in speech, or journalism, or social life, may enforce attention and excite comment, but are meretricious in character and of doubtful utility.

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Zeilin's answer to our bill said, the medicine was declared as "other people's medicine for the ingredients of the Mississippi Valley." And Zeilin has never resented in the case, and "Zeilin's advertising" said "that all the Liver Medicine in the market is made by the same formula." What more conclusive evidence could there be that their Liver Medicine is "other people's medicine?"

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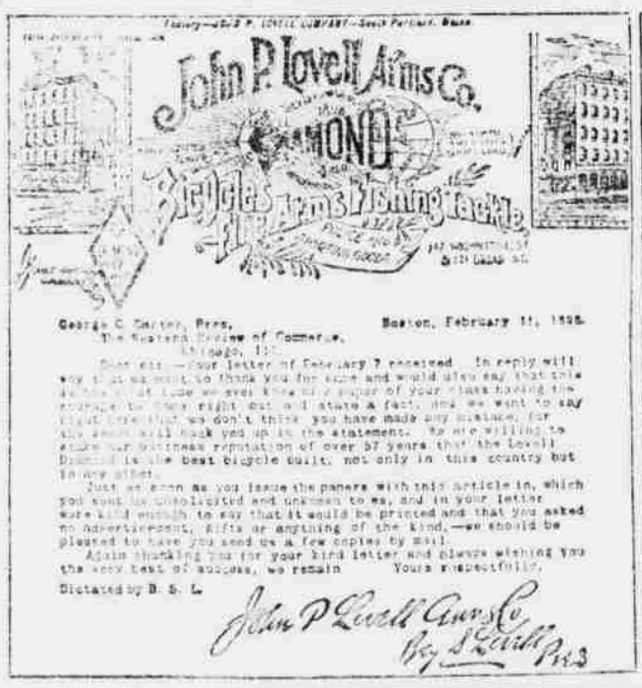

Boston, February 11, 1898.

George C. Carter, Pres.
The Western Review of Commerce,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:—Your letter of February 7 received. In reply will say that we want to thank you for same and would also say that this is the first time we ever knew of a paper of your class having the courage to come right out and state a fact, and we want to say right here that we don't think you have made any mistake, for all people will back you up in the statement. We are willing to stake our business reputation of over 37 years that the Lovell Diamond is the best bicycle built, not only in this country but in any other.

Just as soon as you issue the papers with this article in, which you sent us unsolicited and unknown to us, and in your letter were kind enough to say that it would be printed and that you asked no advertisement, gifts or anything of the kind,—we should be pleased to have you send us a few copies by mail.

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Dictated by B. S. L.

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John P. Lovell Arms Co.
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Your esteemed favor of the 11th inst. to hand and contents noted. We thank you for your kind words of appreciation. We mean just what we say, that for careful and scientific construction and real practical value the Lovell Diamond is undoubtedly the best wheel made. In our investigation we examined 37 leading makes, and we were satisfied after most thorough tests that we were justified in giving the Palm to the "Diamond."

Considering we were not influenced in any way by financial considerations, not even in the form of advertising patronage, you may rest assured that the decision was unprejudiced.

Wishing you success in the coming season, we are

Yours very truly,

WESTERN REVIEW OF COMMERCE
Per C. B. F.

Among other complimentary remarks the "Western Review of Commerce" says in its issue of Feb. 25th, 1898:

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