

MR. FLETCHER SPEAKS.

In behalf of myself, of the town I represent, and of the Board of Supervisors of Lake county, I desire to express my sincere thanks to the voters of East Deerfield for their noble work at the polls on Tuesday last. I do not regard or accept it as a mere personal triumph, but rather as an intelligent, honest and loyal endorsement by you, my friends, neighbors and fellow citizens, of the policy of prudence and economy in administration of the affairs of our county and town. This policy has led to an entire revision of the method of helping the poor, by helping them to help themselves, and our efforts in this direction have been crowned with the highest and most gratifying success. Tuesdays vote shows how thoroughly you appreciate and approve this policy. Your vote makes manifest also how keenly alive you are to the need of a careful expenditure of the public moneys in these times of financial depression. I wish, therefore, in this public manner to thank you for your generous appreciation and emphatic endorsement of the policy and principles I have sought to exemplify and enforce in your representative in the county board. Such is my interpretation of the large vote given me by you last Tuesday. Gentlemen, I thank you.

Respectfully, A. W. FLETCHER.

LOOK OUT.

The city council and mayor have been very generous to the wheelmen of the town, but they won't have the privileges abused very extensively. Too many wheelmen forget all law and rules and go forging along at a high rate of speed and worse than that go about all through the business portions of the town. All this is not only in direct violation of the general agreement, but puts in peril the privileges of us all, the law abiding as well as the lawless cyclists. Now for the sake of the law and order class we protest against this too common abuse of our privilege. People are annoyed, children endangered and general dissatisfaction bred by these things.

Pressure is being brought to bear on the mayor to induce him to revoke the present highly esteemed and extremely favorable privileges we enjoy just because of the reckless abuse of some, public disgust is created. Especial dissatisfaction is felt toward those who ride in the business section of the city. Now wheelmen and wheelwomen too, remember your failing and keep off your wheel in the heart of the city or the marshal will be compelled to act.

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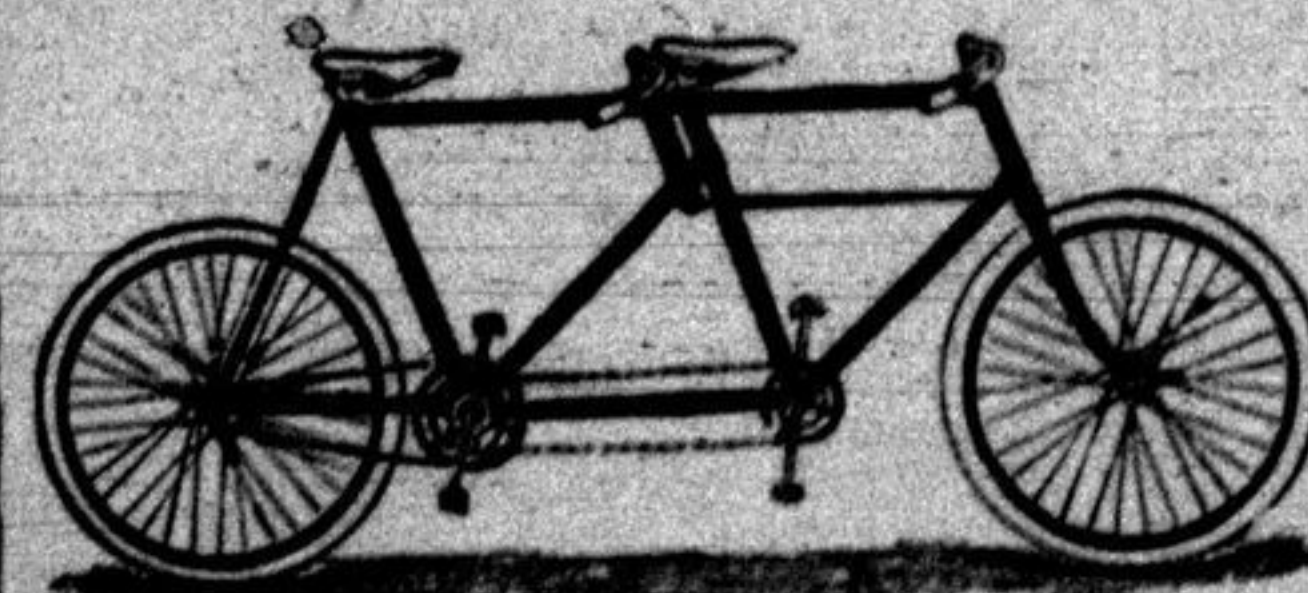
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