***** WORLD OF SPORT

***** **GUN CLUB SHOOT**

The gun club held a shoot at their grounds Riverside park yesterday aftermoon. The day of the shoot had been changed from Friday, and many were not aware of the change. Quite a number too, were out at the grounds early, but nobody had a key and it was after four o'clock before any shooting was done,

The following were the scores:— Sweep No. 1, ten targets—J. W. Aitken 9, Jacob Labombarb 6, A. C. McKay 6, John Moore 6.

Sweep No. 2, ten targets—W. D. Tristem 8, Thos. Nichol 5, A. C. McKay Wm. Oldershaw 6. Sweep No. 3, ten targets—J. La-hombarb 4, A. C. McKay 4, W. D. Tris-tem 4, Jack Moore, 6, Wm. Oldershaw

Sweep No. 4, ten targets-Thomas Nichol 7, J. W. Aitken 8, Jack Frazer 7. Jacob Labombarb 6. Swee, No. 5, ten targets,-Jack Frazer 4, W. D. Tristem 5, Jacob Labom

barb 7, J. W. Aitken 7.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE

April 10.-W. D. Brock, of London, was in town yesterday.

A number of the Masonic brethren went to Wardsville to-day to attend the funeral of the late Dr. McKillop. Wm. Drader is in town to-day. Mrs. Ward, of Detroit, is visiting

Mrs. Geo. Munro and other friends R. S. Dill, of Toronto, is in town. J. Poag, of Chatham, is in town to-

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DRESDEN

April 11.-Rev. Norman Lindsay.

improving.

Jas. E. Thatcher, of Ridgetown, was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Sharpe entertained a number of friends on Wednesday evening. A very pleasant time was spent

Work has re-commenced on the Penfound building, St. George street.

cession 4, Gore of Camden, and will

reside here in future. The first issue of the Dresden "Stanwas published yesterday. The Dresden tennis club have re-organized.

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TILBURY

April 11.-C. W. Re Rowski, of the Dresden Sugar Beet Co., was in town yesterday in the interests of that George Richardson, of Ann Arbor

Dental College, arrived to-day to spend his vacation at his home here. C. F. Smith, of Frewsbury, N. Y., is visiting friends in this vicinity. Miss Olive Kelly and Mrs. Velmer Kelly, of Quinn, left here this week

for the Soo, to rejoin the latter's husband there. W. S. Rowell, of Hamilton, has taken the position in Sr Mather's grist

mill vacated by Chas. Morrison. John Wands leaves a week from Monday for Los Angeles, Cal., as delegate to the Supreme Court convention of Independent Order of Foresters, by special train from Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morrison have left for St. Thomas, where they will

The public library directors have ordered about two hundred new volumes for the library, which are expected here soon.

WEDDED IN DOVER.

On Wednesday, the 9th inst., a very pleasant event transpired at the hon of Chas. Foy, Con. 7, Dover, it being the marriage of his daughter Lizzie to Edward Collop, of the 11th. The bride and her attendant, Miss Charbride and her attendant, and lotte Hind, of Chatham, were becomingly attired in lake blue with pink and allover lace. The trimmings and allover lace. The groom was ably supported by James Wright, of Chatham

The knot was securely tied by Rev. Mr. Clark, of Baldoon, at six p. m. sharp amid an assembled crowd of immediate relatives and friends. After partaking of a sumptuo

dinner the evening was enjoyably spent with games and other amusements until a late hour when the bride and groom departed for their home amid showers of rice and the best wishes for their future happiness.

The presents were numerous and handsome, showing the great esteem in which they are held by all of their friends. They will reside on the 11th ession, Dover Township.

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WONDERFUL WHEEL.

The bicycle used by Chas. A. Loder, the touring American in Chas. H. Yale and Sidney R. Ellis' "The Evil Eye," which plays at the Grand Monday evening next, has more ingenious contrivances attacked to it than all the other wheels in existance combined. It is a combination of dust sprinkler gattling gun, dining car, kitchen, cook ing stove, bar for mixed drinks, sitting room, lavatory, cold storage, bath and piazza.

The German American in act first

rides into a Holland village and in so doing immediately gets into trouble with "The Evill Eye," the villain of enfound building, St. George street. the play. This unfriendliness affords Laird Bros. are receiving their machinery for their new factory.

Mrs. W. H. McPherson was in Blenof itself, when the "Evil Eye" rush-Dr. Irvine Hayhow, of Detroit, attended the wedding of his sister, Miss attached, in front. When the Evil Eye orpha to Chas. Aikin, on Wednesday. William Oldham and family have back with blank cartridges to heave moved to town from their farm, con- to. When the heroine shows fatigue it unfolds a chair and she is gently urged to renew her strength by tast ing liquor served from the handle bars. To the hero who has accidentally received some of the water, a towel ap pears that he may dry himself, and when after the excitement, the comeian proposes to satisfy his hunger locker is disclosed containing stove, coffee pot, and all the paraphernalia of a restaurant, and when he proceeds to fry eggs and enjoy a regularly cooked meal in contentment, the triumph of this wheel is complete and the beholder involuntarily mutters Eureka, or Multum in Parvo, what next. or anything else that expresse astonishment. Nor is this all of the wheel's remarkable resources. works a fan, which is most convenien in hot weather, lifts an umbrella, spreads an awning when required and above it waves an American flag. It should be seen to be appreciated.

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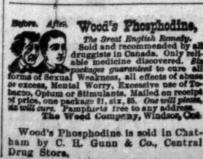
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ODD CLASSIFICATION.

The Way a Carload of Tramps Was

In Mexico the billing of railroad freight requires a knowledge and precision which can only be attained by years of practice. This is due to the peculiar classification of various articles and the different rates of customs duties. A case recently occurred which severely taxed the ingenuity of the station agent, although he finally suc-

reeded in meeting all requirements. The town was overrun with tramps, and the council determined that steps must be taken to rid the city of them. It was finally decided to round them up and ship them out of the country. It would be too expensive to purchase tickets, so they concluded to hire stock cars and ship their tramps as freight.

The cars were procured, and by the aid of the police the tramps were gathered, but then the question arose as to how the shipment should be designated on the bill of lading. The term "persons" could not be

used, as it would conflict with the state law relative to proper accommodations for the traveling public, and it would also be in violation of the company's rules governing the rates of passenger traffic. "Marketable commodities" would not do, as that would subject the carload-to a heavy duty upon cross ing the tariff zone. Again they would have to be classified as "perishable" or the dispatcher might order the car sidetracked along the line.

But fortunately there is a customs law which exempts certain kinds of curiosities from duty, and so, after much consideration, the tramps were billed and forwarded as so many hundredweight of "perishable curiositiesunfit to eat."

Curing a Duelist.

It is said that a Harvard man who was visiting Paris in some innocent way offended a club member, who promptly slapped his face, the Frenchman expecting, of course, to receive a challenge for a duel. Instead of this proceeding the Harvard man turned and looked for an instant at his adversary, then quick as a flash pulled back his strong right hand and sent the fellow rolling across the floor, breaking the bones of his nose in two

places. After a few weeks, when the Frenchman had sufficiently recovered from the incident to discover what had happened, he issued a formal challenge to his American offender to fight a duel, and, being the recipient of the challenge, the American was permitted to select the weapons. He promptly chose a baseball and, being an old pitcher, threw with an accuracy which resulted in the Frenchman's getting another wound on the nose, curing him entirely, of the love for dueling.

How New York Sleens. New York is a city of infinite variety. out sleep and those who sleep without beds. Three thousand of her winter residents slumber in the cradles of the canal barges that come each year from the canals of New York state, from the great lakes and Lake Champlain to spend the winter months moored in New York harbor. In the tenement districts a man, his wife and his four or six or eight or more children sleep in a single room, and one who goes about the city finds many a device for slumber and repose. On Washington street, on the west side, where the Turks, the Greeks, the Assyrians and the Egyptians live near neighbors to a colony of Irish, is a queer little oriental hotel on the top floor of a tenement. -Leslie's Weekly.

Rome's Churches.

The guidebooks are responsible for the popular impression that there are 365 churches in Rome; one for every day in the year, but that is a mistake. The exact number is 352, including the four great basilicas outside the walls. Besides these there are about 918 chapels connected with monasteries, nunneries, schools and private palaces and large number of shrines erected by ndividuals in different parts of the city to fulfill vows or show gratitude for deliverance from peril or sickness. There are 68 monastic establishments, 42 for monks and 26 for nuns

The Umbrella Conscience. A correspondent contributes another to the series of umbrella myths. During a smart shower a gentleman who was unprovided hurriedly overtook an acquaintance whom he chanced to see some distance ahead of him carrying an umbrella, intending to ask if he might be permitted to share its shelter. He was almost up to him, when suddenly the other turned around and with guilty look thrust it into his hands and vanished.-London Globe.

His Weak Spot. Casey-Did ye hear about poor Flan-

Cassidy-Sorra the word. Casey-Sure, the big stame hammer in the foundry dropped down on his chist an' killed him. Cassidy-Well, Oi'm not surprised, for he always had a wake chist.

Cigars and Tobacco There are between 1,500,000 and 2,000,000 brands of cigars sold in this country, and your average smoker thinks that every brand means a different kind of tobacco. As a matter of fact 150 is an outside estimate of the different kinds of tobacco that can be procured from all sources, and even experts can't tell some of these apart.

His Propensity. "I never forget a joke that I once bear," remarked Borem. "No," rejoined Guyer, "and you don't give any of your acquaintances a

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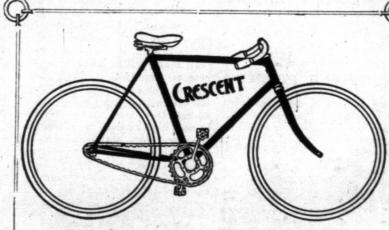
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