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THE C.W.A. FEE QUESTION.

Wheelmen Will Meet at the T. A. C. on December 18 to Talk Over the Matter.

The much-discussed C.W.A. fee question will be thoroughly threshed out at a general meeting of city cyclists at the Toronto Athletic Club on Dec. 18. Mr. W. A. Irwin of the Atheneum Club has selected this date, and requests that all local wheeling organizations send delegates to the T.A.C. that night at 8.15.

Toronto B.C., Atheneum C.C. and Parkdale are the three clubs that have put themselves on record as not thoroughly in accord with the workings of the C.W.A. These do not want to be placed on the disloyal list, and, with some modification in the internal methods of the big association, everything may end amicably.

THE L.A.W. IN LARGE CITIES.

The L.A.W. Bulletin presents a census of the League membership in the 14 largest American cities. The following table also shows the population of the cities:

City.	Population.	L. A. W. Members.
New York	1,891,306	7,059
Chicago	1,438,010	1,153
Brooklyn	957,103	3,403
Philadelphia	1,142,653	3,948
St. Louis	451,770	1,392
Boston	448,477	2,783
Baltimore	434,439	895
San Francisco	298,997	790
Cincinnati	296,908	405
Buffalo	278,796	1,122
Cleveland	261,353	186
New Orleans	242,089	189
Pittsburg	238,617	812
Washington	230,392	214

BICYCLE BRIEFS.

Cycle racing for women is going out of favor in France.

France, during the first seven months of the year, expended $900,000 worth of bicycle products.

The Weekly Bulletin of the L.A.W. racing Board announces the suspension of Thomas W. Eck and John S. Johnson, pending investigation.

The authorities of Brussels, Belgium, have asked for estimates on 22,000 white enamel plates to be attached to the bicycles of that city, in connection with the 1897 tax.

The Tourists hard times parade to-day will pass by the following route: Leaving club house at 8.30 a.m., Yonge north to Davenport-road; return Yonge, to Queen east, to Broadview, where R.C.B.C. will join in; then west by King to Yonge, and north to Queen west, then to Dundas, and through to Weston. This route will be traveled, rain or shine.

A new bicycle chain of rawhide is attracting some attention. This chain is bound with steel plates on the side to prevent stretching, and it is said that it does not collect dust or need lubricating. It runs without noise and with less friction than a steel chain, and water will not injure it or cause it to rust. The material of the roller blocks is pig hide, which looks and feels like boxwood.

RIVAL PROSPECT PARKERS.

The Trouble Over a Name is Over—Queen City's Located in Church-street.

The rival Prospect Parkers have settled their little trouble as far as a name is concerned. Now they must wait for a tussle on the ice, and their first meeting should prove an interesting one.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Ontario Curling Association was held yesterday in the Walker House, President Thomas Woodyatt of Brantford in the chair.

The proposal of the Corcoran-Scott party to adopt the name of the Queen City Curling Club was received as the basis of settlement. Both parties are accepted as associate clubs by the O.H.A., the Gibson-Lewis party as the Prospect Park Curling Club and the Corcoran-Scott party as the Queen City Curling Club.

The Queen City's home is in the Granite Skating Rink, while the Prospect Parkers will continue to do business at the old stand.

A BIG CRICKET CLUB.

The Germantown Cricket Club of Philadelphia is perhaps the largest organization of the kind in America. The total membership is now 1289, composed of the following classes: Honorary 9, life 73, family 598, senior 245, playing 65, active 136, junior 201, non-resident 49, associate 5. Total 1280.

There are also 50 lady subscribers. Tickets have been issued to 1112 ladies on account of life and family memberships, and to 41 clergymen and the members of their families, making a total of 2492 persons entitled to the privileges of the club.

During the past season the Germantown first eleven won six of the eight matches played. William W. Noble carried off the batting honors with an average of 62.

THREE FAVORITES WIN.

Lexington, Nov. 25.—Three favorites at short prices and two second choice won to-day's events. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Bloodhound, 99 (Thompson), 3 to 5, 1; Mary, 94 (Everett), 5 to 1, 2; Duke of Montrose, 97 (Dupee), 13 to 5, 3. Time 1.20¼.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Goshen, 107 (Perkins), 2 to 5, 1; L.W., 104 (Thompson), 10 to 1, 2; Sharon, 98 (Randall), 5 to 1, 3. Time .56¾.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Kossack, 97 (Everett), 2 to 1, 1; Cactus, 112 (Van Kuren), 6 to 1, 2; Handspun, 104 (Dupee), 4 to 5, 3. Time 1.19¼.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Hazel Green, 107 (Thompson), 5 to 2, 1; The Planter, 105 (Perkins), 4 to 5, 2; Lovejoy, 102 (Williams), 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.05½.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Satsuma, 112 (Thompson), 7 to 5, 1; A.B.C., 107 (Matthews), 3 to 1, 2; Garland Bar, 104 (Dupee), 7 to 10, 3. Time 1.31½.

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MULLEN AND CARROLL TO RUN.

Boston, Nov. 25.—Pete Ward of this city manager of Pat Carroll of Waltham, the present American professional champion runner, has received a cablegram from Dublin, stating that Mullen, the Irish champion runner, had accepted Carroll's challenge to run from one to five miles for $1000 a side. The date is not given, but it will probably be about Jan. 1. Carroll has defeated every professional runner in this country, including Jim Rushworth and E. C. McClelland. Manager Ward believes that Carroll is able to defeat F. E. Bacon, the victor over Conneff, in three races, but will take on Mullen first. Ward and Carroll will leave for the other side about Christmas time. The meeting between the famous runners will be of international interest.

Frank Wongo, the Indian, was knocked out in three rounds by Charlie Burns of Cincinnati, in Baltimore.

The pacing mare Sarah Fuller, owned by C. H. Nelson, died at Waterville, Maine, on Monday. She was sired by Nelson, out of a mare by Gideon, and had a record of 2.09, her trial record being 2.12½. Mr. Nelson was offered $2000 for her recently.

TUMBLED AT THE JUMPS.

Some of the Horses Got Over Bennings Hurdles and Some Didn't.

Jockey Callahan Had His Collar Bone Broken—The Favorite Fell and the Steeplechase Went to Decapod—Three Favorites and Two Second Choices, All Well Backed, Finished in Front—Results and Entries on Many Tracks.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Another day of fine weather brought out a large attendance at Bennings. The bookies quit losers on the day, three favorites and two well-backed second choices winning. Caress was the 8 to 5 favorite in the steeplechase, but fell and went lame. Nicholas, her rider, got a severe shaking up. Hiawasse tumbled at the eighth hurdle and fell on Callahan, breaking his collar-bone. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—The Swain, 138 (O'Leary), 3 to 1, 1; Arabian, 115 (Simms), 8 to 5, 2; Euphemia L., 105 (Gifford), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.16 2-5. Hi Daddy, Mohawk Prince, Kennebunk, Eclipse, Dye, One Chance also ran. Illusion left at the post.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Minnie Alphonse, 110 (Doggett), 3 to 10, 1; Aunt Sally, 110 (O'Leary), 5 to 1, 2; Endeavor, 110 (Nostrand, 30 to 1, 3. Time 1.04 2-5. Hint, Ponnetta, Ostracized, Periodical also ran.

Third race, 1⅛ miles—Kingstone, 73 (Maher), 3 to 5, 1; Sir Dixon Jr., 97½ (Nostrand), 5 to 2, 2; Flamee, 78 (Bennett), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.58 3-5. Nick Johnson, Brilliancy, Rey Del Mar also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Declare, 109 (Simms), 3 to 5, 1; South Africa, 88 (Maher), 8 to 1, 2; Campania, 97 (O'Leary), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.30 2-5. Runaway, Tenderness, Galliee, Ardath also ran.

Fifth race, steeplechase, 2½ miles—Decapod, 157 (Chandler), 2 to 1, 1; Marschan, 138 (Brazil), 4 to 1, 2; Southerner, 150 (Dumphy), 5 to 1, 3. Time 5.28. Sir Roderick also ran. Caress and Hiawasse fell and did not finish.

ENTRIES AT BENNINGS.

Washington, Nov. 25.—First race, hurdle, 1⅜ miles—McKee 172, Flushing 159, Red Cloud 148, Southerner 147.

Second race, 1 mile—Stray Step 108, L. B. 102, Kitty D. II. 100, Azure, One Chance 98, Atlantus 97, Braw Lad 96, Prisoner 95, Myrtle L. 93, Rifler 91.

Third race, 1 mile—The Swain 125, Septour, Premier 114, Marshall 112, Tenderness 105, Lambent 102, Arabian 98, Royal Princess 97, Mohawk Prince 93.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Hawarden, Hanwell, Taric 110, Sordello, Harrington 107, Dean Wood, Marsian, Zanone 104, Wyallusing 92, Wordsworth, Billall, Maud Adams 89.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Maurice 123, Doggett 108, Rey del Mar, Counsellor Howe 100, Volley, Kingstone 98, Find Out 95.

Sixth race, steeplechase, about 3 miles—Sir Roderick, Trillion 165, Nadje, Degarnette 150.

BOOKIES LOST HEAVILY.

Nashville, Nov. 25.—Three favorites and one second choice and an outsider were the winners at Cumberland Park to-day. All were well backed. Among the bookies heavy losses are reported. To-morrow will close the meeting, the Latonia horses not materializing as expected. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Dominic O., 104 (Corder), 5 to 2, 1; Royal Prince, 102 (Scott), 8 to 5, 2; Clinton, 103 (Young), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.00¼. Miss Kitty, Tom Quirk, Jacob Litt, Lizzie V. also ran.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Bramblenet, 97 (Songer), 2 to 1, 1; Traveler, 110 (Charles), 9 to 2, 2; Susie Howsee, 107 (Scott), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.10. N C Creed, Cheatham, Lucy Allen, Granny, Bellen Lenore also ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Florianna, 104 (Scott), even, 1; Sauteur, 104 (Corder), 4 to 1, 2; High Noon, 99 (Mitchell), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.15¾. Margaret Allen, B F Fly Jr, Partner, Alto June also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—Shuttlecock, 107 (Sweeney), 7 to 10, 1; Fischer, 92 (Songer), even, 2; Pat Gore, 92 (Strauss), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.09¾. Ruth V, Nellie Osborne, Gilfordhun also ran.

Fifth race, mile—Master Fred, 107 (Easley), 10 to 1, 1; Charley Weber, 101 (Banks), 5 to 2, 2; Pete Kitchen, 104 (Songer), 3 to 5, 3. Time 1.44. F.M.B., Ed Dandridge, Heretic also ran.

THE NASHVILLE CARD.

Nashville, Nov. 25.—First race, 5½ furlongs—Pat Gore, Lady Doleful, Becky Sharp, Keeps, Derby Maid 97, Nellie Osborne, Trilby, Victoria 104, Clinton 107.

Second race, ¾ mile—Cheatham 93, Kiss Me, Ella T., Billy Fisher, Daisy Moree 103, Traveler, King Boleyn 106.

Third race, ⅞ mile—Fischer, Austin, Ed Dandridge 92, Dominico 95, Ruth V., Annie Sweet, Gus Strauss, Coranella 102, Bona Schoenfeld 105.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Terrapin 95, Julie D., F.M.B., Thornbush, Novera, Margaret Allen 102, Santa Cruz, Jesse, Zack, Lusby 105.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Eaton Jacket, Mamie Callan 100, Sim W., Lauretta D., Florianna 107.

Sixth race, hurdle, 1½ miles—Tremor, Grenada 125, Master Fred 132, Alboyer 140, Colonist 145, Earl of Montrose 125.

O'CONNELL IS FAVORITE.

New Orleans, Nov. 25.—Clear, warm weather and a track deep in mud were the conditions of to-day's races. Three favorites and two second choices scored, and the talent had a good day of it. For the $1500 Thanksgiving Handicap to-morrow, the fourth race, O'Connell is a strong favorite to-night. Summaries:

First race, mile—Van Brunt, 110 (Scherer), 6 to 5, 1; Jamboree, 107 (Clerico), 8 to 1, 2; Judge Steadman, 98 (Turner), 7 to 1, 3. Time 1.48¼. Logan, Paskota, Remington also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Doomful, 104 (Walker), 13 to 5, 1; Banquo II., 104 (Ham), 11 to 5, 2; Anger, 103 (Scherer), 9 to 1, 3. Time 1.19¾. Hill Billy, Etyria, Rosny, Sanguine also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Dick Behan, 112 (Smith), 2 to 1, 1; Liselg, 109 (Ross), 7 to 2, 2; Mantell, 109 (Tuberville), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.19¾. Redtop, Alberts, J. H. Grafton, Sir John, May Ashley also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Judith C., 102 (Scherer), 7 to 2, 1; C. C. Rumrill, 86 (Dean), 12 to 1, 2; Overalls, 102 (Morse), 2 to 1, 3. Time not given. Brakeman, Alva, Little Billy, Wild Tartar, Hippogriff also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—John Corr, 84 (Shannon), even, 1; Old Dominion, 109 (Penn), 7 to 1, 2; Will Elliott, 109 (Powers), 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.19. Soundmore, Hapalatchie, Image, Sugarcane, Izbyl also ran.

NEW ORLEANS' PROGRAM.

New Orleans, Nov. 25.—First race, ¾ mile—Frank Jaubert 91, Cooper, Ozark Jr., Rosalind III. 96, Albert S. 99, Old Dominion, Montell 101, Twelve Fifty 102, Sir John, Leonard B. 107.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Three Times, Sugar Cane, Robert Bonner, Braxey, Reta B., Mauritius, Wood Bird, Hazard, Alma Russell 105, Pommery Sec, Kingston, Ivory, Vencedor, Elkin, Sir Errol 108.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Tim Irven 89, Bridgeton, Devault, Dick Tension 98, Marquise 101, Sandoval 105.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Red Top 96, Command 98, Clara Bauer 109, David 116, O'Connell 118, Laureate 120.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile—Cherry Stone 99, Princess Rose 102, Clarus, Incommode, Ma Dunlap, Hulbert, Flora Ballard, Dr. France 105.

THANKSGIVING RUN WITH HOUNDS.

The Country and Hunt Club will seek sport this afternoon. The meet will be at the club-house at 12.30, and at 1 o'clock a start will be made, whatever the weather may be.

CAPTAIN JACK COUNSELL.

He Will Accept the Leadership of Varsity's Cohorts on Monday—About the Popular Punter.

Rugby at Varsity for this year is about dead, although the Mulock Cup series will be fought out next week. The Varsity men took their defeat last Saturday good-naturedly and like philosophers. The team are having nothing but a round of entertainment now. On Monday evening the Varsity Athletic Association gave a dance in the team's honor. On Tuesday evening the team were asked to the Grand to see Mr. John Hare and his excellent company, after which a football supper was held at Clancy's, and the team sat up until an early hour of the morning. When the students resume their studies after the Thanksgiving Day recess, a long list of entertainments await the Rugby team. They are invited to the University dinner on Dec. 8, to the Osgoode dance on Dec. 4 and to a number of greater and lesser functions.

The annual meeting of the Varsity Rugby Football Club will be held on Monday next in the gymnasium at 4 p.m. The Q.C.'s of Osgoode, the Tiger people and the T.A.C. are credited with a desire to next fall rob Varsity of Jack Counsell's services, and it is said are holding out, and will hold out, tempting offers of the captaincy of these teams to him. Their expectations will not be realized, for on Monday next, by the unanimous wish of the faculty, of the students and of Reddie Lamonte, Tiny will be asked to accept the captaincy of the blue and white, and great will be the rejoicing among the Varsity undergraduates, both male and female, when they hear that Jack has decided to accept the leadership of the blue and white next fall.

Captain Counsell in embryo is a modest, unassuming undergraduate. He graduates from Varsity in arts next May. He is easily the most popular man in the college, and takes a keen interest in all undergraduate affairs, having an unusual hold on the passions of the students by reason of his strong personality. He is looked to as the coming "Cochrane" of Varsity, and should make the best captain Varsity has ever had. He is 20 years old, weighs 165 pounds, and is a native of Hamilton, Ont. He was educated at U.C.C. in 1893, and led Varsity III. to victory as captain, winning the Rugby junior championship for Varsity in his freshman days.

LAST GAME OF THE SEASON.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—The last football game of the season of 1896 between the big Eastern colleges will be played to-morrow by Cornell and Pennsylvania on Franklin Field. The Cornell team, substitutes, coaches and rubbers, in all numbering 20 men, arrived here this evening from Ithaca, and are quartered at the Hotel Stenton. That Pennsylvania will win to-morrow is almost a foregone conclusion, but Cornell always plays a hard and plucky game, and, as the Ithacans are in much better condition than when they met Harvard and Princeton, and will also have the full strength of their team out for nearly the first time this season, a good game is looked for. While the Cornellians do not expect to win, they do expect to score. They are counting on Pennsylvania's two fatal faults of this season—a fumble or a blocked kick—to aid them across the goal line of the red and blue.

A GAME AT BRAMPTON.

Brampton, Nov. 25.—A Rugby match was played here between the Excelsiors and the High School, resulting in a victory for the former team by 7 points to 0. For the Excelsiors Morphy and Irvin played an excellent game. Shortell played a hard game for the school.

FOR THE CALEDONIAN CUP.

The team to represent the Western Football Association will arrive in Toronto this morning for their Caledonian Cup match with the local Intercollegiate team. The kick-off will be at 2.30 on the Varsity lawn. W. S. McLean will referee. The Intercollege team is as follows: Goal, McGillivray; backs, McWiley and Reid; halfbacks, Jackson, Burns and Gibson; forwards, Wrenn, Buckingham, McPherson, Hume and Rutherford. Spares—Cooper and French.

FOOTBALL KICKS.

Princeton, N.J., Nov. 25.—The freshmen teams of Yale and Princeton played their annual football game at Princeton yesterday. Princeton won by the score of 14 to 4.

Jack Counsell was selected to referee the intermediate Rugby game to-day in Montreal, but was unable to go east. Captain Gleason of Ottawa College, who was to umpire, will likely fill his place.

The Gore Vale football team will leave this morning on the 9 o'clock train for Hamilton, where they play the St. Matthew's in the final football game of this year. The Gore Vale team is requested to be at the station at 8.30.

The Toronto Athletic Club's team left last night for Montreal, where they play the M.A.A.A. team to-day. The T.A.C. team: McKay, back; Giassco, Male and Whitehead, halves; Cartwright, quarter; Love, Wright, Coulson, scrimmage; Kingstone, Geier (captain), Carruthers, Flood or Marshall, Hoskins, Pemberton, Macdonald, wings.

Brockville is not at all satisfied with a second visit to Montreal. The Times of that place thinks that the Brockville team have been buncoed over this football business. What with indecision, uncertainty and delay occasioned by the Union and McGill II., the team has had every chance to deteriorate in form. As it is, they are the worse for being out of practice and relaxed for a week.

DIAMOND DUST.

Fred Pfeffer has signed with Chicago, and will hold down second base for Capt. Anson for another year.

Billy Barnie says he will sell his Hartford franchise if he can get his price. If not, it is quite likely that he will secure Jack Chapman to manage the club for him.

The Atlantic League has declared against the "farming" system, and it will probably be decided that no National League players will be accepted except for the entire season.

New York's infield next season will be composed of four players who have been captains of baseball teams. Joyce, the present captain, was also captain of the Senators. George Davis captained the Giants, so did Gleason, and Jake Beckley acted in the same capacity for the Pittsburg team.

George Smith has played his last game as shortstop for the Cincinnati Reds. In his place will appear Tommy Corcoran, the hard-hitting and sensational fielding shortstop of the Brooklyn team. The deal was made at Chicago during the meeting. Under the terms it was Smith, Fisher and $1000 in cash for Corcoran.

The official standing of the Atlantic League at the close of the season was as follows.

	W.	L.	Per.
Newark	77	59	.571
Paterson	76	59	.563
Hartford	71	55	.563
Wilmington	60	73	.451
Lancaster	50	66	.431
Athletic	51	71	.418

A NEW SHELL FOR McDOWALL.

New York, Nov. 25.—Dr. W. S. McDowall, the Chicago single sculler, who competed for the Diamond Sculls at Henley-on-Thames, England, last July, writes to a friend in this city that he intends to try again next year for the famous prize. McDowall was handicapped last year by an inferior American shell and poor sculls. He has ordered a new boat of Clasper, the English builders. He will also use English sculls.

VICTORIA HOCKEY CLUB.

The Victoria Hockey Club had a rousing meeting last night in the Victoria Club and elected these officers: Hon. President, Major Cosby; President, V. Armstrong; Secretary-Treasurer, H. J. Hellwell; Committee, H. Brummell, C. L. Wisner, H. G. Wills and S. A. Jones; Delegates to the O.H.A., J. Helliwell and S. A. Jones.

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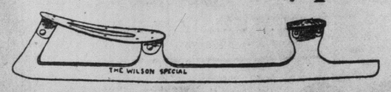

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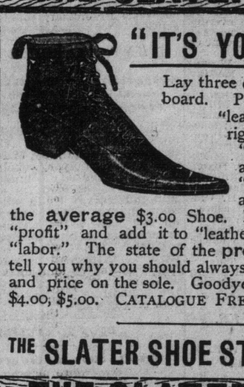

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SCOTT AND GOOCH TIE.

A very close and interesting shooting match took place Tuesday afternoon at the Newmarket track between Messrs. Ike Scott and George Gooch. Owing to the delay caused in waiting for the referee, and then another one having to be agreed to, it was nearly dark before the match was started, and the tie could not be settled, but will be at an early date. The birds were a very choice lot. The following are the scores, T. G. Club rules:

Scott .....1121101111221211—14
Gooch .....1211121121210211—14

LASKER'S BIG LEAD.

Moscow, Nov. 25.—The sixth game of the chess match between Lasker and Steinitz was begun on Monday, and left unfinished early yesterday morning after 60 moves. It was a Giuoco Piano, which was adjourned in a winning position for Lasker. To-day Steinitz did not appear at the appointed hour of play, so the committee awarded the game to Lasker. At first Steinitz intended to appeal, but a compromise was made. He accepted the verdict of the committee, but got an adjournment of one week to recruit his health. The score now stands: Lasker 5, Steinitz 0, drawn 1.

SPORTING NOTES.

Kid McCoy has changed his mind about coming back to America, and has signed to fight in Johannesburg during Christmas week for $5000 and the championship.

The married and single members of the Toronto Golf Club will play a match at Scarboro this morning. In the afternoon an important foursome between W. H. Blake and Archibald Kerr against A. P. Scott and T. M. Scott for an oyster supper will be played.

The Brockville Institute Hockey Club has reorganized for the season, with these officers: Hon. president, Judge McDougall; president, Mr. Pakenham; vice-president, J. Harold Jones; secretary-treasurer, Charles R. Deacon; committee, George A. Dobbie, Charles S. Bann, Charles R. Deacon.

Edward McLaughlin, the well-known Philadelphia expert, and William A. Spinks of Chicago have signed an agreement to play a match game at 14-inch balk-line billiards, 2500 points up, in New York, beginning on Monday evening, Dec. 7. The match will last five nights, and the men will play 500 points up each night. The winner will receive $200 and the loser $50.

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ALLEGED WORTHLESS CHEQUES.

R. W. Godolpin Arrested at Hamilton On Inspector Stark's Order.

R. W. Godolpin was arrested at Huntsville yesterday afternoon and will be brought to Toronto this morning. He was taken in charge there at the request of Inspector Stark. He is wanted on the charge of passing worthless cheques on Mr. John Brown of Brown's Hotel, who swore out the warrant. The amount involved is about $235.

A Strong Old Man.

Peterboro, Nov. 25.—Mr. John King, aged 70 years, in the employ of Messrs. Meldrum & McAllister, carried 280 lbs. of peas in a bag up two flights of stairs on a wager. He claims to be the strongest man of his age in Peterboro, and is open for a contest.

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FRIDAY SPECIALS:

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