WILL PROBABLY GET EXPECTED NUMBER IN ST. JOHN, SAYS MAJ. ROUTLEDGE OF MOUNTED POLICE

"We're doing nicely here," said Major Routledge, R. N. W. M. P., to a Standard representative at the Royal Hotel last night when asked what kind of a recruiting town St. John was.

"We've had a number of fine young fellows in to see us, and it looks as if we'll be able to get the number of recruits required from St. John. The applicants so far have been an intelligent lot of young men, well-dressed and as far away from the "tough" class as possibly could be. We'll begin to sign men on tomorrow."

Will Recruit in St. John Only.

Major Routledge when asked if any point in the province outside of St. John would be touched by himself and Sergt. McArthur for recruiting purposes said it would not. The orders of the Department had been to recruit in Charlottetown, Halifax and St. John and then return to Ottawa.

Personnel as Good as Ever.

"Sometimes it is said that the classification of recruits going into the Mounted Police is not what is used to be," ventured the reporter.

"That's all nonsense," replied Major Routledge."There are always some old-timers in every corps, and in every town who say that things aren't what they were when they were young. That is one of their stories. As far as I can see, and I have seen considerable service, the men in the North West Mounted Police are as good as they ever were. They are of the best physique and have good education and in many cases have had good social positions before joining the force. We're just as careful in selecting men as we were years ago."

Quebec Tercentenary Detachment.

As an instance of the excellence of the physique of the R. N. W. M. P. Major Routledge stated that the detachment of Mounted Police which attracted so much attention at Quebec during the Tercentenary celebration last year, was composed, with one exception, of men who had but recently joined the corps and not even left the depot at Regina. The more seasoned members of the force were all on duty in places where they could not easily be reached.

Majority Canadian-Born

Our men are almost all Canadian-born. On this trip we've enlisted only three Old Countrymen. Every province is represented, but Ontario supplies the bulk of the recruits as it is easier to reach Regina from that province and many Ontario men go out to join the force. We have a good many French-Canadians from Quebec, some of our officers being from that province. The Maritime Province men who are with us are doing well. Some of them have performed distinguished service."

Promotion

Major Routledge went on to say that a large proportion of the officers in the Mounted Police have been raised from the ranks. He himself is a "ranker." Commissioner Perry, active head of the force, is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston. Many of the other officers are also R. M. C. men.

Another Fairy Tale

"You sometimes see it stated that the Mounted Policeman is his own magistrate," remarked the reporter, "What is there in that?"

"That's another of these fairy-tales" was the answer. "Our higher officers are magistrates. Some of our Inspectors are appointed magistrates by the Government. In some cases these officers are reliquired to act as magistrates. In others there are civil officials."

No Reduction Expected

The Mounted Police Force as far as Major Routledge knows, will not be decreased. Their duties are increasing in spite of the fact that numerous towns are springing up. "You can scatter some thousands of people over the prairies and not know that they are there," was the way Major Rutledge put it. Alberta and Saskatchewan both want the protection of the force for several years longer and in the north there is a vast territory to be patrolled.

Dr. G. A. B. Addy the Examiner

Dr. G. A. B. Addy is medical examiner of those desiring to join the Mounted Police. Recruits will be taken on until May 14th.

BEER SHOPS OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT AND INFORMATION TO BE LAID---HAVE ENGAGED COUNSEL

About a week ago Inspector Jones interviewed the beer sellers in the city for the purpose of interpreting the new beer license law to them, and warning them to close at the proper hours.

On Saturday evening Mr. Jones asked Chief Clark to have the police officers keep a close watch over the beer shops to ascertain if there were any violations of the law. As a result of this the police have obtained the names of several who have gone in and come out of several of the beer shops after the hour for closing according to the new law. Sufficient evidence has been obtained against Daniel Connelly, 66 Mill street, Myles Carrol, 216 Union street, and Timothy Driscoll, 19 Mill street, and Mr. Jones will lay information against these and perhaps some others this morning.

It is understood that the beer sellers have kept open to test the new law, and will engage counsel and contest the charge.

Grocery stores.

Asked by the Standard last night one of the accused men said that the ground of defence is that they are keeping grocery stores, and are for that reason, justified in keeping open on Saturday evening, the same as drug stores and some other classes of stores.

It is stated by some of the temperance people that although these shops have bananas, oranges, tomato cans and the like in their windows, yet there is a lack of parafine oil flour, sugar,and the other commodities usually found in a grocery store.

It is understood that they will not be called upon to appear in court before Tuesday.

LATE PERSONALS

Mayor Bullock reached the city by Saturday night's Boston train.

Mr. John Coster came in on Saturday night's Boston express.

Mr. John E. Moore and Mr. Geo. McAvity left for Ottawa on Saturday evening's Montreal train.

Rev. G. A. Kuhring left on Saturday evening for Fredericton. He took the cathedral duties there on Sunday in the absence of Dean Schofield who is in England.

Mr. Stephen Whitehead was a passenger on Saturday night's Montreal train.

Mr. John Palmer reached the city on Saturday afternoon's Halifax express.

TORONTO GLOBE'S SCURRILOUS ATTACK ON MR. JUSTICE LANDRY

The Toronto Mail and Empire says editorially:—

It is surprising to find the Toronto Globe in its issue of yesterday (Thursday) attributing partisanship to Mr. Justice Landry, who presided over the Pugsley Railway Commission. This jurist is spoken of by the organ as a politician "who masquerades as a "judge," and as "a man who could be "trusted to go to any length to blast "the character of a political opponent." His report is alleged to be "a "gross piece of partisanship," and—seeing that it discusses Mr. Pugsley, "the most distinguished public man" in New Brunswick—it is described as "one of the most disgraceful documents to which a Canadian judge "ever attached his name!"

The outburst is astonishing, not merely because Mr. Justice Landry is one of the oldest and most respected members of the Supreme Court bench of his native province, but because the organ said on Saturday last, when, as it admitted, it had all the facts before it, that "the decision of a Royal "Commission of which a judge is the "chairman cannot be set aside by the statement that it is partisan," "it "would be a bad day for Canada when "such a view would be accepted without "out due proof." The change of opinion between Saturday and Thursday has been very radical. Apparently Thursday is the "bad day" against which the organ warned us on Saturday. While the altered view is amusing as it stands, it becomes quite comical when considered in relation to some ther matters. Not long since a Royal Commission reported on the charge of bribery made in the Ontario legislature. Some of the people did not agree with the report To these the organ addressed itself. It said: "To attack the judges is the "last resource of criminals and their "irresponsible and interested ad-"vocates, and those who indulge in "it invite the reprobation of all "honest citizens." To read the allusions to Mr. Justice Landry in the light of this comment is entertaining. Then, again, the organ recently laid down a rule touching the treatment that ought to be accorded the judiciary. It said in this pronunciamento: "It is difficult to conceive of "a greater crime against the com-"munity than that of imbuing the "public mind with the supicion that "the judges are partisan and justice "unreliable. Numerous facts might "be adduced to show how complete-"ly judges are able to divest them-"selves of their political leanings as "soon as they take the oath of of-"fice, and it is an exceedingly dirty "piece of business to seize on one or "two instances that mendacity can "misrepresent or exaggerate in order "to cast discredit on the judiciary "of the country." So that Thursday's attack upon Mr. Justice Landry is a great crime and "a dirty piece of business."

If the organ had appealed from the report of Judge Landry in a rational way, if it had undertaken to show that the report is incorrect, if it had proven that it is not in accord with the evidence, it might have damaged the decision at which the judge has arrived, namely, that the money of the Province of New Brunswick has been misappropriated, and that the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa is censurable. But this Thursday's explosion against the judge, following so swiftly after the Saturday opinion, and violating so completely the code which the organ has formulated on the subject of the respect that is due to judicial deliverances, when they favor its party interests, merely emphasizes the unreasoning partisanship to which the organ has descended, and provokes laughter.

N. B. STUDENTS AT ACADIA DOING WELL

Rev. Dr. W. L. Archibald, field secretary for Acadia University, arrived in the city on Saturday afternoon, and is the guest of Rev. F. E. Bishop, of Fairville.

Speaking to The Standard last evening, Rev. Dr. Archibald said that this is one of the most prosperous years in the history of the educational institution at Wolfville. There is now an attendance of over six hundred in the various departments. Carnegie science hall is nearly completed and will be open for the inspection of visitors at the forthcoming anniversary exercises, to be held on June 2nd.

Some good work has already been done in the theological department. This work will be increasing from year to year as the funds are forthcoming.

A pleasing feature of the year, is that the debating team has been very successful, and this is the eighth consecutive year that the team has met with such success.

Rev. Dr. Archibald also spoke very highly of the New Brunswick students, stating that they were carrying off high honors at the institution.

Rev. Dr. Archibald will spend a few weeks in the province before returning to Acadia.

Preached Yesterday.

Dr. Archibald delivered an excellent sermon in the Waterloo street Baptist church last evening. He took for his subject "Christian Education."

He first defined Christian education as the development of all the powers of man for the highest end. He spoke at some length of the early history and ideals of the institutions at Wolfville, from very small beginnings of four score years ago. The institutions have enjoyed a steadily increasing degree of prosperity until today there is a teaching staff of forty professors, innstructors and teachers, caring for the needs of an attendance of approximately six hundred in the various departments.

The recent forward movements have greatly strengthened the financial side of the work. The burden of indebtedness has been lifted and the endowment funds greatly increased.

A new enlargement to the institution which is being well equipped is the theological department. Through a bequest of some years ago, half of the funds for this work are now available, requiring only small additional gifts from various churches of the Maritime Provinces to make the department possible.

In concluding he spoke a few words in behalf of the funds for needy students who are studying for the ministry, of which there are always a large number in attendance at the institutions at Wolfville.

Dr. Archibald preached a similar sermon in Germain street Baptist church yesterday morning.

A SCIENTIST MAKES OFFER SIGNAL MARS

Two well known American scientists have recently announced their desire to make experiments with a view of establishing communication with the planet Mars, although neither commits himself to the theory that the planet is inhabited. Prof. David Todd, of Amherst College, will send up in a balloon the most sensitive wireless apparatus he can find, and listen for signals from space. Prof. Pickering of Harvard, offers to send flashes of reflected light to Mars if someone will give him $10,000,000 to build and operate the huge mirrors necessary for the purpose. Next Fall the earth and Mars will be in an especially favorable relative position for the carrying out of the experiments, and if the money is forthcoming Prof. Pickering promises to solve the old problem of Mars being inhabited.

The Mirror Scheme.

The Pickering scheme, which the astronomer says occurred to him in 1892, is to fix fifty square mirrors, each mirror 25 feet square, on a shaft like the polar axis of an equatorial telescope. Each large mirror should be made up of 100 little ones, 2 1-2 feet square. There should be fifty shafts, thus bringing the total number of large mirrors up to 2,500. I estimate that each mirror would cost $4,000, including motors, labor, attendance, etc., thus making a total of $10,000,000. This would make, in all, a quarter of a mile square of mirrors. The shafts would be mounted parallel to the axis of the earth, and caused to revolve by means of motors in a direction opposite to that in which the earth revolves. By means of these mirrors a flashlight, bright enough to be visible through a telescope, would be sent from the earth to Mars. The question of the number of mirrors necessary for sending the flash is a simple matter of astronomical calculation which any astronomer can figure out in five minutes.

Easier For Mars.

There is never less than 35,000,000 miles separating us from Mars, and only twice in two years is the distance so close. Next September Mars will be in a very favorable situation for receiving such signals as Prof. Pickering has in mind, for then they could be thrown from the side of the earth that is in sunlight to the dark side of Mars. The astronomers on the planet will not be able to reply at once, but will have to wait until the sunny side of their planet is opposed to the dark side of the earth. Moreover, their task should be easier than ours, for we have to signal when 50,000,000 miles away, whereas their best opportunity comes when the intervening distance is only 35,000,000 miles. Prof. Pickering has no idea that there would be any results from his light flashes immediately. He says that the signaling should be kept up for three or four months and then discontinued for awhile. It should be resumed again, and kept going at regular intervals for some years. If there are inhabitants on Mars they are presumably intelligent enough to notice bright lights, and they would be expected to figure out their origin and return the flashes. Once the answering signal came, a system of dots and dashes like those used in the Morse system could be employed, and if it were answered by like signals, the question of the existence of human beings on the planet could be taken as proved.

Canals On Mars.

It was Schiaparelli's discovery of canals on Mars in 1877, that is responsible for the remarkable interest taken in this star, which is to us more than all the rest of the firmament. Herschel thought he discovered snow there, and held that the red regions were vegetation and the dark regions water. It is now believed that the dark regions are vegetation and the bright regions deserts. Practically all astronomers would agree that Mars has snow, atmosphere, clouds, vegetation and possibly animal life. If those strange lines are canals, as many scientists believe, they surely serve the purpose of conducting the water from the melting polar caps of Mars to the areas bearing vegetation, and this presupposes intelligence and the presence of human beings. The theory, first advanced by Laplace, to the effect that Mars is older than the earth because its orbit is further from the sun, has been generally adopted.

Wiser On Mars.

Those who believe that Mars is inhabited accept Laplace's idea, and argue that, being older, evolution has progressed more rapidly there, and that, inded, Mars knows a good deal more about us than we know about Mars, which, after all, is not much. Prof. Todd is to be classified with those who do not assert that there are inhabitants there, but who believe that, if there are, they are better able to signal us than we are to signal them. Hertz waves, known to us for only a few years, may be the commonplace of a thousand years' discussion in Mars. The wireless scheme is derided by Prof. Pickering, and so is the other idea of constructing huge electric lights. The former plan has the advantage of cheapness over the mirror scheme, which is so costly that it is put almost beyond the bounds of practical experimentation. Friends of the human race as it exists on this planet may well hope that no actual proof of the existence of intelligent beings on Mars will be forthcoming, because if this fact were established, the number of people who would drive themselves insane trying to establish a language intelligible to the Martians would be appalling.

"GIVE US THE MONEY, WE'LL GET THE MEN"

Mr. W. J. Stackhouse, of Winnipeg, and Mr. Thomas Finley, of Toronto, addressed a largely attended meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon in the interests of the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Both addresses were extremely helpful and were listened to with interest.

His Honor Judge Forbes occupied the chair.

Mr. Finley.

Mr. Finley spoke first, dealing with the efforts connected with Laymen's Missionary Movement in Central and Western Canada. He dealt particularly with Toronto and laid emphasis on the weekly envelope system of contribution. It was necessary to get back to the financing principles of the primitive Christian Church, said the speaker. The movement had been crowned with success in the West and would be in the East.

Mr. Stackhouse.

Mr. Stackhouse supposed the men of the churches were ready to assume the burden of missionary effort. There were some things to be kept in mind. The churches were interested in missionary work and were willing to increase their efforts.

"If the money required is raised in five years," said Mr. Stackhouse, "I will guarantee to find the men."

Co-operation.

An encouraging sign in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Movement was the co-operation of all the evangelical denominations. The movement was doing much to bring together the various evangelical churches, more in fact than all the ecclesiastical conferences that had been held.

Great Britain, Canada and the United States had given the Gospel to eighty-five per cent. of the heathen who had been Christianized. While those countries were joined in missionary effort they never would be opposed on the field of battle.

At St. Andrews.

Mr. Finley also spoke in the evening on the same subject at St. Andrew's church.

BOSTON FREIGHT SHED BURNED

Boston, Mass., May 9.—One half of the freight of freight-shed number 3 of the eastern division of the Boston and Main Railroad, and situated on Marginal street, East Boston, was destroyed by fire early today, causing a loss estimated at $15,000.

The fire was started from an unknown cause and threatened to sweep the water front. The shed was stored for the most part with cotton rags and waste material.

SOLDIERS DROWNED AT BOSTON

Boston, Mass., May 9.—Daniel Doherty, and Cornelius Crowley, both aged 35 years, of this city,were drowned by the capsizing of their rowboat in the wash of a steamer in Hull's Neck off Fort Warren tonight. Thomas Hunt, who was in the boat with the men, was saved.

The three men were attached to the marine corps at Fort Warren and were taking a pleasure trip about the fort in the smallboat.

NEW STANDS FOR VICTORIA GROUNDS

When the fans assemble for the opening game on the Victoria grounds, they will see some changes in their old stamping ground.

The diamond and the field are being examined with a microscope and wherever a depression is observed, the level is being again established. The running track which crosses the field territory is being filled in, and will be covered with sods.

A New Grand Stand

Radical changes are to be made in the seating arrangements, and a huge improvement is promised in the spectators' opportunity for comfort. The old bleachers on the left of gate are to make their farewell. What will go in their place is not yet known. The right hand bleachers may be covered over.

All of the grand stand proper, or what has served in lieu of one for several years, is to be torn down, and a new covered stand will go in its place. This will extend for some distance down the north side fence, as did the stand which collapsed two years ago.

HARVARD BEATEN BY HOLY CROSS

Worcester, Mass., May 8—Harvard suffered its first defeat of the season today, Holy Cross winning an exciting game before a crowd of 10,000 people, by a score of 7 to 6. The Crimson players started off well, scoring four runs in the first two innings on bunched hits and en error. Two hits and another error in the 7th gave them two more. Fryers' batting won the game for Holy Cross. After the home team had scored one run in the sixth, the second baseman cleared the bases in the seventh and eighth innings, scoring three runs each time.

ARE RUSHING PASSENGERS TO MONTREAL

Mr. W. B. Howard, of the C. P. R., accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. A. H. Davis, left on Saturday night for North Sydney, where he will superintend the arrangements for transporting to Montreal the passengers from the Lake Champlain.

In order to bring the Champlain's passengers from St. John's Newfoundland, into which port she was compelled to put by damage from heavy ice in the Straits of Belleisle, the C. P. R. has chartered the steamer Bruce, for two extra trips.

The accident to the Champlain, although unfortunate in itself, has served to show the singular completeness of the Canadian Pacific's transportation facilities. Many other lines would have been subjected to a very serious delay in getting its passengers to their destination, had it happened upon the same circumstances. The C. P. R. was able, however, to substitute rail transportation for that by water, and will get the Champlain's passengers to Montreal with a delay that is very short under the circumstances.

Two special trains will bring through the 1100 passengers who were on board the vessel. The first of these was made up here and left on Saturday at noon. The second came through from Montreal, and pulled out for the east after the departure of Saturday night's Halifax train. Mr. Howard and Mr. Davis were on board.

The first of the trains will pass through St. John tomorrow at noon, leaving North Sydney on the arrival of the Bruce tonight.

The Juvenile Court.

Another session of the juvenile court was held on Saturday morning. The truants were summoned to appear, but two did not appear. John and Roy Oram aged 10 and 11 were the two who did not put in an appearance, but their mother promised that in the future they would attend regularly.

William Pitt and William Cummings were confined to the lockup, and Ambrose Lenihan, who is the worst of the lot, was sent to jail. Pitt and Cummings were liberated on Saturday night, but Lenihan is still in jail.

James Poure and Geo. Haynes, reported for disorderly conduct, were allowed to go with a warning.

Sarah Lobb, who was arrested for wandering about the streets on the West Side, and not being able to give a satisfactory account of herself, was again remanded to jail.

George Hector, a colored boy, who used insulting language to a colored young lady, will have to appear in court this morning to answer the charge.

Nickel's Operatic Singers Today.

Lovers of good music well sung, will be more than ordinarily pleased with the feature the Nickel will present before its patrons tonight in The Stilbers, an operatic duet of surprise order. Signor Stilber is a tenore robusto of sympathetic quality and remarkable range whilst Signora Stilbar is of the intensely dramatic class of soprano. Their first appearance will be at 7.15 this evening, it being impossible to appear at the matinee because of the lateness of the C. P. R. express from the east. However, their matinee concerts will be given tomorrow and each succeeding afternoon in the week. The opening number will be: Love's Dream Is O'er (Ascher) and that exquisite excerpt from Verdi's Il Trovatore, the Miserere. In addition to this magnificent feature—worth in itself many times the price of admission—the Nickel has a new bill of feature motion pictures, a pretty song by Miss Annie Edwards and a fine list of orchestral incidentals. Secure seats early tonight.

POLICE CALLED ON FIELD AT BROOKLYN TO QUELL RIOT; THREE PLAYERS ORDERED OFF

National League

Brooklyn, May 8.—A three-cornered fight between Lennox on one side, and Knabe and Gleason on the other caused a riot at the game between Brooklyn and Philadelphia here today. In the fifth inning, Knabe, who was going to third base on Titus' single spiked Lennox although he appered to have plenty of room to pass the Brooklyn man. Lennox resented the act by striking Knabe on the jaw. Knabe hit back and the two clinched. Gleason who was on the coaching line, jumped in but before the fight became general, cooler players separated the combatants. All three were ordered out of the game. As Gleason walked to the bench a spectator in one of the boxes threw a paper wad and pop bottle at him. A special policeman, who started to arrest the player's assailant was interfered with by the spectators, while many of the crowd of 12,000 rushed on the field. But a swarm of policemen and detectives who were outside of the grounds, rushed in at this point and quelled the disturbance.

The game then proceeded quietly, Philadelphia winning by 8 to 2, batting Scanlon freely. Denniger, who replaced Knabe, broke a finger on the first ball pitched and also retired. The score:—

Philadelphia	21102110	8	13 2
Brooklyn	000011000	2	8 5

Batteries:—Morn and Dooin; Scanlon, Wilhelm and Bergen.

Time—1.37. Umpires, Rigler and Truby.

Boston, May 8.—Boston defeated New York in the fourth pitchers' battle of the current series by a score of 2 to 1 today. With the bases full in the third inning, Ames forced one run in with a base on balls, and again in the other a pass resulted in a run. The visitors tallied on two wild throws following a base on balls. Score:—

New York	010000000	1	2 2
Boston	00100001x	2	5 5

Batteries:—Ames and Schlei; Mattern and Bowerman.

Umpires—Cusack and Johnstone.

Chicago, May 8.—Chicago made it four straight from Cincinnati today. The game was played in a drizzling rain and at one time the game was called for 48 minutes to allow the baseball lines to be laid with sawdust. Two gifts, an error and a single won the game in the eighth. Score by innings:

Chicago	00210012x	6	9 3
Cincinnati	000300000	3	8 3

Batteries:—Ruelbach and Moran; Rowan, Gaspar and McLean.

Time, 1.47. Umpires, Emslie and O'Day.

Pittsburg, May 8.—St. Louis broke Pittsburg's winning streak here today, when they shut out the locals by the score of 8 to 0. Lush pitched a splendid game, keeping the hits well scattered. Adams was weak and was replaced in the fourth by Brandom, who did well. The visitors secured four runs in the ninth inning after two men were out without having a hit. Score:

Pittsburg	000000000	0	6 5
St. Louis	10120000 4	8	9 0

Batteries—Adams, Brandom, Maddox Powell and Gibson; Lush and Bresnahan. Time—1.55. Umpires—Klein and Kane.

Chicago, Ill., May 9.—Score:

Chicago	100001000	2	5 3
St. Louis	010300100	5	8 1

Batteries—Reulbach and Moran; Rhodes and Bresnahan. Time—1.40 Umpires—O'Day and Emslie.

Rain prevented other games.

National League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	13	7	.650
Philadelphia	10	6	.625
Boston	10	7	.588
Chicago	11	10	.524
Cincinnati	10	12	.455
Brooklyn	7	10	.412
St. Louis	9	14	.391
New York	6	10	.375

American League.

New York, May 8.—Boston bunched four hits in the fourth innings today and thereby, with Knight's error and two bases on balls, scored six runs, defeating New York 6 to 4. In this inning Speaker sent three men over the plate with a double. The New York club has released Pitcher Ford, who was with Atlanta last year, to Jersey City. Score:

Boston	000600000	6	9 2
New York	210001000	4	10 3

Batteries—Steele and Morgan; Quinn, Warhop and Kleinow. Time—2.22. Umpire—Evans.

Philadelphia, May 8.—Philadelphia made it three straight victories over Washington by winning today's game, 1 to 0. Washington made four double plays and retired the home team in order in every inning except the seventh, when Philadelphia won on Baker's single and out and Murphy's double. Score:

Philadelphia	00000010x	1	5 0
Washington	000000000	0	5 0

Batteries—Krause and Thomas; Burns, Huestis, Smith and Street. Time—1.46. Umpires—Connolly and Egan.

Cleveland, May 8.—Cleveland made it three out of four from Chicago today, defeating the latter 8 to 4. Smith was batted hard and forced to retire at the end of the fifth. Rhodes was wild and was taken out after pitching four innings. Leibhart and Owen, who finished the game, were effective. Lajoie and Hinchman drove in all of Cleveland's runs. Score:

Cleveland	20023010x	8	12 2
Chicago	010200100	4	6 2

Batteries—Rhodes, Liebhart and Clarke; Smith, Owen and Sullivan and Owens.

At St. Louis—St. Louis-Detroit, wet grounds.

Chicago, Ill., May 9—Score:

Chicago	00000400x	4	8 2
Cleveland	00101000	[illegible]	[illegible] 2

Batteries: Walsh and Owens; [illegible] and Easterly. Time, 1.45.

Second Game, Score;

Chicago	100000000	1	4 1
Cleveland	400000000	4	7 1

Batteries: Scott and Owens; Berger and Clarke. Time, 1.55. Umpires Sheridan and Kerin.

Rain prevented other games.

American League Standing

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	14	5	.737
New York	11	7	.611
Boston	10	8	.556
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Chicago	9	10	.474
Cleveland	9	10	.474
Washington	5	11	.313
St. Louis	5	12	.294

Eastern League

At Rochester—Rochester 1; Providence 0.

Rain interefered with the other games.

Eastern League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Rochester	4	2	.666
Jersey City	7	4	.636
Providence	5	4	.556
Montreal	6	5	.546
Toronto	6	6	.500
Buffalo	5	6	.456
Newark	3	5	.375
Baltimore	3	7	.300

College Games

At Burlington, Tufts 5, Vermont, 3.
At New Haven, Yale 2, Andover 1.
At Lewiston, Bates 2, Colby 1.
At Philadelphia, Princeton 3, Penna 4.
At Providence, Lafayette 2, Brown 1.
At Brunswick, Bowdoin 6, Maine 5.
At New Market, Boston College 7, N. H. State College 8.
At Middletown, Williams 8, Wesleyan 1.
At Amherst, Mass., Amherst 2; Massachusetts College 1.
At Annapolis, Md., Navy 12, Rutgers, 3.
At Ithaca, N. Y. Cornell 5, Carlisle 0.
At Cambridge, Harvard freshmen 4, Philips Exeter 2.

New England League

At Fall River, Fall River 1, Haverhill 4.
At Lowell, Worcester 6, Lowell 2.
At Fall River, Haverhill 4, Fall River 1 (10 innings)
At Lawrence, Lawrence 4, Lynn 3.
At New Bedford, New Bedford 3, Brockton 2.

Connecticut League

At Springfield, Springfield 11, Holyoke 2.
At Hartford, Bridgeport 1, Hartford 0.
At New Britain, New Britain 4, Waterbury 5.

Exhibition Games

At Jersey City, Jersey City 3, Philadelphia Nationals 1.

NOTES OF BASEBALL.

The Chicago National league club has claimed Pitcher D. C. Ragon of the Cincinnati team, on whose services waivers were asked by Manager Griffith five days ago.

Fred Tenney was ordered from the coaching lines in the latter part of the second game by Cusack at Boston. Fred is taking Manager McGraw's place on the trip Boston is now taking.

Bill Carrigan, who has been nursing a strained back for several days, left Boston for New York to join the Boston Americans Friday, who went to Cleveland that night.

TAKES OUT BIG POLICY ON BALL PLAYER

St. Louis, Mo., May 9.—Stanley Robinson, owner of the St. Louis National Baseball Club has taken out a $50,000 insurance policy on his manager and leading catcher, Roger Bresnahan. The policy runs for five years and the annual premium is $1,300.

Bresnahan's release cost Robinson four good players valued at $50,000 when it was bought from the New York National team. He is under a three-year contract to play for $25,000. This makes Robinson's investment $75,000 in Bresnahan.

Bresnahan is known as a daring player and has been injured often. Two big agencies refused to take the risk because of Bresnahan's chances of being injured behind the bat.

Kaiser Wilhelm's Marvellous Shooting

London Mirror.

Count Zeppelin tells an amusing story of the ease with which the German emporer is in the habit of breaking records. On one occasion he was out shooting with the kaiser. At the end of the day it was announced that the kaiser had broken all records. His deer were laid before him in a longfired, you know, thirty cartridges." line. The photographers began to get their cameras ready. His majesty had shot, the head keeper said, sixty-four deer.

The kaiser made no public contradiction, but as he took up his position behind his deer for the photographs Count Zeppelin heard him murmur to the head keeper with a smile, "Sixty-four deer, eh? That's very odd. Indeed, it's almost inexplicable. I only

TO BE PRESENT AT FRIDAY'S MEETING

Friday has now been fixed upon as the date for the meeting of the delegates from Moncton, Fredericton, Amherst, and the Marathons for the organization of the Provincial League. While in the city, the outside representatives will be entertained by the Marathons.

Moncton will be represented by Shorty Trites, sometimes known as George.

Arthur Finnemore will come down on behalf of Fredericton Victorias.

The Marathons will be represented by Mr. D. B. Ronald, Mr. J. Bradbury, Mr. Charles Tilley, and Mr. Eddie Ramsay.