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**CARELESSNESS AND NEGLECT  
OF GOVERNMENT IN REGARD  
TO THE WATERWAYS' TREATY**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Ottawa, May 14.—The event of the day in the House of Commons was the remarkable arraignment of the course pursued by the Government with regard to the waterways treaty, made by Mr. McGrath of Medicine Hat. Mr. McGrath is perhaps the foremost authority in Canada on irrigation matters and his examination of the negotiations showed very clearly the carelessness and neglect displayed by the Government, the business-like methods pursued by the Americans, the success with which the American section of the International Commission dominated the Canadian section, and the manner in which Canadian interests have been subordinated to American interests on the St. John river, at Niagara, and on the St. Marys river in Alberta. Mr. Boyce protested against the Smith rider added by the U. S. Senate to the treaty.

Mr. Wilfrid Laurier while defending the treaty in several respects admitted that the Canadian Government was uncertain about ratifying the treaty as amended. He took the line of investigation. Mr. Borden urged that all such treaties should be subject to ratification by Parliament.

Mr. McGrath's first point was the manner in which the Canadian Government allowed the negotiations to dawdle on taking three years to appoint three commissioners, and in the end found two of these commissioners in the corridors of its own departments at Ottawa.

**How Canada Failed.**  
Throughout the record of dates which he gave with great exactitude, showed the American Government originating ideas, pushing the negotiations with celerity and appointing eminent authorities as commissioners, the Colonial Office in London also showed energy and despatch, while the Ottawa Government MOVED ONLY WHEN PRODDED BY THE COLONIAL OFFICE.

Mr. McGrath pointed out that the American commissioners, CHOSEN FOR MERIT ALONE AND MEN OF GREAT EMINENCE, WERE APPOINTED TWO YEARS BEFORE THE CANADIAN SECTION WAS COMPLETED and several of the Canadian appointments showed that the PATRONAGE SYSTEM HAD BEEN AT WORK and that the technical experts were appointed. The result was that the Canadian section met men who had been busy with the pro-

**IF MR. PUGSLEY WERE A BANK MANAGER!**

**(From the News of Toronto.)**

Suppose that the manager of a branch bank in a small Canadian city were to juggle with the funds entrusted to him until over \$100,000 were missing. Suppose that he attempted to hide the loss by neglecting to keep books. Suppose that before the shortage was discovered he were removed to a better position in the head office. What would happen to him when the results of his work in the branch were made known?

He would be discharged from the bank and arrested. He might protest that enemies were trying to ruin him, that he had been maligned and persecuted, but the authorities would not be inclined to release him. He would be compelled to explain why he had neglected his bookkeeping, and to produce the money. If he failed to do either, he would go to the penitentiary, and justly so. Carelessness in the handling of trust funds deserves vigorous and swift punishment.

What would be thought of the bank directors if they refused to prosecute this culprit, and permitted him to retain his responsible office without even asking him to find the missing money? In such a case each member of the directorate would be a candidate for the penitentiary. They would be culpably negligent of the interests of the depositors.

This is a case exactly parallel to that of Mr. Pugsley and the Federal Government. Government money is as much a trust as Bank funds; more indeed, because the interests of the nation are more vital than the interests of any private corporation, banking or industrial. The men who are responsible for the expenditure of public money are under oath to the Crown to do their duty. They are under obligation to the electors who sent them to Ottawa, believing in their honor and their good faith. The money is not the property of any party, but of the nation, and the wasteful expenditure of that money cannot be defended by any principle of patriotism or ethics.

Mr. Pugsley was in charge of a branch establishment in New Brunswick. He assumed a dual position as Attorney-General and acting manager of the Coal and Railway Company. The positions were incompatible, to begin with. He spent over \$900,000 of public money wastefully and extravagantly. He bought presumably for \$180,000 property which could have been secured for \$55,000 or less. Out of that \$180,000 nearly \$40,000 absolutely disappeared. He misled the Legislature by false statements as to the destination of that money. He kept no books. When all the \$900,000 was spent there was a shortage of \$134,000. Then Mr. Pugsley was removed to a more responsible position in the head office at Ottawa.

The facts of his financial rioting in New Brunswick were made known after a judicial inquiry. The conclusions of the Commission followed closely the sworn testimony. Then Mr. Pugsley said the Commission was unfair, and that his enemies were attacking him unduly. The directors of the Federal Government, led by the Prime Minister, not only refused to discharge this slippery branch manager, but expressed confidence in him, and trumpeted from the housetops this confidence. How any honest man can approve such devious methods of conducting public business is not apparent. Mr. Pugsley may rejoice that he is not a bank manager.

**FOREST FIRE CARELESSLY SET  
DESTROYING VALUABLE TIMBER  
LANDS NEAR ANNAPOLIS N. S.**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Annapolis N. S., May 14.—Thousands of dollars worth of timber lands are being devoured by a fierce forest fire that is raging back of Annapolis, and although the fight has continued since late yesterday, the mad course of the flames remains unchecked.

**Praying for Rain.**  
Rain is looked for tonight. Without it the damage will be excessive. Assistance is being sent from Annapolis, and the forest rangers are all hurrying to the scene of the fire, and are directing the efforts of the fire fighters. Every available man from Millford, Maitland, Greywood and South

Millford, is fighting the fire, but the dense smoke caused by dampness of the under timber is greatly retarding their work. The fire has been fanned by a high wind, and nearly four miles of timber has been destroyed, and some of the most valuable land in Nova Scotia is threatened.

**Carelessly Set.**  
The fire is supposed to have been set by a camping party carelessly leaving a fire lit in the bushes. A later report from the scene of the fire, says that the flames are getting into the heavy timber. The fight which has continued all day and night is one of the forest in the history of the county.

**WOULD STOP LIQUOR SALES  
IN WINNIPEG**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Winnipeg, Man., May 14.—The prohibitionists of Winnipeg have decided to move towards securing a vote on the prohibition of the liquor traffic in Winnipeg this fall. To do this it is necessary that a petition signed by at least ten thousand voters be presented to the city council by October first, in which the council is obliged to order a vote in connection with the civic elections which take place on December 14.

**HAVING A WARM TIME  
IN MONTREAL**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Montreal, May 14.—Alderman Carter caused somewhat of a stir at the Police Committee meeting today by expressing the opinion that some of the policemen examined in recent investigation into the alleged rough usage of McGill students by members of the force, were liars and perjurers. He suggested that a dozen of them be sent before the Grand Jury. No action was taken.

**CANADIAN NORTHERN  
EXPANDING**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Winnipeg, Man., May 14.—The Canadian Northern Railway has let contracts for the construction during the present season of about six hundred miles of branch lines in the Northwest. The work will be done by the MacKenzie & Mann Construction Company, and the Cowan Construction Company, the two concerns dividing the work between them. It is not expected that all the steel will be laid this summer, but a considerable portion of it will be ready to assist in the moving of the fall crop.

**SAYS IT IS HARD TO GET  
ITALIANS**

**Fredericton, May 14.—F. J. Hyland, of Hyland and Rigby, G. T. P. contractors, confirms the statement given out in Upper Canada that it is difficult to get Italian workmen to come to this province, for G. T. P. construction camps. He has just returned from Montreal where he engaged a crew of Poles, after a crew of Italians had refused to come when they learned that the work was in New Brunswick. Mr. Hyland says his firm lost \$1,000 last year by men jumping contracts after having transportation paid from Montreal to Ottawa.**

The river has risen two inches since morning, and is probably reached its full height. It has warm and threatens rain.

**RECENT APPOINTMENTS.**  
**Special to The Standard.**  
Ottawa, May 14.—The following appointments are gazetted:—Murdoch McAulay, of Glace Bay, N. S., to be Preventive Officer; B. R. Smith, of Port La Tour, N. S., to be a Customs Sub-Collector; J. W. Daley, Clark's Harbor, N. S., to be a Customs Sub-Collector.

**PRICE FLOUR GOES UP AND CITY  
BAKERS RAISE PRICE OF BREAD**

The city bakers have been for the past few months discussing the advisability of raising the price of bread and the final step was taken at a meeting of the master bakers held last evening, when it was decided to raise the price of bread one cent on a loaf beginning with next Monday. This will make the price 8 cents retail and 7 cents wholesale.

The price of wheat has been steadily increasing for the past few months, and the bakers state that they have been of late manufacturing the article and selling without any profit. Only yesterday the price of Ontario flour went up twenty-five cents; and the price of bread had to be raised in order to keep up with the increase in the price of raw material.

Another meeting will be called for in a few days to discuss the section of the new law with regard to stamping the weight on the loaf.

There was a very large attendance present at last night's meeting and Mr. Charles Robinson occupied the chair.

**PROMINENT CANADIANS GUESTS  
OF NEW YORK CANADIAN CLUB**

New York, May 14.—Canadian men of affairs and many "Just Canadians" but loyal Canadians nevertheless, numbering in all about six hundred, met at the Hotel Astor tonight to dine and to enjoy good cheer and old stories at the annual dinner of the Canadian Club of New York. Among those on the speaker's programme were Dr. Neill McPhatter, president of the club, who acted as toastmaster, George E. Foster, Toronto; Representative Francis W. Cushman, of Washington; Frank Oliver, Canadian Minister of the Interior; the Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod, of Washington, D. C.; Geo. E. Blacklock, of Toronto and W. O. Stanley, M. P., Hamilton, Ontario.

It was expected that Vice-President Sherman would speak but he could not be present.

**Hon. Mr. Oliver.**  
Mr. Oliver declared that Canadians mean to equip the St. Lawrence shipping route so as to excel that via New York and to regain for the former the supremacy it had before the Erie Canal was opened.

"The records prove that the occupation of the Canadian wheat fields is by far the most economic development now in progress not only in America but in the world," he said.

"But because as individuals, we are glad to use the New York route in competition with that of the St. Lawrence in the export of our wheat we are not the less determined as Canadians to equip the St. Lawrence route not only to compete but excel that by New York by the use of one carriage of Canadian wheat, but for the carriage of United States wheat as well."

**Those Present.**  
Among those at the great table were E. Fabre Survevor, president of the Canadian Club of Montreal; Eric Armour, vice-president of the Canadian Club of Toronto; Hon. d'Arcy Scott, president of the Canadian Club of Ottawa; K. G. Raymond, president of the Canadian Club of Vancouver; O. J. John D. Davidson, president of the Canadian Club of St. Thomas, Ont.; George E. Blacklock, Toronto; E. James Grant, Ottawa; Hugh Guthrie, M. P., Guelph, Ont.; Senator John V. Ellis, St. John, N. B. and Alexander B. Graham, of the Canadian Club of Boston.

Canada as a sister nation of the United States and standing in support of the principle of arbitration in settling international differences, was forecasted by the Rev. Donald C. MacLeod in his address. His theme was "The Canadian in the United States," and he said in part:

"I believe the inevitable destiny of Canada is nationality. The day will come when two great nations bound by the ties of a common civilization, shall look out from the North American continent upon the broad horizon of world problems and world responsibilities. What shall these two great western nations of the future stand for in the parliament of the world?"

**Hon. G. E. Foster.**  
Geo. E. Foster, M. P., of Toronto, spoke on "The Passing of the Annex-

**MARATHONS, MONCTON, F'TON  
AND CLIPPERS FORMED THE  
N. B. B. LEAGUE LAST EVENING**

Regular inter-town baseball for the province is now a certain prospect for the coming summer. At a meeting held last evening the organization which is to provide it came into being, and was christened the New Brunswick Baseball League.

**Two Local Teams.**  
Four teams are taking part in the league, and, contrary to expectations, there are two St. John teams in on it. At an informal discussion held among the delegates before the meeting proper was called, the outside representatives decided to let it rest with the Marathons as to whether the Clippers should be received into the conference.

Probably owing to the fact that they had just dined very comfortably with the out-of-town delegates as their guests, the Marathons decided that the Clippers should receive a welcome.

Mr. J. W. Gillespie and Mr. James McBride were telephoned for and joined the league deliberations. As a result the Clippers have entered the N. B. B. L.

**Mr. Donald Chairman.**  
Mr. D. B. Donald was selected to fill the chair, and Mr. George Trites, of Moncton, acted as secretary. The league then formed includes Fredericton, Moncton, the Marathons and the Clippers. Moncton's entrance was conditional upon the ratification by that club of the action taken by its delegates on all of the matters under discussion.

**The Officers of The League**  
Officers for the league were elected as follows:  
Honorary President—Hon. Frank Sweeney, Moncton; Hon. George Trites—C. H. Thomas, Fredericton.  
Vice-President—Frank White, St. John.  
Secretary-treasurer—H. K. Clawson, St. John.

**The Executive.**  
An executive committee of five was appointed, of which President Thomas is chairman, and consisting otherwise of one man from each team. They are, Mr. D. B. Donald, for the Marathons; Mr. George Trites for Moncton; Mr. William Gillespie for the Clippers; and Mr. George Burden for Fredericton.

**The Umpire.**  
One umpire was nominated by each team as follows:  
Fredericton—James Roberts.  
Clippers and Marathons—James McAllister.

**FOUR GIRLS  
AND A MAN  
DROWNED**

Hackensack, N. J., May 14.—Five persons, four girls and a boy, were drowned tonight when a log in which they were attempting to cross the Hackensack River during a three swam ashore.

**NEW UNDER  
SECRETARY  
OF STATE**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Toronto, May 14.—The report that Mr. Thos. Mulvey, Deputy Provincial Secretary for Ontario, has been appointed under secretary of state at Ottawa, was confirmed by Hon. W. J. Hanna this afternoon.

"We are all very sorry," Mr. Hanna said, "to lose one of Mulvey here, but congratulate him upon the wider opportunities presented, and the greatly advanced salary, and also congratulate the government at Ottawa on having secured one of the best officials in the public service today."

Mr. Mulvey was captured after a chase by a posse of constables, and he is now in jail, awaiting the preliminary examination which will take place when Mr. McGillen returns to give evidence.

The foreman's injuries were in the lungs and arm. On being told by the foreman that he would compel him to go to work, the Italian slashed the white man in the arm with a knife, and as the foreman raised his arm to strike, the Italian put the steel into the boss's chest.

**DISCHARGED  
FROM THE  
HOSPITAL**

Mr. Thomas C. McGillen, the Transcontinental foreman who was stabbed a few weeks ago by one of his Italian workmen, was discharged from the general public hospital yesterday, and leaves for Chipman today.

Mr. McGillen is still weak from the effect of the knife wounds, but is rapidly gaining in strength. His assailant was captured after a chase by a posse of constables, and he is now in jail, awaiting the preliminary examination which will take place when Mr. McGillen returns to give evidence.

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**FULL COURT  
DISMISSED  
THE ACTION**

Ottawa, May 14.—The Supreme Court this morning at 10.30 in order if possible, to dispose of the cases on the Maritime list. The first case argued was Burchell vs. Goveyes Blockhouse Carriers Company.

The action was brought by Burchell for the amount of commission claimed on sale of respondent's coal mining property to the North Atlantic Collieries under the following circumstances: Burchell was managing respondent's property, the directors all living in England and was given authority to sell. One person, a director of the North Atlantic Company, obtained an option and made a deposit of \$5,000, which was forfeited. He subsequently was given another option depositing \$10,000, which was also forfeited. Burchell getting his commission on both amounts. Later an offer was made by the North Atlantic Company to give its stock and bonds in payment for the properties, which Burchell and one of the directors then in Canada, refused.

The director went back to England with three members of the North Atlantic Company, and later the offer of the latter company was accepted, and stock and bonds taken in payment. The appellant claims commission on the price at ten per cent, or one tenth of the par value of the securities or damage for breach of contract. The action was referred to a lawyer in Halifax for trial, who found applicant entitled to the property of stocks and bonds, and judgment was given therefor. The full court reversed such judgment and dismissed the action, holding that the sale effected was not brought about by the plaintiff.

Mellish, K. C., and Burchell for appellant; and McKeown, K. C., and Robertson for the respondents.

**McKEOWN AND CARVELL FOR THE BENCH.**  
Ottawa, May 14.—It is regarded as almost certain that the vacant New Brunswick judgeship will go to Mr. Carvell and Mr. McKeown.

**Hon. G. E. Foster.**  
Geo. E. Foster, M. P., of Toronto, spoke on "The Passing of the Annex-

**SEVERAL  
PASSENGERS  
WERE HURT**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Fredericton, N. B., May 14.—Spreading rails are supposed to be the cause of an accident on the C. P. R. train on the Gibson Branch today, whereby two box cars were demolished and several passengers injured. The accident occurred eight miles west of Millville. The passengers were very much shaken up. One lady is thought to have had her shoulder dislocated, and George Furton, a well known commercial man had an ankle badly injured. The train was running no faster than ten miles an hour when the accident happened, or much more serious injury would have been done to the passengers. The latter were brought to Fredericton in a box car late tonight. All speak highly of the way in which Conductor Charles McGibbon treated them after the accident. One of the destroyed box cars contained household effects in transfer from Caribou, Me., to Loggieville.

**THE TUNISIAN  
NOT DAMAGED  
SERIOUSLY**

**Special to The Standard.**  
Montreal, May 14.—Word has been received today from St. John's, Newfoundland, that the injuries received by the Allan Liner Tunisian, which put in there on Thursday leaking, after coming into contact with ice, are not serious, but that the steamer, after temporary repairs, has been made, will leave for Montreal on Sunday with her 1, 018 passengers.





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followed by Mr. Hyman's resignation and retirement from politics. Mr. Gibbons was evidently better at managing campaigns than he was in protecting the rights of Canada in the waterways treaty.

Some striking facts were presented to the Canadian Club at Moncton by Rev. Frank Baird. He grieves that this province, which ought to import, or at least retain men, and export many other things, is obtaining food and clothing from abroad, and exporting native population.

Mr. Baird believes that the exodus of the present decade is the largest in our history, and there is much to support his calculation. There are half as many New Brunswickers in Massachusetts as in St. John, as many in Boston as in Fredericton.

ST. JOHN, SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 15, 1909.
THE SPIRIT OF THE TIME.
In the midst of almost feverish commercial and business activity, of aggressive industrial movement, and of intense political excitement, there are many signs of a deepened interest in the world over in religious study, voiced experience.

ST. JOHN GIRL HONORED.
Boston, May 14.—A romance began when a pretty St. John girl visited the beautiful Vermont town of Montpelier, and with the wedding here of Miss Adella Riley, of St. John and Frank W. Struss of Kansas City, Mo., Strauss is carpenter's mate on the Vermont and first saw his bride during her visit aboard the vessel. Shortly afterwards she met at a party in the house of a mutual friend. It was a case of love at first sight on the part of the "Jackie" and the fair New Brunswick girl reciprocated his affections. Strauss comes of well to do people in Missouri and is one of the most popular men in the navy. He has secured a furlough for the honeymoon trip, during which he and couple will probably visit St. John.

ST. JOHN GIRL HONORED.
Boston, May 14.—In the graduating exercises and awarding of degrees, which took place yesterday at the School of Expression, a St. John girl, Miss Katherine Greaney, was one of the students honored. Miss Greaney was awarded a degree in the course for teachers.

WEDDINGS.
Flanagan—O'Donnell.
St. Ignace's church, Peters, Queens county, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday morning, May 12, when Miss Ella O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. R. O'Donnell, was united in marriage to Mr. Daniel Flanagan, of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. P. Carleton and Mass was celebrated at ten o'clock. Miss Laura O'Donnell, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. George Flanagan, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

DEATHS.
Mrs. Julia Ross.
The death took place at Halifax on Monday last of a lady formerly well known in St. John, who is kindly remembered by many old friends. The deceased was Mrs. Julia Ross, formerly Miss Baird, and a member of an old Loyalist family, her mother being Miss Bartlett. Mrs. Ross was a sister of the late Mrs. John Wilson and was the aunt of Messrs. Ernest and John E. Wilson and Miss Janie W. Wilson of this city. She is survived by three sons, George, John and Arthur Ross and two daughters, Mrs. Alfred Ellis and Miss Jessie Ross of Halifax.

THE WATERWAYS TREATY.
There is no doubt that Canada has again suffered in a diplomatic transaction with the United States. This time it cannot be suggested that the Imperial Government sacrificed Canada. That did not happen in the Alaska boundary case either. The Government of Canada was wholly and directly responsible for any surrender in that matter.

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PERSONAL
Mrs. Harry McAvity is visiting her mother, Mrs. Irvin, at Bridgetown, N. S., who has been quite ill during the past week.

WEDDINGS.
The Portland Methodist Y. M. C. A. held a social on Wednesday evening, May 12, stopping both ways at Public Landing, Mackay's Brown's Place, Glenwood and Oak Point. This is a good place to be with the fresh air and the river with the sunset in the background. The refreshments were Indian-made at 8 o'clock returning at 9 a. m. Tickets for the return trip 50c.

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Supreme Court Chambers.
In the Supreme Court Chambers at noon, yesterday, before Mr. Justice McLeod, Mr. John B. M. Baxter, K. C., for the plaintiffs in the case of Wm. Thomson & Co. vs. the Inter-provincial Navigation Company of Canada, Limited, applied for a summons calling upon Messrs. J. Bradshaw McKensie and William Montgomerie, liquidators of the defendant company, to show cause why the suit should not proceed. Summons granted, returnable and in at 11 a. m.

AT THE HOTELS
Royal.
N. B. Hartt, Montreal; G. A. Sharp, Charlottetown; T. W. Cowen, Montreal; J. P. Edwards, Londonderry; P. A. Laundry, Dorchester; R. F. Davy, wife and child, St. Leonard; F. F. Shaw, New York; J. D. Fitzgerald, Andover; A. E. Barton, Moncton; Jno. J. Maher, Toronto; O. W. Lafane, Montreal; W. J. Coleman, Omaha; David E. Hogg, Toronto; J. N. Forrest, Toronto; H. F. Harrison, Boston; Jas. Patton, Montreal; J. T. Hallock, Toronto; W. B. Bishop, Montreal; G. G. King, Chipman; Fred Allan, Milwaukee; J. H. Ralph, Ottawa; J. R. Boone, Ottawa; W. G. Poupore, Montreal.

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NOT MUCH REACTION IN COTTON

New York, May 14.—Efforts to secure a reaction have met with very little success in today's market even after prices had made no high records for the season.

AMERICAN STOCK TRANSACTIONS: CHANGES IN A DAY'S BIDDING

Table with columns: Sales Opening High Low Close. Lists various stocks like Amalgamated, American Car and Foundry, American Locomotive, etc.

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New York, N. Y., May 14.—Prices were high again today at the stock exchanges, but the selling under cover to realize profits which has been a feature of the market all through the week, even at its periods of greatest apparent strength, was pushed steadily and persistently. The market was undermined and turned weak after a show strength in the first hour.

Potatoes Steady. There was no change in the business doing in potatoes. The local demand was steady and a fair number of sales were made at firm market values.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. St. John N. B., May 14.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg Wheat Market: May 1, 31.50; May 1.25, 31.50; Sept. 1.00, 31.50.

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Branches at Toronto, Ottawa, Winnipeg, Quebec, St. John, N. B., and Vancouver. Capital \$1,000,000. President: Right Hon. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, G. C. M. G.

IMPROVEMENTS IN IRON AND STEEL TRADE

New York, May 14.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of tomorrow will say: Further significant improvements have been made in iron and steel, and as they form a great basic trade, this goes far toward establishing the long-desired readjustment of the whole industrial situation.

A NARROW ESCAPE FROM BAD INJURIES

Fredericton, May 14.—A man named Bovard employed in the York and Sunbury Mills Co's mill at Gibson, had a miraculous escape from serious injuries, which this morning, in some way his leg got caught in the shafting and he was whirled round a number of times before the machinery could be stopped.

BOSTON PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Boston, Mass., May 14.—Butter—Lower grades, 27c. to 29c.; western, 28c. to 27.12c. Cheese—Steady; New York, 14c. to 15c.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Ill., May 14.—Unexpectedly strong markets in Europe today drew the attention of wheat traders temporarily away from domestic conditions and caused a firm market all day.

NAVAL NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived—May 14. Str. Lousburg, 1181, Marsters, Louburg, K. P. and W. F. Starr, coal and oil.

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DEATH CASE SWIFTLY TO THREE MINERS

Toronto, May 14.—A special from Calumet, Michigan, says: Death, swift and sure, but more the less terrible came to three miners at Red Jacket mine on May 13.

JOURNALISM AT MIDWAY

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FIRED ON THE SHIP

Cleveland, Ohio, May 14.—Through a fusillade of revolver shots, said by the police to have been fired by strike sympathizers, the steamer Republic is bound for the head of the lake.

HOTELS

The ROYAL Saint John, N. B. RAYMOND & DOHERTY. PROPRIETORS. Victoria Hotel 21 and 23 King Street, St. John, N. B.

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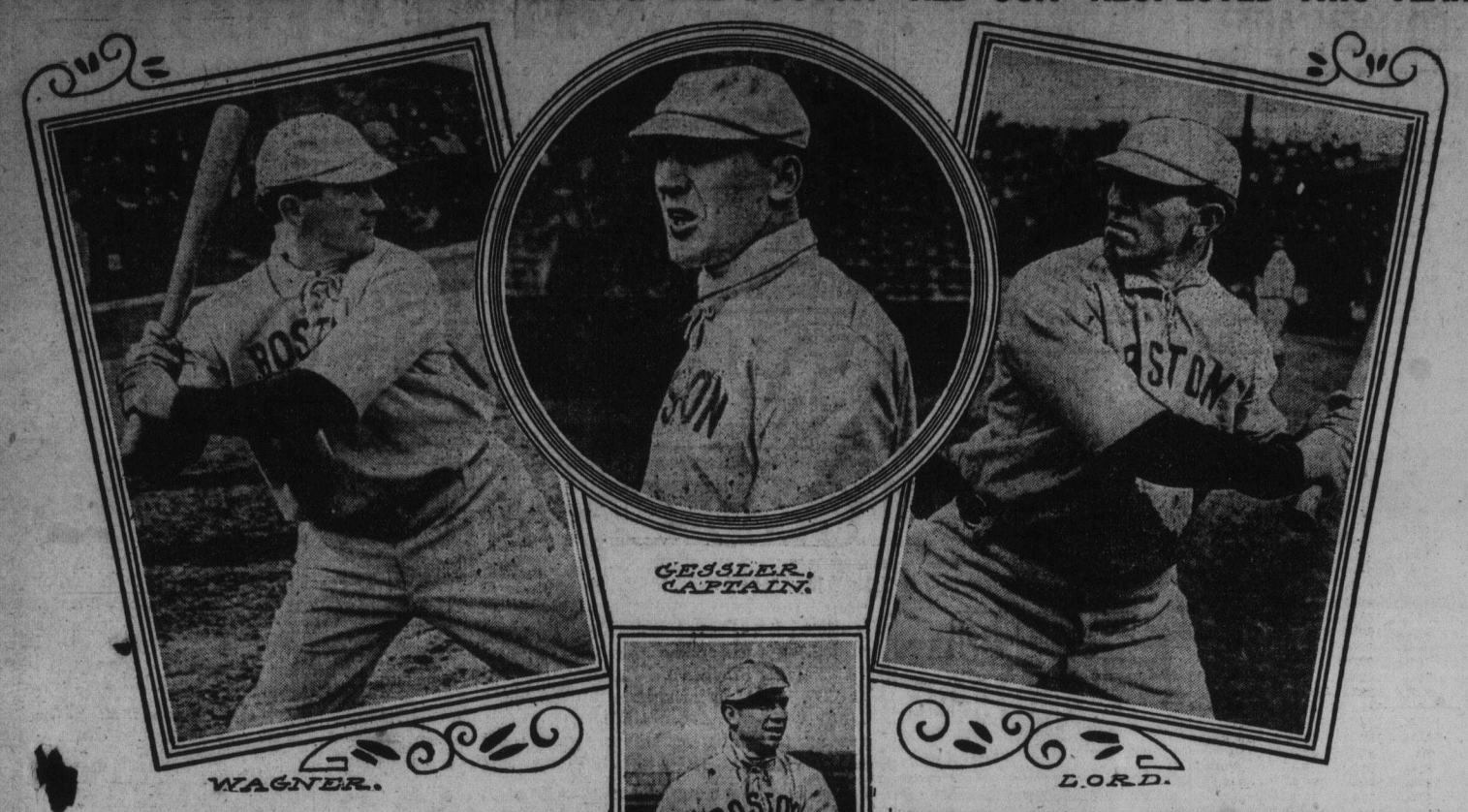
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pared with others who have recently been seen in visiting clubs. Speaker a Find. The tall chap who is standing by himself at the bottom of the picture is Speaker, the young outfielder, who has shown such remarkable ball playing ability this spring. Boston had a claim on his last season, but gave him a year in the minor leagues that he might develop.

Lord Batting Well. Lord has been batting well for Boston, and in addition to that is playing a better third base than he ever did before. They do say that "Fred" Lord is not wholly irresponsible for much of this condition of affairs.

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service, are a little short of pitchers. Ty Cobb has evidently broken his streak of weak hitting and will begin to approach his usual average from now on. Cobb's batting was a feature at Detroit.

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SANCTION ISSUED FOR LOCAL EVENTS

Two hundred Roxbury rooters gave Larry McLean, the Cincinnati catcher whose old home is in Cambridge, a banquet at the Hotel Highland Wednesday evening.

New York, N. Y., May 13.—John Heydler, acting president of the National League today suspended Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis team, for three days, for using unbecoming language during the game at Brooklyn yesterday.

Sanction—Sanction of this Association has been granted as follows:—Springhill A. A. Springhill, N. S.—For the following amateur events to be held at Springhill, N. S., May 20 1909:

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APPLEBY WILL RUN THE MANITOBA INDIAN

Run on Matting. The track will be built up at each end of the rink, and a cork matting laid the entire circuit, a width of six feet, with twelve feet at the ends of the rink.

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Next Monday Appleby who ran fifth in the big international marathon at New York last Saturday will make his bow to Winnipeg admirers of long distance running, when he meets the young Grenfell Indian, Paul Acoose. The promoters of the race are sparing no expense in preparing for the contest. The success of this event from a sporting standpoint is to be secured by the most modern methods of preparing the indoor track at the Arena rink. The course will be ten laps to the mile.

There will be an even larger field of Moncton runners in the Amherst five mile race than at first anticipated. The Moncton galluppers will include Price, Fawcett, Smith, Moller, McLeod, George Hope and Harry Stevenson. Moncton may also have some other entries in the Amherst events.

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Some Good Throwers. America certainly has developed some great hammer throwers in John Flanagan, Mat McGrath and others. The hammer throw has always been a great event in all Olympic contests. It was a victory in this specialty that helped to win the Olympic honors in London last year. If there should be no other reason why the event should exist, certainly this particular one should be strong enough.

There is to be horse racing on Victoria Day in both North Sydney and Sydney. The Sydney card is: 2:25 class, trot or pace, purse \$200; 3 min. class, trot or pace, purse \$200; one mile match running race; match trotting race. The North Sydney programme is not yet announced.

ACADIA TRACK TEAM WILL BE STRONG, ALTHOUGH LARGELY COMPOSED OF UNTRIED MEN

Special to The Standard. Wolfville, May 14.—While the personnel of the Acadia track team which will defend the Intercollegiate Trophy at Moncton this month has not yet been definitely announced the campus practice shows a large number of men who can be depended on to do no discredit to the Garnet and Blue.

BREAK-UP OF OTTAWA HOCKEY TEAM IS NOW PROPHESED

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MEDALS FOR LA TOUR ROAD RACE HERE

The medals which have been offered as prizes for the intermediate road race to be held under the auspices of La Tour T. of H. on May 18th, were received yesterday by Mr. R. H. Parsons from Montreal. They are of very handsome appearance and will be shown in the window of Manchester Robertson Allison this morning.

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DATE AND PLACE OF INTERSCHOOLASTIC MEET DOES NOT SUIT FREDERICTON HIGH SCHOOL

The decision of the trustees of the Rothery Cup to make June 9 the date and St. John the place for the 1909 New Brunswick Interscholastic Meet, a decision announced exclusively in the Standard in Thursday's issue, is very displeasing to Fredericton High School.

RAIN STOPS 3 AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES

Table listing American League Standings for various teams including Detroit, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cleveland, and Washington.

