WEATHER ... The weather to. morrow will be fine and

ONE CENT.

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TWELVE PAGES-ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1904.-TWELVE PAGES

PENDING PEACE CONFERENCE.

The United States Will Emplace Some 1600 Big Guns For Coast Defence === Fortifications to be Modernized at Cost of Over \$10= 000,000 === River and Harbor Works.

Washington, Nov. 12.—General M. be acquired is the one at the south Mackenzie, chief of engineers of the ern entrance to New York harbor the secretary of war presents an ex- the new deep water entrance under haustive review of the work ac- construction. Improved methods of complished by his corps during the construction have necessitated modifiscal year ended June 30th last, and fications of the earlier constructed submits estimates of appropriations fortifications in order to modernize required for the fiscal year beginning them

July 1 next.

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London, Nov. 12:—The Japanese legation denies that there is any legation denies that there is any B34 heavy guns, 587 rapid fire and as follows: 'Under continuity' 356 mortars.

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AERIAL SHIP.

St. Louis, Nov. 12.—As the result

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Grand Falls, respondent, Carter supports the appeal from the Victoria

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BIG LOSS BY FLAMES.

Fire and Explosion New Star Line Wreck Several Buildings in Knox=

Tenn., Nov. 12.-A fire, accompanied by an explosion of to-day, on Gay street, the principal were injured. A number of other per- able ice from Gagetown up, but the Within the last fortnight sons sustained slight injuries from flying glass but none were seriously through it without the slightest dif- withstanding all denials hurt. The fire caught from an unficulty. A large number of citizens known cause in the Woodruff Hardinser company's seven story building all and all well pleased with her. The meet shortly, adding that the time hurt. The fire caught from an known cause in the Woodruff Hardwhich was reduced to ashes. The new five story marble front building oc- ternoon, cupied by the Cable Piano company was wrecked by the explosion which were dealt with in the supreme court followed. The explosion shattered almost all the window glass within a radius of two blocks. The blaze was confined to the Woodruff block. It is believed the losses are well covered

MORGAN TO

Stolen Cope.

Rome, Nov. 12.—On the proposal of this afternoon. the Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs King Victor has decided to send to Mr. J. P. Morgan, of New York, the insignia of Knight of the Crown of Italy as a facility of the Crown Italy as a testimonial of the grati-tude of the Italian nation for the voluntary return of the Ascoli cope to of a scientific experimental balloon the Italian government.

of the precious vestment.

Mr. Mazzoni, the Mayor of Ascoli,
has opened a public subscription in order to offer Mr. Morgan a valuable gift in the name of the city which had lost the precious relic.

And distance, were satisfactorily tested. More than twenty messages were transmitted from the World's Fair wireless tower and received by the operators in the aerial craft. Paul Knabenshue of Toledo accompany to the precious relic.

WAR IN OCEAN STEAMSHIP RATES.

Berlin, Nov. 12.-Lord Invercive, ence of several hundred spectators. chairman of the Cunard S. S. Co. timated at about two miles. Herr Ballin director general of the Hamburg-American line and Dr. Wiegand, director general of the IMPORTANT North German Lloyds S. S. Co. are meeting here to-day seeking to settle the trans-Atlantic rate war. They appear to be nearer to an agreement than at any time during recent

INSTITUTE ANNIVERSARY.

The church of England, Institute N. B., who is charged with bringing celebrated, its twenty-ninth anniver- men to the Maine woods in violation sary by two services in Trinity of the alien contract labor law. church yesterday.

At the evening service the music held before United States Commished States

was of a special character. The sioner Hamlin, probable cause was choir, under the direction of A.Chipfound. Muckler was bound over for man Ritchie rendered Tollis' evening \$500 to the December term of the service, the Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis by Stainer in V flat, and the held in this city. Charles Phonia, anthem "Sing Alleuia Forth" by Paul Michaud, Joseph Martin and Schneser. Prof. James Ford pre-Charles Powers, all of Calais, were sided at the organ. held in \$100 bonds as witnesses.

The preacher was Rev. J. R. De Wolf Cowie, who took for his text

SITUATION UNCHANGED.

An Artillery Duel Still in Progress at Mukden.

TODAY'S NEWS.

Report That Supply Steamers Have Got into Port Arthur ... Emperors of Germany and Russia to Meet Soon.

Mulken, Nov. 12:-Afternoon:-The situation is unchanged today. Artillery fighting continues, the firing at times growing heavy, particularly in the southwest. The Japanese shelled

legation denies that there is any town tral ports, which, it was added, Ja-TO F'TON. insidered to be a serious breach not heard of any such communica-Steamer Reached

Fao, Nov. was received here today from

Tsing Tau, Nov. 12:-The British teamer Thames has been purchased y Germans and given a German reg-She is now here, loading for Port Arthur. Local shipping houses have received information that two steamers which recently left here The steamers Champlain and Pokan- with supplies for Vladivostok, oket, arrived from St. John at one arrived there in safety. They encountered consider- ply ships have reached Port Arthur

Vienna, Nov. 12:-The Newes Wien-Pokanoket which had the lead went er Taggblatt today says, that notsteamers return to St. John this af- and place have not yet been decided The following county court appeals come from the Russian emperor

Ritchie appellant and Law respondent. Wallace K. C. supports the appeal from the St. John county court, Wilson contra. Court considers ATTORNEYS

Will be Sworn in at Fred- THE MUSEUM ericton ... A Log Sale.

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had lost the precious relic.

A large sum has already been obtained for the purpose, and the presentation will soon be made by the Italian Ambassador in Washington.

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THE DEATH ROLL.

Glasgow, Nov. 11:—George Lenox Watson, the yacht designer, who has for some time past been ill, died at bis residures in the control of the early date. Details are now under consideration. A definite public anbouncement will be made on Monday next. his residence in this city, this morning. His condition was reported to be better yesterday, but in the night ARREST MADE. he suffered a relapse and passed away

Wolf Cowie, who took for his text
Philipians 1,9 and 10.

During the course of his sermon the preacher sketched briefly the history of the church of England Institute and paid a high tribute to its

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ATHRILLING EXPERIENCE.

Knocked Down With Sling-Shot, But Saved the Money.

)—A daring attempt was made to hold up Walter Champ, cashier at the Hamilton Bridge Works, shortly before 6 o'clock, last evening. Champ was returning to the office after pay ing off the men in the main building over the eye and struck him ov head with a sling-shot, knock cious, and held onto the sat of money, which he was carrying. He also cried for help, and as another man came to his rescue, his assailant ran away. It is said that the sat chel contained \$2,580 ar \$3,000.

ONLY TEN GALLONS?

Oysters Must be Rather Scarce in Wisconsin.

money on election bets that he has Japanese given an oyster supper to the entire

and followed by a torchlight proces f neutrality. The legation has ta-en no steps in the matter and has provided for the crowd.

12:-No further A FAMILY QUARREL.

Ended in Sensational Suicide of Young Wife.

AT OTTAWA.

heard during the last session of the filing of standard tariffs is subject

ONTARIO POLITICS.

THE SEASON. The Conservatives Will be Called Together.

-The Mail and Empire says today it is understood that a meeting of the a half in duration, aeronaut accident of the kind in fifteen years, liberal-conservatives of the province will be called by the executive committee of the party, which will meet in Toronto at an early date. Details

OPERA HOUSE.

Portland, Me., Nov. 11.—United States Deputy Marshal Hasty has returned to this city after making an important arrest in Calais. Yesterday at noon he arrived in Bangor with George Muckler of Grand Falls, N. B., who is charged with bringing the effects of an operation. He was ferent construction to the two preceding plays, it will give the individual members of the organization ample scope to demonstrate their versatility. Homer Mullaney is ing today was to Howe's cave. After blowing of Galesburg.

**The Juniors regular Saturday outside and roasted to the Burlington of Galesburg. After blowing of a second through asphyxiation in cast for the title role. "The Parish ter thoroughly exploring the cave, and securing the money, the priest" is a beautiful and whole-they built a fire outside and roasted to the day was to Howe's cave. After blowing of a second through asphyxiation in Chicago. The dead man was Adam Spivin, of Brandox, and his compansion.

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and Russian ministers today were received in audience in the forbidden
city and presented the downgrar and prese city and presented the dowager empress with autograph letters from their respective rulers, congratulating pany have received the rights for its persing for home.

BURN HIM (

BECOMES SERIOUS.

Row Between Ger= man and Italian Students Still on

MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

Italians Refuse to Sing German Anthem, and this Starts the Row Again == Many Heads Broken, but no Arrests

proken in a fierce conflict between dwell lengthily upon the personality German and Italian students, at the of President Roosevelt as the prime miversity this morning, the fight factor in the republican victory arising from the recent troubles at Germans refused to do so, whereupon ideal programme for the next four the Teutons forcibly knocked off their years, the standard of which will be opponents' headgear and trampled "reason, justice and moderation, and part and their hats and caps in the dust. The common sense."

Latians then started a counter de
Discussing the prospective policy of it will be a lesson in and a sound apple of sound sans government.

has discharged 700 Italian workmen hitherto employed on public works.

PORTLAND'S BUSY TIME.

Has no Scarcity of Traf-

(Portland Press, Nov. 11.) Portland seems to be shipping nding very little abroad.

When the steamship coman sails tomorrow afternoon she will take out 48,000 bushels of wheat which

ranch of the export business

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Nov. 12.-Eastern states and northern New York.-Fair their jurisdiction. to-night, warmer in east portion. Sunday increasing cloudiness followed by rain in west and extreme south portions fresh to brisk southwest to est winds.

Maritime-Fresh to strong westerly Toronto, Ont., Nov. 12.—(Special.) to southwesterly winds, fine and milder. Sunday fine and mild.

Forecasts—Fresh to strong westerly to southwesterly winds; fine and milder.Sunday fine and mild.

Synopsis—Strong breezes and milder weather generally are indicated. Winds to Banks and American ports, westerly to southwesterly increasing to fresh and strong breezes.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Nov. 12, 1904. Highest temperature during past 24

Lowest temperature during past 24 sea level and 32 deg fal Wind at noon Direction Wind 12 miles per hour.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director. Point Lepreaux, Nov. 12.-9 a. m. -Wind south west, light, clear. Therm. 30.

LONDON PRESS ON ROOSEUELT.

The J ectator Anticipates Great Th: gs from the Re-elected Preside : !=== Secretary Hay Described On of the Oldest Living Diplomats === The Monroe Doctrine to be Upheld.

newspapers issued today devote con- written. siderable space to the presidential Vienna, Nov. 12.-Many heads were election in the United States, and all

the aggressive. They started singing the "Wacht am Rheine", with uncovered heads and demanded that all the other students remove their hats.

The Italians Slavs and other portions of the Spectator, which says the result unquestionably one of the ablest, if not the ablest of living diplomatists, to maintain the attitude already asks "What will he do?" and pro-The Italians, Slavs and other non-ceeds to credit Mr. Roosevelt with an

monstration on the university steps the American government in relation ample of sound, sane government, and sang the national hymn of Italy. to foreign affairs, the Spectator says The Speaker and Saturday Review The Germans then attacked the Ital- President Roosevelt will not be ians and drove them from their po- afraid to insist that the United sitions. Sticks and umbrellas were States shall hold her own among the speaker says it is reprefreely used and many heads were great powers of the world, but he determination racked, but no arrests were made as will not seek foreign entanglements, same", which involve doctrine is not to be consigned to the playment of Municipality, according to the Vienna rest in the last resource, upon naval presents a grave danger correspondent of the Morning Post, and military power, and if America. The Saturday Revie has not a fleet strong enough to say have often expressed the conviction. Thus far and no farther, to those that this country has little to gain who shall challenge the doctrine, in the end from a translation into

London, Nov. 12.-The weekly presidential message of 1823 was

After predicting that the Panama Roosevelt, the Spectator says that in rising from the recent troubles at the most notable article appears in president, acting under the advice of the Spectator, which says the result.

that doctrine in the future will not action of President Roosevelt's views prove worth the paper on which the of foreign affairs."

The "Other Winter Port" C. P. R. MEN IN THE CITY.

and His Assitant, From Montreal, Are on an Inspec= tion Tour.

have a good supply of grain consid- ager of the C. P. R., and W. B. Bull-In Nos. 2 and 3 elevators to-day are 95,000 bushels of wheat, 18,000 at noon today and were met by J. bushels of split peas, 28,000 bushels N. Sutherland, district freight agent of barley, 45,000 bushles of oats, and Messrs. McInnis and Bulling will rebetween Japan and Russia, Mr. Wickstein Messrs. McInnis and Bulling will reserve the Lange of the war between Japan and Russia, Mr. Wickstein Messrs.

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DARING BURGLARY.

tario and a Bank in Illinois.

Chatham, Ont. Nov. 12:—(Special)
—The village of Florence, about ten miles from here, was the scene of a daring burglary early yesterday, when marauders broke into the private bank of Isaac Unsworth at that place, blew the large safe to atoms with nitro-glycerine, and succeeded in obtaining a small amount money. The burglars also destroyed some The burgiars also destroyed some phen's church here for the next three very valuable papers that Mr. Unsworth kept in the safe. They left

Chicago, Nov. 12:—The Chicago police were notified early today of the robbery of the Bank of Rio, at Rio, ills., by eight men who secured \$22,-

funds of the institute.

Gracie—Maud made a hit as a beauty while in London.

Lacy—Well, it is so foggy there that they couldn't see what she really looked like—(Chicago Dally News.

The north and south wharves were the activity this morning and south wharves were the scene of much activity this morning. There were twenty vessels in the scene of much activity this morning. There were twenty vessels in the slip, and about half of them were loaded with apples. The winter varieties of apples are coming in freely now, and are bringing good prices.

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Friday afternoon.

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SAYS JAPS WILL WIN.

Traffic Manager, Returned Minister Talks Interestingly of the Eastern War.

Rev. E. A. Wicker, a native of pronto, but who for the past seven years has been in charge of the I ?: oyterian church at Kobe, Japan, is

will be as large if not larger than last year."

From St. John these men will visit Edmundston, St. Andrews and St.

Mr. Wicker has been through to Japanese prison at Metsuyama, and Says the Russian prisoners are better treated there than they are by Stephen; also other points within their own fellowmen on the battlefields. The sympathy of Great Britain and

the United States has been a help in causing Christianity to spread Japan. The churches increased their membership about 33 per cent A Private Bank in On- during the last year. Hundreds of thousands of little Japs are ready to attend Sunday school, as soon as more of these institutions can be or-The British and Foreign Bible So-

cieties have supplied the Japanese

Sundays.

ESCAPING GAS.

GOLDWIN SMITH.