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# IS STILL DEMOCRATIC

### Defeat of Tammany Does Lynchburg News. Not Mean Republican Victory.

Anti-Tammany Democrats Elected Fusion Ticket for Four Years

Will Be in Absolute Control

of City's Purse.

New York, Nov. 3 .- Battle scarred Tammany, which yesterday elected a cally every one was personally in- years, The Argus has been insisting, ity to send for papers or make such the gloomy work of setting its house formers, which made it doubly enjoy- stances our contention, that the sleepin order for four years of avowed an- able. ti-Tammany government in Greater

New York. Analysis shows that the election. which resulted in the defeat by the fusion forces of every important Tammany-Democratic candidate below the mayor, was more of a victory for the anti-Tammany Democrats who had lined up with the Republicans under the fusion banner than for the straight-out Republicans.

Anti-Tammany Democrats elected on the Republican-Fusion ticket for four years will be in absolute control of the city's purse strings. They will have a clear majority in the board of estimate and apportionment, one of the most powerful municipal bodies in any city of the world, and, therefore. sion upon every one present. the right of spending more than a bil lion dollars of the city's money.

includes, besides Mayor-elect Gaynor. tically every name which appears in being given the preference, as is their Bartlett, who was declared by the so- State. The attorneys for the Butlers who, in the past has been a strong the cast. Among the most popular right, over the side-town passengers ciety to have displayed "able seaman- stated that they did not want the trial cessful cross-country tour ever inau- stood for acquittal and six for mananti-machine man-five anti-machine were the King and Queen of Wonder- The ethics of travel-the underlying ship, pertinacious effort and able man- continued, and that they would admit gurated came to a close in a blaze of slaughter. It was learend this aftermen-five anti-Tammany Democrats land, taken by Mr. Robert M. Wood- principle of quid pro quo-demands agement" during the Peary Arctic that Lester Butler was in the edito- glory today, when the Atlanta Jour- noon that on the first ballot there and two Republicans. The sixteen son and Miss Emily Ambler, Miss that the traveling public whose route expedition. votes allotted the various members of Ethel Nelson, as "Columbia," acted extends the furthest should be given the board are so distributed that, be- the part with admirable good taste, this service to the limit, and for this experts before whom Commander with it. On trial in the Superior o'clock. sides Justice Gaynor's three ballots, while Mr. Howard Barger, in the role The Argus has ever contended, and Peary appeared with his records and Court, the documents from the Secre- As the dust-begrimed and travel. Judge Adams required bond from Mr. the anti-Tammany Democrats will of "Uncle Sam," proved an able co- continues to sue. have nine and the Republicans four partner.

In this board, according to the antimake for a complete re-organization part was taken by Jack Appleton, is the instance recorded in the headof the Democratic party in Greater though the Cheshire cat with its gun, ing of this article. Our good friend

racy already was under way. Charles serve especial notice.

ity will be cut down from thirty-one to a majority by a single vote. In addition to this loss several of the nomi-Hearst independent forces and are grouping and color effects. hardly to be depended upon to support their Democratic colleagues in all in-

publican candidate for mayor, loomed up today as a possibility for the New

like campaign against tremendous crowd here, touching on national matodds has had its effect, and I think we ters rather than state. shall hear from him again. He has The senator was alluding to a proved himself an excellent standard- speech in the Senate he had made, and ure for reorganization. This was the death of Sheriff D. R. Julian, of Rowbearer, and the party has need of concluded that "There are lots of rot- last day in which answer could be an county, which occurred at his home many such men."

### TODAY'S COTTON MARKET.

New York Futures.	
Open.	Close.
December 14.80	14.50
January 14.87	14.57
March 15.05	14.71
Local spots, 141/2.	

"Hell has broken loose in Breathitt county," official wired the governor Ten thousand words couldn't have told the story more completely.

### A FINE PERFORMANCE.

'Alice in Wonderland" Superbly Rendered by Amateurs.

The musical extravaganza, "Alice in Wonderland," presented at the Academy of Music last night by about two hundred and fifty of the best local talent under the direction of Col. John F. Bragg, of New York, and Miss Hope Leonard, the composer of the music, was one of the most creditable

achievements that has ever been ef-

lected along this line in Lynchburg.

From the rise to the final drop of tce curtain, the interest did not for a moment drag. The audience, which was a large and an appreciative one, was delighted with each number, and encored often and heartily. Practimayor, but lost a city, took up today terested in one or more of the per- and punctuating with pointed in- journeys as may be necessary to in-

> The success with which the amaly remarkable. In many cases, this hour in the morning, should be mainwas the first time the young per- tained on said train into this city, in- in order that they may be convinced formers had ever been inside the stead of being cut off at Raleigh, as is on this point. Dr. Cook will be advis-Academy, and, despite this fact, there the prevailing rule. vere scenes in which the fact that it

The star of the evening was unquesperfect grace, her soft, musical voice, and withal, her complete self-possession, made a most favorable impres- side-tracked in that side town.

The different animals appearing in dence sustaining our contention has

lever impersonations.

beautiful.

"I am out of politics for good and It is probable that the attempts of in his press for time he got some other all," Mr. Croker declared. "Not for the little folks were the most enjoy- passenger's shoes as above described. a million dollars would I reconsider able of all. Each childish recital of It is presumed that the other fellow my determination to keep in the back- the familiar old nursery rhymes, "Lit- was some affluent farmer (the size ground. Yes, they asked me to come the Boy Blue," "Little Bo Peep," "Lit- and quality of the shoes would so inback-they always do that. But I'm tle Jack Horner," and many others too old and couldn't stand the rack brought forth good applause. The few variations from the intended program Complete returns on the balloting only tended to keep the audience in the aldermanic districts show that aware that the performance was of Tammany lost ground also in that local talent, and if anything, made a body, and that the Democratic major- more decided hit than otherwise would

have been. The double sextet by the more mature actors and actresses was one of nally Democratic votes from Brook- the most taking features of the evenlyn districts are the product of a fu- ing. The last scene, the royal court, sion between the Democratic and the was really gorgeous as to costumes,

### CALLS TAFT FOUR-FLUSHER.

### Otto T. Bannard, the defeated Re Jeff Davis Also Hints at "Rotten Veg-

etables" in Senate. Russellville, Ark., Nov. 3 .- "There York state gubernatorial nomination are some potatoes in every patch that next year. Herbert Parsons, Republi- are speckled. There are also some can county chairman, said in a brief that are rotten. This is the case in the United States Senate," said Sena-"Mr. Bannard's clean and business- tor Davis, who addressed a large-

> ten vegetables there that ought to be left at home."

"Taft is down South," said Senator Davis, "trying to make people think he will fix up our channels and waterways. He's four-flushing. I think | county precincts yet to be heard from, after next session."

as to defeat "Bailey and other pota-

The disturbance in Mars is proba- opponent by 9,076. bly due to a discovery of the local Voting on the liquor question, Ha- the original plan of Psi An is to be completely wrecked, there was no innorth pole, or a mayoralty election. | gerstown went "wet."

### Mr. Geo. A. Norwood Arrived **Home Wearing Another** Man's Shoes.

And His Experience in Getting Them Makes Him Guilty of Contribu-

tory Negligence in the Premises.

in its backward sweep the lapse of sub-committee of experts with authoring car operated by the Southern Rail- that the society proposes as soon as day. way on its eastbound night train, possible to pass upon the records of teurs carried out their parts was real- which arrives in this city at an early Dr. Frederick A. Cook.

Passengers on the above train-No. vas local talent was completely lost 112-for Goldsboro and through pasight of, and the performance took sengers east, north and south, taking all prominent in the scientific world. the appearance of a high-class comic this sleeper at Greensboro at an early After the report of the sub-commithour in the night, are awakened from their sleep and routed out of their ionably "Alice," which role was ta- bunks at an unearthly hour in the ly the board voted unanimously to acken by little Miss Rosalie Franklin. grey dawn, or earlier, at Raleigh, and cept the report of the three experts This pretty little maiden, with her hustled forward into a "day coach," who believed without any question of while the "sleeper," with its sleepers doubt that Commander Peary reached ments made by attorneys of the But- twenty minutes later. for Raleigh undisturbed, is cut off and the north pole April 6, 1909.

To attempt to give a word of well that this should not be; that this of the highest honor the society can ground that it had been unable to se- Atlanta Journal-New York Herald deserved praise to every one entitled sleeper should be maintained on to betow upon him, it was also decided cure certain statements about the The board of estimate, as elected, to it would mean a mention of prac this city—the longer route passengers that a medal be given to Capt. R. A. Caucasian from the Secretary of In the meantime cumulative evi-

Tammany Democrats, is to be found the play were well represented. Prob- been forthcoming as regularly as the records of Commander Peary in evia nucleus of what they believe will ably the best was the mouse, which train itself. The latest along this line by Emanuel Wilkins, was a close sec- and habitually sober townsman Mr. Persistent rumor had it today that ond. The caterpillar and the white George A. Norwood, traveling from the attempt to create a new order of rabbit, given by Harold Martin and Winston-Salem last night, arrived things for the New York city Democ- R. P. Magoon, respectively, both de- home this morning wearing some other man's shoes two inches too long F. Murphy, who succeeded Richard The specialties proved very popu- for him, and all around too big in Croker as Tammany leader, came out lar, notably the flag drill and the proportion; and his explanation of how with a formal disavowal of these ru- pony girls. The flag drill showed he came by them and into them, while mors at the same time denying a re- carefull and thorough training, and it explains, is certainly by no means port that he was to be deposed from the result was an effect that would calculated to be satisfactory to the have done credit to professionals. The other fellow, who was left shoes pre- the north pole on April 6, 1909. "I have no intention of resigning," pony girls, dressed entirely in tan, sumably as proportionately too small said Murphy. "I have not heard of made quite a hit in the song, "Pony for him as are these too large for Mr. ing that the organization, planning of Columbia to enjoin the payment of made public until tomorrow." any opposition to me within the party, Boy," and responded to several en- Norwood; and the gravamen of the and management of the expedition, this fee by the Secretary of the Treasand I have heard nothing about these cores. The Indians and the sailors latter's mistake lies in the fact that in its complete success and its scientific ury of the United States. The Supreme days. 'Ty" Cobb, the noted outfielder reported rumblings of discontent and also deserve much credit for their his first reach for shoes, in the gloaming, he got hold of a pair of women's the ability of Commander Robert E. fused to enjoin the Secretary of the team, who is a native Georgian, was The presence of Richard Croker in The music was bright and catchy shoes, which he readily discovered he Peary and render him worthy of the Treasury. In the opinion for the court the hero of the day's journey. From the city was a matter of considerable throughout the entire performance. could not get his feet into. This, we highest honors that the National Geo- by one of the judges, it is stated inci- the time the tourists left Commerce. spec lation to those who were study. The color effects, produced by the unbiasedly suggest, should have put graphic Society can bestow upon him. dentally and not as a ruling of law, Ga., shortly after six o clock in the ing the situation, and the announce- footlights and the spotlights were un- him on his guard and made him more ment that he had extended his visit usually pretty, and this, combined careful in his second attempt to get here five days longer than previously with an artistic selection of costumes, possession of his shoes, and herein lies announced was regarded as signifi- made some of the scenes dazzingly the gravamen-as the lawyers sayof his mistake. However this may be. dicate) a delegate or visitor to the big National Farmers' Congress in Raleigh today; and certainly did he have to get out in his stocking feet, or tel ephone some city store for a pair of

> aforesaid sleeper on to Goldsboro, for number of the traveling public.

shoes "his size."

### NORFOLK & SOUTHERN.

#### Failed to Answer Original Petition of Minority Bondholder.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 3 .- The Norfolk E Southern Railway Company today failed to make answer to the original petition filed in the Trust Company of Telegram Received by Relative in W America receivership proceedings against that road by Fergus Read, minority bondholder, asking a searching investigation into the financial organ-

### AMENDMENT LOST BY 16,155.

the preposed amendment to the state Davis said he wanted to stump Tex- constitution intended to disfranchise the negroes, is defeated by 16,155, and that Hering, Democrat, for state

### HONOR PEARY FOR SUCCESS.

#### National Geographic Society Recognize Him As a Pole Discoverer.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1909.

ing reached the north pole Commander Robert E. Peary was today voted a gold medal by the National Geographic Society. The board of managers of the society today accepted unanimously the report of its subcommittee of scientists who had examined the explorer's records and proofs and found them to be conclusive of his claim that he had reached the pole.

The society adopted a resolution that the question of whether or not any explorer reached the north pole For weeks and months, measuring prior to 1909, shall be referred to a spect original records. This indicates

The scientists will spare no expense

ed immediately o fthe society's action. At the meeting of the board of managers there were present fifteen men, tee was submitted there was a debate lasting more than two hours, but final-

In addition to awarding Commander The Argus has always contended Peary a special gold medal as a token ance of the preliminary trial on the

instruments was as follows:

pleted their task.

"Commander Peary has submitted been allowed in the regular trial. expedition. These have been care- the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizen- Capital City Club. fully examined by your sub-committee ship Court, of which Judge Adams Splendid highways and almost per-

results, reflect the greatest credit on Court of the District of Columbia re- of the champion Detroit baseball "HENRY GANNETT.

### "C. M. CHESTER.

"O. H. TITTMANN." The resolutions adopted by the so ciety were as follows: "Whereas, Commander Robert E. State in the Butler trial.

Peary has reached the north pole, the goal sought for centuries, awarded to Commander Peary.

Therefore-All of which goes to show that the north pole prior to 1909 be referred able. Southern Railway should run the to the committee on research with instructions to recommend to the be watched with great interest. the greater comfort of the greater board of managers a sub-committee of experts who shall have authority to send for papers or make such journeys as may be necessary to inspect One Man Is Dead and Two Are Fatally my taking Mi-o-na. I took a 50 cent original records, and that this action of the society be communicated at

### SHERIFF JULIAN DEAD.

# mington Yesterday Morning.

Wilmington Star.

of importance."

A telegram to his cousin, Mr. A. W ization of the defendant road by those Watson, of this city, yesterday bore now desiring its sale under foreclos- the distressing intelligence of the in Salisbury yesterday morning. As noted in the Star yesterday morning, Sheriff Julian became suddenly ill last Thursday and remained in a precari-Baltimore, Md., Nov. 3.-With a few ous condition until the end. He was itable in this case. Dock Bratton, the gists everywhere and in Goldsboro by granddaughters. These young womone of the most prominent and popwe will have a Democratic Congress unofficial figures tonight show that ular citizens of Rowan and his passing will be generally regretted wherever he was known.

> comptroller, defeats his Republican representative government, but she ed to 100-pounds and carried 150 carried out by the regent.

# BUTLERS SCORE

# Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—For hav- Supreme Court Gives Them a New Trial in Superior Court.

Judge Manning in a Well-Written Opinion for the Court Discusses Only Two Legal Errors Committed by Trial Judge.

Court, which gave them a new trial. which a new trial was ordered was bound train No. 85 which passes now the admission in evidence of state- at 10:33. Its time will be changed to lers at the preliminary trial. It seems that the State asked for a continu-

sonable sum and not excessive or unfied, and not the judgment of the village. court, was put in evidence by the

The Supreme Court holds that this November 6 to 13, and will be lavishwas error; that decisions of other ly emertained by local enthusiasts. "Whereas. This is the greatest geo- states may be put in evidence when graphical achievement that this so- it is desired to ascertain the law in clety can have opportunity to honor; such a state, but the Butlers not being parties to the suit in the District of J. H. Hill & Son Sell a Remedy That Columbia, it was certainly error to al-"Resolved, That a special medal be low in evidence that part of opinion "Resolved, That the question of wherein the judge gives his personal whether or not anyone reached the views as to the \$750,000 being reason-

The further fight in this matter will

# FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

Injured.

sult of a boiler explosion today at once to those who may have evidence one man is dead, two fatally injured, who is a specialist in stomach disand one seriously wounded, while several are slightly injured.

"A peculiarity about this explosion is and causing the roof to fall in. The happy woman in a few weeks. havoc wrought almost passes human spectators turned their eyes in hor-

L. S. Parrish, a farmer and patron Thep stop belching, gas in stomach, skull. Dr. J. B. Person stated that tablets are swallowed. ably fatally. Haywood Ellis sustain- from Booth's Mi-o-na, Buffalo, N. Y. ed several scalp wounds, which are

not thought to be serious. The accident is believed to be due China took 6,000 years in acquiring to negligence, as the engine was gaug is electing provincial assemblies and pounds. Although the property was surance.

# A. C. L. TRAIN SCHEDULES.

### New Train From North Decided or Last Fall-Some of the Changes.

ber of changes of the schedules of passenger trains on the Atlantic Coast Line are being mapped out at the office of the general superintendent, in this city, and while all of the corners in the new time table have not been rounded as yet, some of the proposed changes are given. The event of greatest interest comes

in the fact that the new train to and from Jacksonville, Fla., and Washington, D. C., which the railroad officials decided to put on some time during the fall, and it was at first announced Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—The well- would begin operation about the last known case of State against Marion of the month, has been changed, and noon at 3:55 Judge Adams called in and Lester Butler was sent back to the train will make its initial trip on the Watkins jury and finding that an Guilford county for a new trial by a the 15th. It is the purpose of the agreement was impossible, discharged decision of the Supreme Court yester- company to operate this train on a them and ordered a mistrial. The jury fast schedule, making but few local had been out a total of four days and Marion and Lester Butler were in- stops. Sleepers will be handled for five minutes, having taken the case dicted for publishing in the Caucasian Augusta, Charleston and Wilmington. Saturday afternoon. This means that a criminal libel on Judge Spencer B. and the one for the last named city the hard fought and highly interestwill be taken off here. The train will ing case against Fleet C. Watkins, the Upon trial last summer in Greens- pass this city southbound about 4:39 Black Mountain constable, charged boro, they were convicted and sen- in the morning. The northbound train with the killing of John Hill Bunting, tenced to pay a fine. From this judg- will pass at 1:30 a. m., or about on of Wilmington, at Black Mountain, ment, they appealed to the Supreme the present schedule of northbound August 6, at the time he shot a bultrain No. 82. This train north will be let through Paul C. Collins, of Hills-Judge Manning, in a well-written changed about twenty minutes later opinion for the court, discusses only and pass here under the new schedule two legal errors committeed by the at 1:50 or thereabouts. There will trial judge. One of the errors for also be a change in the present south-

## ENDURANCE RUN ENDS.

# Tourists Reach Atlanta.

rial department of the Caucasian, and nal-New York Herald good roads tour- were seven for conviction and five The report of the sub-committee of that Marion Butler was connected ists entered Atlanta shortly after one for acquittal. After a mistrial had

tary of State's office were introduced sore caravan escorted by scores of Watkins in the sum of \$2,500 for his "The sub-committee to which was in evidence and also the statements local autos, rolled into the residence appearance at the next term of the referred the task of examining the made by Butler's attorneys. The Su-portion of the city, fire bells, factory Superior Court for the trial of crimidence of his having reached the north the statements made by Butlers' at cheers of enthusiastic thousands along diately, pole, beg to report that they have com- torneys were only competent in the the streets awoke a perfect bedlam of There has been some talk that an preliminary trial and should not have noise, which continued until the tour- effort might be made to have the case ists reached the office of the Journal. removed to another county for the to this sub-committee his original The only other matter discussed in Following the parade the travelers next trial, but Solicitor Brown said journal and records of observations, the opinion is the allowing an opinion were escorted to the Piedmont Driv- this afternoon that no such action had together with all his instruments and of the Supreme Court of the District ing Club for luncheon and later were been taken. That such action was apparatus and certain of the most im- of Columbia to be introduced in evi- given time to dress and rest. Tonight not contemplated. The solicitor said portant of the scientific results of his dence. The Butlers had alleged that they were guests at a dinner at the that the case could not be tried again

and they are unanimously of the opin- was a member, had allowed \$750,000 feet weather resulted in more perfect ion that Commander Peary reached as fee to a firm of attorneys and that scores than on any similar trip in the Judge Adams had received part of this history of touring, according to the "They also feel warranted in stat- fee. Suit was brought in the District officials, but the records will not be

> that he thinks such a fee was a rea- morning until the end of the trip oblis name was on every lip and be reasonable. This opinion duly certi- received an ovation in every town and

> > The majority of the tour ats will re main in Atlanta for automobile weak

### SUFFERING ENDED.

# Cured Stomach Trouble of 14 Years.

And best of all J. H. Hill & Son guarantee it to cure you or money back. Read this:

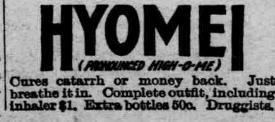
"I have been a great sufferer for 14 years, everything I ate gave me heartburns. I have never been able to get anything that would give me any relief until a friend of mine insisted on box and I believe I am entirely well." Selma, N. C., Nov. 2.—As the re- F. M. Bryant, Newman, Ga., June 5th. Mi-o-na is not a nostrum; it is the

One clever woman calls Mi-o na the clock. Sunshine Prescription because it that it completely demolished the ad- changed her from a miserable, nervjoining building, passing through it ous dyspeptic into a bright, healthy, will make a trip of inspection along

These little Mi-o-na tablets are inter an automobile for a fast trip conception and was a sight from surely wonder workers. They absolutound the grand prize race course lutely cure indigestion whether acute to a luncheon at Thunderbolt. Reor chronic.

of the gin, was instantly killed. Wal- and heaviness, in a few minutes. Dister Stancill sustained a fractured jaw tress after eating vanishes as if by bone and injuries at the base of the magic when one or two little Mi-o-na

engineer, was scalded seriously, prob- J. H. Hill & Sen. Test sample free en however, may be insura



# MISTRIAL IS ENTERED

## Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 3.—A num-Watkins Jury To Agree.

Watkins Is Placed Under \$2,500 Bond. Which He Gave-The Case Cannot Be Heard Again Till

the February Term.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 3 .- This afterboro, a case which has attracted state-wide interest, will have to be

gone over again. When the jury came in this afternoon at the request of the court, they looked tired and worn out, but as determined as ever. During the morning it is said the jury discussed the case and wranged considerably, but each stood firm.

The court asked each man separately if it was impossible for an the twelve men to agree. The jury Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 3.-The most suc- was polled, and it was found that six been had and the jury discharged.

before the February term.

#### CLOSING IN ON NORTH CAROLINA. He Is Now Going Through Georgia and

Having a High Time. Macon, Ga., Nov. 4.-A genuinely warm-hearted welcome was given President Taft in Macon today, when, as the guest of the state and city, he joined in a parade to the state fair grounds and there delivered an address from the grandstand. Prior to his public appearance the President had enjoyed a breakfast of fried chicken, waffles and battercakes at the

home of Congressman Bartlett. Several companies of militia and cadets escorted the President to the fair grounds, and from there to the depot. The streets through which the parade passed were handsomely decorated. A mammoth cotton arch at the intersection of Second and Cherry streets was one of the conspicuous

features of the decorations. The crowds constantly cheered the President's progress as his automobile passed along the line of march. Mr. Taft enjoyed the demonstration and bowed right and left in answer to the enthusiastic cheers.

### Preparations at Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 4.-Savannah has completed preparations for the reception and entertainment of Presiient Taft, who is due to arrive here Charles Creech's gin, near this place, prescription of a celebrated physician this evening. After an informal reception at the DeSoto Hotel, he will be a guest at a banquet at nine

Tomorrow morning he will board the revenue cutter Yamacraw and he river front, disembarking only to turning to the city by automobile the President will go at once to his train and will depart for Charleston.

Uncle oJe Cannon was so impressed by the beauty of three Mississippi cerebral meningitis was almost inev- Only 50 cents a box at leading drug- women that he adopted them as his

> Dr. Cook is willing that anyone who doubts his word should go to the ton of Mount McKinley where he left a brass tube and a varied assortment of records. Thus far no one seems to be anxious to seek those records.

Advertise in the ARGUS