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is Said That as the Leader of Tammany Hall be Will Try to Name the Presidential Nominee.

LAKEWOOD, N. J. Dec. 1,-John C. Sheehan will be the leader of Tammany Hall after its reorganization in January. This statement was made positively to night by a man who knows. It was made after John F. Carrol and Thos F. Grady had come back from a two days' stay in New York.

Messra, Carroll and Grady told Richard Croker the result of conferences they had neld. Soon afterward the information was conveyed that Mr. Croker would go back into his old place as leader to make in the five boroughs of Greater New York an organization which will be so perfect a welding of the metropolitan Democracy that there will be no chance that it shall miss naming the Democratic andidate for the presidency in 1900,

BANK SUSPENDS.

The Piedmont Bank at Morganton N C. Closes its Doors.

has been received here of the suspension of the Piedmont Bank, at Morganton, in his State.

State Bank Examiner Crowder, ba one to Morganton to examine into the ank's affairs, and take charge until a ceiver is appointed.

Latest News Items.

by infantry and cavalry,

Vienna, December 1-The prospects for the new ministry are ominous, assignments of portfolios has been received on all sides with frigid reserve. and atthough the dismissal of Count Badeni has allayed the spirit of rebellion in Vienna and the German towns. marchy has broken out in the Slav and Czechish towns and provinces

Washington, December 1-The hearing before the interstate commerce commis be country, for an extension of time in which to equip their freight cars with automatic couplers and air brakes, brought together today the leading atorneys of the country and a number of rominent railroad officials.

Southern shipyard.

Madrid, Dec. 1.-The Imparcial, commenting today upon the reports of the latest alleged filibusturing expedition of the American steamer Danntless, calls pon Premier Sagas; a to make energetu representation on the subject at Washngton adding that the authorities there must be informed of the bad impression created in Spain by the frequent filibustering expeditions."

Washington, Dec. 1.-Justice Field's retirement from the Supreme Court took place today. There was no formality attendant upon it. The justice was not present in the courtroom, and as he had not sat with the court since the opening day of the term, the proceedings did not differ in any respect from those of ordi-

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STATE LABOR REPORT.

CROKER'S VAST AMBITION

Prague, Bohemia, December 1-There vere fresh disturbances here today. The sonses of Germand were hombarded with stones, and a howling mob which gathered on Wenzel-Platz was dispersed

Washington, Dec. 1.-Secretary Long has been informed that the battle-slops planted. Kearsarge and Kentucky, now builting by the Newport News firm, will be ready for launching early in January, and his views upon the subject of making the ccasion notable have been asked by the president of the company, who believes that the event is one calling for some anusual ceremony, considering that two of the most formidable ships of their class ever constructed by this government will be sent from the ways of a

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Detailed Report on Tobacco Industry Last Year

Museum Display Collection, Penitentiary out of Bebt Says Smith. Six Political Parties. Minors Paid to Testify Against Cigaret Sellers.

JOURNAL BUREAU, RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 2. Mr. Brimley of the State Museum i making a beautiful display of the fine collections of gerns and Indian relies purchased from th Stevenson estate. Every one who has seen it says it is the fines private collection they ever saw.

The annual report of Labor Commis ioner Hamrick is now in the hands of the printers. Much care was devo ed to for the statement that two additional the securing of facts relative to the cruisers are going to Kiao-Chau, bringing Tobacco industry in this State. The the force there up to 10 ships, with 4,000 nanufacture of chewing tobacco in the western district of the State last year was 14,913,567 pounds, while in the The eastern district turned out 33,099,-300 packages of cigarettes and 4,029,326 tion of these assertions, although they eignrs. The western district manufac-The highest average wages paid men in understood that China does not insithe tobacco factories, in the State are upon evacuation \$1.14 per day women 57 cents; the low est men 62 cents, women 38 cents and children 28 cents. In this report he says that in 35 counties it is said the financial condition of the working people is not improving, but in 23 counties it is. Thirty seven counties say laborers can find work all the year round, while in 21 they cannot. In 44 counties the educa-

tiary says that after this week the instition will be out of debt. They will lease a farm of 1,000 acres near the penitenper annum. The prison laundry will do work for residents in the city, and the shirt factory will be opened in January This puts convict labor to compete with free labor, and it should not be encour in wheat and 300 in oats is being

Mr. Wm. H. Williamson and Miss Sadie S. Tucker were married last night at Christ Church. They left for a long

The Daughters of the Revolution med this afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. O. Holladay, The subject for discussion was the Battle of King's Mountain. It is said that Solicitor Holton offered

jury to having purchased cigarettes Tois was in Salisbury where 19 mer- 38-"Hot Members"-38 cliants were indicted for selling eigar-The political situation is thus summed phy Orchestra.

up in "six parties" as follows: Gold Democrats, Silver Democrats, Republicans, Russell Republicans, Butler Populists and Skinner Populists, Judge Starbuck made things lively for

delinquent tax pavers in Forsyth county by making them pay tax and in addtion costs, never less than \$10. It is the remark by members of the

Democratic State committee that next year there will be a clean open Democratic fight from beginning to end No comomise or no fusion with any party. The anti-saloon movement seems to to have fallen very flat here and its promoters are badly disappointed. Raleigh

tried the "dry town" business once and

is not likely to try it again. A NOVEL EXHIBIT.

Project to Send a Cargo Of Cancelled Kansas Mortgages to the Omaha

TOPEKA, Kan., December 1-A plan to end a carload of cancelled Kansas mortgages to the Trans-Mississippi Exposition in Omaha next year as an evidence of prosperity in this State was plenty of confectionery would be like perfected here today. perfected here today

Charles Harris, a Republican member of the Legislatuce, is the father of the idea. He presented it as a conference of representative Republicans, and urged that it would be a good practical refutation of the "calamity talk" frequently in-

dulged in by the Populists. An address will be issued to the people of Kansas urging them so to arrange their affairs as to pay off their mortgages before January 1, thus enabling the promotors of the project to show to the world that Kansas is almost free from debt, and that it is all the work of one year of prosperity.

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission

New York, December, 2. STOCKS. Open. High, Low. Close Having succeeded the firm of Peoples Gas.... 941 951 944 947

COTTON. Open. High, Low, Close CHICAGO MARKETS. VHEAT— Open. High Low. Close Dec 964 964 941 95 May..... 9014 901 897 891

mors are current here and at Kiel, prob-

but there has been no confirmation of from Admiral Von Diederich, commanreference to fighting at Kino-Chau.

The Berliner Tageblatt is responsible

men and 140 men. eastern district it was 12,015,675 pounds perial yacht Hohenzollern, is going to Kiao-Chau, there is no official confirmaare held to indicate that a permanent tured 371,010 pounds of smoking tobacco, occupation is intended, especially as it is

The Discovery of the Day.

outsh, and it is the best seller. I nave. tional condition of the laboring people is fails, and is a sure ours for Consucption ry is all that is claused for it; it never improving, but 15 counties say it is not Coughs and Costs. I cannot say enough Superintendent Smith at the peniten- or us norms," Dr. King's New Discovsion, on the petition of the railroads of tiary for three years at a rental of \$300 Free trial bottles at F. S. tutty - Drug

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Report That German Sailors Had

Berlin Dec. 1 -All sorts of wild ru ably based in the main upon the speech of Emperor William at he opening of the Reichstag, as to the relations between Germany and China. But the most of these are discredited. The National Zeitung has confirmed the statement of the Emporer that Germany's only object in the occupation at Kiao-Chau is to protect German missionaries in China, and the alarmist stories are now taken with liberal allowances of

A sensation was caused today by a report that the Chinese had massacred 200 | German sailors belonging to to the German cruiser Division, in Kiao-Chau bay. this, while the latest dispatches received der of the Division, which were dated the afternoon of November 28, make no

The same journal says also that a force of marines, including the crew of the im-

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading dangerst of \$ Shreveport, La., say-: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my J. F. Campb-b, inercount of 3-ff ad, Ariz., writes: "D , King's New Discov ery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds not an experiment. It has been tri-d tur a quarter of a century, not today stands at the head. It never disaspoints

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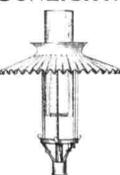
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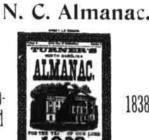
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