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POLITICAL NOTICE.

We, the undersigned members of the Democratic State Central Committee of Queen Anne's county, call for a conference of all the Democrats of this county to meet in the Court House, Centreville, on

Tuesday, May 21st., 1907.

at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of arriving at a definite conclusion as to the best methods of conducting our primaries this year. We are willing and anxious to recognize the demands of the Democratic voters of this county in every manner, and their wishes properly expressed will be acceded to fully by your committee. We desire and suggest that the Democrats in each and every district meet and select representatives to attend this conference in order to get the true sentiment of the people, so that your committee may know their demands and wishes, and be guided by same. The selecting of representatives to this conference will not prevent any other Democrats from attending and expressing their views, but all are earnestly asked to attend and participate. The sole object of this conference is to get a true expression of the wishes of the voters, and all interested in the welfare of the Democratic party should be present.

JOHN E. GEORGE,
JAMES E. KIRWAN,
JOHN K. BROWN,
State Central Committee for Queen Anne's County.

From the number of elopements reported from Delaware we have good reason to believe that the peach crop in that state is not a failure.

The financial writer who says that "money is still the element of greatest uncertainty," knows what he is talking about. Everybody will agree with him that nothing can come up with the agility with which it disappears.

The State Central Committee for this county has issued a call for a conference to be held in the court house in Centreville next Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. ALL DEMOCRATS are invited and, as the fight this fall is a very important one: state officers and most of our county offices to be filled we urge EVERY DEMOCRAT to attend this meeting where plans will be laid whereby we may bring our county again in the true Democratic column and help to keep our grand old state under the Democratic banner and the white man's rule. Go and express your views as to the best methods to obtain the above desired victory.

The extra long session of the grand jury again calls to the minds of our taxpayers the falsity of our present local option or prohibition law. When we reflect over the matter, we find that about one-half of the time of the grand jury is consumed in trying to ferret out would-be violators and very few true bills are found. We wonder if there is not a serious defect in our present law and, that a change for the better—could not be worse—would meet the approval of our taxpayers?

A number of our best citizens are advocates of high licenses for hotels only, claiming that it would add a good revenue to our county and, besides saving the heavy court expenses, also help to prevent the youth from being drunkards. Under our present law, anyone who has the price can get the "wet" goods from Baltimore by simply sending a money order or, if he is on the "ground floor" with the doctor he can get a "script" and the rest is like taking candy from the children. Some persons advocate preventing transportation companies from carrying packages. Well this would interfere with Interstate Commerce and your Uncle Sam would be a Missourian.

It is said that "a rose would smell just as sweet by any other name," and it is also said "that whiskey or beer tastes just the same" under the name of "Hardware," "Ambrosia," "Jamacia Ginger," "Orangeade," "Lemonade," and a thousand others. Under our present law it is unlawful to sell pure apple cider, but any old concoction with a label: "Good for the Nerves," "Healthful," "Invigorating" and similar rot can be sold openly and no questions asked by the court.

It is a well-known fact that the press and pulpit of Centreville have been putting the harpoon into the officers of that town for the way in which drunkenness is allowed and want to know where the fluid comes from. We all know that Centreville is considered a good(?) town and some people go so far as to say they will have a goodly representation on the Golden Shore, if any other peninsula town has a site. When a town like Centreville is wayward, it is time to look out for the rest of the unsophisticated towns of our counties.

The Tennessee man named "Damm" who has appealed to the courts to change his name probably wants to be able to tell whether people are calling him or swearing at him.

Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake declares that the American eagle "that great bird which surmounts our national insignia," is a female. Perhaps that explains why so many men squeeze a dollar before letting it go.

A man's troubles with his mother-in-law are often matter of neighborhood gossip. But when the man is a millionaire they get exalted to the dignity of press dispatches, which is another instance of the all-prevading power of money.

A woman in New Jersey upholds the right of a wife to beat her wayward husband when she finds marital correction necessary. Perhaps, after all, it would be a good idea to abolish the whipping-post in favor of home discipline. Then the punishment would be far from farcical, and reform would follow with neatness and dispatch.

The manufacture of artificial wine in France has attained such magnitude that it is said that real wine is being shut out of the market. There is a popular revolt among the wine growers in the South of France, who threaten to strike against paying taxes if the Government does not give them a square deal. Perhaps the operation of the pure-food law in this country may help some when the experts now trying to determine what is pure whiskey tackle the wine question.

The rise of December wheat in Chicago to $1.03 a bushel, like the recent rise in cotton, is a consequence, of course, of the continued cold weather. Winter has lingered entirely too long in the lap of spring, and even seems disposed to flirt with summer. There are reports of damage to crops in the West and Southwest, while in the Northwest, far up into Canada, freezing weather has lasted unusually long. The probable yield of winter wheat has thus been largely reduced and the sowing of spring wheat delayed and in some regions perhaps prevented. The area in wheat is reduced as well as the yield. Under such conditions a speculative rise is to be expected, to the advantage of those who retain part of last year's crop. Consumers will hope that the weather will yet change for the better. With everything else so dear, a large enhancement of the price of the staff of life will entail hardship upon the masses of the people.

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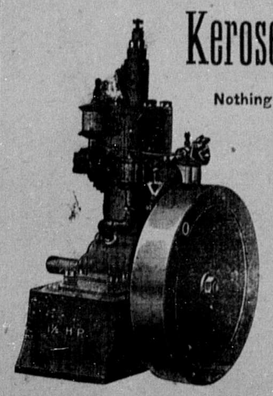

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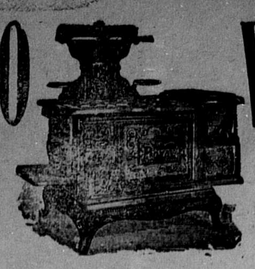

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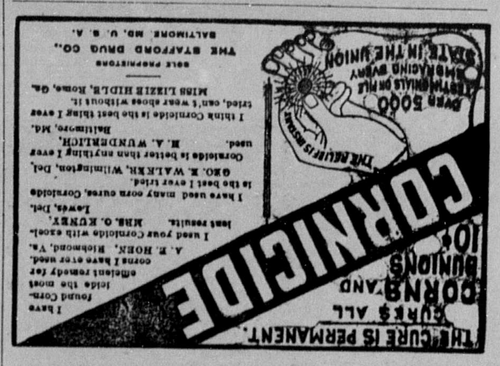

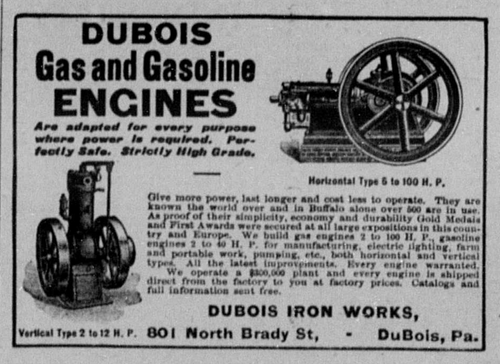

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