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means prosperity for the people. The Democratic party legislates for the individual and the nation is left to shift for itself, a policy which affects the tariff and every other national issue. The Republican party did not come into existence in 1856 but in 1779 when Alexander Hamilton framed the platform which later became known as Republican. The party of Hamilton, Lincoln and Roosevelt is good enough for every American citizen.

Tomorrow evening the Democratic party will have its chance at the women with Alexander Murchie of Concord, chairman of the Democratic state committee, and Mrs. Antoinette Funk as speakers.

Mrs. Ellis Meredith spoke this afternoon on the evolution of modern government, explaining that the present
day “heresies” of initiative, referendum and recall were in force in the early Greek government. The first pure food law was the bread and beer law of early England she said, and there is now in force in this country, except in those states which have repealed the common law or where the civil law prevails, a statute forbidding “excessive toll contrary to the custom of the realm.” A statute she said which should be called to the attention of the packers.

Ideals of Service.

Mrs. True Worthy White of Boston sounded a call for ideals of service in a speech based on “the results of vic-
pro-suffrage and anti-suffrage will join to make themselves and others better citizens. The league will be non-partisan, but its members will belong to the parties of their choice and in those parties will agitate for the principles of better government which the league will formulate.

“The league was originated by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, and is backed by the National American Woman Suffrage association whose organization has proved effective in the suffrage campaign, and in war service and will again show its worth in citizenship activities.”

City Government.

Mrs. Nancy M. Schoonmaker spoke in the morning on “City Government,” initiating the women into the mysteries of gerrymandering, aldermanic proceedings, city charter difficulties, and how to pick a mayor. In the afternoon she talked on the problems of state and national government.

Prof. Richard Woriskey of the State college gave a comprehensive outline of the causes leading to the war, stressing the unselfishness of the American policy as shown in the returning of the Japanese indemnity in the war of 75 years ago, the payment of Spain for the Philippines, the return of Cuba to the Cubans and the repayment of the indemnity paid by China after the Boxer uprising.

A number of prominent women from outside the state have arrived to attend the school. Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird, first vice president of the Massachusetts Equal Suffrage association, and Mrs. George W. Perkins, motorized from Boston today and Miss Mabel Connor of Portland, Me., president of the Maine Equal Suffrage association, is in attendance.

MRS. NANCY M. SCHOONMAKER.

LONDON, July 9.—Tennis tournaments rob a pretty girl of her good looks in the opinion of close observers of the game here.

“I have known pretty girls who after a season or two of tournaments have become so completely changed in appearance and manners that old friends have failed to recognize them,” said a well-known player. “Their faces become hard and lined, their youthful bloom entirely disappears, and they lose much of their feminine charm. I have told my own daughter that she can play in no more than two tournaments a season. That means she cannot hope to become first-class, but I would prefer her to remain an attractive woman.”