

WET PLANK HOPE IS ABANDONED BY BOTH PARTIES

Close Check Shows Advocates of Light Wines and Beer Cannot Win Endorsement of Politicians.

By ARTHUR SEARS HENNING. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Washington, May 7.—"Wet" hopes to obtain a plank in the democratic and republican national platforms favoring light wines and beers have gone glimmering, according to information percolating from the headquarters of both parties today.

There has been a checking up of the prospective "wet" strength in the conventions by the republican and democratic leaders within the last week, it transpires, with the result that the foes of prohibition have been advised of the hopelessness of their cause, so far as the presidential contest is concerned.

Officials of the democratic national committee made an unusually careful canvass of the situation for the reason that both Governor Edwards of New Jersey and Governor Cox of Ohio have been figuring as presidential possibilities favorable to the resurrection of beer, and it was the democratic convention which was looked to chiefly by the "wets" as likely to adopt a wine and beer plank from political consideration, if not from conviction.

Drys in Majority.
The democratic check-up showed that only 16 of the 56 members of the resolutions committee at San Francisco would be in favor of a prevailing sentiment of the states electing the delegates who will name the members of the committee.

It is understood that as a result of this canvass, Chairman Cummings of the democratic national committee, who will be the temporary chairman of the democratic convention, will refrain from striking any keynote favorable to the "wets." Democratic leaders have also urged the anti-prohibitionists to "lay off," warning them that if they continue to press for a "wet" plank they surely will spur the prohibitionists to force through a strong "dry" plank.

The democratic chieftains here hope that by putting the snuffers on the "wets" William Jennings Bryan can be persuaded to abandon his intention to fight for a plank strongly endorsing the eighteenth amendment and enforcement thereof. Silence on the liquor issue is ardently desired by the democratic leaders.

No Prospect at Chicago.

The canvass by republican leaders showed that the "wets" would be even weaker at Chicago than at San Francisco.

The prospect, therefore, is that the advocates of light wines and beer will transfer their endeavors to the congressional campaign, seeking to elect a congress which will modify the definition of intoxicating liquor. It would take a "wet" landslide to win the house and with only one-third of the senators to be elected the "wets" could scarcely hope for a friendly senate in the next congress.

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Duchess of Clermont Does Not Appreciate American Restaurants

Paris, May 7.—American food, as served in restaurants in that country, did not favorably impress the duchess of Clermont-Tonnerre, who visited the United States last autumn and has written a book on her trip. The only American foods that appear to have made an appeal to the duchess were red bananas, California apples and oranges, and "hams of Virginia."

"One must admit," she says in her book, "that food in America is not good. To a Frenchman, the word 'meal' cannot be applied to the hotting down of a club sandwich in five or six bites. The necessity of eating seems to have become for Americans a sort of monotonous and obligatory annoyance and they are bending all endeavors toward simplifying the performance." The duchess says she "is unable to comprehend why an American should require less time for his whole luncheon than one of her

The Duke of Chimney Butte

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Denver Pugilist Held Under \$10,000 Bond for Larceny

Deadwood, S. D., May 7.—(Special.)—(Tommy) Thomas, Denver pugilist, who was brought to Deadwood from Colorado to answer a charge of stealing clothing from a Deadwood man who gave him a

place to sleep on the occasion of a recent visit to this city, when taken into a Deadwood court, entered a plea of guilty. He cannot be sentenced until circuit court convenes in September and unless he furnishes a bond of \$10,000 he will have to remain in the county jail until that time.

Britain Presents Airships Of Non-Rigid Type to Canada

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London, May 7.—Nine non-rigid airships have been presented by the British government to Canada. They are some of the surplus fleet left

after the war. The Canadians will be at liberty to make what use they like of them, but it is believed they will come in handy for survey purposes or for forest fire and fishery patrols.

In the days of the Pharaohs some of the most sacred religious offices were held by women.

Will Finance Lithuania.

Copenhagen, May 7.—A large British banking concern has entered into arrangement for financing Lithuania to the amount of 500,000 pounds, gold, according to a special despatch from Kovno. This loan is covered by a concession of 400,000 hectares of Lithuanian forest.

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Powder Puffs, 3/4 inches, very special, each... 12c
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Dagget and Ramsdell Cold Cream in tube, very special... 19c
Rivers and Floramae vegetable toilet water, very special 1.29
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Boys' and girls' cob waists, well made full taped and buttoned, all sizes, special, 35¢. 3 for \$1.00.

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