MEETING HELD OCTOBER 18, 1934 at SOUTH PHILADELPHIA STATE HEAD QUARTERS REPUBLICAN PARTY 1714 SOUTH STREET. REV. SELLERS MASTER OF CEREMONIES. MRS. ALICE DUNBAR NELSON SPEAKS: I never forget a good looking man. I am strong for men any I shall speak on the subject: Point of View of Women. We have to take the money and stretch it. Make it stretch until next Saturday night. If you have done any thing for me, or against me in the past, you need not think I am going to forget it. The democrats speak of the things they are going to do for us; that won't do. (I see some more good looking men coming in, I am getting Pensylvania is a regular republican state. Only once since

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the war, has it gone Democrat. We Negroes in Pensylvania cannot afford to slip back, for those democrats down south to say that, we have joined hands with them. Should we let our state slip back into the democratic party, we are telling the south that; we, believe in their policies. We have got to cast the balot for 7,000 Negroes in the south.

Now, you can listen to siren's songs if you wish. no hungrier persons than the democratic party just now. You know they are going to take care of themselves first, and you will remain

as hungry as they are, if you depend upon them.

We felt that something was going to come out of the promised
"New Deal". We have more in the bread lines, more out of jobs, less wages, and food prices higher. In 1933 we were paying 11ϕ for rump roast. I am talking about the kind of meat we eat every day. Shoulder of lamb was 10ϕ , now it is 18ϕ . Other meats in proportion. I am not speaking of sirloin steaks, which I have about once a year when I have company. But the meat we have to eat. Flour too has gone up 100%. Every thing has gone up but wages. That is why I am talking to our women; as we have the job of stretching the money. All of this is brought on by the "New Deal." We are asked to keep these "Boys in power in Washington.

We can send Senator Reed to Washington, send a republican Congressman, who will have a voice in changing the order of this "New Deal". Women, what you are doing now, is an errow, what we will do from now on, is to keep Pensylvania republican. The New Deal has not done any thing but mess up things. They have put the pictures in all business places, and that is all the good we have gotten from it. The condition in the south due to the New Deal is some thing appaling. I do not want to take up your time to tell you about it. The people working under the N.R.A in the south, has simply put our people out of work. The plowing under of the cotton, plowing under wheat in the west, preventing the people from making money they could earn. Destroying the catlle and hogs in the west. (We could enjoy a piece of pork now.) I put it before you thinking men and women to help us to change this condition, by voting the republican ticket.

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2. Mrs. Alice Dunbar Nelson. Oct. 18, 1934 Meeting. continued.

THE MERITS OF THESE CANDIDATES: The time when we need a genius for Governor, we have found one.

For those people down south, who cannot work; those people who have slipped over to the democrats, make me think of a story I heard the other night. It was like this: Some men were trying to separate some cattle, putting them into different pens. Something went wrong and the cattle were all mixed up; all but one little calf, who ran down the road. One of the men said to the calf, come back, come back, don't you know you do not belong down there? Very well, you little fool, keep right on; but, when milking time comes on, you will find, that you are running after a steer.

