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Cookeville, Tenn., March 1, 1912

To the Women Authors and Press Women of the South:

As President of Tennessee Woman's Press and Authors' Club, I have been appointed Chairman of the Conference of the Women Writers of the South, which will be held as a sub-conference of the Southern Educational Conference in Nashville, Tenn., April 3-5, 1912. Many of the most prominent publicists in America and the South will be present at this meeting, in fact, in view of the importance to educational development which this conference has always exerted, it is expected that large crowds from all over the country will attend. This is an opportunity for women writers to get together and discuss the questions of the day that are of vital importance to Southern women, the pen being reckoned mightier than the sword.

Any suggestions that you may make to the Chairman that will assist in making this a most successful and beneficial meeting will be gratefully received, and she extends to you a most hearty invitation to come and help by your presence and suggestions.

Two other interesting sub-conferences, composed of the Federated Clubs of the South and the Southern Association of College Women will be held at the same time. These three sub-conferences will unite in a general conference, at which "the Economic and Civic Advancement of Woman" will be fully discussed in all its phases.

The railroads have given a rate of a little over one fare for the round trip from points within Tennessee, tickets to be on sale April 1, and 3, with a limit of April 20.

Hoping that it may be possible for you to be with us, and that from our meeting may come much good,

I am yours cordially,

MRS. RUTLEDGE SMITH.

President Tennessee Woman's Press and Authors' Club.

As we are anxious to have with us at these conferences, women who have given thought and study to the conditions of the women and children of the South and will make all discussions on a broad basis, we especially desire to have you with us. No set program will be had for the sub-conferences but a general discussion on the round table order, brevity and to the point being the slogan. It is ~~her~~ thought that from this great Educational Conference, history may be made.

Trusting that you will be with us, and especially on Thursday the fourth, Truly yours,

Truly yours,
Mrs. Rutledge Smith

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My dear Miss Clay:

You must think it very strange and unstable on the part of the Woman Suffrage Party to have written you so many scattered and contradictory communications in reference to our affiliation. It is simply that we have been going through some readjustments, due to the adoption of our new constitution and some complications that have arisen in connection with our old imperfect constitution.

Now all is settled and we are candidates for affiliation. I am sending the names of the 300 active members, officers, captains and members of district clubs. I think we shall be very much honored to be affiliated with the great National body. I hope that our affiliation will be effective with no more trouble to you.

Yours very cordially,

Harriet B. Laidlaw
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March 5th, 1912.

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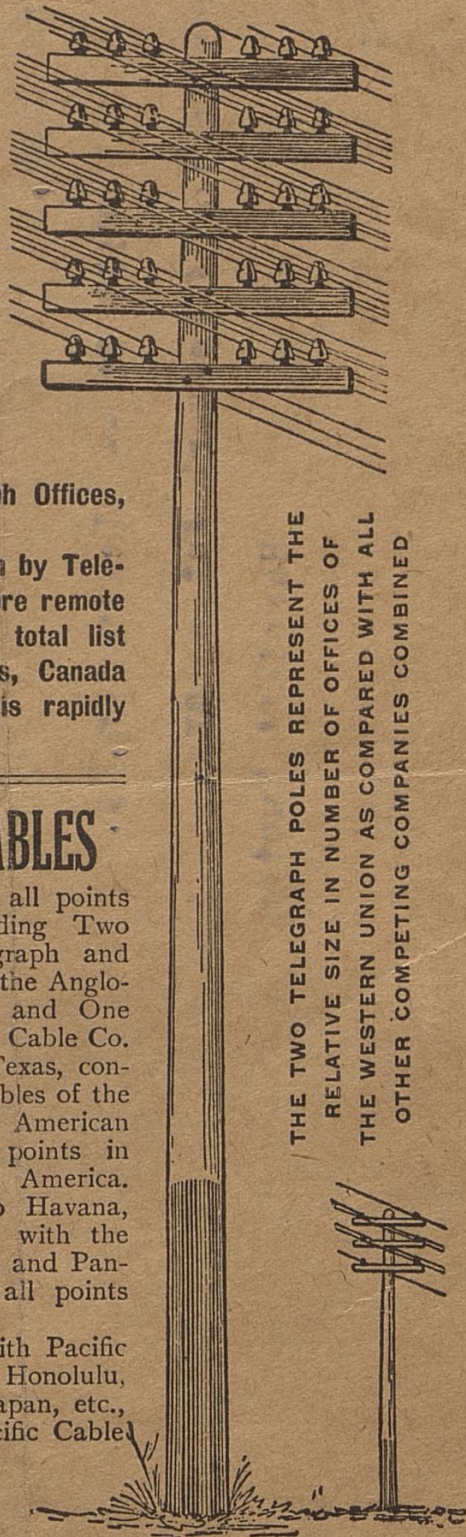
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189 N. Mill St., Lexington, Ky.

March 8th, 1912.

My dear Miss Mills,

After I received your letter of Febr. 19th relative to admitting the N.Y. Suffrage Party to auxiliaryship I got a letter from Mrs. Laidlaw, saying as the question of the articles of incorporation had come up she asked me to postpone farther steps till the point was settled. Soon she wrote me that the point was satisfactorily settled; and this morning I received a list of three hundred members. "officers, captains and members of district clubs". She does not send an affidavit. I may mention that in my letters to the Maryland Associations and to Mrs. Laidlaw I said we ought to have the names of three hundred members, and after them a general affidavit that all for whom they claimed representation were bona fide. I believed this complied with the spirit of the instructions of the convention; for after we are certified that there are three hundred members we cannot refuse auxiliaryship; and to give more names than these would be very irksome and fulfill no practical use, if the representation on the dues basis is safe-guarded with an affidavit. I hope on reflection you will agree with me on this point. The State Equal Franchise League of Maryland has sent in an affidavit affirmed by a notary public, to wit; This is to certify that the State Equal Franchise League of Maryland, is composed

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of nine affiliated Leagues; with a total membership of five hundred and forty-eight paid members, and five hundred and sixty-four enrolled members".

(Signed) L.C. Trax, Field Secretary.

Do you think I need to require the names and addresses of 300 of these members? I am afraid if we are stricte^d than necessary to secure honest representation we may scare off some of the candidates.

I approve of your disposition to keep the spirit of the law and such parts of its letter as does not interfere with its spirit, remembering thi^s is a new move and we have not yet established any precedents to help in interpreting the law. Therefore, I am enclosing you the list of members sent by Mrs. Laidlaw, with the request if there is anything you think should still be required you will personall^y speak to Mrs. Laidlaw about it; for as you are on the ground you can do so with more exactitude and promptness than I can do by letter.

I may mention that Miss Katzenstein and Mrs. Fitzgerald have already voted Yes and I have waited to satisfy your objections before giving in the final answer of the Committee. I have heard nothing from Mrs. Russell in answer to the last two votes sent out, and I shall not wait on her. Mrs. Dennett was so certain that the vote would be affirmative that she wrote me she would put the N.Y. Party affiliation in the minutes. When you see it there you must not hold me responsible for hasty action.

Please return the list of names and letter.

I have heard nothing further from Indiana. I think the Just Government league contemplates an amendment to their constitution, after making which they will put in their final application.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I am

Very truly yours,

NEW YORK STATE WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION

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Mar. 11, 1912.

Miss Laura Clay,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Miss Clay:

Yours just received. I vote "yes" to admit the Woman Suffrage Party after they send the affidavit. I think we should have the 300 names from the State Equal Franchise League of Maryland. I have talked with Mrs Laidlaw about the Party admission but only in regard to the Articles of Incorporation which she assured me entitled them to join the National. Mrs Dennett's action in reporting the affirmative vote before it was taken is rather amusing. Whatever her certainties were it was a very unbusiness-like procedure. Of course, I do not blame you in the matter.

Sincerely yours,

Harriet May Mills

[Mar 11, 1912]

Do you vote to admit the Women Suffrage Party into the
National Association? Yes.

Harriet May Mills

[Mar. 12, 1912]



My dear Miss Cloy:

I am to entertain
the Acme Club at
luncheon in honor of
Mrs. Smith, Pres. of the Fed-
eration, at luncheon at
the Phoenix Hotel, Tuesday,
March the twenty-sixth.

It will be my pleasure
to have you with us at
that time, I have invited

Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Poston
and Mrs. Brackley
to be with us. We shall
meet in the parlors a
little before seven, adjoining
them after luncheon when
Mrs. Smith will address us.


I have hope that you and
my other guests of honor
will give us a most
pleasant and any line of
Club work you are

most interested in,

Hoping for a favorable reply,

Cordially yours,

Thomas Whitcomb Welch.

 Sunday, March the twenty.

Mr. John Harrison Welch
Nicholasville
Ky.

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March 14, 1912.

Miss Laura Clay,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Madam:

Under separate cover you are receiving a copy of JUDGE. You will note that it contains a page devoted to woman suffrage, contributed to by the best writers.

You will appreciate that JUDGE is the first paper of its kind to espouse your cause. We believe that you wish to cooperate with us, and make this suggestion:

Will you not place an order with us, for 10 or more copies a week, to be placed on sale in your headquarters, and sold at your meetings? We will make you a special price of 7 cents and as you will receive ten cents the difference will to some extent compensate you for your trouble.

We will send you an attractive card calling attention to the fact that JUDGE contains a suffrage page, provided you decide to take up this offer. No time limit need be set, and you can cancel your order at any time. But we feel assured that you will have no trouble in disposing of at least ten copies each week.

May we not hear from you at once as to your decision in this matter?

Very truly yours,

C. W. Garrison

Editor.

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Miss Laura Clay,
189 N. Mill Street,
Lexington, Kentucky.

My dear Miss Clay :-

The Just Government League of Maryland, in applying for membership in the National American Woman Suffrage Association authorizes me to inform you that the said League has 1500 members.

Faithfully yours,

Edith Huntington Huber.
President.

STATE OF MARYLAND)
CITY OF BALTIMORE) SS :

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fourteenth day of March,
1912.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.



Theresa M. Blondell
Notary Public.

[Mar 17, 1912]

(COPY)

Washington, D. C.
January 8th, 1912

To His Excellency the President,

Sir:

WHILE travelling through Alaska last winter, on my missionary work, I found the natives everywhere in such conditions of disease, want and misery that I there and then resolved to come to Congress and plead with you for some remedial help on their behalf. Their condition is most pitiable. As wards of our Government they must be protected. The time has come for something to be done.

THE CONDITIONS

1. Diseases are largely prevalent. The Governor of Alaska, in his report of 1910, pages 18-20, says: "The existence of infectious diseases, alarming in their nature and wide prevalence among the native people, calls for vigorous action. Thirty-six per cent. are infected by tuberculosis, 26 per cent. by venereal diseases; trachoma and conjunctivitis are prevalent; other cases, strongly suspected to be leprosy, were also discovered. The menace of infection extends to the white population."

In the Reports of Education in Alaska of 1910-11, published by the Bureau of Education, attention is drawn to this distressing and serious situation. Officers and surgeons of the Revenue Cutter Service bear similar testimony.

2. The resources of their food supply are being taken by white men, cannery companies, etc., so that actual want is very common among them.

3. Liquor peddling among the natives prevails, in spite of the law against it, to their demoralization and debauchery. Prosecution seems utterly ineffective to check the evil or protect the people.

In a word, the natives of Alaska are in such a condition of helpless misery that only some immediate, strong, merciful action on the part of the Government can save them from a swift extinction. Though they are slowly disappearing, are bound to do so before the advance of the superior race, yet as wards of our Nation, as original occupants of this land, it is but a matter of justice, mercy, that the Government should do its best to shield and save them from conditions that are hastening them to a miserable death.

THE REMEDY

May I offer some suggestions in the way of relieving the distressing conditions?

1. Reservations should be immediately made. Before all available lands and streams are occupied by the white settlers and fish-canning companies, reservations should be made for the natives. This can be done now without expense. It will have to be done some time, but if deferred it will mean much difficulty and expense.

The "Metla Khatla Reserve" is a striking illustration of the benefits of this "reservation" plan. There the natives have been secluded, have supported themselves, have attained a high state of local self-government, of health, happiness and prosperity.

Last winter I visited the Copper River Indians and their Chief Good-la-Taw. He gave a pot-latch and in an address said: "My people have always lived here. The bones of my fathers and the bones of their fathers lie in these hills. The white people, many and strong, are taking from us our homes. The Great White Father has so much land in Alaska, and surely will give my people these few acres so they may die in peace. The white man's ways are not our ways and the end of the journey is not far. My people are but children who need the care of a wise father."

2. It will be necessary to pass some law to compel the people living by themselves, here and there, far removed from each other, to come together on the chosen site for reservation.

3. The advantages: They can be better, more economically cared for. One good school in each reservation will suffice where now six or more schools are carried on and to an attendance fearfully small. It can be made more useful than as conducted now. As it is, how can children who are diseased, poor and hungry, avail themselves of the schools as at present provided? Then they can be ministered to in a medical way that will be satisfactory and that is not possible now. They can be trained into self-government, and under wise supervision will be able to support themselves entirely.

These are suggestions and are the result of sixteen years' experience. How to carry them into effect is the question upon which I seek your judgment and guidance.

I am your obedient servant,

(Signed) **PETER T. ROWE,**
Bishop of Alaska

P. T. Rowe,
Bishop of Alaska,
945 Twenty-first Ave., N.
Seattle, Wash.

Written at Cordova, Alaska, March 17th, 1912.

To the Members of the
Woman's Auxiliary:

I want your aid and support on behalf of a "bill" which I expect to be introduced to Congress for the medical and sanitary relief of the natives of Alaska. Owing to the inconveniences of work and travel I have not the time to explain the data of this question and the merits of this "bill" and will refer you to the enclosed account of the facts, which I presented to the President and Committees of the "House and Senate". You can help a timely and meritorious cause by urging the respective Senators and Congressmen of your State to consider and act favorably upon the same. Unsolicited, the women of the Methodist Church are going to do this. Other Churches are interested, so it is but right that the women of our own Church should be equally interested and active.

Sincerely yours,

P. T. Rowe

[Mar. 19, 1912]

National American Woman Suffrage Association

CHURCH WORK COMMITTEE, MARY E. CRAIGIE
295 DELAWARE AVE., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

"Mothers' Day" is becoming more and more observed in the churches of our land, and many clergymen on that day are delivering special sermons, calling attention to the Mother's influence in the Home. "Mothers' Day" this year will be celebrated on Sunday May 12th.

In view of the fact that in the moral and social reform work of the churches the Mothers and Women of the churches are seeking to correct serious evils that exist in our cities as a menace to the morals of their children outside the home and in view of the fact that church women are finding that much of their effort is ineffective and of no value because they are denied the weapon of Christian warfare, the ballot, which gives to Christian citizens the only possible power to register their peacable assertion of conviction and will in shaping the governmental affairs of the City, State or Nation we ask of you, will you not in justice to the Mothers of your church choose for your topic on "Mothers' Day" some subject bearing on "The need of the Mother's influence in the State?"

Liquor sellers, gamblers and the proprietors of all manner of evil resorts that exist for the sole purpose of luring young men and women to their ruin, wish to delay as long as possible the giving to the "Mothers" the power of the ballot and they seek to protect their interests by uniting to oppose Woman Suffrage.

Is it not time that the clergymen and church people who profess to believe in the power of "Good" to overcome "Evil" should unite to further what the saloon element unites to oppose?

Should not our clergymen give their support to the women in their struggle to add to their prayers and their indirect influence the potent and direct power of the ballot, without which the moral influence of our Christian "Mothers" in public affairs is essentially weakened and the churches are deprived of two thirds of their power, to help overcome the evil and to advance the kingdom of righteousness in our land.

Women are recognized as the most religious, the most moral and the most sober portion of the American people, why deny them a voice in public affairs when we give it for the asking to every ignorant foreigner who comes to our shores?

The women have always been the mainstay and chief supporters of the churches and in their struggle for their civil liberty, should not their clergymen or Christian brothers sympathize with them and "Remember those in bonds as bound with them" and help them in their struggle? On behalf of the church work committee representing Christian Mothers in every State in the Union, I would be pleased to know if you will be one to raise your voice on "Mothers' Day" in favor of the extension of the Mothers influence in our land. "To help those women that labored with you in the Gospel?"

Very truly yours,

MARY E. CRAIGIE,

Chairman National Church Work Committee Nat. Am. W. S. A.

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295 Delaware Ave
Buffalo N. Y
March 19/12

My dear Miss Clay

I am enclosing a copy of a letter I am sending to the Buffalo Clergymen regarding "Mother's Day". It has occurred to me that some of the Church chairmen in other States might like to send out the same to their Clergymen - and so I have asked my Printer to hold the form for a few days.

He will print additional copies for 50 cents per hundred. Mine cost me 6.00 for 400 - so you see that is very reasonable. If you would like some copies at that price kindly notify me at once.

We are all interested in the Ohio Campaign. I am starting a Bazaar here in Buffalo to raise money - to send to Ohio - and I am going on to help Mrs. Vpton Cater on. Trusting you are well. I am with loving regards - Sincerely yours

Got out sad about dear Miss Miller. I must own to the Municipal Committee of Geneva.

Mrs. George

Kirksville, Mo

March 20, 1912

Miss Laura Clay

Lexington, Ky.

My dear Miss Clay:—I thank you for your kindness in forwarding my letter to Mrs. Clay, of Richmond. She has answered and has given me a good deal of valuable information. There is a Suffrage Society here in the State Normal School and have sent your literature to that place. Again, thank-
ing you, I remain
Yours sincerely,

(Mrs.) Ella Clay Selby.

316 N. Franklin St.

Kirksville Mo

Mar. 19: 1912

Mr Roger Clay
Frankford. Ky

Dear Sir

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT
WALNUT HILLS
CINCINNATI, O.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 21, 1912.

My dear Miss Clay:

I believe that you are to be one of the writers for the Church Congress, on the subject of the "Sanctity of Marriage" and as one of the appointed speakers, I am writing to ask you if you will be kind enough to tell me, in a general way, how you are planning to treat the subject--what your line of approach is to be.

The subject could be discussed more intelligently, I am sure, if those treating it had some idea of each other's point of view. I am asking, of course, for your ideas in barest outline, and hope that my request will not inconvenience you too much.

Please excuse this type-written note.

Very truly yours,

Samuel Tyler.

Lexington, Ky.

March 22nd, 1912.

Rev. Samuel Tyler,

Cinn., O.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 21st is just at hand. I am glad to give you the general outline of my paper on the "Sanctity of Marriage", as I am sure the points in it will be strengthened by the discussion.

I propose to treat of marriage as an institution concerning society in general as well as the individuals united in it; that its value to society is dependent upon its purity and permanence; that these are threatened by vice on one side and divorce on the other; that while the State must do its part for the suppression of vice by law, the Church must maintain the moral side; that the only means of doing this is by upholding a single standard of morals; that a "single standard of morals" is two-sided, applying to the uplift of the morals of women in the virtues where men now excel them as well as to the uplift of men in the virtues where women now excel them.

Very truly yours,

Lexington, Ky.

March 22nd, 1912.

Rev. Samuel Tyler,

Cinn., Ohio.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 21st is just at hand. I am glad to give you the general plan of my paper on the subject of the "Sanctity of Marriage", as I am sure the points in it will be strengthened by the discussion.

I shall treat of marriage as an institution concerning society in general as well as the individuals united in it; that its social efficiency is dependent upon its purity and permanence; that these are threatened by vice on one side and divorce on the other; that while the State must do its part for the suppression of vice by law, the moral side must be guarded by the Church; that the only possible means of doing this is by upholding a single standard of morals; that a "single standard of morals" is a two-edged sword, applying to the ~~condition~~ ^{condition} of the morals of women in the virtues where men now excel them as well as the uplift of men in the virtues where women now excel them.

Christ Church Cathedral

Lexington, Ky., March 25, 1912.

To the Members of Christ Church Cathedral Parish, Lexington, Ky.

Your courteous attention to this letter is very earnestly solicited.

The members of the Vestry of Christ Church Cathedral have for some time past felt the necessity of placing before the members of the Parish a full statement of the financial condition of the church, which for several years past has grown steadily worse until the debt of the church has reached an amount which demands serious consideration, both with the view of discharging that debt and also with the view of making the annual income of the church sufficient to meet the needs of the church.

Our much beloved Dean, Rev. W. T. Capers, came to us in November, 1905, succeeding Dean Lee. At that time our indebtedness amounted to approximately \$1,500. Since then our expenses have exceeded our income from \$1,000 to \$1,500 annually. The deficiency for the present fiscal year ending with Easter, 1912, will be about \$1,500. Our total debt is now about \$5,000.

This condition is due to a variety of causes. During the past six years we have lost either by death or removal a number of communicants who contributed very generously towards the support of the church, and while there have been many additions to the church membership our income has not increased proportionately.

During this period we have also established at considerable expense the Church of the Good Shepherd, and for some years have had an Assistant Rector, whose salary has almost equalled our annual deficit. The place of Assistant Rector recently made vacant by Rev. Mr. Harris' acceptance of a call to Paris, Ky., has not been filled because we have not felt justified in continuing this expense until our financial condition is bettered, although this means that the work of Dean Capers has been greatly increased, and is much more than one man should be asked to do.

Shortly after Dean Capers began his regime we abandoned the rented pew system for the free pew system, and while at first the new plan promised well, and voluntary subscriptions not only equalled but exceeded the annual pew rentals, these subscriptions have gradually fallen off, and the free pew system has not in practice produced the expected financial results.

Each year your Vestrymen have hoped to secure a sufficient increase in the income of the church to meet all expenses and earnest efforts have been made by personal solicitation to increase the revenues, but although expenses have been reduced in some directions, the annual deficit has still persisted.

We, therefore, come to you now with your troubles, which by reason of our responsibility as Vestrymen have thus far been chiefly our troubles, asking that you give the situation earnest and thoughtful consideration in the confident hope and belief that you will help us to work out a plan for relief from our present debt, as well as reach a satisfactory solution for the future.

We would not have you believe that we are pessimistic, because we are not, for we KNOW that you will each and every one cheerfully and generously help according to your ability, and with a reasonable degree of self-sacrifice on the part of all our debt can be readily lifted and the future placed on a secure footing.

For the present we have requested that the Easter offering be applied to this debt, and the sum we ask you to give on Easter Sunday is \$1,500, the amount of this year's deficit. This amount cannot be realized unless practically each person doubles the amount of the offering usually given.

As to the future, we shall ask the Dean to set apart some Sunday morning soon after Easter for a general congregational meeting, at which the whole situation can be discussed and plans considered for placing the income of the church on such a definite and assured footing as will render unlikely

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a similar appeal in the future, and will relieve your Vestrymen from the necessity of lying awake nights scheming how to make one dollar pay two dollars of debt.

We have not the least doubt but that the income of the church can be made what it should be if each person who is a communicant or a regular attendant will feel an individual personal responsibility to contribute each year a fixed amount toward the support of the church as a recognition and token of the spiritual solace and strength gained by them through the church.

There is no doubt about the ability of our members to contribute, as to many of them, much more liberally than they are doing now. Our church membership is a liberal and generous one. They have contributed freely in late years to the Young Men's Christian Association Fund, to the Model School, and to our own Parish House Fund, as well as to other charities and charitable enterprises. There is abundant means within our membership to support the work and service of Christ Church Cathedral on any scale that is desired by the members.

In order that you may have a more exact knowledge of the annual needs of the church, we give under various headings the actual expenses, as measured by the present fiscal year, as follows:

Dean's Salary,	\$2,500.00
Asst. Minister,	800.00
Music,	1,192.76
Choir Laundry,	30.68
Printing and Stationery	60.35
Fuel and Lights,	237.51
McAllister Home,	120.00
Interest paid,	314.02
Water Rent,	90.86
Sunday-School,	250.00
Postage,	7.96
Rectory Repairs,	45.05
Cathedral Repairs,	465.91
Diocesan Missions,	450.00
Episcopate Fund (Bishop's Salary),	450.00
Apportionment Fund, General Missions,	316.25
Sexton's Salary,	364.00
Treasurer's Salary (6 months),	300.00
Duplex Envelopes,	30.17
Vacuum Cleaner,	23.50
Sewer Tax,	34.65
Sundries,	340.55
Total,	\$8,424.22

Our choir expense is limited to the salaries of the Musical Director and Organist, and incidentals for music, etc., the members of the choir donating their services in view of the condition of our treasury. We owe a great debt of gratitude to the members of our choir for their beautiful and unselfish service.

Before closing we should mention the fact that the following extraordinary expenses have helped to increase our debt:

Repairing Cathedral Tower,	\$600.00
Concrete Pavement,	525.00
Sewers,	154.00
Total,	\$1,279.00

In conclusion we earnestly appeal to you to make your Easter offering liberal, a self-sacrifice. It must be that, or the amount required will not be given. And furthermore, let each one who reads this make up his or her mind that they will from now on contribute toward the support of the church a substantial sum, if you are not now doing that, and even if you are that you will substantially increase the amount you are now giving. Our regular, reliable income without extra calls upon the Congregation should be \$9,000.00. We can make it that if we want to and try.

Yours very respectfully,

VESTRY OF CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL,
By John T. Shelby,
Jas. A. Todd,
Wardens.

Lexington, Ky.

March 27th, 1912.

My dear Mrs. Stanton,

Your letter of March 13th went to Richmond and was thence sent back here, and has been a long time on the way, so that you must have wondered why I have not answered. But I got it only yesterday.

I would be glad to come to Cincinnati and speak to the Progress Club, if we could arrange a date. But I do not think it would be possible for me to come till after the 24th of April; and that would probably be too late.

If I do any suffrage speaking in Ohio during the campaign I shall ask only my expenses, as I shall be glad to contribute my time. Perhaps sometime more than one engagement could be made for me, and then it would not be much for any one place.

I thank you for thinking of me for the address, as I know it shows your liking for me, and I should have been glad to be your guest for the occasion. I have never taken part in a debate, and do not know how quick I would be in answering the arguments which might be made against our cause; though I am confident that every one in opposition can be shown to be shallow when sufficient time is given for studying them.

Very sincerely yours,

2239 FRANCIS LANE,
WALNUT HILLS,
CINCINNATI, O.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 28, 1912.

My dear Miss Clay:

Thank you very much for your answer to my question in regard to
your paper for the Church Congress.

Very truly yours,

Samuel J. Co.

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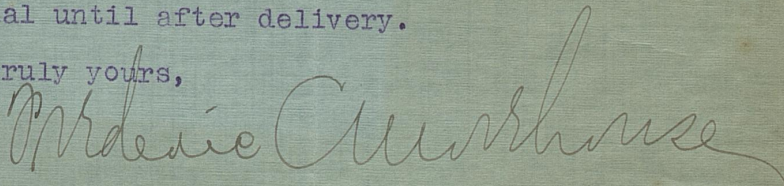
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Miss Laura Clay,
Lexington, Ky.

Will you very kindly favor us in advance with a synopsis of from 500 to 800 words of your forthcoming address at the Church Congress? If you could let us have this the week before the sessions and even as early in the week as possible it would greatly assist us in making a thoroughly satisfactory report of the Congress sessions. We have long since found that only where each writer and speaker is willing to make his own synopsis can he be reported in a really satisfactory manner, though of course we shall have our own correspondent in attendance at the sessions. He, however, will not have the opportunity of treating the individual speakers with the amount of fullness that they can be treated if the matter comes to us in advance. It will, of course, be kept as absolutely confidential until after delivery.

Very truly yours,



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Mrs. Laura Clay,

President Kentucky Equal Suffrage Association,

#189 N. Mill St., Lexington, Ky.

Dear Mrs. Clay:-

We are enclosing herewith a letter from Mrs. Henry M. Youmans of Waukesha, Wisconsin, in regard to a "Yarn" which she has seen published in the Chicago Record-Herald. Perhaps you can vouch for the accuracy of the story, and if so, will you kindly advise Mrs. Youmans direct. Thanking you, I am

Very truly yours,

Mary R. Plummer
Corresponding Secretary.